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# Arson Attack Guts Local Furniture Store

## DAMAGE RUNS INTO HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS

By Kevin Kirrane

An arson attack caused hundreds of thousands of euro worth of damage to a popular Dungarvan business in the

early hours of Saturday morning last, gutting the interior and destroying all the stock inside.

Arsonists gained forced entry to Moloney's Furniture Store at

Wolfe Tone Road through an entrance at the rear of the building, before setting the store ablaze.

The fire started shortly before 4.30am on Saturday morning.

Charred remains of suites of furniture, many costing over €1,000 each, and burnt out debris littered the floor of the store which has been doing business in the town for the past 20 years.

Couches, bookstands, suites, lamps and several other ornamental pieces were a charred smoke and fire ravaged mess, leaving twisted metal, singed leather and knots of cloth littering the floor as the fire quickly took hold and spread throughout the building.

Due to the quick action of the emergency services, who responded to a fire alarm immediately at 4.28am, the building

itself was not structurally damaged.

Two units of Dungarvan Fire Brigade responded to the alarm and fought the blaze for around two hours until it was brought under control.

The windows on the front of the concrete building were destroyed in the fire, and the exterior façade of the building was slightly smoke damaged.

A Garda forensics team examined the building to ascertain how and where the fire started on Saturday afternoon last.

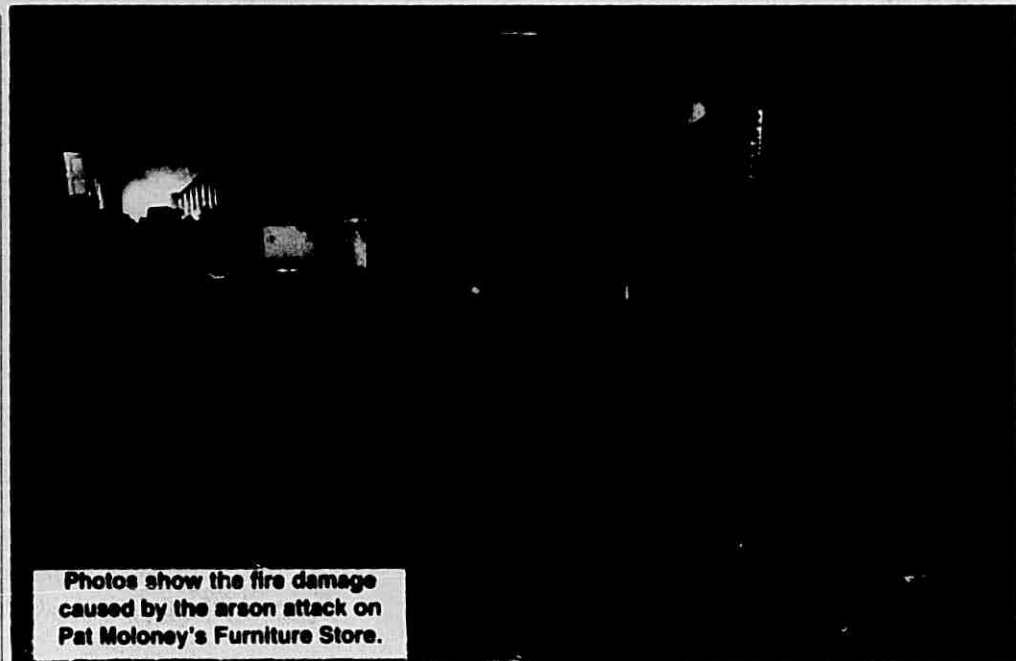
The vandals also attempted to gain entry to the neighbouring Jehovah Witnesses Hall. However, they failed to gain entry.

Moloney's Furniture Store, which is run by local businessman Pat Moloney, has been in operation in Wolfe

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Pictured above is the exterior of Pat Moloney's Furniture Shop which was cordoned off by local Gardaí.



Photos show the fire damage caused by the arson attack on Pat Moloney's Furniture Store.

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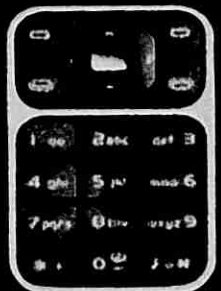
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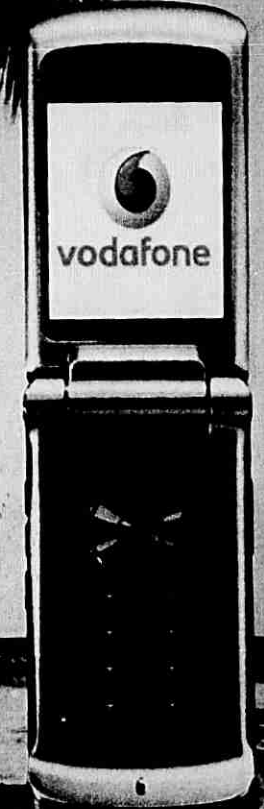
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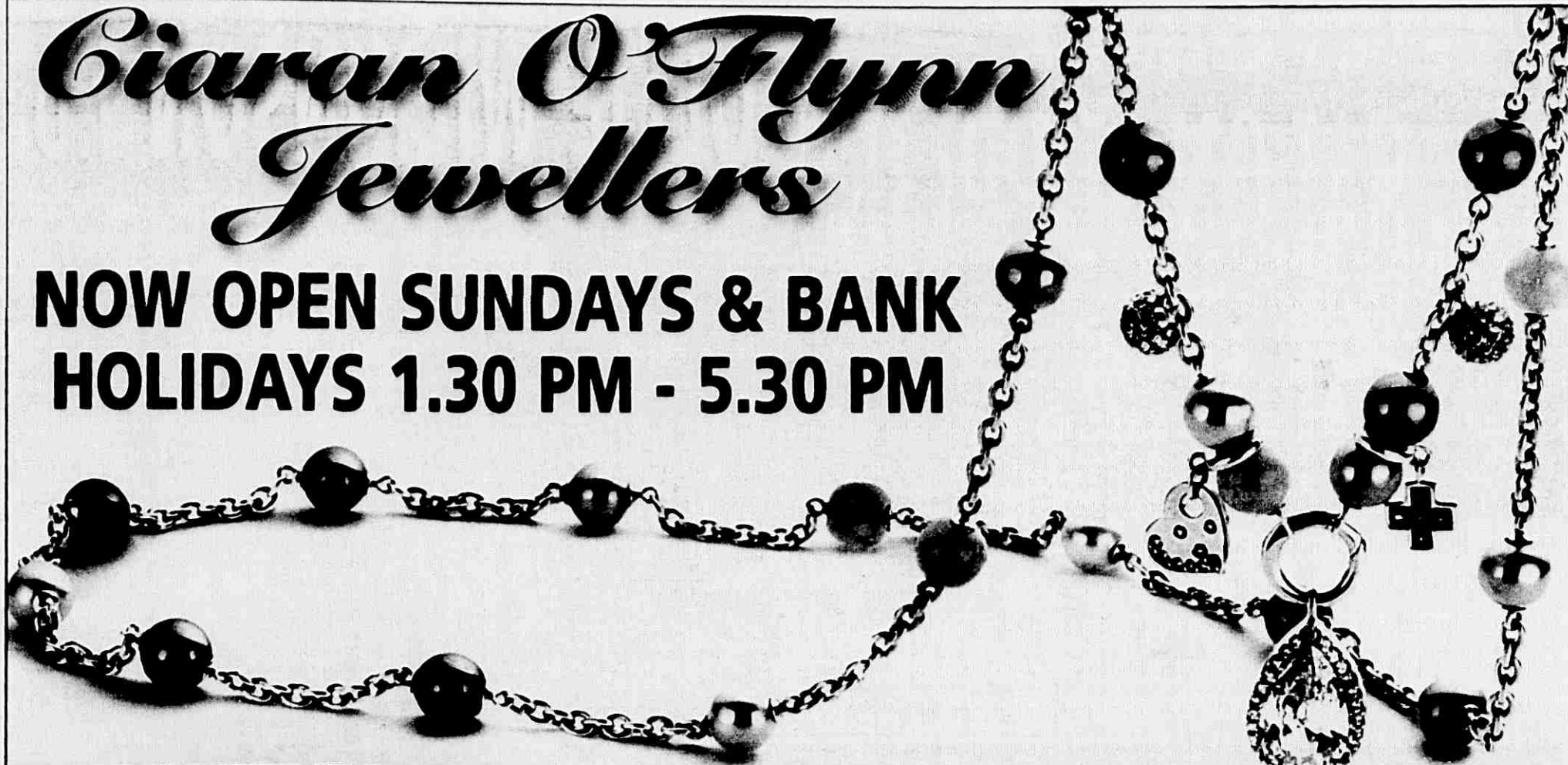
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## Taoiseach Visits GSK To Laud €23m Investment

BY KEVIN KIRRANE

An Taoiseach, Bertie Ahern visited GlaxoSmithKline's Dungarvan plant during a whistle stop visit to the town on Friday afternoon last.

Just days before he dissolved the Dail, and called a general election, the Taoiseach flew in by helicopter shortly before 1pm to fulfil a long-standing invitation to visit GSK's OTC plant where he met workers and listened to a presentation on the recent €23 m investment and news that the company is to expand its workforce.

**PROJECTS**

"We're involved in a number of projects with them," Mr. Ahern later said speaking at an impromptu

press conference in the Park Hotel.

"The IDA have been very supportive of trying to increase development in the pharmaceutical industry.

"The €23m expansion that's now underway is going well. We're hoping that it will be open in November. It's a very important facility. Panadol is a huge part of the set up. We've been trying to get more and more R&D (research and development) and we've been successfully getting more and more R&D into the pharmaceutical and biopharma plants. Of course, they have now finalised negotiations with their own world board and the IDA on the nicotine patches, so in the future

### Expansion Expected To Open In November



An Taoiseach, Bertie Ahern with Mike Tyler after planting a tree on the lawn at GSK.



An Taoiseach and local political figures with the Site Leadership Team in GSK Dungarvan — Back row, left to right: Naoive Coggin, Brian Fox, Declan Bailey, Pat Walsh, Paschal Phean, Frank O'Rourke (all members of the Site Leadership Team at GSK). Front row: left to right; Ollie Wilkinson, Brendan Kenneally, An Taoiseach, Bertie Ahearne, Michael Tyler (Site Director, GSK Dungarvan), Martin Cullen.

there will be another plant here."

**JOBS**

It's anticipated that the Dungarvan plant will begin to manufacture Nicotin CQ and Nicobate CQ following regulatory approval, which is expected by 2009. Up to 80 jobs are expected as part of a substantial increase in the workforce when the plant opens.

GSK site director, Mike Tyler

said the announcements represents an "important milestone in the future development of the Dungarvan business and reflects the confidence GSK has in its Dungarvan operations.

"It is essentially recognition of the capability, flexibility and commitment of all employees in GSK Dungarvan," he said.

Mr. Tyler stated that GSK brings

€40m to the local economy. Global exports from the Dungarvan plant are worth in the order of €350m.

**WELCOME**

Ray O'Dwyer, Waterford County Manager, said the announcements are particularly welcome.

"The investment reflects GSK's confidence in Dungarvan and Waterford as a globally competitive business location for high-added

value pharmaceutical production.

"Waterford County Council along with other agencies such as IDA Ireland, Enterprise Ireland and FAS continue to work through an Inter-Agency Forum to drive the economic development of County Waterford," he added.

Following the presentation, Mr. Ahern planted a tree in the grounds of the facility to mark his visit.



## VIEWPOINT

### ELECTION FEVER GETS UNDERWAY

We've been waiting so long and listening to so much speculation as to the date of the General Election and the dissolution of the 29th Dail, that when it finally happened on a rainy Sunday morning at 8am at the Aras an Uachtairain it came as a shock.

Whether it was a dawn raid on his political opponents, a chance to catch them off guard, as some political correspondents saw it, locally most of the main candidates reacted swiftly.

Posters galore have gone up bartering for the electorates votes.

Just two days before, Bertie was in town, telling the assembled media who gathered in the Park Hotel for an impromptu press conference, that he would be calling the election "shortly." An impish smile crossed his lips as the words came out.

Ostensibly he was in Dungarvan - one of a number of venues he took in on a pre-election blitz on Friday - to welcome the investment of €23m in GSK, and the announcement that new nicotine replacement therapies would be produced in Dungarvan, probably at a new plant, and which is expected to create up to 80 new jobs and secure the life of the plant into the foreseeable future.

Afterwards he visited the Park Hotel where he delivered a rallying speech to the footsoldiers of the Soldiers of Destiny asking them not to spare the shoe leather in getting out the vote - something the party leader acknowledged the normally awesome party machine has not been doing as well now as it has in the past.

Fianna Fail are in good shape locally seemed to be the feel-good message. A Minister, a Deputy and a Senator are the party's three candidates for seats. However, while locally the party looks in a good position to take two seats, there were notably a few worried faces about the most recent national opinion polls.

Those polls see Fianna Fail slipping fairly dramatically and the alternative coalition of Fine Gael and Labour and possibly the Greens, hot on their heels and in some polls already ahead.

What happens next is up to the electorate to decide, although politicians of all shades will be bombarding the newspapers, radio and other media with press releases, statements and announcements, as well as pressing the flesh as the campaign continues to intensify.

### MARINA'S IMPORTANCE CAN'T BE UNDERESTIMATED

The importance of a marina to the infrastructural and touristic development of Dungarvan simply cannot be underestimated. Dungarvan Town Council should be lauded for taking the first steps towards providing a marina, although the completion recently of a bird count and the projected cost attached to its construction of €2m should not be seen as anything more than that - the very first steps in what, if the bird count comes back favourably, looks like being a very long process.

We've seen some steps taken, ultimately abortive, in getting a marina up and running before. Wisely on that occasion the elected councillors saw fit to ditch the plans and start over. This was because the developers of the marina wanted - what would have been for them, and not the town - a lucrative landswap to finance the development of the facility. Quite simply, losing one amenity, which would have happened to a large portion of Walton's Park (taken over by apartment blocks) to finance another amenity was not on.

Now a new location has been identified, and a projected cost estimated. Obviously the Town Council doesn't have €2m in their own coffers, but according to Minister Martin Cullen, who was addressing the Chamber of Commerce around two or three years ago, the money from Central Government is available if the plans are in place.

To fail to take that opportunity would be nothing short of catastrophic. A marina would pump millions of much needed tourist money into the economy and create new business opportunities and, of course, jobs for the town and create another powerful reminder that Dungarvan is certainly developing to its full potential.

### DALY DESERVES FULL CREDIT

Fianna Fail councillor, Pat Daly deserves fulsome credit for his decision to pay his own way on the recent controversial trip by eight councillors and the County Engineer to New York.

Regarding Viewpoint's bafflement as to why Cllr. Daly proposed that instead of informing Cllr. Brendan Mansfield at the April meeting of the county council that he should be informed in writing, Cllr. Daly explained to Viewpoint that he had done so simply because the meeting had gone past its 5 o'clock deadline and to avoid an extended debate, he saw that as the best option. After all, he knew Cllr. Mansfield intended releasing the names. How long would it have taken to release the names in an open public forum - just two newspapers out of five, this one included, was in a position to print the names because of the option taken - is another question.

But leaving all that aside for now, and Viewpoint thanks Cllr. Daly for his explanation, that none of the councillors who were in the chamber and were part of the delegation put their hands up immediately and acknowledged they were part of the delegation, still reflects poorly on them.

# Arson Attack

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Tone Road for the past sixteen years. For four years prior to that they operated from a premises in Western Terrace.

The store has been closed since Saturday, but they hope to rent a premises sometime next week in order to continue on business.

Mr. Moloney wishes to thank all those who have been in contact with him and sent him their condolences and best wishes for the future. He also wishes to thank the emergency services for all their work.

Meanwhile, the Gardai in Dungarvan are appealing to anyone who may have been in the vicinity of Wolfe Tone Road at the time, and who may have seen anything which may be a help to their investigation to contact them at Dungarvan Garda Station on 058-42370.

Picture over shows the extensive damage caused by the attack.



## Wilkinson Drives Bid For New 40,000 Seater GAA Stadium In Waterford

### FORMER COUNTY HURLER WANTS 'PROUD NEW HOME' FOR GAA IN WATERFORD

The building of a new 40,000-seater GAA stadium in Waterford capable of hosting Munster Championship hurling and football matches will be a central political ambition for Waterford Fianna Fáil TD Ollie Wilkinson if re-elected to the Dáil.

Deputy Wilkinson made the pitch after Waterford's hurling win against Kilkenny last weekend Sunday, ending a 44-year wait for a National League title.

"As someone who's been involved in the GAA all my life, I was immensely proud of the Waterford team last weekend as they triumphed over Kilkenny and ended the long wait for a league win.

"Over the past number of months, I've been in close contact with my Fianna Fáil colleague, Sports Minister John O'Donoghue, about the possibility of building a new GAA stadium in Waterford.

"It's unfortunate that a game as significant as the Waterford-Kilkenny National League final had to be played in Semple Stadium because we haven't got the capacity here.

"My vision is to build a new 40,000-seater GAA stadium in Waterford which would be co-funded by the Government and the GAA.

"I'd urge all the stakeholders to examine suitable sites and progress the project.

"It'd stand as a monument to the proud sporting legacy of Waterford GAA - the home of hurling in the south-east.

"Waterford has a proud sports legacy - particularly in the GAA.

"People, young and old, have driven that legacy with their commitment, talent and enthusiasm.

"Those who give their time voluntarily to manage sports

clubs deserve every support and help.

"Building a new stadium in Waterford would be a fitting tribute to the achievements of the past.

"It'd also be the proud new home of the GAA in Waterford where championship matches could be played before an audience of many thousands of fans.

"This is the Next Step for sport in Waterford," said Deputy Wilkinson, who played hurling for Waterford at senior, intermediate and under-21 levels. He's also a former selector for the Waterford senior hurling team.

Photo shows Ollie Wilkinson T.D. with Waterford hurling All Stars Dan Shanahan, Eoin Murphy and Tony Browne.



## University For South East Important Says Taoiseach

By Kevin Korrane

A University is "important" for the South East and is "an inevitable next stage" for Waterford Institute of Technology, according to Taoiseach Bertie Ahern, who was speaking in the Park Hotel as part of a flying visit to Dungarvan on Friday afternoon last.

A high profile campaign calling for WIT to be given University status has been ongoing for many years. Campaigners say a University would help attract in new high-tech businesses and create the right environment for inward investment.

"I think a University for the region is important for lots of reasons," Mr. Ahern said.

"I think for the long term future

of the region to have a good University would build on all that happened here over the past twenty years. I've been involved with WIT for the last twenty years since I was Minister of Labour when I helped get social funds way back in the late '80's.

"And so I'm delighted things are going so well for them."

Mr. Ahern said: "It's inevitable that they will move on to the next stage. It's good for the region and hopefully there's investment that hasn't yet been seen or heard of in Waterford that will come in the years to come because they have a good University."

Mr. Ahern was in Dungarvan, just days before dissolving the 29th Dail and calling a General Election. But he wasn't worried

by an Irish Times opinion poll which showed Fianna Fail's support slipping to 39%.

"What they've said is that Fianna Fail is at 39%. But because of historical records that they have they've taken off 5% because they say 5% won't turn up on the day. So that's the challenge for us as an organisation to make sure our people turn up.

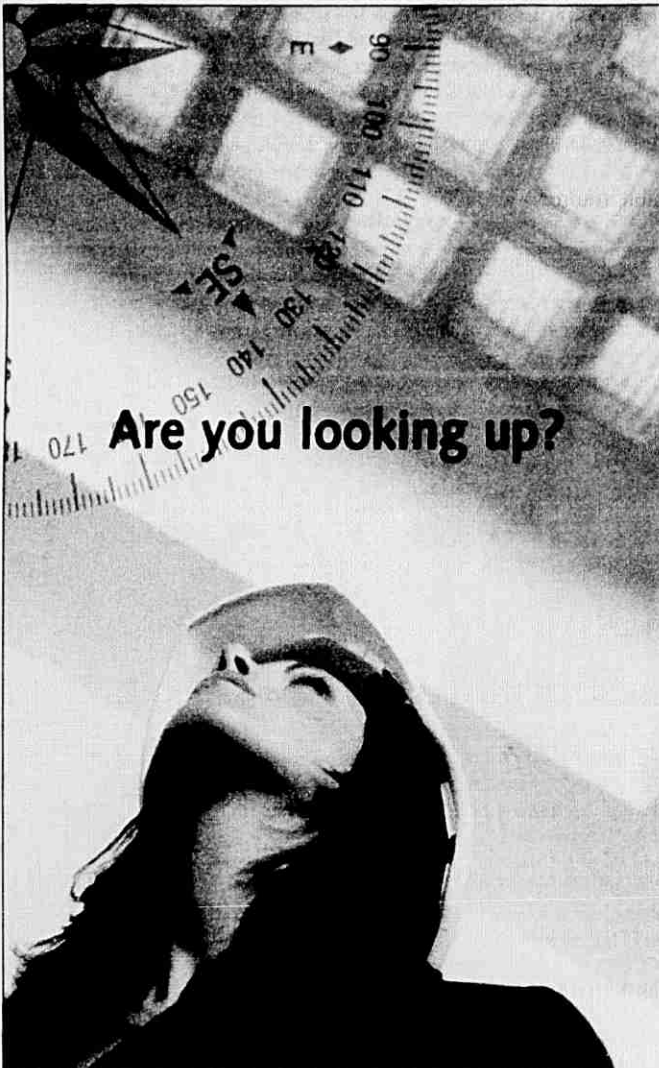
"They said that Fine Gael have a mythical 3% on top of it. So we lose 5% and they gain 3%. Best of luck to them. I wish I could find a mythical 3%. But to be honest I don't take too much notice of these polls. There'll be one poll I'll have to take seriously and that's the one we're working towards."





Dungarvan Lions Club organised Night at the Races in John Keanes Bar on behalf of Chernobyl Aid Ireland. Pictured is Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club presenting the proceeds to Tom Power, Chernobyl Aid Ireland. Included are Lion Club members Paul Clerkin, Siobhan Fahy, J.D. O'Shea, Pat Galvin, Jenny Beresford and David Horgan with Timmy Kiely, owner John Keanes. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

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**Planning Is Major Election Issue In Gaeltacht**  
**— Says Pressure Group**

**Fears Over Downturn In Numbers Speaking Irish**

**By Kevin Kirrane**  
 Candidates in the general election for the Co. Waterford constituency are being advised to have answers ready for the many questions on planning policy they will be asked on the doorsteps of the Gaeltacht of An Rinn and an Sean Phobal. Caomhnóirí na Gaeltachta, a

planning pressure group in the Rinn Gaeltacht say that while the number of families with young schoolgoing children achieving recognition from the Department of the Gaeltacht as being genuine Irish speaking households has doubled in 10 years, the percentage of Irish speakers has dropped dramatically since the

last census in 2002.  
**LANGUAGE**  
 "The recognition of Irish-speaking families is regarded as the best means of determining the state of the language as it is achieved by interviewing young children at National School and the figures indicate that the Waterford Gaeltacht should be flourishing," a spokesperson for the group said.  
 "However, many new families who do not speak the Irish language have moved in and while they are all welcome, this has greatly diluted the concentration of Irish speakers."

Waterford County Council has in recent months adopted a new policy of applying Irish language and local Gaeltacht housing needs conditions to all new housing estates in An Rinn agus an Sean Phobal.

**PROBLEMS**  
 Caomhnóirí na Gaeltachta however say problems remain.  
 "The biggest of these is that it is not possible for a prospective fluent Irish-speaking housebuyer to apply for the interview until a sale has been agreed with a developer, who must submit the application on their behalf.  
 "This leaves the process open to controversy as a prospective buyer could spend significant amounts of money in solicitors' and other professional fees agreeing a sale and then go on to fail in the interview process, preventing the sale of the house and wasting money spent agreeing the sale.

**CONDITIONS**  
 "Also, the developer/seller of the house with the Gaeltacht language condition retains the right to submit an application for an interview or not as they see fit. The co. council is therefore seen as leaving it up to the developer to do their work for them in implementing the Irish language conditions and problems of conflict of interest could arise."

Caomhnóirí na Gaeltachta propose that the interview should be open to all people entitled to live in the Republic of Ireland, natives of Northern Ireland included, regardless of nationality, race or creed and crucially, regardless of whether they have agreed a sale or not. This is seen as the only fair way to operate this interview system which should be based mainly on fluency.

**VOTE WINNER**  
 Cathaoirleach of Caomhnóirí na Gaeltachta Fionn Mac Giolla Chuda stated: "With applications for housing estates totalling 115 new houses in the Déise Gaeltacht currently up for approval and with 32 houses approved but not yet built, election candidates will find that having a clear policy on Gaeltacht planning could be a vote winner on the doorsteps."

**Mobile BreastCheck Units On The Way**  
**—Wilkinson**

**By Kevin Kirrane**  
 The static BreastCheck unit in the South Infirmary/Victoria Hospital in Cork will be up and running by October, with associated mobile units operating across the southern region, including Waterford, shortly afterwards, according to Fianna Fáil TD Ollie Wilkinson.  
 "The BreastCheck unit in Cork is on schedule for hand-over in September followed by a three-week commissioning period.  
 "It'll be operational in October.  
 "The BreastCheck clinical unit in the southern area will have three associated mobile units covering Cork, Kerry, Waterford, Limerick and South Tipperary.  
 "There are about 72,000 women in the target age group in these counties.  
 "The move fulfils the Government's commitment to have BreastCheck screening services available to women in Waterford in 2007.  
 "I know that BreastCheck is making efforts to achieve the early deployment of one mobile unit in the South in advance of the completion of the regional screening unit. I fully support those efforts," Deputy Wilkinson said.  
 Currently, the recruitment of radiographers and other staff is underway.  
 "In November, BreastCheck appointed the clinical directors for the south and west and it recently appointed three consultant radiologists, two consultant surgeons and two consultant histopathologists, all of whom have a special interest in breast disease.  
 "We're making huge progress on the provision of cancer care in Waterford, with the treatment of public patients in Whitfield Clinic proving highly successful.  
 "Now, I'm delighted to see that we're meeting our commitments on BreastCheck screening services for the women of Waterford," said Deputy Wilkinson.

**West Waterford Family Support Agencies Receive Funding**

**By Kevin Kirrane**  
 Two West Waterford counselling and support centres received a slice of the €350,000 grant provided by the Family Support Agency.  
 Oasis, Dungarvan and West Waterford Bereavement Support group received funding under the Family Support Agency's Scheme of Grants which focuses on supporting the voluntary sector in the development of counselling and support services and in assisting families and individuals to deal with difficult times.  
 They were two of 16 voluntary organisation to receive funding in Waterford in the latest programme.





## Yoga in Pregnancy

with Eily Henry

### Yoga to go

It is generally accepted in an ideal world that a woman can better approach childbirth with calm and confidence if she has developed a system to tone and strengthen her muscles.

She should have developed a suppleness and ease throughout the body and learned how to control her muscles, particularly the ability to release and let go in the pelvic floor area.

If she understands breath control and has taught herself how to relax completely at will and if she has taken nutritional and other measures to maintain good general health.

Postnatally, the woman who has followed gentle Yoga practices, coupled with the breathing techniques learned during her pregnancy can find that, as she continues she will feel more confident in herself, feel more rested and released from the stresses and strains of caring for a new baby and more in tune with herself.

The Yoga system of physical exercise is ideal for the pregnant woman. It calls for very gentle rhythmic movements and emphasizes that you should never strain or push yourself beyond your comfortable limits.

It stresses controlled breathing techniques and draws attention to the many benefits of complete relaxation.

As I have previously mentioned the postures are designed to tone and strengthen not only the skeletal muscles but the glands and organs of the body, thereby generally improving the blood circulation and the functioning of the entire organism. This is why Yoga is so suitable for the pregnant woman, no strain whatever is involved if correctly practised and can help with tiredness, lack of sleep and the general anxieties surrounding being a new mother.

Recently there has been a growing appreciation and acceptance in medical and related circles of the interdependence of body, mind and emotions. Yoga postures benefit all these simultaneously, promoting physical fitness, sound nerves and a calmer personality. The influence of the mind and emotions on childbirth is profound as many doctors and scientists will suggest, Yoga is therefore ideal for the pregnant woman, it is gentle, rhythmic, non fatiguing, working not only on muscles to improve their tone but also on the nervous system and through the breath to stabilize the emotions. It seems that Yoga is capable of meeting the needs of pregnant women whether these needs be physical, mental or emotional. Yoga allows you to step outside and take some time out just giving yourself permission to focus inward and recognize your own needs and desires.

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# Mountain Rescue Fundraiser

On the occasion of his fortieth birthday, Melleray man, Donal Bray made a generous donation of €55 to the South Eastern Mountain Rescue Association (SEMRA). To mark the big day, Donal had led a walk in the Knockmealdown Mountains, accompanied by over sixty of his relatives, friends and hillwalking colleagues, along with members of SEMRA and the newly formed Mellary/Cappoquin branch of the Irish Red Cross. A glorious day on the hill was rounded off with a wholesome lunch, courtesy of Melleray Community Group.

In a thoughtful gesture, Donal asked for a donation to SEMRA in place of the usual birthday gifts. Such local support is very much appreciated by SEMRA, which, as a voluntary organisation, must continually fundraise to maintain a first class mountain rescue service in the South East.

Donal is highly regarded in hillwalking circles as a qualified Mountain Leader and Tutor. Indeed through his company, Mountaincraft, Donal has

delivered Mountain Skills training to several members of SEMRA prior to their acceptance as probationary members. Donal may be contacted on 087

6855073.

SEMRA is a 24hr/day, 365 day/year VOLUNTARY 999/112 emergency search and rescue service covering all the

mountains in the South East of Ireland. It has 39 members, for more information on the team and Mountain Rescue in Ireland see [www.semra.ie](http://www.semra.ie)



Pictured above at the presentation are Rosarie Kealy, SEMRA, Michael O'Rourke, Mellary/Cappoquin Red Cross, Donal Bray presenting the €850 donation to Michael Power SEMRA, Carmel Murphy, Mellary/Cappoquin Red Cross, Mary Mullins, SEMRA.

## Bealtaine Film Screening In Arts Centre

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan will screen the film 'Ladies in Lavender' on Thursday 10th May at 3pm, as part of the Bealtaine festival. The film stars Judi Dench and Maggie Smith as Ursula and Janet Widdington aging sisters enjoying their isolated life in 1930s Cornwall, but their idyll is jolted when a young man (Daniel Bruhl) is washed ashore near their home. While nursing him back to health, the ladies discover an affinity for young Andrea, a gifted Polish violinist on his way to America. But the village isn't used to visitors, and everyone's a bundle of suspicions, repressions and jealousies. Especially when Andrea develops a friendship with a visiting painter. Limited places will be available on the door at €5. Group bookings are welcome for further details you can contact Elaine Bowe at the Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan on 058/48944 or email [artscentre@waterford-coco.ie](mailto:artscentre@waterford-coco.ie).

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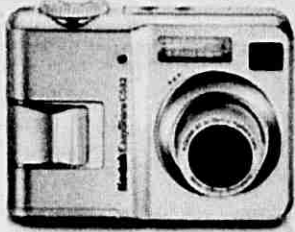
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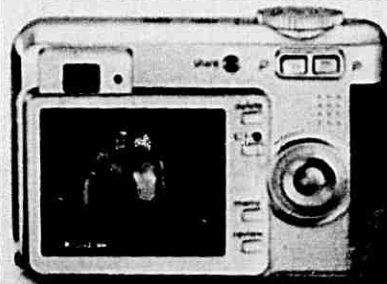

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The aim of the Open Day was to allow the children and parents to explore how closely our daily life is linked to all things scientific!! It proved an amazing success. Thanks to all parents and children for supporting the Open Day. The Infants based their work on plants, seeds, roots, gooey stuff!! bird's nests, spinning colour wheels.

1st and 2nd classes were very busy showing all the things water can and cannot do! We saw lots of floating and sinking, testing reacting times, divers sinking and

coming back up.

3rd and 4th classes based their work on materials from the kitchen, and changes that can happen to them. They showed us that air takes up space, using water. A balloon was used to demonstrate a rocket launch. They used red cabbage liquid, and used it as an indicator. Did you know that oxygen is needed to keep a fire lighting?? We had manic mixtures, sugar cubes and icing sugar were used to build houses!! Liquids were separated, and CO2 was made using bread soda and vinegar.

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 ● 148m<sup>2</sup> (1,600 sq. ft.) approx.  
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Dungarvan Asking Price €235,000



**64 Springfield Private Treaty**  
 Newly refurbished, this semi-detached property has plenty of space to offer. Within walking distance of Dungarvan town centre, this would make an excellent family home or investment property. ● porch ● hall ● lounge kit./dining ● util. ● 4 beds (1 ens) ● office/5th bed ● bath  
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**45 Springmeadows Private Treaty**  
 Spacious family home located in a mature residential estate within walking distance of Dungarvan town centre and with convenient access to the N25. ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● util. ● w.c. ● 5 beds (1 ens) ● bath  
 ● 135m<sup>2</sup> (1,450 sq. ft.) approx.  
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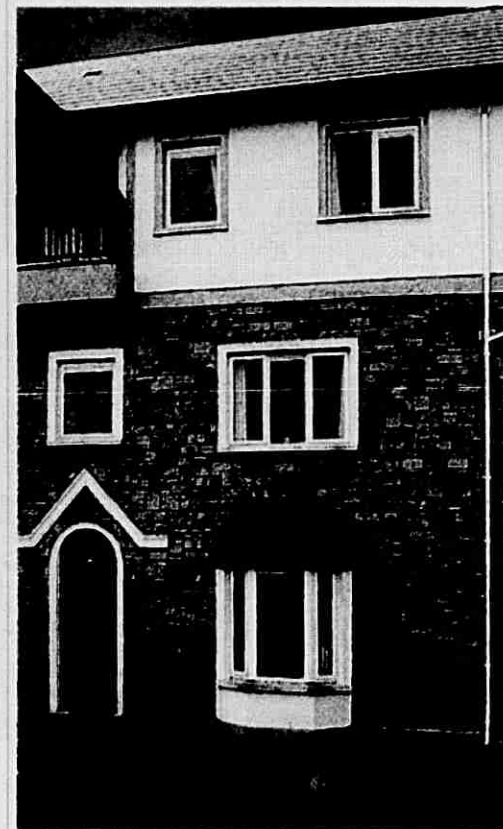
**Furraleigh, Mahon Bridge Private Treaty**  
 Set on 1 acre approx. and surrounded by mature trees and shrubs, this cottage in need of total refurbishment offers great potential. Stunning views of the Comeragh mountains.  
 ● porch ● hall ● lounge ● kit. ● living rm  
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**22 Blackrock Court Private Treaty**  
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 ● w.c.  
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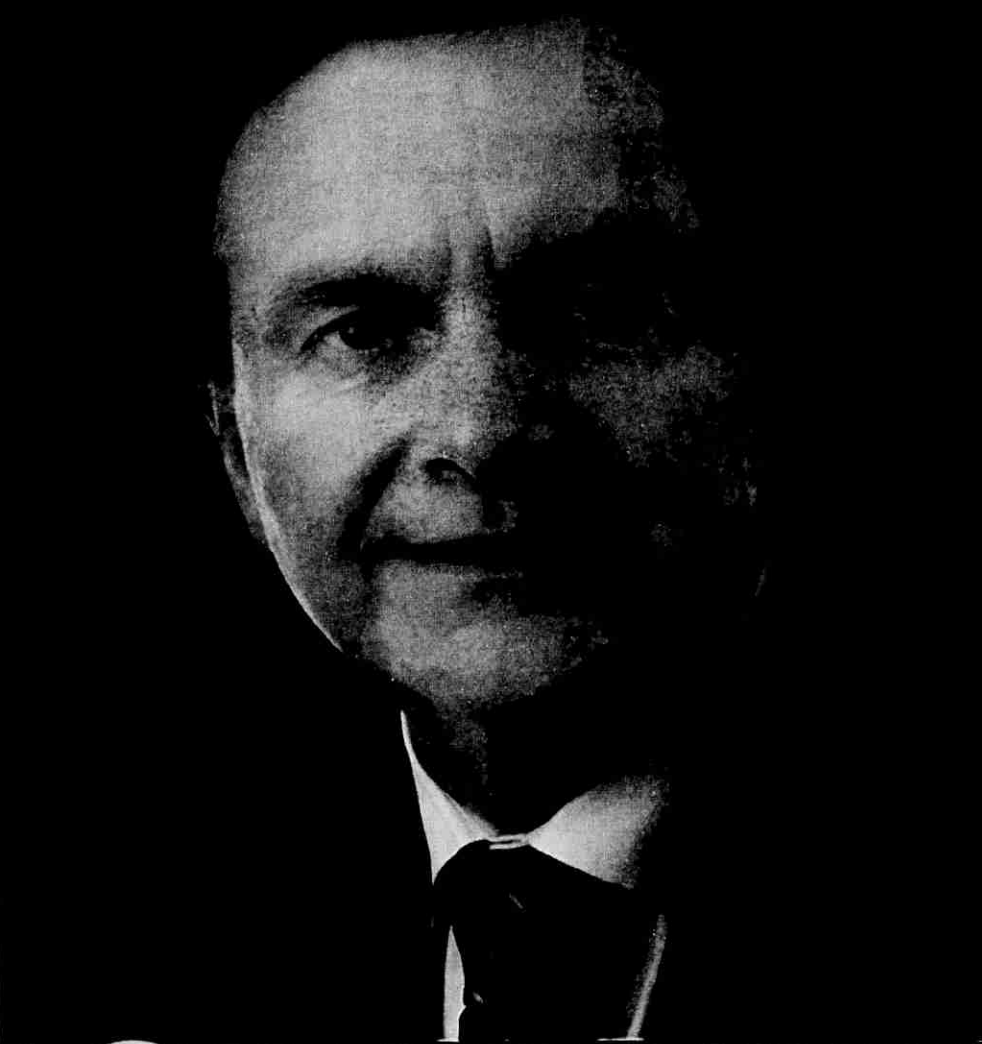
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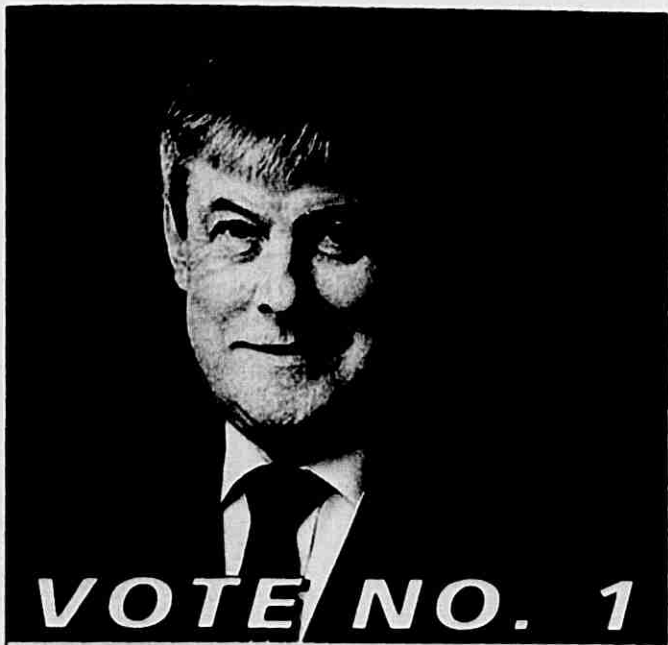
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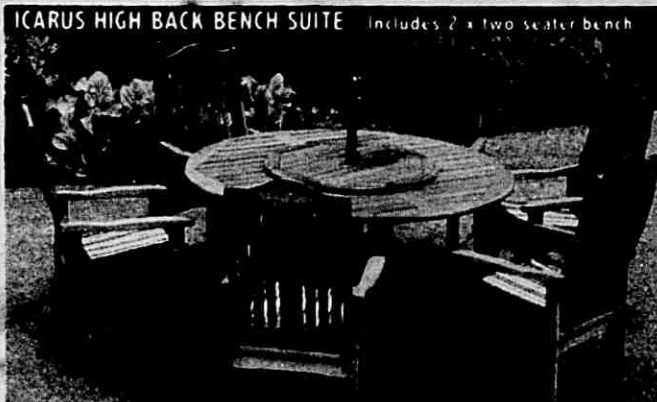
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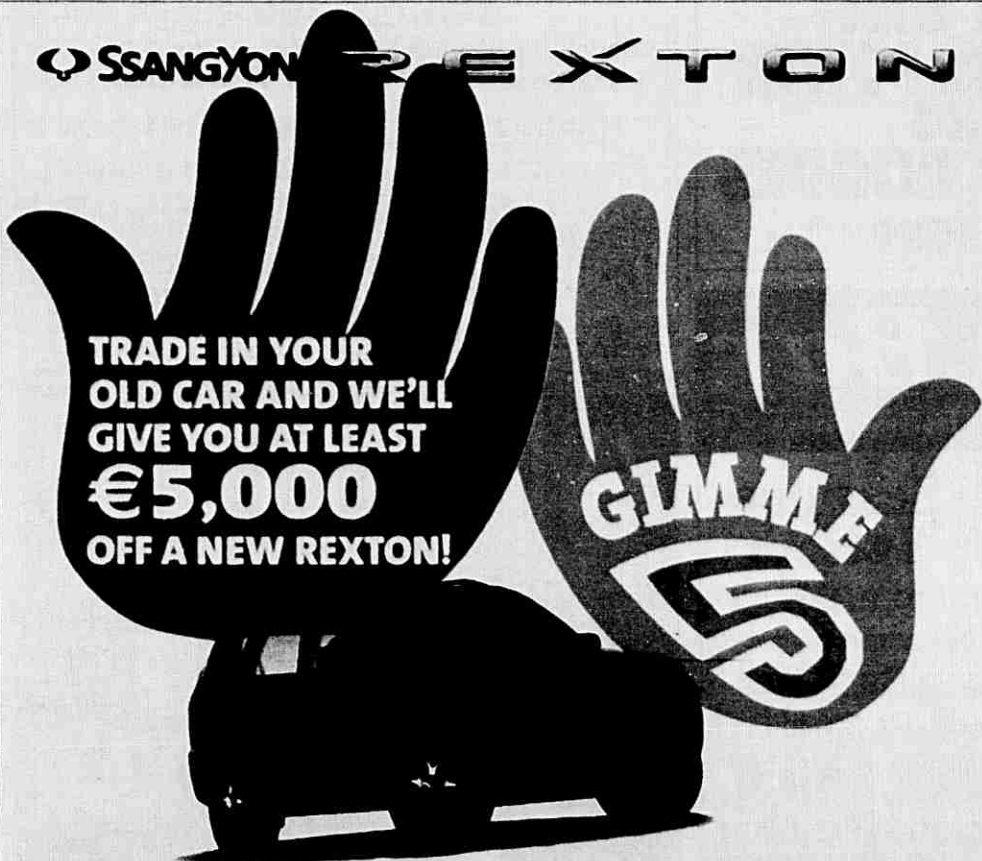
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Friday - **TONY DUNNE, LIAM FLANIGAN,  
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Saturday 8pm - **MICK McCAULEY,  
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McKEE, DONNCHADH GOUGH**

Sunday 4pm -  
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Sunday Nite - **MICK, LIAM, JOHN  
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Bank Holiday Monday at 2pm -  
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## SHANDON ARMS DUNGARVAN

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### TEXAS HOLDEM

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Saturday 5th —

### DESSIE NOHAIR

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Sunday May 20th—

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#### MAY BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND

Saturday 5th May — DJ Jester  
Sunday 6th May — Dermot Brown, folk singer

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THE QUAY, DUNGARVAN



### FEILE BANK HOLIDAY in the MOORINGS

Friday Night May 4th — The Local Band . . .

### LIVE AS KINGS

in the BEER GARDEN at 9pm

Saturday Night May 5th —

### THE LEGEND OF LUKE KELLY

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Sunday Night May 6th —

### The Butterfly Band 7pm

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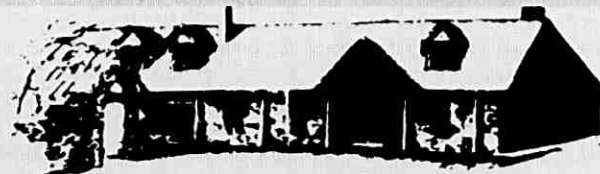
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KILLINEEN, THE PIKE, DUNGARVAN

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Saturday May 5th —

### DJ MIKE

BOOKINGS TAKEN FOR  
COMMUNIONS

FOOD SERVED ALL DAY



# Old Traditional Dungarvan Photo Exhibition

The summer weather is upon us sooner than usual this year and so we are all looking forward to the May bank holiday weekend and Feile na nDeise. One change to the program this year will be the introduction of an unusual photo exhibition. This will be held by the Main Street Traders in association with the Waterford County Museum. The traders will be displaying old photographs, some dating back to 1900 or earlier, in their shop windows. The photos will show what that particular shop/trader looked like in the past.

The Main Street Traders values are "Keeping shopping tradi-

tional" and "Giving something back" to their customers. This exhibition will be an ingenious marrying of both. The exhibition will be a joining of the old and the new. There will also be a centralised exhibition inside the doors of SuperValu when you enter from Main Street.

The Main Street Traders are excited about this exhibition and they are confident that it will be an interesting place to visit for all ages on the May bank holiday weekend. There will be no entrance fee.

Emma Lacy of Ace Marketing who is organising the event

comments: "As you will see from the photographs, Dungarvan's Main Street was the heart of the town one hundred years ago. The buzz still remains there today and we are celebrating that by reminding people of how life has changed. When you compare how the street used to look to how it is today, it is a wonderful celebration of how far we have come as a town in terms of commerce".

Waterford county museum has been the companion of the Main Street traders in organising this event. Willie Whelan



of Deise Design is responsible for the museum's award winning website where images of Dungarvan can be found. Willie comments "This is a great opportunity for Waterford county museum to bring local history into the everyday lives of the people of Dungarvan. It is of the utmost importance that the knowledge and understanding of our heritage is not confined to people who wish to visit museums and galleries".

Dungarvan's Main Street Traders welcome everyone to visit the exhibition. It will be a great experience for local residents, tourists, local businesses etc. The exhibition will be open all weekend from 9am until 6pm. The Main Street Traders would like to thank the Waterford County Museum for their help and patience in organising this exhibition. Go along and visit the exhibition and take your elderly friends and relatives as they will surely take pleasure in reminiscing back to the "Good auld days"!

## Cork Future Homes & Building Exhibition

**Thinking of BUILDING, EXTENDING, RENOVATING OR IMPROVING YOUR HOME then City Hall is the place to be next weekend 11<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> May at the Cork Future Homes & Building Exhibition. It will open its doors to the public from 4pm - 9pm on the Friday, 11am - 7pm on Saturday and 11am - 6pm Sunday.**

Whether you are creating a brand new home from the foundation up, weary of your interior decor, or simply curious to see just what contemporary products and services related to the entire home and garden sector have to offer, it simply has to be the Cork Future Homes & Building Exhibition. There is going to be a wide variety of exhibits on show for the house, home and

garden. The range of exhibits that will be on display will help you achieve the perfect home. There will be everything for the complete home from the ground up plus New Ideas, Designs, Advice and Building Systems. For that wonderful creation there will be Timber Frame Homes, Doors, Windows, Kitchens, Waste Water Treatment, Low Energy Housing, Architect, Landscape Gar-

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Come along and enjoy a unique family day out. The show is the ideal venue to not only view the latest products available relating to every aspect of the home, but offers a chance to thoroughly explore the items and services with trade professionals with vital first hand knowledge to share. Whatever you need, there is sure to be someone there who can help you with your project. There will also be children's entertainment with Sylvano the Magician Saturday and Sunday.

For further information and enquiries phone 058 48633 or you can visit the website [www.modernhomes.ie](http://www.modernhomes.ie)

### Lismore Farmers Market At Lismore Castle

The organising committee of Lismore Farmers' Market wish to announce that the Farmers Market will resume operations at a new location in the Avenue Lismore Castle. The first new Market will be on Sunday 3rd June and each subsequent Sunday for the following 3 months. We would particularly like to hear from food producers and others who would like to participate in the new Market. Contact Michael J Walsh, Chairman on 086-8377590 for further details.



The Lord Mayor of Cork, Michael Ahern, discussing plans for the Cork Future Homes & Building Exhibition which takes place in the City Hall on May 11th to 13th with Bernadette and Tom Murphy of Modern Homes Exhibition.



# Free Family Fun Day on Bank Holiday Saturday

Dungarvan Shopping Centre is hosting a free family fun day this Bank Holiday Saturday afternoon. As part of Feile na nDeise, Dungarvan group Bealtainne (Pictured right) will play at the Shopping Centre while face painters, Irish Dancers, The Big Red Clown, the WLR Fm Blastercaster and loads of free giveaways will mean there's something for all the family.

On Saturday afternoon shoppers will also enjoy free food sampling from Cribbins Butchers and An Bialann, the popular restaurant within Dungarvan Shopping Centre, is putting on a special traditional Irish menu for the day.

Cephas Power from WLR Fm will broadcast live from the Centre all afternoon in the newly refurbished WLR Fm Blastercaster.

Manager of Dungarvan Shopping Centre, Tim Foley said, "We're delighted to host Beal-



taine and we want to turn it into an event for the whole family. There'll be lots happening at Dungarvan Shopping Centre on Saturday and we feel it's a great way of supporting and getting involved in Feile".

The four members of Bealtainne, John and Deidre Col-

der, Tony Fitzgerald and Pat Morrissey are all from the Dungarvan area.

Their successful CD, On The Rocks, released in 2004, has travelled to all corners of the world including Alaska, Canada, Switzerland and China and has even been played on radio stations in Florida. Bealtainne are well known in the locality as they play most weekends at Clonea Strand Hotel and the Gold Coast Hotel.

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# St. Augustine's College News

## PRIOR GENERAL OF AUGUSTINIAN ORDER VISITS FRIARY

Fr. Robert Prevost OSA visited the college last week, the first Prior General ever to visit the school.

Fr. Gerry Horan OSA, Provincial of Irish Province, accompanied him. During his visit Fr. Prevost addresses the pupils and celebrated mass in which the members of the Dungarvan/Abbeyside communities joined him. Fr. Prevost reminded the pupils of the basic Augustinian values of Unity, Loyalty and Charity.

## INTERNATIONAL SOCCER CAP FOR MARIA DELAHUNTY

Congratulations to Maria Delahunty (3rd year) on being selected for the Irish International Schools Soccer team.

Maria, who plays right mid-field, was part of the team that

won an International Tournament in Wales recently defeating Wales and Scotland to secure victory.

Well done Maria and continued success in the future.

## THREE CHEERS FOR "BRICK" AND THE BOYS.

A special word of congratulations to the former Friary students, Michael Walsh, Declan and Seamus Prendergast and Richie Foley, who were part of the victorious Waterford hurling team who defeated Kilkenny in the National Hurling League Final in Semple Stadium, Thurles on Sunday. Well done to all of you.

**SCHOOL PLANNING DAY**  
A reminder that school will be closed on Friday 4th for students due to a School Planning Day for teachers.

**IRISH JUNIOR MATH'S COMPETITION 2007**  
Greg Mangan (1st Year) has



Pictured is Fr. Prevost with members of the Student Council

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# KILROSSANTY NEWS

## CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to the following boys and girls who made their Confirmation last Tuesday in Fews Church, William Brazil, David Coffey, Anna Crotty, Billy Cunnage, D. J. Doran, Dean Fennell, Sean Fitzgerald, Niamh Galvin, Adam Hallahan, Dylan Hogan, Lee Kay, Dylan Kiely, Jack Kirwan, Ryan Kirwan, Naomi Lonergan, Kelly Mansfield, Martin Morrissey, Aoife Mulhearn, Caoimhe Prendergast, Kayleigh Ryan, Amy Sheehan, Brid Whyte, Patrick Whyte, Aoife Behan, Quan Butler, Emily Codd, Hugh Connors, Stephen Curran, Adam Daly, Bonnie Keating, Chloe Shanahan, Caitriona Slevin, Conor Walsh, Eve Connors, Niamh Power, Matthew O'Sullivan, Sarah Curran.

Well done to all concerned who helped to prepare them for the ceremony.

## DANCE

Thanks to all who supported the dance last Saturday night for M.S. 950 euro profit was made on the night.

## COLLECTION

Collection this weekend for SVP.

## ICA

Six members of the Guild took part in the Federation Quiz held last Monday night in Crotty's Inn. The winners were Minaun A while Minaun B came second, while Kilrossanty B came third. The members of the team were Marie O'Shea, Ann Phelan and Mairead Coffey. They received lovely prizes.

## ARG

Officers elected for the coming year at a hall meeting recently — Chairperson; Nora Walsh, Secretary; Tessa Daly. Treasurer; Muriel Walsh.

## KILROSSANTY GAA CLUB NOTES

**Minor Football Championship**  
— We played An Ghaeltacht in our third game in this year's minor championship last Friday night. After a poor start we came well into the game and led at half time by 1-8 to 0-5. In the second half An Ghaeltacht came well on top but our lads kept going to the end

losing on the narrowest of margins. Final score Kilrossanty 1-11 An Ghaeltacht 2-10.

Team; M. Raheer, J. Whyte, J. Collender, K. Whelan, M. Mulhearn, E. Houlihan, M. Power, K. Delahunty, N. Walsh (1-2), J. Coade, T. O'Brien (0-1), A. Quinn (0-2), C. Ryan, T. Prendergast (0-3), L. McDonald (0-1). Subs; R. Purcell, D. Foley, D. Ryan, S. Tobin, S. Flynn, P. Whyte (0-2), J. Callaghan.

We play Affane in our next game on Friday 11th May.

## SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

At 7.30 last Saturday night (15 mins after the game was supposed to start) it became apparent that no referee was present for this game. There were also no neutral umpires or linesmen. You often hear of referees not turning up for underage matches but senior championship matches... but this was not the fault of the referee appointed, he had a week earlier notified the county board that he was unable to officiate at the game.

Eventually, 27 minutes after the

game was supposed to start, Tommy Sullivan arrived back to referee his second game of the evening at Fraher Field (Well done to Anthony Walsh and Tommy for their efforts). The game eventually finished at just after 8.50 in semi darkness. The whole episode showed a lack of respect to players, supporters and clubs alike. I'm sure Ring are also disappointed about the events which occurred. Would it have happened for a high profile game or will it happen next weekend when the senior hurling championship is played? I think not.

We played An Rinn last Saturday night in the opening round of this year's championship. After a close first half we went in leading by a point. On the restart we went three ahead but then after some confusion in our square Rinn scored a goal to equalise the game. It was then nip and tuck to the final whistle with Rinn winning by one point in the end. Final score Kilrossanty 0-9 An Rinn 1-7.

