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## Lismore's Dan 'The Man' Named Hurler Of The Year

By Kevin Korrane

Dan Shanahan was named Hurler of the Year to add to his three All-Stars at a ceremony in Dublin's City West Hotel on Friday last.

It capped a wonderful year for Waterford in which they captured both Munster Championship and National League honours, although an elusive All-Ireland title remained tantalisingly out of grasp.

The county won a record five All-Stars at the ceremony with Ken McGrath, Tony Browne, Michael Walsh, and Ballyduff Upper native, Stephen Molumphy joining Dan Shanahan in the annual GAA honours list.

### NOMINEES

Dan was one of three nominees for the Hurler of the Year crown along with Ken McGrath of Waterford and Tommy Walsh of Kilkenny, but a veritable crescendo of applause rang out when the popular Lismore man was named winner.

## RECORD FIVE ALL-STARS FOR WATERFORD

"It feels good," Dan said, after receiving the award from Liam Mulvihill and Taoiseach Bertie Ahern. "I am honoured to get it."

"I accept it on behalf of the team. There were three of us nominated, but I was lucky enough to get it."

### ROLLERCOASTER

The year proved a rollercoaster ride for the Waterford team and their legions of loyal supporters, with the highs of National Hurling League success against Kilkenny, and Munster championship honours against Limerick. But All-Ireland glory remained a step away, after defeat against Richie Bennis's team in the semi final.

Asked whether 2008 was going to be Wa-

terford's year, the big Lismore forward, whose goals propelled the side to much of its success this year, said: "I remember being up here last year, and I said we'd have a crack at it again next year, so I'll say it again."

"Kilkenny are the team to beat, there's no doubt about that. There'll be a lot more teams up for it as well next year - Tipperary and Galway - but we'll be there again."

"We'll get back together again after the holidays, which the lads deserve, and hopefully give it a crack next year," he added.

### TITANIC STRUGGLE

Waterford's titanic struggle to seize All-Ireland glory came unstuck against Limerick, after two physically and mentally draining games the

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All Star and Hurler of the Year Dan Shanahan proudly shows off his trophy. (Brendan Moran / Sportsfile)



Pictures of the Austrian snow following the wedding recently in Salzburg were Caroline Lenane, daughter of Michael and Lynda Lenane, Cappagh and John McCann, son of John and Mary McCarthy, Kilrush, Dungarvan.

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By Kevin Korrane  
Waterford County Council hope to have fixed a leaking mains by today (Wednesday), and bring about an end to a water crises in Stradbally, which has seen residents of the picturesque village go without water for the past four days.

The council delivered tankers of fresh drinking water over the weekend to the village, while the fire service pumped in water to enable householders to flush their toilets. The council said they will continue to do this until such a time as the water service is up and running again.

The break occurred on Friday close to a reservoir, leaving the village without a supply throughout the weekend and until Tuesday (yesterday).

At the time of going to press, the county council were still

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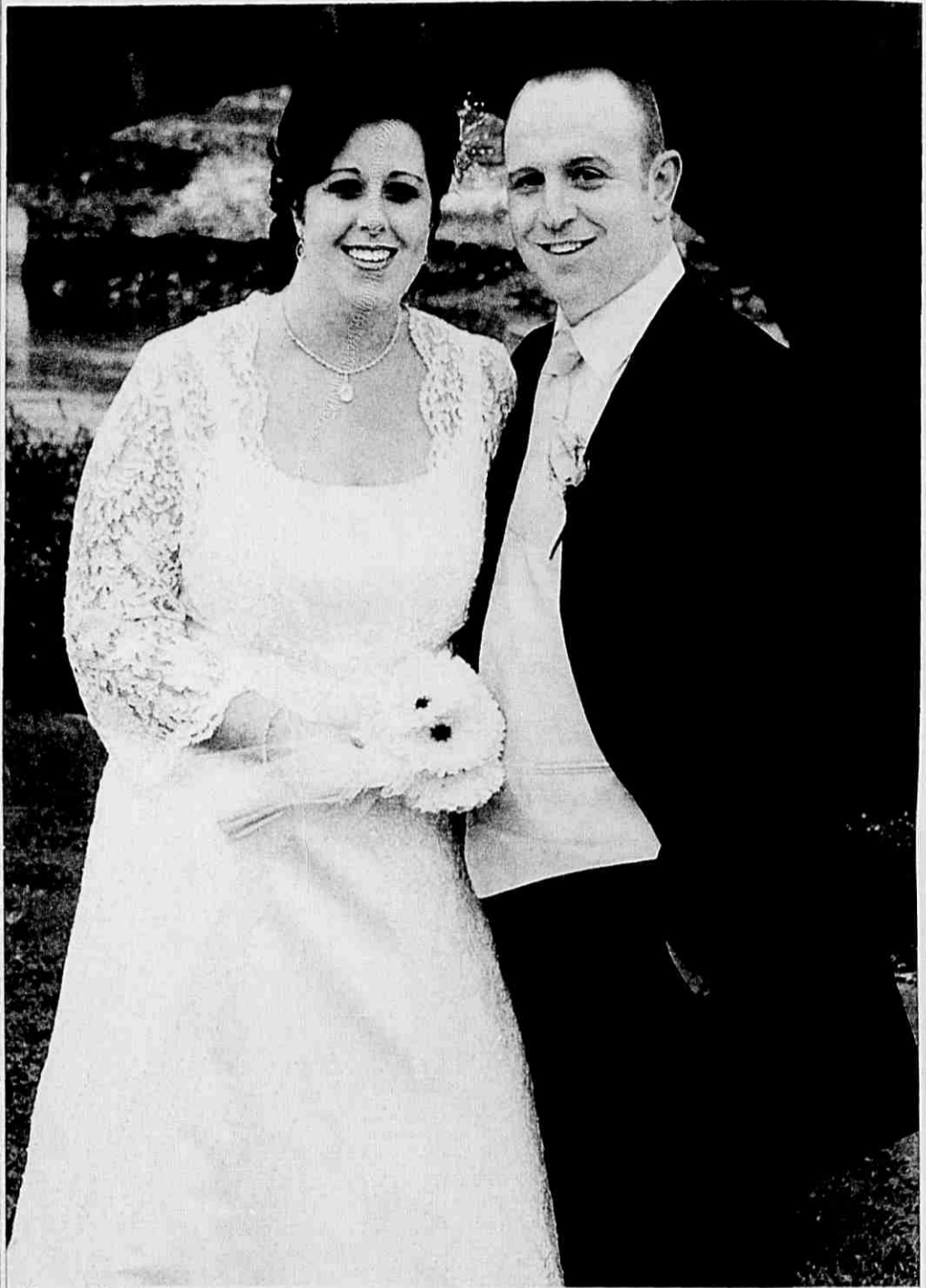
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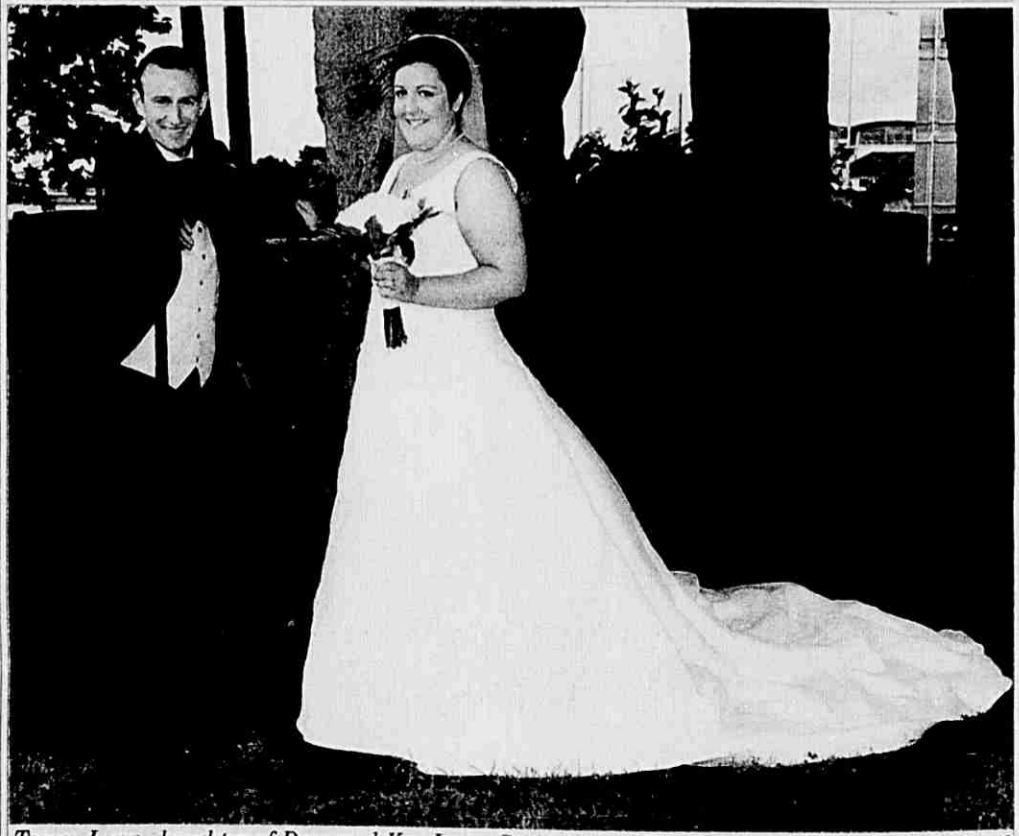
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Sharon Walsh, daughter of John and Marion Walsh, Kilrush, Dungarvan and Tom Flynn, son of Tom and the late Anne Flynn, Ballymacarbry, who were married in Fourmilewater Church. Fr. Connie Kelleher P.P. officiated and the reception was held in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

(www.rpowerphotography.com).



Tracey Long, daughter of Dave and Kay Long, Springmount, Dungarvan and Dick Power, son of Tony and the late Ann Power, Touraneena, who were married in St. Mary's Parish Church. Fr. Paul Waldron C.C. officiated and was assisted by Fr. Connie Kelleher P.P. The reception was held in the Park Hotel.

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# Hero's Welcome Home For Special Olympian Jean Fenton Returns After World Games Success



Left to right: Tom Scanlon (Sports Manager) Noelle Morley-Presenting a Certificate of Achievement from Carriglea Cairde Services, Nora Boyle, Seamus Fenton, Jean Fenton, Nicola Moroney and Ann Fenton.

**By Kevin Kirrane**  
Special Olympian, Jean Fenton received a hero's welcome home at the Ann Le Roy Centre in Dungarvan, on Thursday last. Family and friends from Carriglea Cairde Services waved tricolours and banners celebrating her bronze medal feat with the Irish female basketball team in the world games in China. Fresh from a draining twelve and a half hour trip from Shanghai, where the games were held, Jean thanked everyone for their warm welcome, and was thrilled to win her second medal in consecutive Olympics. The twenty-eight year old Mt. Mellerary native, a daughter of Ann and Seamus Fenton, was

part of the Irish squad of 142 athletes who stayed in host town Luwan for the two and a half weeks of the games. **DEDICATION** Sports Manager with Carriglea Cairde Services, Tom Scanlon praised her huge dedication. She has been in training in Dungarvan Sports Centre for the past ten months under coach, Nicola Moroney, then travelling to Dublin to join up with the rest of the team for squad sessions. It's Jean's second Olympics, having competed in 2003 in Dublin, where she also won a medal. "It's a huge achievement to get two medals," Tom said, "and it's an honour for Jean, her family

and for Carriglea Cairde Services". **PROUD MUM** "We're absolutely proud of her", Jean's mum, Ann, who travelled to China for the games, told the Dungarvan Leader. "It was a very proud moment for us all to see her represent her country and to win a second medal." She said Jean had taken everything in her stride, but it was an amazing experience for them all. "Twenty-eight years ago, my husband, Seamus said to me when Jean was born that everything happens for a good reason. And I think this is really the case, and this is just one

example of how Jean has made us so proud of her all the time". **MASSIVE UNDERTAKING** The Chinese event was a massive undertaking, with 169 countries competing. Perhaps, the enormity of Jean's achievement can be seen when considering the fact that there were 11,000 Irish athletes bidding for a place on the team, whittled down to just 142 participants selected through regional and national finals. Jim Fleming, the well-known West Waterford-based coach with the Irish national bowling team, was one of fifty-five Irish coaches at one of this year's biggest sporting events. His team won Gold - part of the 89 medals won by Irish athletes. "I found everyone courteous, and friendly; it was an amazing experience", Mr. Fleming said.



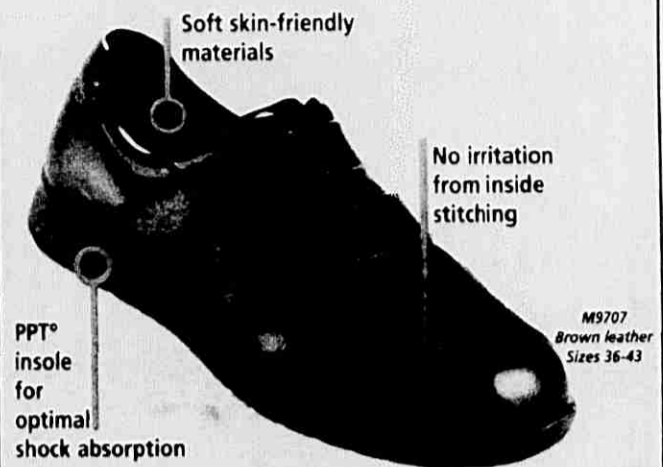
Jean Fenton pictured with staff from the Eurorouts Restaurant on her triumphant return home from the Soocial Olympics.

## Kilmac Railway Bridge To Be Floodlit

**By Kevin Kirrane**  
Waterford County Council has agreed to floodlit Kilmacthomas' main landmark, the Railway Bridge. As the bridge is a protected structure it will have to go through the Part 8 process of Public Consultation, which will be started shortly. Labour councillor, Ger Barron welcomed the move, saying the bridge is Kilmac's one outstanding landmark. "If Kilmacthomas had a coat of arms, it would sure to be on it," Cllr. Barron added. It's the second time that the idea has come before the council. The idea was first mooted in the millennium year but the council failed to get funding from the ESB, Cllr. Barron said.

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# St. Joseph's Hospital Patients Cycle For People In Need!



Pictured above are (back row, left to right): Linda Tutty (physiotherapist Asst.), Lesley Boland (physiotherapist), Gemma Flynn (nurse), Tom Gantley (O.T.); front: Michael Hodnett, Pat Forde, Ned Whelan, Rena Morrissey, Paddy O'Shea and Eddie Coleman. (Missing from photo is Kit Cliffe).

**By Kevin Kirrane**

Seven patients attending the Sacred Heart Rehabilitation Unit at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan are engaged in a unique initiative to raise money for the People In Need Teleton,

this Friday. Micheal Hodnet, Pat Forde, Ned Whelan, Renie Morrissey, Paddy O'Shea, Eddie Coleman and Kit Cliffe, who are all either respite, rehabilitation or long stay patients at the Unit,

have cycled over 113 kilometres so far, using a motoped assisted cycle in a bid to raise much needed funds for the charity.

The cycle, which is the brainchild of Mairead McDaid and

Leslie Bowland, both physiotherapists at the unit, was put in train in order to involve patients in raising funds for those in need through their own exercise programme.

Tom Gantley, Senior Occupational Therapist with the Sacred Heart Unit, explained: "People who come into hospital can feel disconnected from things, and this is just a nice way to connect with people in need."

"It also gives them a sense of purpose," he added. "A lot of elderly people don't get the opportunities to get involved in something like this, and may feel they are past contributing, so this is really a positive thing to do."

He said people have been very generous towards the charity event so far, and they hope to raise around €500 from the event.

"It's important that people who are older, and perhaps have some health problems, still feel that they have a contribution to make, and are connected into events," Tom who has been with the Unit since it opened in 1998, said.

"There has been a change regarding people who go into nursing homes, in trying to make them more outward looking communities, and things like this are positive beacons in that effort. And it's morale boosting as well."

The Sacred Heart Unit is a 15 bed unit, three of which are respite. It mainly treats the over 65's providing rehab treatment for those with single or multiple health problems. Together with Tom Gantley, the team comprises Linda Tutty, physiotherapist assistant, Ron Swanson, and Leslie Bowland, physiotherapist for long stay patients.

The public can sponsor a card for the patients involved at the Sacred Heart Unit of St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.

## Kirwans Raise A Whopping €1001 for the RNLI Helvick Head Lifeboat



Pictured overlooking Helvick Pier are Hon RNLI Dungarvan Fundraising Committee Member Josephine Harty, Deborah Kirwan, and Dolores Walsh Hon Treasurer RNLI Dungarvan Fundraising Branch, about to accept the cheque for €1001 on behalf of the RNLI Helvick Lifeboat from James Kirwan's nieces Deborah and Sinéad Kirwan and nephew John Kirwan.

When James Kirwan of Silversprings, Dungarvan heard that there was to be a Daft Raft Race in aid of the RNLI Helvick Head Lifeboat, his outstanding talents for design and ingenuity were immediately put to work. However the event was deferred to 2008. But James and his wife Mary and extended family members raised €1001 sponsorship from all corners of West Waterford in anticipation of the race for this most worthy cause. They include Anna Kirwan, James Walsh and Margaret Gregory.

Mary McCarthy cordially invites you to the launch of her novel **"The Glass Fern"** in The Library, Dungarvan on Thursday 25th October 2007 6.30pm - 8.00pm

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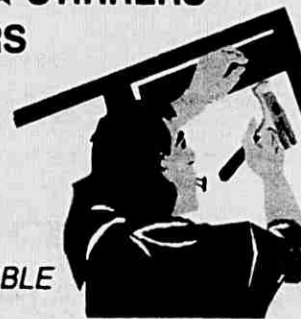
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## VIEWPOINT

### DAN THE MAN STRIKES AGAIN

Viewpoint often uses this space to be quite critical when he feels there is a need to be, but he also offers congratulations when they are due. And one man due more than his share of congratulations from the entire county for the exploits that propelled the county to National League and Munster Championship success this year, is Lismore's Dan Shanahan.

Dan's goal scoring prowess led to his capture of more silverware on Friday night, when the Hurler of the Year title was added to the honours that must be causing an overflow on his mantelpiece.

It's a huge and deserved honour for the big forward, who was simply majestic throughout the year, leading the team it seemed at one stage, inexorably into the showdown everyone in the country was looking forward in eager anticipation to, an All-Ireland final with Kilkenny.

However, sadly, that was not to be, with Waterford's physically and mentally draining year coming unstuck at the hands of Richie Bennis's Limerick side, and the personal accolade will, Viewpoint is certain, only be scant reward for Dan and the Waterford team's trials and tribulations on the field of play, but it is a welcome consolation nonetheless.

In total, a record five Waterford hurlers were given All-Stars, including, perhaps most notably, Stephen Molumphy of Ballyduff Upper, whose excellent performances earned him a deserved All-Star in his first year, and this record just goes to show how impressive the entire team was throughout the year, when they topped Munster, and more than once showed the sort of form that looked likely to lead them to a long-awaited All-Ireland.

But nobody would deny, the talisman forward, Dan Shanahan top billing.

For a big man, he has a silky touch, pace and oodles of commitment, combining strength with skill to make him the most deadly and feared forward of the year, and perhaps one of the best players to come out of Waterford of the present generation.

Barging and bustling past defenders, taking high balls and rocketing unstoppable shots to the back of the net with the precision of a surgeon has become second nature to him, and for that, and for the excitement and enjoyment he and the Waterford team has given the county's sporting punters, he truly has earned all the accolades that have come his way.

Hopefully, next year, Dan and the team, will get their just rewards for their efforts and get to hold aloft an even bigger prize, the All-Ireland title in Croke Park.

## IDA NEEDS TO BE PUT UNDER MICROSCOPE

IDA South Regional Chief, Brian Conroy can expect a considerable grilling if and when he appears before the assembled ranks of the elected members of Dungarvan Town Council, probably sometime before Christmas.

There is considerable, and Viewpoint feels, justifiable anger in Dungarvan over the IDA's failure to include the town in any site visits over the past year.

As Fine Gael councillor, Michael Cosgrove correctly stated, unless and until potential investors are brought to the town, the work engaged in by the council in starting Invest in Waterford and other initiatives count for naught.

The IDA seems to be deliberately ignoring Dungarvan at the moment, despite the devastating job losses endured by the town over the past few years with the amalgamation of Waterford Foods and the closure of Dungarvan Crystal resulting in the combined loss of close to 1,000.

For any town, and especially a town the size of Dungarvan, that is, to put it mildly, a considerable amount. And while the town, has to some extent, by its own means entirely, surmounted some of those blows, the failure of the IDA to attract a replacement industry is worrying indeed.

While the rezoning of 400 to 500 acres of land near the Youghal road for industrial purposes is a step in the right direction, the question is, what multi-national industry, supplying a large number of quality well paid jobs is going to be attracted to the county town in the face of stiff competition from those in the Border and West areas where capital grants are higher, without the full backing of the Government agencies.

The answer is of course none, and sadly that's just the way it appears to be proceeding at the moment; Dungarvan is forgotten and will remain forgotten about until pressure is exerted on the IDA to actively promote the town.

No doubt, Mr. Conroy will come away from the meeting with the Town Council, a lot more aware of this fact.

## Stradbally In Water Crises!

(continued from front page) hopeful of bringing about an end to the problem within hours. While the break was fixed, it would still take some time for the water system to fully come on stream, they said.

According to Labour councillor, Ger Barron, the council's efforts in finding the source of the leak were hampered by old records.

"The pipes were laid in the late 1940's", Cllr. Barron told the Dungarvan Leader, "and the records aren't very clear. The pipes may have been changed throughout the years, and that detail wouldn't have been added in."

"In the end, it took quite a lot of effort by the area overseer and the workmen to find the leak."

Wet weather and difficult terrain also delayed the search for the pipe, a spokesperson for the county council said.

A temporary pipe is now expected to be laid, in an effort to bypass the leak, and connect the village to the reservoir again.

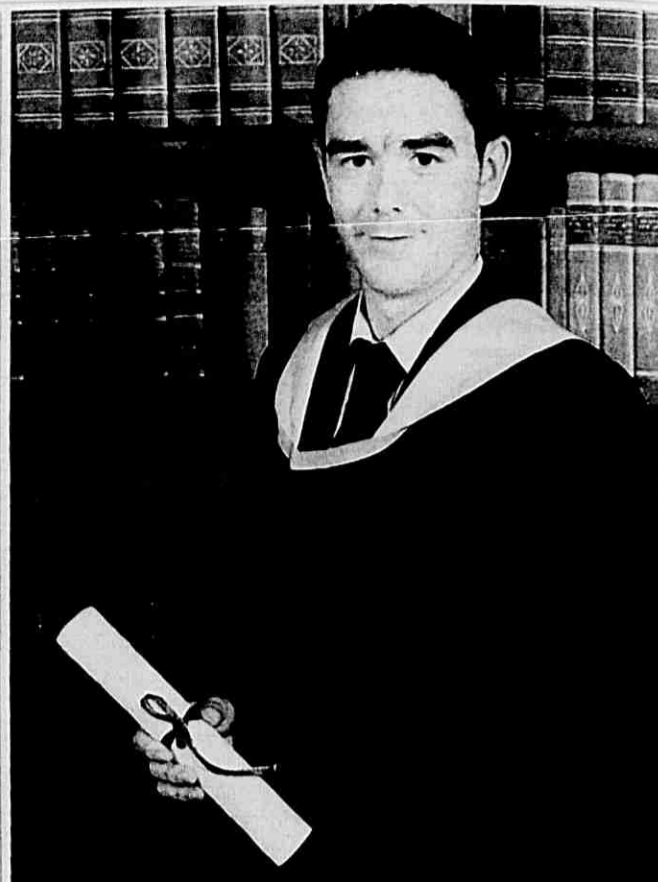
"In the meantime, we will continue to supply the village with clean drinking water until we can supply water through the mains again fully", Cllr. Barron added.

He said old pipes can go at any time, and the council needs to look at the older systems and replace them over time.

A mains conservation project is currently being drawn up for the replacement of old systems, and pipes in Stradbally should be included in the plan, Cllr. Barron said.

"I would expect that Stradbally would be added to the plan. We're looking at all the situations where we're losing water."

"Water is a valuable commodity, and it's down to cost where and when we can do it."



Congratulations to Stephen Kett, son of John and Joanne Kett, Moneygorm, Cappoquin, who graduated with an Honours Degree in Business Studies from University of Limerick recently. Stephen is a past pupil of Cappoquin National School and St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside and is currently employed by CITCO Fund Services.

## Decentralisation To Co. Waterford Taking Too Long — BRIAN O'SHEA TD

Brian O'Shea TD, Labour Party Spokesperson on Defence and the Irish Language, says that the planned decentralisation of Ordnance Survey Ireland jobs to Dungarvan, and of part of the Department of the Environment, Heritage & Local Government to Waterford city is not moving forward with any real urgency.

Deputy O'Shea raised the issue in a Dáil question to Brian Cowen TD, Tánaiste and Minister for Finance and to John Gormley TD, Minister for the Environment, Heritage & Local Government.

"Under the decentralisation programme, Ordnance Survey

Ireland is scheduled to decentralise 200 of its Dublin-based posts to Dungarvan. At the moment, 49 civil and public servants have applied to decentralise to Dungarvan, as well as 16 existing Ordnance Survey staff," explained Minister Cowen.

"A further 76 staff have been assigned to Dungarvan due to recruitment or promotion, and 11 trainees will be transferred to Dungarvan on completion of their initial contracts.

"In Waterford city, a total of 225 posts from the Department of the Environment, Heritage & Local Government will be transferred to the city, and I am assured that the OPW is currently finalising contracts of sale for a site in the city centre.

"However, there are no figures in this case to show the number of civil servants who have opted to come to Waterford," Deputy O'Shea said this morning.

"I think most people would agree that these figures and updates do bring some hope that the Government is moving towards their decentralisation targets. However, while these initial moves are very welcome, I do not think decentralisation to Waterford is going to happen on any

significant scale in the short- or even medium-term. It is a long-term undertaking that requires careful monitoring to ensure that the move towards decentralisation continues apace.

"The Government really needs to show some sense of urgency and move forward with the decentralisation programme, as it will have a pronounced effect on Waterford and Dungarvan.

"I will continue to pursue this issue in the Dáil, as I believe decentralisation is vital for the continued growth and economic vitality of Waterford city and county."

## Lismore's Dan 'The Man' Named Hurler Of The Year

(continued from front page) previous two Sundays against Cork, which Dan felt may have been the deciding factor in that semi-final battle, but he wasn't seeking to find excuses.

He said: "I just thought the three Sundays in a row caught us. Limerick beat us fair and square on the day. We've no complaints.

"It's up to ourselves to come back next year," he added.

The Lismore goal machine's pace and strength, combined with guile and considerable skill saw him become the most feared forward of the year, often terrorising defences, and bursting past his markers to score at the crucial parts of many of the championship deciders.

### OUTSTANDING YEAR

His forward partner, Stephen Molumphy was also celebrating the culmination of an outstanding personal year, as he was named at number 12 in the All-Star team at the ceremony broadcast live by RTE.

## DUNGARVAN HARRIERS POINT TO POINT

THIS SUNDAY AT 12 NOON IN AFFANE CAPPOQUIN



All roads lead to Affane, Cappoquin this Sunday for the second year running of the Dungarvan Harriers Autumn Point to Point fixture, kicking off at 12 noon. A great day's racing is expected for all the family to enjoy. A six race card with the feature open lightweight been the fifth race should provide for some highly competitive racing.



# Slow Food Event Hosted By Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese A Huge Success



Pictured above is Eamonn Lonergan, proprietor of Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese, with All-Star hurler, Sean Og O hAilpin and a section of the huge crowd which visited the Slow Food Event in Knockanore on Sunday afternoon last.

By Kevin Kirrane  
Around 400 people attended a Slow Food Event, hosted by Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese, where a range of leading artisan producers in the locality were on display, on Sunday afternoon last.

Eamonn Lonergan, who together with his wife, Patricia and their children Aisling, Orla, Lisa, Edward and Joanne, run Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese, described the event as a major success.

The Slow Food event was held to celebrate their success in winning a Gold Medal at the prestigious International Cheese Awards 2007 in Dublin, ahead of stiff competition from Austria, Germany, Britain and from all over Ireland.

"It was a major, major success," Eamonn told the Dungarvan Leader. "Upwards of 400 people attended, and it was a wonderful success both for Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese,

for Slow Food Ireland, and for artisan producers in general in the area."

Donal Lehane, formerly of Glanbia, and the head of the Waterford convivium was also delighted with the success of the day.

The event began at Barron's Bakery in Cappoquin where 200 people went on a tour of the renowned bakery, run by Joe and Ester Barron, and were given a tour of the premises including the famous Scotch Brick Oven. They then continued on to Knockanore where a range of artisan producers were on display at Lonergan's Farm including Baldwin's Farmhouse Ice Cream, Mary McGrath's Jam from Mt. Mellerary, O'Flynn's of Cork with their speciality sausages and pork products and Julie Keane's Crinnaghtaun Apple Juice from Cappoquin.

Legendary hurler, Sean Og O hAilpin was a special guest on

the day, and was a popular hit with young and old alike at the event.

Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese has been in operation for the last twenty years, winning numerous awards over that time, including the Ballygowan Food Writers Award and a Gold Medal at the British Cheese Awards recognising the outstanding quality of their cheese.

Over that time, Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese, and other artisan producers in the area have gained a reputation for excellence, serving restaurants and hotels such as Richmond House, the Tannery, Glencairn Inn, Lismore Hotel, Foley's in Lismore, the Brideview Bar in Tallow, Ahern's in Youghal, Powersfield House, Dungarvan the Park Hotel, Dungarvan, Hanoras Cottage in Ballymacarby and White Horses in Ardmore, with their renowned produce.

Knockanore Farmhouse Cheese, along with a range of

other artisan producers, also supply a number of deliscent, restaurants, hotels, and supermarkets such as Brookes Supervalu Youghal, Hurleys Middleton, Enrights Eurospar Dungarvan, Supervalu Dungarvan, Kellehers Supervalu Cappoquin, Roches Centra Lismore, Wine Vault Lismore, Lismore Wine Shop, Kenirys Tallow, Daybreak Tallow, John Quinns Ardmore, Rior-dans Supervalu Fermoy, and Centra Fermoy.

For more information on Irish Farmhouse Cheese check out [www.irishcheese.ie](http://www.irishcheese.ie)

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SECTION 75 ROADS ACT 1993

**Tallow Sewerage Scheme - Collection System**

Notice is hereby given that Waterford County Council, having complied with the above Act, will extend the closure of the following road from the **24th October 2007 to the 7th November 2007**, for continuing essential site works.

**Road to be Closed:**

West Street (R628) between Junction with L6000 Cockpit Lane and Junction with Barrack Street (R634).

**Alternative Routes**

For vehicles in excess of 3 tonnes G.L.W., via Conna to N72 at Coolagown and Tallowbridge (R634).

For all other traffic via Conna (R627) to N72 at Daly's Cross Roads and Tallowbridge (R634).

John O'Flynn, Director of Services & County Engineer  
24th October, 2007

## BOVINE TB AND BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION SCHEMES 2007/2008 HARDSHIP GRANT

- The 2007/2008 Hardship Grant eligibility period will commence on **1 November 2007**. This grant is designed to alleviate the costs difficulty of some owner/keepers whose holdings are restricted **on foot of a herd re-test** and where animals are retained and fed during periods of restriction. In order to be eligible, owner/keepers must meet certain conditions including requirements that they (i) must not have any income from milk sales, and (ii) must not have any off farm income. In addition, the general rule is that where animals (with some specific exceptions) have been moved on to a holding during a restriction period, eligibility for receipt of the hardship grants ceases for the remainder of the restriction period. The Grant may provide eligible owner/keepers with a payment of up to €250 per month for a period not exceeding 4 months within the period 1 November 2007 to 30 April 2008.
- The specific eligibility criteria attaching to the Hardship Grant are outlined in the terms and conditions document which will accompany the application form ER97. Potentially eligible owner/keepers will be issued with the terms and conditions document and application form ER97 by the Department's District Veterinary Office. Supplies of the relevant documentation will also be available at District Veterinary Offices.
- The onus is on the potentially eligible owner/keepers whose holdings are, at or after 1 November 2007, restricted as a result of a re-test or continue to be restricted as a result of a re-test during the period 1 November 2007 to 30 April 2008, to ensure that they obtain and familiarise themselves with the terms and conditions document and application form ER97.

The onus is on the owner/keeper to apply for a Hardship Grant.



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## Former County Mayor in Fashion Oscars!

Cllr Mary Greene has been nominated for the RSVP magazine's Fashion Oscars. Mary who was a high profile Mayor of County Waterford for 2006/2007 is one of twelve finalists and the only nominee from Waterford in this event. Other nominees include TV chef Rachel Allen and Celia Holman Lee of Celebrity Jigs and Reel fame. The winner will be announced by Alan Hughes and Debbie O'Donnell of TV3 at a gala ball to be held in the Silversprings Moran Hotel in Cork on November 10th. The public select the winner through postal or email voting. Voting will only be accepted between October 24th and November 9th. To vote one can email [oscar@rsvpmagazine.ie](mailto:oscar@rsvpmagazine.ie) or post to RSVP Magazine, RSVP House, P.O. Box 69, Ballinlough, Cork. Mary says she was stunned and very flattered to have been nominated.

"I enjoyed being Mayor and always tried to dress appropriately. Being involved in a Fashion Awards is a totally new experience and great fun!"





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## JUNIOR PAGE

### BEAKS, FEET AND EGGS

A bird does not have any teeth. It uses its beak for catching and cutting up its food. Birds beaks are different shapes depending on what type of food they eat. Birds with long, thin bills use them for probing. Birds with short, strong beaks, such as finches, are usually nut eaters. Beaks that are flattened tend to be used for dabbling through mud. Birds of prey, such as the bald eagle, have strong, hooked beaks for tearing at flesh. Wading birds, such as the avocet have long beaks to probe mud on river beds and beaches. A hummingbird's long beak is ideal for reaching right into tube-shaped flowers. The toucan's colourful beak plays an important part in attracting a mate. The beak is about as long as the toucan's body, but it is not heavy because it is hollow.

#### Coming In To Land

As it comes into land a bird spreads its tail feathers to act as an air brake. It then stretches its legs forwards towards the ground or a perch. Once landed it closes its tail feathers to help it to balance.

#### Eggs Large and Small

The ostrich lays the biggest egg of all. They are a creamy white, measure about 20cm (8in) long, up to 15cm (6in) in diameter, and weigh about 1kg (2.2lb). If you wanted to boil one for breakfast, it would take you about 40 minutes to do.

The smallest bird is the bee hummingbird of South America. It measures just 57mm (2in) from the tip of its beak to the end of its tail - and half of that is the bill and tail!

Hummingbirds lay the smallest eggs, just 1cm (1.3in) long.

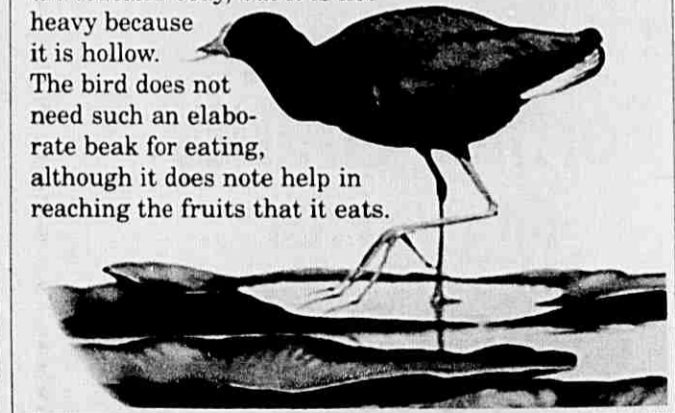
#### Feet Facts

Birds do not walk on the whole area of the foot like humans do, they walk on their toes. This is because the lower joint of the leg is not a knee but more like a heel. Most birds have four toes, three of which point forward and the other points backwards. There are lots of differences between bird's feet according to where and how they live. An ostrich, for instance, has just two toes. The jacana's long toes enable it to walk on floating plants in the marshy areas where it lives.

#### A Colourful Beak

The toucan's colourful beak plays an important part in attracting a mate. The beak is about as long as the toucan's body, but it is not heavy because it is hollow.

The bird does not need such an elaborate beak for eating, although it does not help in reaching the fruits that it eats.



### DID YOU KNOW?

- The smallest living bird, the bee hummingbird of Cuba is smaller than a dragonfly and weighs less than 3g (0.1oz).
- The albatross has a wingspan as wide as an elephant is tall.
- All domestic chickens are descended from red jungle fowl!
- The turkey was first domesticated by the Native Americans.
- The study of finches in the Galapagos Islands enabled Charles Darwin to develop his theory of natural selection.
- Feathers were made into spectacular cloaks by the Polynesians and the Eskimos.



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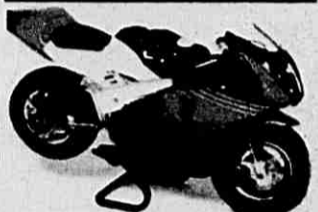
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# LOTTO COMES TO BALLINROAD



Ballinroad, one of the fastest growing areas outside of Dungarvan has, in the past few years, become a town in its own right with its own facilities and services. Outside of the Church, School and Community Centre, there is a spacious Lounge Bar and an excellent grocery, deli and general purpose shop which more than adequately fills the needs of the growing local community.

XL Stop and Shop has been operated successfully by Ned and Kathleen Connors for the past five years and last week, they added another very important dimension to their service.

Last Tuesday, the Lotto came to Ballinroad, with the installation of the newest slimline terminal which has every game in the Lotto range available to customers. The shop also sells scratch-cards, so, when weary workers return home to Ballinroad having forgotten to 'do the Lotto' earlier, they need no longer sit back in their cars and make the five mile round trip to town.

With a full range of grocery and necessary household items, all of the important local, national and English newspapers and magazines,

XL Stop and Shop also has an extensive deli counter providing hot food and sandwiches together with a variety of rolls from breakfast fillings to salads.

Delighted with having captured the Lotto service, Ned Connors says they had campaigned for quite a long time to have it installed and their customers are also pleased that they do not have to make that special trip to town for just one item.

Ned and Kathleen also cater for parties and other events off the premises and provide a fast, efficient and friendly customer oriented service.

It will be interesting to see when the first major Lotto win will come to Ballinroad, or when the first resident Lotto Millionaire will be declared. The winner will surely have bought the ticket at XL Stop and Shop in Ballinroad, for the community is now a little bit more self-sufficient.

**Pictured above getting their first Lotto Tickets in XL Stop and Shop in Ballinroad last week are: Beverly Atkins, Kathleen Murray, Kathleen and Ned Connors (Proprietors), Tracy Nugent, Aoibhin and Carmel Keith.**

## Public Urged To Be Cautious And Patient

By Kevin Kirrane

Fine Gael councillor, Michael Cosgrove urged the public to be cautious and patient while work is ongoing at the Eurospar junction in Abbeyside.

He said the work is causing confusion to pedestrians and he urged them to be careful until the traffic lights are pushed back into position.

## News of Town and Roundabout

### DUNGARVAN GAA LOTTO NO'S

26-23-25-2. No winner. Next week's jackpot 10,000 euro. Two winners of 40 euro each Eileen Power, Western Bay; Mary Duggan, Fitzgerald Tee. Next draw at the Park House. Many thanks for your continued support.

### DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Results 18th Oct. 9 Table Howell. 1st Kay Barry and Maeve Coughlan. 2nd Pauline Dempsey and John Mansfield. 3rd Austin Fenton and Michael Kirwan. 4th Teresa Ryan and Joan Mansfield.

### ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results 16th Oct. 1st Margaret Foley and Anne O'Neill. 2nd Rita Hamedy and Angela Freyne. 3rd Bertha O'Connor and Breda O'Sullivan. 4th Theresa Ryan and Ann Clarke.

## Printmaster: New Location & More Staff

Printmaster, West Waterford's premier print and design studio, has moved from Mitchell Street, Dungarvan to a new purpose built state of the art premises at the Kilrush Business Park just off the Ring Road at the Fair Lane Roundabout in Dungarvan. The move, carried out last weekend to avoid client disruption, went smoothly and it's business as usual in the new building. All telephone numbers and email addresses have remained the same.

Printmaster, the brainchild of Managing Director, Matt Houlihan started in Lismore in the year 2000 and has grown steadily since then. It now has two offices, Lismore and Dungarvan, and a client base covering the town of Dungarvan, West Waterford and much of East Cork. This steady, carefully nurtured, growth has enabled Printmaster to make a major investment in the new premises and also add new cutting edge printing and design equipment.

Matt Houlihan said, "Of course the move benefits us at Printmaster, it's very important to work in a great environment, but the real benefit will be to our clients. We have increased the staff and equipment in the print area and this will result in quicker turnaround times and an even better product offering. There is also convenient parking for clients who want to come over and discuss their print and design needs."

Printmaster is also gearing up for the launch of a new range of products due to come on stream in late October. Although Matt Houlihan isn't giving much away at present, he assures everyone that the new plans will be good news for all businesses in the area.

Good design, excellent print quality and outstanding customer service have been the cornerstones of Printmaster's success. The business was built on these values and Matt Houlihan is determined to bring them into even sharper focus with the relocation. "I fully believe that Printmaster can now rival any of the City design houses in Ireland. We have the best creative graphic designers, our printers are skilled craftsmen and women and no expense has been spared when it comes to equipment. I'm delighted with the new building and I'd love people to just drop in and see what we can offer right on their doorstep," said Matt.

Check them out on the web at [www.printmaster.ie](http://www.printmaster.ie)



## TG4 To Screen Nemeton Television Documentary on Ireland's First Heretic

TG4 are to screen a documentary on Alice Kyteler, Ireland's first heretic who was accused of witchcraft and sentenced to death by Bishop Richard Ledrede in Kilkenny in 1324. *Cailleach Chill Chainnigh* which is produced by Nemeton Television, charts the life of this prosperous woman through interviews and reconstructions and delves into the myths and legends that have grown up around Kilkenny's and the world's first convicted witch. The documentary separates historical fact from fiction and exposes the truth surrounding this most formidable of women. The program was produced and directed by Geraldine Heffernan, a graduate of the Higher Diploma in Television Production that is run by Nemeton Television in conjunction with Waterford Institute of Technology. Geraldine is currently working with Nemeton as a development producer.

The birthplace of Alice Kyteler, the medieval city of Kilkenny is captured in all its beauty in this documentary. Kyteler's Inn, which was the home of Alice

Kyteler, St. Canice's Cathedral, Kilkenny Castle and Rothe House were all used as locations giving this documentary a real authenticity. Director Geraldine Heffernan says of shooting in the city "The reconstructions were shot in the city using the buildings and streets where Alice herself would once have been so there is a strong sense of place in the documentary. The convincing reconstructions and insightful interviews piece together a fascinating tale of witchcraft."

Dame Alice Kyteler, a wealthy business woman was married and widowed four times. The deaths of her husbands in suspicious circumstances led individuals to believe she was the cause of their deaths. Kyteler built up a dedicated following including family and friends, one of whom was her only child, William

Outlawe from her first marriage who was accused of harbouring heretics and ordered to hear three masses a day as penance. Her husbands' deaths coupled with her suspected allegiance with the devil led to Alice's historic legacy as Ireland's first heretic. On All Souls Day 1324, a woman was

burned to death at the stake in Kilkenny. Was this woman Alice or was it perhaps one of her faithful followers? The mysterious events surrounding her death mimic the mysterious life that was led by Alice Kyteler.

*Cailleach Chill Chainnigh* explores the life of Alice Kyteler in a way that director Geraldine Heffernan believes will expose the real truth about Ireland's most famous heretic. "The story of Alice Kyteler is one that is close to the heart of the people of Kilkenny but is also well known throughout Ireland. However, few people know the full and fascinating truth about this most famous witchcraft trial. *Cailleach Chill Chainnigh* explores the real story of Alice Kyteler."

For over 13 years Nemeton television have been delivering television programming to both TG4 and RTE. Its list of credits include Laochra Gael, GAA Beo and Health Squad.

*Cailleach Chill Chainnigh* will be shown as part of the *Cogar* series currently running on TG4 at 9.30pm on Sunday Oct. 28th.

# LISTEN UP



## IT'S WLRfm!

In the Radio Listenership figures just released Waterford's award winning station WLRfm delivered some of its best figures ever!