Team; S. Maher, C. Hayes, M. Prendergast, P. Lennon, C. Foley,

D. Mulhearn, P. Hayes, S. Prendergast, T. Prendergast, M. Walsh, P. Halpin, W. Raheer, D. Prendergast, B. Prendergast, M. Kiely, Subs; R. Hayes, J. Kirwan, C. Dee, S. Veale, B. Lennon, K. Ryan, J. Ryan, D. Kennedy, N. Walsh, E. Houlihan, O. Doyle, F. Walsh.

## CLUB MERCHANDISE

Club Merchandise is available from Kevin Lonergan or any committee member. We have windcheaters and polo shirts in children's and adult sizes, with jackets and rugby shirts available in adult size only.

## FAS

Our new FAS man Tom Casey started work in the field last Monday. Tom will be a welcome addition to our field committee for the coming years. We would like to thank John Mansfield for all his hard work and effort during his time with us.

## DEISE DRAW

The club had three winners in the Deise Draw held last Friday night in Ferrybank. Noel P. Walsh, Ballintlea scooped 1,000 euros. Noranne Houlihan, Crough won

150 euros. Mairead Coffey won 100 euros coordinators prize. Anyone willing to join for the next seven months can do so for 10 euro a month. Thirty one prizes to be won each month. Congratulations to Stephen Prendergast, Kealfoun who celebrated his 21<sup>st</sup> birthday last Friday night with a party in Crotty's Inn.

## CLOTTO

The Clotto was won once again last Sunday night. The winner of 5,300 euro was Trevor O'Reilly. Fews. Well done Trevor. 25 euros each to the following; Emer Barry, Lismore; John Kiely, Ballygown; Martina Roche, Stradbally; John Flynn, Briskey. Sellers prize to Jimmy Doocey, Kilminion. Nicky Comyn, Leamybrien. Numbers were 1-19-25-28. Next week's jackpot 1,000 euro in Micilins.

## HURLERS

Congratulations to the Waterford Senior hurlers who won the National League final v Kilkenny last Sunday in Thurles. It is all of 44 years since Waterford won the last league title.



# RECENT DEATHS

## LATE KATHLEEN (KATTIE) KENNEDY



It is with profound regret we record the passing of Kathleen (Kattie) Kennedy, Ballyetra, Dungarvan which sad event occurred on Sunday, 15th April, 2007.

Kattie was the last surviving member of the Kennedy family and was well known in the area. She worked for Dr. Ronan in Clashmore and later for the Hunt family, Rockmount for 20 years. She returned to care for her late mother for the last years of her life in 1960. She resided in Ballyetra until 2000 and then went to join her brothers Richard and Amby in Dun-abbey House. Her brothers predeceased her.

A quiet, gentle, unassuming lady Kattie loved reading. She was a historian and had all the old customs. She was interviewed about her early memories for Abbeyside Parish news. Everyone that came in contact with her was impressed by her genuine warmth. She will be sadly missed. May she rest in peace.

Following rosary recited by Fr. Kennedy P.P. on Monday evening her remains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home to Kilgobnet Church where they were received and

blessed on arrival by Fr. Kennedy P.P. and followed by a large cortege.

Requiem Mass was celebrated on Tuesday morning by Fr. Kennedy P.P. after which interment took place in the adjoining cemetery again in the presence of a large gathering.

To her nephew Pat, relatives and friends we extend our sincere sympathy.

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

## LATE MICHAEL POWER

We write with sadness on the passing at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, 21st April of Michael Power, St. Martin's Terrace, Dungarvan who was aged 80 years and a native of Ballinacourty. One of nature's gentlemen, Michael loved his God and attended to his religious duties with admirable fervour and devotion. He worked hard all his life, the land was his pride and joy. He enjoyed nothing better than to witness the reaping of the crops which he had sown.

Not enjoying the best of good health for some time, he was cared for by the staff at St. Joseph's Hospital and Dun-abbey House. Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home, Monsignor Patrick Feenan P.E. recited rosary on Saturday evening while the removal to St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad took place on Sunday morning for funeral Mass celebrated by Fr. Doherty P.E. with co-celebrant Monsignor Feenan P.E.

The interment in the adjoining cemetery followed the requiem Mass. Prayers of the Faithful were read by Winnie Wall, Karen Conroy, Louise Conroy and Gillian Walsh-Conroy. Of-

feratory gifts were brought by Mary Hurley and John Wall.

We wish to extend our sympathies to Winnie and John, Paul and Breda, James and Mary and other relatives at this time.

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

## LATE MAIREAD BRETT (NEE LYNCH)

We write on the passing at Cork University Hospital on Sunday last of Mairead Brett (nee Lynch), Knocknamaulee, Colligan and a native of Ballylemon, who was aged 59 years.

We sympathise with husband Bernie, mother Gertie, brother Jim, sisters Grainne, Mary, Ann, Geraldine, Deirdre, brothers-in-law Eddie, Noel, Jim Brett, John Keigher, John Cody, Leo McGrath, sisters-in-law Moira, Kay, Rita, Bette (Brett) and Angela Lynch, her nephews, nieces, other relatives, neighbours, friends and colleagues at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Removal took place on Monday from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Anne's, Colligan. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Tuesday with the interment afterwards in the adjoining cemetery.

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

## LATE MARY LONGAN

With sadness we record the passing of Mary Longan, Ballymacmague, Dungarvan which sad event occurred on Friday, 27th April, 2007. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Saturday evening to Colligan Church. Following funeral Mass on Sunday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To her relatives and friends we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

## LATE JIM COONEY 1911-2007



Jim Cooney of Chiswick, West London, and formerly of Carrigahilla Stradbally died peacefully on Tuesday 27th March last.

Jim was born in Stradbally village on the 14th Dec., 1911, 3rd child of 6 born to Michael and Ellen Cooney. When the family were young they moved to their home in Carrigahilla. It was from this home that Jim attended school in Stradbally,

first to the Mercy Convent, and then to the Boys School. (Baron Hall). Ellen, Jim's mother, was a teacher in the Boys School. Jim started his education under British rule, but the "Irish Free State" was formed before he had finished. Having lived through the "Troubles" he remembered the "Black and Tans". But for all this, his was a happy childhood, he loved country life and enjoyed the various activities of the countryside and excelled at many of them such as catching rabbits and hares, trout tickling, salmon fishing, taking care of horses and dogs and many other things.

In his early twenties, lack of work forced Jim to emigrate to London, and he joined his oldest brother Tom in Ealing. They worked together in the construction industry. Jim enlisted in the British Army in WW2 and, after his service and demob, he joined Wimpey Construction, a company he worked with for very many years, and rose to a senior level. In the 50's he went with Wimpey to Aden and enjoyed working there, and also the experience of living in a different culture. The stories of his time working on the oil fields were fascinating.

Jim had a great interest in sport and loved to have a bet on the horses or any game of football. He remembered bowls thrown from Graigue (Bainne Claise), to the Five Cross Roads and back to Drumlohan Cross. He played hurling with the Durrow Hurling Club and football with Stradbally, but had emigrated before Stradbally won their first junior football County Championship in 1932. Jim recalled the official opening of the Stradbally Handball Alley, with all the top players in the county present. In London he played with the Tara team at Eltham and, when his playing days were over, he joined with others to raise funds to build their own grounds. Jim was proud of the part he played in the development of Ruislip for Gaelic Games, and spend many happy hours supporting the teams that came over from Ireland, right up to the last year of his life.

While Jim travelled much of the world, his heart was in Stradbally. A regular visitor home he loved to meet his friends. An excellent story teller, Jim recalls playing in card drives, cycling to dances in Durrow Hall (Willie Cronin's workshop) and to Ballinroad. He could remember the different land marks in the locality from his youth, and on his many visits would walk to the "The Cilleens", "Tobar Cill Aodha", "Cloch Lourish" and several holy Wells.

In later years, every Saturday from his home in London Jim would purchase one of the Waterford local papers. This was not read until Monday. Often, this followed with a phone call to Stradbally, inquiring as to the local personalities whose names were mentioned and who were they related to, especially if it involved sport or if somebody had died.

On his retirement from Wimpey's the final work that Jim

had was with the St. Christopher's Fellowship, a Charity that looked after children with emotional and family problems. Jim worked as a handyman/caretaker at their various homes, work that he enjoyed very much, as he was extremely fond of children, but it also was work that upset him as he despaired of the problems that beset the children. Jim's funeral Mass was

on Thursday 5th April, at Greenford Church, Middlesex. Jim was predeceased by his brothers Tom and John, and sisters Mary and Bridget (Sr. Rosina) and is survived by his daughter Pauline, her partner Alan and son Mark, and also by his sister Kitty, many nieces and nephews and a large circle of friends in London and Stradbally. Ar dheis Dé go raib a anam.

## St. Mary's Parish Notes

### 5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 14/21-27 They gave an account to the church of all that God had done with them.

Apocalypse 21:1-5 God will wipe away all tears from their eyes.

John 13:31-35 I give you a new commandment: love one another.

### Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Continues on Monday nights until Monday 11th June. Please note there will be no 9.30 am Mass on the day of the Novena. Celebration of Marriage Jubilees for the Years 1957, 1967, 1982

On 19th May this year the Parish family celebrates the Jubilee of marriages of those that were married or presently live in St. Mary's Parish. The Parish Register of Marriages contains those who were married here in the above years. There are others in the Parish who will celebrate silver/golden jubilees this year also. We invite them as well and wish to make contact with them. Please contact Parish Office at 42374 with details.

### KNOCK

Waterford and Lismore annual diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock under the Leadership of his Lordship Most Rev. Wm. Lee Sunday May 6th. Tickets and details are available at the Parish Office. Tickets must be purchased by Tuesday, 1st May. St. Mary's Parish Pilgrimage to the Shrines of France A saving scheme continues after the 7.30 pm vigil Mass in St. Vincent de Paul's rooms and each following Saturday.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Will take place in St. Mary's at the 10 am Mass as follows: Sunday 13th May - St. Joseph's School: Sunday 20th May - St. Mary's School and Sunday 27th May - Carriglea/Glenbeg/St. John's Schools.

### Polish Mass

Fr. Emile Adler will be saying Mass around the Diocese for the Polish community at weekends. He will be in St. Mary's Church, Dungarvan, on the first Sunday of each month at 1.30 pm.

### PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Under the Leadership of His Lordship Most Rev. Dr. William Lee. Wednesdays 6th June to Monday 11th June. Bookings only through Travel Creations, 9 Gladstone St., Waterford. Phone 857800. Pilgrimage fare 670 euro. Book early to avoid disappointment.

### BAPTISMS

Take place on the first Saturday of the month at 6 pm and the 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month after 12 noon Mass. Parents must take part in the preparation meeting - enroll at the Parish Office please. Emergency Phone No. To contact priest on duty: 086-233 4282.

### Parish Office

Located in St. Mary's Church and is open Monday to Friday office hours. If you want to book Masses or Baptisms call during these times. Phone 42374. DAILY MASS: Broadcast on 98.5 fm. St Vincent de Paul 44033. Phone Numbers; Fr. O'Mahony 42374, Fr. Waldron 42384, Fr. O'Connor 42381.

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## Your Month In Europe

By Kevin Korrane

### BLOW TO INCINERATION INDUSTRY

The month started with a heavy blow to the incineration industry. While some see incineration as the only long term solution to the waste problem - and indeed an incinerator is planned for the South East at a so far undetermined location - local opposition has been stiff with fears over possible cancer creating dioxins being released into the atmosphere.

Now, the European Union in its new Waste Framework Directive has prevented incinerator companies from reclassifying incineration as recycling.

It's already had an impact. Indaver has shelved its proposed incinerator plans for Ringaskiddy in Cork - a move welcomed by Munster MEP, Kathy Sinnott.

Ms. Sinnott said: "It would be clearer if they were to acknowledge that the major factor for their change of heart was the fact that the Waste Framework Directive is not going to allow them to reclassify waste as recycling. This refusal of the European Parliament to reclassify incineration as recovery and energy production was cataclysmic for the incinerator industry.

"Without it they would have been allowed to bypass local objections and even get EU grant aid combined with less regulation. In effect it has stopped companies like Indaver from reinventing themselves as energy producers and recyclers.

"It is not surprising that this has happened, due in large measure to the great grassroots resistance in Ireland. CHASE, the Ringaskiddy Residents Association and other groups played the leading role in Cork. Many other groups were active in Tipperary, Waterford, Limerick and in other counties."

Kathy Sinnott, as a member of the Environment Committee, played a key role in preventing incineration being reclassified as recovery in the Waste Framework Directive in the December vote. She was active again during the Plenary vote in February this year.

### PROTECT LOW CORPORATION TAX

Brian Crowley, Fianna Fail MEP and President of the UEN group in the European Parliament has urged for opposition to the introduction of common corporate taxes in Europe

The EU Commissioner for Taxation Laszlo Kovacs wants to introduce a 'common consolidated tax base' in Europe in the year 2008.

"This means in simple terms that he wants to put in place a common set of rules for the administration and operation of corporation tax in the 27 member states of the European Union," said Mr. Crowley.

"My concern is that if the European Union gets it's way and introduces a common set of rules for the administration and operation of corporation taxes in Europe, this will mean that the EU in time will seek to set a Common Corporation tax rate in Europe.

"This would be bad news for the Irish economy because we secure high levels of inward investment into Ireland due to our low level of corporation tax which stands at 12.5%.

"In fact, only Cyprus has a lower rate of Corporation tax in Europe and that stands at 10%.

This is a matter of serious importance and the I can assure the Irish people and Irish businesses that I will do all in my power to stop a system common corporate taxes being introduced in Europe."

### WELCOME FOR SLASHING OF MOBILE ROAMING CHARGES

Fine Gael Munster MEP Simon Coveney welcomed the European Union's vote to slash mobile phone roaming charges across the EU.

The European Parliament's Industry Committee voted overwhelmingly in favour of the report which is one of this parliamentary term's most important pieces of proposed EU legislation.

Speaking after the vote Mr. Coveney said: "this vote is a crucial step forward in ending consumer rip-off when using mobile phones whilst travelling in other EU countries.

"The report calls for wholesale (inter-operator) tariffs to be capped at 23 eurocents per minute and this would come into force immediately upon adoption of the Regulation. To ensure that the benefits of these reduced prices are passed on to the consumer, a Consumer Protection Tariff will be put in place. This tariff supported by MEPs will mean 40-50 eurocents per minute to make a call and 15-25 eurocents per minute to receive a call. This 'safeguard' tariff would come into place one month after the adoption of the Regulation.

"In addition transparency of tariff information will be greatly improved, with consumers now automatically receiving a free SMS with price information when they cross an EU border. A free phone number will be available should a consumer need further information.

"This is good news for consumers, a large number of whom have preferred up to now to turn off their mobile phones when travelling to other EU countries rather than face huge bills upon their return. Competition in the roaming market has increased recently in anticipation of regulation but this is a strong signal to the telecom industry that further competition is needed.



**FIRST WINNER OF THE CREDIT UNION MEMBERS CAR DRAW** — The first winner of the combined Credit Unions of Dungarvan, Carrick-on-Suir and Piltown Members Car Draw was James Kimindiri pictured above being presented with his Nissan Almira by Mary O'Brien Carrick-on-Suir Credit Union. Also included in the picture are Liam Moore Dungarvan Credit Union, Chrissie Dwan Piltown Credit Union and Eddie Fitzgerald Dungarvan Nissan.

Photo: JOHN MURPHY PHOTOGRAPHY

## St. Augustine Student Had The Experience Of A Lifetime

A 16 year old student from Dungarvan had the experience of a lifetime when she spent a fortnight recently with an Irish development agency in the heart of Africa.

Emma Dunne from St. Augustine's College in Abbeyside travelled with her English and CSPE teacher Jonathan O'Donovan, and a party of more than 20 to Uganda on the annual 'Africa Alive' schools visit that the Irish agency Self Help Development International organises to its project countries.

During the ten day field visit Emma and the other members of the group visited schools, rural communities, people living with HIV/Aids and others with whom

### NAS Introduces State Of The Art Training Facility

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Self Help is working, and saw at first hand the challenges facing some of Africa's poorest communities, and the work that Self Help is doing to improve lives and living conditions.

A fifth year student at St. Augustine's, Emma, who has been involved each year in her school's fund-raising 'Walk for Water' for Self Help, said that she has previously also been involved in supporting local fund-raisers for the Irish Wheelchair Association.

Self Help Development International is an Irish charity that has been engaged in promoting and implementing long term development projects designed to build the capacity of some of the poorest people in Africa, and give them the skills and the opportunity to break the cycle of famine and aid dependence.

The organisation's development education co-ordinator Patsy Toland says that the field trips by teachers and students to Africa have been a huge success for Self Help, as they give young people and their

teachers an insight into the issues of global poverty, development, and the issues and challenges that face people in the developing world.

"The focus of our work is primarily on making small-holding farmers self sufficient in food production. It is an extremely practical and cost effective approach to addressing the needs of Africa's poorest people", he said.

Self Help's development education programme seeks to raise awareness amongst Irish young people of the issues and the challenges facing countries in Africa, and of the measures that are being taken by organisations such as Self Help to tackle these problems. Schools who take part in the annual Development Education trip to Africa all undertake a programme of fund-raising activities to cover the travel costs for their representatives, and also raise funds to support the ongoing work of Self Help in Africa.

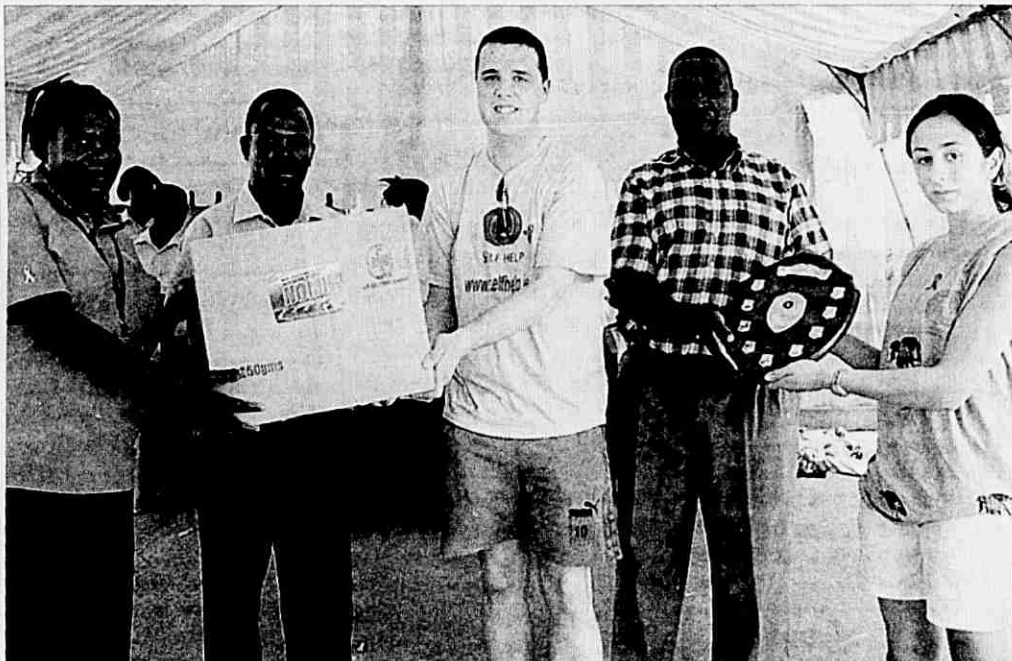
"It really opened my eyes", said Emma "We had a great opportunity to talk to local

people, get a little insight into their lives, and also see for ourselves the work that is being done", she added. This was a view echoed by her teacher, who said that he was extremely grateful to have had the chance to represent the school on what had been really memorable trip. "It is an experience that we will all remember for a long, long time", he said.

Patsy Toland of Self Help added that the field visits that they have organised for Irish schoolgoers has done a huge amount to make the issues and challenges facing people in Africa very real, and very clear to understand for the students and teachers who have travelled with them over the past number of years.

Self Help, which has its Irish headquarters in Hacketstown, Co Carlow, is involved in development programmes which are helping hundreds of thousands of people in Ethiopia, Eritrea, Kenya, Malawi and Uganda.

To find out more about Self Help contact 1850 75 76 78.



Student Emma Dunne and her teacher Jonathan O'Donovan from St. Augustine's College present gifts which they brought from Ireland to members of the Taso AIDS Support Group, during the recent visit to Uganda. The Taso Group, which is situated in Soroti, and is supported by Irish Aid and by Self Help, made a presentation on their work to the Irish students and teachers during their recent field visit. Jonathan presented the group with some goods that he had brought out on the Self Help trip, while Emma gave them a commemorative plaque to mark the visit by the Irish schools group.



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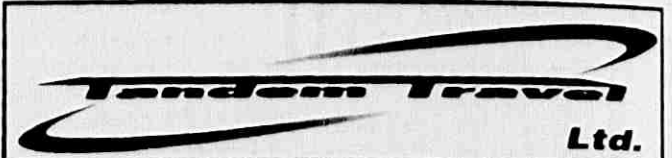
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**BURDEN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Timothy (Tim) Burden, late of Colligan and London who died on 5th May, 2006 aged 23. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, 5th May in St. Anne's Church, Colligan at 11 am.

Living without you on this early plane,  
Will often be a life full of hurt full of pain,  
No longer your face can we touch with our hand,  
Or sit to laugh and chat we miss that,  
Our darling son, our beautiful boy,  
So handsome, so clever, so young, so full of joy,  
The love that is you we will never forget,  
For you are always with us,  
Every beat of our heart,  
Holding our hands as our life we restart.

(Always loved, never forgotten parents Ann and Mike, brothers Gerald, Christopher and Jason XXXXXXXX).

**BURDEN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Timothy Burden whose anniversary occurs on May 5.

It seems like only yesterday,  
That the angels took our Tim away,  
So young and so much yet to do,  
The youngest of the Burden crew,  
He spent so much time on his travels,  
We did not see his life unravel,  
It hurts to write these words today,  
As we still had so much to say,  
So much to do and a lifetime to do it,  
We loved you Tim and we hope you knew it,  
We miss you now as much as day one,  
We hope to wake soon and find you're not gone.  
(In loving memory — sister Liz, Steve, Wesley, Aaliyah, Kemarra).

**BYRNE** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael Byrne, Affane, Cappoquin whose anniversary occurs on 2 May.

As time goes by without you,  
And days turn into years,  
They hold a thousand memories,  
A million silent tears,  
You showed us love and kindness,  
You showed us how to care,  
You bound us all together,  
With a love few families share,  
Some day we will meet again,  
Where sorrow is unknown,  
We will fold our arms around you,  
And tell you we've come home.  
May the God of love be with you Dad,  
And grant you eternal rest.

From your loving daughter Geraldine, son-in-law John and granddaughters Orla and Amy).



**CROTTY** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear dad and granddad, Gerald, late of 23, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs on May 3.

God saw the road was long,  
The hill was hard to climb,  
He gently closed your loving eyes,  
And whispered peace be thine.  
We shall meet again in a better place,  
Where farewell is never spoken,  
We shall clasp each other by the hand,  
And that clasp shall not be broken.  
Forever in our hearts and thoughts.

(Always remembered with love, from your sons, daughters and grandchildren X X).



**CUMMINS** — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of a wonderful Dad and Grandad Johnny (John) Cummins, late of Coolnagour, Dungarvan who died on 3rd May, 1999. Anniversary Mass at 7.30 pm in Old Parish Church on Friday, 4th May.

**DAD**  
The pain I feel this time of year,  
Is a pain I've learned to hide,  
No one could ever imagine,  
The tears I hold inside,  
It seems like only yesterday,  
The wounds are still so sore,  
For every hour of every day,  
I'll miss you more and more,  
I know you won't come back Dad,  
I know you never can,  
But I'll hold you close within my heart,  
And miss you "my old man",  
(Missing you always, your daughter Noreen, son-in-law Andy, son John, grandchildren Craig and J.D.).



**COYNE** — Twentieth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear son and brother, John, late of 9 Parklane Drive, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs on Sunday, 6th May. Masses offered. R.I.P.

Do not stand at my grave and weep,  
I am not there, I do not sleep,  
I am a thousand winds that blow,  
I am the diamonds glints on snow,  
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,  
I am the gentle, autumn's rain,  
When you awaken in the mornings hush,  
I am the swift uplifting rush,  
Of quiet birds in circled flight,  
I am the soft stars that shine at night,  
Do not stand at my grave and cry,  
I am not there I did not die.

(Always remembered by his loving Mam and Dad, brother Tony, sister Deirdre, sister-in-law Margaret, nephews Andrew and Brendan).



**DALY** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of Margaret Daly, Tircullen, Tallow who died on 4th May, 2003.

**GOD'S GARDEN**  
God looked around His garden,  
And saw an empty space,  
He then looked down upon the earth,  
And saw your tired face,  
He put His arms around you and lifted you to rest,  
God's garden must be beautiful,  
He always takes the best,  
God knew you were in pain,  
And a cure was not to be,  
So He closed your weary eyelids,  
And whispered come to me,  
With tearful eyes we watched you,  
And saw you slip away,  
Although we loved you dearly,  
We knew you could not stay,  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
But you did not go alone,  
For part of us went with you,  
The day God called you home.  
(Loved and missed by all your loving family).



**FENNELL** — Sixteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of the late Walter Fennell Sr., late of Bohadoun, Dungarvan who died on 6th May, 1991.

We lost a father with a heart of gold,  
How much we miss him can never be told,  
He shared our troubles and helped us along,  
If we follow his footsteps we will never go wrong.  
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 father you were one of the best,  
We miss you from your fireside chair,  
Your loving smile and gentle air,  
Your vacant place no one can fill,  
We miss you father and always will,  
Each time we look at your picture,  
You seem to smile and say,  
Don't be sad but courage take,  
And love each other for my sake.  
(Always remembered, never forgotten by your loving wife Bridget, sons Billy, John Joe, Jim, Tom and daughter Eileen and all grandchildren at home and away.



**FLYNN** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our very special son and brother, Reece Flynn, late of 75 New Street, Lismore who died on April 29, 2000. R.I.P.

**GOD'S LOAN**  
One gift in life you cannot buy,  
It's a gift that's rare and true,  
It's the gift of a son and brother,  
Like the one we had in you,  
We think of you each day,  
And always talk of you,  
With lots of loving memories,  
But we wish we still had you,  
Nothing can ever replace,  
The love you gave to us,  
Much more than we deserved,  
We only had you for a while,  
But we will love you, always,  
So full of life and mischief,  
And always with a smile,  
Just as you were, you will always be,  
Just 8 years old, our little man.  
(So dearly loved and never forgotten by all who knew you, especially your mum Suzanne, dad Liam sister Celine and brother Jevon).



**GRACE** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Patricia Grace, Ballinagoul, Ring whose anniversary occurs on 1st May. Remembrance Mass will take place in Séipéal San Nioclás, Ring on Sunday, 6th May at 10.30 am.

## A POEM FOR YOU MUM

I lost a mother with a heart of gold,  
How much I love you can never be told,  
I'll never forget the good times together,  
So remember this, "I love you" forever,  
I miss you mum, you were always there,  
Your loving smile and gentle care,  
God bless you Mum, you were one of the best,  
In heaven now you shall rest,  
All the pain and grief is over now,  
Deep inside I'll always wonder how,  
You are now at peace forever,  
Safely at home in heaven.  
So now you are gone, please remember,  
Deep in my heart I'll love you forever.

(Always loved and remembered by your children Marc, Liam, Thomas and Gemma).

**KIELY** — In loving memory of Margaret Kiely, late of 44 Caseyville, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at this time.  
(Always remembered by your family).



**HAYES** — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of Patrick Hayes, 6, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on May 3. Masses offered.

**DADDY**  
God saw the road was long,  
The hill too hard to climb,  
He gently closed your loving eyes,  
And whispered peace be thine.  
We shall meet again in a better place,  
Where farewell is never spoken,  
We shall clasp each other by the hand,  
And the clasp shall not be broken.  
(Lovingly remembered by your children Tosh, Calvin, Dean and Denika XXXX).



# IN MEMORIAMIS



**HALLAHAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband Jimmie Hallahan, late of Bohadon, Dungarvan, who died on 4th May, 2006. 1st Anniversary Mass will be celebrated in Kilbrien Church on Friday, 4th May at 8 pm. 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, I talk, I laugh, I play my part, But behind it all lies a broken heart, I can't get over losing you, No matter how I try, I will always keep you in my heart, Until the day I die. (Always loved and never forgotten by your loving wife Philomena).



**HALLAHAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear Dad, Jimmie Hallahan, late of Bohadon, Dungarvan, who died on 4th May, 2006. On a quiet May morning, You got a gentle call, You took the hand of Jesus, And quietly left us all, You gave us years of happiness, And left us with lovely memories, We will treasure through the years, Fathers are wonderful people, Too little understood, And we do not sing their praises, As often as we should. (Loved and remembered today and everyday by your loving sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren and great grandchildren).

**MASON** — Nineteenth and Thirtieth Anniversaries — In loving memory of James and Nora Mason whose anniversaries occur about this time of year. Masses offered. Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 6 at St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin at 11.30 a.m. Memories have such lovely ways, Of bringing back our yesterdays, And when old times I do recall, It's then I miss you most of all. (Never forgotten by your daughter Susie).



**McGRATH** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our mother, Mary (Molly) McGrath, late of Inchindrisla, Dungarvan who died on May 5th, 2006. First Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 6th at 11 am in Kilgobnet Church. You left us precious memories, Your love is still our guide, Although we cannot see you, You are always on our side, You never asked for much in life, Of riches you had few, But you gave wealth beyond compare, To those you loved and knew, Your family meant the world to you, Everyone was your friend, Concerned about each one of us, Until the very end. (Always loved and remembered from your son Tom and daughter-in-law Margaret, and from your son Jim, daughter-in-law Ethna, grandchildren and great grandchildren in Australia).

**McGRATH** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my grandmother Mary (Molly) McGrath, late of Inchindrisla, Dungarvan who died on May 5, 2006. A tribute of love to a nanny so dear, So close to our hearts each day of the year. We will always have memories to cherish and hold, Of a wonderful Nanny, more precious than gold, Take care of her Lord as she takes her rest, For she was our Nanny and one of the best. (Thinking of you today and always from your granddaughter Shirley, Richie, and great granddaughters Rachel, Lucy and Chloe).

**McGRATH** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my grandmother Mary (Molly) McGrath, late of Inchindrisla, Dungarvan who died on May 5, 2006.

At twilight when the day is done and sunset lights the sky, We think of you dear Nanny and the happy days gone by, Thoughts of you come drifting back within our dreams to stay, To know that you are resting when twilight ends the day. (Not just today, but every day in silence we remember.

(Always in our thoughts, your granddaughter Martina, John and great grandchildren Niamh and Darragh XXX).



**McCARTHY** — Fourth Anniversary — In sad and loving memory of my dearest Mam, Catherine (Kitty), late of 18 St. Thomas Terrace, who died on May 2nd, 2003. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Mass offered. R.I.P. Each day I think about you Mam, Each night I say a prayer, I ask God to look after you, In his tender loving care, It's so lonely Mam, when I go home, And you are not there, I ask God up above, To look after you and send you all my love, Will those who think of my Mam today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Loved and sadly missed — loving daughter Pauline, Greg and grandchildren Lorraine and Joseph).

**McCARTHY** — Fourth Anniversary — Cherished memories today and every day of my dearest sister Catherine (Kitty), late of 18 St. Thomas Tce., who died on May 2nd, 2003. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Anniversary Mass offered on Sunday, May 6th in hospital chapel at 10 am. R.I.P. Lonely is the home without you, Life to me is not the same, All this world would be like heaven, If I could have you back again, A silent grief that's in my heart, No human eye can trace, For many a broken heart is hid, Beneath a smiling face, May she rest in peace dear Jesus, In your heavenly home above, Will those who think of Kitty today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Forever in my thoughts and prayers — loving sister Philomena).



**MOLONEY** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Joan Moloney, late of Rice's Court, Dungarvan who died on May 5, 2004. R.I.P. Missing you is a heartache, That never goes away, Remembering you is easy, We do it every day. Will those who think of Joan today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Forever loved and greatly missed — her loving family).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband James Pratt, late of 10 New Street, Tallow who died on May 4, 1998. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, May 5th at 7.30 pm in Tallow Church. I never knew that day in May, What sorrow it would bring, When a loving heart stopped beating, And I couldn't do a thing, Your dying was so sudden Jim, I'm always asking why, But the hardest part of all, Was you never said goodbye, I know your watching over me, And I feel that you are near, I wish God hadn't called you Jim, And that you were still here, I hide my tears when I speak your name, But the pain in my heart will always remain. (Forever loved and missed your loving wife Frances).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of James Pratt, late of 10 New Street, Tallow who died on 4 May, 1998. A little tribute small and tender, Just to say we still remember, Memories are a gift to treasure, Ours of you will last forever. (Always remembered by your son Noel, daughter-in-law Mary, grandchildren and great grandchildren).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father James, late of 10 New Street, Tallow. We often lie awake at night, When the world is fast asleep, And take a walk down memory lane, With tears upon our cheeks, It broke our hearts to lose you, But you did not go alone, For part of us went with you, The day God called you home. (Deeply loved and missed by your daughter Amanda, son-in-law David and grandsons Kevin and Ross).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my Dad James Pratt, late of 10 New St., Tallow who died on May 4, 1998.

Time slips by and life goes on, But from our hearts Dad you are never gone, The memories we treasure, With thoughts that are dear, We think of you always Dad, Not just once a year.

(Loved and missed by your daughter Rosemarie, son-in-law Pascal, grandkids Jason and Damien).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father James Pratt, late of 10 New Street, Tallow who died on May 4, 1998.

A whisper on a May day, You heard the gentle call, You took the hand of Jesus, And quietly left us all, A golden heart stopped beating, Hard working hands at rest, God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best, No matter how I spend my days, No matter what I do, There is a longing in my heart, For yesterday and you. The face I loved is missing, The face I loved is still, The Dad that meant so much to me, Is resting at God's will.

(Sadly missed by your daughter Christine, son-in-law Thomas and grandchildren Shauna and Shannon).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father James (Jimmy), R.I.P., late of Tallow who died on 4 May, 1998.

A lot in life has altered, A lot in life is new, But the things that never alter, Are the memories of you, It isn't what we write, It isn't what we say, It's how we feel inside, When we think of you today.

(Lovingly remembered by your son John, Margo and Liam).

**PRATT** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of James Pratt, late of 10 New Street, Tallow who died on the 4 May, 1998. R.I.P.

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

(Thinking of you always, your daughter Linda, son-in-law Michael, granddaughters Lorraine, Karen, Michelle and Jennifer).



**SCANLAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Rody Scanlan, Coolaneen, Cappoquin who died on April 30th, 2004.

We miss your smile, your joking ways, We miss the things, you used to say, And when old times we do recall, It's then we miss you most of all, A lovely nature, a heart of gold, Never selfish, always kind, These are the memories you left behind, We hold you close within our hearts, And there you shall remain, To walk with us throughout our lives, Until we meet again. (Always loved and missed by your wife Catherine and daughters Olive, Emily, Sylvia, Jennifer and Mairead).



**SHIELDS** — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Kathleen, late of 69, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on May 5, 1996.

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

**TOBIN** — Ninth and Tenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of Paddy Tobin and Kitty Tobin, late of 15, Lios Mor Ave., whose anniversaries occur around now. Mass in St. Joseph's Hospital Chapel on the 5 May (Saturday) at 10 am.

Kind friends who think of them today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Never forgotten by your loving daughter Monica and all the family).



# IN MEMORIAM

**TERRY** — Twenty-sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of Josephine Terry, late of 58 Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on May 3.

Will those who think of her today,

A little prayer to Jesus say, (Always remembered by Maura, Ann, Josephine and Francis).

**TERRY** — Twenty-sixth Anniversary — In fond memory of my dear mother Josephine, who died on 4 May, 1981, late of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy.

It is a joy to remember, The happy times we shared, And all the very special ways, You showed how much you cared,

It is a joy to remember, And have this chance to say, Thank you Mam, for the memories,

That forever with me will stay. (Loved and remembered always by your loving daughter Mary, son-in-law Eddie, grandson Eamonn and family).

## Death Notice

### LATE JOHN (JOHNNY) RIORDAN

With sadness we record the death of John (Johnny) Riordan who died April 26, 2007, late of 8 Congress Villas, Dungarvan and London.

To his wife Bridget and family, his brothers, sisters, relatives and friends we extend our deepest sympathy. May he rest in peace.

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**ALLEN** — Birthday Remembrance of Vera Allen, late of Moord, Kinsalebeg, and Glenmore, Dungarvan, whose birthday is on 30th April.

To us you were so special, What more is there to say, We only wish with all our hearts, That you were here today, Time slips by and life goes on, But from our hearts you are never gone, Will those who think of Vera today, A little prayer to Jesus say, (Sadly missed by your husband Seamus).



**CROTTY** — Birthday Remembrance of our dear mother and grandmother Bridie Crotty, late of 23 Congress Villas, Dungarvan on May 3.

A light is from our household gone, A voice we loved is stilled, A place is vacant in our home, That never can be filled. A little tribute small and tender, Just to show we still remember, A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all she knew. Always willing, helpful and kind, What beautiful memories she left behind, Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say, (Remembered always with love by her sons, daughters and grandchildren).

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**CUDDIHY** — Birthday Remembrance of the late Eileen Cuddihy, whose birthday occurs on April 27th, late of 10 Ringnasilloge Place, Dungarvan.

Now I am contented that my life it was worthwhile, Knowing as I passed along the way I made somebody smile, When you are walking down the street and you've got me on your mind, I'm walking in your footsteps only half a step behind, And when you feel the gentle breeze or the wind upon your face, That's me giving you a great big hug or just a soft embrace, So please don't be unhappy just because I'm out of sight, Remember that I'm with you every morning, noon and night.

(Fondly remembered by your son John, Terry, Helen, Michael, Patrick and Daisy and all your family and friends at home and abroad).



**CUDDIHY** — Birthday Remembrance of my dear friend Eileen Cuddihy, whose birthday occurs on April 27th, late of 10 Ringnasilloge Place, Dungarvan.

To your graveside I do wander, I can picture your face so clear, In silence I stand in sorrow, For a dear friend 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 calling on the phone, And your smiling face, For there is no one in the world Eileen, Could ever take your place. (Always remembered by your friend Mary T, Tony and family XXXX).

**CUDDIHY** — Birthday Remembrances of my friend Eileen Cuddihy whose birthday occurs on April 27th, late of 10 Ringnasilloge Place, Dungarvan.

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 Eileen, And thanks for all you've done, We pray that God has given you, The crown you've truly won, Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your friend Rita Cantwell and family XXXX).

**HALLAHAN** — Birthday Remembrance of Maureen Hallahan, late of 2 Emmet St., Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on May 1.

Like falling leaves the years go by, But our memories of you will never die, Though absent you are always near, Still loved, still missed, still very dear, Give her a red rose dear Jesus, As red as it can be, Place it in my Nanny's hand, And tell her it's from me. (Sadly missed her granddaughters Tracy and Lorraine and great grandchildren).



**HALLAHAN** — Birthday remembrance of my dear mother Maureen Hallahan, late of 2 Emmet St., Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on May 1st.

No birthday card to send you, No gifts to show we care, All we have are memories, And a special birthday prayer, So call her name dear Jesus, And when she looks your way, Light a candle dear Jesus, And wish her happy birthday, On this her special day, Happy birthday Mam. (Sadly missed by her son Gerald and grandchildren Emma and Shaun).



**HALLAHAN** — Birthday remembrance of my dear grandmother, Maureen Hallahan, late of 2 Emmet Street, Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on May 1st.

May the wind of love blow gently, On a quiet and peaceful spot, Where the one we love lies sleeping, And will never be forgot, Your life was love and labour, Your love for your family true, You did your best for all of us, We will always remember you. (Sadly missed by Lorraine, Emma and Shaun).

**POWER** — Birthday Remembrance of my dear friend Denise Mai Power of Western Bay, whose birthday occurs on the 4th May.

To your graveside I do wander, I can picture your face so clear, In silence I stand in sorrow, For a friend 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. (Always remembered by your loving friend Sinead).



**HAVENS** — Birthday remembrance of John Havens, 5, St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan whose birthday occurred on Monday, 30th April, 2007.

Those we love don't go away, They walk beside us every day, Unseen, unheard, but always near, Still loved, still missed, still very dear. (Sadly missed by wife Mary, sons Michael and Christy, daughters Annie and Mary).



**HAVENS** — Birthday remembrance of John Havens, 5 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan whose birthday occurred on April 30th.

A light is from our household gone, A voice we loved is stilled, A place is vacant in our home, That never can be filled. A little tribute small and tender, Just to show we still remember, A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all he knew. Always willing, helpful and kind, What beautiful memories he left behind, Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say, (Lovingly remembered by your grandchildren Saoirse, Tosh, Calvin, Dean and Denika XXX).

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

### THE LATE JOE KELLY

**Mitchel Street, Dungarvan**  
The wife, sons, daughters and relatives of the late Joe Kelly wish to convey their heartfelt gratitude to all who shared their recent sad loss. We are so grateful for your Mass cards, letters, cards of sympathy and your presence with us at the funeral obsequies. A special thank you to the local clergy, especially to Fr. Flor O'Callaghan, O.S.A. for a lovely funeral Mass and celebration of Dad's life. To Dr. Brennock and the staff at the High Street Centre a thank you; to the Public Health nurses, the Parish Choir and David Kiely, Funeral Directors, our sincerest thanks. We are indebted to our neighbours and friends, especially to Bridget Whelan (niece) who was a regular visitor to Mitchel Street. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions.

**Month's Mind Mass** for Joe Kelly will be celebrated this Sunday, May 6, at the Friary Church.

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## Tallow Goes To The Dogs

### On Friday May 25th 2007, Tallow is having a Gala Night at Youghal Dog Track

A card of ten races all very well sponsored. The tickets are €10 all in including a raffle.

1st Prize: A weekend for 2 at Randles Court Clarion Hotel in Killarney; 2nd Prize: A whole lamb for the freezer (sponsors) Bart O'Donoghue; 3rd Prize: A meal for four people, wine included (sponsor) Noel and Ann-Marie Costello, the Bridge Bar, Tallow.

Three wonderful prizes — so buy a ticket and be in with a chance to win. We are all looking forward to a fantastic evening. Tickets are available in local shops and from committee members. Please support your local Community Centre.



**DUNGARVAN  
TOWN COUNCIL**  
Comhairle Bhaile Ceanntair  
Dun Garbhan

## TRAFFIC DIVERSIONS IN RELATION TO THE FEILE NA nDEISE FESTIVAL

Dungarvan Town Council wishes to advise motorists that there will be traffic diversions in Grattan Square over the May Bank Holiday Weekend to facilitate the holding of the annual Feile na nDeise Festival.

Diversions will be signposted and Dungarvan Town Council wishes to apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Town Clerk  
25th April 2007.



**DUNGARVAN  
TOWN COUNCIL**  
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Dun Garbhan

Notice is hereby given that the audit of accounts of the above-named local authority for the financial year ended on the 31st day of December, 2006 will be commenced by Mr Patrick Healy, Local Government Auditor, on the 15th day of May, 2007. Objections to any matter contained in the said several will be heard by the Local Government Auditor during the Audit.

Written notice of any proposed objection, setting out the relevant particulars and grounds on which it is to be made, should be sent to the above Local Government Auditor at the Civic Offices, Dungarvan within ten days of the commencement of the audit. The accounts will be open during office hours to the inspection of all persons for seven days before the commencement of the audit.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 2007

Joe O'Flaherty, Town Clerk.



**Waterford County Council**  
Comhairle Contae Phort Láirge

## HOUSING CONTRACT

Tenders are invited from suitably qualified builders for the construction of an extension and the carrying out of renovations to an existing cottage at Grallagh, Grange, County Waterford.

Drawings and specifications are available from Ms. Brea Cooke at the Housing Section, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, County Waterford. Telephone number 058 20882.

Closing date for receipt of tenders is **Friday, 18th May, 2007, at 4.00 p.m.**

Envelopes containing tenders must be clearly marked on the outside "Tender for Extension at Grallagh, Grange". They must be addressed to the County Secretary, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, County Waterford.

Signed: **Martin Walsh A/Director for Housing, Corporate Affairs & Emergency Services**

Date: 2nd May, 2007.

## Planning Notices

**Waterford County Council** — Application to Waterford County Council for a Waste Management Permit — Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Waste Management Act, 1996, as amended and Waste Permit Regulations 1998 that Murphy Brothers Agricultural Contractors Ltd. of Mount Bolton, Portlaoise, Co. Waterford intends to apply on behalf of William Murphy, Mayfield, Portlaoise, Co. Waterford for a Waste Management Permit for the recovery of waste at, Mayfield, Portlaoise, Co. Waterford. The principle activity at the site as specified in the 4th Schedule of the Waste Management Act, 1996 as amended will be: Class No. 4; No. 2 & 10 is also applied for. A copy of the application for the waste permit will, as soon as is practicable after receipt by the local authority, be available for inspection or purchase at the principal office at Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Patrick O'Donoghue am applying to the above for permission to construct an overground slurry storage tank, a new concrete silage slab, extend existing concrete apron, install scrapers to existing sheds, alteration of existing feed troughs & yards, installation of slatted slurry tanks, and ancillary services, on my land at Boolakiley, Cappoquin. The above application may be inspected at the offices of the above authority during normal office hours. A submission of observation to the application may be made in writing within a period of five weeks from the date of receipt of the application by above authority on payment of the prescribed fee of 20 euro.

**Waterford County Council** — Alf and Annette Whitford applies to the above authority for Planning permission to construct a Dry Store and 2 No Stables at Knockaloorican, Ballyduff Upper, Co Waterford. The Planning application may be inspected, or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the office of the planning authority during its public opening hours and that a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within a period 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Mary Barron intend to apply to Waterford County Council for full planning permission to construct single-storey extension onto side of existing dwelling complete with auxiliary site works at Curragh, Ardmore, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (20 euro) within the period of 5 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 for a dormer style dwelling, waste water treatment system, percolation area, entrance and all associated site works, at Knockavelish, Woodstown, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (20 euro) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Anthony Kiely intend to apply to Waterford Co. Council for planning permission for a dormer style dwelling, garage, septic tank, percolation area and entrance at Lissahane, Kill, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (20 euro) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I am applying for permission to construct slatted tanks and concrete silo, also retention permission for straw bedded calf house, cubicle housing with easy feed unit and ancillary housing for feed storage stables, garage and machinery storage, at Kilmore West, Tallow. Signed: Richard Forbes. 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.

**Waterford County Council** — Permission is sought for the construction of a one and a half style dormer dwelling, domestic garage, new entrance, driveway and all associated works at Ballynalshessary South, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (20 euro) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application. Signed: Padraig & Una MacShane.

**Waterford County Council** — We Alan & Karen Murphy intend to apply to Waterford Co. Council for outline planning permission for a dormer style dwelling, waste water treatment system, percolation area, entrance and all associated site works at Durrow, Stradbally, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (20 euro) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Thomas Landers wish to apply to the above authority for planning permission to construct a bungalow dwelling house, site entrance, treatment system and all associated site works at Feagarid, Ballysaggart, Lismore, Co. Waterford. This application may be inspected, or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the office of the planning authority during its public opening hours and that a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within a period 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Tim Crowley c/o D.F. Engineering Services. Tel. 086-3242880 wishes to apply for permission to construct Domestic Garage and all associated site works at Ardsallagh Lodge, Youghal, Co. Waterford. The Planning application may be inspected, or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the office of the planning authority during its public opening hours and that a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within a period 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.



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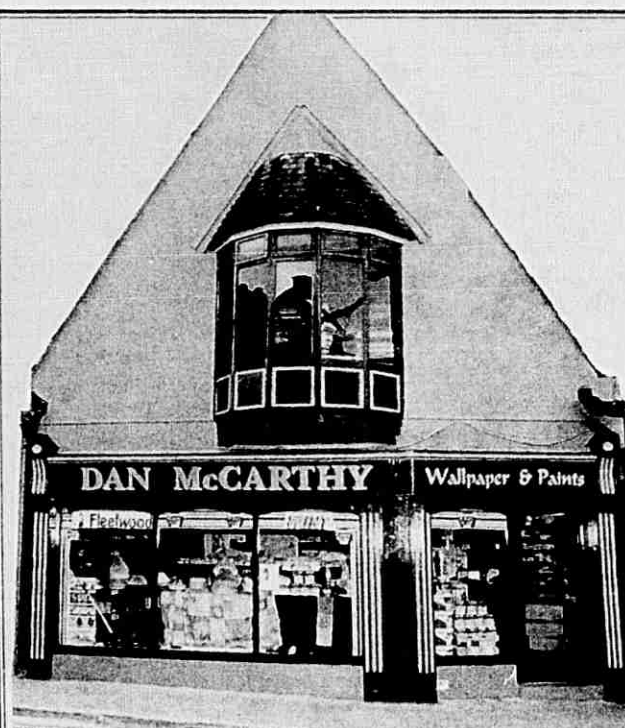
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# Colourful Exhibitions Launched In Arts Centre

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Dungarvan, launched three colourful new exhibitions recently. (24/04/07)

'Scenic Route' by Liz Johnson features a series of paintings inspired by the beautiful lakes in Co. Westmeath. Liz was born and educated in Birmingham and graduated from Chelsea School of Art, London, where she studied Mural Design. She worked as a freelance artist until joining Birmingham Royal Ballet to work as an Artist in Education. In 2003 Liz moved to Co. Westmeath, where she now lives and works. Her first solo exhibition was held in 2004 at Mullingar Arts Centre and her work has since been selected for a number of group exhibitions in Ireland, England and China. Liz's work can be found in the Public Art collection of Westmeath County Council and private collections in Ireland and England.

The exhibition 'Driftwood' is by father and son team William and Tom Watson from Co. Kilkenny.

William graduated from the National College of Art and Design, Dublin in 1999. He enjoys travelling and discovering the remote countryside and coastline of Ireland. His father Tom Watson is well known in his native Kilkenny for his unique interpretations of the city as he knew and experienced it growing up. Tom's works react to recent changes and takes the viewer back in time to an older, timeless city.

As always in the upstairs gallery is 'Market '07' featuring a selection of work by various artists. New this month to 'Market '07' is the work of Rosemary Cantlon, Maria Galloway, Chris Meehan and Tomás O'Maoldomhnaigh.

These exhibitions will continue until Saturday 26th May 2007.

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.



Mayor Teresa Wright, Tom Watson /exhibiting artist, William Watson /exhibiting artist and Assumpta Nugent /Arts Centre at the recent opening of exhibitions in the Arts Centre. (Photos by Robert Power Photography)



Mayor Teresa Wright and Liz Johnson /exhibiting artist at the recent launch of new exhibitions in the Old Market House Arts Centre.

## Over 100 Members Attend Waterford ICA Federation Open Day

Waterford Federation Open Day in Lawlors hotel was a great success...so much so that many more people than expected turned up for lunch. The organisers and hotel staff coped very well with the extra diners, getting everyone seated to enjoy a very relaxed lunch. The guilds really put on a great show. Their displays were very impressive, wonderful crafts and great colour. The special guest on the day was the national president Carmel Dawson, who gave a very eloquent and thought provoking address outlining the many challenges facing the ICA in a changing society. She also outlined initiatives underway at national level and that feedback will be given to the local guilds as things progress...so interesting times ahead for the ICA.

We will meet up with the Tramore guild on May the 13th at 2.30 pm and join them for the sponsored breast cancer research walk. We will arrange transport for those interested in travelling at the next meeting.

Ballinroad guild will be hosting the next federation meeting on May the 23rd. As usual we will be looking for the support of our members with the baking etc.

Is anyone interested in going to An Grianan from June the 11th to 15th for Waterford week?

We are looking into venues for our "Summer day out" - any ideas? The next meeting on May the 9th is our AGM in Ballinroad hall at 8pm.



Mayor Teresa Wright, Tomás O'Maoldomhnaigh /exhibiting artist and Assumpta Nugent /Arts Centre at the launch of three new exhibitions in the Arts Centre.

## Ballysaggart Notes

### CARDS RESULTS

26th April May Power and Ber Coughlan; Mary Whelan and Dan O'Brien; Shelia Lonergan and Bertie Neville; Pa Geoghegan and Nellie Brackett.

### LUCKY TABLES

Nellie Devine and Cissie Power; Kathleen Coleman and Jackie Coleman; Stephen Cunningham and Bridie O'Brien

### TICKETS

Cissie Power x 2, Stephen Cunningham, Kathleen Coleman

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

We congratulate Sam Ryan and Brian Meagher who received their First Holy Communion on Sunday last in Ballysaggart and their classmates who did likewise on Saturday.

### GAA LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn on Tuesday 24th 4-6-8-11. No jackpot winner. €15 winners as follows George Quinlan, Kelly Sheehan, Davy Nugent. Jackpot Tues 1st May €125. Results next week.

### JUNIOR HURLING

On Saturday evening last we played Ballinameela in the

hurling league in a very high scoring game in which we led at one stage by 10 points. We were lucky to hold out to win by the narrowest of margins 4-10 to 2-15.

On Saturday next we play Tourin in the Championship and this will be a tough one and considering that our injury list is getting longer and we are tending to lose our way in the second half it will take an enormous effort from whatever fifteen takes the field to win this one. The game is timed for 7.15pm in Cappoquin.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

Forty-four years is a long time to wait to win a title and on Sunday last, our senior hurler did themselves and the whole county proud by beating Kilkenny in as good a game of hurling as they have played for a long time. Well done to all concerned and let's hope it is the first of many.

Not to be outdone, the ladies won the Division 2 Camogie League Final. Congratulations to them also.

# Museum Notes

### Last Lecture in 'Old Museum'

Last wednesday we had a very successful turn out for 'Thatched Cottages of County Waterford', a lecture by Rose Ryall the County Conservation Officer. The large crowd enjoyed the well delivered lecture and had plenty of questions to fire at Rose, who aptly answered the majority. Afterwards, to mark the last function in the 'Old Museum', the guests were treated to wine and nibbles. So in all we all had a very enjoyable night.

### Blackwater Homes

Blackwater Homes have generously joined us as a major sponsor for the re-vamping of the Museum. Before the lecture on wednesday, Tracy Kenneally, Marketing Executive of Blackwater Homes, presented the museum with a 'large' sponsorship cheque to go towards the furnishing of the museum when renovations are finished. As can be expected, the re-furnishing of the museum will be costly so we welcome all contributions!

### New Addition

We have a new addition to our painting collection, 'Trees on the River Dodder', by Sarah Purser. This beautiful painting was presented to the Museum recently by the President of the National Collections of Ireland, John Maiben Gillmartin, at the Royal College of Surgeons Dublin to William Fraher, Curator of Waterford County Museum.

### Féile na ndÉise

This Bank Holiday weekend there will be an exhibition of photographs from the museum collection at Garvey's Supervalu, Main Street. The exhibition will begin on Friday. We hope that you will all pay a visit and see through the eyes of the camera the Dungarvan of old.

### Local History

Continuing our story of the Youghal Bridge, both past and present. This is taken from an article in the 'Co. Waterford "Plough and Furrow" 1963' written by the late J.D.Hally, County Engineer:

...Under these powers the Youghal Bridge Commissioners borrowed £10,000 from the fund. This Loan was secured by a first mortgage on the tolls and a further sum of £8,300 was raised on bridge debentures which were nearly all taken up by the Bridge Commissioners and other promoters of the work. With this £18,300 the necessary land was purchased and a bridge was built with a toll house on either bank and was completed and opened to the public for traffic on the 21st January, 1832. This debt was secured by a first mortgage on the tolls of the Ferry and a second charge (next after the Government Loan) on the tolls of the bridge. Pending payment of the full purchase sum the Corporation of Youghal were granted a rent charge of £400 a year representing the interest on the purchase price of the ferry- and this was a charge on the tolls of the ferry and bridge in the same order of priority as the principal. Within a short time it became apparent that this bridge as a commercial proposition was a bad investment. About £1,200 was paid on account of interest on the Government Loan but this appears to have been the only payment ever made on foot of that debt for either interest or principal....The Town Commissioners in the year 1855 resumed possession of the Ferry. The purchase price of £8,500 was apparently never paid. It is of interest to note that this ferry was maintained in operation by Youghal Urban District Council up to the year 1957...to be continued.



Rose Ryall, Conservation Officer County Waterford, Dominic Berridge, County Heritage Officer and Nioclás ó Griofáin, Museum Society.



# Lismore Notes

## C.L.G LIOS MOR

### Lotto

The winning numbers in Monday nights lotto were 24, 25 and 28. There was no winner of the jackpot. Next week's jackpot will be €4850. The E15 winners were Mary Glavin, Bank Field, Oisín & Fionn O'Gorman, New Street, T. C & K O'Gorman, Lios an Oir and Kevin McNamara, Ballyduff.

### Senior Hurling Championship

Our Senior Hurlers will play Fourmilewater in our opening game of this year's championship on Saturday next, 5th May at 7.00pm in Fraher Field.

### Intermediate Hurling Championship

Our Intermediates will start their campaign this year on Saturday 12th May when they will play Cappoquin at 7.30 pm in Ballyduff.

### National Hurling League

Congratulations to Dan, Dave and the entire Waterford Senior Hurling Panel on their fantastic victory over Kilkenny in the National Hurling League Final on Sunday last in Semple Stadium. It's a great achievement for the lads to end the 44 year gap since our last national title. From the outset of the game the lads gave 110% and due to their determination and effort we finally brought the silverware home. Well done to all concerned.

### Congratulations

Congratulations and well done to Waterford Camogie team who started Sunday on a great note by winning their League final. They had laid the marker for the boys!! Again, well done to all concerned and to all the Lismore players involved.

### Sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late Michael "Busty" O'Farrell, Lismore on his recent death. Sympathy is also extended to the family of the late Dan Lenihan, Bog Road, Ballysaggart. Ar dheis De go raibh a h-ainmeacha dilis.

### CLG na nOg Lios Mor / Baile na Saggairt Feile Skills

On Wednesday 25th April, Peter O'Keefe represented the club and the Western Bord Na Nog in the under 14 feile skills County final competition. Well done to Peter who won the county final and will now go forward to represent Waterford in the All Ireland Feile which takes place in June. Best of luck to Peter.

### County Minor

Congratulations to Sean Leahy who plays with Waterford minors on Wednesday evening this week, in Cork. We wish Sean and the team the best against Cork in this first round game.

### League Final.

Well done to Waterford on winning the League final on Sunday against Kilkenny. Congratulations to the team, and to Dan Shanahan and Dave Bennett former players with the juvenile club for their contribution.

### Annual Ber Ryan Tournament

The annual Ber Ryan Tournament will take place on this Saturday 5th May.

In memory of Ber Ryan and sponsored by Pat Ryan and family this is annual tournament for the under 11's. This year's tournament will be the eleventh tournament to take place and again an excellent competition is in store. The teams participating are Na Phiarsaigh, Fr. O'Neill's, Killeagh/St.Ita's, Mount Sion, Cappoquin, Brickey's, Cois Brid and Lismore

### Under 12 Hurling

The under 12 hurling Western Championship commenced this week with our first game against Dungarvan at home on Tue evening 1st May. Results of this game next week. The next game is away to Brickey's on Sunday 6th May at 11.30 am.

### Under 14's

The under 14's played Dungarvan in the Western final on Friday evening in Dungarvan. However no luck for us on this occasion losing out by a single point once again. This was an excellent game played in great spirit. Having dominated and led for most of the game we were unfortunate that Dungarvan came back to win by the narrowest of margins.

On Saturday the following day we played Tramore in the first round of the County Championship. Again this was a close contest when we finished in a draw with Tramore. Our next game is away to Cappoquin on Saturday next at 3pm.

The U 14 panel is as follows. Seanie Barry, Ray Barry, Kieran Bennett, Stephen Bennett, MI Crowley, Paudie Coleman, Michael Fitzgerald, Patrick Hennessy, Cathal Fitzgerald, Cian Mangan, Darren Meagher, David Murray, Cailean O'Gorman, Darragh Prendergast, Peter O'Keefe, Liam Prendergast, Sean Reiney, Bobby Ryan, Jordan Shanahan, Shane Bennett, Evan Nugent and David Prendergast.

### Get Well Soon

Get well wishes are extended to Peter O'Grady. Hope to see him back on the playing fields soon!

### Fixtures

U.14 Hurling County Saturday 5th May: Cappoquin v Lismore @ 3pm in Cappoquin. Under 12 Hurling Sunday 6th May: Brickey's v Lismore @ 11.30am in Brickey's

## LISMORE CRICKET CLUB NOTES

### CUP OPENER POSTPONED AS LISMORE NOW AIM FOR A MARDYKE SHOWDOWN ON SUNDAY

With the clubs season opening cup clash with neighbours Clonmel postponed last weekend due to a bereavement in the away camp, focus now turns to the famous Mardyke grounds in Cork for next Sundays Division 2 tie against a competitive Cork County side. Indeed Lismore will relish the journey to the city centre after having dished out a massive trashing to Cork County in their last meeting with batsmen Dave Ind and Harvey Jones piling the misery upon the Cork bowlers before Ryan Thuillier picked up three big wickets en route to a 171 run success. However, Lismore should be wary of a lash back, particularly this early in the season and the top players will have to be on form to repeat last years triumph. It will be a

fascinating encounter and next weeks report should make interesting reading. For supporters travelling the game, the players will take to the field at 12.30pm.

Meanwhile on Saturday Lismore will give a warm welcome to Dunmore East who last played competitive cricket some 6 years ago. The friendly between the two sides at the Castlefarm will hopefully signal a revival of cricket to the coastal town and all being well should see a return to league and cup competition next year.

The fixtures for next weekend (weather permitting) are:

Saturday May 5th  
Lismore v Dunmore East (Friendly) at 1pm

Sunday May 6th Cork County v Lismore (Division 2) at

12.30pm

Training now switches outdoors to the Castlefarm grounds. On Monday evening at 7pm there will be training for the youngsters (both boys & girls welcome) and a big turnout is expected. Then on Wednesday evening at 7pm it's the adults turn. It's a great evening for players and would be players as everybody bats and bowls. We look forward to seeing you there!!

If you are interested in playing cricket for Lismore and

wish to find out more about us, call the captain

Sean Willoughby on 087 8167628.

Until next time, keep the willow swinging! (The Night-watchman)

## LISMORE TIDY TOWN COMMITTEE A.G.M.

The Lismore Tidy Town Committee held its A.G.M. on Thursday, 26th April in Rose's West End Bar. The following new committee was elected for the coming year.

Chairperson: Rose O'Dowd; Vice Chairperson: John Campion; Secretary: Mary O'Brien; Treasurer: Mary McBride; P.R.O.: Kevin Wilkinson. Committee Members: George Hennessy, Rita Hegarty, Susan Cronin, Tom Gailey, Pat Fleming and Eileen Pollard.

Work projects completed in April

The following work has been carried out by the Tidy Towns members on work nights during the month of April.

Ballyrafter area: Pruning of shrubs, weeding and digging of planted areas, cleaning stone

walls, a general sweep up of footpaths in this area.

St. Carthages Cathedral: Pruning and tidying up of the planted area at front of Cathedral.

Fernville/South Mall: Weeding and digging all of the beds around the trees.

Ferry Lane: Tidy up and spraying of the long planted area.

Lios an Oir: Weed control on 3 planted areas on entrances in Estate.

Tallow/Glencairn area: Digging and preparation of beds in this area for summer bedding.

Bóthar Mochuda: Weeding and cleaning bed at entrance to estate.

## LISMORE COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP

The Lismore Community Playgroup is now taking enrolments for the Autumn term, Sept. '07. Please call 086-839 1657 between 9.30 am and 12.30 pm for details. The open day for new entrants will be Friday 22nd June 9.30 - 10.30 am. The Playgroup Annual General Meeting will be taking place on Monday, 18th June. One parent/guardian for each child enrolled for the Sept. 07 year will be required to attend (further notification will be sent to parents/guardians of new entrants). Also, the new Childcare Centre is underway and on target to open early next year!

## LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB

Results 25th April, Presidents (Jenny Allen) Prize. 1st Una Mason and Kay Barry; 2nd Teresa Ryan and Mary Fletcher; 3rd May Burke and Tom Roche; 4th Mary Hanrahan and Helen McGrath.

## LISMORE PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

Lismore Parent and Toddler group has finally settled into its new premises. We are currently meeting in the upstairs room of the community centre at 10.30 am every THURSDAY morning. Apologies to all concerned over the recent mix up but it is back to business with Storybox as we have a full and varied diary for the coming weeks. This Thursday (3rd May) we will meet in Clonea playloft in conjunction with Waterford Childcare Committee. The morning will begin at 10.30 am and subs are 2 euro per child. The following Thursday is at home in the community centre.

"Storybox" is a self help and mutual support group for parents and carers from Lismore and the surrounding areas. We welcome parents and carers from all areas with their babies and pre-school children for whom we offer a safe environment in which to play and interact. We have a variety of toys, we do art and craft as well as lots of singing and stories. The children get a healthy snack and the adults have time for a cup of tea/coffee and a chat. Subs are 3 euro and there is an annual registration fee of 5 euro, registration forms will be available each week. For further information contact Caroline on 52840 or Ann on 0857375239.

## LISMORE CAMOGIE NOTES

### Congratulations!

Congratulations! to the Waterford Junior Camogie Team who won the National Division 2 League on Sunday last. They beat Down on a score line of 1-18 to 2-13. Also congratulations to Waterford hurlers who captured the League title on Sunday last, they beat favourites Kilkenny.

### U-14 County Championship

Our u14s played Tallow in the championship on Monday night April 23rd, they came out comprehensive victors in this game. This guaranteed us a place in the final. Tallow went on to play Gaultier in a play off in which Tallow won comprehensively, we now once more meet Tallow in the final which is to be played over the coming weekend.

### Senior League

Our Senior team will be playing another round of the senior league on Friday night next against An Rinn which will be played in An Rinn.

## FINE GAEL

Lismore District Executive are hosting a social evening on Friday, 4th May at 9 pm in Ballyrafter House Hotel. Music and refreshments will be provided. Admission is free. Why don't you join us for an enjoyable evening.

## BUNSCOIL BHOTHAR NA NAOMH, LISMORE

### Parents' Council Notes

The pupils of Bunscóil Bhothar Na Naomh will take to the roads on Bank Holiday Monday next in order to raise funds for the further improvement of the school. A fundraising walk has been organised by the school's Parents' Council with pupils raising sponsorship money for the 10 km trek. The walk will commence at the school at 11 a.m. and proceed via the Deerpark Road to Tourin Hall, where refreshments will be served to the participants, before returning to the school via the Kilbree Road.

The Parents' Council has been

successfully raising funds for a number of years, which has been used for several important projects, culminating in the opening last year of a state-of-the-art computer room at a cost of nearly €40,000. With a five classroom extension in the offing for the school in the near future the need for funds has

never been greater. The Parents' Council has also earmarked several future projects, including the provision of interactive whiteboards, as well as paying for more routine items such as sports equipment and bicycles safety lessons, so please be generous in your support of the Fun Walk.

### LISMORE MOCHUDA LOTTO DRAW

Date: April 24th, 2007, Super Jackpot €7500.00.OPUV. No winner. Bonus Jackpot €150.00. ADPU. Chantal O'Reilly, Convent Rd. Lismore. Consolation prizes of €15.00 each: Maura Fenton, New Street, Lismore. Cathy O'Keefe, 60 Parks rd. Lismore. Jo Flynn, New Street, Lismore. Patricia Nevin, Castlelands  
Next Draw May 1st, 2007. The Castle Lodge, Super Jackpot €7650.00



# Cappoquin Notes

## CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER AND BILLIARDS CLUB

### Jameson Cup

After last week's action we are now down to the quarter finals of this season's Jameson Cup. Omitted from last week's results was David Mason's fine win against John Noonan. David has been playing some very consistent snooker this season and in the opening frame here he continued that trend when he had a big win 65-27. John fought back in the second but David got the important colours and advanced to the quarter finals on a score of 63-54. The only other game saw Brian Whelan play former Jameson Cup winner James Morrissey. James had knocked out last season's beaten finalist Eamon Costin in the previous round and things seemed to be going along nicely for him when he took the opening frame 65-55. Brian fought back in the second and really began to pot well. He took the second frame 58-27. In the deciding frame it was nip and tuck early on but Brian pulled away in the colours and advanced to the quarter finals on a 81-45 scoreline.

### Jameson Cup Quarter Finals

This season's Jameson Cup quarter finals have thrown up some very interesting pairings. Mike Doherty (-9) will play Brian Whelan (+20) and this should be a tight game. Brian's handicap will come in very handy in this game but Mike is well used to that and after a very tight game Dots should advance but it would be no surprise if Brian won through. In the next game Robbie Allen (-12) (last season's winner) will have a tough game against Brendan Walsh (0). Both players are playing very well at the moment but I have a sneaking feeling that Robbie will win this one and advance to the semi finals. Michael Bumster (-17) will play Shane Coughlan (+4) and Bumster will be firm favourite to win this one. However if Shane plays up to his best form then he will have a good chance of upsetting Michael and this one will be whoever plays to their game on the night. The final quarter final sees David Mason (+15) play Dylan Reese (-30). Dylan, if David gives him any opportunities will progress but in a tight game David can beat Dylan. Again this could be a tight game and if it remains tight David could advance. It is hoped all four games can be played before the end of the week as time is pushing on and we need to get this tournament finished. Best of luck to all eight lads left.

### Market House League Ladder

Two outstanding quarter finals in this season's Market House League Ladder are hoped to be played this week. Brendan Walsh plays Michael Doherty and Liam McLoughlin

plays David Cahill. Two very tight games to call but I think Dots and David may just advance. Eamon O'Shea and Robert Walsh are awaiting the outcome of these games and hopefully we can play the semi finals next week.

### Duck Derby

Plans are now almost finalised for what is hoped to be another fantastic day when we will hold our Duck Derby on Monday, June 4th (Bank Holiday) in Glenshelane. Last year we held the Duck Derby on the same weekend and the crowd that flocked to Glenshelane had to be seen to be believed. A fantastic atmosphere, great entertainment and lovely food made for a truly unforgettable day. This year it is more of the same. All we hope for is the sunshine we had last year. We will again have the free barbecue and free bouncy castle and slide for the kids. The races

with commentary from Mike O'Rourke was great craic last year and we hope Mike will be able to do it again this year. Ducks are now on sale from any committee member and cost only 5 euro. All monies raised will go towards the refurbishment of the hall and last year's money helped pay off a huge amount on our loan. So remember folks! Keep Monday June 4th free and come along to Glenshelane for what I can assure you will be a fantastic day and who knows for only a fiver you could own a derby winner. Prizes this year are 1st 150 euro, 2nd 100 euro and 3rd 50 euro.

### Duty Officers

Duty officers for the coming week are as follows; Wed. 2nd May Michael Roche and David Mason. Thurs 3rd May Robbie Allen and Ray Curran. Fri. 4th May Brian and Liam Whelan. Mon 7th May Shane Coughlan

and Martin Reddy. Tues. 8th Brendan Walsh and Eamon O'Shea.

### Camogie County Final

Best of luck to the Cappoquin U-14 Camogie team who play Tramore on Saturday afternoon next in the County Final in the Fraher Field. Let's hope a big crowd can go to Dungarvan on Saturday and hopefully they can bring back the Cup.

### Confirmation

Congratulations to all the boys and girls from Bunscoil Gleann Sidhean who received their Confirmation on Sunday last. A great day was had by all. I am sure.

### Waterford Are league Champions

Well done to the Waterford Senior hurlers who won the league title on Sunday last in Thurles. The sea of Blue and White had to be seen to be believed after the final whistle. Well done to all concerned.

## PADRE PIO REST HOME, CAPPOQUIN

We will be holding a Tea Party for the Alzheimers Society on Thursday evening at 7 pm. Funds raised will go to the Dungarvan branch. The Alzheimers Society gives a lot of support to people in their own homes and in doing so helps to maintain people in the environment they are used to. Please come and have a Cup of tea and in doing so you will be supporting a worthy cause. Contact number 058-54117.

The Friends of Padre Pio would like to thank

all who supported their Easter Raffle. First prize; a Hamper went to Trisy Feeney. Trish has been very ill recently so we would like to wish her a speedy recovery and good health for the future.

Second prize Easter Egg went to Margaret Roe. Third prize Easter Egg went to S. O'Regan. Thanks to the staff in Padre Pio for sponsoring the hamper and to Mangan's Cash & Carry and Ollie Flynn for the Easter Eggs. Also thanks to Michael Murphy for his help.



Pictured above are members of Winnies Trad Group presenting a cheque of 3,000 euro to Mrs. Kathleen Baron of Cappoquin Day Care Centre. Proceeds from a very successful trad weekend held in Cappoquin recently. (Missing from photo is Kevin Roche).

## CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT NOTES

### Tipperary Institute Awarded Certificates

Tipperary Institute Awarded Certificates to their ten students who attended the course on Digital Photography in Cappoquin Community Centre IT room, for the last ten weeks. This ceremony took place on Monday 30th April. This proved to be a most pleasant evening. James Greenslade, Director of ICT at Tipperary Institute presented the certs and also a big thank you to Lecturer Tracey Browne who was responsible for giving the course.

### Cookery Demonstration

On Thursday 2nd May at 10.30am - 1pm by Eunice Power Dungarvan. This is to celebrate Community Centres Demo Kitchen

Theme is "Delicious Nutricious Family Food".  
Faitle Ireland Certified Cookery Course for Chefs starting 7th May for ten weeks. Admission €20.

Waterford Leader Partnership with Co. Waterford VEC present: A free training opportunity for one-parent families who are in receipt of one parent family payment. Commencing on Thurs May 17th in the new Community Centre Demo Kitchen for ten weeks.

Theme of course "Cookery Skills" and will be accredited to FETAC level 3.

Places are limited, contact Niamh Murphy, Waterford Leader Partnership on 058-52746. This project is a partnership between WLP and Co. Waterford VEC and is funded under the Local Development Social Inclusion Programme.

Co Waterford VEC commence a 7 week course titled Computer Applications on Thursday 3rd May at 7.30 to 9.30pm in Computer Room.

### Computer Applications FETAC Level 4

This module has been designed to provide learners with an understanding of and practical experience in the use of the common applications (i.e. Database, Spreadsheets and Computer Graphics). It provides an introduction to computer applications, which will enable the learner to use the computer in a working environment and to proceed to further modules in each of the applications at level 5.

### Guitar for Beginners

Mondays 5-6pm. Note change of time.

### Lotto

Cappoquin Community Development Company Lotto has reached €2,500, sales are going well thanks to the businesses and sales person Miriam Coughlan. A quick reminder to any of you in the community who have omitted to return your annual lotto ticket as a means of contributing to the community centre fund, please do so in the next few weeks. This will assist greatly to alleviate the €1 million debt on the building.

### COFFEE MORNING

Coffee morning in aid of the Alzheimer Society of Ireland will be held at Alice Murray's House at Kilbree Cappoquin on Thurs 3rd May between 11am and 1pm. Support would be greatly appreciated.

## CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LTD LOTTO RESULTS

Lotto for 30th April 2,500 euro. No winner. Numbers drawn 15-18-25-30. Next lotto 2,600 euro. Consolation prizes; John O'Rourke; Tom Feerick Jr; Pa Curran, Anne Maher, Winnie Fennell and Maggie Crowley. Next draw Tuesday 8th May. All proceeds go towards the Community Centre.

### FINE GAEL

Lismore District Executive are hosting a social evening on Friday, 4th May at 9 pm in Ballyrafter House Hotel. Music and refreshments will be provided. Admission is free. Why don't you join us for an enjoyable evening.

### AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Results 9th Mar. 1st Brid Bergin and Betty Kelleher. 2nd Mary Fives and Addie Buckley. Joint 3rd Eileen Tinnelly and Mary Radford. Mary Fletcher and Kathleen O'Mahoney.

## DAFFODIL DAY

4,600 euro. That's the fantastic total collected on Daffodil Day, up more than 600 euro on our record 2006 total. To say the good will to our Daffodil Day collection was superb would be an understatement as once again the people of Cappoquin and the surrounding areas showed their great generosity to our worthy cause.

Of course it would not be possible to have any successful collection without our loyal band of our most dedicated volunteers. Over the last number of years they have braved the full spectrum that the Irish weather has to offer yet they have greeted everybody with a smile and a cheer. There's no doubt that their commitment and loyalty to Daffodil Day is instrumental to its great success. Lastly I would like to thank once again all involved and hopefully in 2008 we'll pass 5,000 euro for this most worthy cause.



# CAPPOQUIN U-14 FEILE CHAMPIONS



Jimmy McCarthy Treasurer Western bord na nOg presenting the Thomas Scanlon Cup to PJ Curran captain of Cappoquin under 14 hurlers who defeated Abbeyside in the Feile final played in Cappoquin.

(www.rpowerphotography.com)

## CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE GAA CLUB NOTES

### Club Lotto

The numbers drawn out in last weeks club lotto draw held at the Railway bar on Monday April 23rd were 4-18-25-27, and there was no jackpot winner. The 20euro winners were as follows Ena Cullinane Glen-ribbon, Craig Mason The Shop, Bob O Neill Ballyduff, Mike Ahearn /Ger Morrissey c/o Sportsmans Bar, Mary Power Monamon. This weeks draw took place at the Tavern Bar on Monday April 30th and the jackpot prize was 9,600euro, the results of this draw will appear in these notes next week.

### Three To Answer

1. What county defeated Waterford in their only appearance in All Ireland senior Camogie final and what was the year?

2. Who were the brothers that lined out on opposing teams in the 1999 Fitzgibbon cup final?

3. What unique distinction have Philip Kennedy (Tipp) the late Cormac Mc Anallen and Peter Canavan Tyrone?

### Last Weeks Answers

1 Christy Ring captained Cork to win the Liam McCarthy cup on three occasions. 2 Nicky Cashin was Waterford Hurler of the Year in 1979, 3 Michael 'Babs' Keating Tipp had the unenviable distinction of losing three all-Ireland Minor Hurling finals in 1960,61/62

### U-14 Hurling

Cappoquin after winning the Western the Western A Feile championship the week previously to Abbeyside travelled to Walsh Park on Wednesday last, in the early minutes of the game the lads were rocked by

three early goals from the Gunners which they never recovered, on an evening when nothing seemed to go right, all the players still tried to the bitter end and never stopped hurling which was a very encouraging sign and PJ Curran was possibly the best player on the field, we would like to wish Ballygunner who will now represent Waterford at the All-Ireland Feile na nGael Championship in Killkenny next month the very best of luck. This Saturday May 5th Cappoquin take on Lismore at 3pm at the Sportsfield in the league style championship

### Intermediate Hurling Championship

This Friday May 4th Cappoquin will begin their championship campaign against the Brickey Rangers who already have had an outing with St Marys which ended in a draw. The throw-in will be at 7.15 in Colligan, hoping to see a good Cornerstone following at the venue.

### Weekend Fixtures at The Sportsfield

Friday May 4th @ 7.15pm; Western IHC, St Marys V Shamrocks. Saturday May 5th @ 3pm County U-14 HC; Cappoquin V Lismore. Saturday May 5th @ 7.15pm; Western Premier JHC; Tourin V Ballysaggart. Sunday May 6th @ 12 noon, Western JHC; Shamrocks V Dungarvan.

County SHC; Tallow V Stradbally @ 6.15pm

Monday May 7th @ 5.30; County U-16 FC; Affane V Portlaw - St Mollerans.

### U-12 Western Hurling Championship

Cappoquin play Fourmilewater this Sunday May 6th in Ballymac at 11.30

### Out of Action

At present Club players JJ DeVine and Shane O'Rourke and juvenile club chairman Jonners have all recently been hospitalised, hoping to see ye all back to yer best again soon lads

### Wonderful Waterford

For all those Waterford supporters who were at Semple Stadium last Sunday it was a day to savour how often have the Cats denied Waterford and almost every other county glory in the dying moments of a game, but for a second week on the trot a waterford side did a Killkenny on Killkenny by capturing the league title for the first time since 1963 well done to the panel of players and everyone involved with the team, looking forward now to the championship.

### U-16 Football

#### Affane 4-9 Brickey's 2-6

D Fives scored a goal and point in the first two minutes. Brickeys scored a point in the sixth minute. E Mc Grath scored a goal in the seventh minute. Brickey's scored a point in the tenth minute, C Looby replied with a point in the fifteenth minute. Brickeys got a goal in the eighteenth minute. P Fitzgerald scored two points and PJ Curran got one to leave the scor at 2-5 to 1-2 at half time.

R Hallissey and P Fitzgerald scored two points each in the

first six minutes of the second half. Brickeys scored points in the eight and tenth minute. P Fitzgerald scored a goal in the twelfth minute. Brickeys scored a goal and two points to leave the scor at 3-9 to 2-6 after eighteen minutes. P O'Rourke scored a goal in the twenty sixth minute to finish the scoring.

Team; K O Sullivan, PJ Curran, D Curran, D Cahill, D Cahillane, C Looby, R Mc Laughlin, D Fives, F Murray, E Mc Grath, P Fitzgerald, M Devine, B Crotty, R Hallissey, P O'Rourke, D Barry, D Whelan, B O'Donoghue, C Murray and D O'Brien.

We play Portlaw/Mollerans at home next Monday. All players be in the sportsfield at 5 o'clock.

### U-10 Hurling Paddy McCarthy Cup

Our club held its annual U-10 hurling tournament last Saturday for the the Paddy McCarthy Cup. The teams that took part were Roanmore, Cappoquin, Glen Rovers and Dungarvan. Our lads had wins over Glen Rovers and Roanmore which put them into the Final against Dungarvan who eventually won a fine game. We would like to thank all the clubs who took part in a very enjoyable day hurling, the ladies and Sully for the catering, the refs Eamonn O'Shea, Finian Murray, Daithi Wilkinson and the versatile Sully.

### U-11 Hurling

Cappoquin take part this Saturday in Lismore annual tournament for the Ber Ryan Cup

## RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C. NOTES U-11 Cup Semi Final

On tonight (Wednesday) our U-11 side entertain city side Southend for a place in this season's U-11 Cup final. Our young side have had a fantastic season so far and it would be brilliant to see them get to the Cup final. We hope to see a big crowd at the Danes field tonight to cheer on our lads and hopefully we can get the right result on the night.

### U-12 League

#### Railway Ath 4 Crusaders 1

Our U-12 side had another great win on Saturday last when they beat Crusaders 4-1 in the Danes field. Our goalscorers were Gary Matthews 2, Killian O'Sullivan 1 and Jason O'Keefe 1. This win keeps these lads in touch for league honours and it could be a very good season for them yet. Well done lads.

### Kennedy Cup

The Waterford Kennedy Cup squad played a friendly at the Danes field against the Kerry league on Sunday last and emerged winners on a 1-0 scoreline. Our own Gary Hurley came off the bench to help this side win and with only six weeks to the tournament things are starting to hotten up. Well done to Gary and manager Tom Browne. Also to Derek for another good days work, although Derek didn't feel the best after the night before when he celebrated his 21st. Well done to all.

### Well Done Mick

A big well done and thank you to Mick Foley and Martin Reddy who had the pitch in absolute pristine condition. Mick and Martin cut and lined the pitch on Saturday evening and everybody that attended the game on Sunday complimented the fine pitch and facility that we have here in Cappoquin. Well done lads.

### County Final

Best of luck to the girls U-14 camogie team who hope to win the County Final on Saturday afternoon next in Dungarvan. Hopefully they can go one better this year and win the title that they so narrowly lost last year. It would be great to bring a county camogie title back to the Cornerstone this year. Best of luck to all involved.

### Baby Girl

Congratulations to clubman Gavin Foley and his partner Mary Ann Dalton on their recent arrival of a healthy baby girl. Baby Caitlin was born on Friday last and all are doing great.

### Munster Final

Hard luck to Gavin Pratt and the Waterford Schoolboy U-14 squad who were beaten by a very strong Cork side on Saturday last in the Munster final played in Limerick. Gavin has had a very busy few months with this squad and it is a pity they couldn't claim this title. Well done Gav from all at Railway Athletic.

## CAPPOQUIN CAMOGIE NOTES

### Under 14 County Final

This Saturday possibly in Dungarvan, our under 14 team are playing the county final. Please support the girls, as this is a great achievement for them. There will be notices around the town of the match details so check them and go along. Best of luck to all involved!

### Junior

This Friday we are due to play the Brickey Rangers in the sports-field at half 6. This may be changed due to the under 14 county final but check with team selectors. Also the following Monday, Bank Holiday Monday we will be playing Ring again at home. Check with selectors for times.

## MELLERAY/CAPPOQUIN RED CROSS

Mellera/Cappoquin branch of Irish Red Cross will hold a fundraising night in the Boathouse, Cappoquin on Sunday, 6th May at 9 pm. First Aid Course Certificates and Defibrillator Certificates will be presented on the night. Dancing from 10 pm till 1.00 am. Music by Sliabh gCua Ramblers.

## VILLIERSTOWN COMMUNITY QUAY ASSOCIATION

Will hold a public meeting to air concerns over proposed County Council by-laws to regulate the use of power boats and other craft on the River Blackwater. In Villierstown Community Centre on Thursday 10th May at 8 pm sharp. All are welcome.



# Daybreak Official Opening Of Dungarvan Daybreak



The Daybreak team

Entry forms will be available in store when you spend €15 or more – petrol not included. The winners will be drawn live on WLR on Friday 4th.

### IMPROVEMENTS

The Daybreak and Statoil station is the first venture undertaken by Kevin. And in the three short months since it first opened, the shop has thrived.

It has been tripled in size, from 450 sq ft to 1,500 sq ft and a number of structural changes have been put in train with the investment of around €250,000 in the store.

Around the same time, they joined with Musgrave's Daybreak brand, choosing the branding because of Daybreak's excellent support, pricing and products, and believe in Daybreak's four pillars of the brand – convenience, value, service and quality.

It's an ingredient that has worked well in Dungarvan and nationally for the Daybreak brand, which has grown to 100 stores in the last one and a half years.

### DELI

Central when you enter the Daybreak store is the hot and cold Deli, which has a huge range of quality produce in stock. It's been a huge success since it opened.

"The driving force behind the deli is the staff and the quality of the produce they put out," Kevin says. "You've got your standard items; breakfast rolls, your hot dogs, pies, but the staff keep varying the items on offer. We have a lunchtime special every day."

"For example, this week we're running a special on homemade pizzas. We deal with good local suppliers who have a reputation for quality."

A tea and coffee bean to cup machine is also in store as is an ice cream machine, phone top up, a banklink, a range of car accessories, cards and stationery, and groceries.

### WINE

Wine is also an important aspect of the Daybreak store. With more and more people staying in, and entertaining at home, there has been a



A view of the large counter area at Daybreak

large growth in wine sales. With a large and varied selection of stock, from French, Italian, South African, Australian to New World wines, Dungarvan Daybreak are well capable of looking after all your wine needs.

Check out their extensive range in-store, and their monthly offers for that perfect bottle for your special occasion.

### STATOIL PETROL STATION

The Statoil petrol station offers competitively priced petrol to customers. But that's just one of the services on offer on the busy forecourt.

The Statoil station also has an extremely popular car wash and vacuuming

service – so why not drop by and enjoy a fresh 99 cone while you have your car washed.

### EMPLOYEES

Seventeen staff now work at the petrol station, bringing a huge level of dedication and hard work to providing the best possible service to their customers.

"It's a nice environment to work in," Kevin says. "We all work together. It's all one big team. There's no ranks or anything like that, and everyone does their best so the customer has a good experience shopping at the Daybreak."

"It's the staff that drive everything that goes on. It's their attention to detail that's the big factor in what makes it all work,

and it's their value for the customer."

### THANKS

Kevin wishes to thank the staff for working so hard and for growing the business to the current level. He also wishes to thank all his customers for

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Kevin Forde's newly refurbished Daybreak store is to officially open on Friday next, May 4th with the occasion set to be marked by a number of events. Waterford's All-Star hurler, Dan Shanahan is to perform the official opening at 4.30pm on what will be a special day for the town.

WLR fm will be broadcasting live from the petrol station from 4pm to 7pm with Geoff Harris in the WLR fm Blastercaster. There will be something for everyone in the family on the day including children's face painting, spot prizes, loads of giveaway prizes, along with slashed fuel prices to celebrate the occasion.



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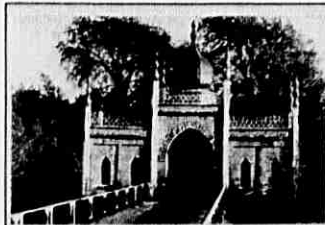
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## West Waterford Notes



### FEILE NA NDEISE IT'S BUSKING TIME!

Pending sufficient entries Feile na nDeise committee in conjunction with their adult busking competition will host the annual under 18 busking competition again this year - The winners of which will receive the Martin Curran Memorial Trophy. Martin's family to help promote and encourage the musicians of the future very kindly sponsored this trophy.

Groups wishing taking part must register at the Feile Office in Dungarvan before the competition begins at 2pm on this Saturday May 5th. In previous years many of the groups who part in this competition gained confidence and encouragement to go on to greater things. We hope once again this year that we will receive lots of entries to secure its future for years to come. Do go along on Saturday afternoon and take in the competition it should prove to be lots of fun

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY AINE — FROM ACROSS THE WATER!

This week we extend our congratulations across to water to Cardiff in England, to a Clashmore lady who is presently studying there. On May 5TH Aine Lombard celebrates her 21st birthday but as it coincides with her final exams Aine has to defer the celebrations until a later date but they will be worth the wait!

A very happy birthday to you Aine and best of luck to you in your exams from all you family relations and many friends.

### LOURDES FUND COLLECTION

As you are aware thanks to your very generous support for more years than we care to remember this parish has been helping to send one or more members of our community to Lourdes each year. This year will be no exception and the annual Church Gate Collection for Lourdes will be taken up at all masses in both Clashmore and Piltown this weekend May 5th & 6th. Your support for this collection will be very much appreciated.

### HAPPY 21st KILLIAN

This week another of our young sporting talents celebrated his 21st birthday, congratulations to Killian O Keffe, Ballinacash who celebrated the big occasion last weekend with family and friends. A very happy birthday to you Killian and all the best for the future.



Mary Curran presenting the Martin Curran Memorial Shield to Thomas O Keffe, Sheila O Shea, Lisa O'Brien, John, Rebecca, Emma and Jason Power, members of Ceoltoiri Cnoch na gCaorach at last year's under eighteen busking competition at Feile Na nDeise. Liam Power on behalf of the sponsors Garvey's Superval presents Lisa O'Brien with the winning cheque.]

### CLASHMORE / KINSALEBEG PLAYGROUND FUND

Our Image and Beauty night is fast approaching on Friday May 11th in the Heritage Centre Clashmore. Avril Geary, Beauty Therapist and Style Coach will have lots of tips and advice to make us all look effortlessly stylish. While Sam McCauley's Chemist will have "goody bags" for everyone. There will be a wine reception at 7.30pm and lots of pampering prizes to be won later in the evening.

Tickets are almost sold out with only a few remaining, so, if you really want to make this a date, contact a member of the committee a.s.a.p.

Avril is also available to talk to you on a one-to-one basis by appointment or for personal shopping and wardrobe Analysis. You can contact Avril at Sam McCauley's Chemist in Dungarvan or on her Mobile at [087] 9585730

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY KATE

Warmest congratulations to Kate Dee Kilgabriell who celebrated her 21st Birthday this past weekend at the Deise Bar Clashmore with family and friends. A very happy birthday to you Kate and all the best for the future.

### DEATH OF EAMONN LOMBARD

With a heavy heart and hand we write this week of the death on Tuesday morning last at his home in Ballyheeneey of well-known and dearly loved Clashmore man -Eamonn Lombard. Eamonn died peacefully after a long and courageous battle against illness. Reposing at his home, rosary was celebrated on Wednesday evening.

On Thursday afternoon the funeral cortege left to take Eamonn on his final journey to St Cronan's Church where requiem mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his soul. Following mass Eamonn was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. May he rest in peace. To his wife Berry, daughters Marion, Michelle, Edwina, and Bernadette his sons Anthony Pat his mother Molly, his brother Michael and all his extended family and friends we extend our deepest sympathy. Full obituary later.

### GET WELL WISHES

Our thoughts and good wishes are with Johnny O'Brien, Aglish who is presently in hospital. All join in wishing you a speedy recovery Johnny.

### KINSALEBEG THURSDAY CLUB

**Sympathy** — On behalf of the Kinsalebeg Thursday Club, we wish to extend deepest sympathy to one of our members Mrs Molly Lombard and all the Lombard Family on the death of Eamonn Lombard. May he rest in peace.

### VISITING WEST WATERFORD

A warm welcome back to west Waterford to Mayo man Johnny Durkan who is presently visiting members of his wife's family the Joyce's in Clashmore and Dungarvan. Johnny is on holiday from Worcester Mass USA. Hope you have a lovely holiday.

### RING TOURNAMENT

Despite numerous interruptions — birthdays weddings and even an engagement! — Our Ring Tournament at the Rising Sun has made considerable progress since we last reported on it. Second rounds are progressing nicely and we had some surprise successes and disappointing defeats! However it still anyone's game and we have five more second rounds remaining to be played.

The results from the series of second round games played to date are as follows:

Team -Paddy Hurton, Jerry Keane [2004 winner] and Declan Hickey beat Tom Kelly, Jonathan Flavin and Tom Dee Jr.

Team Geraldine Cunningham, The Chairman [Pat O Halloran] and Declan Dower beat Liam Daly, Michael Cashel [Rocky] and T.O. Murphy-The lady saved the day here when she hung the all important winning one!

Next we had team -Paul Marks, Pat Dalton and Michelle Keogh [our 2006 winner] beat Jimmy Quinn, Padraig Connery and Philip Dee.

Husband and wife team Patrick and Susan Murphy joined forces with Tony Mansfield to win their game against their Ole rivals Tom Kelly Kieran Allen and Patricia.

Next up we had 2004 winner -Jackie Mangan son Graham Mangan and Tom Tucker Cunningham team up to beat Tom Cooper Cunningham Barry Dunne and Johnny Corcoran, in what has to be one of the best games of the tournament. This game went right to one before the winner was declared.

Cork can take some consolation in knowing that at least one of its sons is still managing to keep a lone red and white floating among the sea of blue and white! The Corkman - Pa McCarthy with the assistance of Nicholas Beresford and Eoin Murray beat Kieran Connery, Padraig Connery and Sean Fleming.

Team Liam Troy hung the winning ones to carry his team of Jason Walsh and Regina Cunningham through to the next round. They beat Mossie McCarthy, Michael Cashel and Michelle McCarthy

On a final note this week we would like to thank everyone for their continued support, help and co-operation, especially our chief score keeper and referee -Seamus Troy. Commiseration's to all our losers - There is always next year. However thanks to your support the real winners in this tournament again this year will be Hospice. So keep up support!

### CLASHMORE KINSALEBEG JUVENILE GAA NOTES

**U-8 Football** — Our young footballers travel to Ballinacash tonight, Wednesday 2nd to take part in the Annual Blitz Series. A number of other teams will be taking part, so good luck to all the boys and girls who will be playing in their first competitive match this year. Hurling training on Friday evening at 7.00.p.m.

**U-10 Football** — Training will continue on Wednesday evening in Clashmore pitch, commencing at 7.00.p.m. Hurling training on Friday evening at 7.00.p.m.

**Under 12 Hurling** — The championship got off to a good start on Monday evening when we played Ardmore in the first round. While there was a lot of good hurling played during the match, the lads missed quite a number of scoring chances, which would be critical in a closely contested encounter. The lads had an easy victory, however, their skills will be well tested in their encounter with St. Pats, this coming Sunday morning. The throw in is set for 11.30.a.m. in Bohadoun and all players are asked to be at the venue by 11.15.a.m. Training will be held in Clashmore pitch on Friday evening at 7.00.p.m. All players are requested to be there.

**U-16 Football** — We had a very convincing win over Gaultier last week, and we play away to Tramore this evening Wednesday 2nd at 7.30.p.m. Hope our run of good luck continues in this match. Our next encounter will be at home to Dungarvan on Monday evening next at 7.30.p.m.

**Sympathy** — All the members of the Juvenile Club would like to extend sincere sympathy to the Lombard family, and especially Anthony, on the recent death of Eamonn. Eamonn will be sadly missed by all who play in Clashmore pitch and no doubt eyes will still turn towards the spot in the fence, from where he was the overseer of many a match down through the years. Ar dheis De to raibh a anam dilis.

**Membership and VHI Cul Camp** — Please ensure that both membership and completed Camp forms are returned to Mary O Halloran as soon as possible.

**Congratulations** — I don't suppose that it would be possible to write about the G A A this week without mentioning the outstanding successes of the Decies over the past two weeks. Firstly, the superb win by De La Salle over C BS Kilkenny in the All Ireland Colleges Final.

This was closely followed by the Division Two Camogie League win by Waterford over Down on Sunday, and finally the NHL Division 1 win over Kilkenny in Thurles on Sunday last. Congratulations to all concerned, especially those who are very well known to us here in the West and who never fail to promote the game and visit schools and camps etc. in the limited spare time which is available to them. Hopefully this is a sign of things to come and is well deserved by all the players.

## Easter Sunday Duck Derby



Anna Foley enjoys all the action at the Easter Sunday Duck Derby in Clashmore with her nephews Tom and Paul Fleming



In deep discussion! Members of our hard working playground development committee Susan Tomas, Oes Lombard and Bridget Keane.

### NEW ARRIVAL

A very special congratulations to proud parents Peter Colbert and his wife Joanne on the birth of their baby during the week, a little girl whom they have named Aisling. Best wishes to you both from your family and friends in Clashmore.

### CONGRATULATIONS MARY ANN

Well done to Mary Ann Troy Clashmore, on her success in the Deise Development Draw. Mary Ann was the lucky winner of €50 prize in the April draw that took place last Friday night.

### CLASHMORE 45 DRIVE

A well deserved win this week for Mary Anne and Bobby Connery they won nine games and shared the top prize jointly with Martin Lynch and Pat Roche. Next we had Bernard Moloney and Billy Allen they won seven games and they shared third prize jointly with Michael and Mairead Fahey.

We had one pair claiming best of the last five prize that was Tony Keane and Gabriel Hynes. Our last game winners were the Allen brothers Tomas and Seamus, Aine Curran and Liam Curran Kathleen Osbourne and Eileen Dower, Mary Dower and Jack Douris. Well done to all our winners and thanks to everyone for their continued support. Cards as usual next bank holiday Monday night starting at 9.00pm sharp.

### THE LOTTO

Our Clashmore -Kinsalebeg GAA Club weekly Lotto Jackpot will be a fantastic €300 this bank holiday weekend. We will be at the Rising Sun on Monday night for our draw so if you want to be in with a chance to win this great cash prize be sure to secure your ticket by purchasing it from any of the usual venues. Last Monday nights numbers were 10, 12, 26, 27. Well done to the following who were the lucky winners of this weeks €20 each consolation prizes: Breda Murray, Piltown; Larry Kiely, Cappagh; Liam Cunningham, Dick Power, Cappagh; Mary Roche Kilgabriell. Our thanks to everyone for their continued support of the Lotto Draw.

### DEATH OF MRS NORAH KEANE

The death took place on Friday last April 27th peacefully at her home of Mrs Norah Keane Kilcoran Road and formally of Emmett Place. Wife of the late Kevin Keane, this remarkable lady gave 46 years of dedicated service to the family business -John L Keane & Son Solicitors. To her family -Fr. John, David, Mary, Anne, and Frank and all her relatives and friends we extend our deepest sympathy.

### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Great to see Bill Fleming home from hospital and out and about last weekend and fully recovered from his recent illness. continued good wishes to you Bill





# Abbeyside Scout Troop Notes



## ALZHEIMER'S TEA MORNING

As you may have read in our notes last week our Cub Scout Pack were busy doing a poster to promote this very worthy cause. On Thursday morning 3rd May 2007 in the Scout Den Abbeyside there will be a Tea Morning in Aid of the Alzheimer's Society. This is their 25th year. We hope that you may be able to support this very worthy cause at some location around the Town or County.

### CUB PACK NEWS

If there is anyone who may be interested in joining the Cubs have an adult call along with you to the meeting and talk to one of the Leaders. The Cub age is from 8 years to 10½/11 years. The normal meeting is on a Saturday Night from seven to eight. All Cubs must wear their neckerchief for Uniform and Non-Uniform Meetings and Activities.

### CUB PACK MEETING

As Gearoid called the Cub Pack into Clan Formation, Starting off the meeting tonight was Mathew saying the Cub Scout Prayer, joined by the rest of the Cub Scout Pack. 'Roll Call' was done before the Cubs went out to the Fresh Air of the field for a few games organised by Cub Leader Gearoid and Assistant Leader Michael. A game of switch was played, which everyone enjoyed. It was then back into the hall to finish off the posters for the



Pictured recently on a Ventures Hike into the Knockmealdown Mountains is Brian 'Muller' Mulvihill, Sandy Griffin, Venture Leader, Ventures Marco Hanrahan, Patrick Fennell, Damien Doyle, Jack Morrissey, and Rhys Mitchel. (Photo Michael Organ Leader)

Alzheimer's Tea Morning. There was a great effort put in by all the Cubs and this will finish off Artist Challenge Badge for most of the Cubs some have just one or two parts left to finish.

All the Cubs were told about the Changes to the planned Waterford Scout County Fun Day. This will now take place on Sunday 13th May. The theme for the Abbeyside Cub Pack is 'Wild West' so get working on your costumes. Each Cub will need a Packed Lunch, Wet Gear, and of course your 'Wild West' Costume. We will need parents to help with transport. Start time is 10.00am and we should be finished by 3.00pm. And of course each Cub must have their Neckerchief on them.

Mathew closed the Meeting with the saying of the Cub Scout Prayer. There is a meeting next week usual time seven to eight.

### SCOUT TROOP NEWS

If there is anyone who may be interested in joining the Scouts have an adult call along with you to the meeting and talk to one of the Leaders. The Scout age is from 10½ years to 15/16 years. The normal meeting is on a Saturday Night from eight to nine. All Scouts must wear their neckerchief for Uniform and Non-Uniform Meetings and Activities/Hikes.

### SCOUT TROOP MEETING

The meeting this week started at the earlier time of Seven O'Clock. 'Roll-Call' was done and the Patrols each got their tables and chair ready as Eamonn did the next part of their 'General Aviation' Merit Badge this is one of the Air Activities Merit Badges. Eamonn had done a lot of work for this part of the Merit Badge, he had a colour page for each Scout and an Instruction page that showed how to turn the colour page into a flying version of the 'Shuttle'. These were gliders. After some time everyone managed to complete this task although some found it more difficult and there was a varied flying technique also.

It was then time to get some air and clear the heads after their work on the gliders. It was down to Abbeyside Strand and the 'Prom' where a number of tasks undertaken by everyone. Get 100mls of water, find a feather, three shells, five leaves, measure the prom, were some of the tasks given to the Scouts. Eamonn kept a close eye on how they were doing and was joined by David, Kieran, Sandy and Brendan to check what each patrol had. With a change in the weather it was back to the Scout Den where sitting around at their Patrol Corners. They discussed plans for a Patrol Outdoor Activity over the Bank Holiday Weekend.

The meeting ended with everyone saying the Scout Prayer and 'Falling Out' before heading home.

### VENTURE GROUP MEETING

This week Venture Group Meeting is FULL UNIFORM, and starts at seven. If you have any questions

get in contact with Sandy.

### VENTURE HIKE

On what can only be described as a glorious Saturday morning the Ventures left Mount Melleray on their way up the Knockmealdown Mountains. Their trail would lead them through the paths of Mount Melleray Abbey Farm and up into the maze of paths leading into Mountains. The Sun was high in the sky as the Group trekked upward. The going was tough but an even pace was being kept up. Regular breaks were taken to keep the fluids required on board. The day could not have been better as the view from the top of the hike proved looking back over the Border into Tipperary and again back into Waterford. A tired and hungry Group of Hikers returned to Mount Melleray Scout Centre on time after what was an enjoyable day in the mountains. Check out some of the pictures on the blog.

### MOUNT MELLERAY CREW

Abbeyside were once again on Crew in Mount Melleray Scout Centre. The Crew was busy but under no real pressure with around seventy in the house and under canvas. The visitors to the Centre were from Douglas in Cork. Muller kept everyone busy, but could not help his team win the late night snooker, it was Gearoid's 'Liverpool' Team that were the victors.

### ANNUAL CAMP 2007

The venue for this years' Annual Scout Camp is Arklow Sea Scout Centre, Arklow, Co. Wicklow. The dates for Annual Camp are from Sunday 22nd July 2007 to Sunday 29th July 2007. Any Scout wishing to pay money off can do so on a weekly basis at the meeting.

### FULL UNIFORM

The Scout and Cub Scout Uniform are available from the Outdoor Adventure Store, Mc Curtain Street, Cork. We carry some items such as Group/County Badges, Group Neckerchief and Group Baseball Cap. Just ask the Leaders and they will help you out.

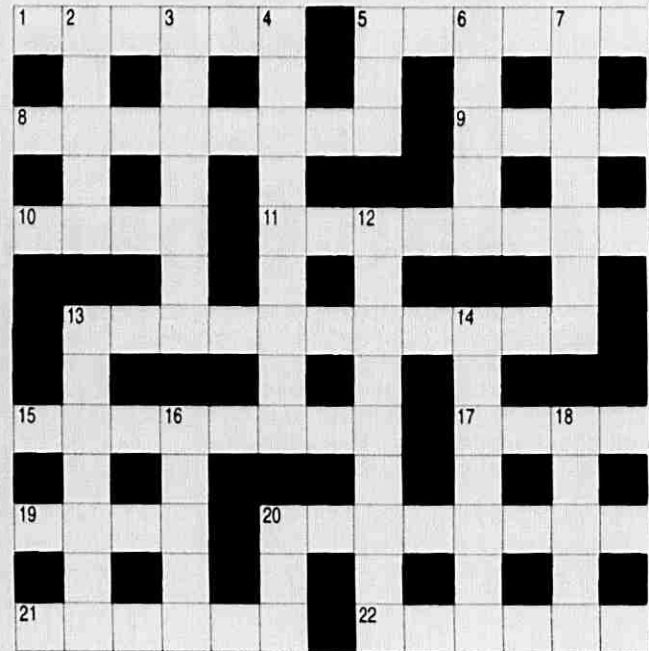
Full Uniform is Black Polished Shoes/Boots, Navy/Black Socks, Uniform Trousers, Uniform Jumper (Cubs), Uniform Shirt (Scouts), Group Neckerchief, Woggle, Lanyard (Scouts), Whistle (Scouts), Badges, Group Cap, Uniform Jacket (Scouts). Any Scout or Cub in the Unit longer than six weeks should have this Uniform. Scouting Ireland is a Uniformed Organisation.

### BLOGSPOT

If you have a picture that you would like to have added to the blog get in touch with Brendan. www.abbeyside.blogspot.com. You can keep up to date with any events down at the Scout Den as well as other pictures. Scribe.

## Leader Crossword

SOLUTIONS AT BOTTOM OF PAGE



### ACROSS

- 1 Jacques \_\_, president of France (6)
- 5 Name of eight of our kings (6)
- 8 Latin for four (8)
- 9 Triggeris name for Rodney Trotter (4)
- 10 In rugby, propel the ball out of the back of a scrum (4)
- 11 An absorbent pad for relieving inflammation or stopping bleeding (8)
- 13 Having very strict moral attitudes (6-5)
- 15 Sturdy dogs bred originally for fighting (3,5)
- 17 Hang around furtively (4)
- 19 Percival Christopher \_\_, author of the novel Beau Geste (4)
- 20 Anagram of ANIMATED (8)
- 21 Self-confidence or coolness (6)
- 22 One of the boy's and girl's names (6)

### DOWN

- 2 A type of fast popular dance music (5)
- 3 Colloquial name of an American snake (7)
- 4 Prime minister played by Simon Ward on film and Mel Smith on stage (9)
- 5 Where the 13 down is situated (3)
- 6 General term for a bird that walks around in water (5)
- 7 What the R stands for in the Bible version the RSV (7)
- 12 A cold sweet drink (9)
- 13 The stapes, at about a tenth of an inch long the smallest bone in the human body (7)
- 14 A picture made from odds and ends stuck on a backing (7)
- 16 Each of a pair of small drums played with the hands (5)
- 18 Character in The Wind in the Willows (5)
- 20 Knight by touching with a sword (3)

## Ballyduff Walking Club News

The Ballyduff walking Club went walking in the Knockmealdown Mountains on Sunday April 15th. Tom Moroney facilitated this wonderful walk as the club enjoyed the panoramic views in glorious sunshine.

**WEEKEND AWAY** - The walking club went on a weekend away to Baltimore on Friday April 20th - Sunday April 22nd. It was very enjoyable. Thirty-three members of the walking club travelled to Baltimore on Friday evening. The Baltimore harbour hotel provided the walking club with excellent food and service in the hotel's award winning restaurant, which offer superb cuisine for which West Cork is renowned. The hotels fully equipped state of the art health and leisure centre helped the walking club to relax and unwind. Baltimore is a picturesque village famous for its sailing and maritime tradition. On Saturday, we went to Cape Clear by ferry. The day was beautiful and the walking went very well. On Sunday, we went to Sherkin Island at 10.30am. We had a little mist, but that did not upset our day. It was wonderful as we explored the islands. We returned to land at 5pm on Sunday and the club enjoyed a light meal before leaving for home.

A special thanks to all the members that travelled to Baltimore and especially to Anne Cotter and Jackie Hannon who organised the weekend. Thanks to our excellent guide Paddy Crowley as he facilitated the walks in Cape Clear and Sherkin Island.