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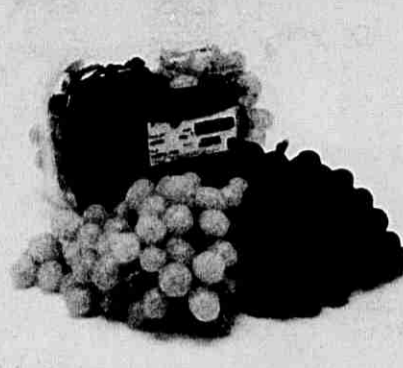
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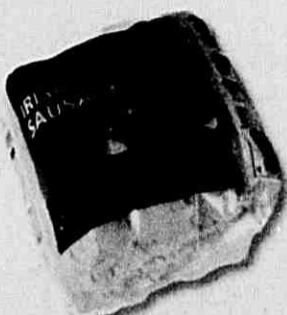
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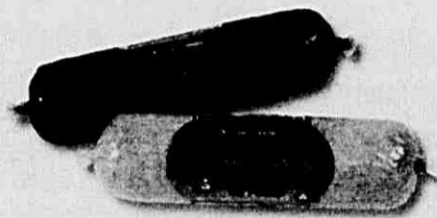
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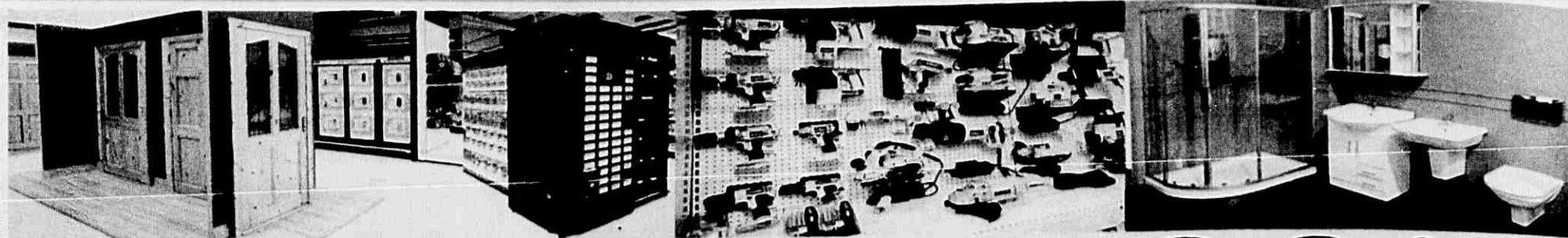
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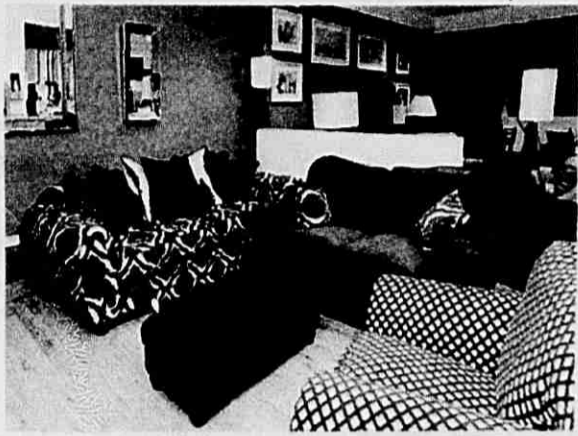
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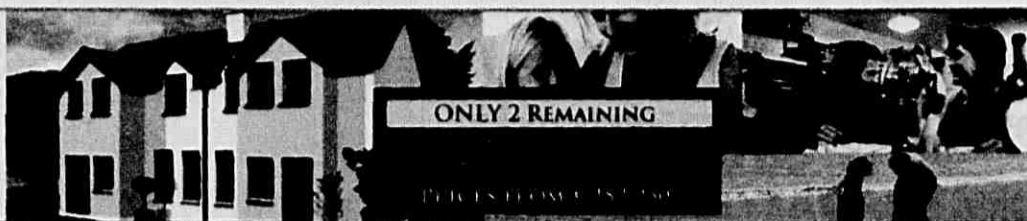
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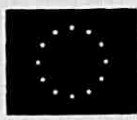
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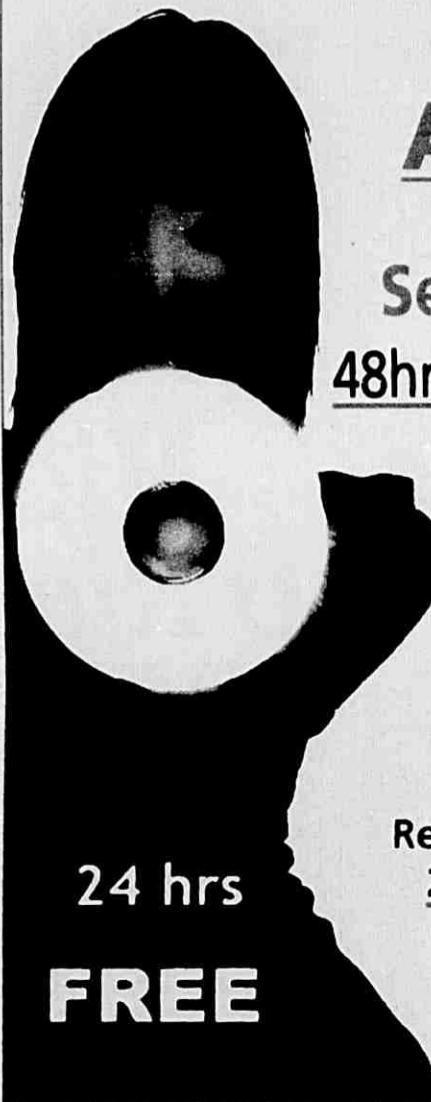
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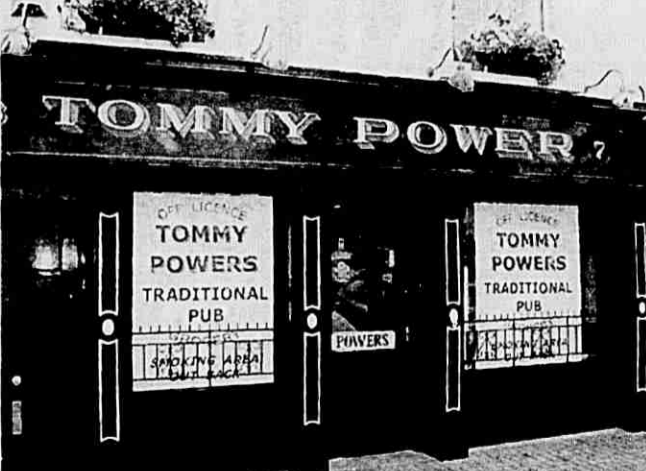
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# Local Firefighters Represent Ireland At French National Congress 26-29th September

The 114th National Congress of the Sapeurs-Pompiers de France was attended by four representatives of the Waterford County Fire and Rescue Service from Cappoquin and Lismore. Held in the beautiful city of Clermont Ferrand in the Auvergne Puy-de-Dome department, John McGrath, Stephen Kennefick, David Ind and Michael Russell shone brightly as the delegation etrangere d'Irlande. The idea came about from an invitation extended by Jean Claude Bonnefoy, the local Fire Chief of Chana La Mouteyre (the French twinned town of Cappoquin located about 10 km from Clermont) last year during the French delegation visit to Cappoquin. John McGrath worked on getting a number of local fire fighters to attend and proudly led the delegation at the Congress.

During four days of events, 30,000 visitors examined numerous exhibits of the most up to date fire fighting and rescue equipment, protective clothing, Fire Tenders, snorkels and anti-chemical treatment vehicles. Other trade stands offered advice on Pensions and Welfare to the Sapeur-Pompier whose profession is taken very seriously in France.

The opening ceremony saw the local representatives take the salute from the squadron leader of the Puy-De-Dome. Standing to attention to the strains of La Marselleise, the many sectors of the Pompiers including Divers, Mountain Rescue and Dog Handlers, Medical Corps and the Jeunesse Sapeurs Pompiers in uniform marched and were reviewed by many important dignitaries from the region and the state. An interview with the Congress journalist followed and a photo of our delegation accompanied by Jean Yves Gouttebel, President du Conseil General de Puy de Dome appeared on Flemeche the congress magazine next day.

The following days were filled with meeting fellow fire fighters from France and seven other foreign delegations to exchange experiences and greetings. A special reception for the foreign delegations to the congress was held at the Hotel de Ville (City Hall) by the Mayor of Clermont, Monsieur Serge Godard at which he extended a wonderful welcome to the visitors and presented the head of each delegation with a special miniature replica of a Casque Sapeur Pompier (Fireman's Helmet) as a memento of their visit. In turn John McGrath presented the Mayor with some Irish Whiskey Hand Made Chocolates, which seemed to delight him. The Mayor later chatted to the delegates and in perfect English told us how much he enjoys his visits to Ireland.

We were treated to an incredible feast of entertainment by the Sapeurs Pompiers of Paris in a display of acrobatics comparable only to the Olympic Games, followed by a concert in which the orchestra was also made up entirely of Pompiers from Paris. We were treated to singing by Bernard Oudou a firefighter from the Auvergne, followed by the internationally acclaimed Gypsy Kings. 10,000 people attended this concert. The final day of the congress commenced with a visit of President Nicholas Sarkozy to address the 3,000 delegates and remind them of the importance of their work and thank them for their commitment to their profession. This was poignant as the news of the tragedy of the Fireman in Bray had just filtered through.

This event was followed by a wonderful parade of fire engines showing the evolution of the fire service.

Waterford County Fire Service can be very proud of our representatives at the congress and should encourage others to take part in next year's congress which will be held in Rennes in Brittany around the end of September. (See next edition for part 2.)

## Arts Centre New Exhibitions

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan, Co. Waterford is currently exhibiting 'Paintings' by Rosemary Higbee and 'Feels Like Home' by Sinéad Hehir. Also on display upstairs in Seomra de Paor is 'Market 07' which this month features work by John Eagle, John Philip Murray, Elaine Bowe, and Sheila Brown. These exhibitions will run until Friday November 23rd 2007.

The Arts Centre is open Tuesday to Saturday 11am to 5pm. Admission is free and all are welcome.

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## D'ÉIRIGH GO HIONTACH LE TIONÓL AN FHÓMHAIR 2007

Bhí Tionól an Fhómhair bhliantúil de chuid Chomhairle Contae Phort Láirge ar siúl ag an deireadh seachtaine (12-14 Deireadh Fómhair) sa Sean Phobal i nGaeltacht na nDéise. Ón oscailt oifigiúil sna hOifigí Cathartha i nDún Garbhán tráthnóna Aoine, go dtí na cluichí traidisiúnta ar nós caitheamh punainne, crú chapaill agus pingíní sa Sean Phobal maidin Domhnaigh, bhain idir óg agus aosta lán taitneamh as na himeachtaí éagsúla a bhí ar siúl thar an deireadh seachtaine.

B'é Proinsias Ó Domhnaill, príomhoide Scoil Náisiúnta Bhaile Mhic Airt, a d'oscail an Tionól go hoifigiúil ar an Aoine agus thug sé caint bhreá uaidh ar chuimhní cinn a óige le linn aimsir an Fhómhair. Ansan, thug an staraí bia Regina Sexton ó Choláiste na hOllscoile, Corcaigh cochair léacht an Tionóil le caint an-shuimiúil ar thraidisiún na féile agus bhia an fhómhair. Níos déanaí an oíche chéana, tar éis an tSeirbhís Idir-Eaglasta ag altú buíochais don bhFómhair a reachtáil sa Sean Phobal (leis an aoichainteoir an tOir, John Parkin, Ministir in Eaglais Phreispitéireach-Mhodhach Naomh Pádraig Aontaithe, Port Láirge) bhain slua mór an-taitneamh as na sólaistí iontacha a chuir an craobh áitiúil de Bhaintreach na Tuaithe agus Coiste an Pharóiste ar fáil.

Bhí idir chócaireacht, scéalaíocht agus amhránaíocht ar an sean-nós i measc na n-imeachtaí a reachtáil in Halla Cholmáin. An Sean Phobal ar an Satharn, Chuir an **Druid Chef Ruairí Ó Moracháin** óg agus aosta faoi dhraíocht lena scéil na cócaireachta agus d'éirigh thar barr leis an gearrdlann cócaireachta a dhein sé leis na páistí. Bhain an lucht éisteachta sult as scéalta **Eddie Lenihan** mar gheall ar na sfoga, púcaí agus an saol eile, agus bhí slua breá i láthair don léamh ón leabhar áitiúil 'Fir Mhóra an tSean Phobail'. Reachtáil cam-chuairt bhús thart thimpeall an pharóiste ina dhiaidh, ag tabhairt cuairte ar áiteanna a luadh sa leabhar. Chomh maith le ceardlann sean-nós a thabhairt, bhí an t-amhránaí agus ceoltóir áitiúil **Ciarán Ó Gealbháin** i bhfeighil seisiúin bhríomhar oíche Shathairn, in éineacht le slua breá de cheoltóirí, d'amhránaíthe agus de sheanchaithe áitiúla. Bhí sé d'ádh ag an lucht éisteachta a bhí i láthair faire ar chur i láthair de mhír ón ndrámá 'An Gobán Saor' leis an Dr. Ristead de hIndeberg. B'iad **Pádraig Seosamh Ó Mathúna** and **Liam Ó Riain** ó Aisteoirí an tSean Phobail a chur an mír i láthair, le stiúr agus tacaíocht ó **Sheán Ó Morónaigh**, Stiúrthóir An Chomhlachas Náisiúnta Drámaíochta, a bhí i láthair ar an oíche.

Ba mhaith le Máire Seosaimhín Breathnach, Oifigeach Gaeilge le Comhairle Contae Phort Láirge agus eagraí an Tionóil, buíochas ó chroí a ghabháil le muintir an tSean Phobail ar fad as ucht a guíid saothair, díograis agus tacaíochta maidir le riaradh an Tionóil seo, an cúigiú Tionól a reachtáil sa chontae. Chinntigh a guíid saothair go raibh Tionól den seacht ann i mbliana agus mar a deir an seanfhocal, "Ní neart go cur le chéile."

## An Sean Phobal Celebrates The Harvest In Style

Waterford County Council's annual Tionól an Fhómhair took place this weekend (12-14 October) in the Gaeltacht parish of An Sean Phobal. From the official opening in the Civic Offices in Dungarvan on Friday evening, right through to the traditional games of sheaf throwing, horse shoe throwing and pitch and toss which took place in An Sean Phobal on Sunday morning, young and old enjoyed the various events over the weekend.

Proinsias Ó Domhnaill, the principal of Scoil Náisiúnta Bhaile Mhic Airt, officially launched this year's Tionól on Friday night, speaking of his memories of harvest time in his youth and food historian, Regina Sexton of UCC also gave a very interesting talk on Irish festive and harvest food traditions at the official opening. Later that evening, following an Ecumenical Service of Thanksgiving in An Sean Phobal, with guest speaker Rev. John Parkin of St. Patrick's United Methodist-Presbyterian Church Waterford, a large crowd enjoyed wonderful refreshments in Halla Cholmáin, kindly provided by the local branch of Baintreach na Tuaithe (ICA) and the Old Parish Committee.

Cookery, storytelling and sean-nós singing were among the events which took place in Halla Cholmáin. An Sean Phobal on Saturday. **Druid Chef Ruairí Ó Moracháin** enthralled young and old with his culinary skills and his children's cookery workshop was a huge success. **Eddie Lenihan's** tales of fairies, ghosts and the otherworld held his audiences spellbound, and a large crowd turned up to hear readings from the famous local book 'Fir Mhóra an tSean Phobail', followed by a guided bus tour around the parish visiting places mentioned in the book. As well as hosting a sean-nós singing workshop, local singer and musician **Ciarán Ó Gealbháin** also directed a lively 'seisiún' on Saturday night, with a host of local musicians, singers and storytellers. Those attending the session also had the pleasure of witnessing a rare performance of an extract from Dr. Ristead de hIndeberg's famous play 'An Gobán Saor' by local members of Aisteoirí an tSean Phobail, **Pádraig Seosamh Ó Mathúna** and **Liam Ó Riain**. **Seán Ó Morónaigh**, Director of An Comhlachas Náisiúnta Drámaíochta was also in attendance on the night.

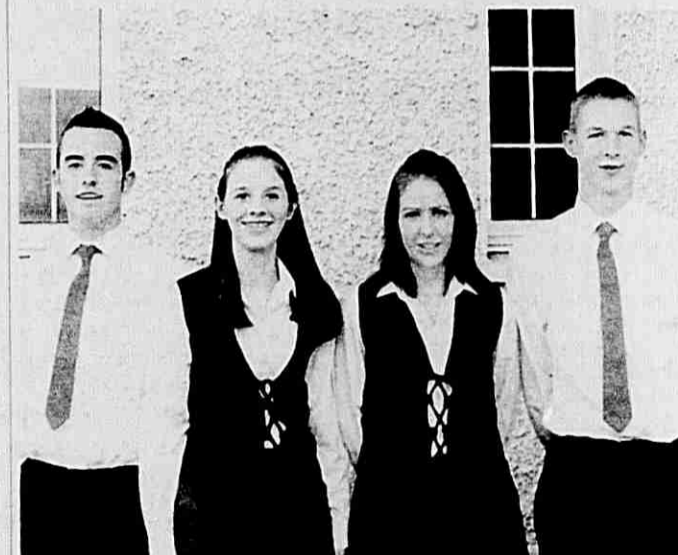
Máire Seosaimhín Breathnach, Irish Officer with Waterford County Council and organiser of the Tionól, would like to thank 'muintir an tSean Phobail' most sincerely for all their hard work, assistance and support in the organisation of this, the fifth annual Tionól. Their invaluable contribution ensured its success agus mar a deir an seanfhocal, "Ní neart go cur le chéile."



Leas-Mhéara Dhún Garbhán, an Comhairleoir Michael O'Riordan ag déanamh bhronnadh ar Phroinsias Ó Domhnaill, príomhoide Scoil Náisiúnta Bhaile Mhic Airt, a dhein Tionól an Fhómhair 2007 a oscailt go hoifigiúil in Oifigí Cathartha Chomhairle Contae Phort Láirge

# Ballyduff Comhaltas Notes

Congratulations to the Under-18 Mixed and the Under-18 Half Sets that were very successful at the recent Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann in Tullamore with both receiving second place in their competitions. A big thank you and well done also to their teachers Ciara and Thomas and to the parents involved.



Pictured above is the Under-18 Half Set — (l. to r.) Niall Ahearne, Aoife Buckley, Sharon Houlihan and Kevin Houlihan.



Above is the Under18 Mixed — Seated (l. to r.) Sarah Tobin, Kisa Tobin, Aoife Buckley and Sharon Houlihan. Standing (l. to r.) Niall Ahearne, Kevin Houlihan, Jack Jeffries and Eoin O'Donovan.



## ST.AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE NEWS

# "Night at the Dogs"

This fundraising event, organized by the Parents' Committee was well attended by parents, students and school staff. The committee is most grateful to the staff and patrons of Killohran Park who provided a great night's entertainment. Congratulations to the O'Halloran family, Tournore on winning the ticket prizes. The draw was made by Fr.O'Donnell OSA who was in attendance on the night.

A final word of thanks to all our sponsors for their generosity in supporting this fundraising effort. Many thanks to all our students and the great effort made in selling the tickets.

Winners of the ticket-sellers prizes were Rebecca Burke, Adam Keane, Nicola Fennell, Triona Fitzgerald, Charlotte Maher and Rachel Phelan.

### CONSULTATION ON SOLUTIONS TO ALCOHOL ABUSE BY YOUNG PEOPLE

On Thursday last October 16th, Transition Year students Joey Doherty, Meg Fitzgerald and Lorraine Wyley travelled to Clarion Hse., Cork to participate in this consultation. They were joined by forty five other students from schools throughout the Munster region. Their discussions centered on how various interested groups could play a proactive role in the fight against alcohol abuse among young people. A report will shortly be prepared for the Minister for Children, which may well influence government policy in the future. The students found the day to be informative and enjoyable.

### UNDER 14 HURLING.

Our Under 14's played a useful challenge game against An Rinn last Wednesday. The Friary team proved too strong with some very good performances from Jamie Kiely in goal, Martin Colivet, Cathal Cusack and Seamus Keating in defense.

Some fine displays also from David Sweeney, Ronan Fitzgerald and Gavin O'Dwyer.

Team: Jamie Kiely (Brickeys), Cathal Cusack (Stradbally), Brian Looby (Abbeyside 0), Martin Colivet (Abbeyside), Kevin Walsh (Abbeyside 0), Seamus Keating (Ardmore), David Sweeney (Abbeyside), David Gartland (Ardmoe) Shane O'Gorman (Abbeyside) More, Gavin O'Dwyer (Brickeys), Ronan Fitzgerald (Clashmore), Michael Maher (Abbeyside), Lawrence Houlihan (Brickeys), Daniel Monks (Abbeyside) Vlad Andrejks

### LADIES FOOTBALL St. Augustines 4-14 Blackwater Community College 1-8

The senior ladies team secured a comprehensive victory in Ballyduff on Tuesday last. The first half was a close contest with each team well in contention.

The Lismore girls got off to a great start scoring a goal within the first minute. St. Augustine's battled hard and were rewarded with a super goal from Margaret Walsh. Some lovely points were scored by Mary Lenane, Maria Delahunty and Sarah O'Brien. A goal mouth scramble saw Siobhan Murray pick up a second goal for The Friary just before half time.



Pictured at Killohran Park Greyhound Stadium for a benefit night in aid of St Augustines College and the Chris Havens Painting & Decorating 730 final with a prize of £250 & trophy which was won by Betty's Rebel in a time of 40-45, from left are, Orla Strumble, General Manager KPGS, Chris Havens, sponsor, Tom Walsh, owner trainer, Pat Phelan, Parents Council and Joe Moynhan, school principal.



Pictured at Killohran Park Greyhound Stadium for a benefit night in aid of St Augustines College and the £300 Queally Walsh Engineering A2 525 final with a prize of £300 & trophy which was won by Jos McDoaks in a time of 28-88, included are, Orla Strumble, General Manager KPGS, Pa O'Regan, Rachel Butler, Cian O'Regan, owner, Donnie O'Regan, Jamie Queally, sponsor, Katie O'Regan, Billy Queally, sponsor, Karen Butler, Ciara Butler, Joe Moynhan School Principal and members of the parents council.

During the second half St. Augustines showed fantastic teamwork and skill all over the pitch scoring 2-9, resulting in a decisive victory.

The Friary defense was outstanding led by their captain Aimee Jordan; they worked well together closing down players and blocking the ball on numerous occasions. Great credit is due to our goal keeper, Hannah Lacey. The midfield of Margaret Revins and Rachel Walsh were very solid throughout. The forwards worked the ball quickly and interlinked very well. Maria Delahunty, Sarah O'Brien and Siobhan Murray picked off crucial scores at important stages in the game.

A great performance by all. Many thanks to team coach Ms. Angela Walsh (Member of the victorious All-Ireland Cork Ladies Football Team).

Team: H.Lacey, A. Browne, L.O'Neill, R.Lacey, A.Jordan, A.Ledingham, M.Revins, M.Lenane, S.Murray.

Subs: D.Brackett for M.Lenane, C.Power for M.Walsh, N.Flynn for S.O'Brien.

### Diarmuid O'Leary & The Bards Competition Winners

Our six lucky winners of our recent competition to win a Diarmuid O'Leary & The Bards CD "The Comedy Hits Album" are — Mike Beresford, Ballinakill, Ballinamult; Sheila and Tom Tobin, Currareigh, Lismore; Eoin Dennehy, 48 Owen Yraglen, Mallow, Co. Cork; Joe Kenneally, Ballinroad, Dungarvan; Kathleen Condon, Prieststown, Ballinamult and Kathleen Delaney, Chapel Street, Tallow.

Congratulations to you all and your CD can be collected at the Dungarvan Leader Office.

### DUNGARVAN COURSING CLUB A.G.M.

Please note that the Annual General Meeting of Dungarvan Coursing Club will be held on

**Wednesday 31st October at 9.30pm in O'Connors Bar, Sexton Street, Abbeyside, Dungarvan.**

All members are requested to attend.

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### TEMPORARY CLOSING OF ROADS

SECTION 75 ROADS ACT 1993

#### Tallow Sewerage Scheme - Collection System

Notice is hereby given that Waterford County Council, in exercise of its powers pursuant to Section 75 Roads Act 1993, propose to close the following road from the 14th November 2007 to the 21st December 2007, for pipelaying works.

#### Road to be Closed:

Convent Street (R634) for approximately 400m from the Convent south towards The Square.

#### Alternative Routes

For vehicles in excess of 3 tonnes G.L.W., via N72 from Tallowbridge to Coolagown to Conna (R628) and West Street.

For all other traffic via N72 from Tallowbridge to Daly's Cross Roads to Conna (R628) and West Street.

Objections or Submissions to be received by the undersigned not later than 31st October, 2007.

John O'Flynn,  
Director of Services & County Engineer  
24th October, 2007



## Waterford County Council

Comhairle Contae Phort Láirge

### TEMPORARY CLOSING OF ROADS

SECTION 75 ROADS ACT 1993

#### Tallow Sewerage Scheme - Collection System

Notice is hereby given that Waterford County Council, having complied with the above Act, will close the following road from the 31st October 2007 to the 7th November 2007, for essential site works.

#### Road to be Closed:

West Street (R628) between Junction with L6000 Cockpit Lane and West Lodge.

#### Alternative Routes

For vehicles in excess of 3 tonnes G.L.W., via Conna to N72 at Coolagown and Tallowbridge (R634).

For all other traffic via Conna (R627) to N72 at Daly's Cross Roads and Tallowbridge (R634).

John O'Flynn  
Director of Services & County Engineer  
24th October, 2007



# RECENT DEATHS

## LATE JOHN (JOHNY) WHELAN



With sadness we record the passing peacefully on Sunday, 30th September, after a long illness bravely borne. John (Johnny) formerly of Lagge, Ballinamult, Dungarvan aged 78 years. Beloved husband of Mary, much loved father of Kevin, Michael, Maria, Geoffrey, Sean, Annette, John and Martin and grandfather. Sadly missed by family and friends.

Service was at Sacred Heart Church, Norton Road, on Tuesday, 9th October at 10 am.

### SMILE

You can shed tears that he has gone,  
Or you can smile because he had lived,  
You can close your eyes and pray that he'll be back  
Or you can open your eyes and see all he has left,  
Your heart can be empty because you can't see him,  
Or you can be full of the love you shared,  
You can turn your back on tomorrow and live for yesterday,  
Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday,  
You can remember him and only that he is gone  
Or you can cherish his memory

and let it live on,  
You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back  
Or you can do what he'd want - smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

## LATE ROBERT RENTON

With feelings of great sadness we learned of the unexpected passing of Robert Renton, Pen y Bryn, Boduan, Pwllheli, Gwynedd, Wales. A native of Co. Antrim Robert was visiting son Neil and daughter-in-law Siobhan and grandchildren Orla and Aoife in Ballinacourt, Dungarvan with his wife Penny. We offer our condolences to Penny and family on their loss. Following a service at the Island Crematorium, Cork this Wednesday at 2 o'clock, cremation will follow.

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

## LATE SR. MARGARET MARY KENNEDY

Sr. Margaret Mary (Kathleen) Kennedy, Mercy Convent, Dungarvan and late of Mercy Convent, Cappoquin who died on Monday, 8th October, was born on 15th December 1928 in Coolgurth, Bansha, Co. Tipperary. She was the eldest of a family of four girls and two boys. Two of her sisters also joined the Mercy congregation - Teresa in Cahir and Pauline in Newport. She attended the local Primary School and moved to Mercy Convent Secondary School, Doon, Co. Limerick for the next five years. Having completed her Secondary education she joined the Mercy Community in Cappoquin on 6th November 1947.

She graduated as a Secondary teacher from UCC and spent her teaching career in St. Anne's School, Cappoquin until her retirement in 1994. During that time she served two terms as

principal.

Sr. Margaret Mary was first of all a devoted member of the Mercy congregation and of her own religious community in Cappoquin and later in Kilmacthomas and Dungarvan. It was this life long commitment which gave her the wisdom and inspiration to act as mentor and guide to the students under her care. Her work in the school was of primary importance to her. She displayed a calm but determined manner, a calmness that must surely have been influenced by the serene surrounds of her childhood in the Glen of Aherlow. The pupils will remember her many practical acts of kindness, as she always had an eye for a student in need of a little extra help and assistance. Her teaching colleagues remember her as a warm and caring member of staff to whom she gave support and sincere friendship. She will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by all. Sr. Margaret Mary moved to Kilmacthomas and continued her caring ministry there giving help and encouragement to students needing extra assistance.

She came to the Dungarvan Community in 2003. Sr. Margaret Mary's family deeply appreciate the care, concern and love given to her by her Mercy Sisters there, during her last illness which she bore so courageously.

Funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. R. Arthur P.E. at 11 am in St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin on Wednesday 10th October, assisted by Fr. J. Kiely P.P. and concelebrated by Archdeacon Matthew McGrath, Fr. J. Egan P.P., Fr. James Purcell C.C., Fr. Kevin Mulcahy, Fr. Francis, Mount Melleray, Canon J. Nugent P.E., and Fr. Seamus Humphries O.S.A. Many of her teaching colleagues formed a guard of honour outside the church and again at the Boathouse Bridge on the way to St. Declan's Cemetery. The prayers concluded there with the singing of the Salve Regina (Hail Holy Queen). Ar dheis De go raibh a hanam dilis.

Sr. Margaret Mary is survived by her sisters - Sr. Teresa (Cahir), Sr. Pauline (Newport), Mrs. Bernie Hayes (Donaskeigh), Tipperary, her brothers Michael (Clonmel), Aodha (Bansha), her brother-in-law Billy, sister-in-law Nora, nephews, nieces, grandnephews, grandnieces, Mercy community, Dungarvan, and her many relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements were by William Hayes, Funeral Directors, Donaskeigh, Tipperary).

Months Mind Mass will be celebrated at 7.30 pm in St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin on Saturday, 10th November.

## LATE MADELINE COLLINS (NEE HOPKINS)

It is with deep sadness and regret we learned on Friday, 12th October of the death of Madeline Collins, The Grove, Abbeyside at Golden Meadows Nursing Home in Dungarvan. Madeline was a native of Crossmolina, Co. Mayo. She met and married her husband Tom, who was from Kerry in Ballina. Tom and Madeline lived in Tullamore, Co. Offaly for 18 years before moving to Dungarvan on Tom's appointment as postmaster of Dungarvan. Madeline lived at The Grove, Abbeyside for 44 years.

For many years Madeline was an active member of Abbeyside's

community and had a keen interest in current affairs and politics. She was a good friend to many and held dearly old friendships of Mayo, Tullamore and Kerry. She greatly appreciated the wonderful friends she had in Abbeyside and Dungarvan and the many chats and good discussions.

Primarily Madeline was a family woman, kind and generous, who took great interest in all aspects of the lives of her children and grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband Tom, her son Michael and her daughters Teresa and baby Josephine.

Chief mourners: Paddy, Maureen (Donelan), Tony, Geraldine (Murphy), John and her grandchildren Tony, Peter, Frank, Kevin, Fiona, Orla, Tom, Emer, Sean, Julie, Michael, Emma, Clodagh and Mark, also her brothers Tony and Michael. Her daughters-in-law Breda and Marie, her sons-in-law Frank and Aengus, her sisters-in-law and brother-in-law, relations and friends.

Mass was celebrated by Fr. O'Riordan at Abbeyside Church. Readings read by her son Paddy and her daughter Geraldine. Prayers of the Faithful were read by Breda (daughter-in-law), Mary Hopkins (niece), Fiona, Orla and Julie (granddaughters). Offertory gifts brought by her daughter Maureen and son Tony. Pall bearers were sons Paddy and Tony, grandsons Kevin, Frank, Tom and Sean, also son-in-law Aengus and nephew Patrick Hopkins.

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

## LATE AUGUSTINE (GUSTY) MCGREGOR



It is with deep regret we record the passing of Gusty McGregor, 3 Rice Court, Dungarvan which sad event occurred on Thursday, 4th October.

The last of the McGregor family from Abbeyside, he is predeceased by his mother Nora, father Johnny, four brothers and two sisters. Gusty was well known and respected in the locality. He was employed by Waterford Co-op. A quiet gentleman, who enjoyed a good game of hurling.

Following Rosary on Friday evening recited by Fr. Cooney O.S.A. removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home to St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Cooney O.S.A.

Following requiem Mass on Saturday morning, celebrated by Fr. Cooney O.S.A. interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

The Lesson was read by

Deirdre O'Kennedy (niece) and Aidan O'Kennedy. Vinny Murphy read the Prayers of the Faithful. Appropriate Hymns were rendered by Ms. Dinah Walsh.

The chief mourners were Breda McGregor (sister-in-law), nieces, Deirdre O'Kennedy and Sheila McGregor, nephews, Crohan and Noel McGregor, Grand nephews Crohan O'Kennedy and Sean Power, grand niece Jade Power, relatives and friends.

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

## LATE MARGARET (PEGGY) WHELAN (NEE HOGAN)



It is with deep sadness and regret we record the passing of Peggy Whelan, Ballyduff, Dungarvan. Peggy was born in 1936 to Helena and Michael Hogan, a farming family in Ballyvoile. Peggy was educated in Stradbally school and she grew up in a family steeped in history and must have heard at an early age how her uncle Johnny died in the war of independence within an earshot of their home.

In due course Peggy found employment in Dungarvan, and on a night out in Tramore, she met her beloved husband Johnny, they went on to have five sons and five daughters and spent over 50 happy years together. Herself and Johnny made a great team and were liked and respected by all who knew them. Peggy had a great love of many things especially her family and home. She had a great love of animals, gardening and she loved her fashion (red being her favourite colour). She enjoyed a large circle of friends both young and old and liked nothing better than a night out dancing and having the auld craic.

Sadly in the last year Peggy suffered failing health which she bore with courage and dignity, in no way did it diminish her happy smile, her chat and cuppa for anyone that called in.

Peggy sadly passed away

peacefully in her home surrounded by her loving family. On Saturday Peggy lay in repose at her residence where friends and neighbours called to pay their respects. Removal took place on Sunday to Drohan's Funeral Home and the rosary was offered by Canon O'Connor, after which the funeral cortege left for St. Mary's Parish Church where the remains were received by Canon O'Mahony P.P., Dungarvan and Canon O'Connor. On Monday Canon O'Mahony P.P. (Dungarvan), Fr. Condon P.P. (Stradbally), Fr. Lucy (Aglis) P.P. and Fr. Cooney offered the holy sacrifice of the Mass in thanksgiving for Peggy's life.

The first Reading was recited by her granddaughter Kiera O'Brien, second Reading by her daughter Helen Glavin.

Prayers of the Faithful were recited by grandchildren Emma, Sean, Lorraine, Nigel Whelan, Eamon Glavin and daughter-in-law Angela Whelan. The Offertory gifts were brought to the Altar by her grandchildren Paul, Mark, Katie Whelan and her sisters Agnes Payne and Kit Nesbitt.

Music was provided by Lorna Daly.

After Mass Peggy's remains were proudly carried by her five sons and her twin brother, Liam Hogan and she took her final journey to Aglish cemetery where prayers were recited by Canon O'Mahony P.P. and a decade of the rosary was recited by Fr. Lucy P.P.

Chief mourners were husband Johnny, sons Martin, Michael, Paul, John, Eugene, daughters Elizabeth, Helen, Margaret, Kitty, Mandy, grandchildren, sisters Agnes, Kitty and Mary, brothers Liam, Tony and Johnny, daughters-in-law Breege, Angela, Carol and Angie, sons-in-law Anthony, Eddie, Mick and Alan, brother and sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews.

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

## LATE TERESA O'TOOLE

The news of the recent passing of Teresa O'Toole, 12 Marquis Drive, Dungarvan was received in the locality with profound sorrow and regret. We tender our deepest sympathy to all Teresa's many relatives. Predeceased by husband Pat, Teresa's remains were removed on Thursday at 5.15 pm from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Patrick's Church, Portlaoine. Following funeral Mass on Friday the interment was in the New Cemetery, Portlaoine.

(Full obituary next issue).

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

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# RECENT DEATHS

## LATE MARY SMITH

Feelings of sincere regret were expressed with the passing of Mary Smith (nee O'Leary), Coronda, Grange Road, Rosslare Strand, Co. Wexford who was aged 92 years and a native of Kenmare, Co. Kerry. Her demise at Golden Meadows Nursing Home, The Burgery on Monday, 15th October is deeply regretted by sons Michael and Brendan, daughter Maureen Treacy (Ballycoe) and her many relatives to whom we extend our deepest sympathy. Predeceased by husband Michael C. in 1996, the family wish to express their sincerest gratitude to Golden Meadows Nursing Home and to Dr. James Stacey for their wonderful care and attention to their mother.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home Fr. Jim Mountain P.P. led all present in prayers before the funeral cortege left for St. Brigid's Church, Rosslare Strand on Wednesday last. On arrival Fr. James Murphy blessed and received the remains, and also celebrated funeral Mass which was offered on Thursday morning in thanksgiving for Mary's life. The Lessons and psalm were shared by Enda Barnes, Paul and Karen Treacy. Prayers of the Faithful were read by Tracy, Brendan and Robert Smith, William Fennell and son-in-law Liam Treacy. Maureen (daughter), grandchild Mick Smith and great grandchild Rebecca Smith brought the Offertory gifts to the Altar. St. Brigid's Parish Choir, Rosslare Strand provided the beautiful and much appreciated music. The interment followed the Holy Sacrifice in the nearby Togoat Cemetery.

Chief mourners were sons Michael and Brendan, daughter Maureen, daughters-in-law Susan and Monica, son-in-law Liam Treacy, sister-in-law Georgina and a wide circle of other relatives including grandchildren, great grandchildren, nephews and nieces.

'Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh sí.  
(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

## LATE MICHAEL HENNESSY



It is with sincere feelings of sorrow and regret that we write on the recent and unexpected passing of Michael Hennessy, Crossford, Ardmore, Co. Waterford at Waterford Regional Hospital. Michael was very popular and highly respected in Ardmore and surrounding areas and was known near and far for the many houses/extensions he built and assisted in.

Anyone who had the pleasure of knowing Michael knew he was a very kind-hearted good natured man who always did what he could for anyone who needed his assistance, be it with building or farming. Michael was a man who

could never say 'No', and if he could not help with a problem he would direct a person to someone who could. Michael's warm and friendly salute will be missed by many who would routinely meet him every day on the road.

Michael started building from a young age and did his apprenticeship with the late John Keane of Ardmore. Michael and his wife, Kitty then purchased land at Crossford, Ardmore where Michael built their family home and farm buildings and did a little farming alongside his building. Michael led a full and happy life, one of true Christian faith. He was a quiet man who lived for his wife and children. Michael was devoted to his grandchildren and never passed the opportunity of babysitting or collecting them whenever and wherever he had to.

Predeceased by his parents, Michael and Margaret (Peggy) we extend our deepest sympathy to his wife Kitty, son, Michael, daughter Maria, son-in-law Peter, grandchildren Niamh, Melanie and Killian, sisters Joan, Margaret, Patricia, Bridget, brother Tom, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Michael lay in repose at Kiely's Funeral Home for Rosary on Monday night. On Tuesday, the 9th October, Michael's first cousin, Fr. Declan Hennessy P.P., Mallow led the huge concourse present in prayers, after which the removal took place to St. Declan's Church, Ardmore and on arrival at St. Declan's Church, Michael's remains were blessed and received by Fr. Declan Hennessy P.P. with V. Rev. Fr. Patrick Fitzgerald P.E.

On Wednesday morning, the 10th October, requiem Mass was offered for the repose of his soul by Fr. Declan Hennessy P.P., Mallow with cocolebrant V. Rev. Fr. Patrick Fitzgerald P.E. The Mass was beautifully complemented by the wonderful voice of Muriel Keohan, Dungarvan. Readings were shared by Michael's son, Michael and his nephew Michael Barron. Prayers of the Faithful were read by son-in-law Peter Seward, niece Deirdre McCarthy, nephew James Barron and daughter Maria. The gifts representing Michael's life including the Bread and Wine were brought to the Altar by his wife Kitty and grandchildren Killian, Melanie and Niamh. After the final hymn of 'You Raise Me Up' which was beautifully sung by Muriel, Michael's remains began its final journey out a road he had travelled in and out every day to his final resting place at Holy Cross Cemetery, Ardmore accompanied by family, relatives, friends and a huge crowd of mourners including V. Rev. Mon. Michael Walsh P.E. who came to pay their final respects to a wonderful man.

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

## LATE ANTHONY McCANN

With sadness we record the passing of Anthony McCann, 39 Hubert Road, Newport, Agwent, Wales which sad event occurred on Monday, 15th October. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Friday evening to Colligan Church. Following funeral Mass on Saturday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his family and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.  
(Full obituary next issue).

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

## LATE BREDA LENNON (NEE HALLY)



It is with feelings of profound regret we record the passing of Breda Lennon (nee Hally), Abbeyside, Dungarvan which occurred on Thursday, 11th October.

Breda was well known and respected in the locality. A staunch GAA supporter she followed every game with a rare enthusiasm. GAA was her life. She was a kind, gentle, unassuming lady. Her family were her priority and her door was always open to family and friends. Her passing is much regretted. May she rest in peace.

Her remains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home on Friday evening to Abbeyside Church where they were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. O'Riordan P.P. and followed by a large cortege of mourners. Following requiem Mass on Saturday morning celebrated by Fr. O'Riordan P.P. interment took place in the adjoining cemetery again in the presence of a large gathering.

The Lesson was read by Louise Walsh and Yvonne Lennon, granddaughters. Prayers of the Faithful were recited by Carol and Donal Lennon, grandchildren. Offertory gifts were brought by Richard and Owen Walsh and Sarah Lennon, grandchildren. Church hymns by Lorna Jane Daly. Abbeyside GAA provided a guard of honour and her coffin was draped in the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty colours.

The chief mourners were Maurice and Kieran (sons), Mary (daughter), Dick Walsh (son-in-law), Gaye and Theresa (daughters-in-law), grandchildren and Ryan Cahill, great grandchild, relatives and friends.

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

## LATE JANET NAUGHTON (NEE McDONALD)



It is with feelings of deep regret we record the passing of Janet Naughton (nee McDonald), Pulla, Ring which sad event occurred on Wednesday, 3rd October, 2007.

Janet was born in Fife in

Scotland on 29th April 1949. She moved to London in the mid seventies and it was there she met her husband Michael. She already had an interest in training greyhounds with her father and she continued her love of the sport and was successful with her greyhound 'Avon Duchess' who won the English Derby in 1982. On moving to Kinsale with Michael she pursued her greyhound training and had great success with dogs such as 'Sarah's Moth', 'Tiny Wings', 'Carrigane Beauty' and many others.

Her other interests included gardening and flower arranging as well as her small dogs Chihuahuas. Her home in An Rinn was always warm and welcoming surrounded by Dahlias, Fuchsia and Hydrangea. Janet was a kind gentle person who possessed a wonderful, friendly bubbly personality that endeared her to all she met. She enjoyed life to the full, she followed Man Utd and the Cork hurlers. She was predeceased by her son James. Her passing is much regretted not only by her sorrowing family but also by her many friends. May she rest in peace.

Her remains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home on Thursday evening, 4th October to Mount Stuart Church where they were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Waldron C.C.

Following requiem Mass on Friday morning celebrated by Fr. Waldron C.C. the funeral proceeded to St. Lachtan Cemetery, Lusk, Donough More, Co. Cork for interment.

The chief mourners were Michael (husband), Alan and Martin (sons), brother, sister, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan)

## LATE ROSE HALLAHAN

With deep regret we record the passing of Rose Hallahan, St. Bridget's Tce., Leamybrien, which sad event occurred on Monday 22nd October. Removal from Drohan's Funeral Home on Wednesday at 7.15 pm to Kilrossanty Church. Following funeral Mass on Thursday morning at 11 am burial will take place in the adjoining cemetery.

To her family and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

## LATE SARAH JANE O'BRIEN

It is with great sorrow and deep regret we record the passing of Sarah Jane O'Brien, Cloghroe Village, Blarney, Co. Cork which sad event occurred on 19th October, 2007. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Sunday morning in St. Senan's Church, Cloghroe. Burial took place in Inniscarra Cemetery, Co. Cork. We extend our deepest sympathy to her loving nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. May she rest in peace.

(Full obituary next issue).  
(Funeral arrangements by Aidan Walsh & Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin).

## LATE MICHAEL MERRIGAN

It is with profound sorrow and deep regret we record the passing of Michael Merrigan, Ballycullane, Aghlish, Co.

Waterford which sad event occurred on 16th October at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Removal took place on Wednesday evening from Walsh's Funeral Home, Cappoquin to the Church of Assumption, Aghlish. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Thursday morning. Burial took place in St. Cronan's Cemetery, Clashmore. May he rest in peace. We extend our deepest sympathy to his relatives, neighbours and friends.

(Full obituary next issue).  
(Funeral arrangements by Aidan Walsh & Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin).

## LATE EILEEN FLYNN

The news of the passing of Eileen Flynn, 4 The Spinny, Borders Lane, Loughon, Essex at Whipps Cross University Hospital on Monday was received with great sadness. We offer our condolences to Lucy Acton (niece), Blackrock, Cork. Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Monday next at 12.15 o'clock in London.

Funeral obsequies will take place in Puckane, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary on Wednesday, 31st October.

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

## LATE EVELYN LAWN

With feelings of sincere regret and sadness we write on the unexpected passing on Tuesday last of Evelyn Lawn, The

Burgery, Dungarvan who was predeceased by husband Tony and brother Paud. We offer our sincere sympathies to sons Charles and Jim, daughters Mary and Ann, sisters Joan and Molly, sisters-in-law Mary, Gertie, Dodo and Sr. Francis Mary, other relatives and friends. Removal took place on Wednesday last to St. Mary's Parish Church from the Kiely Funeral Home. Following funeral Mass on Thursday morning the interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

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

## LATE KAY AHEARNE

We gathered on Thursday last to bid our farewell to Kay Ahearne, Mooretown, Celbridge, Co. Kildare, wife of the late Michael Ahearne who was laid to rest in Ballinameela Cemetery, V. Rev. Fr. Lucy P.P. officiated at the graveside. Kay who was a lady of many outstanding and endearing qualities was predeceased by brothers-in-law Frank, Seamus, John Ahearne, sisters-in-law Mamie Cotter, Nancy Walsh and Alice O'Brien.

We extend to Kay's sister Patricia, brother-in-law Pat Ahearne, nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends our condolences at this time.