The sad news came to us that Betty Motherway nee Geary died RIP on the Friday evening. Father Cullinan concelebrated mass in Baltimore on Saturday evening and the Walking club remembered Betty. We extend our prayers and sympathy to Noreen, Ann and to all the Geary families. May she rest in peace.

**NEXT WALK** - There is a change in the walking schedule as the walk from Ballysaggart to Clogheen is cancelled which was to take place on Sunday May 6th. The Walking club will meet in St. Michael's Hall on Sunday May 6th at 1.30 pm. The club will walk to Tourmageaha and we will walk across the forest.

**MEETING** - The Ballyduff walking club will meet at St. Michael's Hall in Ballyduff on Tuesday May 8th at 9pm. We will plan and organise a walking schedule for the months of May, June and July at this meeting.

**CARDS RESULTS** 18-4-07 - 1st, 2nd, 3rd, divided - Pat Kirby and Pat O'Connor; Sean Higgins and Eddie Byrne; Bertie Neville and Sheila Lonergan

**LUCKY TABLES** - Kit Scanlon and Dan Howard; Eily Condran and Kathleen Heffernan. **RAFFLE** Lizzie Keane, Micheal Whelan, Mary Fitzgerald, John O'Keefe, Helen Cunningham, Kit Crowley, Eddie Sheehan

25-4-07 - 1st, 2nd, 3rd divided - John Hyland and Richie Carey; Bertie Neville and Sheila Lonergan; Mary Whelan and Christy Higgins; Larry Byrne and Jim Leamy

**LUCKY TABLES** - Denny Tobin and Nellie Brackett; Eddie Sheehan and Will Whelan; Dan Howard and Finola Hynes **RAFFLE** - Dan Howard, Pat O'Connor, Pat Kirby, Helen O'Keefe, Christy Higgins, Mary Whelan, Pat O'Connor, Helen Cunningham, Eily Condran

The Card Committee wishes to thank each and everyone who supported them during the season. People who supported the raffle each night, anybody who helped in any way. They will commence on October 3rd. Enjoy the summer break!

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# Tallow Notes

## C.L.G. TULACH AN IARAINN – Sponsored by Tallow Area Credit Union Club Championship Gets Underway

Following their heroic performance on Sunday our county players will have just one short week to readjust their mindset and focus in on the senior hurling club championship which gets underway this week end. It can not be easy for these players, coming off the adrenalin rush generated by Sunday's league final, to motivate themselves for club championship hurling in a short space of time. Most clubs, who will have seen very little of their county men in training and be lucky to have got in one or two games with them on board, will also have to readjust to accommodate their returning players. It's far from an ideal system but you make the best of it.

Tallow will have two championship outings before the Summer shut down.

This Sunday evening we take on Stradbally in Cappoquin and the following Saturday we face Lismore at the same venue. To my knowledge Tallow and Lismore, by their own choice, will be the only clubs to get two championship games in before the intercounty scene takes over again. If, as we all hope, Waterford go all the way to the All Ireland final, club players will have 4 months to twiddle their thumbs.

In our group of 4, Tallow, going on championship form of recent years would be seeded

fourth, with Lismore firm group favourites. Fourmilewater and Stradbally are the other teams making up the group and you won't get anything soft from either.

The snow may be falling by the time we get to meet Fourmilewater so naturally Sunday's joust with Stradbally is the immediate priority. Never an easy side to overcome. An Sraibhaile are capable of beating any team in the county on their day.. Defeat for either team here will not put them out of the championship but will leave a serious hill to climb. Within the limitations of the system our management team have been nothing if not thorough in their preparations. If we can field at full strength we have every chance in this one. Your support in Cappoquin would be greatly appreciated.

### Minor Hurling : Waterford v Cork

Our best wishes to Kieran Geary, Thomas Ryan and the Waterford minor team who play Cork Wednesday night in Pairc Uí Chaoimh. Waterford hurling is on a roll at the moment. It would be great to chalk up another win here. Again we urge people to support the lads on Wednesday.

### Junior Hurling

Tallow play Fourmilewater this Friday evening in Toura-

neena in the 2nd round of the junior hurling championship.

### Junior Football

Unusually, we have been given 4 weeks notice for this fixture(as it should be) so we can have no excuses. We play Tourin in Ballyduff on Friday May 25th.

### Is Justin Finally Getting It Right?

Almost all the texts I got after the game on Sunday were of a congratulatory nature from well wishers outside the county, many from the north. I got one however from Justin's No 1 fan in Abbeyside. The gist of Kevin Tobin's text was: "That'll shut you up about Justin". I'm well attuned to Kevin's sycophantic devotion to Justin and we have had a strong exchange of views on the manager on many an occasion. I have never criticised the manager for the sake of it but only when glaringly obvious mistakes were made. We went rake over the coals and re-visit All Ireland Quarter and semi finals of recent years.

This year, maybe for the first time, younger players have been given a decent run and a proper chance to prove themselves. Justin has finally cultivated a panel and we have good young players coming through and plenty of experience on the bench. Not before time. His conversion, though late, is wel-

come. His team positioning at times is puzzling but at least he's leaving Ken centre back and he played the "Brick" midfield.

There you have it Kevin if Justin is getting it right I will be only too happy to stay mute.

I got talking to a Tipperary man in Cahir on my way home on Sunday. He was obviously delighted, like most of the country, with Waterford's win but pointed out the added benefit to his native Tipp. "Other teams will take heart from this. We now know Kilkenny can be beaten." He said.

I also met Rachael Aherne (nee Ryan) in Cahir and needless to say she was thrilled with the win and in particular the performance of Aidan Kearney. I'm sure Aidan would be the first to acknowledge the work Rachael put in with him and other young lads at under age.

I know it was a double header but to be honest Waterford supporters had little interest in the first game. It was more of an inconvenience than anything as we were given the later slot yet again but we still had to fork out 30 Euro. If there was an analysis done on which county supporters have paid most per head of population to watch hurling over the last ten years, I'm convinced Deise supporters would be top of the league. At

least on Sunday our supporters got some measure of reward for their unstinting loyalty. Hopefully greater glories lie ahead. Our congratulations to Aidan, James and the panel, not forgetting Justin and his selectors...(Will that keep you happy Kevin?)

### Florry Elected National V.P. of Macra na Feirme

Congratulations to Florry O Gorman who was recently elected as National Vice President of Macra na Feirme. Flor-

ry is a very popular member of our junior hurling squad who has given loyal service. He's a bit late for this election but don't rule this fellah out for public office in the future.

### Tallow GAA Lotto – supported by

### Kearney's Restaurant

23/4/07. Numbers drawn: 8, 10, 17, 19. No jackpot winner.

Consolation prizes to: Kay Murray, Una Kingston, Maureen Feeney, Dave Hoare. Promoter: Nuala Rohan

### KNOCKANORE/GLENDINE/KILWATERMOY

#### COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

Fete and Vintage Rally – 28th June – 1st July. Full details later. Sincere sympathy to the families of Denis Wade, Dan McCarthy, Liam Walsh, Rhinecrew, James Coady, Killeagh, Conor O'Neill and George Bullman.

#### TALLOW CAMOGIE CLUB NOTES

Our U-14 team played the county semi-final on Monday evening in Kilgobnet. This was a wonderful team performance and all the girls played very well. The result was 6-1 to 0-1 for Tallow. We now progress to the county final which is a wonderful achievement for this team. We would like to thank all the drivers and supporters who travelled in good numbers to Kilgobnet. It is appreciated.

Training – Training continues every Wednesday evening at 7.00 and on Saturday mornings at 10.00. Please make a special effort to attend in preparation for the county final.

Junior Team – It is planned that we play Ardkeen on this Wednesday night. All support welcome.

## BRIDEVIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

# Cup Woe For Brideview

### Brideview Utd 0 Valley Rangers 2

On Saturday evening last a large crowd followed Brideview Utd to Modeligo to see the Tallow lads take on Valley Rangers of Conna in the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup. The pitch was in perfect condition and thanks should go to the Modeligo Club for getting the pitch ready on short notice. Thanks also should go to the match officials and the committee of the WVEC League for making things run smoothly. United had almost a full squad to pick from and the joint management team of Hogan and McCarthy had a huge dilemma over team selection in the week preceding the game. The team that started was as follows: Shane Aherne, David Wallace, Denis Martin, John Paul Grey, Stephen Pratt, Andy McCarthy, Paul Kearney, Michael Curley, William Henley, Paul O'Brien and William Curley. Res Used – Ian Farmer, John Doyle and Eric Hickey. Graham O'Neill, James Hampton, Pat Murphy and Anthony Cronin. The opening minutes were tense and on 6mins Valley took the lead when a blistering shot from

Terence Rumbly looped over keeper Aherne much to the delight of the Conna supporters. Brideview never got out of the blocks in this game and nothing seemed to be going their way and they failed to penetrate the Valley defence. The half-time team talk revolved around the fact that there was only a goal in it and it was all still to play for. In the second half Brideview introduced three subs and Eric Hickey was one of those and he sparked some life into the United attack setting up O'Brien, Curley and Henley who all came close. With 10mins left on the clock United conceded a corner and when the place kick was taken it curled passed all defenders and attackers into the back of the net. In desperation Brideview pushed more men forward and hit the crossbar and a testimony to their endeavours in the second half it was Valley Rangers keeper Shane Fitzgerald who received the man of the match award. The final whistle blew and it was the Cork side who took the spoils and recorded the League and Cup Double. Valley Rangers captain Brendan Hickey praised the Tallow side in

his match winning speech and said that we couldn't begrudge them their first Tyre Centre Cup as we had won it twice against them in the past. A despondent Brideview team trudged back to the dressing rooms disappointed and the large crowd of traveling fans made their way home.

### Lotto

27th April – Jackpot Not Won – Only one match three and that was Bridie Martin. Numbers drawn were 17 20 22 23. Next weeks draw will take place in Corner House Bar at 10pm on Friday night and the jackpot will be €5950.

### The Latch Restaurant Brideview Man of the Match Award

The squad met up in The Corner House Bar at 8.30pm for after match refreshments from The Latch Restaurant who had sponsored the man of the match. With the full squad assembled the Brideview chairman Milo Aherne made a short speech. He thanked the local businesses who had helped out with sponsorship of product and adds in the local paper namely Thomas Walsh (Cockpit Lane), Tandem Travel, Wal-

shes Drapery, The Corner House, O'Neill's Daybreak and The Weigh Room. He enthused that it had been a very successful season despite the fact that we had failed to win any silverware but reaching two finals and finishing a creditable position was a good achievement. He culminated by thanking each and everyone of the squad for their efforts over the season and announced that The Latch Restaurant man of the match award went to Paul O'Brien.

### So Where to From Here

Well after a long year starting with an away tie to Accrington Celtic in the middle of August to last Saturdays match and thirty three competitive matches altogether Brideviews season is over. Two Cup final appearances and a push up the league table in the latter stages all bodes well for the future. The season saw youngsters like Shane Aherne, Andy McCarthy, James Hampton, Eric Hickey and Kevin Henley force their way into the first team with the established players Martin, Grey, Pratt, Farmer, Henley and Doyle. The Kearneys made a welcome return

and Michael and William Curley seem like they have been there for years but they are still only 19 and 21. The lads from Ballynoe Graham O'Neill and our new signing David Wallace were stalwarts in the defence whilst it was great to be able to get a full season out of Paul O'Brien. The management pairing of Gerard Hogan and Tomas McCarthy deserve great praise for their commitment to the cause over the season and we hope that with the break over the summer they will take up the mantle again next season. The B team are restructuring at the moment and are already planning for the new season. We will have more news on them next week this mention was just to let you know that we are not forgetting about ye.

### Congratulations

The club would like to congratulate Waterford on winning the National Hurling League title and especially the three local lads Aidan Kearney, Eoin Murphy and James Murray. Aidan was an integral part of the Brideview A team early in the season and Eoin played many seasons with Brideview also whilst James did play

some underage with the club in years gone by. So well done one and all

### Go neiri an tadh libh

With the season now over some of the team will turn their attention to hurling and the club would like to take this opportunity to wish them the best of luck in this years championship.

### Fixtures

No fixtures available at present as the only match left to play now is the Under 14 cup final and then it will be the turn of the ladies to strut their stuff over the summer.

## FINE GAEL

Lismore District Executive are hosting a social evening on Friday, 4th May at 9 pm in Ballyrafter House Hotel. Music and refreshments will be provided. Admission is free. Why don't you join us for an enjoyable evening.



# 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  
This weekend, demand that others be fair and square. Even when difficult, be prepared to ask for what is rightfully yours and if necessary, to draw the line. In all matters, honesty will prove the best policy but beware of misinterpretations. A relatively minor issue could get blown out of proportion. Don't add fuel to the fire. ☎ 1550-920-257

**LEO**  
July 23 to Aug 22  
Your home environment is becoming increasingly important to you, making this an excellent time to consider redecoration or renovation. There is great potential for advancement and increasing your status. Go by the book and stay on the middle of the road. Rock a boat and it may sink! You have a likeable personality and this will stand to you as much as your hard efforts. ☎ 1550-920-261

**SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov 22 to Dec 23  
Romance blossoms, finances proper and life continues to be good. Can it get any better? Of course it can, and will! Professionally, innovative changes lead to success and leave the competition far behind. Your charismatic character makes you downright irresistible to all those you wish to charm. Curious to know more? Then telephone for a detailed analysis. ☎ 1550-920-265

**TAURUS**  
April 21 to May 21  
Your tongue is as sharp as your wit and you find it easy to see errors. Though others are quick to sing your praise, you can be your own worst critic. Stop fault finding and being so hard, especially on yourself. You have some exciting ideas but it may take time to come up with a practical plan. Travel opportunities abound. ☎ 1550-920-258

**VIRGO**  
Aug 23 to Sept 22  
You are haunted by memories that have no place in the present. No matter how difficult, it is time to let the past go. Seeing is believing but there are those who still can't believe their own eyes! Be flexible in your attitudes and approach to life. Believe in a miracle. A romantic encounter makes you smile and your weekend. ☎ 1550-920-262

**CAPRICORN**  
Dec 24 to Jan 20  
Romance is in the air while material issues remain up in the air. Someone needs to be brought down to earth where practical matters are concerned. Be prepared to look after all important details personally. Others may prove unreliable and jeopardise success. Yes, that's right - if you want something done, do it yourself! Good news regarding money matters brightens your weekend. ☎ 1550-920-266

**GEMINI**  
May 22 to June 21  
Your spirit of adventure is at a high this weekend when you feel the need to conquer new territories. Energy and enthusiasm will lead to success but especially if you have a definite plan. Financially, you can see the light at the end of the tunnel and pressures begin to lift. It may take some time to catch up on outstanding debts but you can do it. ☎ 1550-920-259

**LIBRA**  
Sep 23 to Oct 23  
Your past is left far behind you as you forge forward into the future. This is a time of promise but a time not to make promises you might not keep. Keep a date or you will upset someone who is counting on you. Recognise the effect your decisions have on others. As the month comes to a close, finances improve due to your prudent planning. ☎ 1550-920-263

**AQUARIUS**  
Jan 21 to Feb 19  
Despite your powers of persuasion, someone lends a deaf ear to what you see as a simple request. You may have no option but to try the direct approach. Be prepared for uninvited guests who could call at any time. Professionally, you get a break but don't break your neck while others sail along. Promote equitable shares of effort and reward. ☎ 1550-920-267

**CANCER**  
Jun 22 to July 22  
At home, make sure that others are paying their way and that you are not left carrying the can. In love, a chance meeting has important consequences if you are prepared to take a chance. At work, this is no time to underestimate your abilities. Focus on aims and ambitions and develop a more go-getting attitude to life. ☎ 1550-920-260

**SCORPIO**  
Oct 24 to Nov 21  
You are discovering the power of positive thinking. There is no mountain you cannot move with the right attitude and strength of will. Will someone, going out of their way to impress, catch your eye? Or are you turning a blind eye! Stop being so practical and get in touch with the personal. It is time to be honest with yourself. ☎ 1550-920-264

**PISCES**  
Feb 20 to March 20  
Consistency will get you noticed in career or business. Praise from a certain source boosts your confidence. Boost your financial balance by introducing a new discipline - save rather than spend! Never look a gift horse in the mouth - unless there is a hidden price! In love, emphasise fun and friendship. You are tired of routine and need a break away. ☎ 1550-920-268

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## Alexandra Tolstoy to appear at Immrama 2007

Among the international guest speakers at this year's IMMARAMA festival of travel writing is Alexandra Tolstoy, a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society who was a member of the team that completed the Silk Road Expedition in 1999. After the eight-month/5,000 mile odyssey on one of the trading routes that make up the ancient Silk Road, Alexandra wrote which was published in March 2003.

In 2002, she and a friend rode 3,000 miles on horseback through Mongolia and Siberia.

Alexandra and her husband Shamil Galimzyanov began a third expedition in April 2004, riding Akhal Teke horses from Turkmenistan to Moscow. The aim was to retrace an expedition undertaken by 28 Turkmen riders in 1935, who rode the 2,700-mile journey in an incredible 84 days. Due to foot and mouth disease in Russia they were unable to complete the expedition that year, but they resumed it from the Kazakh/Russian border in late 2006, riding into Moscow's Red Square on November 16. Alexandra is writing an account of this latest epic journey, *The Horses of Heaven*.

Ms Tolstoy has previously given lectures at the Royal Geographical Society; the Royal Geographical Society in Hong Kong; the Russian Scottish Forum; the Oxford Geographers' Society; the Edinburgh Literary Festival; the Cheltenham Literary Festival; the Hay-on-Wye Literary Festival; the Essex Literary Festival; the British Uzbek Society and the Wilderness Series in Bristol.

Alexandra will present on her travels and read from her books on Saturday June 16<sup>th</sup> 2007 at 8.00pm. Bookings and full details on all presenters at this year's festival from 058-53803/058-54975



## Chuck Brodsky at The Local

The Local Bar, Dungarvan which has quickly established a reputation for quality live music, is to play host to the American musical storyteller, Chuck Brodsky on Tuesday next May 8th.

With his dry, barb-witted social commentary combined with a deep underlying compassion, Chuck knows the best stories are the little things in the lives of everyday people trying to muddle through with some grace.

His great gift as a writer is to infuse these stories with humanity and humour, making them resonate profoundly with his listeners. His spoken introductions to his songs can be as spellbinding as his colourful lyrics, which he brings to life with a well-travelled voice and a delivery that's natural and conversational. His groove orientated strumming and fingerpicking draw on influences from the mountains of western North Carolina where he now lives, and from lots of different good old traditional folk stuff of all kinds.

Chuck Brodsky's songwriting pokes fun at political corruption, road rage, mischief he made as a kid, even dumping garbage in the river; he sings about unsung heroes and forgotten but incredible people... odd characters from the game of baseball, migrant fruit pickers, the Goat Man, a clown, or "Radio" a developmentally disabled man and the love showered on him for 40 years at a high school in South Carolina (this song was used in the 2003 movie "Radio").

Chuck's debut album, "A Finger-painter's Murals," was released in



1995 on Waterbug Records, and was a critical favourite with its collection of vividly rendered stories. A year later, he signed with Red House Records and released "Letters in the Dirt", introducing us to great characters such as a roadside peach vendor still wondering after 30 years if he married the right woman ("Bill & Annie") and the first white baseball player in the Negro leagues ("The Ballad of Eddie Klepp"). The album earned critical raves, and his 1998 release "Radio" was even more widely acclaimed. In the summer of 2002 he released "The Baseball Ballads" and over the past 11 years has toured throughout the US, Canada and Ireland.

Chuck plays the Local Bar, Grattan Square, Dungarvan on Tuesday May 8th at 9pm. See Advert in the Entertainment Section for more details.

## The Gobshites Play at The Anchor Sessions



This week sees the return of Anchor favourites "The Gobshites". No strangers to the Anchor, this group who rarely play together nowadays are really looking forward to this playing again this Sunday.

With a mixture of classic hits ranging from Pink Floyd, U2, Crowded House, Bob Marley, Bob Dylan, Neil Young, Led Zeppelin and a host of others, all done in a unique way, along with a few originals, this group are real crowd pleasers.

This is another Anchor Sessions Gig not to be missed.

The Gobshites play the Anchor this Sunday, May 4th at 7:30 pm. The Anchor Sessions - Keeping Music Live - This Sunday and Every Sunday



# The May Morning Dew

The ancient Celtic festival of Bealtaine is celebrated on the first of May and marks the beginning of summer. According to an ancient custom, the secret of everlasting beauty is to bathe your face with the May morning dew. However, for those who would rather not venture out into the fields at dawn, nature has many other beauty secrets.

The flowers of the elder tree (*Sambucus nigra*) are ideal for mature skin and help to fade freckles and dark patches. They are also very soothing for irritated or inflamed skin.

Elderflower water can be mixed with distilled witch hazel to make an excellent toner.

Lavender (*Lavendula officinalis*) has a soothing and healing effect on the skin. It quickly heals burns (including sunburn) and helps to reduce the appearance of blemishes and scars. Add a few drops of essential oil to your moisturiser.

Rose (*Rosa damascina*) is wonderful for softening the skin and fading scars and pressed rosehip oil is an excellent nourishing moisturiser.

For clear, sparkling eyes make an infusion of Eyebright (*Euphrasia officinalis*) using a one or two teaspoons of dried herb in a cup of boiling water. Leave to brew for 5 minutes then strain through muslin and store in a clean container in the fridge for up to 48 hours. The infusion can be used as an eye-wash for red, irritated or inflamed eyes.

Alternatively moisten two chamomile teabags (*Matricaria recutita*) with boiling water then leave to cool, place one over each eye and relax for 5 - 10 minutes. To relieve tiredness, and puffiness moisten two cotton wool pads with distilled witch hazel (*Hamamelis virginiana*) and place one over each eye.

Of course, real beauty comes from the inside so it is important to provide the body with all the nutrients it needs. Essential fatty acids form important components of healthy cells and are essential for healthy skin, hair, and nails. They are found in seeds such as linseeds and oily fish such as mackerel, tuna and salmon. Try to include plenty of these in the diet or take a supplement such as Udo's oil.

Selenium, zinc and vitamins A, C and E are antioxidant nutrients which help to counteract skin ageing and damage from exposure to harmful substances such as food additives, alcohol and cigarette smoke. They are found in nuts and seeds and in coloured fruits and vegetables such as cherries, blueberries, broccoli and carrots.

It is also important to help the body to eliminate toxins which can cause skin dullness, rashes and blemishes. One of the best herbs for this purpose is the Dandelion (*Taraxacum Officinale*). The leaves can be added to salads or dried and used to make a tea. They increase elimination of toxins from the kidney and relieve puffiness and swelling due to water retention. The root can be roasted in the oven then ground and used just like fresh coffee. It helps the liver and the bowel to eliminate toxins from the body.

Finally, don't drink too much alcohol which dehydrates the skin. Cut down on tea and coffee and replace with herbal teas and dandelion coffee. Drink plenty of water to flush the system and promote smooth, clear skin. Cut down on refined sugar, cakes, biscuits and sweets and avoid fried and fatty foods.

Of course if you can't manage all that, just set your alarm for dawn on Tuesday and head for the dew-covered hills!

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



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# Cappoquin Man Is A 'Cert' For Food Hygiene

The National Hygiene Partnership was established by the Irish Hotel and Catering Institute in association with The Environmental Health Officers Association, The Department of Health and Children, CERT, The National Standards Authority of Ireland and the Food Safety Authority of Ireland to help improve the level of food hygiene within the Irish hospitality industry. The Management of Food Hygiene exams are set and validated through the Partnership and every successful candidate is then placed on a national register of qualified senior personnel.

"Preparation for the exam involves attending classes outside of work with a licensed trainer and home study so we commend Ken on his hard work and dedication, said Janice Hegener, training co-ordinator for Sodexo. "The company is committed to the highest standards of food hygiene and his success reflects this ethos."

Sodexo Ireland is a leading food and facilities management services provider to clients in pharmaceutical, business and industry, manufacturing and education.



(From left): Sheila Matthews, National Hygiene Partnership; Ken Moore of Aghish House, Cappoquin and Sodexo Ireland managing director David Pease at the presentation of Certificates in the Management of Food Hygiene, awarded by the National Hygiene Partnership, at Sodexo's Cork offices on Tuesday 17 April.

# Taking the Legend of Luke Kelly to "The Moorings"

On January 30th, 1984, Ireland mourned the passing of arguably the greatest folk performer of the 20th Century. In a country which has produced countless great ballad singers, Luke Kelly is widely recognized as being the finest ballad voice Ireland has ever heard. He boasted a booming and expressive delivery, layered with a depth of emotion and feeling that left a lasting impression on all of those who were lucky enough to have heard it live.

As the lead singer with the internationally renowned Dubliners, the power and the passion of the voice of Luke Kelly gave us the definitive versions of numerous all time classics. Raglan Road, The Town I Love So Well and a Song for Ireland will forever be associated with the legendary Luke Kelly.

In 2001 the show 'The Legend of Luke Kelly', featuring Chris Kavanagh & The Patriots, was launched at the hot press HQ in Dublin. In attendance were many of Luke's family, friends and former musical colleagues. The show proved to be an overwhelming success and the band were booked for what was to become a 'Sell Out' three month residency at the Olympia Theatre, Dublin.

This success placed the show among the most highly acclaimed box office hits in Ireland. The group have continued to amaze audiences following powerful performances in many prominent Irish venues. They have also made memorable appearances on RTE television and a fantastic 'live' session on popular national radio show - The Last Word.

Lead singer, Chris Kavanagh, bears a remarkable resemblance to Luke while his singing talent captures the depth and the passion of the great man. Chris's natural voice has been described by critics as the closest comparison to the voice of Luke Kelly, and this is some claim by anyone's standards.

Uilleann pipes, whistles, banjo and guitars, all performed by nationally renowned musicians, provide the backdrop to arguably the greatest tribute show in Ireland today. The group consider it an honour to being Luke's memory back to the stage, and to be the first to do so. School Days Over, The Town I Love So Well, Joe Hill, A Song for Ireland, Raglan Road.. all the hits are present in this show plus many more.

The Legend of Luke Kelly Show will appear at the Moorings on the Saturday night of the Feile na nDeise weekend at 8.30 pm - please advise, early arrival to ensure seating. (Free admission). Also note The Butterfly Band will be appearing the next night - Sunday 6th May at 7 pm.



# Cllr. Paudie Coffey Meets With Dr. Jim Port re: Waterford Institute of Technology application for University Status

Chairman of the South East Regional Authority and Fine Gael General Election Candidate, Cllr Paudie Coffey on Thursday last met with Dr Jim Port, the Consultant appointed by Government to examine Waterford Institute of Technologys application for University status.

Cllr Coffey and SERA Director Mr. Tom Byrne outlined the Regional perspective on WITs University application to Dr Port. It was explained at the meeting that SERA included the objective of a Regional University based in Waterford in the Regional Planning Guidelines that were adopted by the Authority in 2004.

A resolution that a University based in Waterford with links to outreach Centers around the region was passed in 2006 by SERA and this was also conveyed to Dr Port.

A copy of the (SEEDS) South-East Employment Development Strategy study carried out by SERA in 2003 was given to Dr Port and his attention was drawn to the statistics and facts contained therein that clearly indicated that the South East Region was underperforming economically in comparison to other Regions due to a lack of a University in the region.


Cllr Coffey also pointed out to Dr Port, the well known fact that Waterford is the only Gateway City in the National Spatial Strategy that does not have a University. "Dublin, Cork, Limerick and Galway are all well catered for in this regard" said Cllr Coffey. Dr Port referred to the strong case made by IBEC, the Local Authority Managers and WIT and agreed the region has a very strong economic case for a University in Waterford.

However, it was clear from the discussions that the challenges Dr Port faces is the academic argument and the support required for the WIT application from other academic Colleges and Institutes, Department Officials and the Minister for Education. Cllr Coffey said that it was a shame, in his view that for obvious political reasons Dr Ports report and recommendations will most likely not be published until after the General Election.

"In any case, in my opinion, it will ultimately take a brave, well merited and decisive decision by the Minister for Education of the day to progress WITs application for University status and I hope to be in a position to influence such a decision as a member of Dail Eireann after the election" stated Cllr Coffey.



Cllr Paudie Coffey



**THE LISMORE CLINIC**

OPEN DAY Sunday 29th April, 2 - 6 p.m.

The talks by Dr. Jim Port are "Pregnancy, Birth and Beyond"

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# ALZHEIMER'S TEA DAY

THURSDAY 3rd of May

## NATIONAL ALZHEIMER'S TEA DAY

May 3rd is the 13th Annual Alzheimer's Tea Day, the main fundraising initiative of the Alzheimer Society of Ireland to raise money to provide community based, dementia specific services to people all over Ireland with Alzheimer's diseases/ dementia and their carers/families. The concept is fun and easy and it's never too late to get involved and 'make your cuppa count'. All you have to do is host or attend an Alzheimer's Tea Break - at home, work, school or in the community - and make a donation in support of local Alzheimer's services.

The Alzheimer Society of Ireland is a national organisation with 22 branches throughout the country. Each branch provides information and support to families and carers of people with Alzheimer's disease in their own areas. The Society operates over 31 Day Care Centres, the Alzheimer's National Helpline, Overnight Respite and Home Care services. Peer Support Groups, Social Clubs and Personal Advocacy are other services provided by The Society.

Dementia currently affects almost 40,000 people in Ireland and there are 50,000 carers caring for someone with one of the recognised symptoms of the condition. Estimates suggest that over the next 20 years these figures are going to double as our population continues to age. Although predominantly a condition affecting older people 1 in 10 individuals with the condition develop it in their 40's and 50's.

Over 960 people in County Waterford have Alzheimer disease/ dementia. This represents almost 1% of the population of the county. The

County Waterford branch is one of the longest established branches of the Alzheimer Society of Ireland and has been providing support and information to families affected by dementia since 1991.

A purpose built day care centre operates from Passage Road, Waterford providing transport to and from the centre while a home support service is also available. The West Waterford Branch of the Society operates a Home Care Service in Dungarvan where specially trained carers provide help and support for those looking after people with Alzheimer's. Monthly support group meetings are also held in Dungarvan and Waterford to offer information and practical advice to carers in a welcoming environment.

For support and information in Dungarvan and West Waterford please contact Mary Watters, Co-Ordinator Home Care Services at our office in Friary St., Dungarvan (opposite Shaws Electrical). Office open Monday, Wednesday Thursday. Phone 058-48571 Mob 086 8362619

Venues for Tea Day Thursday 4th May  
Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan 10 - 12.30pm.

The Scouts Den, Abbeyside 10 - 12.30pm

Padre Pio Nursing Home Cappoquin 7pm (Evening Get Together)

Blasta Wholefood, Rob and Anne. Please Call All Day Thurs 3rd

Please check your local areas, Dungarvan and West Waterford to support our worthy cause.

If you are interested in Volunteering for the Dungarvan and West Waterford Branch, as part of our committee or in a fundraising capacity please call Mary Watters at the office, numbers above. Many thanks.

# Ard Scoil na nDeise



Pictured above Ard Scoil first year football team who competed as guests in the Tipperary championships where they won Division 3. Also in photo are team coaches Olivia Hennebry and Aoife Dunford who are Transition Year students.

It's been a very busy week once again for our P.E. teachers and their talented athletes participating in football, hockey and athletic events.

## Athletics

Mrs. Ashe and athletes travelled to Waterford on Wednesday to compete in the Waterford County Finals and returned with an impressive array of medals.

**GOLD** Zoe Scanlon 1st Discus Junior and 1st Javelin Junior

Claire Collins 1st High Jump Junior

Edel Roche 1st 800metres Junior

Roisin Tobin 1st 100 metres Junior

**SILVER** Ciara Scanlon 2nd Shot Minor

Colleen Whelan 2nd 800 metres Junior

Edel Roche 2nd 1500 metres Junior

Claire Collins 2nd Long Jump Junior

**BRONZE** Siobhan Nugent 3rd Javelin Junior

Natalie Wancerg 3rd High Jump Minor

Ciara Scanlon 3rd Discus Minor

Jane O'Brien 3rd 100 metres Junior

Clodagh Gallagher 3rd 1500 metres Junior

Colleen Hayes 3rd Shot Senior and 3rd Discus Senior

## Football

After the thrills of last week's senior final (Thank you to the fifth year team members who wrote the match report) it was the turn of our very talented first year footballers to represent the Ard Scoil. Superbly coached all year by senior players Olivia Hennebry and Aoife Dunford, they travelled with Mrs. Ashe to Clonmel to take part in the Tipperary Blitz.

They won Division Three, defeating St. Ann's Tipperary Town, Fethard and Scoil Mhuire, Carrick

Team: Ciara Walsh, Sophie Duhig, Aoife Brockie, Aisling Cronin, Lorraine Crotty, Louise Hyslop, Katie White, Jade Meaney, Fiona Shine, Maire O'Donnell, Siobhan Nugent, Natalie Wancerg, Julie Harty, Laura Tobin, Nikita Whelan, Mairead Barron, Sarah Lyons, Sarah Connors.

## Camogie

First and Second year students travelled to W.I.T. to compete in a camogie blitz with Ms. Pickering and Mrs. Loneragan. Each team had to play three matches in the first round. Team One won all three matches to advance to their final where they beat the Mercy Convent, Waterford to win their division. Team Two beat Abbey Community School but unfortunately lost their other two matches so didn't advance to their final.

Team One. Megan Daly, Sarah Hearty, Faun Duggan, Katie Buckley, Dearbhaile Hayes, Amy Duggan, Jade Meaney, Sarah Lyons, Louise Hyslop, Ciara Scanlon.

Team Two. Sophie Duhig, Natalie Wancerg, Laura Tobin, Sarah Connors, Roisin Hally, Maighread Barron, Siobhan Nugent, Shauna Hallahan, Aoife Brockie Nikita Whelan.

28teams from Waterford and Kilkenny took part.

## Hockey

On Thursday, our Junior B 2Hockey team travelled to Cork with Ms. Pickering to contest the Munster Final. They played Ursuline College Blackrock on their pitch. This young team did very well against stiff opposition but were three nil down at half time. A further goal in the second half saw victory go to the Cork side. The Ard Scoil girls played very well and the Referee commended them on their "noble" effort. They were a credit to our school; well done to the girls and their mentor.

Team. Michael Hayes, Colleen Power, Zoe Cummins, Aoife McCarthy, Meghan Hayes, Aine Lynch, Kerri Power, AnneMarie Tutty, Tara Roche, Kayleigh Fraher-Burke, Megan Daly, Faun Duggan, Katie Buckley, Bridget Gould, Rebecca Hodnett, Eimear Collins, Laura Flynn, Claire Foley,

## Mace Debate

On Saturday Tammana Breen and Cliodhna Ashe went to Cork to represent the Ard Scoil in the Mace Debating competition, hosted by Christian Brothers College. This competition involves impromptu debates where the students are given ten minutes to prepare their arguments for the debate. The sixteen teams were divided into groups of four and had to debate four topics. Tamanna and Cliodhna did very well and were the only girls' team to advance to the final stage of the competition. Blackrock College, Dublin, won the team event for the fourth successive year. But Cliodhna broke their dominance to take third place in the individual contest. Cliodhna has competed very successfully in various debates this year; following her excellent performance in the U.C.C. Philosoph. Debates, she will take part in trials for the Irish Schools World team. Well done girls!

## T.Y. Cookery Competition

The final of the T.Y. Cookery Competition will take place on Wednesday, 9th of May. The following students are representing their class groups.  
T.Y.A. Roisin Kiely and Zoey Barry-Ferncombe.  
T.Y.B. Josephine Fitzgerald and Emer Moran.  
T.Y.C. Laura Hodnett and Emily Crotty.

The Final will be judged by Ms. Eunice Power of Powerscourt House.

The T.Y.s are having an extremely busy schedule these days with trips to Oysterhaven, Ballymaloe, Law Day etc. We will have a more detailed report next week.

## Exams

What a frantic time it is for our exam students! Sixth Years completed their French and German Orals and there were music exams for Junior and Leaving Certs. Art and Geography projects had to be finished

off and Science and C.S.P.E. reports written up! It's been an exhausting couple of weeks and Bon Courage to all exam students for the last weeks of term!

## Cairde Girls

Next year's group of Cairde Girls has been chosen and they will begin their work this week as meet and greet Next year's First Year pupils. On Wednesday, they will attend a training day in Clonmel. We wish them well as they carry on this super Ard Scoil tradition! Aisling Ahearne, Ciara Coffey, Aisling Connelly, Denise Conway, Emily Crotty, Claire Doyle, Aoife Dunford, Kelly Dwane, Deirdre Fahey, Elaine Flavin, Laura Flynn, Olivia Hennebry, Laura Hodnett, Lisa Mangan, Emer Moran, Aine Organ, Claire Queally, Roisin Walsh, Shauna Walsh, Saorla Whelan.

**First Year Students Scoop Gold for Elocution at Ard Scoil**

Gold Medals for Outstanding Achievement were awarded to First Year students Claire Crowley and Nikita Whelan by the Irish Board of Speech & Drama, following the Elocution Examinations held in Ard Scoil na nDeise, Dungarvan, recently.

The Examiner, Sarah Reynolds was very impressed by the self-confidence and excellent communication skills displayed by all of the students who undertook the exam, and the Gold nominations posed a tough decision for her, as the sheer talent and hard work of all the candidates was so amazing.

"Elocution is a very important component of the Ard Scoil ethos and is part of the mandatory curriculum for First Yr students. The girls enjoy taking these annual individual exams" explains Elocution teacher Joan Clancy, "and it allows them a very comfortable platform for exploring their performing and vocal talents outside of the academic milieu".

## Dungarvan CBS Notes

CBS Dungarvan were defeated by Blackwater Community School in the Waterford Senior Colleges hurling semi final in an interesting contest at Lismore last Tuesday. Both sides were forced to field understrength teams, but still produced some fine hurling. Blackwater led by three points at half time and with Maurice Shanahan and Mark Landers in top form, ran out deserving winners, scoring 3-22 to Dungarvan's 4-8. For Dungarvan, who have won this competition for the past two years, this defeat was a big disappointment. CBS Scorers; Karl Duggan (2-2), Cormac Curran (1-3), Sean Ryan (1-0), Liam Ryan (0-1), Ciaran Lane (0-1), Shane Kearney (0-1).

Team; David Moore (Dungarvan), Neil Fitzgerald (Dungarvan), Derek Barry (Dungarvan), Eoin Fitzgerald (Ballydurn), John Barron (Touraneena), Jerome Maher (Geraldine's), Ciaran Lane (Brickey's), Karl Duggan (Dungarvan), Shane Kearney (Dungarvan), Robbie Buckley (Modeligo), Liam Ryan (Dungarvan), Evan Morrissey (Fourmilewater), Colm Curran (Dungarvan), Cormac Curran (Dungarvan), Sean Ryan (Dungarvan).

Best wishes to present and past students on the Waterford minor hurling team which will play Cork in the Munster Championship in Cork next Wednesday; Paul Horkan, Karl Duggan, Cormac Curran and Shane Kearney.

CBS Dungarvan's U-14 hurlers took on CBS, Middleton for the Thomas Scanlon Cup last week, but were well beaten, with Middleton triumphing by 2-17 to 0-2. While the scoreline suggests a very one-sided contest, Dungarvan battled hard throughout, making Middleton work hard for their victory. Dungarvan had to line out without centre back Colin Walsh, but defended very well for the first half, with Middleton leading 1-3 to 0-1 at half time. Ten minutes into the second half, Middleton only led by four points, 1-3 to 0-2. Eventually the constant pressure took its toll on Dungarvan, allowing Middleton to stretch out their lead in the closing twenty minutes. Best for Dungarvan were Kevin Phelan at full back, Jamie Barron at centre back and the other backs James Salmon, Sean Hyslop, Keith Healy and Kevin Sheehan. Gerry Hurley and Richard Walsh worked hard at midfield. Dungarvan's forwards ran up against a very good Middleton defence. Cathal Curran scored both of Dungarvan's points, one from a free.

Team; Donal Breathnach (An Ghaeltacht), Kevin Phelan (Ballinameela), James Salmon (Ardmore), Sean Hyslop (Dungarvan), Keith Healy (Dungarvan), Jamie Barron (Fourmilewater), Kevin Sheehan (Touraneena), Gary Hurley (Agligh), Richard Walsh (Dungarvan), Louis Queally (Modeligo), Jack McGrath (Ballinameela), Patrick Houlihan (Dungarvan), Cathal Curran (Dungarvan), David Murphy (Cappoquin), Michael Kiely (Touraneena). Subs; John Morrissey (Brickeys), Lorcan Looby (Ballinameela), Tomas Harty (Dungarvan).



## STRADBALLY NEWS

### PARISH DRAW

The draw held in Faha resulted in the top prize of 150 euro going to Breda Colfer, Bonmahon with prizes of 25 euro going to Enda Flynn, Knockdrumlea, Mai O'Brien, Brenan, Bridget O'Connell, Ballydurn; Joan Cashin, Stradbally and Dickie Power, Butlerstown. The promoters were Peggy Walsh, Mary Hearn, Paddy Flynn, Mai O'Brien, Nellie Casey, Joan Cashin and Peggy Carey. The promoters prize went to Mary Ann Coffey, Ballylanceen.

### BAG PACK

The recent Bag Pack held in Dunne's Stores, Dungarvan to raise funds for Scoil na Croise Naofa was a great success despite the fact that the response from the parents could have been better. Well done and thanks to the people that did their work at the checkouts to ensure that the venture organized by the parents association was worthwhile.

### MASSES

There will not be Mass in Ballylanceen on this first Friday, 4th May but there will be Mass in Faha at 10 am. There will also be Mass in Faha on Saturday 5th May at 12 noon for the happy repose of the soul of Hannah Grey (nee Power), late of Garranurton with burial of ashes after the Mass in the adjoining cemetery. Mass in Stradbally on Bank Holiday Monday, May 7th will be at 10 am and this will be an anniversary Mass for Ellie Kiely, late of Brenan.

### WALK

Fresh from an oral examination Garvan Cummins of Ballykerogue departed for Spain recently to walk part of the Camino leading to Santiago Di Compostella. Apart from a few bruises he arrived safely at his destination. There is no truth in the rumour that he was scouting for a few Spanish players for Stradbally F.C.

### FIRST COMMUNION

The First Communion for the boys and girls of Our Lady of Mercy Primary School and Scoil na Croise Naofa will be held in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally on Saturday 12th May at 11 am. At a request from a number of parents there will be Mass in Stradbally at 10 am the following day (Sunday) May 13th and all the community are invited to attend. The boys and girls of Seafield School had their final presentation Mass on Sunday 29th April. Their fellow pupils were also present at the Mass to lend their support.

There was singing by Mairead O'Meara and Abbie Walsh with the guitar played by Sharon Keane. Abbie Walsh gave a great account of the Lost Sheep coinciding with Good Shepherd Sunday. The prospective First Communicants took part in the offertory procession with narration by Laura Keane. Daniel Weldon read the communion reflection. Thanks to teachers Ann Coffey and Paddy Doyle for organizing the Mass. First Communion day in Ballylanceen will be held on Sunday, 27th May at 11 am.

### ROSARY

There will be rosary every evening for the month of May at Our Lady's Shrine at the Church car park at Holy Cross Church, Stradbally. An appeal to families to come out and be represented where possible.

### TIDY TOWNS NEWS

Following the successful launch of their 3 year plan the Stradbally Tidy Towns committee are all geared up for the coming season. On last Saturday the big clean up took place with the members out in force helped by the wider community. This is only the beginning its all systems go to keep the village neat and tidy as we progress in readiness for the competition. The public toilets at the Cove are getting a makeover thanks to our Area Engineer and helpers. Work evenings have been organized for Tuesday and Thursday evenings, if you have an hour to spare we would be glad of the help. Forget about spending money on exercise machines or diets, a few hours helping on tidy towns and you'll be slim, trim and brimful of energy. Contact any of the members if you would like to get involved. The committee would be delighted to make contact with new neighbours that have moved into Stradbally and get them involved in what we are about.

### St James National School

On Thurs 19th April, the Parents Association started their 1st after-school sports club for the children of St James National School. The children enjoyed an action packed 1.5hrs of activities which included athletics and an introduction to tag rugby. We would like to thank the Stradbally Soccer Club for the use of their excellent grounds and to Waterford Sports Partnership where some of the parents attended relevant coaching courses.

Good luck to all of the children who will be taking part in the Small Schools athletics event in the Friary next Thursday.

## Abbeyside Reference Archive

**A VISITOR:** We had a pleasant surprise at the Archive on Sunday last when a collector of bank notes (among other things) dropped in to share his rare collection with us. Among the collection was a rare early Dungarvan bank note. The collection also featured notes from Youghal, Clonmel, Cork and Waterford.

Other interesting items were half crown tokens, two of which were used by the mining company at Bonmahon and a few which were used by the leather company of Portlaw. These were used to pay the workers and their production ensured that the workers were tied to the company - body and soul. Another interesting item was a calendar which was brought out by O'Donnell's model Dairy, Youghal Road, Dungarvan c1956.

The calendar features a harriers meet at Fiord House, Kilminion, the picture was taken in front of the house which was then owned by Mrs. Denny. Mrs. Denny can be seen holding the reins of a horse which her nephew David Cole is mounted on. We do have some old bank notes at the Archive along with several old coins. We now have a copy of the O'Donnell Calendar on display so why not drop in on Sunday and view those wonderful items.

This Sunday evening Fintan Strain will be at the parish office minding our money and all the other treasures.

## Colaiste Chathail Naofa

### FIRST ROUND OF POST LEAVING CERT INTERVIEWS - 30TH MAY

Colaiste Chathail Naofa will be running eleven Post Leaving Certificate courses for the next school year. These courses range from Accountancy to Beauty Therapy, Sports and Recreation Studies, Childcare Level 5 and 6, Community Care, Administration, Business Studies, Nursing Studies and Art Craft and Design, Portfolio and Leisure.

The College to date, has received a record number of applications for these courses and will be holding the first round of interviews on Wednesday, 30th May.

Application forms for these courses may be obtained in the following ways:

Phone (058) 41184

Email:

Website: ccndungarvan.com

Students can also apply on line from this website.

### AWARDS NIGHT

Colaiste Chathail Naofa will hold its highly popular awards night for Leaving Certificate and Post Leaving Cert students on Friday, 11th May. Mass will be held in the college at 7.30 pm followed by a four course meal in the Park Hotel.

Great expectations and excitement will be generated just after 10 pm as the 'Student of the Year Award' will be announced in thirteen categories.

This is a most significant night in the college calendar and a huge crowd is expected.

### FETAC EXAMS

As you read these notes, the Post Leaving Cert exams are in full flow. Students have been well prepared by their tutors and we wish all the students the best in their exams.

### MAKE-A-BOOK EXHIBITION

First year and Second year students attended the opening of the Junior Certificate School Programme (JCSP) Make-A-Book Exhibition, where they were presented with certificates in recognition of their work. First years had prepared aprons, each different, with cross-stitch designs for pockets. The accompanying booklet told a story related to the design, composed by each student. Ms. Dunphy co-ordinated this project.

Jane O'Loughlin, School Librarian, gave tuition in photography over the last term, and photos taken by Second year students on field trips combined into a concertina book on the theme 'Dungarvan, My Home Town'.

The high point - literally - was the Letter Spin-the-Wheel made by Second year Technical Graphics students under the guidance of Mr. Flynn.

Competitors could combine letters in a game like Scrabble. Worth it for the 'clacking' noise alone!

We took advantage of the trip to travel on by train to Cobh, to the Heritage Centre, a museum dedicated to large passenger ships. A bonus was our chance to see close up The Navigator of the Seas, a luxury liner as large as the Titanic, which was docked beside the Heritage Centre.



First Year students with their Make-A-Book Certificates

### JCSP Awards

A reminder to all parents that the Final Award Ceremony for Third Year students is on Friday, 18th May. First years and second years have the Awards Day on Friday, 25th May.

### ALL IRELAND VOLLEYBALL SEMI FINAL IN LOUGHREA

Last Thursday, the Junior Boys Volleyball team met at eight o'clock sharp for the long journey to Loughrea in Co. Galway to partake in the All-Ireland Junior Volleyball Semi Final.

Earlier in the month the team had overcome strong opposition and were very optimistic on our chances of success in the final stages of the competition. Finally, we arrived in Loughrea after the three hour journey tired yet excited.

Our first game was against Cabinteely Community School, Dublin. The first set we lost 25-18. In the second set there was excellent blocking from Aivarus Zymancius and strong attacking play from Maurice Connors. It was an extremely close set with teams drawing level at 23-23, unfortunately the team came out the wrong side of the set losing 25-23. The second game was against the strong favourites St. Brigid's Loughrea. As it was our first year entering the competition we were classified as the under dogs. However, in the first set we gave them a shock going ahead mid way through the first set with great 'digging' from Jim Burke, Dean McKenna and Daniel Power and strong team play from Christopher Murphy. Aivarus continued with great blocking and was helped greatly by excellent volleying from Micheál O'Donnell and Ryan Delaney. Unfortunately our lack of experience showed in the second set and we lost to the better team on the day.

Thanks to our great supporters Geraldine Bumster, Caroline and John Power that traveled all the way to Loughrea to support the team - the support was greatly appreciated by all.

This is the first year we have entered the competition and half of the team are underage again for next year. So keep up the training as we are very optimistic for next year.

Team; Christopher Murphy

(captain), Maurice Connors, Aivarus Zymancius, Micheál O'Donnell, Ryan Delaney, Michael Burke, Michael McGrath, Daniel Power, Glenn Power, Jim Burke, Michael Bumster, Mike Ameglio, Deane McKenna, Sean Kearney.

### J4 BOYS VOLLEYBALL TEAMS HEADING TO UCD

The J4 competition is coming up shortly and we are heading to UCD in Dublin for the final stages of the competition. We are delighted that two teams have qualified through the initial rounds of the competition. So make sure the alarm clocks are set and all are ready for another early start as the boys are quietly confident of attaining success in this National Competition.

### J4 GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TEAMS

Well done to Clodagh Behan, Johanna McDonagh, Colette Cleary, Amy Keohan and Hilary Jeanes who headed to Tramore recently to represent the school

in the girls J4 competition. There were a number of schools represented at the tournament and the girls fought hard and were unlucky not to reach the semi finals. Well done girls!

### ATHLETICS

On Wednesday, Michael McGrath, David Fahey, Maurice Connors and James Drohan headed to Waterford for the County Athletics Competition. We would like to say a big thank you to Sean Drohan who volunteered to drive the boys to Waterford and managed them for the day, this was greatly appreciated by all.

Congratulations to James Drohan who won silver in both the Shot Putt and Discus, Michael McGrath who got bronze in the Shot Putt and silver in the discus, David Fahy who won gold in the Discus and came fourth in the Shot Putt and Maurice Connors who won silver in the 800 m.

Well done again and best of luck in the East Munsters which are on next week.

## MODELIGO NEWS

### ARRANGEMENTS

The First Friday Mass for May will be at a later than usual time of 7 pm. First Friday (May 4th) at Affane at 7.30 pm. First Saturday (May 5th) Mass at the earlier time of 9.30 am, followed by day long Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Please come along during the day and spend some time in the Real Presence. At 10 am Mass at Modeligo on Sunday last the 7 Modeligo NS school children who will be receiving First Eucharist in May participated in a pre-Eucharist ceremony.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations and best wishes for the future to Eamon Sid Power, Graiguemore, and to Sonia Metcalf, on the occasion of their recent marriage. Sid is son of Ml. and Bidy and is a member of the Power family who have given outstanding service to Cumann Iomaint agus Peile Mha Dheilige.

### HURLERS

Some of our Junior hurlers got to wear the yellow jerseys of our very short staffed opponents Skeheenarinky for our friendly at Ballyporeen on Sunday morning last, indeed we scored a facile victory over a team that apparently, concentrate much more on football. Many thanks to the Bally club for their post-match hospitality at the Ballyhi lounge, just what we needed before setting out for the National League Final at Semple Stadium.

### LOTTO

Numbers drawn 1-6-18. No winners, so next week's jackpot will be 900 euro. 4 x 25 winners; Pat Troy, Owen O'Neill, John O'Shea and Jim Nugent (all Modeligo). At present the lotto is being hosted by Na Deise Ladies Football, members are asked to help out with ticket sales.



## The Stacks Launch Their Debut Album "Down To the Black"

**Feile na nDeise Concert - Thursday May 3rd, Park Hotel, Dungarvan**

The May Bank Holiday weekend is fast approaching and for Dungarvan will herald the 13th Feile na nDeise Festival. The event is a firm fixture on the "Festival Map of Ireland" and offers a wide range of entertainment for all visitors.

This year the official opening will be conducted by renowned commentator Micheál O Muircheartaigh at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan on Thursday, 3rd May and will be followed by the Stacks in concert. This concert has been widely anticipated since last November when the Stacks played to a thronged hall at the same venue in the wake of John Stack winning the WLR fm Sony Star Search competition. The group comprises of brothers John, Cyril and Ken and cousin Ross and together with special guest Sinead Kiely has enthralled audiences at concerts throughout the county. Their show ranges from Irish ballads and traditional music to old-time American classics and holds something for everyone. This is their first ever appearance at Feile na nDeise and will coincide with the launch of their long awaited debut album "Down to the Black".

The album charts the musical journey of the band to date featuring a mix of slow and up-tempo Irish ballads together with some traditional American music influenced by Bluegrass and the Blues. The album also features a number of original pieces each of which was very well received at a recent concert in Lismore where they first performed in public.

"Down to the Black" was recorded at Vagabones Studios, Co. Clare and was produced by the much sought-after Garry O'Brian. Garry has worked with many of the greats in the Irish music scene and has produced albums for such illustrious acts as the Clancy Brothers and Danu. Recording, mixing and mastering was conducted by Bruno Staehelin of Open Ear productions.

All in all the concert and CD launch are sure to make for a great nights entertainment. Tickets cost 15 euro and have recently gone on sale at the Park Hotel (058) 42899, Tourist Office (058) 42988 and John Foley's Service Station (058) 42998. CDs will be available to buy after the concert. Available from Ben O'Neill, Heartbeat City & Sinnott's, Waterford.

# Phil's Frocks Spring Wedding Show 2007



Phil Kearns of Phil's Frocks presenting Siobhain Foran from Kilmeaden with the Wedding Bonanza prize which she won at the recent Phil's Frocks Wedding Show which took place in the Park Hotel. The prize consisted of gift vouchers from many of the exhibitors at the show. (www.rpowerphotography.com).



Phil Kearns of Phil's Frocks presenting a cheque of €5,000 to Marion Phelan representative of the Jonah project, ABA school for children with Autism. The money was raised through the recent Phil's Frocks Wedding Show which took place in the Park Hotel. (www.rpowerphotography.com).

On Sunday 22nd April the Park Hotel, Dungarvan was the venue for another successful Wedding Show hosted by Phil's Frocks. The Hotel was a hive of activity from early morning until late in the afternoon. Over 30 exhibitors participated showcasing their businesses and highlighting what is available to perspective brides and grooms who passed through on the day.

Yorga from the Hair Factory opened her salon in the early

hours of Sunday morning creating stunning hair styles for all the models. A big thank you to our Choreographer Margaret Fitzgerald and dance partner Eddie Power who put the models through their steps. It was evident on the day that all the rehearsals paid off. The models looked so confident on stage and made the show the success it was. A huge thanks to all, both male and female models.

To Nicola Beresford, our compere for her support

throughout the day. She captured the interest of all who passed through. Thanks Nicola!

Dirk Bauman (Sound and Lighting) was the anchor man with no job too big or too small. A special word of thanks to Heaven Scent, Ballinroad for providing the beautiful bouquets.

Thanks to Pierce and all the staff in the Park Hotel and Modeligo Community Centre. To the ticket sellers and all who bought tickets. To all the sponsors who sponsored so generously to the Jonah Project, School for children with Autism who received €5,000 and Modeligo N.S. who received €1,500; to the Mayor of Dungarvan, Teresa Wright who presented the prizes. Also

to all the great people for their support, friends and family who helped out in any way.

Winners of the Wedding Bonanza Prize were Ms. Siobhain Foran and Mr. Hugh Kavanagh, Kilmeadan.

Winners of Door Prize; 1 Ms. Tracy Sinnott, Mooncoin, Co. Kilkenny - Accommodation in Cannes, France. 2 Mr. Trevor Power, Ballinamult - Heavenly Hamper, Sam McCauley Chemist. 3 Brendan Fitzgerald Ballyduff - 2 nights B&B Lismore House Hotel. Winners of spot prize; 1 Iona Crystal - Kathleen Flynn, Childers Est. 2 Tiara - Helen Byrne, Modeligo. 3 Set of Jewellery - Erin Young, Seapark, Abbeyside.

## Tourneena Notes

### TEA MORNING

The annual tea morning in aid of the Alzheimer's Society will be held at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarby on Thursday May 3rd. Please support this very worthy cause.

2 For the month of May, Rosary will be held in St. Mary's Church, Tourneena every Tuesday night at 8pm.

Congratulations to the Waterford Senior Hurling team who had a fine win over Kilkenny in the National League Final last Sunday. We'll done to all the players and best of luck in the upcoming championship.

The annual collection for the Sacristan of St. Mary's Church Tourneena will be held this Sunday and the following Sunday.

### MEMORIAL POOL TOURNAMENT

The final of the annual pool tournament in memory of Caroline Cliffe and Richard Loneragan will take place at 8.30 on Sunday night 6th of May in Dunford's Bar, Tourneena. This year's finalists are Michelle Power and Finnan Grace versus Marie and Maurice Cliffe. All proceeds are in aid of Church funds.

### SLIABH gCua LOTTO

Weekending 29th April  
Winning numbers: 4, 10, 11  
Winners: None  
New Jackpot €2500  
5x€20 winners  
1/ Alice and Terry 2/ Mike Murray 3/ Mike Murray & Co

4/ James Gorman 5/ Maria Glesson

Promoters €20 Mary Dunford  
Next draw Dunford's Monday 7th of May

Well done Waterford from all in Tourneena.

## Affane Bridge Club

### Charity Night Proceeds Presented

The club held a very successful charity night recently that raised much needed funds for three local causes. We subsequently presented the proceeds to the three benefactors, the West Waterford Hospice, St. Carthage's House in Lismore and the Cappoquin Day Care Centre.

Representatives of the groups were all in attendance and each thanked the club for their support down through the years. Our President, Mrs. Helen Buckley said that the members were delighted to be able to support these local groups and once again thanked everyone who helped make our Charity Night such a success.

### RESULTS

24-4-07 - 1st Colette Enright and Alice Cusack; 2nd John Phelan and Walter Murphy; 3rd Bertha O'Connor and Des O'Toole; 4th Annabelle Lannen and Austin Fenton

### AGM

AGM and end of season party on May 8th at 7pm

## Waterford Pharmacists Call for Campaign to Safely Dispose of Unused Medicines

4,000 children in Ireland are accidentally poisoned each year. The figures emerged from the Poisons Information Centre, where 70% of the calls received each year related to medicines. Waterford Pharmacists are therefore calling on the Health Service Executive to roll out a nationwide campaign to encourage people to dispose of their unwanted medicines at their local pharmacy. Pharmacists made the call at their AGM in Sligo which took place last weekend.

These figures highlight the threat caused by unused medicines in Ireland - many of which are kept in unsecured locations in people's homes with the obvious dangers that this entails.

Darragh Connolly, of Connolly's Chemist on Main Street, Dungarvan said "I would advise people to dispose of any unwanted medicines they have in their homes. In particular, Paracetamol, ibuprofen or aspirin are common causes of accidental poisoning in children. Even though these medicines can be obtained without a doctor's prescription, they are still very dangerous, if taken incorrectly. The HSE currently does not operate a scheme in the North West to allow people to dispose of their unused medicines through their local pharmacist. I would call on the HSE to set up this service for people in the North West and right across the country."

The meeting also heard that 8,000 people present at A&E departments each year due to deliberate drug overdose according to the National Suicide Research Foundation. In most cases prescription or over the counter medication is involved. There are around 50 cases a year of suicide as a result of drug overdose.

## Blackwater Community School News

### First year Girls Soccer

Congratulations to the First year Girls Soccer team who contested the semi final of their competition last Thursday against Greenhills Secondary School, Carrick in Carrick on Suir. They came home worthy winners on a score of 5-1 with the goals scored by Clodagh Walsh, Jessica Gavin Johnson and Michelle Tobin. They now play in the South East Shield final against Presentation, Waterford.

Best of luck to the first year team who travel to Ennis this Thursday.

### Exam Events

This week the Leaving Certs are involved in Engineering, Art, Agricultural Science and LCVP tasks over the week. The Junior certs have project task work to complete in CSPE, Art and Religion. The leaving Cert applied group will be involved in their Vocational Preparation Tasks this Tuesday and Wednesday. Best of luck to all exam students.

### Fifth Year Biology

As part of their senior course the 5th year biology classes are travelling to Fota Wildlife Park to undertake the ecology task in their course.

### Transition Year

This group are busy putting the finishing touches to their YSI projects which they will be presenting as part of The Young Social Innovators competition in Dublin next Wednesday and Thursday. They will undertake a walking pilgrimage to Melleray this Thursday.

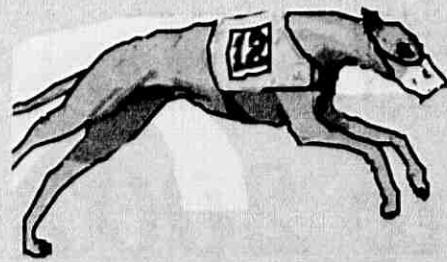
### Under 15 Hurling

Best of luck to the under 15 hurlers who travel to Cashel along with supporters to play in the Munster U15 Final against Nenagh CBS.

### Waterford Glory

Congratulations to the Waterford Hurling and Camogie teams on their fantastic wins over the weekend in their respective league finals over Kilkenny and Down and in particular we say well done to the past pupils of the school.





# GREYHOUND NEWS

BY MARK PHILLIPS

FRIDAY APRIL 27TH

## Tinahue Sprung Into Action

The honour of recording the fastest time over the standard trip fell to the John Fox owned Tinahue Spring (Droopys Rhys-Kalooki Princess) this 3/1 shot posting a narrow but deserved 28.77 success in the final race of the session. Cloncunny Jo set a hot pace from trap one but Tinahue Spring was always in the first three and sticking to the task in hand Tinahue Spring finished full of running to deny a fast finishing Shaneboy Ciara by three quarters of a length with the long time leader Cloncunny Jo just behind in third.

Racing kicked off with a 550-yard contest where Cloncunny Duke made a positive start from trap one but a closing Butty Boy challenged the leader on the rails at the penultimate bend. The leaders came in contact at that point however and as a consequence the Christopher Ryan owned Sunfire Scampi (Droopys Vieri-Cyprus Willow) 5/2 was allowed a free passage in on the fence to run out a one and a half lengths winner over Cloncunny Duke in 30.50.

After a level break in race two Beths Choice was knocked over at the opening turn as Ima Cooper Mist 3/1 took over in the lead from Whittlesey Decoy and Call First and staying on strongly from that point on Gail Turner's Ima Cooper Mist (Top Honcho-Ima Cooper One) went on to beat Whittlesey Decoy by three and a half lengths in 29.32.

The Kilmore Seven Syndicate owned and John Kavanagh trained Local Pet (Premier County-Cactus Sophie) 5/4 pounced late in race three to snatch a last gasp victory in 29.92. In the opening exchanges Gone On Arrival dashed into an early lead over Furry Rocket but coming with a sustained run Local Pet came through in the closing stages to deny the long time absent Gone On Arrival by a neck.

In the third contest the Lester Collins owned Glenview Fantasy (Premier Fantasy-Fly Mel) 2/1 to 1/3 was backed as if defeat was out of the question and this fast starting lady made no mistake with a pillar to post 29.36 success. Society Crisis ran a close second early on but kicking on over the final two bends the much-improved Glenview Fantasy went on to account for Geneva Strike by six and a half lengths.

Despite a lack of market support the Liam Walsh owned and Peter Cronin trained Emmas Jo (Larkhill Jo-Noan Flash) 6/4 to 2/1 made no mistake posting a cosy 29.00 success in race five. Dillroc Doc broke smartly from trap four but it was the strong running Emmas Jo who turned the opening two bends in front. In a one-sided contest Emmas Jo was never in any subsequent danger romping to a five and a half lengths win over a running on Killowen Jo.

We moved up to the 550-yard trip for the sixth contest. Deckos Nelly 2/1 came into trap six as a replacement for the absent Builders Butty and this daughter of Droopys Rhys and Princess Wilma duly delivered in eye catching fashion in a speedy 30.09. Disputing the early lead with Kilbunnyprimrose the Edward and James O'Donoghue owned Deckos Nelly cut loose down the back stretch before bounding clear for a facile seven lengths defeat of Kilbunnyprimrose.

The Maura Mahon owned Rusty Milly (Spiral Nikita-Betfivemillion)

5/4 opened her account at the fifth time of asking taking the seventh contest in 29.88. Staying wide and out of trouble at the opening bends Rusty Milly sprinted by the fast starting Hunts Spot on the back stretch before eventually winning out by two and a half lengths.

There was a tight finish to race eight with the Whelan - Brennan Syndicate owned and Leo Dunphy trained Ross Ranger (Rapid Ranger-Prestige Shauna) 2/1 posting back to back victories in 29.93. Avoiding first bend crowding Distant Polly came to lock horns with recent Kilkenny winner Ross Ranger on the back stretch and while Powerful Ella joined issue up front in the home stretch it was Ross Ranger who emerged victorious by half a length from Powerful Ella.

County Cork trainer Mick Hoy sent out the very easy winner of race nine as Mahogany Charm (Larkhill Jo-Lucey Jones) 6/4 did the business in a career best 29.06. Streaking clear from trap six Mahogany Charm had this contest in the bag a long way from home and it came as no surprise to see the Cluas and Co Syndicate owned Mahogany Charm triumph by ten lengths over Final Knock.

The George Roche owned Black Million (Hotshow Ben-Betfivemillion) 6/4 made sound use of his early pace to capture race ten in 29.41. Ima Cooper Cool came to join the fast starting Black Million up the home stretch and when the pair bumped on the run to the winning line Show Million came off best to win out by half a length. The winner was recording his eight victory.

SATURDAY APRIL 28TH

## Willies Prince Produced A Big Finish

There were three finals down for decision on last Saturday night's card, a well-supported benefit meeting in aid of Tramore AFC.

Impressive semi final winner Toker Rock (sold) was an absentee in the unraced final and while Bush Tucker forced the pace from the outset it was the Sarah Jane and Lucy Haigh owned Rathsilla Sarah (Premier County-Greenview Storm) 4/1 who finished with a flourish up the home stretch to deny a hampered Gallows Morning by a length in 29.41.

In the final of the A4 event the Majella O'Dwyer and Ann Hoban owned May Consider (Blackjack Tom-Lemon Ivy) ran out a game winner at odds of 3/1 in 28.89. After a prolonged battle with the fast starting 7/4 favourite Sleepy Jen the well drawn May Consider while keeping wide on the turns really motored up the home stretch to deservedly get the better of a persistent Sleepy Jen by a length.

A fast starting Chloes Bandit was out in front for a long way in the final of the Gillane Amusements and Amusement Park A3 stake but the 7/4 market leader Jethart Storm was always well positioned to launch a late assault. Joining issue over the final two bends the G Renilson owned and Peter Cronin trained Jethart Storm (Droopys Vieri-Jackies Lady) quickened into the lead up the home stretch to eventually beat Chloes Bandit by two and a half lengths. Time 28.93.

Local owners Davy and Michael Power sent out the front running

Honey Tiger (Droopys Scholes-Knockmylan Rose) 2/1 to a 29.15 success in race one. A fast starting Honey Tiger gave way on the back stretch to Kilaspy Flash but renewing his challenge up the home stretch Honey Tiger came back a second time to deny Kilaspy Flash by half a length with a running on Willie Drink a length further back in third.

In the second contest Ballyneale Turn 5/4 and Tango Star 2/1 both attracted their share of market support and just a short head separated the pair at the winning line. Forging into an early lead Ballyneale Turn led early on from Tango Star and Moonveen Jim and knuckling down to the task in hand Ballyneale Turn was forced to pull out all the stops close home to deny a running on Tango Star. Time 29.21.

The Tess Power owned and Lester Power trained Market James (Droopys Kewell-Market Elm) the well backed evens favourite landed some tasty wagers en route to a fluent 28.99 success in the fourth event. The opposition only ever had a rear view of the early paced Market James who romped to a facile eight lengths defeat of Divine Tom.

When the early leader Droopys Javine kept wide on the back stretch hampering the close running pair of Skyview Hawk and Castleglen King in the fifth contest the Christy Murphy and Margaret Whelan owned Dun Doire (Roanokee-Ballinaboola Gold) 5/2 sprinted into the lead on the fence and this strong running sort was never in any subsequent danger breezing in all of five lengths clear of Jades Prince in 29.11.

Races seven and eight were semi finals of a D2 Marathon stake and in a rare occurrence all six greyhounds in the first qualifier featured in a photo finish. Windrush Heather kicked on into an early advantage to lead from Reggae Pixie and Withered Ferns. The leaders came together off the final bend but overcoming early hardship the Maura and John Fitzgerald owned and Phil Gough trained Sparta Maggie (Top Honcho-Making Merry) 4/5 cut through the pack to beat Reggae Pixie by a short head with Scallywag Zippy a head away in third. Time 41.49.

Ballydaniel Diva made a slick start in the second qualifier but Jethart Tornado dashed into a third bend lead. Heading out onto the back stretch it was Jethart Tornado from Ballydaniel Diva and Mowlers Madra and producing his by now customary flying finish the Mowlers Dozen Syndicate owned and Tom Leahy trained Mowlers Madra (Roanokee-Blackstone Lace) the 11/10 market leader came through on the run to the winning line to outstay Jethart Tornado by a length in a speedy 40.91.

Boasting an impressive CV track newcomer Gilbeyhall Josh looked the part from trap four in the tenth contest and after seeing off the early challenge of Roisins Dessie Gilbeyhall Josh appeared all set for a cosy success. The Willie Robinson owned Willies Prince (Droopys Vieri-Brykat Kariba) the 8/1 outsider had not read the script however and producing a powerful finish Willies Prince flew by a weakening Gilbeyhall Josh to land the spoils by a length in a red hot 28.49.

Mike Furlong's fast starting Fancy Euro (Droopys Woods-Bally Dawn) 3/1 got back on the winning trail in the concluding contest posting an all the way 28.95 victory. They were queuing up to take this fellow on from an early stage but battling on gamely throughout Fancy Euro went on to deny a running on Montos Kelly by half a length.

TRAP DRAW-SATURDAY MAY 5TH

## D2 Marathon Final

- 1 Sparta Maggie
- 2 Scallywag Zippy
- 3 Mowlers Madra
- 4 Reggae Pixie
- 5 Jethart Tornado
- 6 Almost Lethal (W)

Selection — Mowlers Madra  
Dangers — Sparta Maggie, Jethart Tornado

## Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes

### BRETT BEST ON THE NIGHT

Brett Lynam just managed to pip John Flynn and Colin Organ by 5 and 9 seconds respectively, to take 1st place at last Wednesday's competition. Assuming that the sponsor, who has performed the most consistently of all, opts out of winning his own competition, any of the next 7 cyclists are in contention with only a few minutes separating them all. All competitors are also in the running for an individual win on the final night tonight. New participants are welcome each week so come and support the last night of this excellent competition.

Sign on is at 6.30pm sharp at John Foley's, Kilrush and no clocks, speedometers or mobile phones are allowed to assist with time keeping. The winner each week is the competitor closest to their predicted time, not the fastest, with lowest cumulative total and the event takes place over the 24km Whitechurch circuit.

### O'MAHONY CYCLES AND NURSERY SUMMER SERIES GETS UNDERWAY NEXT WEEK

The annual Summer Series gets underway on Wednesday next, the 9th May for eight weeks. It is held over the Mill Street circuit, which is 40km in length. This is a handi-

cap event with points awarded each week for the first five places and each finisher getting points as well. This means once again that consistency is important with regular finishers being rewarded even if they are not amongst the places. The handicapping last year was so accurate that the final result was not decided until the last night and Davy Tobin, a newcomer, was overall winner.

Thanks to Siobhan and Tony O'Mahony for their kind sponsorship.

### GROUPS CONTINUE TO SUPPORT WEEK-END SPINS

Cyclists were one again out training for The Munster Challenge as well as general preparation for club events. Saturday saw a group head along the coast road to Bunmahon, Kill, Portlaoise, over the tough Tower Hill and home via the Carrick Road. Saturday saw just two hardy (foolish!) souls brave the rain.

Cyclists included Francis Barry, Frank Browne, Vinny Feeny, Keith Walsh, Pat O'Driscoll, Keith Radley, Brett Lynam, Michael Dee, Emma Walsh, Eamon O'Doherty and Damien Travers.

Spins continue on Saturday's from John Foley's and Sunday from The Square, both at 9.30. Beginners are always welcome on a

Sunday and a member will be available to travel for whatever distance and speed is appropriate. Come along with bike, helmet and some food and water and give cycling a try.

### MUNSTER CHALLENGE IN ONE MONTH

Padraig's spin on Saturdays is in preparation for the Munster Challenge which takes place on the week-end of 25th to 27th May. Most participants are now training. Final arrangements were made at last week's Committee meeting.

The event will raise much needed funds for St. Vincent's District Hospital, Dungarvan. Sponsorship Cards are now available at O'Mahony Cycles and Nursery, Wyley Sports and Rossitors Meats so collect your cards and start collecting for this worthy cause.

### LOCALS OUT IN FORCE IN CARRICK OPEN RACE

Local Club members Enda Donnelly and Keith Radley (who should have been mentioned last week-apologies from PRO) along with Mark Power (Abbeyside) and Keith Walsh-both of whom regularly train with DCC, took part in the tough Tommy Sheehan Memorial last Sunday. Despite mechanical problems they all conquered the tough hill three times and finished in the bunch.

## Causeway Tennis Club



### OPEN DAY

The Club will be hosting an Open Day on Sunday 13th May from 11am to 4pm. We would like to invite any people who are interested in joining the club as well as any new members and existing members to come along and have some fun. There will be a fun tournament during the day - so bring your trainers and racquets with you (spare racquets will be available to use on the day if you don't have one). Details on how to join the club, coaching and other club events will be available.

A barbeque is being organised for all participants. If you are interested in attending, please contact Brendan O'Hara on (087) 2118863 or Gillian Mahony. E-mail the Club at with details ASAP. Existing members are asked to please support this event. Any offers of help to Gillian/Brendan.

### Membership

Membership fees are now overdue and we would ask members to return completed membership forms and fees as soon as possible to Gillian Mahony, 4 Ashcroft, Abbeyside. Any players who haven't paid up to date

should note that they will be contacted by the Committee shortly.

### New Members

You are welcome to the Tennis Club and we look forward to your participation in upcoming events in the club, especially our Open day on the 13th May and the Senior Open Week. All new members will be contacted individually in the next few weeks by Gill Mahony, Membership Coordinator (contact details available at Club) with a view to organising a New Members meeting and coaching if required.

### Junior Club

Additional junior coaching started last Sunday with Dick Mc Carthy. These sessions are being run from 1030 to 1330 hrs. A junior summer camp is being organised. Anyone interested in attending this camp should contact Mary Collins or Margaret Browne (details available at the club).

There was a great turn out on Friday last for our monthly Junior club ladder tournament. Good to see some new members attending. Thanks to all parents who helped out on the night.



## TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL CLUB NOTES

## Hallahan's Coaches to Sponsor Touraneena 5k

It's that time of the year again when we start preparing for the Touraneena 5k road race. This year is the 12th year of the annual event and we are proud to announce that Hallahan's Coaches are our new sponsor. Like recent years, the race and fun walk will be on the Bank Holiday Monday night 4th of June.

The walk begins at 6:30pm where for the 4th year; the Ann Power Memorial trophy will be up for grabs. The race then will begin at 7:30pm. The race is part of the very popular Ger Wyley Summer Road Racing Series which is brilliantly organised by the West Waterford Athletic Club. Full details of the event will be given over the next couple of weeks.

## PRESENTATION NIGHT

Our club presentation night was recently held in the community centre and we would like to thank all the people that came along on the night to support it. It proved to be a successful night with many happy young faces going home. A great array of prizes were presented on the night as the winners and runners up of our last 3 leagues were brought on stage to get their various pieces of club gear.

A big thank you to all the people who helped with the catering on the night. Our club would also like to sincerely thank the main sponsors of our club leagues. To A&B Deliveries (Anthony and Bernie Organ) and Richard Whitmore Painter & Decorator, we are very grateful for your continued support. We are also very grateful to the individual who kindly sponsored the Doubles league. On the night, our sponsors were presented with club rugby shirts as a token of our appreciation for their continued support in promoting racquetball in the locality.

We would also like to thank John Skehan who kindly sponsored the portable walls for our coaching sessions on a Thursday night. These have been hugely instrumental in the further promotion of our game as it has allowed all our players attend on the one night which has contributed to the rapid rise in standard of play and club spirit.

## ELEANOR - A TRUE CHAMPION

In the 10 year history of our club, we have many players who have won National titles and have represented their country in their chosen sport of racquetball.

Week after week, these players have gained the well deserved headlines for their amazing achievements and rightly so but often the real champion of our sports are forgotten about as they work tirelessly in the background always putting the interests of others before their own and often without little reward.

At the recent presentation night, the Touraneena Racquetball Club acknowledged the work and efforts of our true champion. Eleanor Hickey is the only person in the club to hold the same position on the committee for the entire 10 years. In March of 1997, Eleanor took the position of club treasurer and it's a position that she has held with tremendous professionalism ever since. If the truth was to be known, Eleanor has been far more than a treasurer. Over the years, she spend much of her time organising away trips with attention to detail, she has been a second mother to all our players on these trips, she has been one of the main driving forces behind the club and without her efforts, we would certainly not be the healthy club that we are now.

Eleanor began her work with the youth of the parish back in

1994 when she was one of the organisers of the successful Mixed Gaelic Football Leagues which ran for 3 years. She was a driving force behind the indoor soccer leagues, a founder and main organiser of the Touraneena 5k road race and luckily for us, she took the game of racquetball under her wing. As well as serving the youth of the parish, she has also held the positions of Munster Racquetball treasurer and she spent 2 years on the National Association committee where she again held the position of treasurer while she will be best known for her tremendous work behind the scenes with the Waterford Ladies Footballers. At one stage, she held the books for 14 different clubs and organisations.

You often hear the saying that if you want something done in a voluntary capacity in sport, ask someone whose busy as that's the way you will be guaranteed it will be done. Eleanor is a typical example of the truthfulness in this saying.... Everybody involved in the club would like to thank Eleanor for her tremendous dedication to the club over the years and thank her for her endless amount of voluntary help. Now that she has 10 years done, she can be no longer considered an apprentice so we hope to see her for many more years to come!!!! A True Champion.....

## LEAGUE ROUND-UP

Veteran player and legend of Waterford racquet sports, Maurice Walsh rolled back the years to out-gun and out-fox his youthful opponents to take the division 1 title of the Winter Singles League in very impressive form. In the semi-final, he created what some considered a shock result when he defeated Junior International player, Garvan Dunford. He then went on to take the final against Sean Dalton with a single ace to spare after a dramatic showdown. Quentien Hickey made a successful comeback to the game by winning the division 2 title. Aidan McGrath was his victim in the semi-final while Seanie Kearns was out-scored in the final encounter of what was a very good division.

Maurice Keane also returned to the game and a successful outcome was also in store. Playing the division 3 grade, he defeated John Skehan in the final. Brother and sister, Mike and Clodagh Kearns won the division 4 and 5 divisions respectfully. Mike overcame the challenge of Kevin Sheehan while Clodagh came up trumps against Dayna Lawlor. Aisling Hallinan defeated Lucy Barron to take the 6th division title while her first cousin Gearoid ruled supreme in the division 7 final against Aoife Hallinan.

Garvan Dunford and Eoin Kearns secured a tie-breaker victory over Gemma Cliffe and Pat Keane in the division 1 doubles final. Maurice Keane and Kevin Sheehan successfully combined to take the division 2 title from John Skehan and Aaron Lonergan while the combination of Maighread Barron and Tom Tobin claimed the division 3 title with victory over Jonathan Carroll and Thomas Lonergan.



Photos show (l. to r.) Sophie Coyne, Roisin Walsh, Alana Coyne, Dearbhaile Skehan.



Photo shows (l. to r.) John Skehan, Pa Hallinan, Pat Dalton, Tom Gleeson, Seanie Kearns.

## Waterford Raceway Hot Rod Notes

Sunday 22 April saw the fourth round of championship racing at the Pike track Dungarvan. Drivers and cars started to arrive at the venue from early in the morning. This is probably due to the fact that drivers are respecting the 11/30 rule. Course marshal for the day John Hurney got racing underway without delay. This allowed for three rounds of racing in each class plus four all-ins.

The first two rounds of racing in each class carried driver of the year points. The results of the first two rounds for 22/4/2007.

## JUNIORS 1

1st D. Houlihan, 2nd D. O'Regan, 3rd S. Power.  
1st D. Houlihan, 2nd S. O'Regan, 3rd S. Condon.

## JUNIORS 2

1st R Mackey, 2nd T. Healy.  
1st T. Healy, 2nd R. Mackey.

## CLASS 1

1st M. Furlong, 2nd K Condon, 3rd C Flynn.  
1st W Houlihan, 2nd J Flaherty 3rd, J. Condon.

## CLASS 2

1st L Healy, 2nd R Harney, 3rd P Sinnot.  
1st L Healy, 2nd R Harney, 3rd T Croke .

## CLASS 3

1st D Banville, 2nd A Murphy, 3rd T. O'Brien.  
1st D O'Leary, 2nd T O'Brien, 3rd M McGrath.

## CLASS 4

1st D O'Leary, 2nd K O'Neill, 3rd K McGann.  
1st D O'Leary, 2nd K McGann, 3rd S. Delahunty.

## CLASS 5

1st T. Kiely, 2nd E Donovan, 3rd D Lenihan.  
1st T Kiely, 2nd E Donovan.

## CLASS 6

1st R Darcy, 2nd D Linahan.

LADIES — 1st C Tubritt, 2nd E Healy, 3rd B Healy  
1st B Healy, 2nd N Houlihan, 3rd C Tubritt

The club will hold a test day on May 19th for Hot Rod cars. Only Juniors from 12 noon Seniors from 2pm. We will have a full day of championship racing on Sunday May 20th.

On Saturday the 26th May we move from cars to horses from a fundraising night in Bridge Terries. The race night was a great success last year. People can become horse owners for the night and enjoy the craic on the track, horse-racing track that is. Horses can be bought from club members.

Don't forget the Demolition Derby on the 10th of June. Entries to Brendan on 087-6344982

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

Sat May 19th — Test Day for permit holders only  
Sun May 20th — Full days racing 12-noon start  
Sat May 26th — Horse Race Night in Bridgie Terries 9.30  
Sat June 9th — Afternoon racing  
Sun June 10th — Full days racing plus Demolition Derby  
Safe driving to all on and off the road! SW

## Waterford County Badminton Notes

## MUNSTER CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Munster Club Championships were held in University of Limerick on Sunday 29th March. Four Waterford clubs competed.

Waterford Badminton Club played Carrigaline of Cork in the Division 2 semi final. Waterford started impressively winning the ladies singles but went on to lose 4-2 overall.

South Coast were in action in the first round of the Division 4 competition against Effin Badminton Club, Co. Limerick. After six games the teams were tied at 3 all. Unfortunately South Coast lost the third mixed and victory went to Effin.

Dunmore competed in the Minor Section and played Country Club from Co. Tipperary in the semi final. The score was 1 all after the singles games. Dunmore were very unlucky to narrowly lose the next three games and Country Club went through to the final.

Kilmacthomas played Kingdom Badminton Club of Kerry in the Novice Section. Most of the games went to three sets and Kilmac were unfortunate to lose 6-1. Kilmacthomas were presented with silver Munster Runners Up medals.

## RACE NIGHT

Waterford Badminton Club held a very successful race night in Revolution Bar on Friday 20th April. A large crowd attended and a very enjoyable night was had by all. The club succeeded in raising over €1,700. Well done to Ann Smith and her team of helpers who put a lot of work into organising the night. The money raised will go towards the cost of restoring the club building.

## BADMINTON IRELAND AWARDS

Congratulations to Kilmacthomas Badminton Club. They won a Regional Club of the Year Award at the Badminton Ireland Awards, held in Dublin on Saturday 21st April. They beat clubs from Cork, Kerry, Tipperary, Kilkenny and Wexford. The prize was €200 worth of shuttles. Apparently Kilmac also won three spot prizes for dancing. This should greatly help their footwork on the court next season.





# Valley Rangers Win Cup For First Time

## League And Cup Double For Brilliant Valley Rgs.

Heartiest congratulations to Valley Rgs on winning the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup on Saturday afternoon last when they defeated Bride View and completed the league/cup double.

### VALLEY RGS 2 BRIDE VIEW 0

The smiles and the excitement when Tony Horgan blew full time told the tale of years of heartbreak for Valley having been so near, and yet finishing as runners up. On Saturday afternoon at Modeligo, all those occasions were put behind as Valley at long last got their hands on the blue riband of cup competitions, the Dungarvan Tyre Centre cup, when they defeated Bride View by 2 goals to nil.

The Modeligo Ground looked immaculate as referee Horgan and his assistants led the two teams onto the pitch in typical cup final fanfare. Conditions were ideal for the cup final and for two teams who excel in

playing an attacking game.

Valley showed their intent straight from the kick off, and it was obvious to the neutrals present, Valley wanted to win this cup final and having already captured the league, confidence seemed to flow throughout the side. On 2 mins, a Valley free from Hickey found Noonan and he fired over the bar. The alarm bells were ringing so soon for Bride View who could not get the ball out of their own half and two more attacks were repulsed by an overworked Tallow defence so early in the game. Many of us felt that Valley would score at this stage and on 8 mins Terence Rumley picked up a pass just inside his own half and ran at the centre



Valley Rangers who beat Brideview 2-0 in the W.W.E.C. Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup final played in Modeligo.

of the Bride View defence. With the backs standing off, goal scorer in chief, Rumley needed no invitation and from 25 yards out hit a beauty of a shot into the top corner of the net giving keeper Aherne no chance, and Valley had the early goal they wanted. For the next 20 mins, Valley were totally on top, with Billy Carr, Paul O'Donovan all going close to adding to the goal. Player manager Shane Kearney and Jim Lane were on top in midfield, while the long serving Sean Twomey was having one of his best ever games for the Valley, as he played just in front of the back four.

At this stage, Bride View could not get their passing game together as Valley chased every ball and it was not until the 28th minute that they forced Shane Fitzgerald into a save when he held a Michael Curley effort from the edge of the area.

At the other end, lessons were not learned as Rumley again was allowed run to the edge of the area and shoot, this time wide of the post. Minutes later, Shane Kearney did likewise. With minutes to the break, a Bride View corner was headed over the bar by Grey.

Half time came and Bride View were happy to be just a goal behind, and what ever the management team said to them at the break, there was more urgency in their play from the restart.

The midfield of the two Curley's pushed forward at every opportunity and Paul O'Brien was emerging as the most likely to score. Michael Curley was wide of the mark, William Curley's cross was wide from

Pratt, and suddenly Fitzgerald was the busier of the two keepers. He was showing a wonderful pair of hands throughout and his save from O'Brien was the turning point of the game as from the clearance a corner ensued and the 2nd goal arrived from the corner kick. In front of him, Brendan Hickey as captain led by example, while Sean Twomey was soundness personified. The midfield of Lane Kearney and Billy Carr did all the damage, especially in the opening half, and defended in the last 25 mins, when Bride View played their best football. Up front Rumley got the all important opening goal, while Farrell was a constant threat on the wing.

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Bride View — S. Aherne, D. Wallace, S. Pratt, J. P. Grey, D. Martin, M. Curley, A. McCarthy, P. Kearney, P. O'Brien, W. Curley, W. Henley. Reserves — E. Hickey, I. Farmer, J. Doyle (all used), and G. O'Neill, P. Murphy, J. Hampton, A. Cronin.

Referee — A. Horgan; Assistants: T. Griffin and P. Browne.

### CUP PRESENTATION

League Chairman Ml. O'Neill, thanked both teams for a very sporting final. He congratulated Valley on winning the trophy for the first time and commiserated with Bride View. Ml. thanked the Modeligo club for having the ground in such excellent playing condition and The Modeligo Community Council for the facilities. Michael went on to thank the referee and his assistants and finally thanked the sponsor Philip O'Flynn, Dungarvan Tyre Centre, who was present at the game but had to leave before the final whistle due to a prior engagement. Michael then presented the Cup to Valley Captain Brendan Hickey.

Brendan in one of the best acceptance speeches ever traced back the past 15 years of his involvement with Valley and how rewarding it all is now with the league and cup in the one season. He thanked the manager Shane Kearney and the long serving players who have given so much time and dedication to Valley down through the years, and a very special word of thanks to Derry O'Leary who is the heart and soul of Valley Rangers. —And so say all of us.



Mike O'Neill, Chairman W.W.E.C. League, presents the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup to Valley Ranger's captain, Brendan Hickey. (Photos by Sean Byrne Photography)



# W.W.E.C.

West Waterford/East Cork Junior League

## MAN OF THE MATCH

Paddy Pollard, sponsor of Man Of The Match, said he was delighted to be associated with this award again this year. He explained he does not select the player, as this is done by someone outside of the league and said he is delighted to announce that the long serving goalkeeper of Valley, Shane Fitzgerald is this year's recipient. Damien Pollard then presented Shane with his Man Of The Match award.



Man of the Match Award kindly presented by Paddy Pollard. Damien Pollard presents the award to Valley Ranger's Seamus Fitzgerald. Included is Paddy Pollard.

## W.W.E.C. RESULT

### DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP FINAL

Valley Rgs 2      Bride View 0

### MARI MINA PREMIER PHARMACY DIVISION

Araglen 0      Valley Rgs 3  
Cappoquin 3      An Ghaeltacht 0  
Kilworth 1      Lismore 0

## WORKSHOP

All clubs are reminded that the workshop organised by the league will take place at the Bride View Complex on Monday 14th May at 8pm sharp and conclude at 10pm.

One of the most important items for discussion is the league structure for next season.

Clubs are asked to have their team manager and club captain present as well as the normal club league delegate.

What ever decisions are taken will be brought forward to the Annual General Meeting on Monday 25th June.

# Lismore Relegated

In the relegation play off last Friday, Kilworth Celtic defeated Lismore and guaranteed themselves Premier football next season while Lismore will play 1st division.

### KILWORTH 1 LISMORE 0

This relegation play off took place at Bride View Park Tallow on Friday night last with the prize for the winners, premier football next season and the losers 1st division football.

In the opening 20 mins. Kilworth were totally on top with their midfielders pushing forward non stop and only some fine defending from Lismore keeping them in the game. In the final 10 mins. of the half Lismore came more into the game and a header from Pollard came back off the bar and cleared. Lismore's tactics of long balls down the centre played into Kilworth's hands as all were mopped up by Walsh, Condon, Whelan and Allen. At the other end Heskin and Lynch had opportunities, but were off target.

The 2nd half was only 2mins old when Tommy Seymour took advantage of a Lismore mistake to race into the area and score what proved to be the winning goal. Lismore then went in chase of the equaliser and took control of the game, but some outstanding saves from man of the match Ml. O'Brien kept Lismore from scoring. He made two excellent saves from Houlihan and Pollard when both seemed certain of goals and when Paul Quinn saw his effort hit the bar, Lismore were doomed for relegation and Kilworth survive another season in the premier.

Valley Rangers 3 Araglen 0  
This was the final league game for both sides which was played at Tallow on Wednesday and Valley already crowned champions went about winning this as if the title had not been

won. Pdraig Noonan scored twice in the opening half and Damien Farrell scored in the 2nd half. Araglen to their credit had opportunities in the closing minutes but Fitzgerald in goal thwarted them. Credit is due to both sides for an enjoyable sporting game.

The Championship Winning Trophy, Mari Mina Pharmacy, was presented to the winning captain Brendan Hickey by the Managing Director of Mari Mina Pharmacies, Mr Akram Hanna.

Ml. O'Neill, League Chairman congratulated Valley Rangers on winning the premier for the first time since 1982/23 season. Ml. thanked the sponsor Akram Hanna for

his continued sponsorship. Brendan Hickey suitably replied.

### CAPPOQUIN 3 AN GHAELTACHT 0

The final game in the league was played at Cappoquin on Sunday morning last and after a scoreless opening half Cappoquin scored three times through Snoopy Morrissey, Packie Manahan and Seamus Landers. On the day the better of two understrength teams won and Cappoquin finish their campaign in 3rd place in the table, so different to last season when they were almost relegated. Credit is due to Ml. Lacey as manager as they and An Ghaeltacht were in contention for much of the season.

## Ladies Soccer League News

### LISMORE CAPPOQUIN 0 BRIDEVIEW UTD 2

With Lismore Cappoquin down 2 players for some of the first half, Jackie Forbes gets her first goal for Brideview 5 minutes into the game, Brideview getting plenty more chances before the half time whistle went but they could not deliver. Both teams now with eleven players each, 10 minutes into the second half Jackie Forbes gets a second for the away side. Brideview had plenty of chances after that, Lismore Cappoquin pushing forward had a couple of chances but could not find the net on the night.

### KILMATHOMAS 0 PILTOWN 0

From the moment the whistle was blown this was a very close game, with both teams getting many chances in the first half and both teams going into the second half scoreless. Many chances for both teams in the second half but the backs were just to strong leaving the end result 0-0. Very good result for Kilmathomas first team to take a few points from Piltown.

### TRAMORE 1 JOHNVILLE 0

Catherine Power opened the scoring for the home side here, Johnville had plenty of chances after this but couldn't find the equalizer.

### LAST HOME GAME VERSUS WEST HAM

To those going to this match it now looks certain to be one hell of a party. To those that are not the place to be is John Keanes under the branch flag and a great day to be sure.

### F.A. CUP FINAL

We all know by now united face Chelsea in the "dream final" and a special day is being put together for the final. More details closer to the day.

### ONE UNITED MEMBERSHIP

As previously stated the number of One United members for next season will dictate the amount of tickets we will receive. All members are requested to renew through the branch committee for traceability purposes. If you require any further information contact the secretary on 086 3925677.

### MILAN TONIGHT (WEDNESDAY)

With the lads just about getting their voices back after the first leg last week it is down to business tonight for the second leg at the San Siro in Italy. United have a slender 3-2 lead going into the game but we were always going to have to score away from home so little has changed. Give it a lash boys and hopefully have us heading for Athens.

### CONGRATULATIONS

All in the branch would like to congratulate Kevin Walsh and Alan Harty who won tickets to the Champions League final at the Milan match last week. It just proves "if you're not in you can't win". Let's hope United are there to put the icing on the cake.



Brideview beaten by Valley Rangers 2-0 in the W.W.E.C. Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup final played in Modeligo. (Photos by Sean Byrne Photography)

## Manchester United Supporters Club

### WATERFORD BRANCH

#### WAIT IS ALMOST OVER

Over the last few months we have been ahead then pegged back by Chelsea but last Saturday was the most important day of the Premiership so far. At one stage the only thing separating the two was goal difference but at the final whistle the difference is 5 points and the title is "coming home".

#### O'SHEA SHINES AGAIN

The people on Merseyside must be sick of the sight of John O'Shea as he scored his 5th goal of the season to start the fightback on Saturday against Everton. Keep it up John as all in the branch are proud of our President.

#### RONALDO PFA CLEAN SWEEP

To be voted the best by your fellow professionals is the highest accolade a player can receive. To receive both young player and player is almost unheard of, in fact the feat has only been matched once by Andy Gray way back in 1977. That will tell you of the impact Ronaldo has had on United's season.



**WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES  
GER WYLEY/NIKE SUMMER SERIES RACE NO.2.**

# Huge Numbers Flock To Butlerstown – As Sandis Triumphs

Race number two in the Ger Wyley/Nike summer series The Butlerstown 10k and 5k fun run saw a brilliant turn out of 234 athletes in the 10k event plus a large increase for the shorter 5k fun run last Saturday evening for the Annual race with all proceeds from the event as usual going to the Waterford Alzheimer's Society who were presented with a substantial cheque on the night by Pat Hennessey race organiser and sponsor, excepting the check on behalf of the society Fintan Walsh thanked all the athletes who participated in the race and for supporting this very worthy cause.

The race as is usual was very well organised by Pat and his small band of helpers whom we thank for all their work on the night. Thanks to Butlerstown G.A.A. Club for the use of their pavilion for registration and changing.

Our thanks to the club officials on the night. Bríd and Gerry Cantwell, Bernie Wade, Michael Tutty, Michael Dunford, Jacinta Sheil and I must mention that we have found a new computer wizard in Megan Hayes who did a terrific job. Thanks to all others also who helped in any way with stewarding etc.

Thanks to the Holy Cross Pub for the use of their premises for the prize presentation and to the ladies who made all the sandwiches for the runners many thanks.

This years winner was West Waterford's Sandis Bralitis in a time of 31.31. Sandis broke clear of the field from the gun and ran his trade mark race from the start leading from gun

to tape to record back to back doubles having also won this race last year he also won race one in the Ger Wyley/Nike Summers Series the Marine climb recently. Sandis is of course the current titleholder for the summer series and has to be odds on favourite to retain this crown with two wins from two starts this year already.

West Waterford also filled second spot when Raivis Zakis who is running superbly well presently was clocked at 32.24. Dzintars Klava made sure of a West Waterford one –two –three when he came home third in a time of 33.25.

From a West Waterford prospective there were good performances from many athletes, to mention a few – Sean Stilwell, Billy Maguire, Tom O'Brien, Liam Cuddihy, Jim Duhig, Dermot Ryan, John Falconer, Liam Sandford, Liam Crowe. Well done to participants.

## MARY SWEENEY THE QUEEN OF THE ROAD CONQUERS

St. Finbarrs Mary Sweeney the countries uncrowned Queen of road running came to Butlerstown last Saturday evening and was a decisive winner of the ladies race posting a splendid winning time of 39.31. Mary finished well up the field in 43rd place overall. The Youghal lady now living and working in Cork City without doubt has more road races not alone ran, but won, than any other female athlete in the

country bar non. Mary has done it all track, indoors and outdoors, road, cross country, even hill running and the amazing thing about the jovial Cork lady is the fact that she running as well now at the tender age of 45 plus as she was 25 years ago. As they say Lee side she's massive boyyyy. In second place running an excellent race also and making the winners rostrum for the first time was Waterford AC's Mary Burke 42.02. Third lady home was club mate of Mary's, Brenda Lowe in 42.15.

Good to see Brenda among the winners this year as she is also a great supporter of all our events. West Waterford athletes to run well on the night included Joan Navin, Inese Meine, Tracy Dwyer, Sheileann O'Donoghue, Marie O'Gorman.

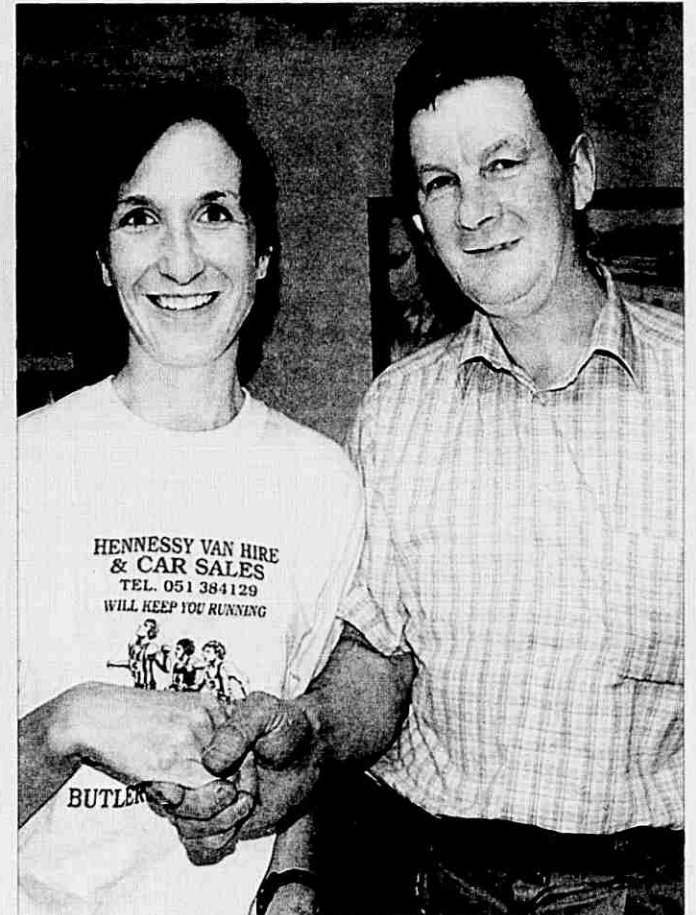
Next race in the series Bausch and Lomb Waterford to Tramore 7 mile road race Saturday May 19th 7.30 pm.

## TEAM EVENT

In the team event in Butlerstown last Saturday evening, which was picked on the computer handicap system, first place went to the team consisting of Liam Power, Dennis Kelleher and Stephen Elliott with 189 points. The second placed team were Martin Hayes, Justin Coonan and Ray Moore on 204 points. And the third team award was won by the team consisting of Gerry Cantwell, Donal Breslin, Bernie Power with 219 points. There were plenty of down the field spots also presented on the night.



Pat Hennessey of Hennessey's Garage, Kilmeaden, sponsor of last Saturday evenings Butlerstown 10k is pictured presenting overall winner of the race Sandis Bralitis, West Waterford A.C. with his winners prize.



Mary Burke, Waterford A.C., who finished 2nd lady overall at last Saturday evening's Butlerstown 10k is presented with her prize by race sponsor Pat Hennessey of Hennessey Garage, Kilmeaden.



Pictured moving along nicely last Saturday evening at the Hennessey Garage-Butlerstown 10k are this group of athletes.



Pictured passing the one mile mark at last Saturday evenings Butlerstown 10 k road race were Ger Wyley of Wyley Sports, overall series sponsors of the Summer Series of road races and Alan Tracey, Chairman of Carrick AC.

Padraig Nolan, West Waterford, pictured on the down hill section at last Saturday evening's Butlerstown 10k race. Number two in the Ger Wyley/Nike summer series of road races.



## WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

# Two From Two For Raivis At "Stride By The Tied" In Youghal



The second Annual B.H.A.A. organised Stride by the Tide in Youghal took place last Tuesday evening and a huge turnout of 218 runners took part despite the atrocious weather conditions.

The inaugural and apply named Stride by the Tide 4 mile race on the beach in Red Barn was won last year by club man Raivis Zakis and he was at

the starting line to defend his title along with a nice number of his West Waterford club mates. As said already the race is organised under the flagship of the Cork B.H.A.A. and local Youghal running club members Noel and Geraldine Curtin who spearheaded the committee who organised the event, which was kindly sponsored by the Quality Hotel at Red Barn.

Held over a very flat two lap beach course from the off three athletes went well clear

of the pack Raivis Zakis, Seán McGrath and Colin Merritt were locked together right up till the final half mile when Raivis with the help of a tail wind sprinted away from the other two leaving them battling it out for the minor placing. Raivis reclaimed his title in a time of 21.30 with Merritt second 21.34 and McGrath third in a time of 21.38.

It was great to see one of the all time road running greats of Irish athletics Noel Berkley make an appearance and he finished 5th 22.22 after a tough battle with no other than West Waterford Sean Stilwell who finished 5th in 22.34, another great run from Sean who really is mixing it with the best out there now. Philip Harty is making steady progress and he is improving nicely he ran a time of 24.19. Eamon Phelan ran a time of 25.45 and is in good shape at the moment. The above three took second senior team at the event.

Others to run on the night from the club were Ray O'Riordan 28.42 Gerry O'Connor 29.19, Pat Morrissey 29.39, Pat Connaghton 31.21, Josie Uí Chuirrin 31.30 and Ray Murray 34.27. Well done to all for supporting the race on such a dreadful night.

## CLUB TRACK AND FIELD NEWS

### MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIPS ON MONDAY

All roads lead to the Cork I.T. Track on this Bank Holiday Monday, May 7th for the Munster Junior and U-23 Track and Field Championships. The Club will be represented in both age groups. Any athlete in need of transport to Cork please contact, Tony or James. The following are the club team participating.

Rory Moloney, Junior 1,500 Metres S/Chase.  
Mark Shalloe, Junior 1,500 Metres S/Chase-800 Meters.  
David McCarthy, Junior 3,000 Metres.  
Aoideen Ashe, Junior Discus.  
Seán Stilwell, Under-23 S/Chase.  
Padraig Healy, Under-23 1,500 Metres & 3,000 Metres.  
Sinead Crotty under-23 1,500 Metres.  
Patrick Palmer, Michael Devine, Thomas Houlihan, Aisling Fennell, Emma Dunne, Siobhan Brackett (all pole vault.)

## MASTERS TRACK AND FIELD NEWS

Michael Tutty and Ann Dunford are presently recruiting what is turning out to be a very strong Masters team for the upcoming Masters Track and Field championships in Castleisland, Co. Kerry on Sunday May 27th next. If they have not been contacted and you are interested in taking part on the day please contact either Ann or Michael A.S.A.P. remember this is the clubs only call on our Masters for the entire track season so do come along if at all possible. We are currently Munster Masters overall best club at these championships and we do intend to hold onto this title. Come on wear the singlet do it for the pride of your club.

## THIRTY-SIX AT FIFTY FOR ANTHONY

Birthday greetings this week go to popular club member Anthony Dwyer who reached the half-century during the week. Anthony celebrated the occasion in style by taking part in the Butlerstown 10k on Saturday evening before retiring to Minnies for a gathering of family and friends to mark the occasion. He might be moving into shall we say the higher end of the Masters age categories, but there's plenty more running to come from the adopted Abbeyside man have no doubt, a veteran of no less than 36 marathons with another planned for Cork this June I predict he will go on to reach 40 marathons before he moves into the next Masters age category. Well done our kid.

### RUNNING QUOTE

*Tomorrow is another day, and there will be another battle! — Anthony Dwyer*



Helene, Liam and Cathriona enjoying last Saturday's Hennessy Garages, Kilmeaden sponsored Butlerstown 10k road race.

### 2ND ANNUAL ADULT SPORTS FRIDAY MAY 11TH

## The West Waterford Pentathlon

A reminder to all this week of our 2nd Annual Adults sports in St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside on Friday May 11th at 6.30 p.m. This sports meeting is open to everybody over 16 years of age, the sports aims to cater for beginners and regulars, juniors, seniors and masters. The events are 100 metres, 400 metres, 1 mile, shot put and long jump and 1 mile cycle race. The aim is to take part in all events for which you receive points based on your finishing placing but there is no pressure on anybody to take part in an event that they are not comfortable with. This proved to be a great night last year with lots of fun had by all and we expect the same this year so come along

and have a bit of crack with West Waterford AC.

A pair of Nike runners will be raffled among all non-prizewinners with the winners of each category receiving prizes.

West Waterford A.C. wish to thank the following local businesses that are sponsoring the clubs Pentathlon sports night.

- Alberts Newsagents
- M.T. Motors
- Dungarvan Grass Cutting
- Richie Power Scaffolding
- Keane and Power Drinks

Please support our sponsors when the opportunity arises

## Terri Gough Completes London

Well done to club member Terri Gough on her completion of the recent London Marathon. Terri who is a regular visitor to the English Capital on Marathon weekend completed the course in a time of 5.28, as did her husband James. Another one down folks, well done.

## BALLYGOWAN 10K ROAD RACE

The Annual Ballygowan 10k organised by Clonmel AC. will take place on next Sunday May 13th at 2 pm. The prize fund in Clonmel is very impressive for those who will be competing there with 200 euro going to the winner of the mens and ladies race, plus top 10 men receiving prizes. 1st 3 Masters over 40, 1st 2 over 45, 50, 55 1st over 60 and 1st 3 teams with 3 to score outside individual prize winners. 1st 6 ladies, 1st 5 masters ladies. 1st 3 ladies teams 3 to score outside individual prize winners. One prize per athlete applies with presentation packs to the first 300 entries on the day. Entry fee is 10 euro at Clonmel High School Sports Hall.

## COMMITTEE MEETING

Next committee meeting will be held on Wednesday May 9th in Minnies Bar at 8.30 pm.

## Leg It To The Minnies League

The Minnies Running League was due to get under way last night Tuesday at St. Augustine's College (by kind permission) and if early indications are anything to go by a huge crowd will have taken part. The league will be on going for the months of May and June with a mass start each evening, regular runners and beginners are all most welcome, registration each evening will start at 6.15 pm. Minnies Bar, Abbeyside is generously sponsoring the league. Everybody over 16 years of age is welcome to participate. Come along and enjoy the months of May and June running with West Waterford Athletic Club. Entry fee each evening will be 2 Euro and divisions will be in operation in the league. Participants are requested to park at the rear of the college.



## WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

GER WYLEY/NIKE SUMMER SERIES OFF TO A FLIER

### BIGGEST ENTRY TO DATE FOR SERIES

The Ger Wyley Sports/Nike summer series of road races hosted by West Waterford AC has drawn a record entry already with only two races of the ten-race programme completed. We had 98 register on the very first night at the Marine Climb and a further 35 registered in Butlerstown last Saturday night and many more are expected over the coming weeks as we progress in this years series. If the first two races are anything to go by where we had record entries in both races, it's shaping up to be a summer series equalled by non. The club and the sponsors are delighted with the increased numbers participating in this series which shows that the popularity of the event and the variation of races and distances is bringing more and more from the locality and indeed from outside Waterford county into our events, much thanks for this must go to our hard working club committee and members and, of course, our road racing section headed up by Gerry Cantwell also the various individuals and clubs who look after each of the ten races dotted around the county. Without the very kind sponsorship and goodwill received by the club and each race on its own merit we wouldn't be able to hold these events either. All in all it means the success that the club is currently experiencing is a huge team effort by a huge amount of people, well done to all.