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

## ST. MARY'S PARISH NEWS

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Ecclesiasticus 35: 12-14, 16-19 The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds.

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 All there is to come now is the crown of righteousness.

Luke 18:9-14 The publican went home at rights with God, the Pharisee did not.

### FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

Thursday, 1st November Mass times as follows; Wednesday 7.30 pm, Vigil and Thursday 11 am and 7.30 pm. All Souls Day is on Friday, 2nd November and Masses are at 9.30 am and 7.30 pm.

### MISSION SUNDAY

Thank you to all who gave so generously to our collection for the missions.

### DEEPEN YOUR SPIRITUAL LIFE

A four week course on Spirituality, prayer, meditation and reflection in the Park Hotel at 8 pm, Wednesday, 31st October - praying with Julian of Norwich, Sr. Norin O'Shea, Wednesday 7th November - Praying the Ignatian Way, Fr. Ciary Quirke SJ.

Holy Souls  
Novena of Masses will commence in St. Mary's on the 22nd November.

### THE FRIENDS OF SAINT MARTIN'S SENIOR CITIZENS

The above monthly night out will take place on Wednesday 24th October at 8.30 pm. We shall be going to the Park House, Dungarvan for music and craic, a great night is guaranteed.

### NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Continues in St. Mary's Church each Monday evening at 7.30 pm and will continue until the end of October. All welcome.

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S SALE OF WORK

The Annual Sale of Work will take place on Friday night the 30th November in aid of the Foreign Missions. House to house collections will be made for donations of bottles and saleable goods. Please support. All welcome.

### BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

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

### BAPTISMS

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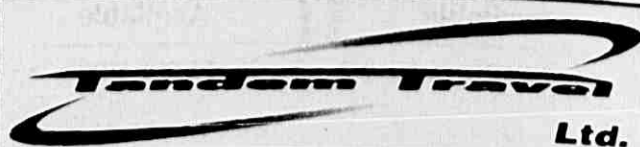
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**Waterford County Council** — Planning permission is sought to complete the permitted dwelling (planning ref. No. 06/1902), domestic garage, entrance & all associated site development works at Bawnfune, Kilmanahan, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal office opening hours. A submission or observation in relation to the planning application may be made to the planning authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within the period of 5 weeks from the date of receipt by the planning authority of the application. Signed: D. Murray.

**Waterford County Council** — B. O'Callaghan Architectural Services, 024-20738, are applying to Waterford County Council on behalf of Finbar Walsh for Permission to demolish existing lean to extension and outbuildings and to construct new extension to side and rear of existing dwelling at D'Loughtane, Kinsalebeg, Youghal, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority, during its public opening hours and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — We, Maria Flynn and Oliver Fitzgerald seek permission to construct single storey dwelling, proprietary effluent treatment unit and all associated site development works at Mountainrea, Coolisheal, Ballyduff Upper, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal office opening hours. A submission or observation in relation to the planning application may be made to the planning authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee of €20 within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Bridget Colbert, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for full planning permission to construct single-storey dwelling, domestic garage, septic tank, percolation area, entrance and auxiliary site works at Ballykilmurry, Ardmore, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during its public opening hours and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — We, Bridget and Paul Kenneady, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for full planning permission to demolish existing extension and construct single-storey extension onto front of existing dwelling complete with auxiliary site works at Moyng Little, Grange, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during its public opening hours and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Pat Kiersey intends to apply for permission to retain the as built inter site boundary to a completed development at Deer Park Road, Ballysaggart Beg (East), Lismore. The development was previously granted permission on foot of application Reg. Ref. 06/462. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the offices 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 of €20 within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — The directors of Spencer Family Holdings Ltd. intend to apply for permission for a mixed use village centre development at Knockanore. The development will consist of 10 no. two storey detached houses, 60 no. two storey semi-detached houses in three types, 6 no. single storey sheltered units, 4 no. retail units and 4 no. apartments, a creche, estate roads, footpaths, on street parking, a sports pitch, common green areas, bring centre, a new access from the existing public road and a wastewater treatment system, bored well and all necessary site works. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the offices 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 of €20 within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.



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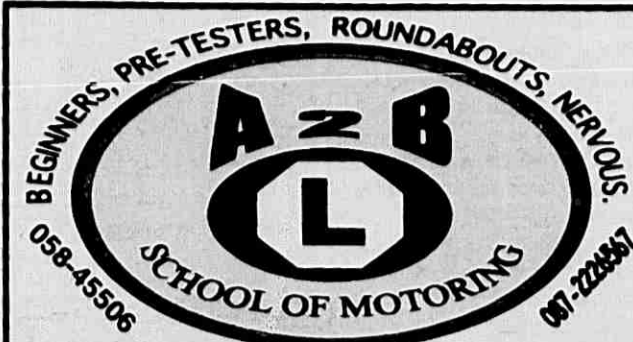
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# IN MEMORIAM



**BLUETT** — In loving memory of my mother Eileen Bluett, U.S.A., late of 29 Shandon St., Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 30th October. Anniversary Mass in St. Mary's Church on Tuesday, 30th October at 9.30 am.

I lost a mother with a heart of gold,  
How much I miss her can never be told,  
She shared my troubles and helped me along,  
If I follow her footsteps I will never go wrong.  
(Your loving daughter Mary).

**BLUETT** — In loving memory of my grandmother Eileen Bluett, U.S.A. late of 29 Shandon Street, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 30 October.

Time passes,  
Memories stay,  
Thinking of you,  
Especially today.  
(Your grandson David).



**BURKE** — Twentieth Anniversary — In loving memory of Breda Burke, late of Carrigeen, Ring, who died on 24th October, 1987. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass on Sunday, 28th October in Ring Church at 11.30 am.

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.  
(Always in our hearts, from Mam and Dad, your sisters and brother).

**MCGRATH** — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Jack McGrath, The Alcove, Dungarvan who died on 26 October, 1996.  
Will those who think of Jack today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Inserted by his loving wife and family).



**CORBETT** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Jim Corbett, late of "Star of the Sea", Stradbally who died on 29th October, 2005. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, 27th October at 7.30 pm in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally. Missed in the morning of every day,  
Missed in the evening as light fades away,  
Missed in a thousand and one little ways,  
Around every corner a memory stay,  
Will those who think of Jim today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always remembered by your loving wife Sheila and brother Pat).



**DUFFY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear wife, Josephine Duffy, late of 43, Childers Estate, Dungarvan, who left me so suddenly on October 24, 1994. Masses offered

Your end was sad and sudden,  
I often wonder why,  
The hardest part of all,  
We never said goodbye.  
The blow was hard, the shock severe,  
To part with you I loved so dear,  
My loss is great, I'll not complain,  
But trust in God to meet again.  
It was a sudden parting, too bitter to forget,  
Those who loved you dearly,  
Are the ones who can't forget.  
You gave me years of happiness,  
Then sorrow came with tears,  
You left me lovely memories,  
I will treasure through the years.  
(Never forgotten by your loving husband Adam, son Melvin and grandchildren.)

**DUFFY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — Special memories of my best friend and wonderful mother, Josephine Duffy, late of 43, Childers Estate, Dungarvan, who died suddenly on October 24, 1994.

Look around your garden, Lord,  
My Ma won't be hard to find,  
She has a face that's full of love,  
And a heart that's good and kind.

Tell my Ma that I love her,  
And when you see her smile,  
Put your arms around her, Lord,  
And hold her for a while.

For when the emptiness of losing you,  
Is more than I can bear,  
I whisper, Ma I love you,  
And then I feel you here,

For in my world of memories,  
You fill my heart with pride,  
I'll never feel alone again,  
Now you are by my side.  
I will always love and miss you, Ma.

(Your ever-loving daughter Sue, son-in-law Paddy, grandchildren Lorna, Suzanne, Colleen and Shauna.)

**DUFFY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Josephine Duffy, 43, Childers Estate, Dungarvan, whom God called home on October 24, 1994.

If I could visit heaven, on this our saddest day,  
Maybe for a little while, our pain would go away,  
The mother we love is missing,  
The voice we love is still,  
The hands that did so much for us,  
Are resting at God's will.

You never failed to do your best,  
Your heart was true and tender,  
You simply lived for those you loved,  
And those you love remember.

You left us precious memories,  
Your love is still our guide,  
Although we cannot see you,  
We know you're by our side.  
Loved now and forever.

(Your daughter Frances and grandchildren Amanda, Marie and Louise, and great granddaughter Terri Ann).

**DUFFY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Josephine Duffy, late of 43, Childers Estate, Dungarvan, who passed away on October 24, 1994.

Look around your garden, Lord,  
For an angel with a smile,  
She won't be hard to recognise,  
She must stand out a mile.  
So put your arms around her, Lord,  
And kiss her smiling face,

For she is very special,  
And can never be replaced.  
We do not need a special day,  
To bring you back to mind,  
For a day without a thought of you,  
Is very hard to find.

Wherever life may lead us,  
In everything we do,  
Part of us will always cry,  
For yesterday and you.

(From your loving daughter Vera, son-in-law Albert, grandchildren Nicola and Paul, partner Yvonne and great grandchild Chloe).



**DONNELLY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Louise Donnelly who died on 22nd October, 2005.

God took one of his most beautiful angels back to heaven,

And left me with grief and sorrow,  
You are at peace now,  
No more pain, no more sorrow,  
You will always be remembered.

By those who love you.  
(Austin Maye, 12 St. Brigid's Well).



**FOLEY** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Ann Foley, late of Garryduff, Colligan and San Francisco who died on October 30, 2004.

You slipped away so quietly,  
No goodbye or no fare-well,  
Just how much we miss you,  
No word or verse can tell.

Your pains are all gone now,  
Your worries cast away,  
In a place we only dream of,  
Safe in heaven today.  
(Remembered with love by all your family).



**FOLEY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Joe Foley, late of 10 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on 26th October, 2005.

Just think of him as living  
In the hearts of those he touched,  
For nothing loved is ever lost,  
And he was loved so much.  
(Remembered today and always Dad, your loving family XX).



**FLYNN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Kathleen Flynn, late of Monatrea Middle, Kinsalebeg, Youghal who died on 21st October, 2004. R.I.P.

Cherished memories today and always of a wonderful mother and grandmother, Kathleen Flynn.

There is a lady in heaven,  
So precious and so rare,  
That lady is our Mam,  
The best beyond compare.

So wrap your arms around her Lord,  
And when she looks your way,

Tell her that we love her,  
And miss her everyday.  
(Lots of love Sheila, Cyril, Kristin and Tish).



**FUERY** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Margaret Fuery (née Drummy), late of Ballyneety, Birmingham and Malahide Road, Dublin who died on 22nd October, 2006.

We did not see you close your eyes,  
Or hear your last sigh,  
We only heard that you were gone,

And never said goodbye,  
God thought you were someone special,  
To take you the way he did,

They say he only takes the best,  
And that he surely did,  
Since you'll never be forgotten,

I pledge to you today,  
A hollowed place within my heart,  
Is where you'll always stay.

(Sadly missed by your brother Pakie, sister-in-law Angela and family).



**EARLEY** — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of John Earley, late of 32 Boreenatra, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 22nd October.

In tears we saw you sinking,  
We watched you fade away,  
Our hearts were almost broken,

You fought so hard to stay,  
But when we saw you sleeping,  
So peacefully free from pain,  
We knew we could not wish you back.

To suffer that again.  
(Remembered always by his brother Pat, sister-in-law Grainne, nephews Mark and David and niece Caoimhe).



**KELLY** — Twenty-fifth Anniversary — Cherished memories of our daughter and sister, Marie, late of "Vega," Helvick whose anniversary occurs on October 30. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, October 27 in the Friary Church at 6.15 p.m.

Quietly today your memory is kept,  
No need for words, we will never forget,  
As thoughts go back, as they sometimes do,  
We will treasure the memories we have of you.

(Always loved and remembered by Mam, Dad, sister Grainne, brothers Kieran and Liam Óg).

**ORGAN** — Forty-seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, Joe Organ, late of 73, Murphy Place, Abbeyside who died on October 24, 1960. R.I.P. Masses offered.

A tribute of love to someone dear,  
So close to our hearts each day of the year,  
Deep in our hearts your memory is kept,  
To love, to cherish and never forget.

(Always loved and never forgotten by his loving sons and daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren).



# IN MEMORIAMIS



**LANDERS** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Bridget Landers, late of Villierstown whose anniversary occurs on 25th October. Anniversary Mass at 7.30 on 25th October in the Church of the Assumption, Aghlish. We were there to see you die, To hold your hand and say goodbye, God took your hand and we had to part, It eased your pain but broke our hearts, The love you gave us we treasure with care, Memories you left us we proudly share, We think of your smile, your wonderful ways, And we will always love you until the end of our days. (From all your family).



**McGRATH** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband Patrick McGrath, late of 20 Thomas Tce., Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 18th October. Mass offered. Somewhere beyond the sunset, Where loved ones never die, You sleep in a beautiful garden, Beneath a golden sky, Though Heaven and earth divide us, We are never far apart, For you are always in my thoughts, And forever in my heart, You left behind beautiful memories, That will last my whole life through, But I never wanted memories, I only wanted you. (Sadly missed and remembered by your loving wife Mary).



**McGRATH** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Seamus (Seamy) McGrath, late of Lackindara, Kinsalebeg, whose anniversary occurs on Tuesday, 30th October. Third Anniversary Mass will be offered on Sunday, 11th November in Piltown Church at 9.30 am. "May he rest in peace in God's arms". Sitting by your bedside, We knew your life was through, We knew we had to let you go, It broke our hearts in two, You fought your battle with courage, Your pain you tried to hide, We will never forget those last few days, We were glad to be at your side, And though our hearts were breaking, There was nothing we could do, So we gently whispered in your ear, "Goodbye Seamy we love you". (Sadly missed by your devoted wife Denise, loving daughter Leona and your special son Adrian).



**MORRISSEY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of John Morrissey, Marion Tce., Ballyduff Upper who died on October 29th, 2005. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, 27th October in St. Michael's Church, Ballyduff. I think of you in silence, And often speak your name, How I 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 my mind, And forever in my heart. (Always remembered by your loving wife Mary).

**MORRISSEY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of John Morrissey, Marion Tce., Ballyduff Upper who died on October 29, 2005. As down the road of memories, We gently tread today, Our loving thoughts are with you, As life goes on its way, Time may heal the heartache, Like the smile that hides the tears, But happy memories keep you close, Despite the passing years. (Sadly missed by your daughter Catherine, son-in-law Garrett).

**MORRISSEY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of John Morrissey, Marion Tce., Ballyduff Upper who died on October 29, 2005. Wherever life may lead me, In everything I do, Part of me will always long, For yesterday and you, Your resting place I visit, Flowers I place with care, But no one knows the heartache, As I turn and leave you there, Will those who think of Dad today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Remembered today and always by your daughter Margaret).

**GRANDAD**  
We sent a dove to heaven,  
With a parcel on its wings,  
Be careful when you open it,  
Granddad Johnny,  
It's full of lovely things,  
Inside are lots of kisses,  
Wrapped up in lots of hugs,  
To tell you we miss you,  
And send you all our love.  
(Always remembered by your loving grandchildren Brian, Shannon and Alahanna).

**McGOVERN** — Forty-fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother Kitty McGovern (nee Coleman), 46 Murphy Place, Abbeyside who died on 22 October, 1963. Mass offered.

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

**MORONEY** — Twenty-first Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Kay Moroney, (nee Power), late of 22 Boreenatra, Dungarvan who died on 24 October, 1986. Aged 48 years.

Memories of you I never forget,  
The smile, the gentle way you were,  
Always caring, so willing to lend a hand,  
Your love I will never forget.  
In my heart you will always be forever mother.  
(Never forgotten, always remembered by your loving son Andy).

**MOYLAN** — Twentieth and Fortieth Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear parents, Mollie and Patrick, who died on November 5, 1967 and October 29, 1987, and their sons Paddy and Michael and daughter Josie. R.I.P. Late of London and Dungarvan. Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on their souls. Masses offered.

Happy memories, kept forever,  
Of days when we were all together,  
Each of us in our own way,  
Hold special memories of you today,  
Will those who think of them today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Sadly missed and prayed for always — your fond daughter Molly and family, London.)

**MOYLAN** — Twentieth and Fortieth Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear parents, Mollie and Patrick, who died on November 5, 1967 and October 29, 1987, and their sons Paddy and Michael and daughter Josie. R.I.P. Late of London and Dungarvan. Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on their souls. Masses offered.

We think of you in silence,  
And often speak your names,  
All that is left are memories,  
And a photo in a frame,  
Will those who think of them today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Fondly remembered by your daughter Rita and family, London.)

**MOYLAN** — Twentieth and Fortieth Anniversaries — In loving memory of Patie Moylan, who died on November 5, 1967. Also his wife Mollie who died on October 29, 1987, and their son Paddy and daughter Josie. R.I.P. late of London and Dungarvan. Masses offered.

Time may pass and fade away,  
But silent thoughts and memories stay,  
No length of time can take away,  
Our thoughts of both of ye today,  
Will those who think of them today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Remembered by your grandson Tim, Pat and daughter-in-law Chrissie).

**MOYLAN** — Twentieth and Fortieth Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear grandmother, Mollie who died on October 29, 1987, late of Dungarvan and London.

The most wonderful grandmother ever to live,  
Whatever she had she was willing to give,  
She never complained, she was not that kind,  
She was one of those grandmothers, so hard to find.  
Look after her, Lord, as she takes her rest,  
For she was my grandmother and she was the best.  
(Always remembered by your loving grandson Paddy, Maria and children.)



**MANGAN** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Catherine Mangan, 9 Mill Road, Youghal, whose anniversary occurs at this time. He held your hand and whispered low, Come with me Catherine, it's time to go, If tears could build a stairway, And memories were a lane, I would find my way to heaven, And bring you home again, For no one knows how many times, I've broken down and cried, I want to tell you something Catherine, So there won't be any doubt, You're so wonderful to think about, But so hard to live without, Take care of her Lord as she takes her rest, For she was one of the best. (Always remembered by your friends Ann and Joe Fehilly and family).



**McGRATH** — Sixth Anniversary — Cherished memories of a loving wife, mother, grandmother and sister, Kathleen McGrath, late of 17 Boreenatra, Dungarvan, who died on October 24, 2001. Anniversary Masses on Sunday, October 28th, at 11 am at Friary Church and on Saturday, October 27th at 7.30 pm at St. Mary's Parish Church. A little tribute small and tender, Just to say we still remember, Memories are a gift to treasure, Ours of you will last forever, We won't forget the face we loved, Or the memory of your smile, The countless things you did for us, To make our lives worthwhile, We think of you as living, In the hearts of those you touched, For nothing loved is ever lost, And you were loved so much. (Too dearly loved to be forgotten by your husband Pat, son Pat, daughter-in-law Edwina, grandchildren Michelle and Susan, daughter Philomena, son-in-law Brian, grandchildren Megan and Alun, and her brother Michael Flynn).



**MORRISSEY** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of John Joe Morrissey, Kilossera who died on 26th October, 1997. R.I.P. Masses offered. There is a place in every heart, They call it memory lane, Where thoughts of loved ones lost forever will remain, God made this special place when he first created man, For he knew it would be needed, As part of our life's plan, He knew when John Joe left us, We'd need some time to heal, To come to terms with sorrow, And the loneliness we'd feel, So when you lose a loved one, And when your life is filled with pain, The comfort of your presence, like John Joe's, will be found in memory lane. Kind friends who think of John Joe today, A little prayer to Jesus say. Lovingly remembered always by your wife Mary, son Pat, daughter Eleanor, grandchildren, nephews and nieces).



**WHELAN** — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of Matty Whelan, late of Kilnagrange, Kilmacthomas whose anniversary occurs on 22nd October. With tears we saw you sinking, We watched you fade away, And though our hearts were breaking, We knew you could not stay, You fought your battle with courage, Your pain you tried to hide, We will always remember, Those last few weeks, We were glad to be by your side, You passed through heavens gate that morning, God called you to his side, The pain you suffered ended, And you lost your fight with pride. (Always remembered and sadly missed by your loving wife Mary and daughter Jenny).



# IN MEMORIAMs



**MULCAHY** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Willie, late of 5 Upper College Road, Ardmore, who died October 28, 2004. A tribute of love and memories of a dear Dad and "Ga Ga":  
In the silence of my mind,  
Dad,  
Where no one else can see,  
Your smile, your voice, your memory,  
Is kept so tenderly.  
No special words are needed,  
For me to think of you,  
For thoughts of you are in my mind,  
No matter what I do.  
(Sadly missed — your daughter Jacinta, special son Noel, son-in-law James, grandchildren Charlie, Nathan, Jamie XXX).

**MULCAHY** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my father, Willie, whose anniversary occurs on October 28.  
A lot in life has altered,  
A lot in life is new,  
But the things that never alter,  
Are 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.  
(Always remembered by your son Pádraig, Siobhán, Rachael, John).

**MULCAHY** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of a wonderful father and grandfather, (Gaga) William Mulcahy, College Road, Ardmore whose third anniversary occurs on October 28.  
The happiest days we ever knew,  
Were as a family complete with you,  
Our hearts are full of memories,  
With pride we speak your name,  
Though life goes on without you,  
It will never be the same.  
(Always loved and remembered — your daughter Orla, Billy and grandchildren David, Regina, and Andrew).

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**POWER** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother Pat Power, late of 12 Fitzgerald's Tce., Dungarvan who died on 26th October, 2003.  
We often sit and think of you,  
And think of how you died,  
To think you could not say goodbye,  
Before you closed your eyes,  
God saw the road was getting rough,  
The hill was hard to climb,  
You gently closed your loving eyes,  
And whispered peace to thine.  
(From your loving brother Joe and sister-in-law Betty, Gavin, Darren, Joe, Catherine, Ray and his grand nephew Jack and grand niece Ava).



**TUTTY** — Thirty-third Anniversary — In loving memory of Robert (Robbie) Tutty, late of 20 Congress Villas, Dungarvan.  
Your life was one of kindly deeds,  
A helping hand for others needs,  
Sincere and true in heart and mind,  
Beautiful memories left behind,  
Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always remembered and never forgotten your grandson Bobby).

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# Birthday Remembrances



**NORRIS** — Birthday Remembrance on Sunday, October 28th of our beloved son and brother Graham Norris, late of Bramblehill, Lemybrien and Woodfield, Glendalligan.

**GRAHAM**  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
But you did not leave a lone,  
For part of us went with you,  
That day you did not come home,  
We did not see you close your eyes,  
We did not hear you say goodbye,  
All we knew was you were gone,  
Questions asked but answers none,  
In life we thought of you every day,  
Now that thought never goes away,  
Until we meet again my love.  
May you rest in peace.  
(So dearly loved and sadly missed by your parents, Liam and Margaret, brothers Gary, Victor, Glen, also Anita, Andrew, Diuran, Anne Maria, Nathen).

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**CUMMINS** — Birthday Remembrance of my loving nephew, Calvin Tomás Cummins, late of 11, Colligan View, Dungarvan whose Second Birthday occurs on Thursday, October 25.

**CALVIN TOMÁS**  
Some say hearts don't really break,  
Dear Lord, that's just not true,  
The day you took our little Calvin away,  
Our hearts just broke in two.  
(Always loved and remembered by your Auntie Ursula, John, Louise, Christopher XXXX).



**CUMMINS** — Birthday Remembrance of my loving son, Calvin Tomás Cummins, late of 11, Colligan View, Dungarvan whose Second Birthday occurs on Thursday, October 25.

**CALVIN TOMÁS**  
A million times we have missed you,  
A million times we have cried,  
If love could have saved you,  
You never would have died.  
Things we feel most deeply,  
Are the hardest things to say,  
Our dearest one we have always loved you,  
In a special way.  
(Always remembered by your heartbroken Dad and brother Aaron XX).



**CUMMINS** — Birthday Remembrance of Calvin Cummins, 11 Colligan View, Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on 25th October.

God called your name so softly,  
That only you could hear,  
And no one heard the foot-steps,  
Of the angels drawing near,  
The golden gates stood open,  
God took you as you rest,  
His garden must be beautiful,  
For he only takes the best,  
Those we love don't go away,  
Ther're in our memories everyday,  
Unseen, unheard, but always near,  
Still loved, still missed, but very dear,  
Look around your garden Lord,  
He won't be hard to find,  
He has a heart that's full of love,  
And a face that always smiled,  
Call his name our softly Lord,  
And when he looks your way,  
Tell him that we love him,  
And miss him everyday.  
(Always loved and missed by Mammy and sisters and brothers).



**CUMMINS** — Birthday Remembrance of Calvin Cummins, 11 Colligan View, Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on 25th October.

Look around your garden Lord,  
For an angel with a smile,  
He won't be hard to recognise,  
He will stand out a mile,  
So put your arms around him Lord,  
And kiss his smiling face,  
For he is very special and never will be replaced.  
(Love from your sister Lisa, nephews Craig and Leon and niece Courtney).



**CUMMINS** — Birthday Remembrance of Calvin Cummins, 11 Colligan View, Dungarvan whose 2nd birthday occurs on 25th October.

If God could have spared you a few more years,  
It could have saved maybe a few more tears,  
Although the time we had was great,  
I still wish you were here to celebrate,  
I miss your laugh and even your cry,  
And you will always be in our hearts,  
Till the day we die,  
(Missing you forever and always, lots of love Sharon, Nicky and Becky XXXXXX).



**FLYNN** — Birthday Remembrance of our dear father and mother, Pad and Nora Flynn, Fortwillam, Glencairn, whose birthdays occur at this time.

Those who die don't go away,  
They walk beside us everyday,  
Unseen, unheard, but always near,  
Still loved, still missed, still very dear.  
(Always remembered by Tomas, Sheila, Patricia, Seamus (Scotland) and Sean (U.S.A.), grandchildren and daughters-in-law Meghan (U.S.A.), Karen (Scotland) and Orla, son-in-law Alan).

# Acknowledgments

**LATE MARGARET CROTTY (NÉE HENNESSY)**  
Kilrossanty, Leamybrien



The family of the late Margaret Crotty wish to convey our heartfelt gratitude to all who sympathised with us in our recent sad loss. Sincere thanks to all those who travelled long distances, telephoned, sent Mass cards and letters of sympathy. Thank you also to those who attended rosary, removal, Mass and burial, those who called to our homes, and those who kindly made donations to various charities in lieu of flowers. A special thank you to attending clergy, Fr. Delaney, Fr. Collender, Fr. Geoghegan and Fr. Crowley. We also wish to express our deep gratitude to Dr. M. Griffin and the emergency response unit. To Lorna Daly-Murray for her beautiful hymns, the Sacristan (Breda), the grave diggers, Crotty's Inn and Eamon, a sincere thank you. Finally we also wish to express our appreciation to Tom Drohan, Undertakers for their assistance and professionalism throughout. As a token of our appreciation the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions. Faoi bhrat na maighdine go raibh a hanam.

# ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND FIRST ANNIVERSARY

**LATE PADDY DURAND**

**Monang, Abbeyside**  
Died 29th October, 2006

The family of the late Paddy Durand would like to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with us on our sad loss. To those who called to the house, attended the funeral Mass, sent Mass cards and expressions of sympathy, we are most grateful. Thank you to Fr. Tim O'Riordan, P.P., who attended the rosary and Fr. Matt Cooney, O.S.A. who celebrated the funeral Mass. A sincere thanks to Drohan's Funeral Directors for their professionalism and attention to every detail. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

Paddy's First Anniversary Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m., Monday, 29th October at the Friary Church, Dungarvan.



# KILROSSANTY NEWS

## DANCE

Dance this Saturday night in Crotty's Inn for Guide Dogs for the Blind. Dancing to Catherine and the Images.

## TRIP

Bus to the Dail and Croke Park run by Kilrossanty Fianna Fail Cumann will leave Kilrossanty village on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm. Money to be paid by the weekend. Meeting next Monday night in Micilins at 9.30 pm.

## DEATH

Sympathy to the Hallahan family, Lemybrien on the death of Rose Hallahan who died on Monday last. May she rest in peace.

## WHIST

Mary O'Donnell, Tessa Daly, Betty Murphy, Breda Hennessey, Margaret Riordan, Mary Drohan, Eric Townsend, Helen Harris,

Seamus Dowling, Pauline Desmond, Biddy Morrissey, Raffle; Maudie Cusack, Marie O'Shea, Bidy Quinlan. Next Whist on 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 8 pm sharp.

## KILROSSANTY GAA CLUB NOTES

### Clotto

No winner in the weekly Clotto held last Sunday night in Micilins. Numbers drawn were 1-3-22-23. 25 euros each to the following: Dinny and James O'Brien, Adramone; Mary Coffey, Shanbally; Deirdre Cregan, PPI Waterford; Mairead Coffey, Lauren Tobin and Roisin Coffey, Curraheen. Sellers prize to Joan Walsh, Ballintlea. Sean Lennon, Lemybrien. Next weeks jackpot 1,100 in Crotty's Inn.

## Well Done

Well done to Dan Shanahan who was awarded hurler of the year last Friday night. Also to All Stars Dan Shanahan, Ken McGrath, Tony Browne, Michael Walsh and Stephen Molumphy who received their awards also on the night.

## Deise Draw

Deise Draw this Friday night hosted by Gaultier Club. Promoters please have money into coordinator by Friday and

also money outstanding which is owed. This is the second last draw in the series and all monies must be in to finalise the books for the AGM.

## AGM

Annual General Meeting on Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> December.

## Sympathy

Sympathy to the Hallahan family, Lemybrien on the death of Rose Hallahan who died on Monday. May she rest in peace.

## SNOOKER COMPETITION WINNER

Our lucky winner of a VIP ticket to see the rematch between Ronnie O'Sullivan and Ken Doherty at Lawlor's Hotel tonight (Wed. 24<sup>th</sup> Oct) is T.C. Curran, Kilrossera, Dungarvan. Congratulations to T.C. and your ticket can be collected at the Dungarvan Leader.

## Ballyduff Notes

### BALLYDUFF CARDS RESULTS

3rd Oct. 1st Eddie and Will Whelan. 2nd Mary Whelan and Christy Higgins. 3rd Dan Howard and Kit Scanlon. Lucky tables; Pad and Ester Walsh. Mary Ellen Geary and Lizzie Keane. Raffle; Brigid Murray, Mary Fitzgerald, Eddie Sheehan, Pad Walsh, Sean Higgins and Christy Higgins. 10th Oct. 1st Mary Whelan and Christy Higgins. 2nd Mary Ellen Geary and Lizzie Keane. 3rd Eddie Sheehan and Will Whelan. Lucky tables; Bertie Neville and Sheila Lonergan. Mar Casey and Helen O'Keeffe. Raffle; Maura Lindsey, Sean Higgins, Kit Crowley, Mary Whelan, Mary Casey. 16th Oct. 1st Larry Byrne and Jim Leahy. 2nd and 3rd divided; Eileen O'Callahan and Maura Lindsey. Bridget Murray and Dinny Tobin. Lucky tables; Pat Kirby and Paddy Jim Feeney. Kit Scanlon and Dan Howard. Raffle; Bertie Neville, Eileen O'Callaghan, Bertie Neville, Bridget Murray and Bertie Neville.

### BALLYDUFF WALKING CLUB

#### BALLYHOURA MOUNTAINS

The Ballyduff walking club climbed the classic Blackrock route at the Ballyhoura Mountains on Sunday October 13<sup>th</sup>. The main objects of this walk were the amazing views from the rocky ridges at the summit. The circuit covers the spectacular scenery of Ardpatrick, Kilmallock, Ballyhea, Charleville, Churchtown and the Castle Oliver Estate. Castle Oliver is a red sandstone Scottish Baronial style mansion which replaced the original Clonadfof house of the Oliver Estate which consisted of 20,000 acres in 1837. It was the home of Lola Montez, mistress of King Ludwig of Bavaria in the last century. Blackrock is the most northerly peak in the Ballyhoura Mountains and the club continued walking through the exposed high open moorland to the spectacular peaks of Seefin and Carron. Seefin is the highest peak of the Ballyhoura Mountains. It is 1,703 ft high. Seefin is the reputed resting place of the legendary warrior Fionn Mac Cumhaill, father of Oisín. Carron is known locally as the Saddle Mountain. The cairn is the remains of a stone fort on the summit, which was reputedly occupied by Brian Boru. We followed the track downhill along the edge. We returned through Glenosheen forest, which contains an abundance of beautiful trees with the finest collection of beech trees. This walk took three hours to complete. Betty Feeney facilitated this tremendous walk.

#### NEXT WALK

The walking club will meet at the top of Coolisheal on Sunday October 28<sup>th</sup> at 1pm. We will walk through the town lands of Ballyheapy, Knockadonlea, Knockcorragh and Toornageeha. Noreen Geary will facilitate this walk.

#### AUTUMN WALKING SCHEDULE

Sunday October 28<sup>th</sup> Coolisheal, Tournageeha, Ballyheapy. Meeting at the top of Coolisheal at 1pm. Facilitator Noreen Geary.

Sunday Nov 11<sup>th</sup> Seanachai Dungarvan. Meeting in Ballyduff Hall at 1pm. Facilitator Jim Mills.

Sunday Nov 25<sup>th</sup> Araglin. Part of the Blackwater Way. Meeting in the Swallows Inn at 1pm. Facilitator Betty Feeney.

Sunday Dec 9<sup>th</sup> Knocka veelish. Meeting in Ballysaggart Old School at 1pm. Facilitator Tom Veale.

Saturday Dec 29<sup>th</sup> Christmas walk to Araglin. Meeting in Ballyduff Hall at 12pm. Walking to Araglin and arrive back in Ballyduff and return to Sibin for refreshments.

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## Melleray Notes

### RED CROSS

Melleray/Cappoquin Irish Red Cross will hold a variety night in aid of People In Need Telethon 2007 on October 28<sup>th</sup> in Melleray Hall. Time from 7-11 pm. If participating on the night, song or dance, contact Michael O'Rourke on 087-2562388. All are welcome.

### DISCO

A Halloween Disco will be held in Melleray Hall on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October from 8 - 10 pm. All are welcome.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To Jean Fenton, Crowhill on her bronze achievement in Special Olympics in China from the Melleray Community. Congratulations to John and Ann O'Brien on celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary over the weekend. "We know Ann from the Irish Red Cross!".

### S.N. Baile Mhic Airt

Do mhuintir an tSean Phobail agus dá iar scoiláirí, tá fáilte roimh, do Aifreann 'i Séipéal an Breith na Maighdine, ar an Aoine 26ú Deireadh Fómhair ag 7.30 i.n. agus ansin do oíche le scéalta agus ceoil sa Marine.

Déan teagmháil le Nóirín nó le Deirdre 058-46446.

Friends and past pupils of the Maistir Proinsias O Domhnaill are invited to celebrate his retirement with Mass in Old Parish at 7.30 on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> October and to an evening of stories and music in the Marine afterwards. Contact Nóirín or Deirdre at 058-46446.





## EMERALD FINANCIAL CORNER

### Question:

What costs other than my mortgage should I be aware of when purchasing my new home?

### Answer:

There are costs that need to be considered when applying for a mortgage when purchasing your new home. These are outlined below-

#### Deposit

The majority of lenders will lend a certain percentage of the purchase price of your property. The percentage will vary depending on whether you are a first-time buyer, trading up, non resident or investor.

If you are a first-time buyer a mortgage company will typically lend 92% of the purchase price, so you have to contribute 8% yourself. Let's take an example on this on a property costing €250,000. A lender will advance you €230,000 i.e. 92% of €250,000, so you have to contribute €20,000 from your own funds. First-time buyers normally obtain the 8% deposit from either a gift from parents/family or from savings built up prior to purchasing a property.

100% mortgages are also available for first time buyers from some mortgage lenders and this removes the need for this 8% deposit if people would prefer this route to purchase their first home.

#### Legal Fees

You will need the services of a solicitor in order to purchase your new home.

When calculating and explaining what your legal fees are going to be, your solicitor may break the cost down into two separate parts.

The first is what they will charge you for their own time in carrying out the conveyancing process on your behalf.

This can vary from solicitor to solicitor. Some may charge you a percentage of the purchase price and others may charge you a flat fee irrespective of price. Gone are the days of every solicitor charging 1.5% of the purchase price. So the first part of your legal bill is made up of your solicitor's own professional fee, plus VAT at 21%.

The second part of your legal bill is referred to as outlay. When your solicitor is in receipt of contracts for the purchase of your new property they will be able to determine where the title of the property is held, that is either with the Land Registry or the Registry of Deeds. The cost applicable to your 'outlay' will depend on which one.

Emerald Financial offers its clients the Emerald Mortgage Package which gives clients the option of either Free Professional Solicitor Fees or Cashback of up to €1,000 if clients wish to use their own solicitor which reduces the legal costs to a minimum for its clients.

#### Insurances

It is mandatory to take out a life assurance policy with your mortgage. This policy has to at least match your mortgage amount and the term of your mortgage.

It is also mandatory to have house insurance cover on your new home. All mortgage lenders will check that these insurances are in place before finalising your mortgage fully.

#### Valuation Fee

A lender will insist that a valuation is carried out on a property they are providing funds for. The lender requires this type of valuation so they can get independent confirmation from a third party as to what the current market value of the property is.

The normal fee for an initial valuation is €130. If the property is under construction a second final valuation will be required and will be carried out by the valuer who did the original inspection. The cost for the final valuation will typically be €70.

#### Stamp Duty

First Time Buyers are exempt from stamp duty on any new or second - hand property. Stamp duty is calculated on the purchase price of the property.

Non First Time Buyers (for owner occupation) of new properties under 1,345sq.ft. (125sq.m) pay no stamp duty.

Non First Time Buyers (for owner occupation) of new properties over 1,345sq.ft. (125sq.m) and second hand property pay stamp duty at the applicable rates.

Investors pay stamp duty on new and second hand properties at the applicable rates.

These are the main additional costs that you need to be aware of, some other costs that may or may not need to be factored in include - structural surveys, indemnity bond fees, planning permission fees and assignment of life policy fees.

If you would like further information on mortgages or financial planning, please feel free to contact John or Brian in -

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Mobile: (087) 2141342**



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# ARD SCOIL na nDEISE NEWS

## Parents' Council Quiz

Our Parents' Council organised a very enjoyable fund raising quiz in Merries on Wednesday, October 17th. Thanks to Brendan O'Brien and his team for their time and commitment to this event which raised €1,500. This money will go towards buying two new computers for the school. We would also like to thank the local businesses, parents and staff who donated prizes for the raffle. Well done to our Parents' Council (Chairperson Teresa Daly), for helping us here in the Ard Scoil. Their work is very much appreciated.

## T.Y. News.

The T.Y. students have been very busy lately with all sorts of activities alongside their regular classes. Some of the girls took time to write about these for me.

### Surfing in Tramore

On the 19th of September, T.Y.A and T.Y.B travelled to Tramore for a day's fun and surfing. When we arrive in Tramore we were split into two groups. While the first group went surfing, the other group went for a walk in the Dunes. Group One had instruction in how to hold and work the surf board. We donned wet suits and shoes and with a partner carried two surf boards down to the water. We had to practice on the beach before entering the water. Each group spent about two hours surfing; it was great fun.

Each group also had a guided tour of the Dunes. Our guide was very interesting and we learned about the formation and history of the dunes and stopped to study plants and points of interest along the way. It was a very enjoyable day. (Meghan Hayes, T.Y.A.)

### The Ploughing Championships

On the 25th of September we went to the Ploughing Championships in Tullamore in Co. Offaly. We were up bright and early, eager to get going. We all

wore wellies in all sorts of colours and patterns! On arriving in Tullamore about 11 o'clock, we split into different groups and headed off to enjoy the sights.

There were thousands of people there, full of happiness and loudness. We spent the day looking at the different stalls and tractors. There was also an amusement area. There was lots of mud but that only added to the fun. The weather was good and it stayed dry all day. Finally it was time to leave - we didn't want to! We arrived back in Dungarvan around 7.30. Exhausted but delighted with our brilliant trip. (Louise Duffy T.Y.A.)

### Drama Tour

On Friday the 12th of October, Mrs. Dennehy's Transition Year Drama Group went to Cork city to see a one act play called "Shopping for Shoes". We had time for a quick snack before the play began at 11 o'clock. The actress, from Edinburgh, played all the parts. The two main characters were a girl called Siobhan and a boy called Shaun. To quote from the programme, this drama depicts "the touching, awkward tentative first steps to romance where image is everything and staying "cool" is a challenge". We enjoyed it very much. (Elaine O' Mahony, T.Y.A.)

This play was written by award winning playwright, Tim Crouch and performed by Christina Strachan of the Edinburgh based company, Visible Fictions.

### Irish Guide Dogs

On the 5th of October, all T.Y. students travelled to Cork to visit the Irish Guide Dogs' Centre. On arrival, we were warmly welcomed and given drinks and biscuits. We watched a D.V.D. which showed us how the centre operates. Following the film, the manager demonstrated how to use a cane and took two volunteers who were then blindfolded so they would know what it is like to be

blind. After explaining the work of the volunteers, she then took us on a tour of the centre. In the kitchen we saw devices which have been invented to help visually impaired people in their everyday lives; for example, a device fitted to the rim of a glass which emits an alarm to let you know when it is full. Then we visited the accommodation where people stay when they are training with their new dog. Then we went to meet the dogs! They were gorgeous fluffy Labradors, black and chocolate coloured; dogs you'd love to cuddle up to and fall asleep! They were extremely friendly and we played with them and their toys for half an hour.

We really appreciated the opportunity to see the wonderful work done at the centre and next day everyone brought in a donation for the centre. (Richard Boland, T.Y.A.)

### Self Help for Africa

On Friday, the 12th of October, a guest speaker came to tell us about the horrors that are happening in Africa. He told us some interesting statistics about water and food shortages and outlined the differences between water supplies in Ireland and Africa. He encouraged us to get involved in some fundraising activities so we could send money to help families and to build wells which are very expensive, sometimes costing €20,000. He also showed us how simple it is to cure diarrhoea by adding sugar and salt to a clean glass of water. This shows how bad the situation is because something as inexpensive as this is impossible to get without help from non profit making organisations. It was a very informative speech and we learned many interesting facts about Africa. (Tara Ni Fhoglu, T.Y.A.)

### The Student Enterprise Board

On October first, Thirty T.Y. students went to Clonea Strand

Hotel to meet members of the Student Enterprise Board. We were joined by pupils from other schools in the Waterford area. Three different businessmen from different places in Ireland addressed us during the morning, telling us of their experiences. Following a buffet style lunch, we were divided into different groups to take part in various workshops. It was a very interesting day and helped us with our individual enterprise projects. (Roisin Feeney, T.Y.A.)

### Dungarvan Inter-Schools Careers Exhibition

The Dungarvan Inter-Schools Careers Exhibition took place on Thursday 18th October in Dungarvan Sports Centre. Organised by the Guidance Counsellors of the four second-level schools in Dungarvan the event is held every two years thanks to generous sponsorship of the Dungarvan Branch of Bank of Ireland.

Over 800 students attended the exhibition on Thursday. Schools represented were Ard Scoil na nDeise, Dungarvan, CBS Secondary School, Dungarvan, Coláiste Cathail Naofa, Dungarvan, St Augustine's College, Dungarvan, Stella Maris Secondary School, Tramore, St Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas, St John's Special School, Dungarvan and Scoil San Níochlús, Ring.

Over 30 stands were present representing Colleges of Further Education, the Institutes of Technology, Universities as well as City & Guilds, the Gardaí, the Army, Fáilte Ireland etc.

The Mayor of Dungarvan, Damien Geoghegan, officially opened the Exhibition. In his speech he expressed his thanks to the sponsors and the exhibitors, he commended the organisers and expressed the hope that the students would benefit from the experience.

## DUNGARVAN CBS NOTES

### CBS MAKE BRIGHT START TO CONCERN DEBATES

Congratulations to the CBS debating team on their victory over Kilmacthomas Community College in the first round of the Concern Debates. Our team of Leo Kavanagh (capt), Niall Murphy, Cormac Power and Eoin Tierney successfully opposed the motion that "Overseas development aid is a waste of money". The debate was held in Abbey Community School, Ferrybank. Many thanks to the team's mentor, Ms. Anna Marie O'Dwyer who did great work with the lads and had them all prepared on the night, and to Mr. Joe Hagan who accompanied the team on the night.

### HURLING NEWS

Carrigaline Community School proved too strong for CBS Dungarvan in the Munster U-16 1/2 hurling championship quarter final, winning by 3-15 to 3-4. This match was played in Fermoy recently. Dungarvan dominated for much of the first half, but two goals from Carrigaline in the five minutes before half time saw them leading at the interval by 2-5 to 1-4. Carrigaline's midfield and half back line got completely on top late in the first half and maintained their dominance throughout the second half. Dungarvan's defence battled bravely under relentless pressure, with Darren Duggan in goal having an outstanding game. Eoin

Healy, Luke Egan, Conor Buckley, Liam Beresford, Tom Curran and Garry Hurley all impressed, while Colm Curran put on a great display in the forward line, scoring an impressive 2-3.

Scorers: Colm Curran (2-3), Thomas Cleary (1-0), Jim Curran (0-1).

Team: Darran Duggan (Dungarvan), Eoin Healy (Dungarvan), Luke Egan (Dungarvan), Conor Buckley (St. Oliver's), Liam Beresford (Abbeyside), Tom Curran (St. Oliver's), Garry Hurley (St. Oliver's), Robbie Buckley (Modeligo), Sean Ryan (Dungarvan), Brendan McCarthy (Dungarvan), Jim Curran (St. Oliver's), Keith Guiry (Fourmilewater), Dermot Tobin (St. Patrick's), Aidan Condon (Fourmilewater), Colm Curran (Dungarvan). Subs: Thomas Cleary (Dungarvan), Jamie Barron (Fourmilewater), Conor O'Shea (Ardmore), Cormac Condon (Touraneena), Colin Walsh (St. Oliver's), Donal Breathnach (An Ghaeltacht), Michael O'Donnell (Brickeys), Gavin Whelan (St. Patrick's), Kevin Phelan (St. Oliver's), Patrick Meehan (Fourmilewater).