GER WYLEY SPORTS/NIKE SUMMER SERIES RACE NO. 3

### 38TH ANNUAL WATERFORD TO TRAMORE PADDY FLANAGAN MEMORIAL ROAD RACE ON SATURDAY MAY 19TH

The oldest road race in the South East now in its 38th year. The annual Paddy Flanagan memorial Waterford to Tramore 7 miler takes place Saturday evening May 19th with a 7.30 pm starting time. The race keeps the traditional course starting at City Hall and finishing at the Majestic Hotel in Tramore. A new development to this years race is the announcement of a new sponsor in the guise of Bausch and Lomb Waterford who have kindly come on board to sponsor the event for the first time. We must also take this opportunity to thank Waterford Crystal for their kind sponsorship of the race over many years past. All athletes please note that entries for the race will be taken near city hall from 6.15. Showers and changing facilities are available at the Tramore G.A.A club house and the presentation of prizes will also take place there. Entry to the race is 7 Euro, the usual prizes will be on offer this year very kindly sponsored by Bausch and Lomb to whom the organisers are very grateful. Mrs Mary Flanagan wife of the late Paddy will again this year be in attendance as she has for the last 37 years to present the prizes and to present her annual special prize to the athlete whom she picks as worthy of a special award on the night.



A happy Paul Keating takes it nice and steady at last Saturday evenings Butlerstown 10k.



The victorious Waterford Camogie panel after they won the National League Final last Sunday.

## CAMOGIE- NATIONAL LEAGUE DIVISION 2 FINAL

# Classic Final Ends In Delight For Deise

WATERFORD 1-18 DOWN 2-13

Only a writer of William Shakespeare's standing could do justice to this epic encounter in O'Moore Park on Sunday. Unfortunately he was otherwise engaged and the testimony of the game will never reflect the passion and colour of the exchanges.

The scoreboard tells a story of thirty four scores in sixty pulsating minutes of camogie, but even that does not begin to describe the enthralling affair played out before our eyes.

Level Nine Times

The combatants from opposite ends of the island presented contrasting squads. From the Ards Peninsula and the Mourne Mountains you had an outfit laden with experience, tall and physically strong. From the Comeraghs and the banks of the Suir you had a youthful band of fearless athletes.

Nine times during the hour the teams were level. With 7 minutes left on the clock Down were up by three points and looked destined for glory. But the indomitable spirit of the girls from the South East rose to the challenge. They wiped out the deficit going ahead as we moved into time added on, scoring six unanswered points, five of these from open play.

The Northern girls refused to let their hopes of triumph fade and went in search of an equalising goal. They were met with a rock solid defence that refused to yield, resisting for all of the five minutes of injury time added on by referee Damain Noble.

The Opening Half

A fortuitous goal after three minutes of play from Karen Gribben had Down off to an excellent start. Waterford's response was swift and set the tone for the day. Four consecutive points from Karen Kelly (2), Pauline Cunningham and Aine Lyng put the 2006 Division 3 Champions ahead.

The lead was relinquished soon after as Down got into their rhythm. This was a new experience for Waterford as we were about to see their mettle tested. A steady stream of points restored Down's advantage. A fantastic goal line save from the magnificent Sally O'Grady ensured Waterford stayed in touch.

Goal Chances

At the other end the normally deadly attackers were having no luck in front of goal with several chances going astray. They looked a little of the pace as they were playing catch up with their more

experienced opponents. However they continued to pick off points to ensure they stayed in touch.

A second Down goal on twenty minutes from Mairin McAleenan put them five points up and in a commanding position. Undaunted the young Waterford players maintained their composure. This was shaken again when Down were awarded a penalty, fortunately Karen Cribben blazed it over the bar. Shortly before the half time break Waterford's youngest player, Trish Jackman, broke free and hand passed the ball to the net with the coolness of a veteran.

Half Time

Waterford 1-9 Down 2-7

As the supporters from both sides discussed the riveting 30 minutes that had just elapsed, the Waterford management team were busy ensuring their charges fully understood what lay ahead. They had to raise their game to a level not attained yet this year. Down would now have the advantage of a breeze that the Deise girls had not fully utilised.

Some tactical changes were made, the most telling being the partnering of club mates Charlotte Raheer and Pauline Cunningham at midfield and placing Lismore's Gráinne Kenneally at centre forward. This had been a problem area where Down centre back Fionnuala Carr had been dominant.

Pace Increased

Waterford moved to a new level and the crispness of the camogie

improved further as we were treated to a scintillating second half. The unerring accuracy of Aine Lyng moved them into a lead. Down countered, points were traded as parity was the order of the day.

Playing with much more confidence the Waterford backs reigned supreme, repeatedly the white booted Jennie Simpson emerged from tight melees with the sliotar in hand. The O'Grady sisters, Jenny and Sally dominated their opposite numbers. Annette Raheer, Niamh Ryan and Vicky Gaffney all helped stop the flow towards goal.

Brilliant Save

Down did threaten to add to their goal tally but a truly brilliant save by Fiona Ni Chadhla midway through proved to be one of the key moments of this pulsating classic. However as we moved into the closing stages Down found themselves 3 points in front thanks to points from McGourty and McAleenan. Serious questions being asked again about the heart and soul of the youthful Déise outfit.

Array of White Flags

Their fitness and determination now came to the fore as they reeled off a succession of points. The introduction of Emma Hannon at wing forward had given extra impetus to the attack. For the first time the Mourne rearguard struggled to keep pace. In those last seven minutes of regular time Waterford had six unanswered points,

five of these from play. Four from top scorer Lyng, one from Nicola Morrissey and a sublime effort from her sister Tanya closing Waterford's account.

5 Minutes Injury time

The sideline official signalled five minutes of injury time, a communal raising of blood pressure in the stand! Renewed hope for a flagging Down outfit. They went in search of equalising scores. Perhaps this was Waterford's finest moment, as they swarmed all over the field denying the space and time to their opponents. A hectic five minutes, it should have carried a health warning. The final whistle and the fairy tale continues.

Tribute from President

Uachtarán Cumann Camogaíochta, Liz Howard acknowledged it as one of the best finals in years as she presented the cup to Sally O'Grady. All who were lucky enough to be there concurred. League titles in successive years, a tremendous achievement.

Waterford — Fiona Ni Chadhla, Aisling Kelly, Sally O'Grady (Capt.), Niamh Ryan, Jenny O'Grady, Annette Raheer, Jennie Simpson, Charlotte Raheer, Gráinne Kenneally, Aine Lyng (0-12), Pauline Cunningham (0-1), Aine Breathnach, Karen Kelly (0-3), Nicola Morrissey (0-1), Trish Jackman (1-0), Tanya Morrissey (0-1), Ailish Dunphy, Aisling O'Brien, Mairéad Murphy, Lisa Prendergast, Aileen Cummins, Emma Hannon, Roisin Heylin, Vicky Gaffney.



President of Cumann Camogaíochta Liz Howard presents the cup to Sally O'Grady.



# Kilmacthomas FC Notes

## ALPHA LOTTO RESULT

Winning Letters K, L, R, T. No Jackpot winner. New Jackpot €3,300. Weekly Winners (5 x €30) — 1) Mary Kiersey, Hillview, Kilmac; 2) Monica Cheasty, 6 Walsh's Place, Kilmac; 3) Grace Kiersey, Ballyhussa, Newtown; 4) Joey Reilly, Graiguesheneen, Kilmac; 5) Eddie King, Ashtown, Fewes. Thanks to Lynn's Next weeks draw will be held in Lenihans.

## ASTRO-TURF

We ask you to keep up your support as work continues on the construction of Astro-Turf training pitch.

## SCHOOLBOY RESULTS

**U-13 Cup — Villa 3 Kilmac 0**  
Well done to all the boys who put in a big performance even though the score-line doesn't quiet reflect it.

## U-16 — Kilmac 2 Seaview 1

Another fine win by this team who are playing some very good football at the moment. Johnny Joy scored the first when he chased down the ball which the keeper was trying to let go out of play and the second was scored by Mark Mulhearn after some lovely play which involved Steven Lynn, Kavan Dee and Pat Kennedy.

Seaview pulled one back when a kick-out by Sean Power from his hands on the 18 yard line fell short and was volleyed back over his head from the center of the pitch.

Steven Lynn just missed out on "goal of the season" when his long-range attempt from out on the wing had beaten the keeper only for the woodwork to deny what would have been a beautiful goal.

Team — Paddy Kiersey, Pat Kennedy, Kavan Dee, Martin Scurry, Mark Mulhearn, Steven Lynn, Niall Walsh, Kieran Ahearne, Kealon Kiersey, Joe-Joe, Johnny Joy, Shane Lawlor and Sean Power

## UNDER-15

# Kilmac' Crowned Champs

## Ballinroad 0 Kilmac 0

Congratulations to Kilmac' who were crowned champions of this league when they overcame Ballinroad in this top of the table clash on Sunday morning.

Although short the services of Sean Sutton and Owen Walsh this team continued their winning ways (unbeaten in league) to clinch the title. Goals from Evan Joy, Kealon Kiersey and Kavan Dee overcame a spirited Ballinroad challenge who needed to win this game to keep their title hopes alive.

This team fully deserve the title as they have played some great football all season. This is also a big reward to the coach's Michael Dee and Martin Walsh who have moulded them into a close-knit team with a high work ethic, confidence and positive attitude.

## JUNIOR RESULTS

### 2nd Division Cup

#### Tycor 1 Kilmac 5

Kilmac with the breeze in the first half took full advantage with goals from Martin Coffey (2), Crockey Power and Ger Fitzgerald to give Kilmac a 4-0 half time lead.

In the second half Tycor upped their game putting Kilmac under pressure and pulled one back mid way through the half. Martin Coffey was then fouled inside the box and he picked himself up to slot home the penalty for his hat-trick.

A very good result for Kilmac which sees them advance into the next round.

## Premier

### Kilmac 1 Dungarvan 1

How Kilmac didn't win this game is a big question as they had the better chances, with a number of attempts going narrowly wide, de-

nied twice by the woodwork in a matter of minutes at the start of the second half and a great chance by big Tony Kirwan when with only the keeper to beat, opted to pass to Leo Barry only to find that Leo was coming from an off-side position.

Kilmac could have lost this game only for a great save by Darren in the dying minutes to deny Dungarvan the win.

## Kilmac 0 Carrick 3

The last thing this team needed when fighting for premier survival was to meet a top-of-the-table team going for the title.

Congratulations to Carrick who made sure that this wasn't a "banana slip", to ensure their name is inscribed on the trophy once again.

Although Kilmac continue to put in strong performances, they still remain in the drop zone. They have two games left so survival is still in their hands and ask for your continued support.

## SCHOOL-GIRLS FOOTBALL

We travel to Johnville this Friday night for a challenge match. Leaving from Keatings Shop for 6.15pm.

## UNDER-AGE ACADEMY

A number of challenge matches have been organised so please contact Danny Walsh on Mob: 086-2372249.

## TRAINING

Anyone wishing to join the academy are to attend training which is on every Friday evening in Alaska from 6.00pm to 7.00pm

## "LILY O'BRIEN CHOCOLATE FEAST HAMPER"

A lovely "Lily O'Brien Chocolate Feast Hamper", donated by Centra, is the first prize in our raf-

fle, with pictures of Manchester United and Liverpool "Soccer Legends", donated by David Lynn as second and third prize.

Tickets are only €2.00 and are on sale at Johnny Power, The Shop.

## LADIES SOCCER

### Kilmac 0 Piltown 0

Our Ladies team had Piltown as visitors to Alaska Park on Thursday evening last, and put in a very spirited performance to earn a share of the points against a strong visiting side.

Piltown had the better of the early exchanges but our defence of Tina Fitzgerald, Cliona Kirwan, Lorraine Power and Aishling Weldon held firm to limit their forwards to a couple of chances.

As the game went on we got more into it and created a couple of chances through Caoimhe Downey and Donna Power.

Piltown strengthened their midfield in the second half but Anita Dee and Freda Morrissey were equal to the challenge, along with Ruth O'Donnell and Caoimhe Downey who worked tirelessly throughout.

We had our best spell 10 minutes into the half and were creating some good chances with Donna Power, Aoife McCormack and substitute Lisa Leslie going close on a number of occasions.

Late in the game however, Piltown could have scored as they hit the crossbar and upright and also found keeper Amy Sutton in tremendous form, especially when with seconds to go, Amy dived full stretch to deny the visitors what would have been the winner.

Sub not used: Cathy Weldon

# BALLINAMEELA GAA NOTES

## JUNIOR HURLING

We played the first round of the junior hurling championship on Saturday week last in Cappoquin. Mellary were our opponents and while a win was expected we were unsure about our prospects due to having a number of players unavailable on the day. In saying that, those who played showed good determination and effort through out the hours hurling. We got a couple of soft goals in the second half which left a big gap between the teams at the end. Terry McCarty picked up a nasty back injury and we wish him a speedy recovery.

On Saturday evening last we played Ballysaggart in the hurling league. Again we were tight for numbers and we looked as if we might be in for a bit of a lesson from a well pre-paired Ballysaggart team. In the first half we contested reasonably well but the concession of two goals gave Ballysaggart the advantage. The second half brought out a great effort in our lads and we picked off some great points slowly reducing the lead but just as we seemed to get with in touching distance of our opponents they'd get a score or two to keep them ahead. A last minute goal proved to be just a little too late and we ended up losing by a point.

We are out again in championship against favourites Kilgobnet on Saturday next. This will be a big challenge for our lads to get something out of this game but no doubt a big effort will be put in.

## THE STACKS ARE BACK

John, Ken, Cyril and Ross are back in the Park Hotel on Thursday evening to open the Feile na Deise festival. No doubt there will be a huge crowd in there as their reputation is growing very quickly.

# STRADBALLY SOCCER NOTES

## GIRLS

Girls soccer is one of the fastest growing sports in the world at present. We in the club have a number of girls involved with the boys teams but now girls are going to have their very own league. Up till now a lot of work has been going on in order to organise leagues and blitzes for the girls and now with the back up of the Waterford Schoolboys League, the FAI and a specially appointed full time Girls Development Officer in Munster, Eithne Lydon, new leagues in Waterford have been set up. These are for under-10, under-13 and under-16.

This Thursday evening (tomorrow), we are asking all girls in these age groups to come to the field from 6.30 to 7.30 and we will see what numbers are available in each group. Mags Kiely can be contacted on 087-7985030 and Bridget Drohan on 087-2435863. Don't worry about your ability, we will concentrate on the fun part especially. Anyone who reads these notes or parents or players who knows of girls in your area who would be interested in playing please let us know.

Under-10 is for girls whose date of birth is in 1997, 98 and 99. Under-13 is for girls whose date of birth is in 1994, 95 and 96. And under-16 whose date of birth is 1991, 92 and 93. To get these teams up and going, we need you to contact us and to come along on Thursday at 6.30.

And how appropriate in this week when a Waterford Woman Ciara Grant won a European Uefa cup medal with Arsenal along with two other Irish girls.

## CUP UP AND RUNNING

Saturday last saw us step out in defence of the Infirmary Cup which we have won with the past two seasons and our opponents on the day were city side St Paul's and after ninety minutes of first class football we advanced to the quarter final on a 4-0 victory score line. Paddy Kiely struck a wonder

goal after twenty minutes when he let fly from forty yards and his shot sailed to the top corner for contender of goal of the season. Franny Carroll made it two nil when he got between two defenders and struck home Kevin Lawlor's cross. Stuart Fee added two more in the second half when he first lobbed the keeper from outside the area. Tommy Connors did the groundwork for his next and Stuart was on hand to tap home. A real team effort with Stephen Lawlor in midfield running the show. The defence was solid with Philip Curran and Alan Darcy outstanding and Liam O'Brien in goal holding his defence together.

Team: L O'Brien, K Lawlor, S Lannon, A Darcy, P Curran, F Carroll, P Kiely, S Lawlor, E Cummins, T Connors, S Fee, T McGrath, P Doyle, N Connors

## CUP QUARTER FINAL

Red Star are our next team in the cup and nothing less than 100% will be good enough in this one. We face a stern test but we can win but we need every player ready for this one. And yes we need a bit more support for the lads for this one. Kick off at 6.45 this Friday evening in Red Star. Please be well on time. They are situated just by exiting left from the Airport roundabout on the new ring road and then turning right after just 100 yards.

For the record, we played Crusaders over a week ago in the league and the following were the scorers, Stuart Fee, Christopher Lawlor, Stephen Lawlor, an o.g. and Nicky Connors who specialises in scoring against Crusaders.

## UNDERAGE NIGHT

The season is now coming to a close and plans are well advanced for our end of season night for our younger members. We will give a full account of where and what happened with our teams closer to the event at the end of May.

## TRIP TO ENGLAND

Only a few places remain on this trip in August which is to the Bir-

ingham area of England. This is mostly for our under-11 teams and family but anyone else involved in the club who wish to go and have a weekend away can contact Dave on 087-9475136 and Dave is cock a hoop at present after Birmingham's promotion to the Premiership.

## FIELD WORK

Good to see the floor of dressing rooms in and our block layers who made a big effort last Saturday in starting the block laying stage of the development. Any more block layers out there that are willing to help, please contact Ollie on 087-4120111. We really would be grateful for any help in this stage of work. As the saying goes, "many hands make light work".

## LOTTO

The latest draw took place in the Bally Inn last Sunday week and the numbers called were 5, 10, 19 and 21. The following won €25 each, Conor Hennebery, Liam Gough, Aishling Galvin and Liam Connors as promoter. The next draw takes place this Sunday evening in Whelans, Stradbally and as we keep emphasising, please support.

## FUTSAL

The final stages of the Futsal competition in the Dungarvan Sports Centre took place last Saturday and congratulations to Railway who won the event by beating Stradbally in the final. Also thanks to Ballinroad and Kilmac who also participated. Hopefully we could get it going on an annual basis. More next week.

## CONGRATS

Congrats to the Waterford Hurlers on their great achievement in capturing the National League title last Sunday but it is even more pleasing that the team was captained by a Stradbally man in the form of Michael Walsh. Well done Michael.

And talking of National titles it was great to see De La Salle College capture the All Ireland Senior Hurling Colleges title and there are many people in Stradbally who are former pupils of this great college.

## CUMANN LÚTHCHLEAS GAEL

# Bord na nÓg Port Láirge Thiar

## FEILE

The Feile hurling County final played last week saw Western title holders Cappoquin lose out to a stronger Ballygunner. However well done to Cappoquin on getting to the County final. Cappoquin fought hard all the way but were unable to overcome a determined Ballygunner side. Best wishes to Ballygunner when they represent Waterford in the All-Ireland feile in June.

## FEILE SKILLS

On Sunday 23rd the Western Feile finals took place at Cappoquin. Six participants contested from the Division 1 clubs. They were as follows Dean Whelan Cappoquin, Edward Longeran Cois Brid, Sean Hyslop Dungarvan, David Collins Abbeyside, Darren Foley Clashmore and Peter O'Keefe Lismore. After participating in their six skills the representatives to forward on to the County final last Wednesday evening were as follows Darren Foley Clashmore, Peter O'Keefe Lismore and Edward Longeran Cois Brid.

At Walsh Park our three Western participants took part last Wednesday evening in the County final and congratulations to Peter O'Keefe on winning and to Edward Longeran on coming second. We wish Peter all the best in the All-Ireland

## WESTERN U14 HURLING

### SPONSORED BY

### CAPPOQUIN CHICKENS:

In the Division 1 final on Fri 27th April Dungarvan played Lismore in the Western Division 1 final at Dungarvan. After an excellent game Dungarvan defeated Lismore on a score of 0-11 to 3-1. The Bord wishes to thank Cappoquin Chickens for their sponsorship

## UNDER 14 WESTERN

### HURLING RESULTS:

#### Sponsored By

#### Cappoquin Chickens

Division 1 — Dungarvan 0-11 Lismore 3-1.

## UNDER 12 WESTERN

### HURLING RESULTS

Sponsored By Jimmy McCarthy

Division 1 — Brickeys 2-5 Abbeyside 2-5.

Division 2 — Clashmore 4-3 Ardmore 0-5.

## UNDER 12 WESTERN

### HURLING FIXTURES:

Sponsored by Jimmy McCarthy

All games start at 11.30am

## Divisions 1 League

### Round 2 6th May

Brickeys v Lismore

Dungarvan v Cois Brid

Abbeyside Bye

### Round 3 13th May

Abbeyside v Lismore

Cois Brid v Brickeys

Dungarvan Bye

## Division 2 League

### Round 2 6th May

St Pats v Clashmore

Ardmore v An Gaeltacht

Fourmilewater v Cappoquin

### Round 3 13th May

Clashmore v Fourmilewater

Cappoquin v Ardmore

An Gaeltacht v St Pats

## Division 3

### Round 1 13th May

St Olivers v Kilrossanty

Ballyduff Upper v Stradbally

## Semi Final 3rd June

Western Final 9th June

County Final 23rd June

## VHI CÚL CAMPS

The GAA and the VHI have teamed up to bring you the best summer camps ever. They are the Vhi Cúl Camps and will give 80,000 kids the best coaching in Hurling, Camogie and Gaelic Football. The camps will be run throughout the summer from Monday to Friday, 10.00am to 2.30pm.

You will get training from top coaches, have loads of exercise and make new friends. Everyone will also get a full set of playing gear, including jersey, togs, socks and a knapsack for taking part.

These camps will be the best around 'cos they will be all about "fun" and "taking part", giving all kids the chance to play whatever their level of ability. Playing not winning is the aim of the game and teamwork is key to all camp activities.

Camps commence in July and will continue to August. Full details from all club secretaries or County Co-ordinator Eoin Breathnach 087 9219345.

# Tourin G.A.A. & Neighbourhood Notes

## Waterford V Kilkenny

Well what can I say....nothing really but what a sweet victory over Kilkenny! Waterford finally packed a killer blow and now they are a force to be reckoned with for the 2007 Hurling Championship!! Well done to everyone — players, mentors and the supporters (who were there in numbers)....we are very, very proud of you!

## Laos v Wicklow — Div 2 Hurling Final

This game was a more sombre affair in the lead up to our match with Laos coasting to an easy victory over the Garden County....and yes it was a pity that the Captain of the winning team's speech was drowned out by the introduction of the Waterford and Kilkenny teams.

## PA System in Semple Stadium

On one of our more historic occasions, the PA system let us down in Semple Stadium on Sunday. But I suppose, he hardly would have been heard with the huge Waterford support present on the pitch.

## Waterford V Down

The Waterford ladies were in action at O'Moore Park, Portlaoise against Down in the Div 2 of the Intermediate Championship Final. And it was they who set the stage for the first of two wins last Sunday. Well done ladies.

## Minors

Good Luck to our Waterford Minor team who take on Cork in Cork tonight (Wednesday), 2nd May — Good Luck to all.

## Challenge Game

Tourin played away to a Drangan side from Tipperary last weekend. This was a good workout in preparation for their junior hurling championship match against Ballysaggart this Saturday evening at Cappoquin — Start Time: 7.15 pm. Good luck to the team.

## Confirmation & Communion

Confirmation was celebrated in Cappoquin on Sunday last while Lismore and Ballysaggart celebrated Communion on Saturday and Sunday.

## Car Boot Sale

Please note that Sunday, May 20th is our Car Boot Sale. If you require details please contact 087 956 2839 or any Tourin Hall Development Committee member.

## Condolences

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late Michael Farrell, Lismore (formerly Deerpark, Lismore). Mike (aka Busty) ran a fast food business for many years and was renowned for his curry chip and he also served up a mean curry chicken in his day.



# Co. Bord na nÓg Notes

## BALLYGUNNER TO REPRESENT WATERFORD AT FEILE NA GAEL

Ballygunner will represent Waterford at this year's Feile na nGael in Kilkenny following their win over Cappoquin in the County Final at Walsh park last Wednesday evening. (See club notes for a report on the game). It has been reported to me that Ballygunner fully deserve their victory. They got a number of crucial goals at important stages of the game, which dented Cappoquin's hopes of a victory, and it has been said that they could have won by an even bigger margin.

On the night of the County final the draws for this year's national finals took place at Hotel Kilkenny at Kilkenny. Ballygunner as over the past few years have been placed in division one, and were drawn in section "C" along with Dicksboro and Barrow Rangers from the host county as well as the Offaly representatives.

Clubs in Division One will play for the Christy Ring Cup. The draws in full for the division one competition is as follows, Section "A" O'Laughlin Gaels, Clara, Tipperary, Cork (2nd team), Section "B" James Stephen's, St. Lachtain's, Cork (1st team), Galway, Section "C" Dicksboro, Barrow Rangers, Offaly, Ballygunner, Section "D" Thomastown, Mooncoin, Limerick, Wexford, Section "E" John Lockes, Graigue-Ballycallan, Dublin (1st Team), Clare.

The very best of luck is wished to Ballygunner. Further details of the competition will appear in these notes as they come to hand.

### Feile Skills

Congratulations to Peter O'Keefe of the Lismore Club on winning the County Feile na nGael Skills competition last week. Waterford representatives since the competition began have done very well. Shane "Shiner" Ahearne (Ferrybank), David Kiely (Mellera/Glen Rovers) and Thomas Ryan (Cois Bhride) have all won the competition and others have gone very close to winning it. The very best of luck is wished to Peter in the finals.

### Hat-trick of Titles

These are very interesting times to be Waterford G.A.A. Supporters. In the past ten days, a hat-trick of titles have come to the county. Following on from De La Salle's brilliant win over Kilkenny C.B.S. in the Colleges All-Ireland Final, Waterford Senior Camogie team were victorious over Down in the division two national league final at O'Moore Park in Port Laoise on Sunday last and two hours later the senior hurlers captured a first National hurling League Title since 1963. Congratulations to all involved.

### Under 16 Football

The County Under 16 football championship, which has been up, and running with the past number of weeks is fast drawing to a close. So far the competition has been going very

well and clubs are getting to play against clubs and at venues they normally would not have to do so against when the primary under 16-football championship was run off on a divisional basis.

In Division one, Roanmore, Dungarvan, Tramore and Clashmore look as if they are going to be the teams to play in the semi finals at this stage, but Gaultier, De La Salle and Kilrossanty could yet sneak in.

Division two is also a very close affair. Rathgormack, Ballinacourty, Affane and Naomh Brid look as if they could be the teams to advance to the semi finals at this stage, but like in division one, there is a number of clubs who can and should not be ruled out of contention at this stage.

In division three, Ferrybank and Sacred Heart look as if they are that bit stronger than the other clubs in the division and should reach the semi finals. Dunhill/Fenor, Kilmachthomas, St. Oliver's and St. Saviours all too have a realistic chance of reaching the semi finals.

In division four, Ardmore would appear to be the stronger of the three clubs in the division and should reach a county final going on the results of their games to date. However there is still plenty of time to go and both Ballyduff and An Gaeltacht will fight very hard to also contest a county final later in the year.

Listed below are the fixtures for this Monday night and the most up to date league tables as possible.

### Under 14 Hurling

The County under 14 hurling championship got underway on Saturday last with a number of games played in division one and three. There were a number of games, which was called off, and these will be re-fixed as soon as possible.

Listed below are the results of the games played on Saturday last and also the fixtures for the coming weekend.

### Results

At the end of last week all clubs were written to asking that results of all games be passed onto County Bord na nÓg P.R.O. Thomas Keane as soon as possible after each game. Sean Organ has made contact with County Adult Bord P.R.O. Joe Cleary and County Bord na nÓg P.R.O. Thomas Keane about introducing a new juvenile G.A.A. segment into his evening show on W.L.R.fm.

Every Monday evening, provided results come in on time, Sean will read out results of all juvenile fixtures played within the county over the weekend and has also said that if a player plays remarkably well and if details are passed onto yours truly, he is willing to read these details out live on the air after the local news at 10-30pm.

On behalf of Bord na nÓg I would like to thank Sean for introducing this segment to his show. How it works out is in the hands of the clubs, each club should appoint someone who is willing to pass on results and to make the segment on Sean's show a "must listen to"

for G.A.A. fans across the city and county.

Results should be phoned, texted (087 2919595) or emailed (HYPERLINK "mailto:keanethomas@eircom.net" keanethomas@eircom.net) to Thomas Keane as soon as possible after each game. For results to be included they have to be submitted by 9-30pm.

### Best of Luck

The very best of luck is wished to the County Minor Hurlers for when they play Cork in the Championship Tonight (Wednesday) in Cork. Hopefully the recent success will spur them on to great things.

### Commiserations

Commiserations to the County Minor Football team on their exit from this year's Munster Championship at the hands of Tipperary in Fermoy last Wednesday at the quarter final stages.

### FIXTURES

#### Saturday May 5th Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club - Dublin Branch

#### County Under 14 Hurling Championship All games at 3-00pm

##### Division One

Roanmore v. Tramore  
Mount Sion v. Ballygunner  
Dungarvan v. De La Salle  
Butlerstown v. Abbeyside  
Cappoquin v. Lismore

##### Division Three

St. Patrick's v. Ardmore  
St. Oliver's v. St. Mary's  
Passage v. Ferrybank  
Fourmilewater v. St. Saviours

#### Monday 8th April Combined Waterford and Tramore Credit Unions County Under 16 Football Championships. - all games at 7-30pm.

##### Division One

Tramore v. De La Salle  
Kilrossanty v. Roanmore  
Dungarvan v. Clashmore

##### Division two

Naomh Brid v. Rathgormack  
Nire v. Brickeys  
Stradbally v. Ballinacourty  
Affane v. Portlaw

##### Division Three

St. Oliver's v. Dunhill/Fenor  
St. Saviours v. Kilmachthomas

##### Division Four

Ardmore v. Ballyduff Upper

### RESULTS

County Feile na Gael Final  
Ballygunner 5-7  
Cappoquin 0-2

#### Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club - Dublin Branch

#### County Under 14 Hurling Championship

##### Division One

Mount Sion 1-5  
Butlerstown 1-5  
Dungarvan 3-10  
Ballygunner 4-4  
Roanmore 5-14  
Abbeyside 1-4

##### Division Three

Ardmore 3-2 Brickeys 3-5

#### Western Under 14 Hurling Division One Western Final Dungarvan 1-8 Lismore 3-1.

#### Combined Waterford and Tramore Credit Unions County Under 16 Football Championship

##### Division One

Clashmore 3-9 Gaultier 0-5

##### Division Two

Nire 2-5 Affane 3-7  
Portlaw/Mollerans 0-3  
Ballinacourty 0-11

##### Division Three

St. Saviours 7-4  
St. Oliver's 1-3

#### Waterford and Tramore Combined Credit Unions Under 16 Football Championship league tables

##### Division One

Roanmore	3	3	0	0	6
Clashmore	3	3	0	0	6
Dungarvan	3	2	0	1	4
Tramore	3	2	0	1	4
Gaultier	3	1	0	2	2
De La Salle	3	1	0	2	2
Kilrossanty	2	0	0	2	0
Mount Sion	4	0	0	4	0

\*Mount Sion has withdrawn from the competition.

##### Division Two

Rathgormack	3	3	0	0	6
Ballinacourty	4	3	1	0	7
Affane	4	3	0	1	6
Naomh Brid	4	2	1	1	5
Brickeys	4	1	0	3	2
Nire	4	1	0	3	2
Portlaw	4	1	0	3	2
Stradbally	3	0	0	3	0

##### Division Three

Ferrybank	4	4	0	0	8
Sacred Heart	4	4	0	0	8
Dunhill/Fenor	5	2	0	3	4
Kilmachthomas	2	0	0	4	
St. Oliver's	6	2	0	4	4
St. Saviours	4	2	0	2	4
Lismore	4	1	0	4	2
Cois Bhride	3	1	0	2	2
St. Mary's	4	0	0	4	0

\* St. Mary's and Lismore have withdrawn from the competition.

##### Division Four

Ardmore	2	2	0	0	4
Ballyduff Up	1	0	0	1	0
An Gaeltacht	1	0	0	1	0

#### Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club - Dublin Branch Under 14 Hurling Championship league tables

##### Division One

Dungarvan	1	1	0	0	2
Roanmore	1	1	0	0	2
Butlerstown	1	0	1	0	1
Mount Sion	1	0	1	0	1
Ballygunner	1	0	0	1	0
Abbeyside	1	0	0	1	0
Lismore	0	0	0	0	0
Tramore	0	0	0	0	0
Cappoquin	0	0	0	0	0
De La Salle	0	0	0	0	0

##### Division Three

Brickeys	1	1	0	0	2
Ardmore	1	0	0	1	0
St. Patrick's	0	0	0	0	0
St. Mary's	0	0	0	0	0
St. Saviours	0	0	0	0	0
St. Oliver's	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrybank	0	0	0	0	0
Fourmile	0	0	0	0	0

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## Co. Senior Hurling Championship Fixtures Saturday May 5th

At Walsh Park @ 7:00:

Cnoc Sion v Ballyduff Lower T. Sullivan

At Fraher Field @ 5:45:

Ballyduff Upper v Clonea D. O'Murchadha

At Fraher Field @ 7:00:

Lismore v Fourmilewater T. O'Byrne

### Sunday May 6th

At Fraher Field @ 2:00:

De La Salle v Deughlan Naofa P. Casey

At Fraher Field @ 3:30:

Ballygunner v Abbeyside J.M.Kelly

At Cappoquin @ 6:30:

Stradbally v Tallow M. Condon

## Western G.A.A. Fixtures

Friday 04/05/07 @ 7.15pm

Comeragh Oil Intermediate Hurling Championship.  
St Marys v Shamrocks @ Cappoquin Referee T Sullivan.  
Cappoquin v Brickey Rangers @ Colligan Ref M Condon.  
Clashmore v Colligan @ Fraher Field Ref D O Murchu.  
Dungarvan v Geraldines @ Ardmore Referee J M Kelly.  
The Local Bar Junior Hurling Championship.  
Tallow v Fourmilewater @ Tooraneena Ref P Fitzgerald.  
Ballyduff v Stradbally @ Aglish Ref R Whelan  
Abbeyside v Ardmore @ An Rinn. Ref J Condon.  
Modeligo V Glen Rovers @ Lismore ref K Martin

Saturday 05/05/07 @ 7.15pm.

Turin v Ballysaggart @ Cappoquin Referee J M Kelly .  
Ballinameela v Kilgobnet @ Colligan Ref P Casey.

Sunday 06/05/07 @ 12.00 pm.

Brickey Rangers v An Rinn @ Old Parish Ref S Reddy.  
Shamrocks v Dungarvan @ Cappoquin Ref P Fitzgerald  
Kilgobnet v Clashmore @ Bushy Park Ref R Whelan  
Geraldines v St. Marys @ Colligan Ref K Martin.

## Waterford GAA Results

### Co Senior Football Championship

Clashmore 2-13 Brickey Rangers 1-6  
St Saviours 3-10 Mahon Gaels 3-6  
Ballinacourty 0-17 Rathgormack 1-5  
St Brendans 2-8 Tramore 1-7  
An Rinn 1-7 Kilrossanty 0-9

### Co Hurling League

Roanmore 1-15 Colligan 1-7  
Dunhill 0-12 Geraldines 1-8  
Passage 3-17 Shamrocks 2-15  
Ballysaggart 4-10 Ballinameela 2-15

### Western Minor Football A

Nire 5-15 Stradbally 0-1  
Ballinacourty 1-13 Clashmore/Kinsalebeg 0-7

### Western Minor Football B

Naomh Brid 1-10 Affane 1-5  
An Gaeltacht 2-11 Kilrossanty 1-11

## Stradbally GAA Club Notes

### Under 16 Football

The U-16 footballers played Rathgormack on Monday last. They lost, however they put in a spirited performance.

### Senior Hurling

We play Tallow on Sunday next in Cappoquin in the first round of the senior hurling championship.

### Social Centre

May 6th Pat & Ger

### Minor Football

The minor footballers opened their campaign against the Nire on Friday night last unfortunately they were well beaten on the night.

### Parish League Results

Round 11: Kerry 5-7 Tyrone 2-2  
Waterford 8-11 Dublin 6-2  
Mayo 11-0 Armagh 3-1  
Cork 5-5 Cork 4-5

### Fixtures For Friday 4/05/2007 at 7.00 p.m.

Round 12: Armagh v. Dublin; Kerry v. Cork

Tyrone v. Roscommon; Waterford v. Mayo

### National League Final

Well done to all the Waterford players and mentors on their National League success.



## G.A.A. NOTES

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

## Minor Footballers Lose to Tipperary

Tipperary 1-12 Waterford 0-8

Although we showed a remarkable improvement on our display against Cork we were still not good enough to defeat Tipperary at Fermoy on Wednesday night last. Waterford played far better football in the second half but an Eoin Kennedy goal which was very much against the run of play and was scored in the 54th minute spoiled whatever chances we had at this stage when we were playing the better football. Playing with the breeze we were four points in arrears (0-7 to 0-3) at half time. Tipperary afterwards agreed that they were flattered by their 7 points winning margin.

Team — M. Walsh, C. Nugent, A. Seward, J. McGrath, P. Kiely, T. Prendergast, T. Houlihan, J. O'Mahony, S. Ahearne, C. O'Neill, I. Power, P. Gribthin, J. Flynn, C. Casey, S. Corcoran.

## Senior Football Championship Results

An Rinn 1-7 Kilrossanty 0-9

Although this result was always a possibility, when it happened it was something of a shock to the Comeragh team who were thought to be on their way back. This one point defeat was a setback. At the same time it would be unfair to take from the Gaeltacht team's narrow win. Their greater fitness was a factor in bringing about this surprise result.

St. Brendan's 2-8 Tramore 1-8

This wasn't a surprise as on last season's form, the group team from the eastern division can prove to be a big stumbling block as the championship progresses.

St. Saviours 3-10 Comeragh Gaels 3-6

A report tells that this was a very well contested game in which the experience of the Ballybeg team stood out.

## Gaelic Games Coaching Corner

### DLS Croke Cup Victory

The coaching and games committee wish to congratulate all in DLS College on a superb victory in the Croke Cup. The win was just reward for all players, managers and all involved in the team who have put in such a huge effort over the last year. Hopefully all involved can go on to ever bigger success with county teams in the coming years.

### Level 1 Logbooks

All those who recently completed the Level 1 coaching course held in Waterford are asked to return their completed logbooks by May 11th. All coaches with completed logbooks at this date will receive their certificates immediately. Please contact any of the GPO's or tutors to hand back logbooks.

### Young Whistlers

After a successful course in Feb another course for Young Whistlers will take place. The venue will be Lawlor's Hotel Dungarvan on Thur 10th May at 7pm. Anyone interested please contact one of the GPO's for further details.

### Coaches for U12 Hurling

A programme of intensive coaching will take place for U12 hurlers during the summer months 8 Saturdays from May to August. Coaches are needed to help provide the quality coaching planned. Coaches will not be required to coach each session. All coaches will attend a coaching day with Paudie Butler, National Hurling Director on 19th May where he will outline a programme. Anyone interested in coaching on this is asked to contact John Quinn with details.

### VHI GAA Cul Camp Coaches

Application forms for positions as Coaches and Assistant Coaches can be got from any club secretary or any of the GPO's. Anyone interested must send in completed form to Eoin Breathnach by April 26th 2007.

### VHI GAA Cul Camp Application Forms

Forms have been given to Club Coordinators and will be distributed in the next few weeks at training sessions. All GPO's will be delivering app forms to schools in the next week. The cost of the camps is the same as 2006 €5 for 1st child, €5 for 2nd child and €30 per child thereafter. App forms can also be downloaded from

### U14 Hurling Dev Squad

Training continues on Wednesday 2nd May in Abbeyside at 7pm. All players must be on the pitch at 6.50pm. Training will continue on Wednesdays for a few weeks.

### Hurley Helmet Subsidy

Many clubs have availed of the Hurley Helmet subsidy grant for 2007. This year clubs can also get Go Games sliothars with one dozen given free for each dozen paid for. Any clubs who have not availed of the grant can still do so by returning the form to Liam Cheasty.

# Senior Hurling Championship Commences

Saturday next May 5th will see the commencement of the Senior Hurling Championships 2007 and with all twelve club teams engaged there should be plenty of entertainment and excitement for everyone. It is likely that the second round of this championship will be played on the following weekend before the County team embark on a visit to Portugal for a specialist training session in preparation for the Inter County championships.

With the teams grouped every game is of vital importance and all clubs will be all out to capture first round points.

### Mount Sion v. Ballyduff Lower

This game is scheduled for Walsh Park on Saturday evening and it will see the county champions with the likes of Ken McGrath, Tony Browne, Eoin McGrath, etc., as favourites although the Jack Kennedy led Ballyduff did run the city team close on a couple of occasions before. The choice here is for Mount Sion to take the points.

### Ballyduff Upper v. De La Salle

Ballyduff who are confident of doing well and have prepared very well for this championship should have it within their scope to defeat last years intermediate hurling champions Clonea in the first of two afternoon games at Fraher Field.

The eastern team who won this championship almost 60 years ago have been in and out

of senior competition over the years. Now following an amount of success at underage level they are back in business at the top level again and while they will be hoping to do well I doubt if they will seriously trouble Ballyduff.

### Lismore v. Fourmilewater

This is the second game at the Dungarvan venue and I figure it will be quite a contest between two teams whose standards are not that far apart.

A couple of years ago Lismore would have been warm favourites to get over this one but Fourmilewater's form in 2006 (when the same group of players were gearing themselves for an assault on the Senior Football title) was good enough to suggest that they are in this championship game with a chance, however the vote goes to Lismore to get by in an exciting contest.

### Sunday May 6th

The three games listed for Sunday are all at western venues and include an interesting double header at the Fraher Field.

### De La Salle v. Ardmore

This is the opening game at the venue and I see it as an intriguing contest with the western side led by Seamus Prendergast, Clinton Hennessy and Declan Prendergast making things difficult for the John Mullane lead City team which will include a number of the young players who brought an

All-Ireland title to their college two weeks ago. The result might go Ardmore's way but I would not feel too confident about this.

### Abbeyside v. Ballygunner

This is listed as the feature game at the venue and it should produce some sparkling hurling if both sides play to form. They are the only two senior hurling clubs who did not have a player on the starting 15 in Thurles last Sunday. Their recent meetings at underage has built up a sense of rivalry that was present almost 40 years ago and then faded. Two months ago the sides met in the 2006 under 21 hurling county final which was a thriller and ended in a narrow win for Abbeyside.

The Gunners with Paul Flynn back in action will come here on a revenge mission and with all guns blazing from the word go, will make things difficult

for Abbeyside who will be outsiders.

Still the villagers will fight tooth and nail to score a first round victory that will help to secure their place at senior level for another season. Ballygunner though will be favourites and a defeat for them would be surprise.

### Tallow v. Stradbally

This game will be played at Cappoquin on Sunday evening and should round off the senior programme with a thrilling contest. Stradbally led by team captain Michael Walsh reached the county semi-final last year and will feel confident of doing at least as well this year. Tallow renowned for their skill have prepared well and seem to be approaching their top form as seen in their league games will be my fancy to gain the points in what might be a nail biting finish.

## Player Welfare Scheme Shock

To say that the announcement by the Minister for Sport, John O'Donoghue that he will not be funding the proposed player welfare scheme, which most people believed had already been agreed, came as a huge disappointment to county boards and to senior intercounty players, would be a serious understatement.

The fact that the details of the grant scheme had been circulated to all county boards and published in the media, makes the decision all the more embarrassing for the Association President Nicky Brennan and the negotiating team who were firmly of the opinion that the whole thing had been done and dusted.

The Minister has stated that he is prepared to grant aid other G.A.A. promotional and development schemes to the tune of the same amount which was proposed for the hurlers and footballers scheme (5million) and that this will release money that will enable the G.A.A. to fund the welfare scheme. John O'Donoghue pointed out that there is no guarantee that the Government funding referred to will be on a permanent basis.

The whole business now leaves the Association having to take a major decision. If the scheme is to proceed along the lines as outlined in the submission initially, it must be funded by the G.A.A. itself and here I have no doubt but that it will be seen as 'pay for play' and that once started there can never be a question of not continuing it and regularly increasing the payments in line with increased cost of living.

The matter is likely to be debated by Central Council at their meeting on Saturday May 12th.

## Waterford Disappoint President

Association President Nicky Brennan made no secret of his disappointment at the failure of the Waterford Manager Justin McCarthy's refusal to attend a 'head to head' with his opposite number Brian Cody in promoting the National hurling league final.

Nicky hit out on the occasion of the launch of the Bank of Ireland football All Ireland championship in Croke Park last week. He felt angry about it because, as he pointed out, every team manager and every county board has a responsibility in helping out when it comes to promoting our games.

It is understood that Justin McCarthy was overlooked by the league sponsors when most of the other hurling managers

## MHC v. Cork Tonight

This is our first hurling championship on the intercounty scene and our young team should have a big following when they travel to Pairc Uí Rinn on this Wednesday evening.

With five of the De La Salle college team included on the line out our prospects of a surprise win, must be reasonably good. Team.

Stephen Enright (Abbeyside)

Sean Leahy (Lismore) Shane Fives (Cappoquin) Paddy Kennedy (De La Salle)

Colum Casey (De La Salle) Paul Horkan (Fourmilewater) Philip Mahony (Ballygunner)

Noel Connors (Passage) Kieran Geary (Cois Brid)

Stephen Power (Ballygunner) Karl Duggan (Dungarvan) Shane Kearny (Ballyduff West)

Richard Fenton (Fourmilewater) Craig Moloney (De La Salle) Gavin Crotty (Dungarvan)

Subs. — S. O'Keeffe, Ballygunner, S. Kearney, Brickeys, T. Casey, Dunhill, Alan O'Neill, De La Salle, S. Lawlor, Fourmilewater, S. Crowley, St. Saviours, T. Ryan, Cois Brid, C. Curran, Dungarvan, J. Foran, De La Salle.

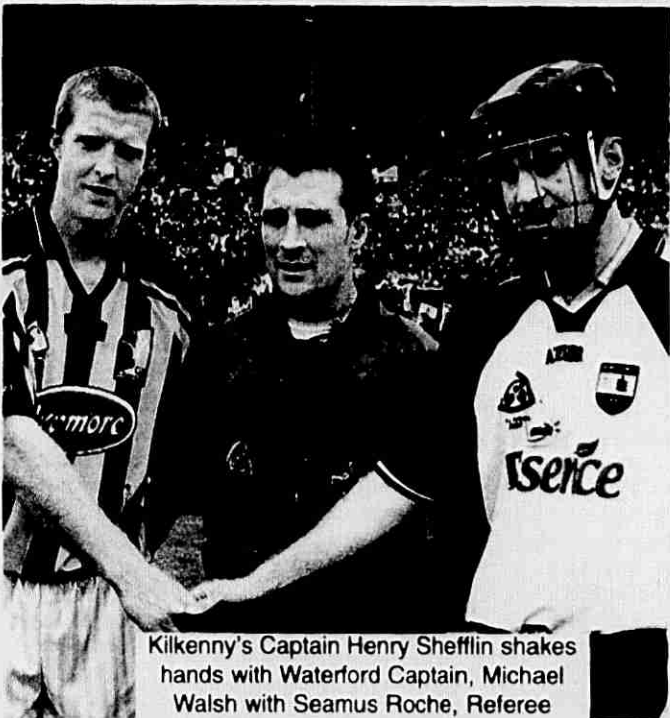
Note: The losers of this game will play again on next Wednesday.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Heroic Deise Shock Thriller at Semple



Kilkenny's Captain Henry Shefflin shakes hands with Waterford Captain, Michael Walsh with Seamus Roche, Referee

Everyone who were part of the amazing celebrations which went on after about ten thousand Waterford supporters raced on to the pitch to swarm the victorious team at the finish of this breath-taking encounter are not likely to ever forget this epic hurling league final which was undoubtedly as good, if not better than any of the finals played to date.

Mighty Kilkenny were the reigning league champions and had occasion to celebrate on no fewer than 13 occasions. This was our first win since 1962/63 when we won our only title and this was so good that the 'chant' around the Thurles ground afterwards was 'it was well worth waiting for.'

**Great Hurling**

The quality of the hurling, the tempo of the match and the closeness of the scoring all through will be talking points

until we win our next national title and following our splendid exhibition here there will be expectations that this will come sooner rather than later. The teams were level on nine occasions and over the 76 minutes of play the scoring gap never rose above 3 points.

In fact the only disappointing thing was the attendance of around 22,000, but the encouraging feature of this was that the white and blue supporters were in a clear majority. And as one colleague remarked afterwards to me there was not a single neutral supporter in Semple Stadium, Kilkenny had their few thousand and everyone else were Waterford supporters on the day.

The figures of the game showed Waterford having played with the very slight breeze to be 2 points in front at halftime and trailing by 3 points with under 10 minutes remaining. The determined Deise then drew level and forged a one point lead which Shefflin wiped out just at the end of normal time to heighten expectations of a replay on Sunday next, until the true character of this brilliant Waterford side exposed itself with two super points that gave us this long overdue and well deserved victory which among other things will strengthen the team's confidence coming up to the championship.

**Play**

Waterford fielded the 15 players on the match programme but there were nine positional changes when the game started and Kilkenny showed one change with P.J. Delaney taking over from the injured John Tennyson at centre halfback.

Conditions were ideal for the game, with just a very slight breeze up-field and favouring

Waterford in the first half.

A Jack Kennedy point from play in the first minute gave us a good start but Henry Shefflin had the teams level a couple of minutes later. Martin Comerford and Eoin Kelly exchanged points to keep it level as did Ken McGrath and Derek Lyng (from frees) in the 17th and 18th minutes. Eoin Kelly and Derek Lyng swapped points to have the match level for the fourth time by the 23rd minute (0-4 to 0-4).

Henry Shefflin and Eoin Kelly, both pointed from frees and then Shefflin had another to narrow the gap

But Waterford, in control coming up to halftime increased their lead with scores from Eoin Kelly and Ken McGrath and when the break came we held an 0-11 to 0-9 lead and also we had shot 8 wides as against 3 for Kilkenny.

**Second Half**

The opening 10 minutes was undoubtedly our worst patch of the game when we allowed the league champions to come from a 2 points deficit to a 3 points lead. Shefflin and Eddie Brennan were the marksmen that changed the pattern of the game at this stage. It was now 0-14 to 0-11.

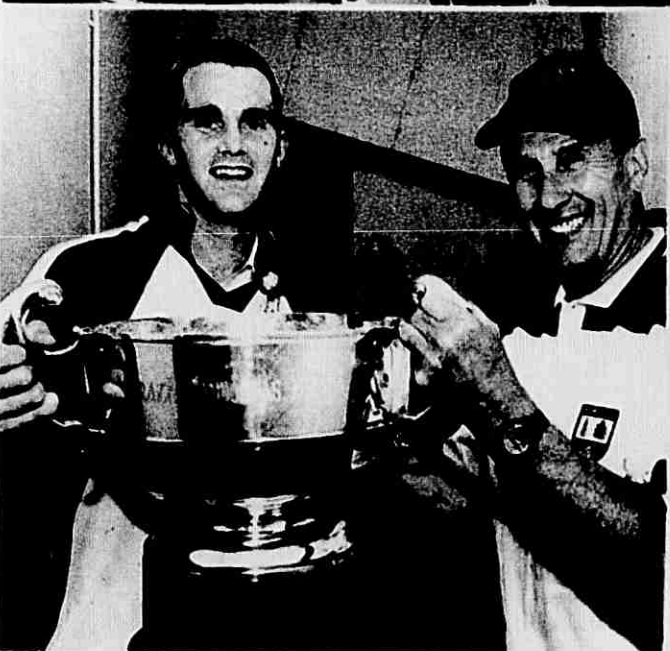
Paul Flynn was introduced

to strengthen the attack in the 12th minute. Kelly and Shefflin both converted frees and there was an exchange of scores involving Shefflin and Waterford substitute Eoin McGrath. Then Paul Flynn hit a point for the Deise and Dan Shanahan followed with the equalising score in the 22nd minute of the half. Shefflin had a point and we drew level again when the well policed John Mullane had his first of the game. It was 0-16 apiece and just on the 30th minute it was 0-17 each after Richie Power and John Mullane each pointed from play.

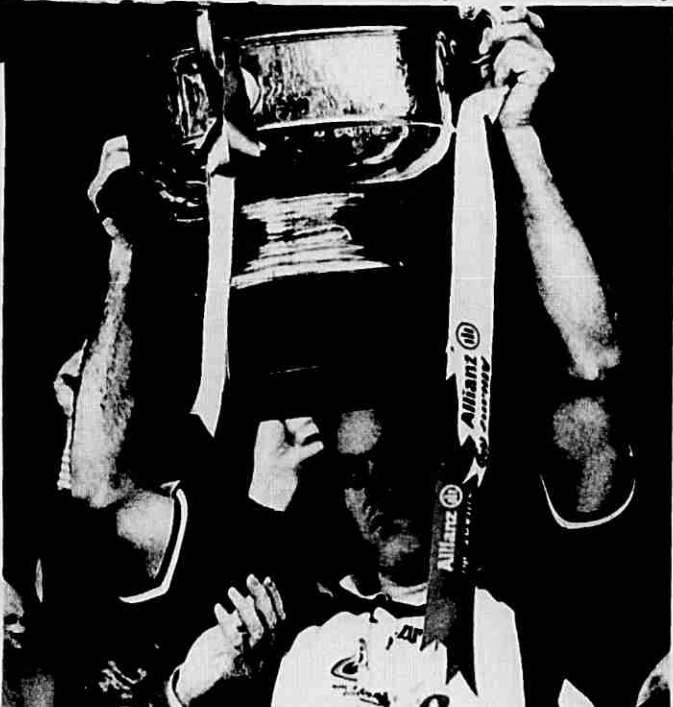
The game was at the end of normal time when it was announced that four minutes of added time would be played and it was in these closing minutes that the real character of this great Waterford side showed and a super point by Eoin Kelly with a first time strike and another super score by Seamus Prendergast gave us the winning points that ended the 44 year wait for a senior national hurling title. The scenes of joy and jubilation during the presentation of the cup to team captain Michael Walsh had to be seen to be believed. It equated anything in the form of a celebration that we have witnessed in a very long time.



Exciting scenes in the Waterford dressing room after the victory



Captain Michael Walsh and Manager Justin McCarthy with the National League Cup.



Waterford's captain Michael Walsh holds the cup up high following the presentation by GAA President Nicky Brennan.