Finally, congratulations to the Waterford Colleges team on their comprehensive victory over a young North Mon side in the Harty Cup. A special mention for our own Cormac Curran, who scored a very impressive 3-5.

## ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTES

### Maths week in St. Declan's

Maths Week Ireland took place from 15th -19th October. To celebrate this, our school took part in two events. The first event was a maths table quiz for first years. This was held in the school and was very successful. Over 100 first year students took part in two separate venues. The two winning teams were Laura Keane, Abigail Griffin, Niamh Farrell, Chris James and Dylan Forrester, Leah Harte, Shane Dwane and John Halley.

The second event involved a short trip to WIT where two of our transition year classes had the opportunity of attending a lecture on financial mathematics, given by Dr. Quinn of WIT. The lecture was interesting and gave us plenty to think about. Our students had the chance to see the varied use of maths in realistic situations.

### Waterford Crystal

On Monday 1st October, two of our transition year classes went to Waterford Crystal. We were taken on a tour of the factory and saw how the crystal is made from a sand mix, blown into shape, cut and engraved. Our tour guides were very informative and we were delighted to be given a short demonstration class by a Master Cutter. The trip was very enjoyable and a great day was had by all.

### Hockey

### St. Declan's Community College: 4 Ursuline Secondary School: 0

On Wednesday, 17th October St. Declan's Community College Junior B Team travelled to The Ursuline Secondary School in Waterford to play their first Hockey match of the season. The team played exceptionally well and worked very hard on the pitch. With the result at half time being 3-0 to St. Declan's. These goals were scored by Zoe O'Donoghue (2) and Niamh Rockett (1). In the second half the momentum continued and Ciara Larkin managed to put another goal away for St. Declan's after hitting the posts just moments earlier. This was a superb team effort. Well done to all involved.

Team: Kelly Fitzsimons, Rachel Ginty, Caroline Keegan, Sophie Van der Valk, Bridget Murphy, Niamh Rockett, Jessica Behal, Zoe O'Donoghue, Ciara Larkin, Sarah Heffernan, Deirdre Taylor, Orla Mooney, Edel Whelan.

### Gaisce Silver Award

Well done to Janet Flynn who was presented with the Gaisce Silver Award at a reception in the Brú Ború Centre, Cashel last Thursday night.



# Cappoquin Notes

## CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER & BILLIARDS CLUB

### Market House League Ladder

The much awaited league ladder started on Monday of last week and we had some very close and well-contested games. We have four junior players in this season's league and they all gave a good account of themselves last week. We only had one league game on Monday night.

New members Jamie Dalton played Robert Ivory and after some very impressive potting by both players, Jamie won by 80-57.

Six games were played on Tuesday night. Old guns Rhiney Walsh and Mike Doherty clashed and this game was a very close encounter with Rhiney clinching it on the black. Dots then got back to winning ways when he beat Michael Casey 67-38. Rhiney played young Robert Ivory and Robert played very well but in the end lost 43-31. Robert then played Derek Cahill and lost to a very good player in Cahill by 68-40.

Stephen Power then got his league campaign off to a good start when he accounted for Derek in a very tight game 46-43. Derek bounced back in the last game on Tuesday night when he gave Rhiney a bit of a beating 72-30.

Reigning league champion David Cahill made his debut for this season on Wednesday night and he started with a win when he beat Derek Cahill 55-48. David also recorded wins over Stephen Power 49-48 and David Mason 40-20.

Three more games on Thursday night: Eddie Hickey recorded two wins when he accounted for Jamie Dalton 65-34 and Robert Ivory 67-47. Jamie played Derek Cahill and had three points to spare in a very tight game. On Friday night, we had six more games. Stephen Power beat Jamie Dalton in a great game by 56-49. Two more league debutants for this season clashed with Liam Whelan edging out Eamon Costin 47-30. Eddie Hickey beat reigning champion David Cahill 47-26 and beat Martin Reddy on the black by 42-39. David Cahill beat Liam Whelan 44-32 and in the final game, Jamie Dalton beat Liam Whelan 58-48. So, after some great snooker, the question is who can catch Eddie Hickey. Hickey seems to be on fire with four wins out of four. Last season's champion David Cahill has four wins from five and Jamie Dalton has three wins from five.

### The table is as follows

Played, Won, Lost, Pts.	
Eddie Hickey	4 4 0 8
David Cahill	5 4 1 8
Jamie Dalton	5 3 2 6
Rhiney Walsh	3 2 1 4
Stephen Power	3 2 1 4
Derek Cahill	5 2 3 4
Michael Doherty	2 1 1 2
Liam Whelan	3 1 2 2
Martin Reddy	1 0 1 0
Eamon Costin	1 0 1 0
David Mason	1 0 1 0
Michael Casey	1 0 1 0
Robert Ivory	4 0 4 0

### New Billiards Tournament

We are delighted to announce that after Christmas we will be holding a billiards tournament kindly sponsored by Kevin McCarthy in memory of his late father Jack. Jack McCarthy was in his day reportedly a top class billiards player and was champion in this area back in the 1930's.

This will be a very welcome event and I'm sure will attract a very good entry. The tournament will be called the Jack McCarthy Memorial Perpetual Cup and what a fantastic cup it is as well. The club are very grateful to Kevin for his wonderful sponsorship and we hope it will prove to be a huge success.

### Ken Doherty v's Ronnie O'Sullivan

This exhibition match will take

place in Lawlors Hotel tonight (Wed) at 8.30pm. I'm sure a lot of the lads from the club will attend and this should prove to be a top class game.

### Night Duty

Duty officers for the coming week are Wed 24th David Mason and Michael Roche, Thurs 25th Ray Curran and Brian O'Farrell, Fri 26th Liam Whelan and Brian Whelan, Mon 29th Conor O'Leary and Michael Casey, Tues 30th Rhiney Walsh and Brendan Walsh.

### Membership

At present membership is coming in at a reasonable rate. Over the next few weeks, we expect things to get a lot busier as the evenings are starting to get darker earlier. It has also come to our attention that a lot of players are playing in the hall most nights and have not paid their membership yet. This will have to be addressed at the next committee meeting if they continue to do so as members will have first priority on the tables. Membership is adults €30 Under 18's €20.

## CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE GAA NOTES

### Club Lotto

At present the Cappoquin/Affane GAA Club are holding two lotto jackpot draws. On Monday, October 15th in the first draw for the jackpot prize of 10,000 euro the numbers drawn out were 5-7-21-28. There was no winner. In the second draw for the jackpot prize of 1,000 euro the numbers drawn were 6-7-15-27 and was won by Danny and Ally Costin, Sheskin; Affane. Congratulations to the 20 euro winners; James/Emma Morrissey, c/o Central Bar; Daragh/Clodagh O'Shea, Melleray Rd., Derek Brown, c/o Pa Curran, Brian Murray, Kilbree and Ollie Mangan, Melleray. This weeks draw was on Monday 22nd October and the results will appear in these notes next week.

**Western JHC Semi Final** — This Saturday, October 27th our junior hurlers play Clashmore in the Western Semi Final at 1.30 in the Fraher Field. Your support is appreciated.

**Three to Answer** — 1 Who played at centre half forward for Waterford in the 1957, 1959 and 1963 All Ireland Senior Hurling Finals.

2 How many times did Clare inscribe their name on the old Liam McCarthy Cup.

3 Who led Kilkenny to their first All Ireland win of the nineties.

**Last Week's Answers** — 1 Martin Og Morrissey was centre half back when Waterford won the All-Ireland Senior Hurling Championship in 1959.

2 Mick Curley (Tallow) was the Waterford goalkeeper in their first All Ireland Senior Hurling Final appearance in 1939.

3 Portlaoise won five county senior hurling titles in the 1970's.

**All Star** — Congratulations to our near neighbour Dan Shanahan on his prestigious Hurler of the Year Award for 2007, it was well deserved. Also congratulations to Ken McGrath, Tony Browne, Michael "Brick" Walsh & Stephen Molunphy on receiving All Stars.

**Well Done** — Well done to intermediate hurler Tom Mansfield on winning his 10th All Army Hurling Medal in Nolan Park last week. Tom scored 1-3 in the final. Keep up the good work Tom.

## CAPPOQUIN F.C. NOTES

### Munster Junior Cup v Bolton

#### Result Cappoquin 4 Bolton 2 After Penalties

On Sunday afternoon last we played Bolton in the second round of the Munster Junior Cup at home in Cappoquin. Having already won the first round after penalties against Crusaders, we were anxious to progress in the competition and to improve on recent performances. Short a few regulars we still managed to field a strong team. We got off to a good start and should probably have scored 2 goals in the opening 15 minutes. Bolton found it hard to penetrate our well marshalled defence and we were winning a lot of the breaks at midfield, and the first half finished scoreless.

In the second half for some strange reason we opted for long ball to our front men and it wasn't paying off, but after some stern words from the management we got back to playing ground ball at speed midway through the half. This paid off and we were causing all sorts of problems for the visitors defence. Shane Troy came close on a few occasions but our shooting was a bit off. The game finished 0-0 and we were heading into extra time. Our visitors were visibly tiring and our youthful side capitalised on this after 5 minutes when Shane Troy scored a well taken goal. Due to a lack in concentration our lead was wiped out within 2 mins. when Bolton scored a soft goal. At half time in extra time a few changes were made to make sure we didn't give away any more soft goals and hold out for the penalties. The game finished 1-1 and we were heading for the dreaded penalty shoot out which we won 4-2 with Sean Dempsey, Martin Lacey, John Wall and Tom Mansfield all successful from the penalty spot. Overall a good performance and we now look forward to the third round.

Team: C. Cullinane, M. Flynn, D. Lenane, E. Walsh, E. Murphy, D. Kett, J. Wall, M. Lacey, E. Morrissey, S. Troy, J. Bray, Res: S. Dempsey for E. Morrissey, T. Mansfield for J. Bray, C. Gleeson, D. Dee.

## WEST WATERFORD DARTS

The draw was made for the league Cup and Plate. First named team at home. A League Morrissey's v Log Cabin. A bye v Moloney's A. Red House v Park House A. Tigh an Cheoil A v Swallow Inn. B League; Tigh an Cheoil B 3 v A Bye. Deckies v Taverner. Moloney's B v Tigh an Cheoil B2. Seanachai v John Paul's. Park House B v Old Mill.

All games to start no later than 9.30 pm. Any club interested in putting in a ladies team can contact me and if we get enough names than we can run a ladies league. Best of luck to all in the league and plate. Phone results before 5 pm on Saturday. If not there will be a 10 euro fine. Home team must ring. Phone 087-4146890 or 058-52210.

PS Any new teams interested in putting a team into the league can contact me.

## CAPPOQUIN CIVIC LINK

Times flies especially nowadays, so it is hard to believe that on 15 May, 2006, almost a year and a half ago, that the newly formed Cappoquin Civic Link put forward its proposals to a large attendance in the Parochial hall. We told you then that we would present ourselves to you the public of Cappoquin this December, at a general meeting. We have agreed to move this meeting slightly forward to January 2008, we feel it would be better timing.

On that night we outlined seven areas of activity that we planned to work on. As a committee, we have reviewed these at meetings last January and again in September. The following is a summary of these areas and what has been achieved since May 2006.

Youth: Help with the formation of a Foroige Club. Communication and Older People: Promotion and assistance with Waterford Leader Warmer Homes Initiative.

Cappoquin area club directory Newsletters

Integration; English classes for non nationals working locally.

Exhibition of Polish and East European history at Cornerstone Carnival.

Disability; Very little achieved yet.

The River; a few proposals at advanced stage of discussion and negotiating with relevant authorities. When these are definitely confirmed, we will inform you.

Promotions, Special Events; Halloween Masquerade Ball 2006 and this year's Ball will be held on 3rd November.

Christmas Farmer's Market 2006 and it will be held this year on Saturday, 15th December.

Helped with publicity for Trad Concert Weekend last March.

Heritage; Launch of "Cappoquin: A Window on the Past" and "Brief Guide to an Area's Rich Heritage".

Street plaques and lecterns - Exhibitions at Cornerstone Carnival - Shop window display - Noticeboards - Heritage trail - New book of photographs.

This is a summary of the main activities that we have been working on. There are a number of other projects that we are involved with and we will deal with these next week.

## MASQUERADE BALL - CAPPOQUIN'S most SPOOKTACULAR EVENT!

The countdown continues to this years most 'Spooktacular Event' with just a week and a half to go. Are ye all prepared for Transylvanian Discomania to hit town? November the third is fast

approaching and things are hotting up on the designer costume front. There is an air of competitiveness around this year's event, with everyone aiming for the best costume prize? The judge this year is totally neutral and his decision will be final, so now put your thinking caps back on to see if you can impress the judge and swing the decision in your favour.

We are expecting ghosts, goblins and gremlins, Draculas, vampires & vixens! Roll on the exciting range of sports and film stars, creatures from the dead, nuns (& priests) on the run, we are waiting in anticipation for the 'Incredible', the 'Invincible', the 'fantastic', the 'amazing', the 'crazy' and the just plain 'ridiculous'. Remember its all in the name of fun so get going and rack the old brain cells for your costume designs.

This year we have decided that all proceeds will go to the local Red Cross Group located in Melleray. This group have done Trojan work in raising money in the locality which has resulted in two defibrillators one for the area of Melleray and the other for the Cappoquin locality. These defibrillators are life saving apparatus which are used to apply an electric current to the heart to restore its normal rhythm. Volunteers have come forward to be trained in the use of these machines and training is being provided by the Irish Red Cross. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the Melleray Red Cross group for their work to date and remind those who have volunteered to contact Mary Murray in Murray's shop regarding the training dates which will be coming up shortly.

### The Irish Red Cross

The Irish Red Cross was set up in 1939 by Act of the Oireachtas and there are 110 branches throughout the country run entirely by volunteers. They are dedicated to the provision of emergency and humanitarian relief at home and abroad. They provide community services and activities, an ambulance service, First Aid training and also rescue services.

The Red Cross is an essential service in Rural Ireland, they strive to make peoples lives better from providing First Aid cover at local GAA matches, socials & outings for the senior citizens, the provision of transport for sick and elderly people, assisting the blood transfusion board and aiding in searches for missing people.

They are to be commended for the work they carry out but like all other voluntary run organisations this vital work would cease without regular and ongoing donations from the public. They are Cappoquin Civic Link's choice for the proceeds from this years charity event.

## BUNSCOIL GLEANN SIDHEÁIN

### Schools Win in Déise Draw

There was good news on our return to school this year when our name came out in the Déise Draw and we received a voucher for €600. This voucher will be used in further enhancing the facilities in our school. Thanks to James Morrissey, local co-ordinator who liaises with the school.

### Visits from Bishop Lee and Sr. Antoinette

Bishop William Lee was a very welcome visitor to our school on Friday October 12th when his gentle manner made a great impression on staff and pupils.

Sr. Antoinette Dilworth also visited our school in early October and received a warm and courteous welcome from staff and pupils.

### Sport Footballers Compete in A Division

For the first time in many years we are competing in the A Division of the Primary Schools competition this year.

Our first games were against Ballymacarbery. The boys were first into action and turned in a tremendous performance. Just a point adrift at half time we really battled all the way in the second half before going down to a narrow defeat.

It was then the turn of the our girls and they produced a performance out of the top drawer before going under by the narrowest of margins 2-1 to 2-0.

Lismore were our visitors in the

next round, again the boys played some outstanding football and could not be faulted for effort or commitment, however, a strong Lismore outfit ran out worthy winners.

In the next game our girls took the game to Lismore right from the throw in and picked off some magnificent scores. This was a real ding-dong battle in which we more than held our own in every sector. A thrilling encounter ended all square - Lismore 3-0, Bunscuil Gleann Sidheáin 0-9.

### Credit Union

The Credit Union organisation in Ireland celebrates its 50th birthday and presently the boys and girls in school are busy preparing for the Annual Credit Union Poster Competition which proves very popular each year.

### Annual Sale of Work

The Annual Sale of Work takes place in the School Hall on Sunday December 2nd. An event not to be missed which is kindly organised by the Parents Committee. Keep the date free.

## CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

### Know Your Ag

Best of luck to the Cappoquin Macra team who will take part in the national final of the Know Your Ag at the Rally next weekend in the Clonmel Park Hotel.

### Rally

The Annual Rally will be held this year in the Clonmel Park Hotel next weekend from Friday 26th to Monday 29th of October. A full weekend of activities and entertainment is planned. A great time is assured. The rally is almost on our doorstep this year so hopefully a good crowd will attend.

### Table Quiz

We are holding a table quiz on the 23rd November in the Central Bar, Cappoquin. Everyone get your reference books out and bring all your friends.

### Wedding Bells

Congratulations to our former member Eddie Byrnes on his recent marriage to Martha Leamy from Ballyduff. Long life and happiness to ye both.



# INFERTILITY

Many people who are planning on starting a family expect that becoming pregnant is the most natural thing in the world, but the fact is that around 1 in 7 couples in this country experience problems conceiving, and that number seems to be increasing.

One of the most common causes of infertility in women is hormone imbalance which prevents ovulation from occurring. This may be due to a problem with the reproductive hormones themselves, or it may be the result of another health problem such as thyroid disease or being very underweight or overweight.

In some cases infertility may be caused by the woman's immune system attacking her partner's sperm, or by insufficient circulation to the uterus which prevents a fertilised egg from implanting properly.

Another common cause of infertility is damage to the reproductive system by infections such as chlamydia, or chronic urinary tract infection. Other factors which can reduce fertility in both partners include stress, nutritional deficiency, exposure to chemicals such as pesticide residues, food additives, smoking, and excessive alcohol or caffeine consumption.

Many couples who have problems conceiving opt for in vitro fertilisation (IVF) treatment in which eggs are removed from the woman's body, fertilised in a laboratory, then introduced back into the uterus. For some people this treatment is very successful, but it is certainly not an easy or a guaranteed way to become pregnant.

The treatment itself consists of daily injections and endless blood tests. The first stage involves shutting down the reproductive system, which can have the same side effects as the menopause. This is followed by treatment to stimulate egg production which can cause fluid retention, nausea and vomiting. However most women who undergo IVF treatment would agree that the physical side effects are usually nothing compared to the emotional rollercoaster ride of anticipating the treatment, wondering if it has been successful, and all too often, the terrible disappointment of a failed attempt.

Each cycle of treatment costs thousands of Euros and carries only around a 25% chance of success. Of course IVF can only ensure that eggs are produced and fertilised. If the problem is due to poor health of the reproductive organs or failure to implant, IVF will have no effect whatsoever.

If you are trying for a baby naturally or considering IVF treatment, there are ways to boost your fertility and increase your chance of becoming pregnant.

Ensure your diet includes in plenty of organic fruit and vegetables, oily fish, nuts, and seeds such as pumpkin and linseeds. Nutritional deficiencies such as insufficient vitamin E, vitamin B complex, zinc and magnesium have been linked to infertility. It is therefore advisable to take a good quality multivitamin and mineral supplement which is specifically designed for women who are trying to conceive. These supplements also contain the recommended level of folic acid which is essential before and during early pregnancy to prevent spina bifida, and low levels of vitamin A which can be damaging in early pregnancy.

Use household cleaning products such as Ecover which don't contain harmful chemicals. Avoid non-organic food and any food which contains additives. Stop smoking, and limit your consumption of alcohol and caffeine.

If you are experiencing problems conceiving, a medical herbalist can assess the causes of infertility and provide an individually tailored blend of herbs and detailed nutritional advice. For example, herbs such as agnus castus and false unicorn root help to regulate hormones, and others such as raspberry leaf help to ensure the reproductive organs are healthy. Immunological rejection of sperm can be corrected with herbs such as Echinacea, and circulatory stimulants such as yarrow and ginger ensure a healthy blood supply to the uterus. Herbal medicine can also help with the stress which is associated with infertility.

Herbal medicine can be used alone or in combination with IVF treatment to increase the chance of success. Herbal medicine can also be combined with other therapies which help to increase fertility such as acupuncture. Here at The Lismore Clinic we have treated many women who went on to become pregnant and give birth to healthy children after experiencing problems such as polycystic ovaries, unexplained infertility, repeated failure of IVF and recurrent miscarriage.

*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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# CO. WATERFORD COMMUNITY FORUM



**Included in the photo are members of the Executive Committee: Back Row (left to right): Michael Walsh (Treasurer), Micheál Murrinan, Enda Flynn, Catherine Power (Waterford Area Partnership), Donal O' Brien, Tom Hickey, Ned Ryan, James Murray, Chris O'Leary (Cork Volunteer Centre), Gabriel Foley, Ray Murphy, Michael Collivet; front row: Niall O' Brien (Secretary), Sinead O' Neill (Coordinator), Oliver Coffey (Chairperson), Anna Long (Vice Chair), Geraldine Veale.**

## Annual General Meeting

At its recent AGM, the Executive and member groups of County Waterford Community Forum received a summary of Forum business in the year 2006-2007.

At the 2006 AGM, Rena Cody (Waterford Co. Development Board) undertook a brief consultation on volunteering and active citizenship, as part of the nationwide consultation on 'Active Citizenship'. Feedback from this session was sent back to the Task Force on Active Citizenship for inclusion in the Report of the Task Force on Active Citizenship which was released in March this year. For more information contact: (01) 619 4332 or visit [www.activecitizen.ie](http://www.activecitizen.ie).

At our AGM this year, a consultation was undertaken on the needs of volunteers in County Waterford and a proposal to submit a joint city, county submission to the Department of Community Rural & Gaeltacht

Affairs for funding for a volunteer centre/initiative. Chris O' Leary, voluntary board member with Volunteer Centres Ireland and Coordinator of Cork Volunteer Centre, gave a presentation on the work being undertaken with volunteers in Cork city and county. A questions and answers session and a lengthy discussion followed. It was agreed that a city, county proposal be submitted to the Dept. but that further consultation is necessary if the application is successful.

The best of luck to the officers in place for 2007, in continuing to drive the valuable work of the Community Forum.

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# MODELIGO NOTES

## DECKIES DARTS

The annual Mary Walsh Memorial Darts Tournament took place on Saturday night last. Once again, the locals came along in large numbers to support and play in this prestigious competition. The Walsh family and Deckie's Darts competition would like to thank sincerely all those who participated, as a memorial to the late Mary, a fine darts player herself. At the end of a marathon nights 'spear throwing,' Mary's sister, Michelle presented the trophy to this year's doubles winners, Dave Bos and Kenneth Murray, who were 3-2 final winners over runners up Jim Barron and Declan Flynn. Tom O'Brien, Shane Reddy and Patrick Dalton were semi finalists, 32 participants took to the oki, and Siobhan and the Walsh family ensured that no-one went home hungry!

## WILD MUSHROOMS

The heat and humid weather of late, have combined to bring our thousands of wild mushrooms over the area during the last few days. They used to be greeted with great excitement by young and old alike, who used to fry them for a minute or two or boil them with milk and pepper, a rural delicacy in times when there was little variety in the staple diet. Nutritionists have found that wild mushrooms contain

antioxidants, which help to break down the toxins in our systems.

## CRANNCUR AITIUL

The mini lotto is currently being hosted by the Parish council, last weeks ticket sales exceeded 480, congratulations to all those involved in the selling, we're confident that this great effort will continue. Uimhreacha na seachtaine: 10-15-21, no jackpot winners. 4x€25 prizes: Nick Costin, Clashmore; Liam Curran, Decies Bar, Clashmore; Madge Foley, Graiguemore and Joan Nugent, Mt Castle. Next weeks jackpot is €1,500.

## HARVESTING

The maize harvest is getting into full swing in the locality, great to hear reports of successful crops after a dodgy summer. All of us regular road users need to take extra care over the next few weeks as harvesting machines will be entering and exiting fields. Also regarding haulage trailers, we need to be patient and not to attempt overtaking, unless it's totally safe to do so.

## HALL COMMITTEE MEETING

Notices have been posted regarding the next committee meeting (Monday October 22nd at 8.30pm). Copies of the committee constitution are now available, it's important that all affiliated groups become familiar with its contents.

# Different Types of Life Assurance for Mortgages Explained

## MORTGAGE PROTECTION

Mortgage Protection is also known as decreasing Term Assurance. This is a requirement of your mortgage. It's a policy, which will repay the outstanding balance of your mortgage in the event of your death. The cover will start at your mortgage amount and decrease over the term as you repay the principal.

## MORTGAGE PROTECTION WITH SPECIFIED SERIOUS ILLNESS COVER

This is a similar type of policy to the above but a claim will be paid in the event of either your death or your suffering from one of the specified serious illnesses, e.g. Heart Attack, Cancer, Stroke, Kidney Failure and others from a list issued by the insurer.

## TERM ASSURANCE

This type of policy will pay a fixed amount on death, irrespective of the amount outstanding at the time. In the event of a claim any excess over the outstanding mortgage balance will be paid to your estate, i.e. If you had a mortgage for €200,000 originally and you died with an outstanding balance on your mortgage of €180,000, €180,000 is paid to the lender to clear your mortgage and the additional €20,000 goes to your spouse.

## CONVERTIBLE TERM ASSURANCE

Same as Term Assurance above, but the policy also contains an option to continue your cover beyond the term, irrespective of your health at that time.

Both Term Assurance and Convertible Term Assurance are available with optional Specified Serious Illness cover.

## MORTGAGE REPAYMENT PROTECTION

Often confused with Mortgage Protection above due to their similar names. Mortgage Repayment protection is optional, and covers you for an agreed monthly amount (usually roughly equal to your monthly mortgage repayment). The amount is payable if you cannot work due to illness, accident or compulsory redundancy for longer than four weeks. (Redundancy cover only available to arms-length employees, not directors or self-employed.) The claim will be paid for a maximum of 12 months.

Specified serious illness cover is of value, but it's up to you to decide if it's an option you wish to pay the extra premium for, it is not mandatory for Mortgage purposes. However it certainly help towards huge medical expenses or help to clear your mortgage.

Emerald Financial offer expert advice relating to each individual situation. From our experience, many people have been paying huge monthly premiums for life assurance that can be significantly reduced.


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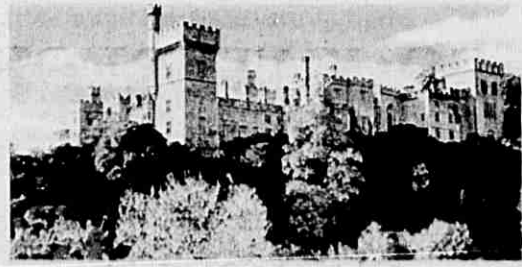
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# Lismore Notes



## C.L.G. LIOS MOR DAN SHANAHAN - 2007 HURLER OF THE YEAR

On Friday night last we all watched the 2007 Vodafone All Stars with bated breath for the announcement of the Hurler of the Year. To everyone's great delight our own clubman Dan Shanahan received this accolade. We would like to extend our heartfelt congratulations to Dan on this outstanding achievement. It is a fantastic honour for Dan himself, his family, the club and the whole area to get national recognition for his hurling talents. Dan has come through the ranks of hurling in Lismore from under age level to where he is today. On his way he has picked up titles at almost all grades and also at inter county level. Dan is one of the finest ambassadors in the GAA today and not alone that but one of the finest ambassadors of our club and town. He is very proud of his family and his Lismore roots and we of him. To Dan we say Congratulations on your All Star and Hurler of the Year Awards and hope that this continues for you! Congratulations also to Ken McGrath, Michael Walsh, Tony Browne and Stephen Molumphy on their All Star Awards.

**Senior Hurling Semi-Final**  
On Sunday afternoon our Senior Hurlers once again faced old rivals Ballygunner in the semi final stages of this year's championship. From the outset, we knew we had a tough challenge in front of us. The scoring opened with a free from Dave Bennett after 5 minutes followed soon after with a well taken goal opportunity from Sean "Growler" Daly. We had gotten off to a good start and hopefully luck would be on our side this year! Ballygunner were soon to claw their way back and we went in at half time with the score board reading Ballygunner 0-7 to Lismore's 1-3. Within minutes of the second half opening, Ballygunner found the back of the net, from here on they upped the ante. Luck was not on our side and with minutes to go to the final whistle we were 6 points down when Dan found the back of the net. Unfortunately that all elusive goal did not come our way and with a final point from the city side they ran out winners on a final score line of 1-14 to 2-06. Team Brendan Landers (Capt) Eoin Bennett, Shane Kearney, Anthony Whelan, Peter Howard, James O'Connor, William Cunningham, David O'Gorman, Kevin Power, David Howard, Dave Bennett, Dan Shanahan, Maurice Shanahan, Sean Daly and John Heneghan. Subs Michael Walsh for Maurice Shanahan, Paul Prendergast for John Heneghan, Shane Bennett for William Cunningham and Brendan Bennett for David O'Gorman.

A sincere thanks to all the lads who have put in a long year of training and effort. Thanks also to the Management and backroom team who were always there for help and advice and who have all freely given their time.

### Launch of Who Wants to be a Thousandaire

The Launch of our fundraising event - Who Wants to be a Thousandaire, took place on Wednesday night last in Lismore House Hotel. See elsewhere for full report. The "Thousandaire" itself will take place on Thursday 15th November in the hotel. All support for this venture will be greatly appreciated. Further details to follow!

**Committee Meeting**  
There will be a Committee Meeting on Tuesday night next (30th October) at 8.30 p.m. in the Community Centre. All committee members please note.

**Lotto**  
There was no winner of the E1100 jackpot in Monday night's draw. Next week's jackpot will be E1250. The winning numbers were 3, 20 and 25. The E15 winners were: Eily Hickey, Chapel Street, Keith Barry, Curraheen, Catherine Hickey, Chapel Street and Miley Flynn c/o Foley's.

**Sympathy**  
Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late Babe Tierney, New Street, Lismore.

### C.L.G na nOg Lios Mor/Baile na Saggairt Town and Country Under 11's Final Lismore vs Killeagh

Our under 11's team gave an outstanding performance last Saturday afternoon against Killeagh. The first half saw the

Lismore boys take a one point lead. Unfortunately that wasn't to last. Each and every member of the team gave their very best but Killeagh proved to be the stronger side on the day coming off victorious in the end. Hold your heads high lads you did a great job!! Thanks to all involved. The panel where: Sam Ryan, Conor Bennett, Mark Montayne, Aaron Whelan, Adam Flynn, David Prendergast, Anthony McGlone, Daniel O'Keeffe, Jack Houlihan, Stephen Mangan, Shane Bennett, Jack Roche, Jack Prendergast, Darragh Foley Liam O'Gorman, Conor Bennett and Finbarr Reaney.

### Under 16 Hurling

Our under 16's played at home to Abbeyside on Sunday morning in the first round of the western championship. Well done to a successful Lismore/Ballysaggart team consisting of Gavin Pratt, Ray Barry, Tom O'Brien, Michael Fitzgerald, Diarmuid Nugent, John Prendergast, Ian McGarry, Shane

Heaphy, Conor Tinnelly, Brian Bennett, Paudraig Prendergast, Brian Hennessy, Peter O'Keeffe, Stevie Barry, Kieran Bennett, Seanie Barry, Pat Hennessy, Paudie Coleman.

**Congratulations**  
Well done from all in the juvenile club to our five Waterford players who were named on the all star team during the past week and especially our own clubman Dan who also received Hurler of The Year award.

## LISMORE UNDERAGE SOCCER NOTES

Our U-12 and U-14 soccer teams travel to Valley Rangers (Conna) on Saturday. Cars leave the Primary School at 1.15 sharp. Anyone who has not paid their registrations of 20 euro should do so this weekend.

## LISMORE BUTCHER HONOURED



Pictured are, from left to right: Michael Whelan, Michael McGrath, Mary McGrath, John McGrath and Michael Kearney.

Lismore butcher Michael McGrath was amongst those commended by top Irish chefs for his outstanding contribution to Irish food, in the 2007 Euro-toques/Cavan Crystal Hotel Food Awards at the Westin Hotel Dublin.

McGrath Butchers, Main Street, Lismore, was hailed for his outstanding contribution at this year's awards ceremony.

A fourth generation butcher, he was recognised for maintaining traditional methods, and above all for retaining their on-premises abattoir and slaughtering their own cattle, as well as providing a slaughtering service for local farmers.

Michael McGrath's grandfather's family were butchers in Cappoquin. His grandfather came to Lismore in 1900 and set-up a butcher shop, in the exact spot where it remains today. Michael's son John, who now works in the shop, is the fourth generation on the premises. Michael himself started doing jobs

in the shop as a child, so has essentially been there for 50 years. He left school in 1965 and spent a few years on the family farm before starting work full-time in the shop in 1970.

Traditionally they would have been beef and lamb butchers and this is still very much their area of specialisation. The McGrath's buy in young cattle to fatten on their own farm and slaughter themselves. They also slaughter lamb. The abattoir behind the shop has been there from the beginning and is one of the very few around the country which survive today. A new slaughterhouse was built on the premises in 1992 to meet EU standards.

Michael McGrath has seen huge changes over the years. According to Michael; "the supermarkets altered everything, but luckily we stuck with it. We have old, loyal customers who never went away, never changed".

Michael is ably assisted by his

wife, Mary, along with his long serving "side-kicks" Michael Whelan and Michael Kearney, who between them have clocked up 56 years.

A nominating Euro-toques chef described Michael McGrath as a "brilliant traditional butcher, selling well-hung meat from his own farm and abattoir".

Meanwhile, Flahavan's Mills of Kilmacthomas, was recognised for maintaining high production standards in keeping with traditional methods and environmental concerns.

The awards are unique in that nominations are made by the Euro-toques members and winners are then carefully selected by the Euro-toques Food Committee, made up of chefs from all over the country. Therefore, these awards give producers recognition from the top industry chefs and cooks in the country.

## SPOOKY DAY AHEAD FOR LISMORE HERITAGE CENTRE

On Tuesday the 30th of October, Lismore Heritage Centre will hold a Halloween themed activity workshop. Catering for primary school children this one day event will run from 10am - 3pm.

During the day children will enjoy numerous activities ranging from story telling to making crafts.

So why not join us for our exciting day of spooky Halloween themed arts & crafts as well as plenty of seasonal fun & games during the mid-term. Come along & meet our ghoulish visitors as well as carve out your very own pumpkin.

Booking is essential. The cost is €15 per child. Special family rates will apply. Tel 058-54975 for further details.

## LISMORE FILM SOCIETY

Wednesday next week (October 31), Lismore Film Society presents the third film in its current season of great world movies. Dark Horse is a Danish comedy from last year about a young man spurning romance to help his friend and himself get through daily life in modern day Denmark. With 8 international film awards to its credit, and starring some great talent, this is a funny, interesting and offbeat look at life.

In the film we meet Daniel (Jacob Cedergren), a graffiti artist who sprays stylish love declarations on the wall. Not for his own love interests, but for others who want to surprise their girlfriends and pay him some under the counter money for it. In many ways Daniel is the working definition of the term loser. He has no money, no work, he's lazy and hasn't got a clue what going on around him ("How am I gonna be a father? I don't even know the name of the prime minister?"). He doesn't really care about anything and doesn't bother to pay the rent until he's kicked out. Above all, his social skills (more clumsy than impolite) leave a lot to be desired, but by sheer luck, charm and good looks he just about gets by.

The Hollywood Reporter called Dark Horse "a comedy about a Danish slacker who surprises himself by discovering responsibility. The second feature by French-born Icelandic director Dugar Kari doesn't follow a traditional plot, but rather proceeds in fits and starts through a series of comic vignettes and flights of whimsy."

Lismore Film Society shows films at Lismore Heritage centre, Lismore, with doors opening at 8PM. All are welcome. For further info, contact Ita Whelan on 087 293 2799.

## LISMORE PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

It's been a busy term for Storybox and we can hardly believe it's Halloween time already. So, Thursday 25th October is Halloween party time. Come dressed as your favourite scary creature and bring a plate of your favourite snacks. Fun is guaranteed. Another date for your diary is our Christmas night out, Friday 2nd November at Crew's restaurant Dungarvan.

Lismore Parent and Toddler Group acts as a self-help and mutual support group for parents and carers of babies, toddlers and pre-schoolers in Lismore and surrounding areas. It provides an environment for babies, toddlers and pre-schoolers and Adults to play and interact with each other. We meet at the Community hall, Lismore, upstairs at 10.30 each Thursday and welcome new members. Queries to Caroline on 058 52824.

## LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

**Results** — Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st October, 18 Hole Stroke. 1st Marty McNamara (13) 63. 2nd Colin Paul (13) 64. 3rd Ted O'Leary (13) 66. CSS Sat & Sun 68.

**Fixtures** — Saturday 27th - Monday 29th Open 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Bernie Glavin. Timesheet 058-54026

**Lismore Ladies Golf Club**  
**Results** — Wed 17th Oct 18 Hole S/F Member Prize 1st Sheila Denny (21) - 35 pts. 2nd Connie Dowd (21) - 33 pts. Gross Shivie O'Meara (13) - 19 gross pts.

### ANNUAL CHARITY SHOP

#### In Aid of Senior Citizens Christmas Party

The Charity Shop will be held on Friday, 16th November from 9-5 pm and Sat. 17th from 9-12 noon at Eleanor Howard's Pottery Shop, Main St., Lismore. Items will include the following - household items in good condition, books, bric-a-brac, toys, games, flowers and nearly new clothes (adults and children). Any of the above items will be most welcome, but must be in good condition. Items may be handed in to the following committee members, Kathleen McNamara, Parks Rd.; Mary Cunningham, Parks Rd.; Teresa Hennessy, Deerpark; Mary McGrath, Main St.; Anne Pollard, Chapel St. Please support this deserving cause.

## Conor Fleming Opticians

### EYE CLINIC

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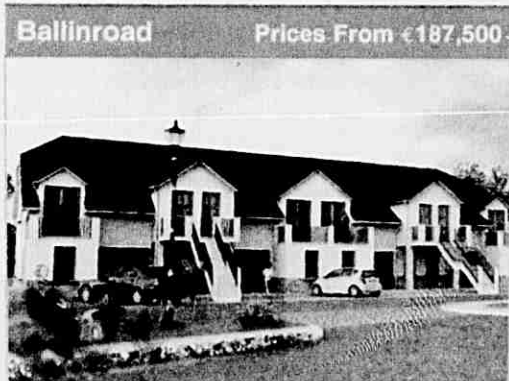
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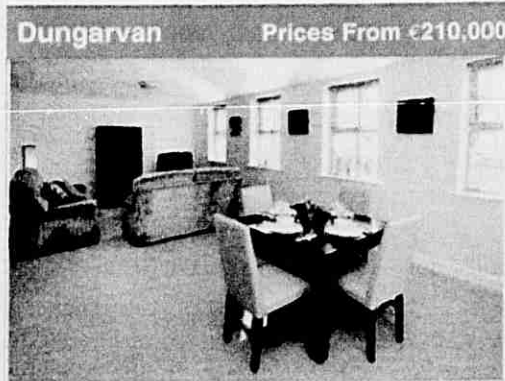


# Your First Step On The Property Ladder

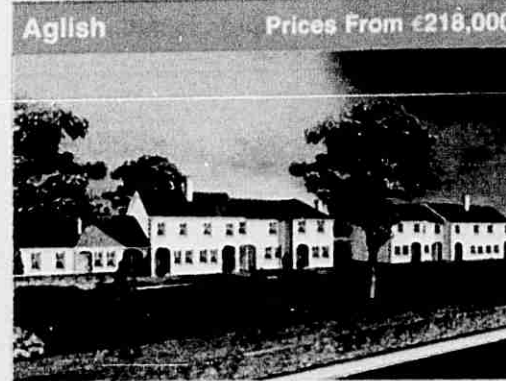
## NEW HOMES FOR UNDER €300,000



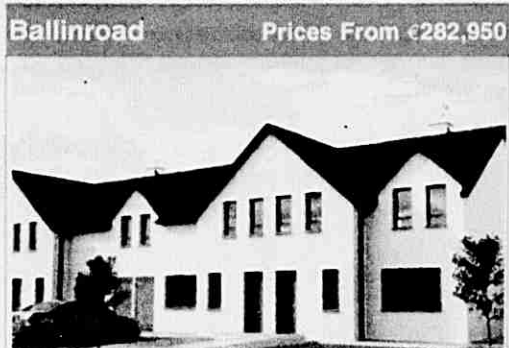
**Ballinroad** Prices From €187,500  
**Paic na mBlath Apartments** Private Treaty  
 These very spacious 2 bed ground floor and 1st floor apartments come with a top quality finish that includes timber flooring, fitted kitchen with appliances, tiling to bathrooms and plasma t.v. Ground floor: 102m<sup>2</sup> (1,092 sq. ft.) approx. First floor: 85m<sup>2</sup> (924 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Dungarvan** Prices From €210,000  
**The Bridge** Private Treaty  
 Superb 1 and 2 bed town centre apartments and penthouses boasting a luxury finish incl. ceramic tiling, fitted kitchen and wardrobe, underground parking space and storage space. Lift access and landscaped amenity areas. 65 - 107m<sup>2</sup> (694 - 1,146 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Show Apartment open this Saturday from 2-4p.m. or any time by appointment.**



**Agligh** Prices From €216,000  
**Cul Rua** Private Treaty  
 Located in the heart of Agligh village, these 4 bed mid-terraced and end terraced houses and bungalows are finished to a very high standard and include fitted kitchen with appliances and fully tiled bathrooms. All homes have side access.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Ballinroad** Prices From €282,950  
**An Rosan** Private Treaty  
 Just three 4 bed semi detached homes remain in this exclusive, prestigious development in Ballinroad, located a short drive from Dungarvan town centre, Clonea beach and a choice of golf courses. A superb finish is guaranteed. 130m<sup>2</sup> (1,400 sq. ft.) approx.  
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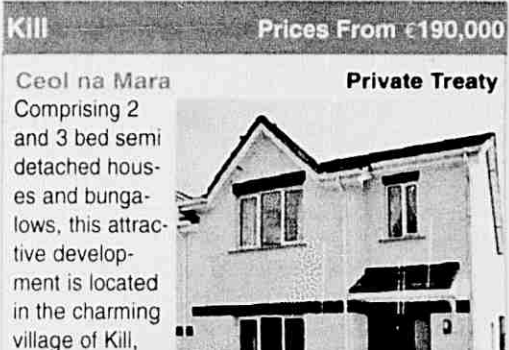
**Instead of paying rent you could own your first home for an extra €322 per couple or €160.79 each**

Purchase Price: €250,000	Rent: €780 per month
Monthly repayment before interest relief €1,246	Rental Cost €780 per month
Less Interest Relief: first time buyer, joint purchasers €204	Less Rent Relief of €60 per month
<b>Net Monthly Cost to you €1,042</b>	<b>Net Cost to you €720 per month</b>

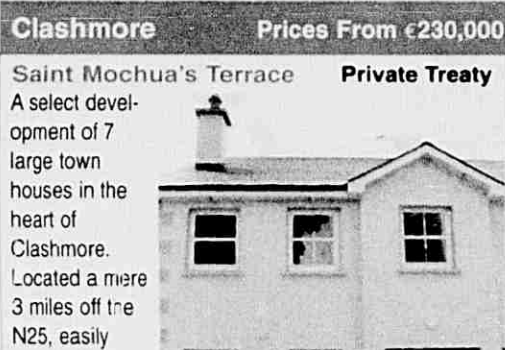
Note: First Time Buyer Interest Relief

- 100% Mortgage, over 35 years
- First Active Tracker Rate of 4.9%
- Joint Purchasers
- Interest relief can be claimed at the highest Level for the first 7 years
- Relief is granted at 20%

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**Kill** Prices From €190,000  
**Ceol na Mara** Private Treaty  
 Comprising 2 and 3 bed semi detached houses and bungalows, this attractive development is located in the charming village of Kill, just 5km from Bunmahon beach, 12km from Waterford City and 15km from Dungarvan. Ideal location for commuters. 54 - 88m<sup>2</sup> (585 - 944 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Clashmore** Prices From €230,000  
**Saint Mochua's Terrace** Private Treaty  
 A select development of 7 large town houses in the heart of Clashmore. Located a mere 3 miles off the N25, easily accessible from Dungarvan or Youghal, this is the perfect location to settle. Generous accomm. with off road parking and rear garden with side access from each property.  
**Show house open this Saturday from 2-4p.m. or any time by appointment.**



**Lismore** Prices From €234,500  
**Railway Gardens** Private Treaty  
 Located in the beautiful heritage town of Lismore, only a limited number of 3 and 4 bed semi detached homes remain in this prestigious development. Built to an exceptional standard, these homes offer a top quality finish in a wonderful setting. 106 - 125m<sup>2</sup> (1,140 - 1,341 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**

**Show Houses Open This Saturday October 27th from 2-4 p.m.**

**SAINT MOCHUA'S TERRACE, CLASHMORE**

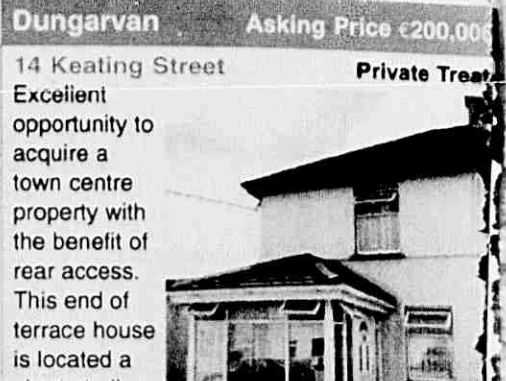
**THE BRIDGE, DUNGARVAN**

**Cappoquin** Prices From €279,000  
**Cuil na Circe** Private Treaty  
 Quality development of ten 3 bed semi detached houses eligible for Section 23 Type relief. Located in Cappoquin town centre.  
 • hall • lounge  
 • kit./dining  
 • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath  
 • 107m<sup>2</sup> (1,152 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**