**Sean Byrne Photography**



Waterford's Dan Shanahan takes on J. J. Delaney

**Record TV Audience For 2007 Hurling League Final**

Yesterday's live coverage of the 2007 Allianz National Hurling League Division 1 Final on TG4 achieved the highest audience ever for a programme on the channel. Overnight data from AGB Nielsen the official television audience measure for Ireland, show that 309,000 viewers watched Waterford's win over Kilkenny from start to finish. In all half a million viewers tuned into GAA Beo at some stage over the course of Sunday afternoon, with the Allianz Division 2 finals in hurling and football also being shown on GAA Beo.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# The Mighty Cats in Stadium

National Hurling League Final  
**Waterford 0-20 Kilkenney 0-18**



Waterford, National Hurling League Champions 2007. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

Centre half back Ken McGrath who really gave a majestic display was awarded the man-of-the-match accolade but until the announcement was made, several names were mentioned as being deserving of the privilege.

I found it a game in which every player played to his absolute limit and while goalkeeper Clinton Hennessey with

the fullback line of Aiden Kearney, Eoin Murphy and Declan Prendergast each giving a super performance and keeping Kilkenney without the goal they needed to hold on to their title, were the subject of praise lavished on them by supporters after the match, it might be invidious to single out a group on a day when the entire team played so well.

Tony Browne and James Murray, each did great work in flanking Ken in the halfback line while team captain, Michael Walsh had a super second half when the chips were really down. Jack Kennedy who partnered the captain had a great first half which began with his opening point and all the forwards, Seamus Prendergast, John Mullane, Eoin Kelly, Dan Shanahan, Stephen Molumphy, Shane Walsh with substitutes Paul Flynn, and Shane O'Sullivan, Eoin Kelly in contributing 8 points, each did his share in

moulding this wonderful victory. Well done then to Justin, Nicky, Seamie and Michael who were the planners who masterminded this welcome and overdue title win and to the panel and everyone associated with the victory

Scorer: Waterford - E. Kelly (0-8), S. Prendergast 0-3, K. McGrath 0-3, J. Mullane 0-2, P. Flynn, E. McGrath, J. Kennedy and D. Shanahan 0-1 each.

Kilkenny - H. Shefflin 0-12, M. Comerford and R. Power 0-2 each D. Lyng and E. Brennan 0-1 apiece.

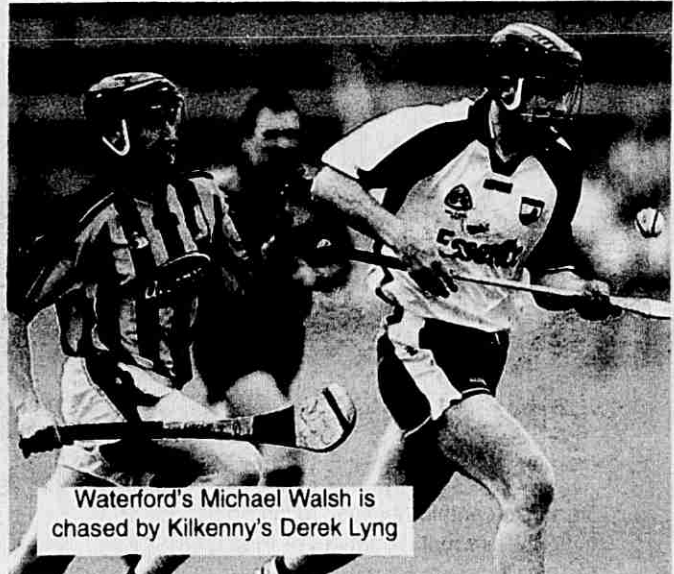
Waterford — W. Hennessey,

A. Kearney, E. Murphy, D. Prendergast, T. Browne, K. McGrath J. Murray, M. Walsh, J. Kennedy, D. Shanahan, E. Kelly, S. Molumphy, S. Walsh, S. Prendergast, J. Mullane. Subs. P. Flynn for S. Walsh, E. McGrath for J. Murray, S. O'Sullivan for J. Kennedy.

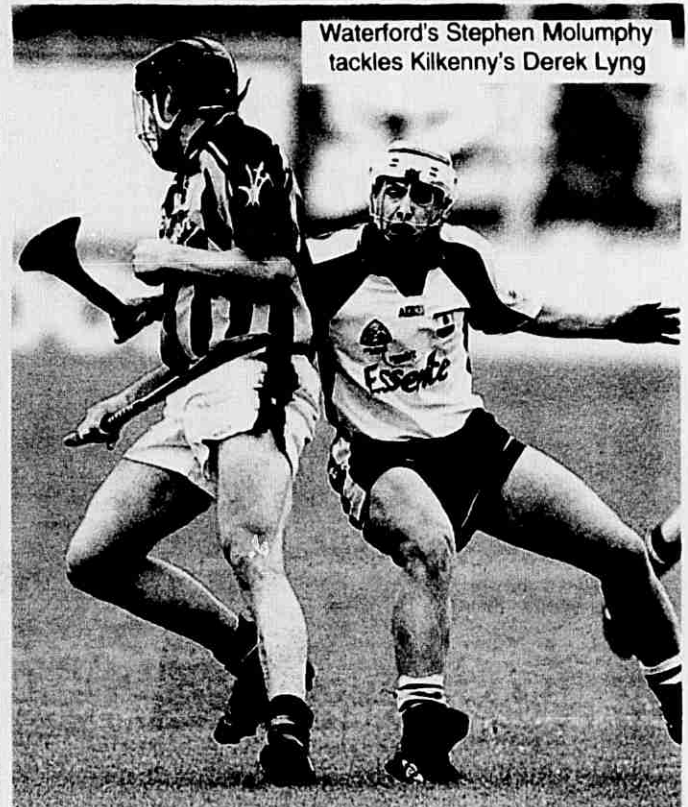
Kilkenny — P.J. Ryan, N. Hickey, B. Hogan, J.J. Delaney, J. Tyrell, T.J. Delaney, T. Walsh, T. Lyng, W. Dwyer, E. Brennan, M. Comerford, G. Power, H. Shefflin, J. Fitzpatrick, A. Fogerty. Subs. E. Larkin and E. McCormack. Ref. Seamus Roche, Tipp.



Waterford's Seamus Prendergast gets ahead of Kilkenney's Willie O'Dwyer and Eddie Brennan



Waterford's Michael Walsh is chased by Kilkenney's Derek Lyng



Waterford's Stephen Molumphy tackles Kilkenney's Derek Lyng



G.A.A. NOTES

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Strong Second Half Performance By Clashmore

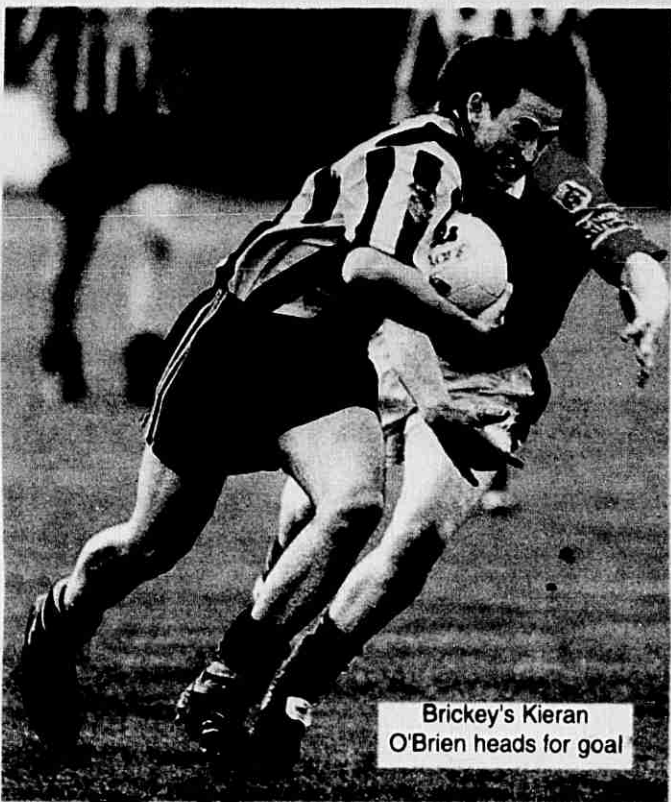
CLASHMORE 2-13 BRICKEYS 1-6

A thundering second half after a mediocre first half which saw them a point in arrears at the break, brought Clashmore through this first round encounter.

The Brickeys were having their first challenge since winning the intermediate title last year and inexperience was a factor against them here.



Action from the Brickeys v Clashmore during their senior football championship match at Fraher Field.



Brickey's Kieran O'Brien heads for goal



Brickey's Kieran O'Brien side steps his Clashmore opponent during their senior football match at Fraher Field.

Deserved Win For Ballinacourty

Senior Football Championship — Ballinacourty 0-17 Rathgormack 1-5

Underfoot conditions were poor at Leamybrien but both sides made the best of the situation in a game that was competitive all the way and while the final score might not have done justice to Rathgormack, Ballinacourty were the form team here and won deservedly.

The winners fielded without a number of their regulars and a number of the young replacements impressed and some may be retained.

Rathgormack began with a flurry and had 2 point on the scoreboard within two minutes of the start but within another two minutes Ballinacourty were on level terms following points by Mark Gorman.

Further scores by Mark Gorman and Gary Hurney sent them into a lead which they never relinquished

Paul Power brought back a point for Rathgormack in the 18th minute but they raised no further white flags before half-time while Ballinacourty had scores per John Gorman,

Patrick Hurney Aiden Landers and two splendid scores by Patrick Hurney to leave the halftime tally at 0-9 to 0-3.

SECOND HALF

Points by John Gorman, Gary Hurney and Mark Ferncombe brought the gap to 10 points in favour of Ballinacourty at the three-quarter stage.

A very well taken goal by Paul Power, followed by a John Kirwan point in the 37th and 39th minutes gave Rathgormack some hope of a revival but their only other score in the game came in the 60th minute while the winners had added scores by Mark Fives Gary Hurney and Sean O'Hare to leave them comfortable winners in the end.

Ballinacourty — D. Enright, J. Mullen, L. Hurney, G. Breen, S. Briggs, J. Phelan, P. Lynch, J. Hurney, G. Hurney, M. Gorman, M. Fives, P. Hurney, A. Landers, J. Gorman, M. Ferncombe.

Rathgormack — B. Crotty, M. Mears, D. Hasset, D. Crotty,

M. Phelan V. O'Shea, M. Crotty, R. Power, M. Cummin, P. Power, P. Shanney, P. Larkin, E. Hogan, K. Power, J. Kirwan.

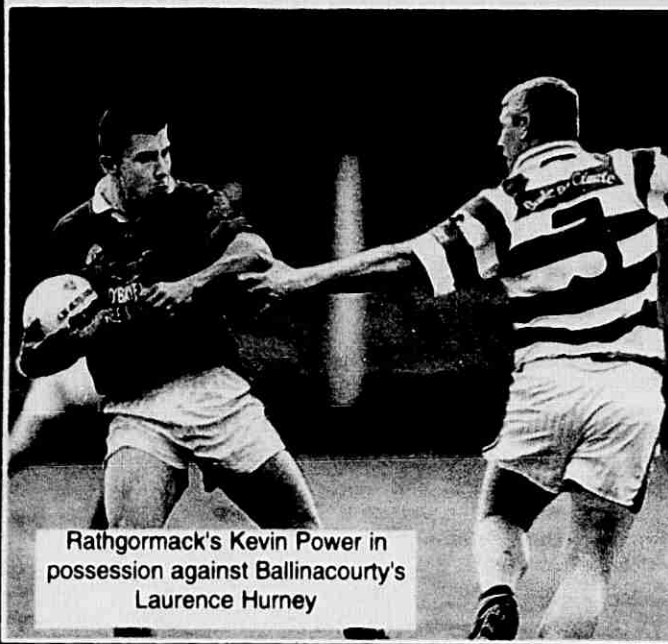
Subs. played R. Power and P.Crotty. Referee John M. Kelly, Shamrocks.



Ballinacourty's John Hurney side steps Rathgormack's Victor O'Shea

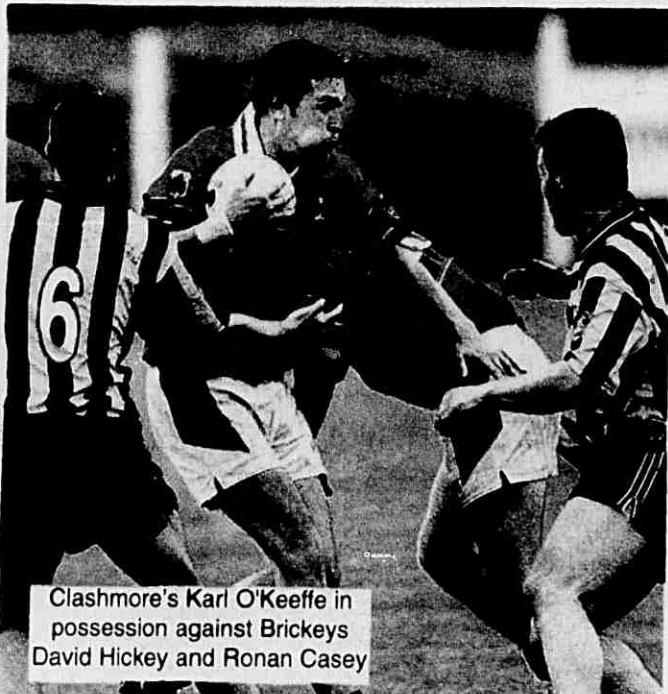


Ballinacourty's Patrick Lynch gains possession against Rathgormack's Pdraig Larkin

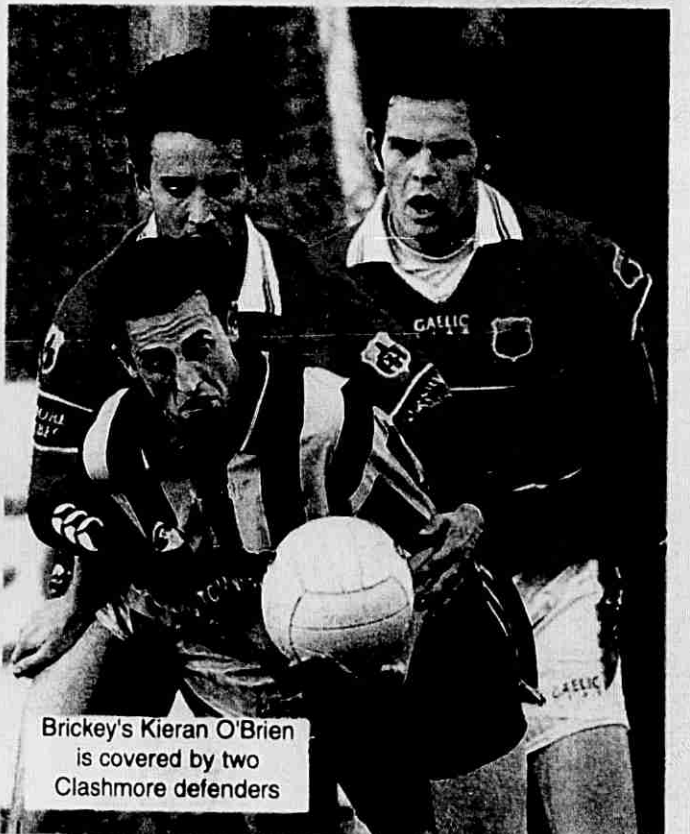


Rathgormack's Kevin Power in possession against Ballinacourty's Laurence Hurney

Sean Byrne Photography



Clashmore's Karl O'Keeffe in possession against Brickeys David Hickey and Ronan Casey



Brickey's Kieran O'Brien is covered by two Clashmore defenders



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# Dungarvan GAA Club Notes



Patricia Walsh, Secretary Western Bord na nOg, presenting the trophy for the Under-14 Div. 1 Hurling Championship to Sean Hyslop, captain of the Dungarvan team, after their win over Lismore in the final at Dungarvan Club Grounds. Below is Dungarvan Captain Sean Hyslop with the trophy for the Western U-14 Div. 1 Hurling Championship after his team's win over Lismore. (Photos by Rory Wyley)

## U-10 CAPPOQUIN HURLING TOURNAMENT

Our U-10's had their first taste of victory last weekend when they travelled to Cappoquin to participate in their annual tournament of hurling. It was made up of four teams, namely Roanmore, Dungarvan, Glen Rovers of Cork and the hosts Cappoquin.

Each team played each other with the top two teams playing the "A" final and the other two playing the "Plate" final.

A comprehensive win over The Glen in our first match gave the boys, and girl, the start they needed. Second up were city slickers Roanmore who are normally well prepared at this age but again our lads surprised even their mentors, it has to be said with another fine win. With Cappoquin winning their first two group matches, this meant that our group match with them could be played as the main final as both teams were unbeaten.

This match was a real "hum dinger" with end to end excitement but again the lads stood up to everything that the hosts threw at them and when inter county referee Tommy Sullivan blew the final whistle to bring to an end a fantastic match, Dungarvan were crowned the victors. This was a very well organised tournament and I would like to thank Cappoquin for the invitation, Darragh Lyons, Captain of Dungarvan collected the cup on behalf of the team amidst great scenes of excitement.

## U-14 WESTERN "A" HURLING FINAL

Last Friday evening we took on Lismore in the Western "A" Final. This was a cracker of a game and went down to the wire with Dungarvan coming up trumps in the end. Lismore to their credit battled right through and missed a late "late" free to equalise. Well done to all the boys, who, it has to be said, whilst they didn't play to their ability, have given us great memories to savour already this year and we're still only in April.

## U-14 COUNTY LEAGUE STYLE "A" HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday last we took on red hot favourites Ballygunner in the first round of this competition and came away with a well deserved victory. Hav'n played Lismore the night before in the Western Final, one could forgive the lads for conceding a few sloppy early goals but when they got up to match pace, they fought tooth and nail for a fantastic win. This should give them a great boost for the rest of the championship but every body knows, one swallow doesn't make a summer. We take on De le Salle next weekend and this will be every bit

as hard as last week ends game.

## INTERMEDIATE HURLING

The lads play their second group game on Friday evening and another win is a must. See local fixtures for time and venue.

## JUNIOR HURLING

The first game of the year at this grade takes place on Sunday morning. See local fixtures for time and venue. A lot of our junior panel has already been used at intermediate level so it looks like being a tough year but you never know.

## FLAG DAY

I would like to thank everyone that contributed to our annual Club Flag day last weekend. Also a big thank you to all the people that made themselves available to sell

## WATER FORD MINOR HURLERS

Best of luck to the Waterford Minor Hurling Team who take on Cork in Paire Uí Chaoimh this Wednesday evening at 6.30 p.m. We are well represented here with Karl Duggan and Gavin Crotty in the Starting line up and Cormac Curran, a minor again next year, on the subs bench. Best of luck to the lads.

## WATERFORD SENIOR HURLERS

Well done to the Senior Hurlers on a fantastic win over Kilkenny in the National League Division 1 Final last Sunday. This was a great performance and hopefully the lads can transfer that form into the Championship when it gets under way for them in seven weeks time.

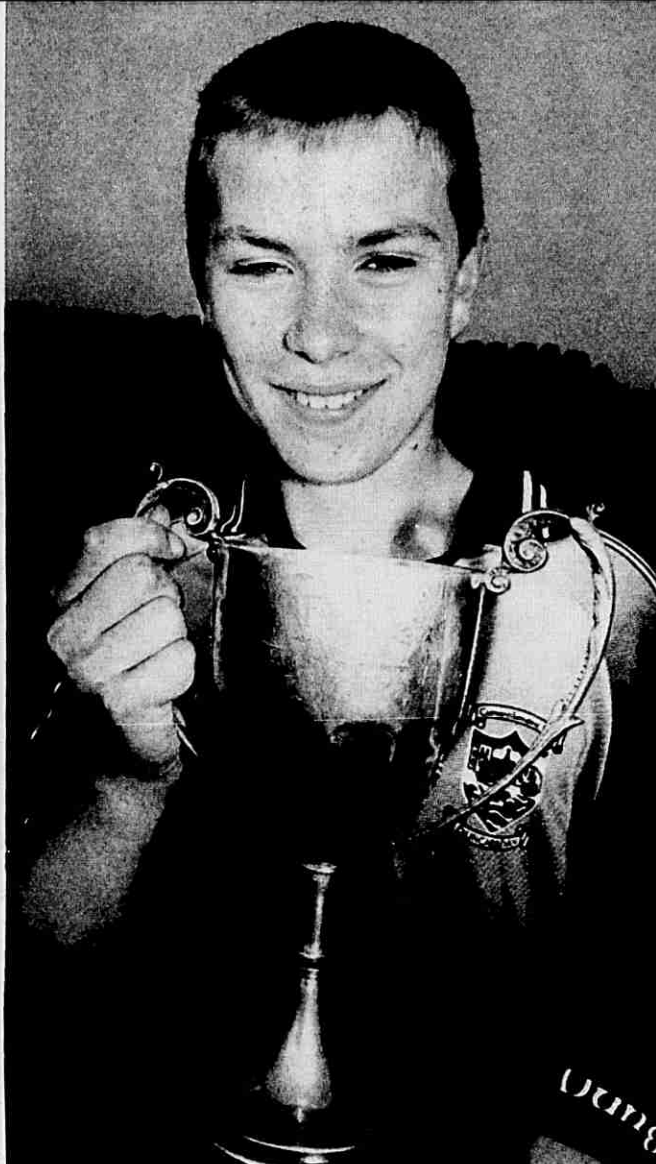
## BIRTHDAY BOYS

Happy birthday to Derek Barry and Michael Walsh who celebrated their 18th's last week. The boys are an integral part of our minor and intermediate panels and they both have a great future ahead of them.

## U-16'S LADIES FOOTBALL

Last Tuesday night, 24th April, was another great night for our U-16's ladies football team when they notched up their fourth win on the trot to book their place in the County Final. The girls trailed 1-6 to 0-1 at half time and with their backs to the wall, like the proverbial cat, they came out fighting and under the leadership of Dungarvan's best player and team Captain Ann Marie Tutty they clawed their way back into the game to retrieve what should have been a lost cause.

Team — Caelin Power, Louise Hyslop, Keri Power, Sarah Lyons, Clair Foley, Cliona Hyslop, Sarah Harty, Ann Marie Tutty, Aoifa Sullivan, Rachael Hayes, Zoe Cummins, Fawn Duggan, Megan Hayes, Elaine Moore, Shawna Ferncombe, Subs: Murial Moore, Clodagh Beehan, Lucy Whelan, Megan Daly, Amy Duggan, Tammy O Shea.



## DUNGARVAN LADIES FOOTBALL NOTES

**Under 16** — Following our recent defeat of Saint Pat's / Na Deise last week we have qualified to play Saint Anne's in the County Final next Saturday. This game is fixed for the Fraher Field with a 2pm throw in and we would appeal to all the Dungarvan supporters to come out and cheer on this team in their bid for the title. This bunch of girls have been training away for the past two months and represent the club in the first county final of the year and all in the Dungarvan GAA Club sent their best wishes to Thomas, Tom, Crohan and the girls as they bid for another county title for the Old Boro.

**Junior 7 a-side** — At last the time has come when our gallant junior team will get to play their outstanding county final from 2006 in the above competition. The game is scheduled for Bank Holiday Monday in Modeligo where we

will take on Na Deise in what promises to be a very exciting 60 minutes of football. When both teams met in the qualifiers (a long time ago at this stage it must be added) Na Deise emerged victorious by one goal, so hopefully our young team will be able to turn this defeat around next Monday in the county final. Time will be informed to all the players at training during the week.

**Training** — Training continues for all of our teams as follows: Junior, Minor & Under 16 To-night Wednesday @ 7 p.m.; Under 14 & Under 12 — Friday @ 6 p.m.

**Congratulations** — From all in the Ladies Club congratulations to Jamie and the Waterford team on their fabulous victory last Sunday.

**Under 16 Ladies Football County Final** — Fraher Field Saturday 5th May 2007 12-30 Ballymac Vs Ballyduff (A Final) 2-00 — Dungarvan Vs Saint Annes (B Final)

# Ballyduff Upper GAA Notes

## MIKE QUIRKE SENIOR HURLING TOURNAMENT

On Saturday last April 28th we played Killeagh (Cork) in the Mike Quirke Tournament in the field. The result of this game was Ballyduff 1-20 Killeagh 4-20. Panel was Adrian Power (0-1), Pat Molumphy, Tom Molumphy, Shane Feeney, Sean Cunningham, Mike Drislane, Ger Feeney, Seamus Hannon, John Twomey (0-2), Liam McNamara, Jamie Kearney (0-4), Brian Kearney (0-4), Patrick Kearney (0-1), Kenneth Geary, Brendan Hannon (1-8), Eddie Molumphy and Jonathon Barry.

## SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We will play Clonea in the first round of the Senior Hurling Championship in Fraher Field on Saturday next May 5th at 5.45pm. Please come along and give the lads your support.

## CLUB FIXTURES

The junior hurlers will play Stradbally in Aglish on Friday next at 7.15pm. On Friday May 25th our junior footballers will play Affane in the first round of the championship in Lismore at 7.30pm.

## UPCOMING FIXTURES IN BALLYDUFF

On Saturday May 12th Lismore will play Cappoquin in Ballyduff in the intermediate hurling championship.

In junior football Tallow will play Ballinwillan in Ballyduff on Friday May 25th at 7.30pm.

## NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE FINAL

Congratulations to our own Stephen Molumphy, Tom Feeney and Seamie Hannon and the Waterford Senior Hurlers on winning the National League Final against Kilkenny on Sunday last April 29th in Thurles.

## CLUB LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last week's lotto draw in the Log Cabin on Tuesday April 24th were 6-15-19. There was no winner of the jackpot. The €30 winners were Kathleen Geary, Casey Brothers, Breda Nugent and Helen Walsh. This week's jackpot was €2,600 and the draw took place in Tobin's Bar on Tuesday May 1st. The results of this draw will appear in next week's notes. The price of the club lotto tickets has been increased to €2 each and we have also added an additional weekly prize of €30 to the existing prizes. You can get results and club news by visiting our website at [www.ballyduffgaa.eu](http://www.ballyduffgaa.eu)

## BALLYDUFF JUVENILE GAA NOTES

**Waterford versus Kilkenny League Final** — The juvenile club organised a bus to the National League final on Sunday. The U-14 hurlers beat Holycross/Ballycahill 4-5 to 4-3 in a challenge game in Holycross. Then it was on to Thurles to watch Waterford win their first national title in 44 years and a stop off at Supermacs in Cahir on the way home. Thanks to the Parents and Officers who travelled with the kids.

**Under 16 Football** — U-16 footballers were beaten by An Gaeltacht in Ring last Monday evening on a score line of 3-14 to 2-4. Playing with the wind and "down the hill" in the first half the lads started well with two points in the first two minutes. An Gaeltacht then scored 7 points without reply but goals from Paul Geary and Eoghan Hogan saw us lead 2-4 to 0-7 at half time. The lads failed to score in the second half playing into a strengthening wind however they did create plenty of chances late on. The next games in this championship are away to Ardmore on Monday 7th May and at home to An Gaeltacht on Monday 14th May both games are at 7:30.

Team and Scorers vs. An Gaeltacht. Tomas Moroney, William Keane, Jamie Hannon, James Geary, Ian Kenneally, Kevin Casey, Conor Geary, Eoghan Hogan(1-1), Eoin Scanlon (0-1), Alex Noonan (0-2), David Walsh, Liam Byrne, Paul Geary(1-0), Tommy Keane.

**Under 14 Hurling** — The U-14 hurlers were beaten by An Gaeltacht in Ballyduff on Thursday last.

Team and scorers vs. An Gaeltacht: Sean Brackett, Cian Leamy, Denis McDonagh, Jack Daly, Jamie Hannon, William Keane, Kevin Casey, Michael Kearney(1-1), Callian Dunlea, James Daly(1-0), Pa Geary, Simon Dooling, Kayne Cunningham, Paul Martin, Mark Dooling(1-0) and Adrian Harris

Other games in this competition are at home to Kilmacthomas 8th May, away to Kilrossanty 15th May and away to Stradbally 22nd May.

**Helmets** — Anyone who wishes to buy a hurling helmet is asked to please contact Jackie Hannon.

**Waterford Minors** — Best of Luck to Shane Kearney who is playing with the Waterford Minor Hurlers versus Cork on Wednesday evening in Páirc Uí Chaoimh

**Congratulations** — Well done to Stephen Molumphy, Tom Feeney and Seamie Hannon on Waterford's League final win at the weekend.

**Under 10 Festival of Hurling** — The Annual under 10 festival of hurling takes place in Ballyduff on Saturday 26th May with the semi-finals and finals being played the following Saturday 2nd June.





Meanscoil San Níolas-Colaiste Cathal Naofa who were beaten by St. Paul's in the Post Primary Schools Under-14 "B" Hurling Final. (Photo by Sean Byrne Photography)

## C.L.G An tSean Phobail

### Cruinniú

Tá cruinniú coiste ar an Dear-daoin 03/05/07 ag 9.30 i John Paul's.

### Peil na mBan

Hard luck to the U-16 team who were narrowly beaten by St. Anne's in the county semi-final.

Training for the U-12 and U-14 girls teams will be held every Tuesday and Thursday @ 6.30pm in Páirc Cholmáin.

### Childrens Training

Football training for primary school pupils will take place in Páirc Cholmáin every Tuesday and Thursday from 5.30pm to 6.30pm. All are welcome.

### Comhgairdeachas

Comhgairdeachas le foireann iománaíochta Phort Láirge a bhuaigh an sraith níosúnta ar an Domhnach seo chaite in aghaidh Chill Ceannaigh.

### Underage Update

Bhí bua an-tabhachtach ag foireann mionúir na Ghaeltachta an Aoine seo chaite sa comórtas peile. Cluiche crua a bhí ann in aghaidh ceann dos na foireann is fearr sa craobh, Chill Rosanta. Ach sa deireadh bhí 3 pointe idir na foirne. Bhí cúige ar Sean Phobail ar an panéil. Daithí Ó Bhriain, Cormac Ó Inneadúin, Brendáin Ó hÓgáin, Morgán Ó Mionbhail agus Seamus Ó h-Ealaithe. Bhí an scór deireadh: An Ghaeltacht 2-11 Chill Rosanta 1-11.

Last week An Ghaeltacht beat Kilrossanty in a very tough and tense minor football match. An Ghaeltacht started well but found themselves trailing by 6 at half time. However, they started well again in the second half and managed to stay in control, eventually winning by 3 points. The minors now have a 2 week break as the next game is on Friday week (11/05/07) against Cois Bríd in Ardmore @ 7.30pm

## Clashmore/Kinsalebeg G.A.A. Club Notes

### SINCERE SYMPATHY

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Eamonn Lombard who passed away last week after a long illness.

It would be hard to overstate the influence that Eamonn had on Clashmore/Kinsalebeg GAA club, both as a player and an administrator.

As a younger man he was one of a panel of players who brought home a famous double to our parish in 1969, as the club won the Intermediate Football & Junior Hurling titles. But his value to this club was seen for many years to follow, as he served terms as Club Chairman and Secretary, with an always mild, authoritative manner. He was instrumental during this period in the purchase of our present club GAA grounds at Ballyheeny and the building of our clubhouse, and together with Tim O'Keefe re-founded our juvenile club in late 1987 before serving as a selector on the U-16 teams who won a famous double in the following year 1988. He remained a devoted supporter of our teams, young and old, until very recently and will be sadly missed. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh a anam dílis.

### SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Fraher Field was the venue on Saturday evening last for our 1st group game in this year's Senior Championship against Brickey Rangers.

Two well taken goals, by Stephen Barron in the first half and a rare one by half-back Kieran Connery in the second-half were the big difference in this game, as our forwards showed clean sets of heels against the Brickey defence whose lack of fitness showed towards the end. It was good to see some of our new faces and returning players put

in good performances in what was an encouraging display, which ended on a 2-13 to 1-6 scoreline, but one which needs to be greatly improved upon for challenges ahead.

Team on the day: I. D. Hickey, C. Burke, P. Connery, B. Dunne, P. Dee, J. Seward, K. Connery (1-0), K. O'Keefe, M. Power, D. Allen (0-2), S. Barron (1-1), F. Breathnach (0-1), S. Fleming (0-7), S. Landers, C. O'Keefe (0-1); Subs used: M. Cliffe (0-1) for F. Breathnach, D. Coughlan for P. Dee

### TRAINING SCHEDULE

Hurling training continues this week on Wednesday night @ 8pm, in anticipation of the Intermediate hurling this weekend.

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

The second game of this competition beckons on Friday evening 4th May at the Fraher Field when we take on Colligan at 7.15pm. We urge our loyal hurling supporters to go along and cheer on the lads in what will be another tough challenge.

### MINOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Last Friday night saw our Minor footballers lose out to Ballinacourty by six points in what was their second game of this championship at the Bushy Park venue. The next game will probably not be until Friday week.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

Last Friday night 27th April saw the second Deise Development draw made and it brought us our first winner of the year in Mary-Ann Troy, Clashmore who won a €150 prize. Congratulations Mary-Ann and a reminder to any draw members who owe ticket money to contact the draw promoter to secure your place in the continuing draws, which again will be on the last Friday of next month. Here's hoping our club's luck of the draw in the past will continue in May.

### CLUB GEAR

The first order of club tracksuits & poloshirts have been issued but a second order will be made shortly. Anyone interested in gear please contact Declan Hickey and if not already paid up then please then pay your membership to secure your playing gear.

### CLUB WEBSITE

The club website is extremely busy at the moment and over 3000 visitors have to date logged on in it's first 6 months on the interweb and we thank all for their support. It is well worth logging on at with new photogalleries, including snaps from Waterford's historic NHL win on Sunday last, and also a new profile with Eoin Kelly currently step-

ping up to the mark.

### CLUB LOTTO

There was no winner of last Monday night's jackpot of €4,100. This weeks jackpot will have been €4,250 and if your ticket wasn't in then you couldn't have won! Thanks to all for their continuing support by buying and selling tickets.

## Ardmore G.A.A. Club Notes

### WEEKLY LOTTO— JACKPOT NOT WON

Next weeks jackpot starts at €2100, so if you are not in you can't win.

Draw Results 16th April 2007 of €20 Each : Noel Conway, Paddy Murphy, Deuglan Hennessy, Joanne and Josephine Morgan.

### DEISE DRAW

The second draw in the series took place on Friday 27th April. We had one winner. Billy Harty Junior won €150.

### UNDER 14 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Ardmore lost to the Brickies on Saturday afternoon last on a score of 3-5 to 3-2. This was a very close game as the score suggests and our boys had every chance to find a result right up to very end. Our next game is next weekend.

### HURLING LEAGUE FINAL

Waterford had a historic win on Sunday last when they won the National League Final defeating Kilkenny on a score of 0-20 to 0-18. This was a classic game of hurling which hung in the balance until the very end. Overall the team performed brilliantly and credit must go to the team management for blending the new players with the more experienced members of the panel. Our own three players of Seamus, Declan and Clinton once again had all five star performances and I am sure everyone in the parish are very proud of the marvellous display given by all three.

### CLUB MEETING

Our next club Meeting will be held on Wednesday 9th May at 8.30pm in the clubhouse. All members of the executive are asked to attend.

### SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Ardmore are playing the first round of the championship next Sunday against De La Salle at 2pm at Fraher Field.

## Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club Notes

### SENIOR FOOTBALL

We recorded a good victory on Saturday evening last over Rathgormack in the first round of the County Championship in Leamybrien. We have no fixture yet for our next game in the championship as it will depend on how some of the county teams fare in the Munster Championship.

Team: D Enright, J Mullen, L Hurney, G Breen, S Briggs, J Phelan, P Lynch, J Hurney, G Hurney, M Gorman, M Fives, P Hurney, A Landers, M Ferncombe, J Gorman. Sub S O' Hare

### SENIOR HURLING

This Sunday we play Ballygunner in the first round of the Championship in Fraher Field at 3.30pm.

### JUNIOR HURLING

We play our second game of the championship this Friday night when we travel to Ring to take on Ardmore. Check fixture list for throw in time.

### MINOR FOOTBALL

Our minor footballers recorded their first win of their campaign against a strong Clashmore side in Bushy Park on Friday evening last. Final score Ballinacourty 1-13 Clashmore 0-7.

Team: R Ryan, S Stater, T Hanrahan, C Enright, J Sheehan, E McCullagh, J Ryan, J Mahoney, S Kearney, J Organ, C Maloney, D Power, J Power, S Enright, J Healy. Subs C Kingham, D Henley, M O' Halloran

### UNDER 16 FOOTBALL

On Monday evening last our under 16 footballers recorded a good win over Portlaw/ St. Mollerans in the newly laid out St. Mollerans pitch which is a credit to them. Next Monday they travel to Stradbally to take on the home side.

### UNDER 14 HURLING

We were defeated by Roanmore on Saturday last in our first game of the County Championship and this Saturday we play Butlerstown away at 3pm.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The April draw took place on Friday last in Ferrybank and we had one winner on the night with Eileen Nagle winning €250 and the ticket was sold by Pat McGovern.

### CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of the club committee takes place in the club grounds this Thursday night at 8.30pm with only one item on the agenda.

### INTERCOUNTY ACTIVITY

On behalf of all in the club we would like to offer our heartiest congratulations to Richie Foley, Nickey Cashin, and all the Waterford Senior Hurlers on their fantastic victory over Kilkenny in Sunday's National League Final. It was a wonderful victory and Richie joins Austin Flynn and John McGrath as Abbeyside men who hold National League medals. Also best of luck to Stephen Enright who plays in goal for the Waterford minor hurlers tonight against Cork in Pairc Uí Chaoimh.

### OUTDOOR HURLING COACHING SESSIONS

On Saturday morning last our club grounds was again a hive of activity as over 100 youngsters were involved in our "Summer Outdoor Hurling Coaching Sessions" and it was wonderful to again see so many parents in attendance - their help is much appreciated.

Over the past week club underage teams at U-12, U-14, U-16 and minor have all been in the championship action and its highly important for the future of the club for everyone to fully realise just how important these outdoor hurling coaching sessions are.

Our coaches in attendance were Larry Cliffe, Mark Lenihan, Pat Moore, Tomas Kiely, Sean Kiely, Brendan Kent, Seamus Fitzgerald, Conor Barrett, Patrica Enright, Jamie Organ, Ger Fitzgerald, Gearoid Byrne, Timmy Organ, Tony Elstead and they ensured the emphasis was on skill and enjoyment.

Again its essential to mention the good work. Next Saturday morning 5th May session commences at 10.30am and concludes at 12 noon. All boys/girls aged 5 years and under 10 years are welcome.

### INTERNAL CLUB HURLING LEAGUE

2007 is a very special year for our united parish club as it's all of 80 years since the Abbeyside club was founded and played its first championship game. Ballinacourty played their first championship game 60 years ago in 1947 and the clubs amalgamated 40 years ago in 1967.

Thus in recognition of those three very special dates in our history it has been decided to firstly re-organise our outdoor hurling coaching sessions and that effort is currently underway.

Secondly it has been decided to organise on an annual basis an internal club Juvenile hurling league and hopefully some details in respect of this important event will be available for inclusion in next weeks club notes.

### ON CLUBS WEBSITE

Currently on our clubs website @ are a series of photos taken by Mark Lenihan during the concluding stages of our indoor hurling coaching sessions at St. Augustines College.

## CLG na Rinne

### Peil Sinsear

Bhuaigh An Rinn ar Cill Rosanta sa chéad bhabhta den geraobh sinsear ar an Satharn seo chaite i bPáirc Uí Fhearchair. D'aimsíomar cúl cinniúnach sa dara leath agus bhumar 1-7 go 0-9.

An Fhoireann: Tomás Ó Cadhla, Aaron de Róiste, Darach Breathnach, Éanna de Faoite, Eoin Breathnach, Liam Ó Cuirín, Liam de Grás, Shane Ó Ceallaigh, Liam Ó Lionnáin, Maidhe Tóibín, Jeaic Ó hArta, Ciarán Ó Manacháin, Peaidí Ó Murchadha, Cillian Ó Murchadha, Nóilín Ó Murchadha.

### Comhgairdeachas

Comhgairdeachas le hiománaíthe Phort Láirge as ucht an bhua iontach a bhí acu i dTúrlas ar an Domhnach. Ar an lá céanna bhuaigh triúr ó Chumann Camógaíochta na Rinne bonn sa tsraith camógaíochta le Port Láirge in aghaidh an Dún. Maith sibh Fíona Ní Chadhla, Lisa Prendergast agus Áine Breathnach.

### Lotto na Rinne

Bhí €1,300 sa phota óir ach raibh aon bhuaiteoir sa tarraingt a deineadh ar an Luan 23 Aibreán. Ba iad 3,7,11 agus 16 na huimhreacha a tarraingíodh. Bhuaigh na daoine seo a leanas €20 an duine: Clann Dhónal Uí Fhaoiláin, Sean McGill, Carmel Walsh, Martin O'Donnell agus Siobhán Uí Reagáin.

## ARDMORE & GRANGE LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB

### UNDER 14 AND UNDER 16 TRAINING

Training continues every Tuesday and Thursday night at 7pm at the GAA grounds. All players are asked to contact Billy Revins (94624) or Tom Cronin (94482) if unable to attend any session or challenge match.

### UNDER 10 & 12 TRAINING

Training every Monday at 7pm also in GAA grounds. Please contact Michael Roche (94487) or Johnny Smyth (94638) if unable to attend.

### COMMITTEE MEETING

Next meeting Wednesday 9th May at 9pm in the GAA grounds if unable to attend please contact club secretary Jenny Power (94151). If you want any items added to agenda please contact secretary in advance of meeting.

### COUNTY BOARD MEETING

The next meeting will be held in Lawlors hotel at 9pm on Monday the 21st May. Club delegates are asked to attend.



**HANDBALL NEWS****Munster Title For Our Under-14/15 Team**

Our 14-15 Team travelled to Galbally on Wednesday evening last to contest the Munster Final against Tipperary.

This final consisted of three doubles plus two subs. Our team were as follows:

First Doubles — Darragh O'Connell & Luke Falconer; Second Doubles — Colm Kindregan & Evan Collins; Third Doubles — Barry McCullagh & David Collins Subs: Tom Aird & John Flynn

Our first doubles Darragh & Luke were pitted against Tipperary's strongest pair. It was important

that our first doubles got as many aces as possible as this is a team effort. They got 16 as against 30 for Tipperary. We were down 14 aces going into the second doubles. Colm & Evan played great handball to win the first game 15 - 14, the second game 15 - 14. We were now only 2 aces down, 48 - 46. Barry & David cleaned out the last doubles for Tipperary. First game 15 - 0, second game 15 - 5. Total score Waterford 76, Tipperary 53. Now for the All-Irelands, May 12th. Congratulations to all the players & best of luck in the upcoming finals.

**BRICKEY RANGERS GAA****BRICKEY MINI LOTTO**

The lotto draw was held in Bridie Dee's bar on Thursday night last. Numbers drawn were 14-20-26. There was no jackpot winner. 25 euro winners: Conor Whelan, Springmeadows, Mary Carmel Tobin, Jim Queally, John Harnedy. This week's lotto will be held in the Tudor House bar and the jackpot will be 4,700 euro. Tickets only 2 euro each available from any promoter.

**DEISE DRAW**

We had no luck in the April draw which was held in Ferrybank on Friday night last. In our club members draw which was held on Thursday night, Nora Lynch and Paddy Mulhall were the lucky winners of 60 euro and Jim McGrath received the promoters prize.

**SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

We played Clashmore in the championship on Saturday evening last at the Fraher Field. This was our first match in the senior championship and at half time the Brickie's led by a point. However in the second half Clashmore proved to be the stronger side and ran out winners on a score of Brickie Rangers 1-6 Clashmore 2-12.

Team: J. Corcoran, P. Nugent, J. Sheehan, J. Cooney, C. O'Brien, D. Hickey, R. Halpin, Olan Casey, Dermot O'Neill, Shane McGrath, Vincent McCarthy, Carthach Shalloe, Mark Scanlon, Fergus Nugent, A. Murphy. Subs used; Peter Queally.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

To Michael Walsh (captain) and the Waterford Senior Hurling team on winning the National League on Sunday last. Well done, ye did the county proud.

**INTERMEDIATE HURLING**

We play Cappoquin in the championship at the Colligan venue on Friday 4th May at 7.15 pm.

**JUNIOR HURLING**

We play Ring in the Junior hurling championship on Sunday 6th

May at 12 noon at the Old Parish venue.

**U-16 FOOTBALL**

We lost to Affane on Monday evening last in Cappoquin by 3-9 to 2-6. On next Monday evening we are away to the Nire at 7.30 pm.

**U-12 HURLING**

We drew with Abbeyside last Friday evening in round one of the Western Championship. We led at half time 1-3 to 4 points but at the final whistle the sides were level 2-5 a piece. Our next game is next Sunday at 11.30 in Bushy Park against Lismore.

**U-14 HURLING**

We defeated Ardmore in the first round of the county championship last Saturday. We led at half time 1-3 to no score having played with the stiff breeze. We held on to that lead in the second half and ran out winners by 3-5 to 3-2.

**U-11 HURLING**

This Saturday we take part in the Lismore tournament. All players to be in Lismore by 10 am in the school field.

**SCOR NA BPAISTI**

On Friday, April 27th we competed in the Western Final of Scor na bPaisti in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff. We had competitors in Figure Recitation Quiz and Set. All the children gave an excellent performance and when the results were called we were successful in Figure, Quiz and Set. Well done to all who took part. The County Final takes place in Modeligo on Saturday, May 12th at 6 pm. Best of luck to all competitors taking part.

Figure: Laura Connors, Tara Healy, Sinead McCarthy, Maighread Meehan, Una McGrath, Ashley Spratt, Dearbhla Whelan, Aileen Gallagher.

Recitation: Emeline McGrath. Quiz: Michéal Barry, Conor Carty and Diarmuid O'Keefe.

Set: Ashley Spratt, Aileen Gallagher, Una McGrath, Gemma Wyley, Shannon Dunford, Sarah Craddock, Sarah Keohan and Dearbhla Whelan.

Thanks to all the children and

parents who helped with the bag pack on Friday and Saturday. This was a fund raiser for our dancers. Thanks to the staff of Morrissey's Super Value for their help on the day.

**SUCCESS FOR BALLYDUFF IN SCOR NA BPAISTI FINALS**

The West Waterford Scor na bPaisti Finals were held before a capacity attendance in St. Michael's Hall on Friday night last and it was a very successful night for the local representatives with qualification for the Co. finals in five competitions. The following were successful and now go forward to the Co. finals which will take place in Modeligo Community Centre on Friday, May 11th, commencing at 7 pm.

Figure Dancing: Fiona Ahern, Liadan Dunlea, Riognach Hyland, Andrew Casey, Niamh Leamy, Helen Geary, Laura Casey and Christopher Higgins.

Solo Singing: Shauna Barry. Music Group: A. Seamus Hyland, Dara Sheehan, Riognach Hyland, Claire Dooling, Alice Fennessy, B Hannah Landers, Fiona Ahern, Jessica Tanner, Liadan Dunlea, C. Lucy O'Brien, Helen Geary, Cillian Cotter, Alison Keane, Keela Walsh. (All three qualified).

Question Time: Cian Leamy, Cillian Cotter, Mark O'Rourke.

Set Dancing: Claire Dooling, Lucy O'Brien, Vanessa Daly, Shauna Barry, Jamie Ahern, Seamus Hyland, Paul Martin, Sean Geary.

Congratulations to all who have qualified for Friday week's finals.

Well done to Liadan Dunlea (solo singing) and the Question Time team of Ciara Hayes, Derbhla Kenny and Hannah Landers who were unsuccessful on the night but can be proud of their performances.

**Waterford County Referees Association**

Referees annual fitness test and training session will take place on Thursday 3rd May at 7:30 p.m. At Waterford Regional Sports Centre. All referees are welcome.

This is a wonderful facility so a big turnout would be appreciated. Refreshments afterwards at a venue to be decided.

**Cumann Camógaíochta na Rinne****BUA IONTACH**

Tréasláimid le foireann iománaíochta Phortlárige as an bua iontach a bhí acu i gcoinne Cill Chainnigh sa sraithchomórtas. Is mór an spreaghadh a thabharfaidh an bua seo do iománaithe óga an chontae.

**COMHGHAIRDEACHAS**

Bhí céiliúradh dúbailte ann ar an Domhnach. Bhuail foireann chamógaíochta Phortlárige craobh na hÉireann i Roinn 2, i gcoinne An Dún. Is mór an chúis mórtais dúinn go raibh beirt imreoir ó chlúb na Rinne ar an bhfoireann seo. Táimid an-bhródúil as Fiona Ni Chadhla (cúlbaire) agus Lisa Prendergast. Maith sibh, a chailín!

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Many congratulations to the Waterford Camogie team who defeated Down in the Division 2 final. We are very proud of our senior players who were on that winning team. Well done to Lisa Prendergast and Fiona Ni Chadhla (goalie).

**FAOI 14**

Tá deireadh leis na cluichí faoi 14 aois. Dimrófar Port Lách agus Ceapach Chuinn sa dá chluiche dheimneach. Cé nach raibh an bua again, d'eirigh go hiontach leo. Leanfar leis an traenáil mar is gnáth, gach Satharn i bPáirc Uí Shiocháin, ag 11 am Tosach maith leath na hoibre.

**SOISEAR An Rinn 3-2 Ard Chaoin 2-1**

Cé go raibh an cluiche seo físiúil go maith, níorbh aon bhagairt i ndáiríre an freasúra. Bhí an lámh in uachtar ag foireann na Rinne, go háirithe sa chéad leath. Beimid ag súil le bualach le Ceapach Chuinn ar an 7/5/07

**CRAOBHCHOMORTAS SINSIR**

St. Anne's a bhí sa chomórtas linn so chluiche seo. Is cinnte go raibh dian chomórtas acu i gcoinne na Rinne. Bhíomar chun cinn ag leath am ach d'eirigh le St. Anne's an cluiche a bhuachaint le cúpla cúlín sa deireadh.

Is ag dul i dtreise atá foireann sinsir na Rinne agus beimid ag súil go mór leis na cluichí atá fágtha le n-imirt so chraobh chomórtas.

**Fourmilewater / Nire Hurling Notes****JUNIOR HURLING**

We lost our game in this years senior championship recently to Abbeyside but there is a few games to go and we can turn it around.

**SENIOR HURLING**

Our senior hurlers start their campaign on this Saturday night in Fraher Field against Lismore. This will be a keenly contested match and it's important that we can get off to a winning start. Last year the teams met at the quarter final stage and the game ended in a draw with Shane Walsh scoring 2-8 in a brilliant individual performance. Lismore won the replay by a few points. The other teams in the group are Stradbally and Tallow.

**MINOR INTER COUNTY HURLING**

The best of luck to the three Fourmilewater players who are on the Waterford minor hurling panel who play Cork tonight in Cork. Paul Horkan, Richard Fenton and Shane Lawlor are all in the shake up for a place in the starting line-up and we wish them the best of luck.

**MINOR INTER COUNTY FOOTBALL**

Waterford minor footballers put up a great display before bowing out to Tipperary in Fermoy last week - the team gave their all none more so than James McGrath who played outstanding at corner back. He was one of Waterford's best players. Along with his cousin Alan he has been a credit to the Nire.

**SCHOOL COACHING**

The school coaching has started again and will run for one day a week until the end of the school year. David Walsh is looking after the hurling and there is no better man for the job.

**UMPIRES**

Well done to Paddy Walsh and Pat Pops Power who were umpiring at the recent Tipperary/Clare minor football game played in Limerick recently. Apparently they did very well.

**MINOR FOOTBALL**

Nire minor footballers beat Stradbally in Fraher Field on Friday night last on a scoreline of 5-12 to 0-1. Best for the Nire were Captain James McGrath, Craig Guiry and Dan Connolly. We play our last game of the league against Clashmore on this Friday night, hopefully we can come away with a win.

**WATERFORD LEAGUE CHAMPIONS**

Waterford hurlers bridged a 44 year gap when they became National league champions for 2007 when they beat Kilkenny in an exciting final in Semple Stadium on Sunday last. This was a great display by this team and one that Waterford supporters can savour for years to come. It was a game of nip and tuck, all through with Waterford finally winning by 20 points to 18 points. Eoin Kelly was in great form as was Brick Walsh, Ken McGrath and the Prendergast brothers. This is a real shot in the arm for Waterford hurling and one that we must build on.

Our own Shane Walsh lined out at number 12 and as usual played his heart out. Shane now goes down in Fourmilewater history as he becomes the first club man to win a national league medal. Michael Ryan's contribution as selector can not be understated and he has brought his experience and passion to the squad. Michael has a lot of All Irelands under his belt.

The league is now won so we must now move on to win Munster and All Ireland honours. Up the Deise.

**WELL DONE JP**

Well done to J.P. Fitzgerald who scored 4 goals and one point against Stradbally in the recent minor football match. Manager M. J. Ryan expressed his delight at his performance. Keep it going J.P.

**Shamrocks GAA Club Notes****SUNDAY LAST**

Was a great day to be a Waterford person, as in Semple Stadium our hurlers outclassed the current All Ireland champions Kilkenny and after 44 years became National League Champions, after a splendid game. Our congratulations go to all concerned on the victory, to all the players, Justin McCarthy and the other selectors and we now look forward to the championship. Our congratulations also go to the Waterford Camogie team on their victory over Down in the National League final in Portlaoise. It certainly was a great day for the county.

**WESTERN INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP**

On next Friday evening we meet St. Mary's in the 1st round at Cappoquin, and we hope for a good start. Throw in at 7 pm and all players are requested to be at the venue not later than 6.40 pm.

**WESTERN JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP**

Shamrock's v Dungarvan on Sunday next in the first round, also at Cappoquin - throw in at 12 noon and all players to be at the venue at 11.40 am sharp. We would ask as many supporters as possible to come along and cheer both teams on in both games.

The Primary Schools Hurling Championships are at present taking place and we congratulate both boys and girls of Knockanore N.S. on their victories during the past week and look forward to further success in the coming weeks. To Emmett Cronin N.T. our congratulations are also extended, who coached both teams.

**CLUB LOTTO**

In last Saturday nights draw at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore the numbers drawn were 8-14-15-22. There was no jackpot winner. Consolation prizewinners were B. Rioridan, Youghal; Sue O'Reilly, c/o Shamrock Inn; Brian Harnedy, Killea, Lackaroe; Ed Tobin, Parkdotia; Angela Floyd, Killenagh. In next Saturday nights draw the jackpot will be 8,875 euro and tickets at 1.50 euro each can be bought from the usual promoters.

**SYMPATHY**

Our club offers sympathy to the family of the late Con Murphy, former President of the GAA who died at the weekend and for whom there was a minutes silence at Semple Stadium on Sunday prior to the League Final. Mr. Murphy visited Knockanore at the conclusion of a hurley making class when he was President.

Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.



# Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

## JUNIOR RESULTS

### Premier League:

Kilmacthomas 1  
Dungarvan United 1

### Ardagh Cup 2nd round

Johnville 2  
Dungarvan United 0

### Premier League

Kilmacthomas 1  
Dungarvan United 1

Last Wednesday evening the Blues travelled to Alaska Park for their league meeting with neighbours Kilmac. Played on an excellent surface for good football both teams served up an exciting game deservedly sharing the spoils at the final whistle.