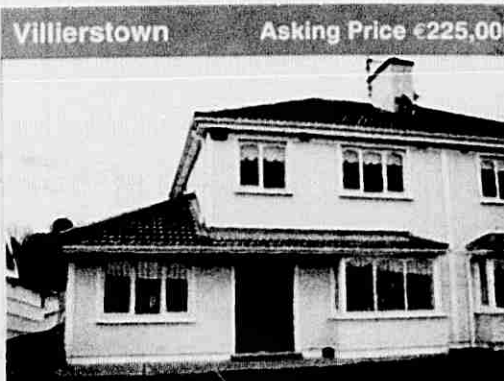
**Kilmacthomas** Prices From €220,000  
**Fairgreen** Private Treaty  
 Blending modern facilities with traditional style, this striking development of 14 one and two bed Section 23 type tax incentive apartments is located 16 miles from Waterford City and 13.5 miles from Dungarvan.  
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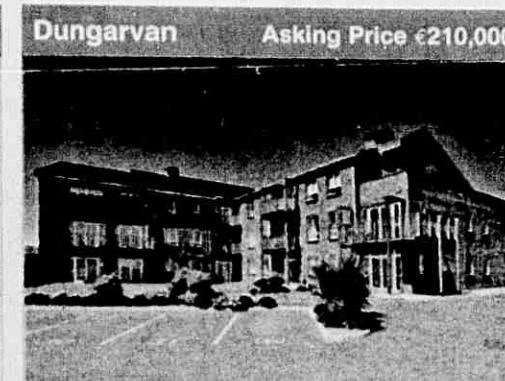
## SECOND HAND HOMES FOR UNDER €300,000



**Dungarvan** Asking Price €200,000  
**14 Keating Street** Private Treaty  
 Excellent opportunity to acquire a town centre property with the benefit of rear access. This end of terrace house is located a short stroll from all amenities including Dungarvan Shopping Centre. • porch • lounge • kit./dining • 3 beds • bath • w.c./shower • 84m<sup>2</sup> (900 sq. ft.) approx.  
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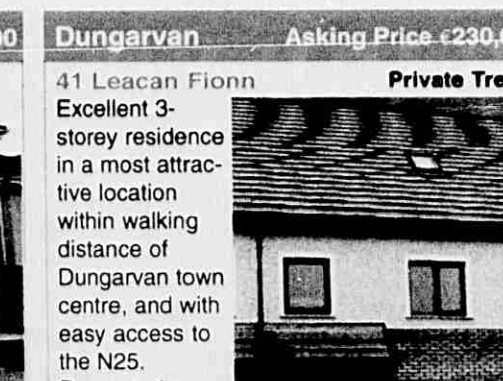
**Villierstown** Asking Price €225,000  
**21 Riverview** Private Treaty  
 Located in a quiet residential estate in pretty Villierstown, just a stone's throw from the river Blackwater, this semi-detached property would make an ideal starter home. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • w.c. • 4 beds (1 ens) • bath • 103m<sup>2</sup> (1,110 sq. ft.) approx.  
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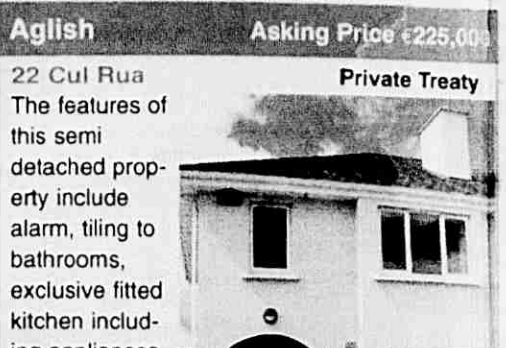
**Dungarvan** Asking Price €210,000  
**11 Blackrock Court** Private Treaty  
 Just a short stroll from Dungarvan town centre, this ground-floor apartment has large south-facing patio doors allowing plenty of light into the living space. Bedrooms are also bright and spacious. • hall • lounge/kitchen • 2 beds • bath • 69m<sup>2</sup> (740 sq. ft.) approx.  
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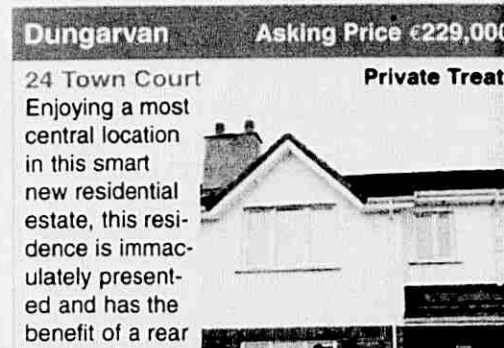
**Agligh** Asking Price €250,000  
**19 Cul Rua** Private Treaty  
 The features of this newly built detached property include alarm, tiling to bathrooms, exclusive fitted kitchen incl. appliances, rear patio area and timber shed. • hall • lounge • living • kit./dining • utility • w.c. • 4 beds (2 ens) • bath • 139m<sup>2</sup> (1,500 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Dungarvan** Asking Price €230,000  
**41 Leacan Fionn** Private Treaty  
 Excellent 3-storey residence in a most attractive location within walking distance of Dungarvan town centre, and with easy access to the N25. Decorated to a high standard. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • util. • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 111m<sup>2</sup> (1,200 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Agligh** Asking Price €225,000  
**22 Cul Rua** Private Treaty  
 The features of this semi detached property include alarm, tiling to bathrooms, exclusive fitted kitchen including appliances, rear patio area and timber shed. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • util. • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 103m<sup>2</sup> (1,112 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Dungarvan** Asking Price €229,000  
**24 Town Court** Private Treaty  
 Enjoying a most central location in this smart new residential estate, this residence is immaculately presented and has the benefit of a rear garden. Ideal starter home or investment property. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 84m<sup>2</sup> (900 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**

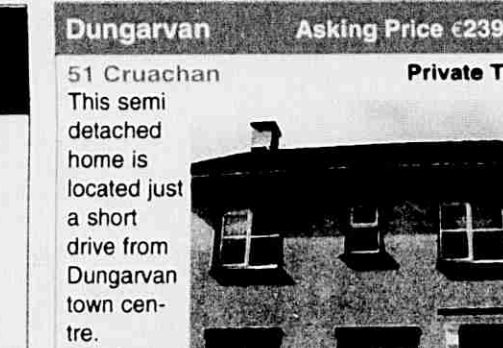
**Instead of paying rent you could own your first home for an extra €193 per couple or €96.63 each**

Purchase Price: €200,000	Rent: €700 per month
Monthly repayment before interest relief €997	Rental Cost €700 per month
Less Interest Relief: first time buyer, joint purchasers €163	Less Rent Relief of €60 per month
<b>Net Monthly Cost to you €833</b>	<b>Net Cost to you €640 per month</b>

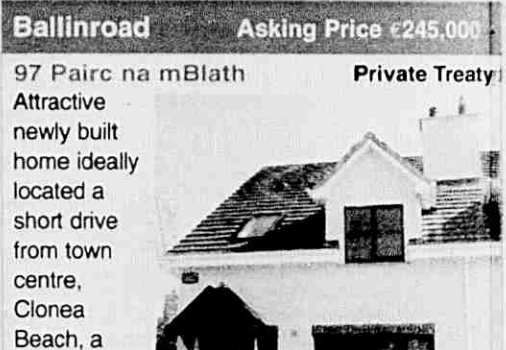
Note: First Time Buyer Interest Relief

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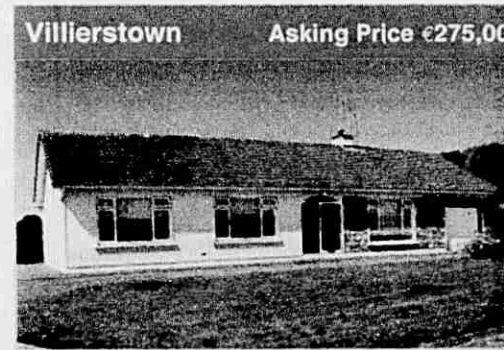
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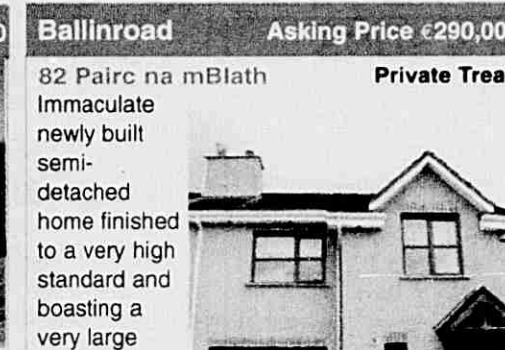
**Dungarvan** Asking Price €239,000  
**51 Cruachan** Private Treaty  
 This semi detached home is located just a short drive from Dungarvan town centre. Offering bright, spacious living areas and generous accomm. Rear garden with side access. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 93m<sup>2</sup> (1,000 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Ballinroad** Asking Price €245,000  
**97 Paic na mBlath** Private Treaty  
 Attractive newly built home ideally located a short drive from town centre, Clonea Beach, a choice of golf courses and leisure facilities. Features include fitted kit., fully tiled bathrooms and extra large rear garden. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 96m<sup>2</sup> (1,035 sq. ft.) approx.  
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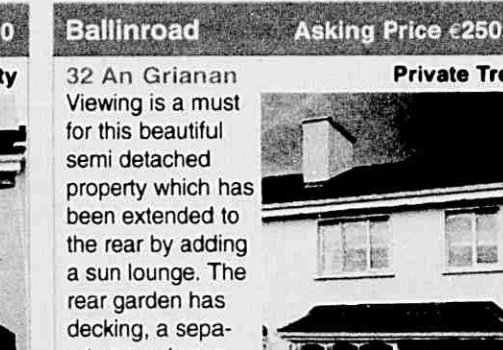
**Villierstown** Asking Price €275,000  
**Ballingown** Private Treaty  
 Located just outside pretty Villierstown, this charming, well appointed detached bungalow with garage has wonderful views of the Blackwater river to the rear. Excellent family home. • porch • hall • lounge • kitchen • dining rm • 3 beds • bath • 102m<sup>2</sup> (1,100 sq. ft.) approx. • Garage: 25m<sup>2</sup> (274 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Ballinroad** Asking Price €290,000  
**82 Paic na mBlath** Private Treaty  
 Immaculate newly built semi-detached home finished to a very high standard and boasting a very large south-facing garden to the rear with decking and timber shed. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • util. • w.c. • 4 beds (1 ens) • bath • 115m<sup>2</sup> (1,250 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Agligh** Asking Price €200,000  
**41 Cul Rua** Private Treaty  
 Charming terraced property located in this new development in the heart of Agligh. High quality finish throughout. Includes fitted kitchen with appliances and garden shed. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • util. • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 102m<sup>2</sup> (1,104 sq. ft.) approx.  
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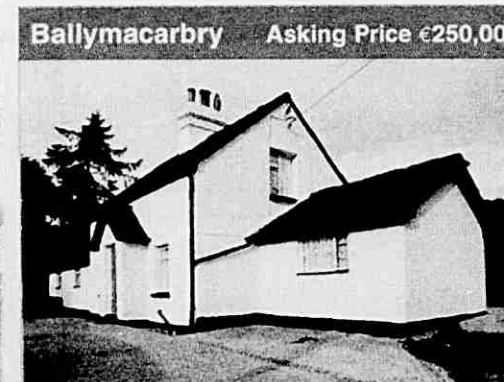
**Ballinroad** Asking Price €250,000  
**32 An Grianan** Private Treaty  
 Viewing is a must for this beautiful semi detached property which has been extended to the rear by adding a sun lounge. The rear garden has decking, a separate paved area and plumbed timber shed. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • sun lounge • w.c. • 3 beds (1 ens) • bath • 98m<sup>2</sup> (1,055 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**

**Visit Our Next First Time Buyer Evening**

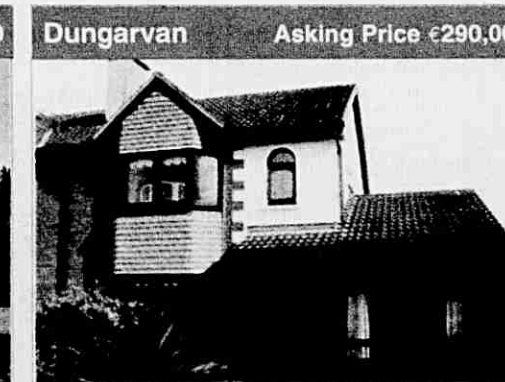
When?  
 Thursday 1st November at 6 p.m.

Where?  
 Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds,  
 22 Grattan Square, Dungarvan

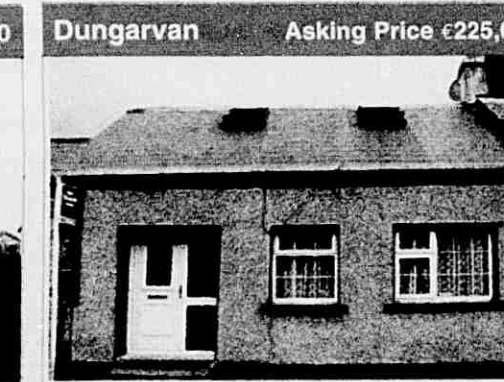
*And have all your questions answered*



**Ballymacarbry** Asking Price €250,000  
**Ormonde Cottage** Private Treaty  
 Exuding warmth and character, this cottage is full of old world charm without compromising on modern convenience. Fully refurbished, this rural retreat is a must for viewing. • lounge • kitchen • dining • utility room • 3 beds • bath • 93m<sup>2</sup> (1,000 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Dungarvan** Asking Price €290,000  
**15 Springmeadows** Private Treaty  
 Located in a mature development just off the N25, this semi-detached home has been lovingly maintained. Sunny rear garden with stone patio area, fencing, timber shed and side access. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • util. • 4 beds (2 ens) • bath • 111m<sup>2</sup> (1,200 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**



**Dungarvan** Asking Price €225,000  
**4 Stephen Street** Private Treaty  
 Deceptively spacious terraced town-centre home. Features incl. solid oak flooring, double glazed windows, sunny yard to rear with original stone wall, timber decking and timber shed. • hall • lounge • kit./dining • utility/lobby • w.c. • 3 beds • bath • 121m<sup>2</sup> (1,300 sq. ft.) approx.  
**Viewing strictly by appointment**

**Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds**

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# Tallow Notes

## BRIDEVIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

Another week of football has gone by and after the heartbreak of defeat to Thurles the A team recorded two fine victories in five days. The B team went down to the odd goal in three to table toppers Castlebridge. The lotto escaped yet again and surely it's only a matter of time before someone grabs that huge jackpot which would no doubt come in very handy for the Christmas which is only nine weeks away. Lotto Draw

Numbers drawn, 2 3 7 13. There were six winners of the match three draw and for the second week running one person was only one number away, so it is getting close. The match three winners who receive 20 euro each are Ian Martin, Bridie Martin, Billy Condon, Nuala Good, Claire Feeney, Tallow Hill and Deirdre McGrath. The draw next week will be in The Comer House at 10.30pm Friday and the jackpot will be 9,700 euro so remember to get your tickets at all local shops, pubs and restaurants.

### A Team Review

## Tony Bolger Cup Semi Final

### Brideview 1 Cappoquin 0

With two games in five days Brideview had to draw from their large squad to have fresh legs in the games especially coming off a tough encounter last Sunday. On Tuesday night Brideview got their first sight of Cappoquin this season and the youthful side put it up to the Tallow outfit. Brideview were vying for a place in the final of the Tony Bolger Cup for the second year running and were lively in the opening 15mins. Starting with Farmer in goal and a back four of O'Neill, Wallace, Pratt, B Henley, McCarthy, P Kearney, M Curley, and W Curley in midfield with Ryan and O'Brien up front. Thomas Ryan and William Curley came close to opening up the scoring for the home side but the away team also had their chances hitting the crossbar and another chance was spurned when Ian Farmer got down well to save. On 25min a Michael Curley effort just went wide and seven minutes later Paul Kearney blazed a shot over the bar. Just before half time Cappoquin hit the crossbar for the second time and the sides went in a half time scoreless. Ryan, Wallace and Curley made way for W Henley, Doyle and A Kearney two of those tactical and the other was for William Curley who picked up a nasty injury. Paul O'Brien had a great chance to put United in the lead and Mike Curley put a free kick just over the bar before the Cappoquin side hit the crossbar for the third time. Further efforts from Doyle in the 65min and Paul Kearney in the 70th and 71st failed to get on the score sheet and the supporters on the bank felt that the game was going to go to extra time. They certainly did not want that as it was getting chilly and the talk of Wispa Bars and Jaffa Cakes and a nice cup of tea wasn't helping either. But Ringo must have been listening because on 82min he

latched on to a Paul O'Brien header and he sent the ball to the back of the net picking up an injury along the way. United played the final 8mins with ten players and booked their place in the final for the second year running.

### Munster Junior Cup

#### Brideview 6 An Gaeltacht 4

Brideview fielded a slightly different team on the Saturday night with changes due to injuries to key players William Curley and Aidan Kearney with others missing through work commitments. Brideview started as follows Aherne, O'Neill, Wallace, B Henley, Pratt, McCarthy, P Kearney, Doyle, M Curley with W Henley and Ryan up front. In a pulsating opening 25mins minutes Brideview found themselves behind when a looping header found its way past Aherne but within 12mins United were in front following goals from William Henley who pounced after Paul Kearney had hit the crossbar and Henley turned provider when he set up Ryan who slotted the ball home. An Gaeltacht were back on level terms when a cruel bobble deceived Wallace in the United defence and it was 2-2. Thomas Ryan made it 3-2 minutes later it stayed that way until half time. The home side's attacks were frustrated with all the off sides they were being caught for but continued their relentless onslaught on the Ring goal. Early in the second half the same bobble caused the away side's keeper to miss a back pass and United had a two goal advantage thanks to their third OG this season. Ryan was on the prowl for his second hat-trick of the season and he shaved the post on 69mins but he didn't have to wait too long as a minute later he was put through by Hickey a second half substitute and he made no mistake. Grey and Landers came on for Doyle and McCarthy on 70mins and it was Landers who scored his second goal for Brideview another spectacular effort catching the keeper unawares to stick it in the back of the net when everyone on the pitch was expecting a cross. At this stage it was 6-2 with 12mins to go and as United stepped slightly off the pedal An Gaeltacht rallied with two quick fire goals to make it 6-4 and the home side were rattled and the Ring team looked to have the ascendancy but time wasn't on their side and United progressed into the next round where they will meet Carrick or Clashmore Ramblers.

### League Castlebridge Celtic 2 Brideview United B 1

The B team continued their recent good run with a narrow defeat to a Castlebridge side who are currently top of the table. This time last season the same opposition trounced the young Tallow side 8-1. As with the corresponding fixture last season United took the lead this time through Mark O'Brien but the homeside soon equalised and finally took the lead following a misjudged cross by the United keeper. All in all another good performance by all accounts. This

side has really improved in recent weeks and even though the league title is out of reach and the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup probably a step too far they surely will feel a tilt at winning the Liam Fitzgerald Cup isn't outside of their grasp.

### Goalscoring Charts All Competitors

A Team - Thomas Ryan 8, Paul O'Brien 7, William Curley, Aidan Kearney, William Henley all on 3. B Team Brian Donnelly 5, Clive Good 4, Kieran Geary 2.

### Fixtures

Friday 26th League Brideview Utd V Cappoquin 7.30pm.

Monday 29th League Glenview V Brideview Utd 2.30pm

### In Years Gone by

Having not met Cappoquin all season we now find ourselves up against them again and funnily enough twenty years ago to the day the sides met at Brideview Park in a 2.30pm KO in the League on the 17th of October 1987. Number one in the charts at the time were the Bee Gees with the aptly named "You Win Again" and on this day United did win again. It was October and this was United's fourth match of the season whereas the lads today have already played twelve so tales of yester year don't sound that great now do they???? After being turned over 4-3 by Killeagh the week before with Dermie, Taffy and Paul on target Brideview inflicted the same score line on Cappoquin. The

team was as follows in goal Tomas McCarthy, Liam Moroney, Pascal Pescod, Pat Sheehan and Martin Sutherland made up the defence. The midfield consisted of Ger Sice, Gerard Hogan, David Henley and Paul Curley. Up front Dermie Henley and Philly Curley with Michael Hogan as 12th man. As already said the score was 4-3 to Brideview. Now the records show the team and the score but one can only imagine how the game turned out. United had goals through David Henley with two and Dermie Henley the final goal for United coming from Pascal Pescod who no doubt had to come up from the defence to probably score with a header from a corner. Despite conceding three goals McCarthy in goal no doubt kept United in the game with Gerard Hogan marshalling the midfield with long searching passes always finding its target. Philly failed to find the onion bag on this day but over the campaign he scored 14 which was a low tally by his standards and equal top scorer this season was Dermie Henley. Over the campaign of 87/88 Brideview ended up playing 24 games winning ten, drawing five and losing nine scoring 52 whilst conceding 51. They failed to make an impact in the league and bowed out in the second round of the Bolger Cup in the aforementioned match against Killeagh with the highlight of the season being the winning of the Tyre Centre Cup against Piltown in a 3-1 victory.

## "AIDAN WALSH & SONS UNDERTAKERS, CAPPOQUIN" WILL BE TAKING OVER THE BUSINESS OF "DOYLE UNDERTAKERS, TALLOW"

As and from 1st November Aidan and Marie Walsh of "Aidan Walsh and Sons Undertakers" will be taking over the business of "Doyle Undertakers" here in Tallow.

On behalf of Angela, our family and myself I welcome Aidan and Marie and wish them well. I take this opportunity also to thank the many families who have entrusted the care of their loved ones to us over the years. We have at all times approached our business with the utmost care and respect and no doubt that same attention will be carried on by Aidan and Marie.

My sincere thanks to Rev. Fr. Michael Farrell, Parish Priest of Tallow for his help and cooperation at all times and to all involved in our church, not least our lovely parish choir who always made themselves available when requested. My thanks also to all the priests in surrounding parishes along with the sacristans and gravediggers.

I have particular fond memories of the help and support from our Sacristans in Tallow at various times, namely Kitty McCarthy, Ann Delaney, Benny O'Hara and Eddie Cunningham. They certainly lightened the load.

My gratitude also to the matron and staff at St. Carthage's Home, Lismore and to my fellow undertakers in Tallow and surrounding towns and a special word of thanks to the Sheehan family for their ever-present and continued assistance.

A gracious word of thanks also to Dr. Joe and Oonagh O'Keefe and where would I have been without the men on the ground Sean Burke, Dinny Cunningham, Milo Aherne and Joe Geary. My thanks to all.

For the foreseeable future I will continue as representative for Aidan and Marie here in Tallow and am available at all times if required. Aidan and Marie can be contacted directly at 058-52788 or 087-2847831 - Tom Doyle.

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

Tallow GAA Lotto - supported by Kearney's Restaurant.

8/10/07, Numbers Drawn: 1, 3, 15, 16. No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes to: Bid Crowley, Eamonn de Paor, Eugene Duffy, Johnny Curley. Promoter: Mary Buckley.

15/10/07, Numbers drawn: 12, 17, 18, 21. No jackpot winner.

Consolation prizes to: Catherine O'Brien, Peg O'Keefe, Cal Moroney, Peter Smith. Promoter: Martin Sheehan.

22/10/07, JACKPOT: €9700. Results next week.

### Minor County Final

Cois Bhride play St Marys on Monday 29th (Bank Holiday) in the Minor(B) Hurling Conuty Final in Walsh Park. Check elsewhere for time.

### Dublin City Marathon - Local Runners For Charity

Our best wishes to Bernie Geary, Con Ryan and Tomas McCarthy who are running the Dublin Marathon in aid of charity. Bernie and brother Con are running in Aid of the Childrens Leukameia Association, Mercy Hospital Cork and Tomas will be donating all sponsorship raised to the Chernobyl Childrens Trust. We urge you to support these worthy causes by sponsoring the runners or making a contribution at the accounts which have been opened at Tallow Credit Union.

Congratulations to Martin Murphy (Willowbrook) who completed the Amsterdam Marathon in 3.20. Martin was running in aid of the Chernobyl Childrens Trust.

### Awards

Congratulations to our All Star award winners and especially to Hurler of the Year, Dan Shanahan. I make no apology for always singing the Lismore mans praises. Natural ability alone, which he has in abundance, doesn't make you hurler of the year. Dan has worked hard to improve his game and is a wonderful example to all young hurlers. It's nearly time they named a street after him in Lismore. Dan Shanahan Boulevard has a nice ring to it.

Ringo didn't get the nod on this occasion but a Munster Championship, League title, All Star nomination and Munster panellist isn't bad for your first year at the top level. We congratulate Aidan and James Murray for a great year in service to club and county.

### Club Meeting

Our monthly committee meeting takes place this Thursday night @ 9 in the clubrooms at Paic Eamonn de Paor.

### Tyrone Visitors

The lads from Naomh Columille hurling club are regular visitors to us at this stage. Already this year they have sent their minor team to Tallow for an intensive week end of coaching and games. On this occasion they will be bringing a squad of 25 of their senior players to the Deise. They will be based in Dungarvan and will be travelling to Tallow for a game as well as coaching. Ned Power, John Fenton, Justin McCarthy and Denis Walsh are just some of the top coaches who have instructed the lads on their visits to Tallow over the years. Ned in particular has a long association with the lads from Tyrone where he is held in the highest esteem.

It seems to be paying dividends as the East Tyrone club had their most successful year ever this year winning the Tyrone Intermediate championship as well as the Ulster junior title. At under age level they won the Tyrone u16 championship and their minors were beaten finalists. Their minors are also in the league final. Their perseverance and dedication to the game of hurling would put many of us to shame.

We have a duty not alone to improve hurling in our own club but to help others where the game is not yet as well established. We look forward to renewing our close relationship with Cumann Baire Naomh Columille on the week end of 10th Nov.

### Deise Draw

A reminder to our Deise Draw supporters and promoters to have all returns with Donna Buckley or Liam Moroney in time for this months draw on Friday night

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## George Murphy Plays In Downeys Bar This Weekend

With a sound that is a cross between Luke Kelly and Brendan Keely, George Murphy has a maturity beyond his years that really comes through in his unique brand of music. Firmly placed within the old Irish music realm during his stint on "You're A Star" Murphy has now expanded his horizons with a new range of music.

At the moment he is putting the finishing touches to his new album working with two members of his old band THE BLACK DONNELLY'S, Dave Browne and Sparkey Hughes. The Album is back to folk/trad but has a new fresh sound using full band bass/drums electric guitar etc. It will also feature a few guests and the first single that should be out early next year is THE STREET OF NEW YORK with THE WOLFE TONES and a few more legends of Irish music to be named later.

It also includes a few originals that he has written along with Dave and Sparkey and is due out in March/April 08.

See George and his band in DOWNEYS BAR this Friday October 26th.

## Romeo agus Juliet in Ballyduff

Ballyduff does not do things in undramatic fashion.

Their last-gasp winner in last Saturday's County Semi-Final is a case in point. Another case in point will be Ballyduff Drama Group's production of Romeo and Juliet which takes place, coincidentally, on the same weekend as the County Final.

Sure enough, the language will be English, the treatment Shakespearean, the tale as dramatic as ever. But the music and dance cementing the show together will be traditional Irish — in a modern

fashion! And the town of Verona will have a real sense of Irishness about it. Because, is not this great tale absolutely transferable to today's mad world and to all the nations of the earth? It is indeed the greatest tale of young tragic love ever told. Romeo, the classic lover. Juliet, the classic loved. And their fates entwined in tragic destiny.

And built into it are bits of jealousy, corruption, power-seeking, misjudgement, weakness and horse-play. And the inability to cast aside ancient grudges. And humour! Phil McGrath as the lovable Nurse will see to that. And Courtney Canning and Killian Collins in the roles of Mercutio and Benvolio. These are the everyday village lads who tease and taunt. We know them well.

And there is youth in abundance. Sure there are old heads like Brendan Dunlea, Richie Walsh, Pat Sheehan, Ed Kelly and John Hurley. But this is about the tragedy of youthful innocence caused by ancient mistrust and given oxygen by those old heads. Brian Fenton from Fermoy and Martha Dunlea play the title roles. There are lead roles also for such as Jenny Fennessy, Philip Peet and Eoghan Geary. The performances will be dramatic. Rest assured, so will the staging.

This will be a mixture of Boyley House, Shakespeare and a County Final between two mutual foes played out in the amphitheatre of Verona. And with no hope of a victor. Merely all losers playing their game out to a fateful finale and all to the sinister beat of jig and bodhrán.

Performances run from Nov 2 - Nov 6 in St Michael's Hall, Ballyduff with booking on (058)60456 from Wednesday, 24th October.

## Modeligo Parent and Toddler Group

The group has been busy with regular meetings and plans for the upcoming weeks. A very enjoyable night-out was had a couple of weeks ago at the Indian restaurant, Dungarvan. Congratulations to Martina and AnnMarie on the recent birth of their daughters - Sarah and Daisy. Mark your diaries for one of the biggest events of the year Halloween Party on the 26th of this month, and plans are also underway for a Christmas night out. A visit to Kidshaven in Dungarvan is also in the books for November.

We meet at the Community hall, Modeligo at 10.30 each Friday and welcome new members.

## Modeligo Notes

### MINI LOTTO ROTA

The mini-lotto rota has recently been updated and extends as far as June '08. Please check your dates carefully, and if you're unable to be present on your designated night, please arrange to swap with someone else on the list.

### CONDOLENCES

We note with sadness the recent death of Peggy Whelan, Ballyduff, Dungarvan and we extend our sincere sympathies to her husband Johnny, to John, Brid and family, and to all her sons daughters and their extended families. The late Peggy, who was very much a family person, was laid to rest in Aglish cemetery following requiem Mass at St. Mary's, Dungarvan. Leaba i measc na Naomh go raibh aici.

Heartfelt condolences are offered to Peg (wife), to Paddy and Dierdre (son and Daughter-in-law), to daughters Martina, Phil, Suzanne and Niamh and their spouses, on the sad occasion of the death of Willie McGrath, Belleville, Cappoquin. The late Willie, whose capabilities as a builder were recognised over a wide area, was interred at Af-fane, following Requiem Mass at the local Church. Go dtuga Dia siorraí na bhFlaitheas dó

### COUNTY FINAL

The Junior footballers will be playing their eagerly-awaited County Final on Sunday November 11th at the Fraher Field. Looking forward to lots of support. Following the final, there'll be a meal at the Park Hotel, the cost is €20 per adult and €10 per child. Should you wish to join us, money is to be paid to Tom O'Byrne, or any Committee member, on/before November 4th.

### WEDDING BELLS

Heartiest congratulations to Micheál Power (Graigiemore) and Stradbally native Helen McCarthy, who were married at Modeligo Church on Sat. Oct 20th. Helen's bridesmaid was Shauna McCarthy-Power, whilst Patricia Walsh was the Matron of Honour. James and Eamonn Power were Micheál's Bestman and Groomsman respectively, and the celebrant for the happy occasion was Fr.G.O'Connor, C.C. Following the nuptial blessing, Micheál and Helen staged a reception for family and friends at the Park Hotel.

### LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn for Oct 20th: 5-24-25, no winner. 4X€25 prizes: Cait Hickey, Clashmore; Noel Killian, An tSraid Bhaile; Maryellen O'Brien, Graiguebeg and Kim Newham, Newtown. Next weeks jackpot: €1,700.

## Halifax In Dungarvan Launches New Child Saver Account

Halifax, located on 1-3 O'Connell Street, Grattan Square, Dungarvan has today introduced a new regular saver account aimed at parents or those wishing to save for a child's future. The Halifax Child Saver Account is the first product of its kind in Ireland that is specifically aimed at adults saving for children.

Independent research carried out by Halifax in Ireland found that four out of ten (44%) Irish parents are saving regularly for their child's future, saving on average €114 each month. The research also found that exactly half of all parents surveyed saved some of their Child Benefit, with two out of five (39%) of those saving all of it. Currently the Child Benefit for the first two children is €160 per child; for the third child and subsequent children it is €195. By using the new Halifax Child Saver Account, parents who put aside all their Child Benefit can save around €10,400 over a five year period and over €22,000 within a ten year period per child. A typical college education costs approximately €30,000 per child so parents who plan ahead using the Halifax Child Saver Account to save their Child Benefit can manage the fees without any additional financial burden. Irish parents clearly see that saving for their child's future is important and the Halifax Child Saver is designed to meet that need.

The key features of the Child Saver Account designed to encourage parents to save regularly are:

- Market leading 7.25% AER for Child Saver Account
- Attractive 3% AER on accumulated savings in Acorn Account
- An initial deposit between €10 and €200
- Monthly lodgements between €10 and €200

Commenting on the launch of the Child Saver Account, Niamh Lambe, Head of Products at Halifax, said "Halifax has carried out extensive research into this market which has given us a strong understanding of the needs of parents. Saving for the future is important, but saving for the future of our children is critical. Our understanding has led to the development of the Halifax Child Saver Account which will give parents a real means of planning for their child's future. The Halifax Child Saver Account is an essential addition to our suite of innovative, market leading savings products."

For further information on the Halifax Child Saver Account, please contact your nearest branch, details of which can be found on www.halifax.ie.

Branch opening hours are Monday - Friday 9-5pm and Saturday 9-12pm.

## Notáí na Gaeltachta

### CUMANN STAIR AGUS OIHDREACHTA GAELTACHT NA NDÉISE

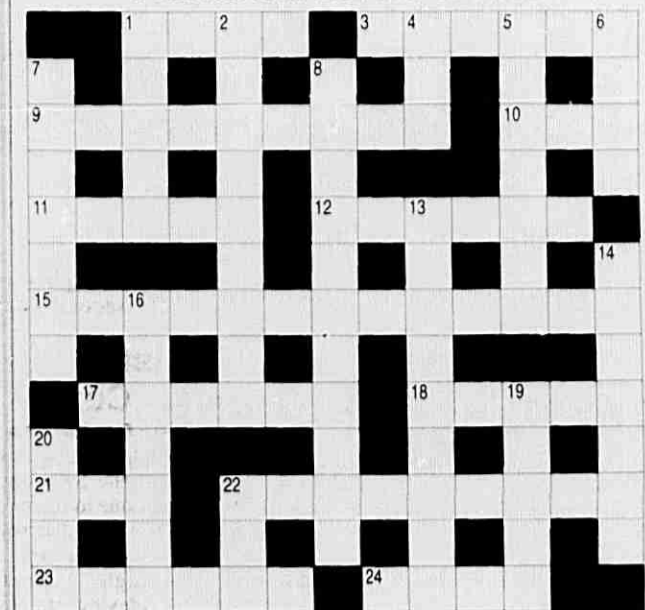
Beidh cruinniú in Halla Phobail na Rinne Deardaoin 25 Deireadh Fomhar ag 8pm. Fáilte roimh Cách.

The next meeting of Cumann Stair agus Oidhreachta Gaeltacht na nDéise will be held in Halla Phobail na Rinne, on Thursday 25th of October at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

Bigí Linn.

## Leader Crossword

SOLUTIONS AT BOTTOM OF PAGE



### ACROSS

- 1 A mechanical device for clutching and lifting (4)
- 3 One who shoots at individuals from a hiding place (6)
- 9 A person who formally declines to vote (9)
- 10 \_Magnon, term denoting an early modern human (3)
- 11 Go to work on \_ , advertising slogan dating back to 1957 (2,3)
- 12 Recurring periodically (6)
- 15 French couturier who rose to prominence after the austerity of World War II (9,4)
- 17 Not having been damaged or impaired (6)
- 18 Old gold coin of England worth a third of a pound (5)
- 21 Hard water (3)
- 22 Eggs of an amphibian set in a transparent jelly (9)
- 23 Spanish provincial capital where Picasso was born (6)
- 24 Surname of a member of the Monty Python team (4)

### DOWN

- 1 Beau \_ , adventure novel by P. C. Wren (5)
- 2 In medicine, the process of relieving pain (9)
- 4 One of the negative words (3)
- 5 Giacomo Antonio Domenico Michele Secondo Maria \_ , composer (7)
- 6 Something or someone considered to be wildly amusing (4)
- 7 The amount of money held in an account (7)
- 8 The record carved on a monument (11)
- 13 Officially declared to be a saint (9)
- 14 Anagram of SALERNO (7)
- 16 Anagram of SALERNO (7)
- 19 An American Indian warrior (5)
- 20 A very thin layer covering a surface (4)
- 22 Cloudiness obscuring a photographic image (3)

## Health Tips from "Remedies"

### SAW PALMETTO

Saw Palmetto is considered by herbalists to be the prime remedy for prostate problems. Sabal serrulata or Serenoa repens is a small palm with fan-shaped leaves. The fruits are dark red and used medicinally.

**USES:** Enlarged prostate, Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy.

**HOW IT WORKS:** The condition of an enlarged prostate is commonly found in men over the age of 50. This enlargement is the result of the cells in the prostate becoming more sensitive to circulating hormonal levels in the body. Cells of the prostate enlarge, which in turn cause the whole gland to increase in size.

Saw Palmetto inhibits enzymes at the level of the prostate cells, reducing the action of hormones. This is a local effect, confined to the prostate gland.

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## Leader Crossword

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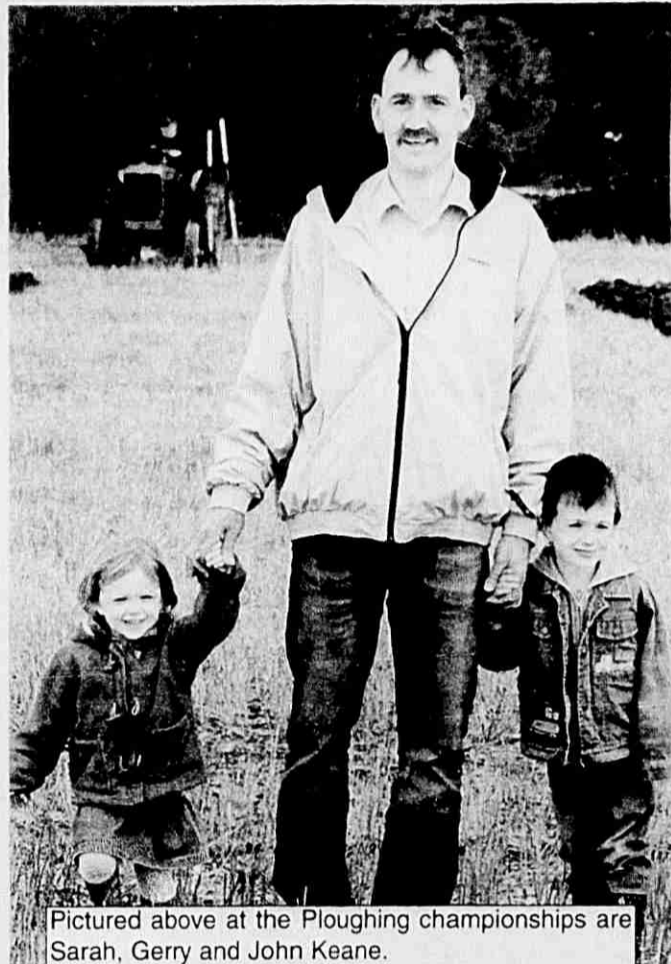
- Across** — 1 Grab, 3 Sniper, 9 Abstainer, 10 Cro, 11 An egg, 12 Cyclic, 15 Christian Dior, 17 Intact, 18 Noble, 21 Ice, 22 Frogspawn, 23 Malaga, 24 Idle.
- Down** — 1 Geste, 2 Analgesia, 4 Nor, 5 Puccini, 6 Riot, 7 Balance, 8 Inscription, 13 Canonised, 14 OriÉans, 16 Ronseal, 19 Brave, 20 Film, 22 Fog.



# WEST WATERFORD NOTES



Pictured above is Helen Hynes with her family, the winner of the Farmerette Class in the Ploughing championships.



Pictured above at the Ploughing championships are Sarah, Gerry and John Keane.

### Clashmore 45 Drive

Joint winners of Clashmore 45 drive in Clashmore on Monday night last at the Decies Bar were Aine Curran and John Motherway, Tomas Allen and Noel Nugent on nine games each. In third place on seven games were Anne and Edmond Ledingham. The winners of our best of the last five were Mary and Ger O'Donovan and the following were our last game prize winners Kathleen Osborne and Eileen Dower, Bernard Moloney and Billy Allen, Mary Dower and Jack Douris. Well done to all our winners and thanks to everyone for their continued support.

Now winter time is upon us again, players please note from next Monday night we will commence the 45 drive at 9.00pm sharp. Players are asked to be in their seats at 8.45pm, this rule will be strictly enforced and there will be no exceptions!

### Clashmore - Kinsalebeg GAA Club Lotto - Jackpot €8050

Once again we had no match four winner of our lotto draw when it took place on Monday night last. The numbers out were 8, 15, 26, 27. Our next draw will take place at the Decies Bar on Monday night and our Jackpot then will be €8050. If you want to be in with a chance to win this fantastic prize be

sure to get your ticket in.

Well done to last Monday nights lucky winners of €20 each; Sean Coughlan, Aglish; Catherine Mansfield Kinsalebeg; P J Burke, Clashmore; Kieran Connery, Clashmore; Bernie Fitzgerald, Clashmore.

Our thanks to everyone for their continued support

### Get well wishes

We have numerous requests for popular CRY presenter Eddie Moloney. Eddie is out of commission at the moment due to a hand injury, get well soon Eddie.

### 2007 Social and Reunion

All roads lead to the Park Hotel Dungarvan on Friday night November 2nd for the 2007 Clashmore Social and School reunion. The social which is being organised in aid of the Clashmore School Building Fund promises to be a real fun night with lots of good music song and dance, food and novelty events. Tickets are now on sale at a cost of €35 each and are available from any member of the parents association or by phone from [087] 1904593.

We also wish to appeal to anyone out there that may have any old photographs, paper cuttings or memorabilia which we could use on the night, if so we would love to hear from you.

### Ole Mill Poker Classic

Well done to Tessie Mansfield

this week's top prize winner at the Ole Mill Poker Classic. In second place we had Catherine Mansfield and Kitty Kelly was third. Poker again tonight starting at 9.30pm.

### Happy Birthday Sean

Congratulations to Sean Allen who is celebrating his 50th Birthday this week. Sean will be joined by family and friends at The Ole Mill on Sunday afternoon for a special birthday celebration. Birthday greetings to you Sean from Kieran, Suzanne, Jason and all your family and friends.

### Welcome home

This bank holiday weekend we welcome home from the USA, Paul, Aidan and Liam Foley, hope you have a very enjoyable reunion with your family here.

### Autumn Stations

Once again the autumn stations have commenced and during the coming weeks mass will be celebrated in homes throughout the parish. If it is your turn to have the stations or you would like to host the stations in your area please contact Fr O'Gorman.

### Hand Injury

Get well wishes to Christopher Joyce, Kilmaloo who is recovering from a hand injury. Get well soon Christopher from all your family and friends.

### Off the Air

For the moment at least popular local radio station CRY is off the air due to refurbishment of the League of the Cross hall which is home to the station. Thankfully this is only a temporary absence and we look forward to having you all back again in the spring. A special word of thanks to our own local presenters Mary Sheehan and Eddie Moloney who present popular shows and Decie News each week. Enjoy the rest and looking forward to having you back with us on 104 early in the new year. Meanwhile we will be glad to include all your requests on these local notes each

week, you can contact me at any of the following [087] 2076704 or [024] 92249.

### Clashmore Kinsalebeg Juvenile GAA

U 10 Football - On Wednesday evening 24th October, Clashmore play the Nire at home at 7.00 p.m. for the Richie Dee Trophy. Please come along, as it will probably be their last outing of the year.

### Under 11 Football Division Three

The semi finals and finals of this competition were held bright and early on Sunday morning last in Fraher Field. Many thanks to the very large numbers of parents who travelled to cheer on the lads and give them support. It all counted. In the semi final, against Kilmathomas, it was unfortunately, all one way traffic and Clashmore were ahead by a significant margin

at the final whistle. This was not to be the case when they lined out against Tramore in the final. After a very well contested first half, both sides had two points on the scoreboard, and the lads had to draw on all their reserves and skill in the second half. They managed to gain the upper hand with ten minutes to go and kept it to the end. They scored a total of 8 points against Tramores 1 - 3. David Mc Grath, Captain, accepted the trophy on behalf of all his team mates and thanked everyone involved with the team over the past number of weeks. A great win and a great achievement to bring home a County Medal. There was some excellent football on display and they showed great skill in finding the loose man to pass the ball to, taking their chances when they came, and never losing sight of their objective. Well done to all the mentors, trainers and especially the players, some of whom were very young.

U 14 Football County Final - No date has yet been set aside for this clash but we should have news in the next few days. It looks like

our opponents will be De La Salle, who had a convincing win over Roanmore at the week end.

U 16 Hurling - Western Championship Knockout Competition. - The team stayed true to form when taking on Cappoquin on Sunday morning last. Playing some really good hurling, they had a good win over Cappoquin and were lucky to gain a by into the next round. They play the winners of the Dungarvan / Lismore encounter on 4th November next. Full details next week. It was great to see Sean Daly back in action again after a long absence due to injury.

Indoor Hurling - This is continuing on Friday evening. The beginners are on from 7.00 - 8.00 while the Under 9s will be in action from 8.00 - 9.00, from this Friday onwards. Please come along, so that the young boys and girls can continue their training while outside activities have been suspended for the winter season. Thanks also, to all the parents who have volunteered to help out. It makes everything so much easier, when there are plenty of people to help.



Pictured above are Jack O'Riordan and John Hynes Clashmore, enjoying the Ploughing championships.



Jim McGrath presents Anthony Power with the Seamie McGrath Memorial Cup. Also pictured are Jim's wife Marie and Anthony's coach Richie Ormond.



Liam Ryan, Jim and Marie McGrath, Michael O'Connell and Helena Hynes pictured at the Clashmore Ploughing Prize presentation at the Decies Bar on Sunday night.



# Horoscopes with Ali

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

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



## ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

A friend's recommendations may prove useful but at the end of the day, you know what is best for you. The purpose of life is simply to count, to matter, to have it make some difference that you lived at all. How can you do that most? Through love. Love yourself and others and make your personal life your priority. Life is short and no-one lives forever. ☎ 1550-920-257

## TAURUS April 21 to May 21

You may have some dealings this week with someone who is a bit manipulative or indirect. Partners will be making decisions involving the use of joint assets. It is time to be more assertive with those who push their luck. Guard against evening extravagance and morning regret. Emotionally, let the past go. Holding post-mortems won't serve any purpose. ☎ 1550-920-258

## GEMINI May 22 to June 21

You have an intuitive hunch about an investment that is worth following. Details may need extra watching at work. This is no time to be lax. You are making plans to visit friends who live afar or maybe they are coming to you! The world really is a small place. In love, think twice before you take a strong stance. ☎ 1550-920-259

## CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

Don't be taken advantage of by your boss or colleagues. Draw the line and let others know your limits. You have a tendency to take on too much and need to learn to say "no". Social interests are happily accented. Join friends for a fun evening but don't overdo it. You have a tendency to burn that candle at both ends. Romance is well starred. ☎ 1550-920-260

## LEO July 23 to Aug 22

It should be a blissful week where matters of the heart are concerned. Couples will be happily making plans for the future. Singles will meet with romantic opportunities if they are open to them. Recognise that laziness and obstinacy are descriptions of your shadow side and make effort to counter them. This is no time for shirking responsibility. ☎ 1550-920-261

## VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

Send out resumes, meet with prospective clients and schedule job interviews during this week when career interests are highlighted in a most fortunate way. Aim high and take care not to sell yourself short. Be more willing to listen and to consider other schools of thought. Sometimes you can be a bit set in your ways. Home life is happy. ☎ 1550-920-262

## LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

You feel you are getting ahead, and you are! Through your own initiative you will open important doorways to success. Don't hesitate to make those important phone calls. This is a week of contacts and connections. You may be putting something off but that special someone won't wait forever. In love, take the initiative. Actions speak louder than words. ☎ 1550-920-263

## SCORPIO Oct 24 to Nov 21

You are in a tangle of emotions as you look back over your past with some regret but the time has come to cast aside feelings, situations and people you have outgrown. This week may see the beginning of a new romance or an old connection may be invested with new life. Seek wise counsel for out-of-control money matters. If you are in over your head, ask for assistance. ☎ 1550-920-264

## SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

You can breathe a sigh of relief as friends and family stop interfering in your life but don't shut them out completely. Try to share your time and talents. Your love life takes a turn for the better - relax and enjoy it. Dealing with property matters and settling disputes at home have been sapping your energy for some time. At last they will be successfully resolved. ☎ 1550-920-265

## CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

These are romantic times. A relationship that has been cooling off may spark up again. Declare this a week of intellectual pursuit. Involve yourself in something that will challenge your mental and creative abilities. A close friendship becomes far less difficult and demanding. Encourage the free flow of lively discourse. It is good to exchange ideas. ☎ 1550-920-266

## AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

You have become weary of handling other people's affairs but the emphasis is shifting and you will soon be moving in a new direction. Besides, your near and dear are beginning to learn how to stand on their own feet. Someone who seemed out of reach begins to show interest. Yet again, you get the opportunity to show that you can keep your head in a crisis. ☎ 1550-920-267

## PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

It is time to put your plans for a career change into action. Stop thinking and start doing! If you are nervous, remind yourself that you won't get anywhere unless you take the opportunities on offer. Sharing worries with a friend will bring reassurance. Momentous changes are on the cards but it is up to you to play the game. ☎ 1550-920-268

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## Investment in Bricks and Mortar – Where to from here?

### WEST WATERFORD & DUNGARVAN OFFERS SOME REAL OPPORTUNITIES

"Investment in Bricks and Mortar – Where to from here?" was the title of a presentation by Marian Finnegan, Chief Economist with Sherry FitzGerald Group last Wednesday afternoon in The Park Hotel. Marian spoke to local solicitors, accountants, bankers and developers at a lunchtime seminar, which was hosted by Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds.

"The past ten years have been a period of exceptional growth in the Irish residential property market" commented Marian Finnegan. "The boom period had its origins in a position of chronic undersupply during the early to mid-1990's. The natural effect was a dramatic and continued increase in values for residences of all sizes in almost every location".

However, in recent years the construction industry has responded to ongoing strong demand with an exceptional performance of its own. Some 86,000 new homes were completed throughout Ireland during 2005 and in 2006 a further 93,000 homes constructed. However, for 2007 we are anticipating a reduced supply of units being completed, somewhere in the region of 70,000 – 75,000. In effect, we are now reducing our supply output levels, which is exactly the right direction for this market.

Over the last 18 months we have experienced the upward movement in interest rates but this has now levelled off and we would anticipate that further immediate rate hikes are unlikely.

With rents rising, typically 10% in the first half of this year, and stabilised interest rates is now a good time to buy? Lets take an ex-

ample of a typical first time buyer couple. Tom and Anne are currently paying rent of €800 per month for their two-bedroom apartment in Dungarvan. They are claiming their tax relief of €60 per month leaving them with a net monthly cost of €740. If however they decide to purchase this two-bedroom apartment how much will their mortgage cost them? The asking price of the apartment is €220,000, they are first time buyers and have no stamp duty implications. As 100% mortgages are available they could purchase this property for a gross monthly cost of €1,096 per month (tracker rate of 4.9% with First Active, based on a 35 year mortgage). Tom and Anne would then enjoy a €180 in mortgage interest relief giving them a net monthly cost of €917. From this analysis it appears that Tom and Anne can own their own home for €177 extra a month, or an extra €88.30 each, making owner occupation a very attractive proposition for them and many first time buyers. If Tom and

Anne had some savings and were able to attain a 92% mortgage, their net contributions each month would be considerably reduced. If we look at future demand in the property market we have to take into consideration our population. Ireland has a uniquely young population. At present about 35% of our population is under the age of 25 and the projection is for this figure to be about 33% in 2020. These are the homebuyers of the future and we have a very good supply of them. This is real demand for property now and in the future – real demand means a strong and stable housing market for the future.



Marian Finnegan, Chief Economist with Sherry FitzGerald Group

David Reynolds, Managing Director of Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds commented "over the last number of months there have been lots of mixed opinions and speculation in the media about the property market in general and it struck me that we should take the opportunity to share our outlook on the market with local business people. All of our attendees have a strong interest in the property market and I have no doubt that following this seminar today they too will be optimistic about the future of the property market particularly here in Dungarvan and West Waterford where affordability levels are to be enjoyed".

## HALLOWEEN AT M J CURRAN HOMEVALUE

Did you know that Halloween is now the second most popular annual holiday after Christmas and M J Curran Homevalue at Kilrush Retail Park in Dungarvan has some great decorations to haunt your home for the big night.

The fun of Halloween lies in dressing up, but these days you can also dress up your home in the run up to October 31st. From cute and fun to downright spooky, M J Curran has a fantastic range of large and small outdoor and indoor Halloween accessories. Choose from witches, bats, skeletons, and lanterns that can be hung up or stand alone. This is your chance to embrace the cool autumnal evenings and warm up your home with the traditional orange colours of Halloween.

When you get ready to decorate for Halloween, it's a good idea to take a few minutes and decide what type of decorations you want and where you'll be placing them. Do you want cute and friendly decorations, such as smiling ghosts and friendly pumpkins? Or do you prefer frightening witches and sinister tombstones? You can even combine the two by creating themes in different areas of your home. At M J Curran Homevalue there is a great range of hanging decorations for your front door, but don't forget about adding Halloween touches inside your home too. Look for a Halloween decoration as a centre piece for your table, such as a haunted house or a Halloween-theme candle holder. Place a lighted Halloween decoration such as a decorative lighted ghost or pumpkin in the entryway or add a few Halloween decorations to your mantle piece or side table. Just like Christmas, Halloween decorations can be packed up and stored for next year so make sure to select quality items that are an investment for years to come.

M J Curran Homevalue, Kilrush Retail Park Dungarvan – open all day Monday to Saturday with plenty of convenient parking.





# KCK Athletic Club Notes

**MUNSTER INDIVIDUAL MEDALS FOR STEPHEN KEANE, RHUAIN MITCHELL, LAURA BEHAN AND NIAL BROWNE**  
Cappamore in Limerick was the venue for the opening round of the Cross Country Munster Championships. KCK had an excellent day, with athletes claiming a number of Munster medals.

**STEPHEN KEANE WINS SILVER**

The star performer on the day for the club came by the way of Stephen Keane when he finished 2nd in the boys U12 1000m. With close to 100 athletes at the start line, Stephen got a very good start and throughout the race was in contention. At the halfway point Stephen made a decisive move with the top three athletes who detached themselves from the chasing group. His strong finish over the final 200m ensured his place on the podium. This was without doubt one of Stephen's finest ever performances showing great battle and determination in securing his Munster medal. Stephen received his second medal of the day when Waterford finished 3rd in the inter-county section.

**RHUAIN MITCHELL FINISHES 6TH**

Rhuain Mitchell's got his first taste of Munster Cross Country running in the boys U14 1500m. Rhuain, who is just back at training after breaking his collarbone ran a super race. His fast early pace ensured a good position among the leaders throughout the race. With the top 12 athletes home receiving individual medals, Rhuain's 6th place finish ensured he won his very first Munster medal.

**LAURA BEHAN BACK IN THE MEDALS**

Laura Behan's made a very successful return to Cross Country when she finished in 7th place in the girls U18 3000m. Competing a year out of her age, Laura got off to a good start. She showed great power as she moved up through the field of athletes as the race progressed. With a little over 500m remaining Laura was in a good position and her strong running to the line secured her a high finish. This was a remarkable performance for Laura when one considers that she finished 8th place in the equivalent race at the county championships a mere 3 weeks ago! Waterford's dominance in this race was very evident with six athletes finishing in the top twelve; this strong running sealed the gold county medals for Waterford, with Laura the 5th scoring member on the team, sealing her Munster gold medal.

**NIAL BROWNE WINS INDIVIDUAL MEDAL**

Another athlete among the medals was Niall Browne in the boys U18 5000m. Niall settled into the early race pace and bit by bit notched his way up the field. Coming into the last section of the race Niall was inside the top 12 and after an extra push near the end, Niall flew home in 10th position to take his individual Munster medal. This was a well deserved medal for Niall who has enjoyed great success since his return. Niall won his second medal of the day when Waterford finished 1st in the Inter-County section on which Niall was the 4th scoring member.

**MEDAL FOR AARON WHELAN**

Aaron Whelan competed in his very first Munster race when he set off in the boys U12 race. Aaron ran a very strong race, and his fast finish placed him in 27th position, an excellent result for his first Munster race. When the County team results were announced, it was revealed that Waterford finished 3rd overall and with Aaron the 6th scoring member of the team, he won his first Munster medal.

**HIGH PLACED FINISHES FOR ALICE GOURLEY AND ERICA KIELY**

Alice Gourley was in action in her first Munster race when she took the line in the largest field of the day, the girls U12 race. With over 100 competitors in the race, Alice ran one of her strongest races to-date, overtaking a large number of athletes over the final stages of the race to power home in 16th place. This was a super run for Alice who was also the first Waterford athlete to cross the line.

Erica Kiely was also up among the business end of her field in the girls U14 race. Erica worked very hard from the start and moved herself up in the top 20 position. With a good finish Erica came home in 16th place, a very good result.

Gary Cantwell produced a very good run in the boys U16 race. Competing a year out of his age, Gary had a very solid run and after a very tight finish Gary came home in 19th place which bodes well for the second day of the Munster's in a few weeks time. PJ. Coffey ran his first Munster race in the boys U12 1000m. PJ, settled in from the start and had a very strong run, finishing strongly. Kate Kiely went in the girls U16 2000m race. Competing a year out of her age, Kate enjoyed a good run finishing well up the field. Kate will be eligible to run in the U15 age group in a few weeks time in Cork.

Isaac Lineen and John Nicholas Fennell both turned in some good performances in the boys U16 race. Isaac ran one of his strongest races to-date, finishing a well placed 41st. This is an encouraging result considering Isaac was competing a year out of his age. John Nicholas was close behind Isaac in 44th position. John Nicholas had a very solid run and his fast finish pushed him well up the field.

Sinead Hearn and Lisa Keane were in action in the girls U18 3000m. Both girls enjoyed very good performances, with Lisa running a year out of her age. Both finished in the top 30 with Sinead over the line just in front of Lisa who had a very strong finish. This was very strong running from both girls who have shown some good improvement in training over the last few weeks.

Edward Walsh ran his first Munster race in a long time, when he went in the boys U18 5000m. Edward ran a great race and with a very strong finish came home in 26th place. His club-mate Ciaran Hearn, competing a year out of his age, followed him home closely in 32nd place. This was Ciaran's first Munster race, and so can be well pleased with his good result.

Well done to all the athletes from the club who did extremely. Also a big thank you to all the adults who travelled and helped get the athletes organised on the day.

**BAG PACK**

The club will be doing fundraising bag pack over the next few days, starting tomorrow, Thursday. All parents who can lend a couple of hours are asked to give their names to Ann Cantwell, Breda Keane or Richie Browne. A rota will be made out and we will need as many hands as possible for the busy bank holiday ahead.

**TRAINING**

Training continues in Lemybrien GAA Pitch every Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6pm. All new members welcome to attend.

**FIXTURES**

The next fixture is the second round of the Munster Cross Country which will be held in Carrignavar, Co. Cork on November 11th. The County 'B's Cross Country will take place on November 18th in Dungarvan.

# Touraneena Racquetball Club Notes



Aoife Hallinan and Emily Foley

**70 FIGHTS FOR SINGLES GLORY**

70 players have entered the new Touraneena Racquetball Singles Championships so we can be guaranteed that there will be plenty of activity around the court over the coming weeks. We've added an extra grade which has been kindly sponsored by John P. Walsh to make it 9 so there will be plenty of prizes to be given out on the final night.

Games will be organised on a knockout system, each player will receive a complete fixture list and a walkover will be awarded for any fixture that's not fulfilled. If a player knows that they are unable to play on their designated time, it's their responsibility to ensure that the fixture is played before that date.

**PAT DALTON TROPHY**

The grade is guaranteed to be a cracker. It consists of 7 International players but the player that most should watch out for is the one that hasn't played for Ireland as of yet!! Sean Dalton is in cracking form in training and will be a real handful for any of the players hoping to clinch the top honour. In his opening game, he comes up against Conor Skehan in what could well be a titanic battle. They will be joined on the bottom half of the draw by Julie Skehan and Gemma Cliffe who will fight it out in what is the only all female encounter in the grade.

In the top half, top seed Garvan Dunford is paired against Dean Cliffe. The winner will earn a semi-final spot against the winner of the Eithne Skehan and Eoin Kearns showdown. This could well prove to be the match of the grade and one that would be near impossible to pick the outright winner.

**JOHN SKEHAN TILING TROPHY**

8 women will go head to head to see who will be successful in landing this trophy. It's great to see an increase in female participation and you can be guaranteed that this will provide a lot of very competitive and entertaining games. Lily Webber and Gillian Gleeson will lock horns in the opening encounter in the top half of the draw. They will be joined by Tara Skehan and Pauline Cliffe who will battle it out for a place in the semi-final. In the bottom half, Karen Kearns is up against newcomer Teri Ranahan while Gillian Queally will play against Caoimhe McGrath.

With the exception of Teri, the 7 other players have all played the game in the past few years and again it is very hard to predict the outcome of the matches. We could well have a mother/daughter final but the 2 Gillian's will have a big say in that.

**RICHARD & UNA WHITMORE TROPHY**

National junior champion, Mike Kearns will be the favourite to take

this title but he may well have to work hard to claim it. In the first round, he faces Ronan Gleeson while they are joined by Jack Skehan and Dayna Lawlor on the top half of the draw. On the bottom half, Shane Organ could well be the dark horse for the overall victory. In his opening match, he will face the ever improving Jonathan Carroll. The other match on his half will be between Thomas Lonergan and Clodagh Kearns.

**HALLEY AGRI CONTRACTORS TROPHY**

Former Inter county hurler, John Dalton is the top seed for this section where he will Kickstart his quest for glory with a showdown with last years most improved player in the club, Kevin Sheehan. Also on the top half, there will be a showdown between John Skehan and Tom Gleeson. Glen Webber returns to the game with a match against Kilmanahan's Tom Ryan while the other quarter final in the lower half will see Aaron Lonergan face Maurice Keane.

**JIMMY & PAULA COTTER TROPHY**

This promises to be one of the most competitive grades where virtually every player will fancy their chances of finishing top of the pile. A legend of Waterford racquet sports, Maurice Walsh will open his account with a tough encounter against Pa Hallinan while in the second quarter final, Seanie Kearns will have to overcome the challenge of Ronan Dunford if he wants to progress to the semi-finals. In the bottom half, Aidan McGrath faces James Condon while fresh from his half marathon in Amsterdam, Ray Moore will battle for supremacy with Finnian Grace. These will be matches all worth coming to see.

**ORGAN FAMILY TROPHY**

Near neighbours, Aisling Hallinan and Eibhilin Hennessy face each other in the quarter final here in this section where the winner will take on the winner of the Ben Cantwell Lloyd/Charles Hennessy encounter. Luke Whitmore will have to see off the challenge of Lucy Barron in his quarter final with the winner earning a place in the semi-final against either Sophie Coyne or Gearoid Hallinan who face each other in the fourth quarter final.

**QUENTIN HICKEY CARPENTRY TROPHY**

This grade will be run on a multiple hop rule and we are sure to see some great games between some of our upcoming stars of the future. It will be first time that most of these players will participate in a game type situation.

Dearbhaile Skehan will face newcomer Aaron Foley in the first match and they will be joined in the top half by Dean Carroll and Alana Coyne. The winners of these 2 matches will then meet in the semi final. In the bottom half, Emily Foley will face Ross Lonergan while Abbie Dalton will try to

overcome the challenge of her good friend Aoife Hallinan.

**PAT KEANE PAINTER TROPHY**

This league will be played on a ball shooting system. Players will get alternate shots and they will gain points by hitting the various levels marked on the front court wall. Pure fun will be the order of the day and I'm sure we will see some great entertainment and enjoyment from all these young players.

Joseph Power is drawn against Cian Geary while Kate Whelan will face Amy Lonergan. Brandon McCarthy will be up against Alison Cotter and Aaron Power will try to see off the challenge of Andrea Geary.

**JOHN P. WALSH TYRE CENTRE TROPHY**

Again this league will be played on the aforementioned ball shooting system. The league will consist of some newcomers and I'm sure they will all have a ball while playing. Sheenagh Hallinan will face Jack Webber with the winner playing Emma Whitmore in the semi-final. Emma Whelan will battle it out with Tadhg Whitmore while Matt Morrissey will play off against Gavin McGrath.

It is hoped that all games will be played before the Christmas break with the presentation night then on in January. Parents and players are reminded that the major emphasis is on pure fun and enjoyment regardless of results. The most important thing is that all the players enjoying playing the game in a friendly and encouraging environment.

**MUNSTER RACQUETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The Munster Uneven Junior Championships will be held in Templederry on Saturday 4th of November. Entry forms have been distributed and must be returned to Pat Keane by Friday night next the 26th of October. The grades will be Under 11, 13, 15 and 17. The top 4 in each grade will qualify to play in the All Ireland's one week later in Castlebar.

**CLUB COACHING CONTINUES TONIGHT**

Our club coaching continues tonight in the Community Centre starting at 7pm. The fee this year is €2 per child per night. Parents are reminded to check to see what nights that they are due to supervise. The supervisors for tonight are as follows: (Parent of) 7:00 Aaron Power; 7:30 Gearoid Hallinan; 8:00 Ben C. Lloyd; 8:30 Aisling Hallinan and 9:00 Conor Skehan.

The groups are as follows: (7:00) Dearbhaile Skehan, Emma Whitmore, Amy Lonergan, Aaron Power, Aaron Foley, Abbie Dalton, Matt Morrissey, Kate Whelan, Sheenagh Hallinan, Emma Whelan, Alison Cotter, Tadhg Whitmore, Jack Webber, Joseph Power, Andrea Geary, Cian Geary, Gavin McGrath and Brandon McCarthy. (7:30) Ronan Gleeson, Shane



Sophie Coyne

Organ, Luke Whitmore, Jonathan Carroll, Gearoid Hallinan, Kevin Sheehan, Ross Lonergan and Aaron Lonergan

(8:00) Ben Cantwell Lloyd, Lucy Barron, Charles Hennessy, Dean Carroll, Eibhilin Hennessy, Emily Foley, Aoife Hallinan, Alana Coyne and Sophie Coyne.

(8:30) Clodagh Kearns, Aisling Hallinan, Dayna Lawlor, Thomas Lonergan, Jack Skehan and Caoimhe McGrath

(9:00) Eoin Kearns, Gemma Cliffe, Dean Cliffe, Conor Skehan, Mike Kearns.

Next weeks (31st) supervisors are as follows: (Parent of) 7:00 Aaron Foley; 7:30 Jonathan Carroll; 8:00 Dean Carroll; 8:30 Dayna Lawlor and 9:00 Mike Kearns.

**NON STOP DRAW**

Our club fund-raising event which is a non-stop draw for 10 weeks will soon start. Cards will be distributed shortly and we would appeal to everyone to make a big effort to sell their lines. The first draw will be on Wednesday 14th of November and there will be a draw each week for 5 weeks before Christmas, the remaining 5 draws will be held after Christmas. Tickets will be €2 each per week and the weekly prize will be €100. On the final night, there will be a special €100 draw for the promoters that sell all 10 lines on their card.

**CLUB GEAR**

In a bid to build up an even better club spirit and teach the young players about club identity, all our players are asked to wear some form of club gear at training every Wednesday night. Most players have club shirts or jerseys. For any player that would like to buy some club gear, you can contact Linda Skehan as there is still a small amount of it in stock.



Charles Hennessy and Ben Cantwell Lloyd



## IFG Mortgages Dungarvan Getting the Best Package

**Q.** I am considering building a house on some land gifted to me by my father. Is the mortgage process the same as if I was buying a house? What do I need to know about the process? Pat from Co. Waterford.

**A.** When you are looking to borrow money to fund the purchase of a site and also the funds to build on same, there are a number of considerations you should be aware of from the start.

First of all, a lender will want answers from you to a number of questions, such as, what does the site cost? What is the likely cost to build? Is there full planning permission? Are you building by direct labour or by way of registered builder? How many stage payments will you require? Stage payments mean that your mortgage can be drawn in a number of amounts over a period of time rather than in one moment on closing. There are typically four stages; foundations, roof, plastering and on completion.

The monthly repayments are then calculated on the amount drawn and not the overall mortgage.

The amount typically advanced to people buying a site and building for owner occupation is normally 92 per cent of the value of the property on completion. However the amount advanced for site purchase will typically be a maximum of 85 per cent of the cost of the site providing full planning permission is in place.

Some factors that you should also bear in mind are:

- \* Legal costs
- \* Planning permission
- \* Supervising Architects costs
- \* Insurance in the course of construction
- \* Fitting out and finishing
- \* Approach drive, fences, gates and landscaping
- \* Connection to utilities.

There are a number of considerations that have to be taken into account by the lender before agreeing to finance the cost to build.

Full planning permission exists and the property build complies with the conditions as laid out in the P.P.

The property has appropriate access and rights of way.

The construction of the property is supervised by a

qualified architect/engineer.

The property when completed is fully serviced with water, electricity etc.

The property is completed within a certain time period as delays may push up the costs.

Your architect/engineer plays a very important role for you and your lender. Before a lender will give you a letter of loan offer, they must be first satisfied that your architect/engineer is qualified to carry out the inspections and require written confirmation from then that they will:

\* Supervise the construction of the property.

\* Confirm whether the property is being built by direct labour or by way of fixed price contract.

\* Confirm that they supervised the open foundations and certify that they are satisfactory.

On completion of the property furnish the lender with a certificate confirming compliance with planning and building regulations. They will also have to confirm they hold professional indemnity insurance.

### DIRECT LABOUR

This is a term referred to those who are building a property and arranging for themselves, plasterers, brick layers, plumbers etc to carry out the specific work on the property. The advantages of building a property by direct labour is that your property can be built much cheaper.

The big disadvantage though is the potential cost overruns, so be very detailed and precise when budgeting.

### FIXED PRICE CONTRACT

This is where you enter into an agreement with a registered builder they will construct your property as outlined in the plans/specifications you provided to them for a fixed, agreed fee.

The advantage of using a registered builder is that you should know the quality of their workmanship having viewed previous properties built by them.

The one disadvantage to proceedings this way is actually finding a builder who is available, within your price range and ready to start work on your property.

## Stradbally News

### WEDDING

The unusual sight of Tina Carey playing the pipes as she led the bride up the aisle in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally set the scene for the happy occasion of the wedding of Jacqueline Carroll, daughter of Jackie and Marion Carroll of Carriganna, Stradbally and Michael Fraher, son of Jimmy and Mary Fraher on Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> October. The ceremony with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing was performed by Fr. Michael Enright. The best man was Conor Moran with groomsmen Brendan Kirwan and Eamon Doyle. The chief bridesmaid was Elaine Carroll and bridesmaids Siobhan Curran and Bernie Wall. The flower girl was Zara Kiely with pageboy Dylan Fraher. The Readings were shared by Emma O'Donnell and Mary Luker with the Prayers of the Faithful shared by Rebecca, Ross, Donnachadh and Sheree. The gifts were brought to the Altar by the bride's mother Marion and the groom's sister Imelda. At Communion Jimmy Fraher and Aine Daly did the honours. Music and singing was provided by Bim Connors assisted by Ben. The reception was held in the Clonea Strand Hotel with a large number of guests attending to share the happy day with the bride and groom. Every happiness and God's blessing to Jackie and Michael who will reside in Bleantis, Ballinamult.

### FAS RETIREMENT

It was the end of an era recently when Paddy Joe Carey of Rockville, Stradbally retired from the FAS scheme after many years of loyal service to the community. He was always there to help out often beyond the call of duty and could always be relied on when there was work to be done. Thanks to Paddy Joe who no doubt won't be sitting down yet as he is too young for retirement. He has been replaced by his cousin Davy Organ who has a hard act to follow.

### WATER PROBLEMS

There were two weddings in the village of Stradbally on Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> October, many visitors and no water. Businesses were at wits end trying to deal with customers and ferry water for toilets and cooking. In fact all the houses on the county council scheme in or about the village were without water on Saturday and Sunday, as it appears there was a break somewhere on the scheme. A tanker of water was brought into the village on Sunday by Kilmacthomas Fire Brigade to help alleviate some of the problems. As we go to press the problem still has not been resolved, the people of Stradbally look forward to a speedy solution to this serious problem.

# KCK Notes

### KCK DRAMA NEWS

It's that time of the year again and the local drama group are busy rehearsing for their Autumn production. The performance dates are now set and hopefully all will be ready on time.

This year's production Cash on Delivery, a comedy written by Michael Cooney will see some old and some new members on stage. Taking the lead roles are Shane Collender and Pat Knightly. And treading the boards for the first time with KCK are Sara Reilly and Elaine Bashford. Having directed some years ago Brid Kennedy makes a welcome return to the stage.

We would also like to welcome on board our director Stephanie Bennett. Stephanie has been involved in drama for many years in Dublin and now having relocated to the area we are delighted she has joined the group.

To all our local supporters keep an eye on this space for further developments and dates.... Talk soon.

### COMHALTAS BUSY IN CUL NA SMEAR

There is a varied programme of events organised by the Comeragh's Comhaltas Branch each week in Cul na Smear Hall.

### CLASSES

The advanced fiddle classes are on Thursdays from 5 to 7 pm. On Fridays from 5.30 to 8.30 pm. There are music classes in all instruments from beginners level to advanced in certain instruments. There are also step dancing classes from 5.30 to 7 pm. Names are now being taken for next year as all classes are full.

### SEISIUN NA NOG AND ADULT NIGHT

On Sunday evenings Seisiun na nOg - a session of entertainment

for the younger musicians - takes place from 6.30 pm to 7.45 pm. The long established dancing classes with Monnie Hallahan take place on Tuesdays from 6 pm. Monday night is adult night and the music session takes off at 7 pm followed by set dancing at 8.15 pm.

### ANOTHER GREAT CONCERT

The second in the winter series of concerts will feature Maire Ni Chathasaigh vocals and harp and Chris Newman guitar. The world renowned duo based in England will be making their second appearance at Cul na Smear on

Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### CARTY BROTHERS

Once again Halla Cul na Smear was packed for a brilliant concert with the Carty brothers John and James on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. While the performance of these top class musicians lived up to expectations the finale was special when they invited a couple of the young Comhaltas members to join them.

### SYMPATHY

We would like to sympathise with the Moore family, Coolnasmear on the death of their mother Mary Moore.

### MEETING

Meeting will be held in Kilbrien on Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> October at 9 pm. All are welcome.

### HOSPICE

Thanks to everybody who donated money for the Coffee Morning which was held recently in Coolnasmear Hall.

### KILGOBNET GAA

Hard luck to Kilgobnet on a one point defeat against Ballysaggart in the Western Final on Sunday last. They gave us great enjoyment over the year. Keep the heads up. There is always next year.

## Scoil Mhaire, Abbeyside

### GREEN SCHOOLS' CAMPAIGN

All teachers and pupils are now busily engaged in our Green Schools' campaign. We have a very active committee, made up of pupils, teachers and parents who monitor the segregation of waste and coordinate the litter warden duty. Pupils are also learning their Green School Code and our very own Green Schools' anthem. Parent volunteers are arranging a display for October and compiling our Green Schools application form.

### GIRLS FOOTBALL

On Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> October, Abbeyside N.S. played St. Mary's of Dungarvan in Dungarvan GAA field. Abbeyside were the stronger by half time and continued their lead in the second half, eventually beating St. Mary's. Shannon O'Brien, Kim Nagle and Shannon Dunford were the scorers for Abbeyside.

### BOYS FOOTBALL

On Wednesday last too, we played St. Joseph's, Dungarvan. Although we played well and improved greatly in the second half, we were eventually defeated. We have however, qualified for the Western semi final against Lismore. Scorers in the match were Lee Mulhearn, Tom Daly and Rian Reddy.

### OTHER ITEMS OF NEWS

We wish a continued recovery to Fr. Richard Doherty who is convalescing after a recent illness and we hope to see him in the fullness of health again soon.

We would also like to extend a welcome to Rose Whelan who is our new lollipop lady. Rose offers assistance to the children and parents crossing every morning before school and we wish her happiness in her new position.

## Touraneena Notes

### NED BURKE MEMORIAL TROPHY

The Western Board held the Ned Burke Memorial Football Final between Dungarvan and the Geraldine's last Friday night in the Kilrossanty GAA field. It was a great game of football with both teams deserving of the title, however the Geraldine's held tough and emerged victorious.

Paddy Walsh, Chairman of the Western Board gave a short speech before the presentation and refreshments were held in Crotty's Pub, Leamybrien after the match. Thanks to both the Dungarvan and the Geraldine's Football teams for an entertaining and sporting game of football and the Western Board for scheduling the match and to Tony who was very helpful on the night. Thanks also to Sean Byrne Photographer and especially all those who attended the event.

### SINCERE SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family, relatives and many friends of the late Eileen Shortess, Newcastle who died last week after a short illness. May she rest in peace.

### MAJOR AWARD

Breda Cullinane, Touraneena has won a major award by being named as the AA Bean a Ti of the Year. The Award is the most prestigious that can be won by the proprietor of a guesthouse, farmhouse or B&B and Breda is the proprietor of Sliabh gCua Farmhouse. Congratulations and well done Breda.

### AISTEORI SLIABH GCUA YOUTH DRAMA

Will present 'Never Trust a Robot' on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October at 8 pm sharp in the Community Centre, Touraneena. Admission is 5 euro for adults, children free.

### SLIABH GCUA/ST. MARY'S LOTTO

Congratulations to Richie Skehan, Cahernaleague on winning the weekly lotto. Next week's draw will be held on Monday night due to the Bank Holiday weekend.

### 2007 ALL STAR AWARDS

Congratulations to Waterford Senior hurlers Ken McGrath, Tony Browne, Michael "Brick" Walsh, Dan Shanahan and Stephen Molumphy who were all named on the 2007 All Star Hurling team last weekend in the City West Hotel, Dublin. It's a tremendous achievement to have 5 county players named on the All Star team and to top off a wonderful evening, Dan Shanahan was also named as 'Player of the Year'. Dan was a truly deserving winner indeed. Well done to all the lads on their great achievements.

### FUNDRAISING NIGHT

In aid of Cystic Fibrosis together with the Johnny Gleeson Memorial in Dunnes Pub on Wednesday, 24<sup>th</sup> October at 9 pm. Music by Sunset Sounds & Friends.





Tom Hyland of Hyland Bros. Ltd. presenting gear bags to Ballyduff Hurling Club. Included are Tom Feeney, Seamus Hannon, Tom Hyland, Pat Flynn, Maurice Geary (Manager, senior hurlers), Stephen Molumphy (Captain, senior hurlers), Michael Brisiane and Sean Cunningham.

## Ballyduff Upper GAA Notes

### 2007 ALL-STARS

Congratulations to Stephen Molumphy on winning a Vodafone GAA All-Star award for 2007. Congratulations also to Michael (Brick) Walsh, Ken McGrath, Tony Browne and Dan Shanahan who also won the Hurler of the Year award.

### SENIOR HURLING TRAINING FUND

A training fund has been established for our senior hurling team, who have qualified for the Senior Championship County Final.

Any donation to this fund, large or small would be greatly appreciated. You may contribute

to this fund by contacting Maurice Geary, David Flynn, John Jackson or indeed any club member. The county final will be played on Sunday November 4th.

### COUNTY FINAL

Anyone who wishes to attend the after match meal on county final day are asked to contact John Jackson as soon as possible. We will have further details in next week's notes.

### CLUB GEAR

New club gear is now available from Tereasa Noonan's shop or by contacting John Jackson.

### CLUB LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last week's lotto draw in the Log

Cabin on Tuesday October 16th were 12-23-27. There was no jackpot winner. The €30 winners were Denis Geary, Denis Geary, John Conway and Ellen Daly. This week's jackpot was €1,100 and the draw took place in Tobin's Bar on Tuesday October 23rd.

The results of this draw will appear in next week's notes. You can get results and club news by visiting our website at [www.ballyduffgaa.eu](http://www.ballyduffgaa.eu)

### SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathies to the Hannon and McGrath Families on the death of Willie McGrath Cappoquin recently.

## Clashmore GAA Notes

### SENIOR FOOTBALL QUARTER-FINAL

Sunday last saw our Senior Footballers take on Ballinacourty in the Fraher Field to see who would fill the final semi-final spot of this year's championship. This was truly a game of two halves, as Clashmore were undoubtedly lucky to be still in the game at half-time, but were devastatingly unlucky to lose by a solitary point at the final whistle.

The Villagers were off the mark like lightning, scoring inside the first minute. Matters were levelled a few minutes later when Fintan Breathnach popped over his first free. Ballinacourty controlled possession for the next period and would hit a purple patch when they would add another minor before Gary Hurney was on the end of a long move to blast to the net in the 10th minute to leave it 1-2 to 0-1 at that stage. They would also spurn two other goal chances during this time as our defence was struggling to keep up with the pace of the game. Fintan added another free before half-time to leave us trailing by 1-4 to 0-2 points at half-time, and very lucky to be only six points down.

The second-half saw Clashmore compete much more fiercely, with our midfield starting to get on top. Yet the gap was widened by the opposition through a free, before matters were to speed up considerably when Stephen Barron crashed the ball to the net after a well-worked move. This left it 1-5 to 1-2 at this stage and momentum began to swing our way. Fintan landed

another pressure free in what was a swirling breeze, answered by Ferncombe for Courty. Then Kieran Connery, who had a super game in defence, put his stamp on the game, after a powerful run resulted in him popping over another minor to leave the minimum between the teams. Another free was conceded and Fintan stepped up and tapped this over the bar to level up matters, to which excitement levels became very high amongst the fans. But in injury time the last word was left to Pudge Hurney as he received a quick ball out on the wing and wheeled inside to swing the winning point over the bar, to break Clashmore hearts.

For our part, Stephen Barron scored what was an unstoppable goal while Fintan Breathnach scored some pressure frees, but the man of the match was unanimously Mark Power, who again worked tirelessly in midfield, and fielded one kick-out after another during this game.

Team - 1. Brian O'Neill, 2. Barry Dunne, 3. Jason Seward, 4. Ed Beresford, 5. Dec Allen, 6. Kieran Connery (0-1), 7. Ciaran Burke, 8. Karl O'Keefe, 9. Mark Power, 10. Paudie O'Rourke, 11. Stephen Barron (1-1), 12. Fintan Breathnach (0-4 frees), 13. Sean Fleming, 14. Seamus Landers, 15. Cillian O'Keefe. Subs Used: P. Connery for B. Dunne, P. Dee for S. Fleming & G. Dower for D. Allen.

On a positive note, the gap between these two teams which was evident last year, has narrowed somewhat, mainly due to this year's coach Frannie Kelly, who

has improved players no end and instilled a belief and confidence in these players that they are fully capable of matching any team on their day. There is no doubt that this team has the players to go further, but on what was admittedly an off-day for Ballinacourty, this was a game which was definitely left behind us.

### FIXTURES

Our Junior Hurlers are on duty in the Fraher Field on this Saturday at 1.30pm against Cappoquin in the second-strings Western Semi-final. This team have given great value for money this season with some stirring performances, so it's well worth while for any supporters to go along and cheer on our lads.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The Deise Draw for the month of October takes place on this Friday night in the Gaultier Club and is the second-last draw of 2007. Anybody owing draw money for this month's draw would you please contact your draw promoter by this evening at the latest. Best of luck to all of our members in the draw.

### FUNDRAISING RACE NIGHT

Due to the Senior Football game on last Sunday, unfortunately the race night had to be postponed to a later date, to be decided later in the week. In the meantime anyone who wishes to support our club can buy tickets from any club member or club officer at a cost of €20, which includes entry to the race night as well as all of the nights entertainment with refreshments provided by the Decies Bar.

## GERALDINES G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

### LOTTO

19th Oct 2007: - Winning numbers 3, 12 and 22. No winner. €20 winners: - Gerald O'Donovan, Mick Beston, Niamh Corkery, Queenie and Mike, and Declan Carlton.

Next weeks jackpot is €1250 and the draw is in Elephants.

### INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

We played out an exciting draw with Dungarvan in Cappoquin on Sunday last. We started slowly and went three points behind before we managed to level on the stroke of half time, 0-4 each. After the break we started strongly and added 2 points before a couple of mistakes in our rearguard saw Dungarvan get a goal.

This saw the momentum swing their way and they fired over 3 more points to go four clear. We then swapped points and with time running out we created a fabulous goal scored by Kieran Cotter from 25 yards out. We now had our opponents pinned back and Ger O'Donovan scored the equaliser in injury time to set up a replay on Saturday week 3rd Nov.

The whole team deserve great credit for hanging in and not giving up despite being behind by four points until there was just two minutes left. However there is an awful lot of room for improvement before the replay. Final Score 1-9 a piece.

Team: - Pat O'Donovan, Stevie Keane, Steven Fitzgerald, John Tobin, Johnny Healy, Jerome Maher, Eamon Mernin, Ray Connery, Ed Donovan, Dave Cullinane, Kieran Cotter, Michael Murray, Donnacha Tobin and Danny O'Keefe

Subs used: - Stephen O'Connell and Ger O'Donovan

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING

We have a playoff with Clashmore to see who plays the bottom team from the other group, which is St. Mary's in the relegation playoff.

### JUNIOR FOOTBALL

We had a great win in the intermediate second strings final against Dungarvan on last Friday night at a superbly prepared Lemybrien venue. The Kilrossanty club deserve great credit for their new floodlighting development, which is top class. We started well and led at half time by 0-6 to 0-4 with points from Paul, Roger, Paudie and Pat O and Mike. Indeed with a bit more steadiness in front of goal we could have been further in front. After the break we added a few points before a well-taken goal by Roger put us well in front. A few great scores by Paudie and Mike saw us in control before a late surge by our opponents saw them narrow the margin to 3 points but our defence and especially Sham in goal kept them at bay until the end. This was a terrific performance by everyone involved with the lads showing great spirit and playing good football at times. We now await the county final in the coming weeks.

Team: - Sham Ronayne, Vinny O'Brien, Gary Ronayne, Brian Guiry, Michael Mernin, Nicky Ahearne, John O'Connor, Alan Cullen, Kieran O'Sullivan, Stephen O'Brien, Michael Irwin, Colm O'Connell, Paul Connery, Roger Ronayne and Paudie Landers. Subs: - Sean Cotter, Dave Cotter, Shane Lambden, Ned Scanlon, and Peter Coughlan.

## CLG na Rinne

### Peil Sinsear

Chas An Rinn ar an tSráidbhaile sa chluiche ceathrú ceannais de chraobh an chontae ar an Satharn seo chaite. Ní rabhamar in ann na scóranna a aimsiú sa chéad leath nuair a bhí roinnt mhaith de seilbh na liathróide againn. Fuair an tSráidbhaile dhá chúl tar éis leath am agus chailleamar an cluiche. An Rinn 0-5 An tSráidbhaile 2-9. An fhoireann: Tomás Ó Cadhla, Jaic Ó hArtaigh, Darach Breathnach, Éanna de Faoite, Eoin Breathnach, Liam Ó Cuirín, Liam de Grás, Shane Ó Ceallaigh, Liam Ó Lionáin, Ciarán Ó Manacháin, Cillian Ó Murchadha, Noej Ó Murchadha, Pádraig Ó Murchadha, Dónal Ó Murchadha, Cian Ó Conchúir. Fir Ionaid: Eamon Ó Crotaigh, Billí Breathnach, Peaidí Ó Catháin, Séimí Mac Craith, Deuglán Ó hArtaigh, Cormac Ó hUallacháin, Micheál Seán Ó Murchadha, Lorcán Ó Muiri.

### Iomáint

Beidh na hiománaithe idirmheánacha ag imirt Dún Garbháin i gceathrú an Iarthair, agus na hiománaithe sóisear ag imirt na Claise Móire nó ag imirt an Cheapach Choinn sa chraobh chomh maith. Imreofar an dhá chluiche ar an Satharn 10 Samhain i bPáirc Uí Fhearchair. Iarrtar ar phobal na Rinne agus an tSean Phobail a bheith i láthair ar an lá uathúil seo chun tacaíocht a thabhairt do na foirne.

### Faoi aois

Beidh na peileadóirí faoi 16 ag imirt in aghaidh na hAird Móire san Aird Mhór ar an Domhnach 28 Deireadh Fómhair. Táthar ag súil go n-imreofar craobh an chontae sa pheil faoi 14 an deireadh seachtaine ina dhiaidh sin.

### Lotto

Bhí €5,050 sa phota óir ar an Luan 15 Deireadh Fómhair. Tarraingíodh na huimhreacha 5,8,18 agus 21. Ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir. Bhuaiigh na daoine seo a leanas €20 an duine: Martin O'Donnell, Natalie de Búrca, Gearóid Cantuail, Bríd Uí Mhuirthe, Muintir Faoláin.

## St. Olivers GAA Notes

### COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a committee meeting at 8.30 p.m. in Ballinameela Community Centre on next Tuesday October 30th.

### INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

We wish the Geraldines the best in their Intermediate football replay against Dungarvan.

A Western football final between Ballinameela and Geraldines would be a game to look forward to.

### HURLING ALLSTARS

Congratulations to Waterford's 5 hurling allstars and special congrats. to hurler of the year Dan Shanahan.

## West Waterford Juvenile Athletic Club Notes

### EASONS C.C. LEAGUE

We started our Annual Juvenile Cross Country League on Friday evening in the Friary College grounds with a fine entry of 57 athletes. This year Eason, Dungarvan have again come on board with very generous sponsorship and for that we are very grateful to Pat Whyte of Eason.

Looking through the times recorded on Friday evening it is clear to see the improvement made by the girls training for the trip to Paris. Kate Veale ran a super time of 6.54 and if ground conditions stay good over the next few weeks she could well beat the girls course record of 6.48. All of the U-16 girls have improved by over a minute with Rebecca Maher being the most impressive. Another to catch the eye is Eoin Dwyer who has made massive improvement in twelve months lowering his time by 1 1/2 minutes.

This league continues this Friday evening at 4 pm. After this week the teams will be drawn up and if you want to be on a team you must compete this week as there will be no additions to teams after they are formed.