Kilmac took the lead on 8mins when a flick on from a corner kick at the front post by Power went across the six yard box and Micheal Downey stabbed to the net for the opening goal. They almost increased their lead when Downey fired wide from a very good chance. This gave the Blues the wake up call they needed and they started dominating the game. Trevor Crotty came closest when his effort was pushed away by the Kilmac keeper. Then The break through came when Ross Power found some space in the penalty box and turned the ball past the diving Mulhearn for the equaliser ten mins. before the break.

The second half was an exciting affair also with both sides spurning excellent chances to win the game. It has to be mentioned that both defences produced some vital tackles and blocks to prevent a winning goal for either side. Also Mulhearn and Landers between the posts were excellent for their teams and on the night both sides had to be happy with a point as it finished one apiece. It has to be said that both sides could have won or lost the game given the attacking football from both sides.

Man of the Match: Christy Ross Power.

## ARDAGH CUP 2ND ROUND

### Johnville 2

### Dungarvan United 0

A very youthful blues side bowed out of the Ardagh Cup on Friday night after giving everything they could have on the night. The blues had a disastrous start when an early free kick from just outside the box gave the home side the lead after just 9 mins on the clock. The Blues almost levelled straight from the kick off but Colin Walsh saw his strike sail just wide after finding himself in a good position inside the Johnville box. Worse luck was to follow for the Blues when Chucky limped off injured after a dead leg. Then on 24 mins Johnville increased their lead when a long ball to the back post was nodded into the net from close range by O'Leary.

The second half was a huge improvement from the blues with lots of chances being created. Derek Barry was outstanding at the other end for the blues thwarting any Johnville attacks. Christy Dan Power thought he had scored on the hour when his firm shot destined for the net was somehow deflected over the bar by a Johnville defender. Butler, Hamilton and Crotty all went close with efforts and on another night with a bit of luck may well of scored. Inexperience cost us on eighty mins when Alan "Hard" Landers goalbound shot was turned into the net by the eager Crotty who had just strayed into an offside position, so the goal was rightly disallowed. This was a sign of how our luck was on the night. With three games remaining (all away) this youthful Blues side with the same effort commitment and desire will hope to tag on another few points to their league tally before the season finishes.

Man of the Match: Derek Barry

## SCHOOLBOY RESULTS

U-11 Cup Semi Final  
Dungarvan 2  
De La Salle 3

## JUNIOR ROUND UP

Our Premier side faced Kilmacthomas in a local derby league clash last Wednesday evening and came away from Alaska Park with the points shared after a 1-1 draw on the night. Former blues striker Micheal Downey scored the opener for Kilmac with Ross Power grabbing the blues equaliser on 37mins. After a very open game both sides had to be happy with a point after an entertaining game of football with no side deserving to lose the game.

We fielded a very youthful side v Johnville in the Ardagh cup on Friday night as we were minus lads through ineligibility (registered with 1A team) and due to injuries also. The lads despite conceding two early goals put on a brave display and in truth due to some missed chances and a lack of experience it could have been a different story. This was a learning process for these young blues and one where they can only gather experience from.

Tonight (Weds 2nd) our premier side face the trip to Ben Wadding Park to take on Bohemians in what is an important league game for both sides with only 3 league games remaining for both sides. The Blues came out on top in the home fixture by the odd goal in three and a big effort is needed here to claim any points from a young and improving Bohs side.

This Sunday in the Fitzgerald cup our Youth side under Pat Mulcahy and David Walsh host the winners of Tramore A or Johnville (played Tues night) in the final at Kilrush Park at 2.30pm. With a home tie for this blues side we hope to get a good support out to cheer on the lads. A home semi final tie awaits the winners for whoever progresses.

## U-11S BOW OUT OF CUP AFTER A THRILLING SEMI FINAL

Well done to managers Martin and Seamus and their marvellous U-11 side for their unbelievable cup spirit again last Wednesday evening in Kilrush Park. Facing a very good De La Salle side they never gave up and went out agonisingly after a five goal thriller. A big thank you to all the parents who showed these young lads their support on the night. A bit of luck next year and they may go that step further and reach Ozier Park for a cup final that they truly would deserve.

## JUNIOR FIXTURES

Wednesday 2nd May (tonight)  
Premier League - 7pm.  
Bohs v Dungarvan United  
Schoolboy Fixtures  
Wednesday 2nd May (tonight)  
U-11 League - 6.15pm  
Dungarvan United v Bohs

## CLUB GEAR

A few items of our club gear are still in stock. This is excellent quality merchandise with the club crest on each item. Items left in stock include 3 large shower jackets, 2 medium trackuits, 1 XL boys Polo Shirt and 1 medium training Jersey. Contact Colin Walsh on 087-6368491 for details on any of the above.

## TRAINING

Premier & Youths — Tuesday And Thursdays @ 7pm-8.30pm  
Bring boots as well as runners.

## ACADEMY

Our academy is taken a well earned rest this weekend due to the Bank Holiday Weekend and will resume as normal on Saturday 12th May at the usual time 1.30pm.

## COMMITTEE MEETING

The next committee meeting takes place this Thursday May 3rd at 7.45pm in the clubhouse.

## SPONSORSHIP SIGNS

The sponsorship signs have received a very positive response from the local businesses. They are an excellent form of advertising for anyone and are situated around the perimeter of our main pitch they look very impressive indeed. Any other business interested in sponsoring a sign should contact Secre-



tary David Walsh on 087-9595016

## PRE-FA CUP FINAL NIGHT

The night before the cup final everyone wanted United v Chelsea - was always the night of our social years ago so the club are organising a get together of players, committee members, sponsors and friends to the clubhouse for chat, craic and a few pints. This takes place on Friday 18th May. The match will also be shown in our clubhouse on the Saturday.

## FAI NATIONAL IRISH BANK SUMMER CAMP

Our club is hosting the FAI summer soccer school sponsored by National Irish bank on August 20 - 24 in Kilrush park. Colin Walsh is our venue coordinator for the camp this year. Posters and flyers have been distributed around the town and it is advisable to book early. You can by book by three methods:

Phone : 1890653653

Online:

Post: summer school leaflet.

If you book before 1st June you also receive free personalisation and an Eircom league season ticket of your choice. The fee for the camp is €89 per child with a €10 family discount for each sibling attending the same camp. All coaches like every other year are qualified FAI coaches and will be Garda Vetted.

Book Early to avoid disappointment!!!!!!

## ASTRO TURF BOOKINGS

Certain times are available at present so to book your slot give Billy a ring on 087-0557015 to book your hour. The astro turf is also available for parents to rent for their child's birthday.

## BAGPACKING HELPERS REQUIRED

Calling all players, supporters, past members or friends of Dungarvan United interested in giving a hand to the club in our Bag Pack Fundraiser which takes place in Dunnes Stores on the weekend of May 11th-13th. Any amount of help would be much appreciated - even an hour or two. Contact Club Secretary David Walsh on 087-9595016 or any committee member if you can lend a hand.

## THANK YOU

A big thank you to Club player Gary Collins and Christy Connolly on their excellent work in repairing the roof of our shed in Kilrush Park. A job well done lads thanks very much.

## EXCELLENT FACILITIES IN ALASKA PARK

Dungarvan United would like to compliment the committee of Kilmacthomas AFC on their excellent facilities in Alaska Park. After our league match our team were only full of compliments on the excellent state of their pitch. Also coming along very nicely is the clubs new astro turf facility and after talking with some of their committee members plans are well under-



▲ Pictured above are some of the Academy members after last Saturday's training session. Please note that there is no Academy next weekend for the Bank Holiday. See everyone again on Saturday week.

way to introduce floodlights to their ground in the new year. With these excellent facilities in Alaska Park they are on par with any premier club in Waterford and we wish Kealan, Murt and the Kilmac team the best of luck for the rest of the season.

## CONGRATULATIONS

The club would like to congratulate premier player Mark "Ferry" Fernecombe on winning the U21 county hurling title with Abbeyside last weekend.

Also a huge congrats to the Waterford Hurling squad on their marvellous National Hurling League title success at the weekend and in particular to Dan "The Man" Shanahan who is often seen in Kilrush supporting the blues. Well done lads!!

## DUNGARVAN UNITED LOTTO

Numbers drawn 3-7-12. No winner. 25 euro vouchers Wiggy and Emily Crotty. Next draw 7th May in the Tudor House. Jackpot 1,000 euro. Thank you for your support.

## Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes

### LOTTO

No winner. Numbers drawn were 16-17-27-29. 3 x 20 euro winners were Boots Jordan, Kelly and Sean Maher and Cerene O'Brien. Next weeks draw will take place in the Diplomat Bar at 8.30 pm. Jackpot will be 2,200 euro.

### FIXTURE

Youth Cup  
Abbeyside v Tramore  
Tuesday 1st May at 7 pm sharp - winners will play either Waterford Crystal or De La Salle at home on Sunday, 6th May.

# St. Olivers GAA Notes

## Committee Meeting

The meeting proposed for Ballinameelagh Community Centre on Thursday 2nd of May is cancelled. Details for rearranged meeting will be in next weeks notes.

## Training

Fri 5th May - U8 football training at Ballinameelagh 6.30pm  
- U9 hurling training at Ballinameelagh 6.30pm  
- U10 football training at Ballinameelagh 7.00pm

## U8 & U10 Football Tournament

Below are the details for the very successful round robin football tournaments that are played every year. Please note that the venue has been changed from Aghish to Ballinameelagh. The first U10 match was postponed and will be rearranged shortly.

Wed 2nd May - U8 in Ballinameelagh @ 6.30pm  
Wed 9th May - U10 in Abbeyside @ 6.30pm  
Wed 16th May - U8 in Kilrossanty @ 6.30pm  
Wed 23rd May - U10 in Bushey Park @ 6.30pm  
Wed 30th May - U8 in Cappoquin @ 6.30pm

## U9 Football Tournament

Wed 6th June - U10 in Abbeyside @ 6.30pm

## Congratulations

Congratulations to Aisling O'Brien who was involved in the Waterford Camogie team who defeated Down in the Div 2 League Final last Sunday and also to Daithi O'Brien who was one of the selectors.

## Club Gear

Club hoodies are now on sale in the club. Hurleys and helmets are also available at much reduced prices than the shops. These are all available through Dave Power 024 96449.



# DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

## Open Club Classic

Yes, that time of year is coming, when we host the three-day Open Club Classic which is very generously sponsored by Glanbia. Teams of four may play on Fri 25th May, Sat 26th and Sun 27th. The tariff is €100 per team. Watch these columns for more information.

## Matchplay

"If you're not in you can't win" said the 3-card trick man. Entry forms for both the Lady Belle Singles and the O'Connell Cup Fourball - the club's main matchplay competitions - are available at the Gents' Locker Room and the Pro shop. Accompanied by the entry fee, these forms must be put in the Scorecards Box by Sun May 6th. The draw will be done and displayed soon afterwards.

## Gents Results

Thur 26th Ulster Bank Open Singles, 18H S/ford 1st F O' Brien (19) 44 pts, 2nd T Keane (13) 43, Gross D Walsh (2) 33, 3rd G Murphy (6) 38, CSS36. Friday 27th Open 18H Singles S/ford 1st G Comerford (11) 39 pts, 2nd J. Lane (17) Slievenamon 39, Gross K Stack (Scr) 38, 3rd J Mackey (9) Enniscorthy 38 CSS 37. Sat 28th 18H Singles S/ford 1st F Power (12) 42 pts, 2nd R Moloney (15) 39, Gross D Walsh (2) 33, 3rd D O' Brien (20) 39 4th M Fitzgerald (18) 39 CSS 36. Sun 29th McCarthy Cup, 18H Stroke 1st C O' Hare (10) 68, 2nd J P Hayes (11) 69, Gross J Reynolds (Scr) 74, 3rd M Leacy (5) 69 CSS 72

## Gents Fixtures

Thurs 3rd Ulster Bank Open 18H Singles; Fri 4th 18H Singles; Sat 5th Open Fourball; Sun 6th J F Rawlins Trophy, 18H Singles; Mon 7th Open 18H Singles.

## Ladies' Results

Tues 24th 18H S/ford (Orbsen Consulting) 1st M Fleming (30) 38 pts, 2nd A Harney (32) 35, Gross B McCarthy (5) 30, 3rd O Sheehan (22) 35; Best Front 9 R Prendergast (22) 18, Best Back 9 M McGrath (34) 21 CSS 37. Sat 28th 18H S/ford, 1st A Morrissey (17) 35 pts, 2nd R. Byrne (26) 35.

## Ladies Fixtures

Sat 5th 18H Singles S/ford; Mon 7th 18H Single S/ford; Tues 8th Open Singles 18H, sponsored by Sam McCauley Chemists.

How nice it is to see Frank O' Brien in the winners enclosure on Thursday in the Ulster Bank sponsored Open Singles. Frank is well accustomed to winning at sports events, having captured so many Irish Championships in the field events at athletics meetings. To score 44 points Frank had a very steady round, and he tells me he is delighted with his new handicap. Francis Power on Saturday, playing off 12 also had a steady round, with birdies at the 6th, 8th and 17th helping him to a score of 42 pts. Dermot Walsh (2) had birdies on the 3rd, 12th and 17th when winning the Gross with 33 pts. Sunday morning saw several players scurrying off the course when the rain came. Some were glad of the showers as they wanted to get away early to see Waterford winning the National Hurl-

ing League final at Thurles. In better conditions later the scores were good, with Colm O' Hare winning the McCarthy Cup, playing 'stroke' off the blue markers. Colm was very steady throughout, scoring birdies on the 2nd and 12th. John Reynolds, in winning the gross with 74 off Scratch had birdies on 1, 15 and 18.

## Lotto

Thanks to all who support our weekly Lotto, which is drawn in the bar each Sunday night at 8 p.m.; thanks are due too to Maurice Terry and his uncle Johnny Hogan who turn up each Sunday to organize the draw. The club Lotto is an important source of revenue, and tickets may be purchased at the bar. This week's numbers were 2, 11, 23 and 24, and there was no winner of the jackpot. Next week's Jackpot will be €700. The winners of €15 were: Brian Morrissey, Des Power, Patrick Phelan, Brian Bannon and Jim O' Brien

## Club Colours

€80 for the club sweater and shirt, both bearing the club crest; now there's a bargain from David Hayes at the Pro shop, for those on club panels. And it comes at a good time, just as we embark on the 'Cups and Shields' season. If you are on a panel and likely to be playing for the club, wouldn't you look well in the club gear, especially if everybody else is wearing the yellow shirt and navy sweater. We have been lax, so perhaps it is time that we all dressed for the occasion.

60.com and 'The Young Ones' (50 Somethings)

"The best of a bad lot"; that was Noel Brennan as his 15 pts was best last week to net him the top prize in the '50 Somethings' group. As always we try again this Wednesday at 2.15 p.m., just before the 60.com gang embark on their 9 holes at 3 p.m. Both groups emphasize the social aspect of golf, and all members matching the age profile are welcome each Wednesday afternoon. 60.com results: 1st M. Twomey (22)m19 pts; Best Lady I. Fahey (22) 16 pts; Best Gent Donal Verling (12) 18 pts. It's a Scramble this week, draw at 2.45 p.m.

## Snippets

Did you hear the one about the four men playing in the Scotch Foursomes Matchplay? On the 15th tee they realized that all four may drive at each hole. If you don't believe it, ask Des. Our reps in the JB Carr trophy were outclassed by Waterford last week. Hard luck to Johnny Hogan and Roger O' Connor, Cyril Power and Michael Kelly, Pat McGovern and Pat Breen, Seán Power and Maurice Cliffe, Paddy O' Brien and Jim (Tuff) Walsh. Our new catering arrangements are going very well, with a lovely tasty breakfast available on Saturdays and Sundays, or dinner or a snack at other times, all very good value. I wonder is Robert Hyde trying to win a Dáil seat? If not, what are all the handshakes about? We are at home to Kilkenny on Saturday in the Brennan Cup.

## Golf Smart Card

It is five years since the GUI

introduced GOLFNET, its Centralised Database for Handicaps, and gave all of us our Member Cards. We will soon get a new card, free of charge, thanks to the generous sponsorship of AIG and the Sunday Tribune. When you receive your new card it will replace your existing card with immediate effect; you should dispose of the old one. This card should be used when playing all singles competitions, at home and away; using the card at an open singles at an away club ensures the prompt electronic return of scores to your home club.

Accessing your handicap on the GUI website? If it is your first time, when you get into the website click on 'golffnet'; put in your eight-digit membership number, e.g. 20855678. If you have no password use 'golffnet' as a default password. When you get into the section you should follow instructions to generate your own password for future use. You may then keep track of your handicap throughout the season. The above instructions are intended to be idiot-proof; ask TC does it work! You may also get into the habit of accessing your handicap details by using your mobile phone. Text your membership number to 086 3832600 and you will receive a reply detailing your exact handicap and the date your home club last updated it.

## Regional Meetings of Munster Branch GUI

Four Regional Meetings were held throughout the province during March. Each club was invited to send Junior Officers to discuss the Short Game Championship for juniors. They were also invited to send two members of the Handicap Committee; the meetings proved to be very informative prior to the commencement of another hectic golfing season.

## Health Matters

Pádraig Harrington does it all the time, and he says we should all do it. What? Pádraig has made no secret of the recent removal of a benign melanoma from his forehead. Speaking to Marian Finucane on RTE Radio1 he said that he wears sun protection cream all the time when playing golf. "At the start of each season we hear the Aussies talk of the spots they had removed during the winter, despite the Factor 30+ which they wear every day." The Dungarvan GC ladies tell me they wear the stuff in sunshine; some of the men wear it. Perhaps we all should, especially when Johnny Hogan reliably forecasts that this summer will be a scorcher.

Did you know that the club purchased a defibrillator? Yes, a Zoll AED Plus, and it is located in the foyer beside the stairs. And, to ensure that there are people who know how to use the defibrillator when required, the following were sent to an induction evening: Anthony 'Scholar' Morrissey of the course staff, Irene Lynch and Michael Clancy in the clubhouse, Pat Norris, Course Marshal, Ian Prendergast in the Pro shop, and Jim Byrne. Cardiac events occur on golf courses

each year - all the more reason why mobile phones, on silent, are permitted during play. If somebody in your company on the course is in cardiac distress, telephone the club at 41605, extension 20 (office) or 21 (bar) for assistance. Worth noting? Or ring 999 for emergency assistance.

## The Irish Open

"Limerick deserves an Irish Open" said Pádraig Harrington at Adare Manor, when he scooped all the major prizes at the JP McManus Pro-am in 2005. The day is about to dawn as proprietors Tom and Judy Kane anticipate the excitement of the great event in mid-May this year, and for 2008 and 2009. For the first time since the GUI launched the championship in 1922 the Irish Open will not have a sponsor, so Tom and Judy will underwrite the prize-money, expected to be more than €2.5 million. First prize will be €16,000, and a bonus of €1 million will be on offer for back-to-back victories in the Irish Open and British PGA Championship the following week. The latter, sponsored by BMW, and with a first prize of €725,000 will be held at Wentworth.

Adare Manor is not just a golf course. The manor house hotel is aesthetically and visually awesome, perched on the River Maigue, with stunning views of the magnificent gardens. Adare was voted European Resort of the Year in 2002 by the readers of the Conde Nast travel magazine.

Pádraig Harrington, conscious of the back-to-back fixtures, has committed himself to working hard to attract the stars of golf to Adare. We all hope that the Irish Open will have its first native champion since John O' Leary at Portmarnock in 1982. With Harrington himself joined by Paul McGinley, Graeme McDowell, Damien McGrane, Peter Lawrie and Gary Murphy we'll look forward with hope. A four-day ticket for the event costs €75; one day costs €25, with free admission to under 16s (accompanied) and over 65s. For further details or to purchase tickets go to [www.ticketmaster.ie](http://www.ticketmaster.ie) or [www.irishopenatadaremanor.com](http://www.irishopenatadaremanor.com)

## Walker Cup Tickets

Don't say you were not reminded! If you fancy a few September days in the North watching the very best amateur golfers from the USA and Great Britain and Ireland, the daily attendance will be restricted to 7,000. This event is likely to be Rory McIlroy's swansong to the amateur game; he has won the last two Irish Close Championships and is the current European Champion, all before he turns eighteen in May. See notice in the foyer for details on getting tickets; orders must be in by April 30th.

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# WEST WATERFORD GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB NEWS

## Competition results

Saturday and Sunday 28th and 29th April - Club competition, 18-hole Stableford

1st: Martin Norris (12) - 38pts. 2nd: Ray Spratt (7) - 37pts. Gross: Mark Shanahan (+2) - 34pts. 3rd: Declan O'Neill (13) - 37pts. C.S.S: 37 Saturday and Sunday

Al Eile Stud Open Qualifier, Wednesday 25th April

1st: Joe Kelly (10) W.W.G.C.C. - 41pts. 2nd: Liam Reilly (21) W.W.G.C.C. - 37pts. 3rd: Fintan Gee (15) W.W.G.C.C. - 37pts. C.S.S: 39pts

Next Al Eile Stud Open Qualifier Wednesday 2nd May.

High Handicap, Tuesday 24th April:

1st: Eamonn Doherty (18) - 20pts. 2nd: Mark Long (20) - 18pts. Guest: Billy McCarthy (17) - 19pts.

Next High Handicap Tuesday 1st May

## Fixtures

Wednesday 2nd May - Al Eile Stud Open Qualifier, Open 18-hole Stableford

Friday 4th May - Scramble (first of the season)

Saturday 5th May - Club competition, 18-hole Stableford

Sunday 6th May - Gents Club Foursomes kindly sponsored by Tom Curran Hardware

Tuesday 8th May - High Handicap

Wednesday 9th May - Al Eile Stud Open Qualifier, Open 18-hole Stableford

Saturday 12th May - Club competition, 18-hole Stableford

Sunday 13th May - Club competition, Golfer of the Year Competition

Timesheets are in operation for all competitions

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website:

## Fixtures Booklet and Website Update

Our fixture booklet for the 2007 is now freely available in the office. All members are urged to pick up a copy in order to make themselves familiar with the up and coming events of what promises to be an extremely busy golfing year at West Waterford Golf and Country Club. The fixtures have also been updated for 2007 on our website [www.westwaterfordgolf.com](http://www.westwaterfordgolf.com)

## Course planner

Our new course planners are now available for sale in the office/shop at a very reasonable price and no doubt the competition scores will improve with all the additional information contained within these informative booklets.

## Subscriptions

Subscriptions for the 2007 season are now overdue, and should be paid as soon as possible. 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 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 in association with Michael Ryan (Saltan Properties) and Bulmers

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-coordinator Marie Curran on 058-42870 or 087- 2347918.

## Condolences

Our sincere condolences go out to Michael Lombard on the recent death of his brother.

## 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

### Results

18 hole S/F Thursday 26th Sponsored by Helvick Seafood 1st: Jean Conway(25) 38pts; 2nd: Mary Spratt(26) 34pts; 3rd: Bridget Spratt(19) 33pts.

18 Hole S/F Sat. 28th or Sun. 29th Sponsored by Pat Denn 1st: Phil Kelly(24) 37pts; 2nd: Mary Barron(26) 33pts; 3rd: Ciara Donnelly(35)31pts

### Fixtures

Thursday May 3rd or Sat. May 5th 18 hole S/F sponsored by Connolly's Pharmacy

Sun. May 6th or Mon. May 7th 18 hole S/F sponsored by Megavision.

May 9 Hole- 2 cards to count.

Australian Spoons competition commencing Tuesday May 8th. See book for details



# GOLDCOAST GOLF CLUB NOTES

## Results

Thursday 26th April: South Munster Seniors: CSS37 pts.  
 Cat 0 - 15: 1st: Paddy Buckley (9) 38 pts. Callan  
 2nd: Tony Fitzgerald (15) 36 pts. Youghal  
 3rd: Jim Flynn (8) 36 pts. Mitchelstown.  
 Cat 16 - 20: 1st: Paschal O'Keeffe (19) 37 pts. Lee Valley  
 2nd: Alan Wilson (17) 37 pts. Mallow  
 3rd: Jerry O'Mahony (18) 37 pts. Fermoy.  
 Cat 21 +: 1st: Jim Bogue (21) 41 pts. Macroom  
 2nd: Tom Power (21) 40 pts. Macroom  
 3rd: Michael Twomey (22) 34 pts. Dungarvan  
 CPC Open Thursday 26th April: 18 Hole S/ford CSS 38 pts.  
 1st: Tony Sheehan (13) 42 pts.  
 Friday Open 27th April: 18 Hole S/ford CSS  
 1st: Mark McGroarty

## Club Classic

1st: Andria Yellop (12) West Waterford  
 Jim Meaney (17) Frankfield  
 Dave Pinefield (20) West Waterford 54 pts.  
 2nd: John White (10) GoldCoast  
 Jim Moroney (16) GoldCoast  
 John Dunphy (17) Tramore 52 pts.  
 3rd: Stephen Greene (18) GoldCoast,  
 Paul Greene (10) GoldCoast  
 Eoin Sheehan (16) 52 pts.

## Yellow Ball:

1st: Tom Prendergast (14) GoldCoast  
 Nicky Hayes (13) GoldCoast  
 Gerry Rahe (18) 42 pts.

## Fixtures

Monday 30th April: Ladies Open, tee reserved 9.30 to 3.30 p.m.  
 Mon to Thurs 3rd May: France Qualifier.  
 Friday 4th May: Open 18 Hole Stableford.  
 Saturday 5th May: Club Competition, 18 Hole Stableford.  
 Sunday 6th May: Vice Captain's Prize presented by Mr. Michael Wall. Blue Tees and Stableford.  
 All Week: 10 Hole Competitions.  
 Monday 7th May: Junior Scratch Cup, handicap 5 - 11. 18 Hole Stroke Blue Tees kindly sponsored by the GoldCoast Golf Hotel.

## Club Mixed Foursomes

The draw for this year's mixed foursomes will take place next Sunday at 5 p.m. Anyone wishing to take part should put their names on the entry sheet in the kiosk.

## Junior Scratch Cup

The GoldCoast Junior Scratch takes place on Monday 7th May and is kindly sponsored by GoldCoast Golf Hotel. Handicap limits are 5 - 12.

## Bruen Trials

The first Bruen trial will take place on Thursday next 10th May at 6 p.m. The GoldCoast are drawn to play Youghal in Carrick-on-Suir on Saturday 9th June.

## Purcell Trials on Monday evenings:

Trials will continue on Monday evenings at 6 p.m. in preparation for our match against Tramore on Thursday 24th May

## Club to go on line with timesheet

As and from Saturday 12th May members of the GoldCoast can now book on line for all competitions. Each player will need to fill in a simple registration form and the club will then activate their account and they will then be able to book into various competitions. Players can book one month in advance. Competitions will open automatically at 06.00 one calendar month beforehand and will be open for booking. Players can book in one to three players. Players can also cancel their bookings on line. Casual golf can be booked up to 28 days in advance. For further information contact the kiosk.

# LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

## Results

Tuesday 24th Bacon: 1st Pat O'Brien (14), Michael Fitzgerald (10) & Christy Hanrahan (18) 30 Pts.  
 Thursday 26th 18 Hole Stableford Golden Meadows Qualifier  
 1st Bill Aherne (11) 42 Pts, 2nd Patrick Drummey (12) Youghal 37 Pts. CSS 37 Pts.  
 Sunday 29th 18 Hole Stableford  
 1st Sean Daly (14) CSS 34 Pts N/Q

## Lismore Golf Club Fixtures

Tuesday 1st Bacon @ 5.30  
 Friday 4th - Sunday 6th May Vice-Captains Prize (Mr. Willie Kearney) Timesheet 058-54026  
 Tuesday 8th May South Munster Senior's Golf  
**TW MURPHY - Golf Professional**  
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## LISMORE LADIES GOLF

### Results:

Wed 25th April - Open Day 3 Ball Better Ball Sponsored By A.I.B Lismore  
 1st Katherine Moynihan (18), Nora O'Sullivan (18), Margaret Morrissey (19) - 74 pts  
 2nd Connie Dowd (21), Sheila O'Leary (23), Pat O'Gorman (31) - 70 pts  
 Best Gross Breda Mc Carthy (5), Betty O'Brien (9), (Dungarvan), Shieve O'Meara (13) (Fermoy) - 47 gross pts  
 3rd Patricia Bolger Mc Carthy (16), Jo Jo Tobin (25), Sheena Wilkinson (30) - 69 pts B.9

### Fixtures

Wed 2nd May 18 Hole Stroke (Medal) Sponsored By T.S.B  
 Hard Luck to Intermediate Team who played in Monkstown last Sunday they were beaten by Fota Island

## Lateness and Cancellations

Most players in the club prefer to play their competitions early on Sundays but the time sheet will only accommodate so many players which results in some players playing at a later time than they would prefer. This can then be exacerbated by players turning up late for their tee times and delaying the time sheet further. The time on the time sheet is the time you tee off and not the time you check in. In future players not checked in 10 minutes before they are due to tee off may find themselves replaced on the timesheet if other players are available to play. Anybody can be late and things will happen to delay people and we fully understand this but what we are talking about here is people who are persistently late.

Players failing to turn up and not giving due notice to the kiosk should take note of the club rule that states that such players may be banned from putting their names on the time sheets for a number of weeks.

## Dungarvan Golf International

This is a three day 2 person team event played over the three local courses, West Waterford, Dungarvan and the GoldCoast and this year it will be held on Tues 12th, Wed. 13th and Thurs 14th June. The event is run in association with Bulmers and Michael Ryan, Saltan Properties.

The cost for the three days golf and entry to the competition is €20. This is an ideal competition for people visiting the area and it is a great way for people to make new friends. The craic at night is mighty. To register please phone Ms. Marie Curran at 058-42870 or mobile 087 2347918

## France Qualifier

Players can now play this competition seven days a week by either entering the CPC Open, the Saturday Club Competition or the Sunday competition. The interest generated by this competition is very high and entries are up in all competitions.

## LADIES NOTES

### Fixtures

10 Hole ongoing competition for Eurospar Voucher.  
 18 Hole One Day Competition on Sunday 6th May kindly sponsored by Paul Barry Slate Design. Players should enter their names on the timesheet.  
 18 Hole one day competition on Monday 14th May.

### LadiesResults

EurosparNo3Voucher:TeresaQueally(24)24pts

### Club Classic:

1st Ladies: Bridget Aherne (15)  
 Mary Clancy (16)  
 Mary Anne Coffee (17) 49 pts.

### Yellow Ball

1st: Helena Fitzgerald (14)  
 Evonne Cunningham (36)  
 Esther McGuckian (14) 33 pts.

### Captain's Prize to the Ladies

The Captain's Prize to the Ladies kindly presented by Patsy Walsh will take place on Sunday 13th May. Members intending to play should enter their names on the timesheet provided in the kiosk before 5 p.m. on Friday 11th May when the draw for partners will take place. As this is one of the major competitions of the season we look forward to a great day and a big entry.

### Lessons for Beginners

These lessons start on Wednesday 9th May at the GoldCoast Golf Club. Meet at the kiosk at 6.15 p.m. for lessons starting at 6.30 p.m. All are welcome.

### Club Mixed Foursomes

Members interested in playing in this competition must enter their names on the list provided in the kiosk on or before Sunday 6th May. Committee Meeting on Friday 4th May at the GoldCoast at 8 p.m..

# West Waterford Juvenile Athletic Notes

## West Waterford Juveniles Get to Grips with busy schedule

The athletics season started in earnest this week with events on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Despite the rain earlier in the week the weather kept fine for all three events. Even on the warmest day in summer there is always a cold breeze on the track in Waterford so having fine weather is a big plus for the athletes and also for the officials who stand for hours officiating at these events.

## Post Primary School Championships

These events were held on the track in Waterford and there was a very good turnout of athletes with nineteen schools sending representatives to this event. This year there was a big increase in the number of boys competing and there was also a large contingent from Youghal who traditionally compete in the Waterford and East Munster area. West Waterford athletes represented the Ardscoil, Colaiste Cathail, and St. Augustines and many of them were among the medal winners. These will go on to compete in the East Munster Championships, which will be held over the next two Wednesdays where they will be looking for qualifying places for the Munster Schools.

Among the Medal winners from West Waterford competing for St Augustines were: Minors Kate Veale 3rd 1500m, Leann Herlihy 2nd Long Jump & 2nd High Jump Juniors Lisa Houlihan 1st Long Jump and High Jump

Representing Ard Scoil na nDeise were: Minors Ciara Scanlan 2nd Shot & 3rd Discus, Natalie Wancerg 3rd High Jump, Siobhan Nugent 3rd Javelin Juniors; Roisin Tobin 1st 100m, Edel Roche 1st 800m & 2nd 1500m, Colleen Whelan 2nd 800m, Clodagh Gallagher 3rd 1500m, Jane O'Brien 3rd 100m, Claire Collins 1st High Jump & 2nd Long Jump, Zoey Scanlon 1st Discus & Javelin Colleen Hayes 3rd Shot & Discus.

## Boys:

From Colaiste Cathail  
**Maurice O' Connor 2nd 800m, Michael Mc Grath 3rd Shot & 2nd Discus**

Representing St. Augustines David Early 1st 800m & 2nd Long Jump, Lughaidh O'Mahony 2nd 800m, Joe Conway 3rd Discus, Mark Shalloe 2nd 1500m.  
 From Dungarvan C.B.S.  
 Darragh O'Riordan 2nd 1500m, Kevin Harty 2nd Triple Jump & High Jump.

## Big Crowds and exciting finishes at Primary School Sports

On Thursday the youngsters from the big schools were in action for their heats. With places at stake in the western final the athletes were prepared to give their all for the glory of their school. There were some very close and exciting finishes particularly in the relays. Schools will be notified of their qualifiers for the finals. Next week it is the turn of the smaller schools to run their heats. Once again we expect large numbers so come early if you want to park in the Friary. Line up starts at 6.15 and the first race will be under way at 6.30. We will not wait for latecomers as we need to start on time to ensure we are finished before dark.

## 70 Athletes travel to County Championships

On Friday the first round of the county championships were held in Waterford. A large contingent travelled from West Waterford. There were also large numbers from Ferrybank, K.C.K. Tramore, Waterford A.C. and An Gaeltacht making it one of the largest and most competitive championships for several years. West Waterford had many medal winners on the track in the jumping and throwing events. Among them were Caoimhe Dwyer, Shannon O'Brien, Cliodhna Ryan, Tholm Reddy, Shane O'Riordan, Thomas Shaw Hamilton, Richard Casey, Kate Hickey, Leann Herlihy, Ciara Scanlan, Kate Veale, Cian Ryan, Zoe Scanlon, Lisa Houlihan, Lorraine O'Neill, Niamh Collins, Clodagh Gallagher, Kate Kennedy, Rebecca Maher, Claire Collins, Edel Roche, David Early, Ronan O'Neill, Shane O'Gorman, Darragh O'Riordan, Michael Tutty, Daniel Kearney, Daniel Mc Carthy, David Mc Carthy, Mark Shalloe, Patrick Palmer, Ann Fennell, Ruth Fennell, Emma Dunne, Aisling Fennell, Thomas Houlihan, Michael Devine, Aaron Meehan, Joe Conway, Brian Hallissey Mary Frost, making it a very successful night for West Waterford. A tired but happy bunch arrived back in Dungarvan at 10.30.

Training continues Wednesday and Friday at 6.00 in the Friary.  
 Next Events: Wed May 2nd East Munster Girls Championships

Thurs May 3rd Primary School Sports Small Schools Heat  
 Wed. May 9th East Munster Boys Championships  
 Thurs May 10th Western Finals of Primary School Sports  
 Sunday May 13th Second Round of County Championships.

# CUNNIGAR PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES

## OFFICIAL RE-OPENING DATE FOR GREEN FEES

The grounds will be officially re-opening for green fees on this Saturday 5th May, this means the Clubhouse will be attended from 10.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

## GREEN FEES

Adults	€6.00
Juveniles	€3.00
Hire of Clubs	€2.00

## ENTRY FEES

The entry fees for Munster & Nationals must be in by 9th May. Contact Aidan Murray.

## COACHING

Every Tuesday evening from 7.00 p.m. Experienced members of the Club will be there to give tips, different games will be played each week to demonstrate the rules of each game and marking of cards. All are welcome.

## COMPETITION WINNERS

Results of Ladies Day Wednesday 25th April were Best Nett Mary Lynch & Best Gross Mary Walsh  
 Results of Thursday 26th April were Best Nett, Cait Mulchay & Aidan Murray and Best Gross Thomas Maher & Mary O'Neill (Sponsored by Country Store, Mitchell Street).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 3rd May game at 7.00 p.m. (Sponsored Game)  
 Saturday 5th May game at 2.00 p.m. for anyone interested.

## SNOWBALL

Winner of snowball Saturday April 21st was Margaret Enright.  
 Winner of snowball Saturday April 28th was Fred McGee.

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# HORSE RACING SNIPPETS



BY MARK PHILLIPS

## SPORTING INDEX END SPONSORSHIP

Sporting Index has ended its long association with Cheltenham's cross-country races after 12 years of sponsorship. The sports spread betting firm has backed the unique races, run over a mixture of obstacles including banks, ditches, hedges and timber rails, since they were first introduced at Cheltenham in 1995. Co Limerick handler Enda Bolger, who registered his first cross-country victory at Cheltenham with Fiftysevenchannels in 1997, has enjoyed great success over the banks and ditches in recent years, notably with his grand campaigner Spot The Difference, who has six course wins in all under his belt, and has become a firm favourite of Cheltenham racegoers. The gallant 14-year-old, partnered to all his Cheltenham triumphs by amateur rider John Thomas McNamara, was last seen finishing fourth behind stable companion Heads Ontheground in the Sporting Index Handicap Chase at The Festival on March 13. Earlier in the season, he won the two races over the cross-country course at The Open and the Boylesports International. Runner-up in this year's Sporting Index Handicap Chase at The Festival was Silver Birch, trained by Gordon Elliott, who went on to land the John Smith's Grand National at Aintree earlier this month. At present there are three races a year that take place over the three-mile, seven-furlong cross-country course at Prestbury Park, at The Open in November, the following month at the Boylesports International fixture and at The Festival in March. Wally Pyrah, PR Director at Sporting Index, said: "We have enjoyed a wonderful 12 years of sponsorship at Cheltenham and are very proud to have been at the forefront of the development of one of the great spectacles in British racing. "To have seen a horse like Spot The Difference make the course his own was wonderful, while this year we had the future Grand National winner, Silver Birch, run in the Sporting Index Handicap Chase at The Festival. This demonstrates just how far cross-country racing has evolved since 1995." Peter McNeile, Director of Sponsorship at Cheltenham, said: "We are very grateful to Sporting Index for their loyal support over so many years and for helping to put cross-country chasing on the map in this country."

"We will now begin talking to interested parties about the sponsorship and branding opportunities that these three wonderful races and the unique Cheltenham cross-country course present."

## DRAYTON ARRIVES IN THE UK

Drayton, trained in South Africa by Mike De Kock, arrived safely in Newmarket last week ahead of his tilt at the Stan James 2000 Guineas at the NatWest Rowley Mile on Saturday, May 5. The colt got acquainted with the NatWest Rowley Mile last Saturday morning, familiarising himself with the saddling boxes and Parade Ring before working on the track. Drayton, formerly trained in this country by Tommy Stack and who has to date run just once for Mike De Kock when contesting a six furlong race in Dubai in March, is the first and so far the only De Kock horse to arrive in Newmarket. He will be joined by a host of stable companions over the coming few weeks as De Kock realises his goal to have a major satellite operation based at the "Home of Horseracing" to target Europe's top races

## THIS WEEKS RACING

**Wednesday** — Ballinasloe 5.40pm, Ascot, Cheltenham, Kempton, Nottingham and Pontefract  
**Thursday** — Tipperary 5.25pm, Folkestone, Hereford, Huntington, Catterick and Wolverhampton  
**Friday** — Cork 5.15pm, Lingfield, Musselburgh, Bangor, Fontwell and Southwell  
**Saturday** — Kildangan 5.15pm, Goodwood, Hexham, Newmarket, Thirsk, Uttoxeter and Worcester  
**Sunday** — Gowran Park 2pm, Sligo 2.50pm, Hamilton, Newmarket and Salisbury

## DAVY SIDELINED

The course doctor stood down Davy Condon for 21 days after taking a crashing fall on the opening day of the Punchestown Festival.

## UK JUMP NATIONAL HUNT WINNERS

The leading UK National-Hunt champions after last weekends jump action at Sandown Park were as follows, leading rider A P McCoy, leading conditional rider Tom O'Brien, leading trainer Paul Nichols and J P McManus was the leading owner.

## PUNCESTOWN HIGHLIGHTS

On the opening day the Edward O.Grady trained Clop captured the VCBet.com Champion novice hurdle proving to sprightly for Holly Tree.

In the Kerrygold Champion Chase Davy Russell brought the Arthur Moore trained Mansony from the rear of the field this 13/2 choice beating Justified who ran his best race for some time.

The Guinness Gold Cup was the feature event on day two and Ruby Walsh kept 8/1 shot Neptune Colonges going in fine style to beat fellow English raider Kingscliff.

Shay Barry and trainer Pat Flynn joined forces in the Novice Chase and relishing the fast underfoot conditions 11/2 shot Paolet jumped for fun on his way to a handy win over Reisk Superman.

In the La Touche Cup on Thursday the evergreen fourteen year old Spottedifference provided trainer Enda Bolger with his tenth victory in this banks race.

Mick Fitzgerald got the very best out of 6/4 favourite Punjabi in the Ballymore Properties Champion four-year-old hurdle battling on well to get the better of Financial Reward.

The strapping Another Promise was yet another winner for the in form partnership of Ferdy Murphy and Graham Lee this 5/1 chance capturing the Swordlestown Novice Chase.

With Mighty Man picking up an injury when leading in the Champion Stayers Hurdle Tony McCoy brought the mare Refinement with a late run to beat 20/1 outsider Powerstation.

There was a real upset in the ACC Champion Hurdle on the Friday as Grand National winning pilot Robbie Power pounced on 20/1 shot Silent Oscar to credit the Harry Rogers yard with a popular success.

The ever improving Glencove Marina owned by John Brennan and trained by Willie Mullins hit the front near the last hurdle in the Land Rover Champion Novice Hurdle and when his nearest rival Catch Me crashed out Ruby Walsh rode Glencove Marina 11/4 to a five lengths win over Kalderon.

Local trainer Henry De Bromhead was on the score sheet courtesy of the Denis O'Regan partnered Sizing Europe this 4/1 shot staying on stoutly to defeat Big Zeb by three and a half lengths.

Lismore rider Ken Whelan enjoyed a welcome winner on Saturday as he steered 20/1 outsider Sense Of Awareness to victory in the Novice Handicap Chase.

## A BAD WEEK FOR HENRY

Trainer Henry Daly had a week to forget. His leading staying hurdler Mighty Man was badly injured at Punchestown while his Alderburn was a last minute absentee due to lameness from the Betfred Gold Cup at Sandown last Saturday.

## ROLLING STONES SEDATION

A plan to sedate over 300 racehorses, which are stabled at Belgrade racecourse to keep them calm during a Rolling Stones concert, is not going down well with Serb animal lovers. A spokesperson at the racecourse stated that if the horses start to panic during the concert they will receive sedatives. ORCA the Serbian Animal protection society says holding the concert would be very harmful to the horses and sedation is not the answer.

## BACK-TO-BACK VICTORIES FOR HOT WELD

A week after capturing the Scottish Grand National at Ayr under claimer P J McDonald the Ferdy Murphy trained Hot Weld returned to action with Graham Lee in the saddle to take the Betfred Gold Cup at Sandown last Saturday afternoon. A challenging Zabenz made a terrible mistake at the last fence and Hot Weld was allowed a free run in.

## NEWMARKET GUINEAS PLANS

Teofilo, unbeaten in five races as a two-year-old and talked of as a possible Triple Crown contender this season by his trainer, heads 38 cracking entries who remain in the £350,000 Group One Stan James 2000 Guineas, run over the NatWest Rowley Mile at Newmarket on Saturday, May 5, after the forfeit stage. The hugely exciting son of Galileo, who races in the colours of handler Jim Bolger's wife Jackie, showed plenty of courage on his most recent outing in the Group One Darley Dewhurst Stakes at Newmarket on October 14, battling back once headed to edge out Holy Roman Emperor by a head.

Finsceal Beo, the top-rated European juvenile filly of 2006, heads 32 high-class entries going forward for the £350,000 Group One Stan James 1000 Guineas, run over Newmarket's NatWest Rowley Mile on Sunday, May 6, after the forfeit stage. Jim Bolger's charge was mightily impressive when landing her last two outings in October, slamming Darrfonah by an easy five lengths in the Group One Prix Marcel Boussac at Longchamp, and following up in the Group Two "In The Pink" Rockfel Stakes at Newmarket, defeating Rahiyah by three lengths.

The Jeremy Nosedo-trained Sander Camillo showed blistering speed at two, storming to a five-length victory in the Group Two Chippenham Lodge Stud Cherry Hinton Stakes on the July Course at Newmarket. She was reportedly below her best when runner-up to Scarlet Runner, trained by John Dunlop, in the Group Three Shadwell Nell Gwyn Stakes at Newmarket earlier this month, just ahead of the Tim Pitt-trained Blue Rocket and Sir Michael Stoute's Kaseema, with Barshiba and Fantasy Parkes in behind.

## POINT-TO-POINT FIXTURES

### Sunday May 6th

East Galway Foxhounds, Laurencetown, Ballinasloe, County Galway, 2 p.m.

Muskerry Foxhounds, Dromohane, Mallow, County Cork 2 p.m.

### Monday May 7th

Carlow Farmers, Castleroe, Maganey, County Carlow, 2 p.m.

Muskerry Foxhounds, Dawstown, At Birch Hill, Grenagh County Cork, 2 p.m.

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And Irish racing folk were similarly robbed of brownie points when winner after winner at the top meetings in Ireland, France and the UK were greeted with a distinctly Irish roar.

It's the economy, we were told. All the good horses are being kept on our Emerald Isle now rather than being sold to the UK.

So can we take from England's recent reclaiming of the Champion Chase and Gold Cup, and their hugely impressive haul at last week's Punchestown festival, that the tide is turning? And what does this mean for our economy then? And the upcoming election?

Who'd have thought Kauto Star's extraordinary season would be an issue on the doorsteps.

Doubtless, the members of the ESRI and the Central Bank will gather around their television sets at the weekend - Racing Post in one hand, the other hand having its nails chewed off. It's Guineas weekend at Newmarket you see, and Ireland hold realistic chances of winning both the 1,000 and the 2,000.

The former event revolves around Teofilo, a formidable Galileo colt named after the legendary boxer Teofilo Stevenson. The Cuban won three consecutive Olympic gold medals in the heavyweight division but steadfastly refused to turn professional.

However, everything about his equine namesake says professionalism. An unbeaten two year-old campaign has whetted the appetite and only for a training set-back a fortnight ago, he would be a very short price to win the 2,000 Guineas on Saturday.

It's a huge weekend for his trainer Jim Bolger. The Master of Coolcullen has mentioned the Triple Crown as a possible aim for Teofilo but to win over the straight mile at Newmarket in spring, then take the Derby over a mile and a half in summer before keeping limber for the extended 14 furlongs of the Leger in autumn just isn't done any more.

In my opinion, there are genuine doubts that Teofilo can have the speed for Saturday's event, and the stamina for targets later in the year. But Bolger's weekend could be saved by his super filly Finsceal Beo who looks a good thing in the 1,000 on Sunday.

## LAY OF THE WEEK

It's got to be Teofilo. The set-back is one thing, but even without that negative there was an impression from his two year-old campaign that Teofilo would need further than a mile as a three year-old. With a handful of possible winners in the field, Jim Bolger's star is worth taking on this weekend.

## BET OF THE WEEK

Major Cadeaux is my idea of the winner of the 2,000 Guineas. Rated very highly by the Richard Hannon stable, he was hugely impressive in executing a three and a half length win over Dutch Art in the Greenham. Plenty of pace and lovely balanced, and at 6/1 he looks a sparkling each-way bet. Kevin Prendergast's Haatef-fourth to Teofilo in last year's Dewhurst - is a sporting alternative.

## TWO FOR THE NOTEBOOK

One wouldn't normally resort to a seven furlong maiden at Wolverhampton to find future Pattern winners but last week's winner from the Luca Cuman stable could be a notable exception.

The well-bred and suitably expensive Riggins was extremely taking on his winning debut and this son of Cape Cross looks like a horse to follow. The bare form figures might not look much, but in pulverising an average field by seven lengths in a quick time, he signalled some real talent.

The fact that he travelled supremely well off a fast pace augurs well for his future at a much higher level. Riggins is out of a Zafonic mare who herself is a sister of the high-class Yawni and, who knows, he could rise as high as his talented relation.

At Punchestown last week Noel Glynn's Gonebeyondrecall was backed to win the Goffs Land Rover bumper as if defeat was out of the question. The race carries a big pot and though it's restricted to horses bought in the Land Rover Sales, it has produced some decent winners in recent times.

Gonebeyondrecall could be up there with the best of them. All through last week's race he wanted to go much quicker for Derek O'Connor but despite his keenness, he still produced a devastating turn of foot to settle the race within a matter of strides.

Gonebeyondrecall looks like the real deal.

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## NEWS OF TOWN AND ROUNDABOUT

### NA DEISE PIGEON CLUB

Saturday, 28th our first Federation race took place from Macroom. A good turnout from the club was recorded with 10 members sending 136 birds. The birds were released at 11 am into a light easterly breeze for the 60 mile trip.

1st place Tommy Leahy, timed at 12.29.22. Vel. 1153.72. 2nd Richie Nagle, time 12.29.41 Vel.

1129.85. 3rd Jimmy Fraher, time 12.32.22. Vel. 1104.47. 4th Tommy Leahy. 5th Paddy Lannon. 6th Peter Whelan. Good returns were recorded on the day. Until next week.

### DUNGARVAN GAA LOTTO

Numbers drawn 15-14-6-1. No winner. Next week's jackpot 6,700 euro. Two winners of 40 euro each Josie Flynn, Comeragh Crescent.

Luke and James O'Callaghan, Roberts Cross. Next draw at the Shandon Arms. Many thanks for your continued support.

### CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Presidents Prize Presented by John Phelan. 25th Apr. 1 Cait Christopher and Sean de Paor. 2 Nellie Moloney and Ella Whelan. 3 Angela Freyne and Kay Kirwan. 4 Eileen O'Donoghue and Margaret

Foley. 5th Margaret O'Brien and Una O'Dwyer. 6th Mary Murphy and Joan Ronayne. 7 Mary O'Brien and Kay Shanley. 8 Aine Veale and Marian Walsh.

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## DUNGARVAN PREMIER RACING PIGEON CLUB

14th Apr. This race was flown from Kildare. Birds were liberated at 2.45 pm in sunny conditions. 1st J. Moylan 993.556 yd/min. 2nd I. Harty 993.358 yd/min. 3rd Crotty/Organ 992.446 yd/min. 4th Woods Brothers 991.950 yd/min. J. Moylan also won the Pools. Last week's race was flown again from Kildare. A distance of 80 miles. This race was sponsored by Conor Lannon of the Country Vegetable Store, Mitchel St., Dungarvan. Birds liberated at 12.15 pm. 1st Crotty/Organ 772.936 yd/min. 2nd J. Moylan 771.096 yd/min. 3rd Riordan/Cullen 770.104 yd/min. 4th Riordan/Cullen 769.196 yd/min. Crotty/Organ also won the Pools.

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# It's Show-time for Féile na nDéise



A group of local actors rehearse for the Pageant to be held next Sunday in Grattan Square, as the visit of Michael Collins in the Spring of 1922 is re-enacted during Féile na nDéise. From left: Pat Kennedy, (RIC), Tommy Prendergast, (Black and Tan), Joan Clancy and Dolores Ronayne, (bystanders), Dwane Kirwan (RIC) and Liam Clancy (bystander).

The decisions are made; the preparations complete and all they need now is the weather and the crowd. One brings the other and prayers will be offered for the sunshine.

The bonus for the Féile na nDéise Committee came last Sunday with the League title for a Waterford team who will want to show off their silver and pay back their fans with a victory against the Scots.

A meeting between the Scottish Championship winners and the Irish National League winners

must be an attractive pairing, all the more with Waterford tails up.

Shinty in Fraher Field will be a first, but with the Scots sending their Championship best in Fort William, it should also be a cracker of a game as they take on newly crowned Waterford in the traditional game of Scotland. It should be a fitting climax for those who like the outdoors, having watched Michael Collins in Grattan Square in the afternoon and tapped and hummed to the Booley House to finish.

After tea, the indoor people will be in St. Mary's with Cara O'Sullivan and her

guests, three of our finest local entertainers. Neil Hurley, Eimear Fahey and Brian Hughes will be a difficult act to follow and it will take someone of the calibre of Cara to surpass their best.

It would be easy to concentrate on the Sunday programme, but that would be to leave behind a string of performances, by a collection of musicians who are the best in Munster and beyond. The full programme from Thursday night's concert by the Stacks, to the now famous Bucket Singing in Downeys on Monday afternoon, with all that which is in between, would be impossible to summarise in a few hundred words.

It has something for everyone, normally a cliché, but with tots in the Old Market House Arts Centre, junior buskers in the streets, drama by the adults and the concerts by the professionals, no one should feel left out. The younger set have Saturday in the Square and their talent is legendary, their music is sweet and their dancing precise.

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has tipped so often in the past. From then until Monday, it will be cool, crac agus go leor caint in the streets, pubs and hosteries of the town and district. Traditional music comes to your town this weekend. Don't let the opportunity pass, get a programme, pick your spot and get to one or more of the events. They're all worth a visit.

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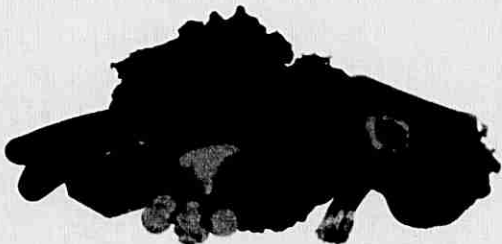
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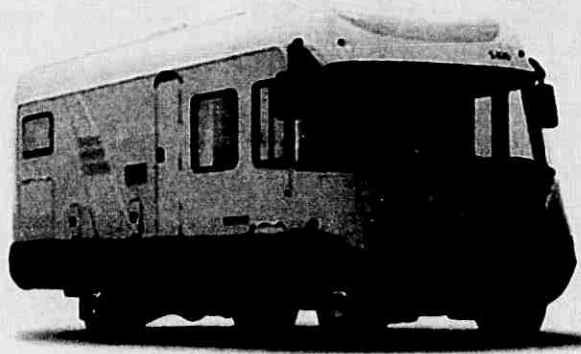
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