**Times Recorded Friday 19th October** - Daniel McCarthy 6.18, David Earley 6.27, Kate Veale 6.54, Jim Curran 7.17, Elma Nugent 7.18, Jenny Hurley 7.23, Tholm Reddy 7.27, Tom Curran 7.27, Cian Ryan 7.41, Edel Roche 7.48, Clodagh Gallagher 7.51, Claire Collins 7.51, Rebecca Maher 7.53, Luke Sheehan 8.00, Eoin Dwyer 8.18, Kate Kennedy 8.28, Colleen Whelan 8.42, Una McGrath 8.43, Sean Curran 8.51, Kate Hickey 8.52, Cliona Ryan 8.58, Richard Casey 8.59, Dana Dudakova 9.01, Paul Curran 9.03, Shane Nugent 9.26, Darragh Herlihy 9.34, Cara Mullaney 9.36, Dominique O'Mahony 9.37, Lisa Houlihan 9.37, Hannah O'Connor 10.16, Dearbhla Whelan 10.25, John Blackwell 10.46, Danielle Sheehan 10.46.

**1000 metre lap** - Oisín O'Mahony 3.38, Aidan McKenna 3.46, Eoin Curran 3.47, Paul Wade 3.49, Caoimhe Dwyer 3.55, Aisling Mullaney 4.02, Kevin Crossen 4.02, Niall Blackwell 4.07, Darina Shanley 4.11, Ellen Curran 4.15, John Curran 4.23, Rachel Wyley 4.27, Eoin Ryan 4.28, Erica Crotty 4.35, Niamh Campbell 4.47, Glen O'Connor 4.49, Clodagh Curran 4.58, Caoimhe Veale 5.07, Katie Collins 5.37, Rachel O'Grady 5.38, Isabelle Wade 5.40, Holly McGrath 5.44, James Cotter 6.04, Michelle Sheehan 6.33.



# Cumann Camogaiochta na Rinne

Tá foireann mionúir na Rinne tar éis dhá chluiche a imirt go dtí seo agus bhí bua maith acu an dá uair. Imríodh na cluichí i bPairc Uí Shíocháin. Bhí an chéad chluiche i gcoinne Tulach an Iarainn ar an 14ú Deireadh Fomhair agus ba iad Ceapach Choinn an freasúra sa dara chluiche an Domhnaigh seo caite 21/10/07.

## CRAOBHCHOMÓRTAS MIONÚIR ROINN B An Rinn 6-7 Tulach an Iarainn 1-1

Ba é seo an chéad uair a chuir foireann fé 18 na Rinne chun páirce i mbliana agus caithfead a rá gur thugadar taispeántas iontach camogaiochta don lucht féachana a tháinig chun tacaíocht a thabhairt dóibh. Bhí an lámh in uachtar ag na cailíní aitiúla ó luath go maith sa chluiche agus bhíodar go maith chun cinn ag leath am le scór 4-3 in aghaidh 1-0. Níor éirigh le Tulach an Iarainn ach cúlín amháin a ghnóthú sa dara leath agus chuir foireann na Rinne dhá chúl agus ceithre chúlín eile leis an scór a bh'acu roimhe seo. Tháinig na hionadaithe ar an bpairc roimh deireadh an chluiche agus thug an bua seo spreagadh iontach don bhfoireann iomlán.

Foireann: Rioghnaich Nic Dhonncha, Natalie De Búrca, Dearbhla Ní Aodha, Niamh Collins, Amy Jordan, Bronagh Ní Dhonnbháin, Siobhan Ní Mhuirthe, Gillian McGrath, Roisín Ní Mhanacháin (captaen), Sarah O'Brien (0-3), Michelle Norris, Róisín Briggs (1-0), Fiona Morrissey (1-1), Deirdre Fahey (2-3), Rachael Lacey (1-0).

Ionadaithe: Maria Delahunty (1-0), Muireann Ní Mhurchadha, Lorraine O'Neill, Mairead Walsh, Martha Cosgrave.

Ba í Ann Marie Ní Ghormáin reiteoir an chluiche.  
An Rinn 2-7 Ceapach Choinn 1-2

Cluiche eile bríomhar a bhí anseo. Bhí cúl agus sé chuilín ag cailíní na Rinne féin an shéid an reiteoir a feadóg ag leath am agus ní raibh aon scor faighte ag Ceapach Choinn. Bhí luas maith fén geluiche seo agus fonn láidir ar an dá thaobh an bua a bhaint amach. Ba iad foireann na Rinne ba threise sa deireadh. Imreofar an chéad chluiche eile i mBaile an Bhuitléirigh an deireadh seachtaine seo chugainn agus iad ag tabhairt aghaidh ar an bhfoireann áitiúil.

Our minor team have played two matches to date. Both games took place in our local pitch Pairc Uí Shíocháin. Well done to all involved. We had convincing wins on both outings. Tallow were the opposition on Sunday 14th October and we played Cappoquin on Sunday last the 21st October.

## MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP An Rinn 6-7 Tallow 1-1

As this was the first game of our minors we were cautious. However, the team gelled very well and played with great confidence, succeeding in putting 3-3 on the scoreboard by half time, while Tallow had scored but one goal. The second half of the match was played in a similar fashion with two more goals and four points to add to our existing tally. Final score was An Rinn 6-7 Tallow 1-1. Maith sibh a chailíní.

## An Rinn 2-7 Cappoquin 1-2

This was another good lively match to watch and another win for our young minor team. Our feisty girls scored a goal and six points in the first half and Cappoquin had not managed to get past our defence to put a score on the board. Both teams played with great enthusiasm but cailíní na Rinne came out on top as in the previous match. Leanaigí oraibh leis an obair iontach! Our next match will be next weekend against Butlerstown. Bígí linn!

Team Rioghnaich Nic Dhonncha, Natalie De Búrca, Bronagh Ní Dhonnbháin, Niamh Collins, Siobhan Ní Mhuirthe, Amy Jordan, Dearbhaile Ní Aodha, Gillian McGrath, Deirdre Fahey (1-3), Fiona Morrissey, Roisín Briggs (0-1), Michelle Norris (1-1), Lorraine O'Neill, Roisín Ní Mhanacháin (captaen), Rachel Lacey, Sarah O'Brien (0-2), Muireann Ní Mhurchadha, Martha Cosgrave, Mairead Walsh.

# TOURIN G.A.A. & NEIGHBOURHOOD NOTES

## TABLE QUIZ

Tourin GAA club will be holding a Table Quiz this Friday night - 26th October at the Toby Jug, Cappoquin at 9.30 pm - All Welcome.

## BIRTHDAY

Congrats to Donall McGrath who celebrated his 21st Birthday last weekend.

## SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Peggy McGrath & Family, Belleville, Cappoquin on the recent passing of Willie McGrath.

## BADMINTON

The Mens and Ladies leagues should be getting under way this week and all our home games will be played at Cappoquin Community Centre. Please ensure that you have received your fixtures list for games by contacting the captain or secretary - Trisha McCarthy. Please check for Social Court availability as teams may be playing on either the Monday or Wednesday nights at home. Please note that court times are from 8 - 10 pm.

## MASQUERADE BALL

This event will be held on Saturday, 3rd November at The Boathouse, Cappoquin. This should be a good night of fun for all.

## SPORTS NEWS

On Friday night last, five Waterford hurlers namely Dan Shanahan, Stephen Molumphy, Michael Walsh, Ken McGrath & Tony Browne received all stars - congrats to all. The 'Hurler of the Year' accolade went to none other than Dan Shanahan - congrats Dan. The big game at the weekend was at Fraher Field between Ballygunner and Lismore. This game had no kick or atmosphere considering the huge crowd present but Ballygunner turned on the style in the second half and but for a late goal by Lismore had little to trouble them. In other sport codes the Springbox (Republic of S. Africa) rugby team beat England in the 2007 Rugby World Cup Final. Congrats to lady boxer, Katie Taylor on her win abroad.



Waterford's Five Hurling All Stars pictured at the Awards Ceremony at City West Hotel on Friday night last. Group shows (l. to r.) Kieran O'Connor, Glanbia, Pat Flynn, County Chairman, Ken McGrath, Mount Sion, Seamus O'Brien, Central Council, Michael Walsh, Stradbally, Dan Shanahan, Lismore and "Hurler of the Year", Stephen Molumphy, Ballyduff, Tony Browne, Mount Sion and Jimmy O'Gorman, Munster Council Chairman.

(Picture by Brendan Moran/Sportsfile)

# BALLINAMEELA GAA CLUB NOTES

## THE STACKS ARE BACK!!

If you were one of those unlucky ones who missed out on last year's gig in the Park Hotel, well now's your chance to make sure you see The Stacks live this year. In association with Ballinameela GAA Club, The Stacks are back in concert in the Park Hotel on Friday 9th November. For those who were fortunate enough to see The Stacks last year there is no doubt that you will be booking your tickets immediately and for those that haven't seen this band, well don't miss out on this opportunity because these four lads are going places.

How often do we complain that we don't get decent live music in this area? That we need to go to the cities for the best live music, that we do the same thing every Friday night. If that's you The Stacks gig is a must. This band will entertain you from the moment they step on the stage till..... Well you'll be humming their songs and whistling their notes after this gig so the entertainment will go on for quite a while.

The band plays a varied selection of folk music to bluegrass, from a quiet ballad to the lively traditional music. Lead singer John Stack has a unique ability to convey a song's emotion to the audience, his commanding presence on stage immediately grabs the audience's attention which doesn't slip till well after the music has stopped. Cyril who plays the key boards doesn't leave his brother take all the lime light because if you keep an eye on him his antics on stage could be turned into a show in its self. Ken plays the banjo and mandolin, this provides a very distinctive sound and his solos are mesmerising. Ross completes the quartet, he's the percussion man, it starts with drums moves to bohran and it could end up with a saucepan out of the kitchen if the sound was right. Anything goes with this extraordinary group.

I've told you about the group; listen to me when I say this is a

night not to be missed. Last year tickets were sold out a week in advance, and at the moment it looks like it'll be sold out even quicker. Tickets are available but don't put off ordering or it'll be too late book your tickets now! And please don't expect to turn up on the night thinking there will be seats available there wasn't last year and there won't be this year. These guys are too good to be missed so don't be disappointed order your tickets today from Aidan on 0879674410 or Tom on 0879853104.

## Cumann Lúthchleas Gael

# Bord na nÓg Port Láirge Thiar

## UNDER 16 HURLING

Sponsored by East Cork Oil  
The under sixteen Hurling sponsored by East Cork Oil Commenced on Sunday 21st oct. The competition is run on a knockout system, all games are played at 12noon with the first named team having home advantage. The Results are as follows:

Div 1: Lismore defeated Abbesside

Clashmore 1 - 10 v Cappoquin 0 - 5.

Div 2: Fourmilewater received a W. O. from Brickets

Cois Brid 6 - 8 v St Pat's 2 - 8.

## CONVENTIONS

Again its that time of year when the annual conventions take place.

The western Bord na nÓg Convention takes place in Lawlors Hotel on Tue 27th Nov 07 @ 8pm. On the following week Dec 3rd the county convention takes place at the same venue. Clubs will receive details regarding motions and nominations for positions this week.

# Cois Bhride Juvenile G.A.A. Notes

## MINOR CO. FINAL Cois Bhride v. St. Mary's

It seems like a long time ago since we won the Western B Minor Hurling Final, but the County Final has finally come around, and it's on in Walsh Park, next Monday 29th October against St. Mary's. Selector Padraig Tobin tells me it's been difficult to keep the lads focused with such a long wait, but training has been good, and they have kept fresh with a few challenge matches. It's not every year that one plays in a minor Co. final, so it's vital to grasp the chance when it comes along, and the lads have been very keen to do well. Anyway, Walsh Park is the place to be next Monday (Bank Holiday), and it would be a great lift for the team if they got a bit of support on the day. It does make a difference.

## U-16 WESTERN HURLING

We played our first match in the Western Championship last Sunday versus St. Patrick's in Colligan. Probably for the first time this year, we had very close to a full strength team, and because this was a knockout, we were determined to give it a lash. Playing into the wind, we started very well, and a goal and point from Evan Sheehan gave us the start we wanted. Further scores from Tom McGrath, Eoin Roche, and a super goal from Shane Roche left St. Pat's reeling. But they got back into it with a goal and point of their own, before another bullet of a goal from Tom McGrath left a bit of daylight at half time between the teams, 3-6 to 1-3. A feature of the first half was the very strong play from Kevin O'Brien at midfield, with Aaron Pratt also dominant at centre back. For some unknown reason we started the second half very subdued, and played second fiddle for about ten minutes to a rejuvenated St. Pat's side who registered a goal and point before we woke up. Not for the first time, young Rob O'Sullivan struck for a peach of a goal to kick start us again, and two further goals from Evan gave us a comfortable winning margin of 6-8 to 2-7 in the end. A good display of hurling from a young team, (all but four will be u-16 again next year), we are now into a Western Final which, I am told, will only be played in three weeks time.

Panel; David Hartnett, Kegan O' Farrell, Brian McCarthy, Stevie Lucey, Edward Lonergan, Aaron Pratt, Kieran Fraser, Kevin O'Brien, Tom McGrath (1-2), Tommy Daly (0-1), Evan Sheehan (3-3), Shane Roche (1-1), Eoin Roche (0-1), Joe Leahy, Liam O' Gorman, Rob O' Sullivan (1-0), Tomas O' Neill.

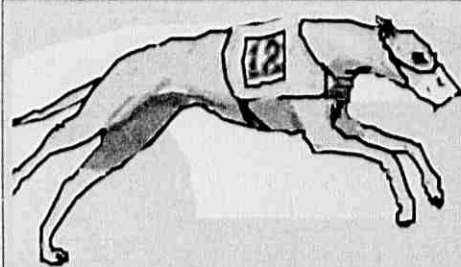
## U-11 FOOTBALL LEAGUE

County championships usually start off at age 12 and up. But this year an U-11 football county league was organised by Ruairi Connor of Tramore, and Cois Bhride have been taking part in it for the last few weeks with some success. They qualified for the quarter final in div. 2 two weeks ago, and they beat Kilrossanty in that to get to the semi final which was played last Sunday in Bushy Park. Rathgormac were our opponents, and though the final score showed we lost by 2 goals, in truth the Eastern side were well on top. Well done to all the players who played over the last 4 weeks. Panel; David Tobin, John Paul Lucey, Padraig Roche, Ryan Grey, Matty Barry, David Beecher, Adam Crawford, Jake Beecher, Jack O'Donoghue, Edward Hynes, Jack Tobin, Jake Neville, Will Hogan, Kelyvn O'Farrell, Liam Smith, Alan Buckley, Stephen O'Hara, Colm O'Donoghue, Barry O'Connell.

## ALL STAR AWARDS

An unprecedented five All Star awards went to Waterford players after what was a memorable year for the Deise (up to the semi-final), and with Dan Shanahan unquestionably the player of the year, can we go one better next year and get to a final? These players deserve no less. We congratulate Dan and the rest of the lads, and particularly Stephen Molumphy in his debut year.





# GREYHOUND NEWS

BY MARK PHILLIPS

Friday October 19th

## LARKHILL DREAMER WAS WIDE AWAKE

Competing in her fifteenth race for owner Joan Quigley and trainer G Hutton Larkhill Dreamer (Brett Lee-Seans Bullet) 2/1 produced a career best performance to capture race seven last Friday night in a smashing 28.68. A smart break from trap four saw Larkhill Dreamer motor into an early lead over Deans Pride and while the latter gave of his best in second spot Larkhill Dreamer stayed on well to triumph by two lengths. Market rivals Avalon Dieu and Group Hiflyer dominated the final of the Masters Restaurant A7 Marathon Novice stake. Barely half a length separated the pair throughout with the more experienced Group Hiflyer (Larkhill Jo-Group Special) the 5/4 favourite finding that bit extra in the closing stages for County Tipperary owner Mary Kenny to win out by half a length in 41.19.

Returning after an absence the Pamela Holt owned Peggy Gadfly (Top Honcho-Go Ahead Ivy) raced up with the pace in the opening contest before winning out in 29.34. A fast starting Peggy Gadfly 3/1 was joined in the lead at the third bend by the evens favourite Minimarket Jack but responding to that challenge Peggy Gadfly renewed her challenge up the home stretch to get back up for a length win over a fast finishing Waxey Man with Minimarket Jack just behind in third.

The second contest was a two bend dash and taking an absolute flyer from trap three the Mary and Maurice Whittle owned Nans Elsa (Top Honcho-Elton Michelle) 3/1 streaked to an all the way 16.29 success. In pole position shortly after the break Nans Elsa coasted to a four lengths success over Powerful Ella.

Royal Binola and the first timer Daring Honcho shared favouritism at 6/4 in the third contest but when Royal Binola stumbled shortly after the break Daring Honcho was forced to take evasive action. There were no such problems for the Tom Drohan owned Snakehill Joe (Droopys Kewell-Lisnakill Cindy) this 5/2 taking over in the lead at the entrance to the back stretch from Tir Connell Sue and making the best of his way home Snakehill Joe appeared all set for an easy win. The debutante Daring Honcho stayed on well up the rails in the closing stages however but failed by a length to overhaul Snakehill Joe who obliged in a career best 28.89.

All six entries in the fifth event were making their debut. The money came late for the Tom Power owned and Lester Power trained Aboyeur (Top Honcho-Proud Pegs Guest) and despite an early hiccup the jolly duly delivered and landed the gamble in 29.41. As the traps flashed open Distant Bobby and Venice Lad were both left stranded at the start while the favourite Aboyeur lost early ground when trying for a run up the inside of the always-prominent Garrymore Ash. A slow starting Nero Venture joined issue with Garrymore Ash at the penultimate bend as a closing Aboyeur soon made it three in line. Utilising his rails pitch a strong running Aboyeur eased his way into the lead before drawing clear for a well-deserved four and a half lengths defeat of Garrymore Ash.

Chevelar Lady made a bright start from trap three in race six but the John Kearns owned and Patricia O'Neill handled Swan Lodge was soon at the head of affairs. Luffany Brazil stayed on well to capture the runner up spot but 2/1 chance Swan Lodge kept on well in the lead to open her account by a length in 29.49.

The N O Sullivan owned and Ger McGrath trained Survivor flow (Droopys Woods-Lady Flow) 3/1 made sound use of his early pace to lead all the way in the eight event in 29.50. In command throughout from Horses

Legs Survivor Flow went on to account for a running on Minglers Vieri who lost ground when running into the winners hindquarters between the final two bends and subsequently tasted defeat by three lengths in 29.50.

Can You Ridge cut an early dash over the opposition from trap one in the ninth contest but darting into a back stretch lead the Tom Walsh owned Bettys Duke (Come On Lleyton-Regal Honey) was soon on his way to winning out. In a one sided contest Bettys Duke went on his merry way to defeat Can You Ridge by four lengths in a much improved 29.18.

Having shaken off the persistent back stretch challenge of Distant Polly Lakefield Shane appeared well on his way to shedding his maiden tag in the tenth event over 550 yards but the Irene Bolton Lee owned Wilcox Fairy (Top Honcho-Wilcox Jet) 2/1 produced a flying late challenge up the middle of the circuit to get up close home for a last gasp neck success over Lakefield Shane. Time 30.80. The final race of the night also over the 550 yard distance produced a very easy winner in the shape of the Tom Kearney owned and Paddy Gaffney trained Mount Annville this well supported 6/4 chance running riot over the opposition in a speedy 29.77. Firing himself clear from trap three a fleet footed Mount Annville (Larkhill Jo-Duhallow Lady) never saw another rival en route to a facile nine lengths win over Star Kav.

Saturday October 20th

## STANDIN ME FINISHED FULL OF RUNNING

There were three finals down for decision on last Saturday nights benefit meeting in aid of St Augustine's College, Dungarvan. The first of these sponsored by Chris Havens Painting and Decorating proved easy pickings for the 4/6 favourite Bettys Rebel (Moyné Rebel-Regal Honey) this Tom Walsh owned dog posting an easy success in a speedy 40.45. Led to the third bend by Petite Maegan Bettys Rebel eased his way to the front before motor-ing on for a four and a half lengths defeat of Forge Blue.

The final of the Queally Walsh Engineering A2 event produced a 2/1 winner with Jos McDoaks (Droopys Agassi-Bad Girl) doing the business for young local owner Cian O'Regan in a lively 28.88. Arriving at the first bend with a rails running Speeding Fine the inevitable bump took place with Jos McDoaks coming off best to shoot clear down the back. It proved all so easy for Jos McDoaks from that point on as he galloped clear to record a five lengths defeat of Speeding Fine.

The punters latched on to Standin Me in the final of the 2007 Gain Waterford Masters Qualifier event and while there was a small touch of evens about this fellow he closed as the 4/5 favourite. Breaking well from the 550-yard traps the Donncha O'Connor and John Sutton owned and Phil Gough trained Standin Me (Droopys Woods-Broken Maid) was matched stride for stride to the second bend by the early paced Show Million. Easing his way to the front Standin Me took a firm grip of proceedings and despite a fine effort by Jimmy Spot On Standin Me finished full of running to triumph by a length in 29.95.

In the opening race of the session Any Westerns made a brave attempt to make every post a winning one leading early on from Glenbrien Swift and while Lou Lissa Ro moved into second place down the back stretch it was the Pamela Holt owned Miss Muffet (WW Time Warp-Mustang Maggie) 3/1 who produced the supe-

rior turn of finishing pace to come through on the rails for a length defeat of Lou Lissa Ro with Any Westerns the same distance away in third. Time 29.03. There was no shortage of cash for track newcomer White Mountain (Droopys Kewell-Dash For Home) 6/4 to 4/6 in race two and this jolly made no mistake from trap four posting an impressive pillar to post 28.53 success. Trained by Patrick Whelan for the Monageer Tavern Syndicate White Mountain certainly wasn't hanging around at the break flashing clear from trap four to turn the first bend ahead of Crokers Dragon and in a one sided contest White Mountain was not extended to deny a running on Willie Drink by four lengths.

Willie Robinson the owner of the previous runner up enjoyed better fortune in the third contest over six bends with his Willies Prince (Droopys Vieri-Brykat Kariba) 4/6 steam rolling the opposition in a pleasing 40.62. Forging into an early lead over Passing Through Willies Prince certainly enjoyed his front running role and upping the tempo along the back stretch Willies Prince cruised to a thirteen lengths thrashing of Passing Through.

Portlaw trainer Jim Duggan sent out the 3/1 winner of the fourth event with the John Tynan owned Van Persie (Come On Lleyton-Pampered Yank) coming from off the pace to post a narrow 28.93 win. Winnies Top led to near the third bend where the leader was quickly joined by Honey Mandy. A closing Van Persie did well to secure a run up the inside of this duo and in a mad dash for the line Van Persie dug deep to hold the late charge of Honey Mandy who tasted defeat by the minimum distance.

A well drawn Parisienne Way (Droopys Vieri-Miss Jackson) made no mistake for owners the MMJ Racing Syndicate and trainer Perry Aylward capturing the fifth event over 730 yards with relative ease in 41.18. Relishing her trap six draw Parisienne Way scampered into a healthy early lead over a closely packed group and while Distant Darkie eventually broke free of that group Parisienne Way was gone beyond recall crossing the winning line with two and a half lengths to spare over a hampered Distant Darkie.

Dungarvan owner Joan Brennan sent out the 3/1 winner of race seven with her Druids Smokey (Top Honcho-Dons Flash) coming from behind to land the spoils in a fast 28.60. Ballyboro Kate made a brave bid to lead all the way but Druids Smokey was always in a challenging position and driving up the inside of Ballyboro Kate between the final two bends Druids Smokey barged her way into the lead to race on for a two and a half lengths defeat of Ballyboro Kate.

The Tubber Lane Syndicate owned and Michael Delahunty trained Zip Fastener (Elite State-Affleck Patsy) is in flying form at present and this well built lady notched up another success capturing the ninth contest in a speedy 28.48. Utilising her early pace to perfection Zip Fastener bounded into an early lead over Bennys Sec and with this order of running remaining unchanged a determined Zip Fastener went on to account for Bennys Sec by three quarters of a length.

Racing concluded with a competitive 525-yard contest. The Margaret Furlong owned and Davy Morris trained Greenview King (Premier County-Greenview Beauty) 3/1 held a prominent early position on the rails and making the best of his way home a strong running Greenview King was never in any danger of losing this contest powering clear down the back to race on for a five and a half lengths defeat of Whittlesey Decoy in a smashing 28.38.

## DUNGARVAN BOXING CLUB NEWS

# Peter Crotty Memorial Tournament

In front of a large crowd in Lawlers Hotel on Saturday night last, Dungarvan boxing club held their annual boxing tournament in memory of the late Peter Crotty one of Irelands top Internationals of the 40's and 50's and Helsinki Olympian of 1952. It was a great success and will go down as one of the best boxing tournaments that has been seen in Dungarvan for many years. Their opponents were the Birmingham City boxing club and included some of England's National Champions.

There were three female bouts, so ladies first and Clonmel's Chelsea Burke put on a very impressive display against Athy's Laura McHale (15 year old 64 kg) giving her a standing count in the third round and went on to win unanimously.

Next bout was a repeat of one of last years Ireland v. England women's tournament which also took place in Dungarvan. This was Tina O Dell (B'ham) and Castleblaney's Christina Mc Mahon (senior 54 kg) this time the decision was reversed as Tina O Dell won on a majority decision.

The third women's contest was between local girl Clara Fraher and another Athy girl Deidre Walsh at 16 year old 64 kg. Clara had every body cheering when she was announced by the M.C. she got fantastic support from all her neighbours and school friends, which really is very important. Clara was very impressive and is improving with every bout, she beat Deidre unanimously in what was a very good contest.

Women's boxing has come on leaps and bounds, credit must be given to the girls themselves for their dedication and also to the squad training sessions which are being run on a regular basis, also the influence that World Champion Katie Taylor is having on all these young girls is phenomenal.

The youngest boxers of the night were 12 year olds (31 kg) Daniel Fraher Dungarvan who went on to beat Gary Bradshaw of Clonmel.

Denis (The Menace) Murray Dungarvan 13 year old (39 kg) won on a majority decision over Dean Walsh from St Ibars Wexford.

Local Boy Richard Walsh 14 year old (52 kg) never got started and didn't box to his full potential against James Melvin Birmingham. James was just too strong on the night and Richard received a count in the second round, but he still wanted to continue the contest and Melvin went on to win unanimously.

Novice welter weight Intermediate Liam Walsh Dungarvan put on a very brave display against Birmingham's Stuart Moloney, a close contest and Moloney won unanimously.

One of the best bouts of the night for my money and probably one of the best contests I've seen for a long time was the welter weight senior bout between Birmingham's Gary Stowe and Paulstown's Jonathan Dowling who insedently is the nephew of legendary Mick Dowling. This contest had everything you could ask for, action, speed, skill, there was no need for a referee as the standard was that good, both boxers gave a brilliant display, unfortunately for Stowe he started to tire in the last round giving Dowling the chance to use his level of fitness to go ahead and take the decision.

Another action packed contest was at Junior 51 kg class between Birmingham's Gamal Yafaie and Golden Cobra's (Dublin) Charlie Hegarty this was just hell for leather from start to finish, with both boxers giving their all, Yafai is the World silver medallist and a very classy boxer but Hegarty gave as good as he got but just not enough to beat Yafai.

Lee Gibbs a junior 60 kg boxer from Birmingham was just that little bit too good for Dungarvan's Peter Keenan.

Danny Lawler junior 54 kg from Birmingham was too strong for Golden Cobra's Carl Grey stopping him in the first round.

Lee Hawkins senior middle weight from Birmingham was also stopped in the first round by St Ibars Ollie Walsh, brother of national coach Billy Walsh this was quite a shock for Hawkins corner as he was never put down in all his 58 contests, the bout had just started when he came onto Ollie's Left hook.

Emmet Walsh had nearly all Dungarvan Rugby club in Lawlers shouting him on as he took on Carl Blair from Birmingham at Senior middle weight Blair caught Walsh with some mighty punches in the first round but to no effect Emmet just ploughed straight through his punches to land quite a few of his own. Emmet just stayed in Blair's face for the whole contest not allowing him to through his shots. Emmet won unanimously to the cheers of his many fans.

Last but not least was the contest a lot of people were waiting for between Dungarvan's heavy weight Cathal Barry and Birmingham's Przemek Stepien, this bout did not live up to the expectations of a lot of people as both boxers went for the knock out and ended up trying too hard, it became quite a battle with a lot of holding, none the less to the delight of the local club Cathal won unanimously.

The best boxer of the tournament who receives the perpetual Peter Crotty Cup which is sponsored every year by our very good friend Mr. Michael Ronane came as no surprise when the MC "Hardhittin" Terry Young announced Clara Fraher. Well done Clara.

Dungarvan boxing club would like to thank all their sponsors for making this show possible and of course the legendary Terry Young from Belfast our esteemed M.C.



## WEST WATERFORD AUTOGRASS CLUB NEWS

### LAST CHANCE!!

West Waterford Autograss Ltd will hold the final round of the driver of the year championship and the final round of the Southern Ireland Championship on this bank holiday Monday October 29th at 12pm sharp. Please note the change of date and time - we are starting racing earlier as the evenings get darker quickly now. On the day senior drivers will be competing for the Nicky Hannigan memorial trophies and the junior drivers will compete for the Sheila Oakham memorial shield. This is always a well attended meeting and it is hoped that this year will be no different. The prize giving will take place in the newly renovated Lismore Hotel after racing and all are asked to support the prize-giving.

### AGM

The club will hold its AGM in Roses West End Bar on Sunday November 4th at 2pm SHARP. All club members are asked to attend this meeting as it is here that all the decisions are made about the rules and regulations for the club for the coming season. Anyone that feels that they may have something important that might improve the club for the coming year then this is the place to say it.

### ANNUAL SOCIAL

The club will hold its annual prize-giving and social in Clonea Hotel on Saturday 10th November at 8.30pm SHARP. Please note the change of venue. Tickets will be on sale for this shortly and any trophy winners will be notified after our last days racing.

### CONGRATULATIONS

The club wishes to convey its heartiest congratulations to 2 of the clubs most popular members, Yvonne Houlihan and Dermot Kelly from Lismore who will be married on this Saturday 27th October. May You both have many many happy years together. The club would also like to wish belated Happy 21st birthday wishes to 2 club members Kenneth Cashel and Kieran Hegarty who both celebrated their 21st birthdays recently.

## Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes



Padraig de Burca, Chairman Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club, presenting a cheque for £6,800 to Christy Phelan, Care Attendant St. Vincent's Hospital Dungarvan. Included are Paula French, Director of Nursing, St. Vincent's and nurse Mairead Kennedy. The cheque was the proceeds from the club's Munster Challenge Sponsored Cycle. (Rory Wyley)

### WEEKEND SPINS

Two good weekend spins took place again in splendid October weather.

Saturday saw the group head down the coast road to Bonmahon and Kill before going across to Kilmacthomas and home through Mahon Bridge. Sundays group headed to Cappoquin, Clashmore and home through Ardmore and Old Parish.

Out cycling were Keith and Mark Radley, Frank Browne, Siobhan O'Mahony, Keith Walsh, Michael 'Banner' Whelan, Dzintar's Klava, Mark

Power (Abbeyside), Davey Tobin, Pat O'Driscoll, Seamus Connolly, Richie Power, Vincent Feeny and John Flynn.

Unlike previous years it was decided this year at the AGM that there will be no change to the start time for weekend spins over the winter. Therefore weekend spins will continue to meet at John Foley's Kilrush on Saturday and The Square on Sunday, both at 9.30am.

### CLUB WEBSITE

Don't forget the club web site [www.dungarvancyclingclub.org](http://www.dungarvancyclingclub.org)

## Waterford Raceway Hot Rod News

Sunday the 23rd September was cup day at Waterford Raceway, The Pike. The summer like weather made for a great days racing for drivers and spectators alike. Ground works which have been carried out on the track by some very dedicated members

had the place looking splendid. The first of the fifteen lap Cup races got underway at 12.45 under course marshal Tony Dunphy and starter Noel Curran. With fifteen lap races the handicapper has a very important job to do and Seamus O'Riordan

got it spot on, on the day. In the Junior One Class the first ten laps saw Fiachra Walsh, Raymond Darcy and Shane Walsh exchange the lead between them but Stephen Condon and David O'Regan closed the gap and Stephen was the eventual winner. Junior two was again a close contest which was won by Raymond Mackey, but was under constant pressure from Trevor Healy and Tom Hill. Class one, cup winner was the inform Brendan O'Leary who had to fight off the likes of Richard Ryan, Denis McSweeney, Kevin Condon and Chris Baldwin. Class two, was won by Nicky Banville after a titanic battle with Richard Harney and Aidan Murphy. There was no doubt the winner of Class three Pat Whealan led from start to finish. Class four, was won by Kevin McGann. New comer Gerard Tobin from Tipperary took Class five in the absence of Tommy Kiely. Class six was won by Donal Shanahan and Breda Healy took the Ladies race. The next days racing is sponsored by the same Breda and her husband Liam. Healy Car Sales Mallow, will present all the trophies for racing on Sunday, 21st October. First Race at 12.30 pm.

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**  
Sunday, 21st Oct Racing starts 12.30 Scrutiny starts 11 am.  
Sunday 11th Nov Racing plus Novelty race to be confirmed.  
Wed. St. Stephen's Day Racing and Demolition Derby.  
Safe driving on and off the road. S.W.

## Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Club

### DIVISION 3 MATCH REPORT DUNGARVAN 2 MIDDLETON 0

Last Saturday afternoon, saw our division 3 team host Middleton. Dungarvan started very positively, with the ball hardly leaving the oppositions half for the first 5 minutes. Sharon Duggan and Nollaig Sheehan, made some fantastic attacking runs down boths wing, with Susi Lonergan forcing the Middleton defence to be at their best. Early into the match, Dungarvan had a number of short corners, going extremely close, through Lindsey and Jillian a few times.

In midfield Lindsey Keane, Jillian Dalton and Maria Conroy helped keep up the pressure on the opposition. About 20 minutes in, Lindsey got hold of the ball in the middle of the field, and picked out Maria, who unleashed a fearsome shot towards goal, which Nollaig expertly latched onto, and the home team were one up.

This spurred Middleton on, who tried to force an attack, but the back line of Julie Harty, Tina Landers and Thea O'Riordan held tough, giving the visitors nothing. It wasn't long before Dungarvan were pressuring the Middleton defence again and with wave after wave of attack, it was only a matter of time until we got a second.

The break through came at just the half hour mark. Jillian passed to Maria, who in turn passed to Susi who found Nollaig, who buried the ball, for her second of the day. We finished the half on a

high, with a short corner. Sharon pushed to Lindsey, who rounded one player, passed to Jillian, whom pushed a strong shot, just wide of the post.

As we expected, Middleton started the second half strongly, but Dungarvan's defence stood strong. Aisling Cusack and Tina Landers combined to clear the lines, giving Lucinda Shrubbs in goal little to do. Middleton tried their best, but even with two short corners, there was no joy for the visitors. Gradually the home side got on top again. Having learned from our last match, our midfield worked hard to keep the pressure on the opponents, with the forward line keeping the Middleton defence on their toes, coming close to a third goal on a number of occasions. Maria was unlucky not to hit the net and Nollaig was denied a certain hat-trick, but for a save from their keeper. The game finished, with a hard fought and well deserved victory for the home side.

Thanks to Gerry for umpiring, and to those who came out to support.

### JUNIOR HOCKEY

Junior hockey will start again after the mid-term break, on Saturday the 3rd of November, at 10am. All welcome.

### GET WELL WISHES

Everyone would like to wish Bridget a very speedy recovery, after her accident

## Causeway Tennis Club Notes

As the tennis season is getting quieter, our Club Administrator is now available on a part-time basis to answer queries or take membership fees.

If you need some information,  
- you can call us at (058) 42813 (please feel free to leave a message on the answering machine and we will ring you back) or:  
- you can email your query to: [causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com](mailto:causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com).

### Club Night

There will be no Club Night on Wednesday 24th October due to Club Doubles being held. Any query contact Brendan O'Hara: 087 2118863.

### Club Doubles Week

The Club Doubles are in progress each night this week with the finals to be held on Friday 26th October. Please do come along and support the finalists on Friday night. Contacts: Denis O'Donovan (086 8190108) or Gillian O'Mahony.

### Winter League

The Winter League will commence shortly. This will be a mixed team event which will be run over the coming months, probably on a Wednesday. All you have to do is put your name down and the Grade you play at and teams will be formed with a male and female from each Grade...A, B, C etc.

It's a team event so each mixed pairing will play the opposing pairing in every team; by way of draw. Each match total is important as there will be a final with the highest teams taking part.

This was great fun last winter and everyone enjoyed themselves. It's a chance to play different people and get to know everyone. Please put your name on the sheet on the notice board in Club House and we will do the rest.

Contact:  
Club administrator (clubhouse, tel: 058 42813 or by email: [causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com](mailto:causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com))

### Ladies Ladder

Ladies Ladder has started on Thursday 10th October. Two games are to be played over three weeks, by Thursday 1st November - no extensions. Please check the notice board for your games.

Remember, this ladder is for everyone whether you are a beginner or an experienced player. It's a great way to get games and meet other players.

### Contact:

Club administrator (clubhouse, tel: 058 42813 or by email: [causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com](mailto:causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com))  
Tennis Coaching

A series of coaching sessions will be available over the coming months. These will be available for both senior and junior members and will be given by coach Dick McCarthy.

If you are interested getting coaching, please contact:  
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### Ladies' Morning

Ladies' mornings, every Wednesday in the Club. All levels welcome.

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### Important notice for all players:

Remember, the Club House door must NEVER be left open. Always ensure that the door kept closed at all times and when leaving the premises, ensure that it is locked. It is every member's responsibility to do so.

If playing at week-ends, the court gates & main gates should be locked by members when leaving. again, it is everyone's responsibility to do so. there's no point in leaving it for someone else, you may be the last person using the courts for that day/evening.

## Colligan Equestrian Centre News

### THE FOLLOWING ARE THE RESULTS OF COLLIGAN EQUESTRIAN CENTRE AUTUMN SHOWJUMPING ON FRIDAY

**Mini League** — Beautiful Dawn (Megan Dowling). Becker (Mark Moloney).

**Mini Plus League** — Murty (Kate Colivet). Beautiful Dawn (Megan Dowling). The Woo (Charlotte Connors). Sparky (Jessie Harty). J. J. (Ester Boutsouliha). Shortie (Noreen Queally). Thunder Storm (Genevieve Warron). Becker (Shane Moloney). Star (Muireann Fraher).

**Midi League** — The Woo (Charlotte Connors). J. J. (Rachel Troy). Hot Shot (Catriona Slevin). Honey (Blanc Starling). Mojo (Shane Moloney). Abhainn (Sean Looney).

**Midi Plus League** — 1st Little Pet (Paul Kiely). 2nd Mister Razz (Kelsi Walker). 3rd Miss Elegant (Jodi Walker). 4th Cliff (Hayley O'Riordan). Moll (Tommy Harty). 5th Little Bay Dreamer (Chloe Creedon). 5th Scooby Doo (Liz O'Donnell).

**Maxi League** — Sprinter (Aimee Moloney). Velvet (Paul Kiely). Cliff (Hayley O'Riordan).



# HORSE RACING SNIPPETS



BY MARK PHILLIPS

## BREGAWN AND KRBENSIS DIE

1983 Cheltenham Gold Cup winner Bregawn died last week. Bregawn was ridden to victory on that occasion by Graham Bradley and was trained by Michael Dickinson.

Another popular horse to perish was the grey Kribensis who captured a Champion hurdle for Sheikh Mohammed and Sir Michael Stoute.

## BRETT DOYLE INJURED

Jockey Brett Doyle is currently out of action having broken two ribs on the gallops.

## DUTCH ART RETIRED

The Peter Chapple Hyam trained Dutch Art has now retired from racing and stands at Cheveley Park stud.

## TURF CLUB PERMISSION

The Turf Club has given permission for jockeys to advertise on owner's silks. This comes into operation on New Years Day and could this be another first for Tramore we ask.

## RICHARD TO RIDE FREELANCE IN 2008

Richard Hughes and Khaled Abdullah are to part company at the end of the current flat campaign and Richard will ride freelance in 2008.

## PAUL TO RIDE OVER JUMPS

County Cork born flat apprentice Paul Townend is to ride over jumps this coming winter.

## SANDYMOUNT EARL TOPS

Rolling Stones member Ronnie Wood was present at the Curragh last Sunday to see his Sandymount Earl capture the Irish Cesarewitch. Trained by in form Moone based trainer Jessica Harrington Sandymount Earl capped a great day for jockey Sheamie Heffernan who partnered three winners during the afternoon.

## CHANNEL 4 CAMERAS

The Channel 4 cameras are due to visit Doncaster and Newbury on Saturday next.

## PLASTIC HURDLES IN USE

After a number of trails the new plastic hurdle will be in use at the Limerick fixture on November 12th.

## DID YOU KNOW

Did you know that Ascot racecourse are reducing the admission prices on the Tuesday and Wednesday of next year's Royal Ascot festival of racing in order to boost attendances.

## NEW RIDER REQUIRED

As Richard Hughes cannot do eight stone six pounds the Henry Cecil trained Passage Of Time will have an American rider aboard when she runs at the Breeders Cup Festival.

## LENNY'S PLANS

Scottish trainer Lenny Lungo recently confirmed that Wilson Renwick will ride as his main jockey for the current season. County Cork born jockey Brian Harding will also ride for the yard.

## CHELTEHAM PLANS

The next four of five years could see some major changes at the National Hunt festival in Cheltenham. For example the Gold Cup could transfer from the normal Thursday to a Saturday. Cheltenham are also keen to have Frankie Dettori ride in the bumper at the festival. If he is not riding in Dubai Frankie could well make his National Hunt Festival debut in March.

## PLANS FOR THE LISTENER

The Robert Alner trained The Listener who captured last season's Lexus Chase and went on so close to plundering the Hennessy Gold Cup going down narrowly to Beef Or Salmon is set this winter to target a number of top chases in this country given his preference for soft ground.

## IMPRESSIVE LIST

Seventy year old Liam Browne who handed in his training licence some years back certainly has an impressive list of racing people who were apprenticed or worked for him at some stage in their careers, here is the list,

Tommy Carmody  
Stephen Craine Senior  
Michael Kinane  
Pat Gilson  
Mark Dwyer  
Jamie Spencer  
Caroline Lee  
Paul Harley  
John O'Shea  
Christian Van Der Reecke  
Timmy Houlihan  
David Parnell  
Martin Browne  
Stephen Crawford  
Helen Keohane  
Declan Carroll  
Sam Murphy  
Pat Delaney.

## NICE ONE HARRY

Harry Skelton son of International Show Jumper Nick rode his first winner at Exeter recently guiding the Jimmy Frost trained 16/1 outsider Temper Lad to victory. Harry turned professional at the start of the year and is based with trainer Paul Nicholls.

## NEW TRAMORE RACECOURSE

The summer of 2007 proved to be the wettest on record and it delayed a lot of the progress developing the new track at Lisselan on the outskirts of Tramore town, however since the middle of August a fine spell of weather allowed for the completion of the track ground works which is now ahead of target.

The track work has been supervised by UK based Professional Sportsturf Design. Over the last 20 years PSD (NW) Ltd and their subsidiary companies PSD Agronomy Ltd and PSD Synthetics Ltd have developed into one of the leading Independent Sportsturf consulting agronomy groups in Europe. PSD has brought to completion over 30 major Stadium pitches, 50 new golf courses or course extensions and 15 sports complexes. They also advise on a wide range of sports surfaces for different clients including 27 racecourses both in Ireland and the UK.

The proposed new track at Tramore is 45m wide and 1 mile 4 furlongs giving plenty of scope to increase the number of runners and number of race days that the new track intend to hold Well known riders Paul and Davy Roche, Shay Barry and Vincent Halley schooled horses on the new racing surface during the summer.

## WILLIE ON THE COMEBACK TRAIL

Jump jockey Willie McCarthy who dislocated a shoulder last May was recently cleared by British Turf Club medical personnel to resume race riding.

## THIS WEEKS POINT TO POINT FIXTURES

### Sunday-October 28th

Golden Vale Foxhounds, Coolkip, Horse And Jockey, Thurles, County Tipperary

Dungarvan Harriers, Affane, Cappoquin, County Waterford.

## CHAMPIONS DAY ROUND UP

New Approach took on the best two year olds around in the Dewhurst Stakes at Newmarket last Saturday and in his toughest assignment to date he answered every call from jockey Kevin Manning to post a hard earned but fully deserved win. For his brilliant ride jockey Manning received a five-day whip ban.

On the same card County Meath trainer Tony Martin teamed up with Johnny Murtagh to capture the Cesarewitch with Leg Spinner who stayed on stoutly up the long home stretch. After traffic problems the Dungarvan trained Al Eile ran another fine race to fill fourth spot.

There was a French success in the Champion Stakes with victory going to Literato. The Aidan O'Brien trained Eagle Mountain ran a fine race to fill the runner up spot.

## SPREADING THE LOAD

Well-known jumps owner David

Johnson will have over one hundred horses in training this year and they are spread over a number of trainers, which include,

Dermot Weld  
Emma Lavelle  
Brendan Powell  
Ferdie Murphy  
Henrietta Knight  
Peter Monteith

## BLACK MONKEY FAILS TO SPARKLE

The 16million dollar purchase The Black Monkey had his second race outing in America recently but failed to sparkle finishing in fourth spot in a maiden contest.

## WIND UP FOR BLACK JACK

Did you know that the highly talented Black Jack Ketchum who had a frustrating couple of runs last winter underwent a wind operation during the summer?

## THIS WEEKS IRISH FIXTURES

Wednesday — Navan 2.35pm

Thursday — Thurles 2.15pm

Friday — Dundalk 6.45pm

Saturday — Naas 2.05pm

Sunday — Galway 1.25pm 1.15pm

Newmarket Date For Cockney Rebel Dual Guineas winner Cockney Rebel who was retired through injury this year will stand at the National Stud at Newmarket commanding a fee of £10,000.

## MAJOR SPONSORSHIP DEAL

Jewson, the UK's leading supplier of building materials, has announced a new sponsorship deal with top trainer and legendary jockey Jonjo O'Neill.

The three-year agreement reflects Jewson's strategic alignment with elite sports and will see the merchant become the exclusive sponsor of Jonjo O'Neill Racing. Based at state-of-the-art stables Jackdaws Castle in Gloucestershire, the trainer is poised for a successful season with an enviable team of championship horses.

Previous riding highlights for Jonjo include winning the Champion Hurdle on Sea Pigeon and the Gold Cup on the Waterford owned mare Dawn Run. He has also trained winners such as Iris's Gift (Ladbroke's World Hurdle and John Smith's Liverpool Hurdle), Black Jack Ketchum (Spa Novices' Hurdle & Sefton Novices' Hurdle), Clan Royal (John Smith's Topham Chase and placed in two John Smith's Grand Nationals), and Exotic Dancer (Lethby & Christopher Chase and Betfair Bowl Chase) to name but a few, and is currently the leader in the British Jump Trainers' Championship.

Tony Newman, Sales and Marketing Director at Jewson, says: "We're delighted to be joining forces with Jonjo O'Neill Racing. Like Jewson, Jonjo is committed to being the best in his field and with jump racing such a popular sport among our core customers, our partnership seemed like a natural fit."

"This is an exciting time and at the start of the winter jumping season, with the first Cheltenham meeting just days away, the stables are hoping for some fantastic wins. We're confident that this is the start of a successful partnership and wish Jonjo O'Neill and his team well as we embark on this new venture."

Commenting about this new partnership, Jonjo O'Neill says: "I am delighted to welcome such a strong national brand as Jewson as our new sponsor. It has given the team a great lift at just the right time. New sponsor... new season ahead... great new riding gear and clothing for the lads and lasses and for our horses. We are raring to go, and well primed for the big challenges ahead!"

As a result of the sponsorship deal, sports fans across the country will see the familiar gold and blue Jewson logo emblazoned across all horsewear, jockey silks, and stable staff clothing, as well as on Jonjo O'Neill vehicle livery and at Jackdaws Castle.

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Photo shows jockey Kieren Fallon on George Washington

## THE FINAL FURLONG (IN ASSOCIATION WITH BETFAIR) WITH PHIL DELANEY

# 12/1 Champs can ruin Dylan's American swansong

Even those of us who sit down to watch our Saturday afternoon racing clutching no more than a 50 cent Lucky 15, can become immune to the ocean of money that surrounds flat racing. From the mind-boggling gambles in the sales ring on yearlings that mightn't run quick enough to keep themselves warm, to the sheer level of prize money at stakes level. None of it fazes us.

But, with its typical American-sized portions, the Breeders Cup meeting takes our breath away. On Saturday night next, eight Breeders Cup races carry a total pot of \$20 million. That's \$2 million for the first six races on the card, the Breeders Cup Turf is worth \$3 million and then the centrepiece of the meeting, the \$5 million Breeders Cup Classic.

Over the years European riders have provided some of the classic Breeders Cup moments. Who could forget Arazi's scintillating win in the Juvenile, Lester Piggott's remarkable ride on Royal Academy in the Mile, Dayjur jumping a shadow to lose the Sprint, and Giant's Causeway's terrific battle with Tiznow in the Classic.

Aidan O'Brien has course and distance form when it comes to the Breeders Cup. In his time at Ballydoyle he has saddled both Johannesburg (Juvenile) and High Chapparral (Turf). He sends over the enigmatic George Washington for a second attempt at the Classic but, alas, this column has written off George's chances of landing a race of this calibre any more. It would be wonderful to see, but it won't happen.

O'Brien should have better luck with Excellent Art in the Breeders Cup Mile. A strong argument could be made for this fellow to occupy the mantle of Europe's top miler. His close shaves in the French 2,000 Guineas, the Sussex Stakes and the QE2 were not helped by over exaggerated waiting tactics, and he deserves another chance.

The penultimate Breeders Cup Turf looks like it could be the last time we see Dylan Thomas on a racecourse. This wonderful son of Danehill comes here after his heroic Arc victory. It's no certainty that he will get the strong, even pace that he prefers and for this reason more than most I'm opposing

him with Champs Elysees.

This four year-old is a full brother to Banks Hill, a winner at the 2001 Breeders Cup. He's an improving sort from the Andre Fabre stable (no stranger to Breeders Cup success) and this has been his target for some time. He'll be a much more attractive betting proposition than O'Brien's stable star and at 12/1 is worth an each-way punt.

Incidentally, last weekend was another good one for the column. We advised you to "take a chunk" of Literato at 7/1 two weeks ago, and he came with an irresistible run to take Saturday's Champion Stakes at Newmarket. All in all the last month has been a healthy one for us - so hopefully you've taken advantage! Great War Eagle is a horse who you had been warned on more than one occasion to back next time out, and he did the business in a Listed race at Dundalk the other week. 'Notebook' members Conna Castle, Westlake, Dark Bolero and Timarwa were also on the mark, while only a misjudged ride from Jamie Spencer at Ascot burnt our 7/1 ante-post vouchers on Excellent Art for the QE2.

## One for the notebook

Two stables that have burst back into form are those of Michael Hourigan and Paul Nolan. Take note of Nolan's horses in handicaps over the next while, the stable's quiet spell may mean they are now on a good mark. Meanwhile the big smile is back on Michael Hourigan's face! Fresh from training Mossbank to an easy victory in the megabucks Munster National at Limerick he trained his first winner for fellow Limerickman JP McManus at Punchestown last week. Dancing Tornado (a winner of two bumpers at Cork last winter for Mickey Keane) took the two and a half mile maiden hurdle in nice style. He's a chestnut with lots of scope and one who has plenty of potential both over hurdles and fences. Put him in your notebook.

Advice: Breeders Cup Turf (Saturday), Champs Elysees 12/1 (general), Breeders Cup Classic (Saturday), Any Given Saturday 4/1 (general), Breeders Cup Mile (Saturday), Excellent Art 7/2 (totespot).

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## BLACKWATER F.C. NOTES

# Blackwater Back To Winning Ways

Following the poor performance last week away to Mogeely where Blackwater suffered their first defeat of the season it was important to put this poor result behind us. A welcome distraction from league saw us take on Inch in the Munster Junior Cup in a game that we had high ambitions of winning from the off.

However after 90 second Blackwater found themselves 1-0 down after a cross from the left saw the Inch player scoop it over P. Donavon. A disappointing start but plenty time left to recover. Less than 5 minutes later C. Shalloe put C. Radley through and he just slid it past the keeper and the outside of the post by a whisker. Disaster for Blackwater after 15 mins. When the Inch midfielder walked through to pass a ball to an unmarked player to stroke it past Donavon in the Blackwater goal. It was a soft goal to give away and 2-0 down while playing poorly made thing

look difficult for the home side. The home side had another great chance when Shalloe put C. Radley through again but he blasted it over the bar. The management duo of Ware and O'Connell recognised that Blackwater were out of sorts and brought on G. Donavon for J. Radley on the wing. On 37 minutes J. McGrath displayed great defending and delivered a fabulous deep ball to put the Inch defence under great pressure and they couldn't clear the ball properly. C. Radley collected the stray header and scoped it over the Inch keeper to claw one back to leave the score 2-1 to the visitors. Just before the break C. Radley turned provider when he delivered a superb cross for the impressive G. Donavon to put just wide. A determined Blackwater came out in the second half with two aims of not conceding again and pursue an equalising goal. The home side made the better start and C.

Radley and J. McGrath had some good chances. After 10 minutes we saw the welcome return from injury of A. Murphy who has been out since our first league game of the season who replaced S. Flavin. Very real chances followed and a bold move to leave 3 at the back allowed for A. Ronayne to replace S. Cotter to help win the midfield battle and push on for the equalizer. With 6 minutes remaining a perfectly delivered corner by C. Radley was powered home by K. Cotter to make it 2-2. A. Murphy followed shortly with a snap shot well saved by the Inch keeper. The inch keeper followed up with another impressive save to deny J. McGrath at the death. A 2-2 finish after full time meant extra time of 10 minutes per half to follow.

After all the hard work of coming from 2-0 down it was only for a truly top class save from P. Donavon that denied Inch taking the lead again in the only real chance of the first period. Blackwater brought on K. Barry for the injured G. Donavon after 5 minutes. Blackwater had the greater possession but nothing to show for their effort.

In the second period of extra time Blackwater piled forward for the winner when with 4 minutes left J. McGrath and K. Barry played a neat one two and when McGrath got the ball back to squeeze his shot under the Inch keeper to make it 3-2 to the home side and complete a memorable comeback for Blackwater. Well done to all the lads and good luck in the next round.

Team: P. Donavon; J. McGrath; K. Cotter; J. Healy; F. Cotter; S. Flavin; J. Radley; C. Shalloe; Jason Radley C. Radley; S. Cotter.

Subs: G. Donavon; A. Murphy; A. Ronayne; K. Barry

All at the club would like to wish A. Landers a speedy recovery from his shoulder injury and hope to see him in Blackwater colours again very soon.

## ABBEYSIDE SOCCER NOTES

DIVISION 3 LEAGUE

# Muscles Does The Trick

KILMACOW 2 ABBEYSIDE 4

At the Sports Complex in Kilmacow on Saturday evening last the Villagers turned in their best performance so far this season when they overcame a much more stronger and experienced Kilmacow team.

Abbeyside were ahead by 2 goals to 1 at the break with both goals coming from the boot of Gavin Flynn. Five minutes into the second half Kilmacow equalised with their scorer clearly in an offside position. The Villagers battled back and 6 mins later were awarded a penalty when Gavin Flynn was upended in the box. He blasted home the penalty to complete his hat-trick.

Kilmacow piled on the pressure in the final 25 minutes but the defence held strong and in injury time Stephen Karwey scored to ensure all three points for Abbeyside.

Team — A. Joyce, S. Fehilly, P. Wallace, K. Duhig, E. O'Donnell, S. Karney, J. Organ, M. Rapudel, S. Duggan, G. Flynn, M. Earley, Res; D. Cummins.

Training — Div. 3 7-8 pm Wednesday nights. New players welcome.

Fixture — Div. 3 Saturday 27th Bolton v Abbeyside (away). Cars leaving at 12.45 pm.

### LOTTO

Abbeyside AFC development lotto numbers drawn in Village Inn 5-15-21-26. No winner. 3 x 20 euro winners Daniel Murray, Alice Murphy, Catherine Kiely. Jackpot 3,000 euro.

Draw will take place in

Diplomat on Sunday, 28th at 8.30 pm. Tickets are 2 euro each. just pick 4 numbers to win or share in the jackpot. Thanks to all who continue to support our lotto.

# Kilmacthomas F.C. Notes

## ALPHA LOTTO RESULT

Winning Letters G, P, T, W — No Jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot €800. Weekly Winners (5 X €30) - 1) Leah Kiersey, Currabaha, Kilmac; 2) Larry Reidy, C/O PPI; 3) Tom Hallorhan, Kilmac; 4) Pat Kiersey, Currabaha, Kilmac; 5) Elaine Hallorhan, Kilmac. Thanks to Lenihan's. Next weeks draw will be held in Bally Inn

## JUNIOR FIXTURES

Sat 27th Oct

1A — Grannagh v Kilmac, kick-off 2.00pm

Sun 28th Oct

2nd Div — Kilmac v Dunmore, kick-off 11.00am

## SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES

Sat 27th Oct

U-14 — Kilmac v Ferrybank, kick-off 11.45am

## SCHOOLBOY RESULTS SFAI CUP UNDER-11

Kilmac 0 St. Kevins 5

This was a much tighter game than the final score suggests as the home side created some very good chances which they just couldn't convert. The game got off to a flying start as straight from the kick-off Ryan Gallagher raced on to a through ball and was in on goal only for the St Kevins keeper to get down well to save. Shortly after this some great work by Brendan Lynn down the left wing saw him cross a great ball into the danger area but once again the chance went to a begging. Kilmac were on top of play at this stage and were very unlucky not to be in the lead as they had created a number of chances.

It was only until the 15th minute that St Kevins forced the play. They attacked down the left wing and the cross to the back post was met by their center forward who rifled the ball into the top of the net. This little player was a joy to watch as his finishing was clinical, converting another two opportunities to the roof of the net giving the Kilmac keeper no chance.

Shortly after the first goal a speculative shot somehow managed to squirm under the Kilmac keeper Adam Wood but he redeemed himself, making some very good saves for the rest of

the game. Kilmac continued to work forward and chances fell to Ryan Gallagher and Brendan Lynn and they were unlucky to go in at half time 3 behind and still not on the score sheet.

St Kevins 4th was a very good individual goal as their big midfielder picked up the ball in his own half and after a driving run drove the ball in under the crossbar from outside the 18 yard box and their center forward scored the fifth to complete his hat-trick.

Managers Liam and Alan were very proud of their charges as they continued to work hard until the final whistle and by the tireless efforts of Adam Walsh, Conor Brown

## UNDER-13

Kilmac 0

Shamrock Rovers 4

As the two teams ran out for the start of the match, the home side knew they were in for a tough game as the size between the teams was quite apparent, as the visitors were a big strong team.

Things didn't start well for the home side either as they conceded a very sloppy goal shortly after kick-off. They came more into the game after this but chances up front were limited as the visitors back-line stood firm marshalled by their big center-half.

Try as they might, they just couldn't match the physical strength of their opponents and while they competed up until the final whistle they were always playing catch-up.

Special mention goes to Kieran Power who had an outstanding game at the back and well done to the squad for their performance.

## UNDER-15

Kilmac 5 St Kevins 4

The saying "the best is saved till last" was apt as this game was outstanding and was one of the best games seen in Alaska for some time.

The game started at a very fast pace with both teams going on the attack and it never relented until the final whistle. The action was fast and furious as the play

ebbed and flowed from one goal to the other as each side tried to gain the advantage.

St Kevins were the first to make the breakthrough as a quick attack down the wing was squared for the center-forward to coolly finish. They doubled their advantage shortly after when a corner kick was headed home.

Kilmac responded well and they created chances for David Sutton, Tom Kiersey and Kaelon Kiersey before they pulled one back from a corner kick, Eoin Walsh latching onto the ball to drive it low to the back of the net.

However St Kevins established their 2 goal lead just before half time when a free kick outside the area was drilled to the back of the goal, the "wall" disintegrating. Half-time 3-1 to St Kevins

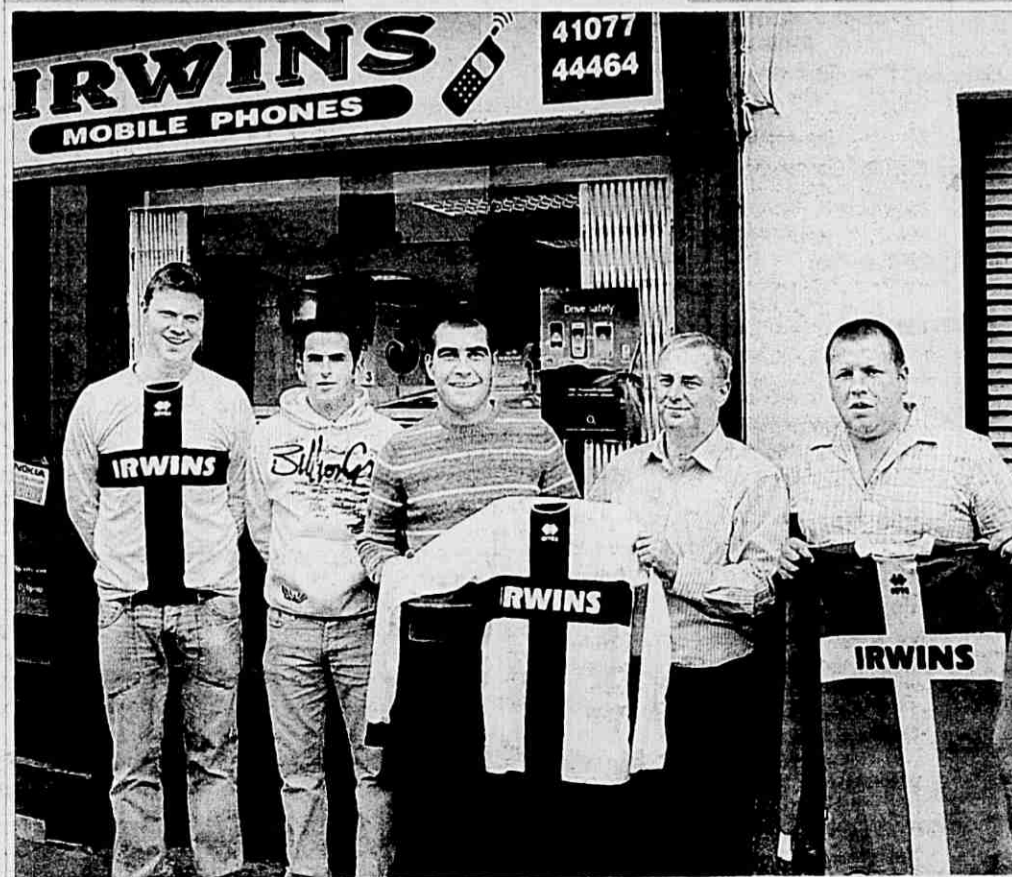
The start of the second half saw Paul Weldon go off injured to be replaced by David Hallahan onto the wing and he had an immediate affect, pulling one back for the home side.

His continued attacking runs down the right had the visitors defence in all sorts of trouble and when he crossed to the far post TJ Fitzsimons arrived to grab the equaliser with a fine header. Shortly after TJ was back on the score sheet when his cross into the danger area deceived the keeper and bounced into the net giving the home side the lead for the first time in the game.

Kilmac continued to pile on the pressure and a good chance fell to Eoin Walsh only for his finishing to let him down. He did get on the score sheet again when from a corner kick the ball fell to him to drill a shot to the bottom corner giving Kilmac a two goal lead.

St Kevins responded pulling one back with 2 minutes to go and the big crowd watching had a final nail-biting couple of minutes before the final whistle blew, ending a thrilling game.

Team: A Fanning, J Hurton, N Power, P Weldon, P Keating, K Kiersey, E Joy, E Walsh, D Sutton, T Kiersey, TJ Fitzsimon, Subs: D Hallahan, K Lynn, D Hasset, S Power, A Walsh.



Pictured above Michael Irwin of Irwins Dungarvan presenting new kit to Blackwater Rangers — Photo shows (left to right) Gary Ronayne, Johnny Healy, Brendan O'Connell, Michael Irwin (sponsor), Pat O'Donovan.

# ARDMORE A.F.C. NOTES

MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP:- PILTOWN A.F.C 1 - 1  
ARDMORE A.F.C. (FT) (AET) Piltown Win 4-2 on penalties

Our adult team may feel robbed after putting in a very good performance against Piltown last Sunday. We took the lead just after the start of the second period of play with a goal from Jamie Hennessy and played very well for the remainder of the half, then four minutes into injury time Piltown scored the equaliser. There were no further scores in extra-time so it was all down to penalties to decide who would progress to the next round. Unfortunately we came out on the wrong end of a 4-2 result from the penalty shoot-out, but we can take some good out of this result as all the team played very well for the 120 minutes.

## FIXTURE

PREMIER DIVISION:- ARDMORE V Araglen Celtic at 2-30 PM on next Monday 29th October at Dysert Park, Ardmore.

## TRAINING

A training session for the adult team will be held every Wednesday night from 8-00 p.m. to 9-00 p.m. on the astro turf pitch at the Youghal Utd. soccer club grounds. Players are asked to be ready to start at 8-00 p.m.

## SCHOOLGIRL SOCCER

Training sessions for U-14 & U-16 girls will be held every Saturday Evening at 5-00pm at Ardmore Soccer Field (WEATHER PERMITTING). Contact Adrian Yellop on 086 - 1017104 for more details.

## SOCCER ACADEMY

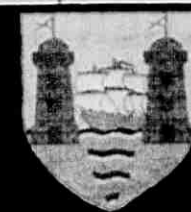
We will be holding the soccer academy every Saturday morning at 11-00am. The academy will be cancelled only if the weather is too bad on the morning of the academy. If there is any other reason to cancel the academy, we will try to contact all parents as early as possible during the week to inform them. So if there are any young boys and girls out there who would like to join in and learn some new skills and have fun in the process, please come along to Ardmore Soccer Field on Saturday mornings. The academy is open to boys and girls from the age of 6 & upwards.





# W.W.E.C.

West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



## Some Big Games Down For Decision This Weekend

### PREMIER DIVISION

#### CAPPOQUIN A V BRIDEVIEW A

These 2 teams met in the Tony Bolger Cup semi final last week and after a top class performance from both sides, Brideview progressed to the final with the only goal of the game. This time however with Cappoquin having home advantage we forecast a draw.

#### INCH V MOGEELY

Both these teams are going very well this year and in local derbies it's hard to forecast a result. However Mogeely are third in the league table. So we forecast Mogeely to win.

#### ARDMORE V ARAGLEN

Ardmore by their standards have got a very poor start to the season winning only 1 game out of six. We realise at this time of year they are understrength but if they don't start picking up points soon it may be too late. Araglen are mid-table and going nicely. Forecast Araglen to win.

#### KILWORTH V VALLEY RANGERS A

Kilworth have 6 points out of 5 games and are coming up against a Valley team who are at the top of the table and have lost no game. Forecast Valley to win.

#### ACCINGTON V CLASHMORE

Both these teams are without a win so far in the league and must start winning soon or it will be too late. Clashmore recently have played two of the top teams in Ireland in Clonmel Town and Carrick United in the National competitions and must have gained great experience from these games. Forecast a draw.

#### BLACKWATER V AN GHAELTACHT

Blackwater are having an excellent season so far. It's not easy being newly promoted and hold your own with the premier teams. Not only are they holding their own, they're second in the league table. An Ghaeltacht have lost only 1 league game so far and are always a formidable outfit with players like Kelly, Condon, Power etc. Forecast a draw.

#### DIVISION ONE GLENVIEW V BRIDEVIEW B

This game is a must win for both teams as they have 4 points each in the league table and need to improve sooner rather than later. Glenview with home advantage to shade it. Forecast Glenview to win.

#### CAPPOQUIN B V PINWOOD

This has the makings of an excellent game with Pinwood topping the table and Cappoquin 4th position. Cappoquin B are a strong outfit this year but Pinwood are unbeaten in the league. Forecast Pinwood to win.

## OSCAR TRAYNOR SIDE START THEIR CAMPAIGN

#### MODELIGO V CASTLEBRIDGE

Modeligo have 9 points from 7 games and had one of their best starts for a number of years. Last time out they came out on the wrong side of a 2-1 scoreline to Cappoquin B. Castlebridge are also going great guns this season and are second in the table with only 1 defeat. Forecast Castlebridge to win.

#### VALLEY B V INCH B

Both these teams are having a great season so far, being in 3rd and 4th positions respectively. Valley have had 4 wins while Inch have had 2 wins and 3 draws. Forecast Valley to win.

#### LISMORE V BALLYBRIDGE

Lismore are not having a great season by their own standards. However things have not run smoothly for them. They seem to have had problems fielding teams. Now Joe Tobin is back at the helm after having a rest last year.

Knowing Joe he will sort out a lot of their problems and we should see a big improvement. Ballybridge are very welcome back to the league after a number of years out. John McSweeney is doing Trojan work down Ballybridge way and as they gain experience they should become a force. Forecast Lismore to win.

#### TONY BOLGER CUP SEMI FINAL

##### Clashmore v Mogeely

This game was to go ahead last week under lights but was postponed. Clashmore have been very busy lately with both the FAI Junior Cup and the Munster Junior Cup. These competitions are fantastic for clubs to gain experience at this level and can only bring a club forward. Mogeely are having a great season so far and are third in the premier league. Gary Sweetnam and Co. are running things very smoothly. Forecast Mogeely to win.

#### TONY BOLGER PLATE SEMI FINAL

##### Inch v Valley Rangers

Inch with their backroom team of Declan Fogarty, Alan McNamee, Anthony Kenneally and Peter Savage have both their teams in promising positions in both leagues and are having an excellent year. Likewise Valley Rangers with their first team premier league leaders and their second team in third position in the first division. Well done to Derry O'Leary, Paul Kenneally and co. Forecast Valley to win.

## OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP

Next Sunday we open our campaign in the Oscar Traynor Cup with a daunting task of playing the Clare League in Ennis at 2.30 pm. Best wishes to manager David Condon, Assistant Manager Joe Tobin and coach Michael Looby. In preparation for this game they played a challenge against the Kilkenny League last Thursday night under lights in the Cappoquin complex. Having been in attendance I was impressed by what I saw.

This Kilkenny team reached the final last year and that's some achievement. On the night we played some great soccer being beaten by the only goal of the game. This squad looks very promising and we wish them

well. As there are no other games fixed for Sunday we hope to have a lot of support from the clubs to cheer on their clubmates. See ye there.

## MUNSTER YOUTHS CUP

#### Pinewood v Piltown

Pinewood Youths team go in search of glory for their club in the first round of the Munster Youths Cup against Kilkenny outfit Piltown. Up Ballymacarby way they expect a lot from this team this season. We wish them the best of luck in this competition, also to their dedicated mentors who have brought this team along through their underage system - Brendan O'Connor, Pat Power, Shane Whelan etc.

These notes were compiled by Mike O'Neill in the absence of our dedicated PRO Paddy Pollard who is on well deserved holidays.

## W.W.E.C. FIXTURES

### FRIDAY 26TH OCTOBER

#### Mari Mina Pharmacy Premier Div.

Bride View A v Cappoquin A 7.30 p.m. T. Horgan.

### SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER

#### Sherry Fitzgeralds Reynolds 1st Division

Cappoquin B v Pinewood 7.00 p.m. P. Marks

### SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER

#### Oscar Traynor Cup

Clare League v W.W.E.C.

#### MUNSTER YOUTH CUP

Pinewood v Piltown 2.30pm. P. Brown

### MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER

#### Mari Mina Pharmacy Premier Division

Inch A v Mogeely 2.30 p.m. T. Horgan

Ardmore v Arglin 2.30 p.m. E. Cusack

Kilworth v Valley A 2.30 p.m. E. Mc Carthy

Accrington v Clashmore 2.30 p.m. T. Griffin

Blackwater v An Ghaeltacht 2.30 p.m. R. Barrett

#### Sherry Fitzgeralds Reynolds 1st Division.

Glenview v Bride View B 2.30 p.m. S. Ford

Modeligo v Castlebridge 2.30 p.m. D. Coleman

Valley B v Inch B 2.30 p.m. D. O'Sullivan

Lismore v Ballybridge 2.30 p.m. P. Griffin

### THURSDAY 1ST NOVEMBER

#### Tony Bolger Cup semi final.

#### Sponsored by Dungarvan Leader

Clashmore v Mogeely in Cappoquin at 8.00 p.m.

#### Tony Bolger Plate semi-final.

#### Sponsored by Dungarvan Leader

Blackwater v Valley in Tallow at 8.00 p.m.

## W.W.E.C. Junior League Results

### LUCOZADE SPORT MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP

#### Bride View 6 An Ghaeltacht 4

Goalscorers: Brideview- T Ryan 3, Keith Landers 1, William Henley 1.

An Ghaeltacht - Shane Kelly 1, Mike Tobin 1, Dave Condon 1, Liam Grace 1.

#### Blackwater 3 Inch 2 (aet)

Goalscorers: Blackwater- ?????

Inch - Graham Gillman 2.

#### Piltown 1 Ardmore 1

(Piltown won on penalties)

Goalscorer: Ardmore - Jamie Hennessy 1.

#### Cappoquin 1 Bolton 1

(Cappoquin won on penalties)

Goalscorer: Cappoquin - Shane Troy

### SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIV.

#### Castlebridge 2 Bride View 1

Goalscorers: Castlebridge - Mick Hegarty 1, Chris Relihan 1. Bride View - Mark O'Brien 1.

#### Pinewood 2 Valley Rgs 1

Goalscorers: Pinewood - Oliver Smith 1, Gerard McGrath 1. Valley Rgs - Donal Caples 1.

## Stradbally AFC Notes

### UNDERAGE

Our Under-11 team made the long journey to Enniscorthy on Saturday last for the first round of the all Ireland cup. The trip was awarded with a well deserved 4-0 win. Goals from Daniel Weldon, Robert Finn, Ciaran Cusack and Stephen Keane. Michael Ahearn was in fine form and is one for the future. Ger Crowley also caught the eye. Thanks to all those who made the long journey. Special thanks to Shamrock Rovers for their hospitality on the day.

### UNDER-11B

Played home to Carrick and were beaten 3-1. The team played well at times, but tend to find games a bit long. James Whelan, Alex Pollock were on top form and Darren McGuicken was our goal scorer.

### "UP AND RUNNING"

Sunday last saw us kick off our girls league. We had our 4 teams and 36 girls took to the field in quest of the Parish league championship. First up was the Ballylaneen and Village girls - the honour of first goal scorer fell to Sammy Condon. Danielle Hurley tapped home another to make it 2 nil to the Village girls. Bally had a few missing but played hard through out. Chloe Lannon and Aoife Power kept their team going and were unlucky not to score, but our number 1 keeper, Lisa Condon, kept them at bay.

The second game was a first class affair between Faha and Durrow. Top scorer Katie White put Faha ahead in the first minute, Nicola Fennell struck home a super shot to equalise. Both goal keepers were in top form as Niamh Lonergan for Faha and Susan Queally, Durrow, made great saves. Both Managers were happy with the result. Thanks to Noelle Weldon for refereeing the games.

Kick off is Sunday 28th at 12.00 sharp. So please girls get out of bed in time. Contact Tel for all girls is 087 7985030 or 293335

### ACADEMY

We have over 30 children in this group and help is still needed to teach the early skill of the game in a fun and friendly environment.

### "FROM THE LINE"

A big surge in the sale of SAT-NAV systems was reported in the shops over the weekend, especially if the U11 are away next weekend. Nathan Condon is going to be upset as the bag pack is off this weekend as he was looking forward to packing eggs and tomatoes. Hope you all enjoy the Kill disco next Saturday especially Sarah, Chantelle, Lauren, Frankie and Dannelle.

Congrats to Michael Walsh on his well deserved all-star award. Please bring the McCarthy Cup home next year.

### LOTTO

21/10/07. No jackpot winners. Numbers 7, 10, 12, 17. €25 winners - Danni, Lia, Ally Cunningham, Nina Fee, Bridget Cummins.



# BALLINROAD SCHOOLBOY SOCCER NOTES

## UNDER-11 SOCCER NEWS

### Looby Scores Hat-Trick

Last Saturday our under 11 team traveled to Kilmacow for a top of the table clash, with both sides undefeated so far this season. From the start Ballinroad took control of the game from the home side and at half time led 3-1 thanks to goals by David Looby and Mikey Coleman. Within five minutes of the second half Looby had his hatrick to make it 4-1, however Kilmacow pulled one back to make it 4-2 and only for some great defensive play they could have scored again. The Ballinroad boys continued playing good football and in the closing stages a cross from Mikey Coleman to John Elsted who buried the ball in the back of the net to make it 5-2.

A great result which puts our lads top of the division with five wins out of five matches.

**Panel of players:** Steven Cliffe, Jack Duggan, Connor Prunty, Ciaran O'Neill, Tadgh Prendergast, John Elsted, Conor McCarthy, Mikey Coleman, Eoin Kiely, David Looby, Paul Tobin. **Subs:** Gerard Veale, Tom O' Rourke, Louis Pettit, Darragh Drummey, Daniel Flynn, all subs were used.

## UNDER-13 SOCCER NEWS

### Ballinroad 4 Portlaw 0

Having been held to a one all draw by a determined Portlaw outfit in the away fixture, Ballinroad had everything to play for in what was expected to be a tough encounter.

We took the lead on 15 mins when David Early used his speed to run onto a through ball from Jack Lacey to finish coolly.

Shortly after Early was brought down in the box and stepping up to take the penalty himself scored after the keeper saved his effort and the ball rebounded back to him.

Danny Davis added a third midway through the second half. Conor Regan added a fourth after a good cross from Davis.

Overall this was a solid team performance which epitomises the effort that this group of players have been putting in this season.

## MANCHESTER UNITED SUPPORTERS CLUB WATERFORD BRANCH MEETING

There will be a meeting on this Friday night in Lawlors Hotel at 8 pm sharp. It will be preceded by a committee meeting at 7.30 pm sharp. A full attendance is requested at both meetings.

### VILLA BRUSHED ASIDE

A fantastic attacking display put highflying Villa in their place. A rampaging Rooney netting twice and missing a penalty, the other goals coming from (claiming them anyway) Rio and Giggsy. Again a good crowd in Keane's and Timmy snr made sure everyone was well fed with the complimentary food at half and full time. Thanks it went down a treat !!!!

### CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

By the time these notes are read we will hopefully be celebrating another victory in this years champions league group stages. Head on the block time with prediction again 2-0 United Man of the Moment Rooney scoring first.

### OUT OF SORTS BORO NEXT UP

We entertain Boro at Old Trafford on Saturday next with the unusual kick off time of 3 o'clock. This match is LIVE on Setanta sports and we will be well represented at this match by the vice chairman and his crew so enjoy the weekend lads-hope there are lots of goals.

### MATCH TICKETS AND CHANGES

Due to the recent changes in fixtures we have had members pull out of certain matches. In the event of this happening tickets MUST be paid for as it is not the fault of the branch that these fixtures change. In fact as soon as we are made aware every effort is made that members know as quickly as possible. With that in mind all members who have their names down for any matches are only provisional until their match ticket is paid for. Contact the secretary on 086 3925677 or any committee member for clarification on this matter.

### CHRISTMAS DRAW

We have been generously sponsored for the draw by John Keane's Bar, Garvey's Super Valu and Eamonn Cummins bookmakers so we encourage all members to remember our sponsors when out and about.

### SYMPATHY

All in the branch would like to offer our sympathies to Maurice Walsh on the death of his sister Ita recently. May she rest in peace.



Pictured above is the high flying Under 11 Dungarvan United Team, who defeated Seaview Celtic 6-1 on Saturday last. The lads are doing superbly in their first season of competitive football. Congratulations to the team and their coaches Joe Hart and David Mulvihill on their great start. As they say, success breaths success! The under 11 team have had numerous requests in recent times for new additions to be made to the panel. It is a fantastic story that so many people wish to play soccer with Dungarvan United, but unfortunately we can only play 11 players and 5 subs. We are asking our newcomers who are still aged 10 and who will be eligible to play under 11 next year to come out to the soccer club on Saturdays from 1.30pm to 2.30pm to train with the academy. Our academy is open year round (except Bank Holiday weekends) to all boys and girls age 6 - 10.

## Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

### JUNIOR RESULTS

Munster Junior Cup - Dungarvan Utd 3 Granagh 1

### JUNIOR FIXTURES

Sunday October 28th

1st Division - Dungarvan Utd v Carrick 11am

### SCHOOLBOY RESULTS

Under-11 - Dungarvan Utd 4 Seaview Celtic 0

SFAI Under-15 - Dungarvan Utd given a walkover against Curracloe from Wexford

### SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES

Saturday 27th October

Under-12 - Dungarvan Utd v Abbeyside 10.30am

### JUNIOR ROUND-UP

We welcomed Granagh to Kilrush on Sunday and having given us a bit of a scare the previous week, we knew well we'd have to be top form. A bit of shuffling in the team selection was needed as we were minus a few regulars.

A pretty even start to the game with both teams looking nervous that was until Micheal Downey took things into his own hands, skipped past a couple of defenders before hitting an unstoppable shot to the back of the net. This should have settled us down but to Granagh's credit they came into the game and equalised just before half time.

We needed to up the tempo and our performance in general and to our credit, that's exactly what happened. Some slick one touch passing and Granagh couldn't keep up. Jondy Byrne was fouled outside the box and T Butler dispatched the free kick in explosive fashion.

It was all Dungarvan now and only for some poor finishing and good goalkeeping it could have been 6 or 7 before J Lacey finally made it safe with a well taken goal. So it's away to either Cappoquin or Bolton in the next round.

### UMBRO FAI JUNIOR CUP

We got the advantage of a home draw against Ferrybank on the weekend of November 3/ 4 so come out and support the Blues in this massive fixture.

### SATURDAY SOCCER ACADEMY

Please note as this is a Bank Holiday Weekend, there will be no academy on Saturday. We are back as usual on Saturday week, 3rd November at 1.30pm.

### DUNGARVAN UNITED LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 13, 16, 17. No winner. €25 voucher winners were M. Downey and Fr. Geoghegan. Next draw takes place on Tuesday, October 30 in the Tudor House for a jackpot of €2,800. Tickets on sale at The Gows Bride Dee's, John Keane's, Tudor House and Enterprise. €2 each or 3 for €5.

## CUNNIGAR PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES

### FUNDRAISING - PLEASE VOLUNTEER

BAG PACKING Friday 2nd November & Saturday 3rd November The Committee needs more volunteers for this event which will be in Dunnes Stores at The Shopping Centre in Dungarvan. This is a great opportunity to make much needed funds for our Club and we would appreciate if you only have 10 - 15 minutes to spare on any of the two days to come in and help. Thank You.

### TURKEY COMPETITIONS EVERY SATURDAY

We had a great turnout last week for the first competition. Looking forward to seeing even more people next week. Please ensure your name is in by 1.45 p.m. to be in the draw. Tee off time is 2.00 p.m. sharp.

JUVENILE COMPETITIONS - EVERY SUNDAY AT 2.00 p.m. Just a reminder to all the Juveniles to keep coming to the Sunday competitions, it is lovely to see so many participating. Best of luck.

### COMPETITION RESULTS

LADIES DAY Wednesday 17th October  
Best Nett: Eileen Mangan and Best Gross: Mary Donnelly  
TURKEY COMPETITION Saturday 20th October  
Best Nett: Mary Donnelly & Joan Dower, Best Gross: Mary Walsh & Billy Hickey

### CHANGE TO DATE OF COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next meeting at the Clubhouse will be on 6th November. All committee members are requested to attend.

### THANK YOU

Our Chairman T.F. McCarthy on behalf of The Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club would like to thank GlaxoSmithKline for their kind donation towards the improvement of the Course. GlaxoSmithKline has always supported our Club in the past and we hope this happy situation will continue in the future.



Frankie Wright supporting Mens Captain's Day Competition 2007



# West Waterford Golf And Country Club



Prizewinners in the Al-Eile Stud sponsored competition at West Waterford Golf Club with seated centre, Brendan Cullinan, Club President, Donal O'Regan, representing Al-Eile Stud (sponsor), Michael Landers (winner) and Michael O'Dwyer, Club Captain. (Pic: Sean Byrne)

## COMPETITION RESULTS

Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st October - Club Competition

1st: Liam O'Brien (8) - 39pts.  
2nd: Billy Nugent (15) - 29pts.  
Gross: Carl O'Callaghan (3) - 34pts.  
3rd: Christy Murphy (16) - 39pts.  
CSS: 37

## GRAND FINAL OF OPEN QUALIFIER

Kindly Sponsored by Al Eile Stud

The Grand Final of the Al Eile Stud Open qualifier took place on Sunday 21st October. Competition was intense as all the qualifiers tried their utmost to lift the coveted title of Grand Final winner for 2007, which of course carries with it a five year exemption from qualifying in future Open qualifiers. This weekly competition generates huge interest year on year with this years being the most successful to date. The Al Eile Stud Open Qualifier is a keystone of the golfing calendar at West Waterford Golf and Country Club. The presentation of a fabulous array of prizes took place before a packed clubhouse on Sunday Evening.

## AL EILE GRAND FINAL RESULTS:

1st Nett: Michael Landers (17) - 40pts; 1st Gross: Gordon Adair (5) - 34pts; 2nd Nett: Brian

O'Callaghan (14) - 40pts; 2nd Gross: Morrie Ferncombe (4) - 33pts; 3rd Nett: Mike Drohan (14) - 39pts; 3rd Gross: Philip Spratt (5) - 33pts; 4th Nett: Billy Nugent (15) - 39pts; 5th Nett: Jim Ryan (13) - 38pts; 6th Nett: John Walsh (12) - 38pts.

Overall Best Nett Qualifier: Willie Lyons (17) - 44pts.

Overall Best Gross Qualifier: Alan Harty (scratch) - 39pts.  
CSS: 37

A sincere thank you to all the members and our numerous visitors who have supported our Open Qualifier since last April, ensuring its tremendous success this year, we look forward to seeing you all back in April 2008 when the Al Eile Stud Open Qualifier will resume. Patrons are also reminded that we will have an Open Wednesday competition (Autumn/Winter) each and every Wednesday until further notice.

## AL EILE STUD OPEN QUALIFIER

Wednesday 17th October  
1st: Peter Delahunty (12) Tramore G.C. - 39pts. 2nd: Kieran Cleary (19) W.W.G.C.C. - 38pts. Gross: Adrian Yellop (12) W.W.G.C.C. - 28pts. 3rd: Gavin Fitzgerald (12) W.W.G.C.C. -

37pts. 4th: Richie Hurley (16) W.W.G.C.C. - 37pts. 5th: Paul Marks (16) W.W.G.C.C. - 37pts.  
CSS: 38

Autumn/Winter Opens resume each and every Wednesday  
Next Competition Wednesday 24th October

## FIXTURES

Wednesday 24th October - Autumn/Winter Open Competition  
Saturday 27th October, Sunday 28th October and Bank Holiday Monday 29th October - Open Singles for both Ladies and Gents kindly sponsored by Dungarvan Property Services (Bobby Walsh 086-8128140)

Wednesday 31st October - Autumn/Winter Open Competition  
Sunday 18th November - Captains' Golf Day

Wednesday 28th November - Annual General Meetings of both the Ladies and Gents Clubs at 8pm sharp in the Clubhouse

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website:

## NAMES ONLY ON TIMESHEETS AND CANCELLED TEE-TIMES

With more limited time available for play and increased playing numbers, the practice of putting down a name +1 or +2 is no longer acceptable. With immediate effect +1 or +2 on singles timesheets will be removed. Only individual names will suffice as this identifies who is actually booked in to play. This facilitates the smooth running of the timesheet. All members are also urged to telephone the office, at the earliest opportunity, if they wish to cancel a tee time that they have previously booked, in the interest of fairness to all. Please remember: Players with their names on the timesheet have priority on the 1st tee.

## OCTOBER BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND

An Open Singles Competition with separate prizes for ladies and gents will be held on Saturday 27th October, Sunday 28th October and Bank Holiday Monday 29th October. The 3 day competition on what promises to be a very busy weekend at the

club is being kindly sponsored by Dungarvan Property Services (Bobby Walsh 086-8128140) and we are most grateful for his support. To book a tee-time simply telephone West Waterford on 058-43216 or 058-41475.

## QUIZ NIGHT ON FRIDAY 26th OCTOBER

All members and their friends are encouraged to come along to support this event which takes place on Friday 26th October at West Waterford Golf Club. All proceeds are to support the fundraising efforts of staunch and loyal club member and incoming President for 2008 Bertie Hallahan who is supporting a team of builders who are going to build houses for people in need in the townships of Capetown, South Africa under the auspices of the Niall Mellon Township Trust for 2007.

## CAPTAINS' GOLF DAY

On Sunday 18th November Club Captains Joanna and Michael will host their Golf Day. It will take the form of a 9-hole scramble for Ladies and Gents with a shotgun start at 1pm. This will be followed by finger food, entertainment and a presentation of all outstanding prizes including prizes for all Club match-play winners. All members are urged to participate on the day for this most important social get together.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

The Annual General Meetings of both the Ladies and the Men's Club will take place on Wednesday 28th November at 8pm in the Clubhouse.

## NEW SCORE CARD

Last weekend saw the launch and introduction of our new full-colour 3 leaf scorecard kindly sponsored by Spratt Property Partners. The Club is most grateful for this generous sponsorship from Club Member Eamonn Spratt and his company Spratt Property Partners which is a family business successfully selling property in the County since 1938. Spratt Property Partners may be contacted on 058-42211 www.propertypartners.ie.

## DEISE GOLF PASS NEWS

At a recent meeting of the participating Golf Clubs from the Deise Pass Initiative, it was agreed to proceed with a series of Open Winter Competitions. There will be 5 qualifiers each week in each Golf Club (3 members and 2 non-members), which will mean that there will be 100 golfers for the Grand Final which will take place in April, with a precise date and venue to be arranged. West Waterford's 2 weeks are 12th November to 18th November 2007 and 3rd March to 9th March 2008.

The full list is as follows:  
Carrick on Suir - 1st October to 7th October 2007 and 21st January to 27th January 2008.

Dungarvan - 8th October to 14th October 2007 and 28th January to 3rd February 2008.

Dunmore East - 15th October to 21st October 2007 and 4th to 10th February 2008, if verified by 10 a.m. Wednesday 5th September.

Faithleg - 22nd October to 28th October 2007 and 11th February to 17th February 2008.

Gold Coast - 29th October to 4th November 2007 and 18th February to 24th February 2008.

Tramore - 5th November to 11th November 2007 and 25th February to 2nd March 2008.

West Waterford - 12th November to 18th November 2007 and 3rd March to 9th March 2008.

Waterford Castle - 19th November to 25th November 2007 and 10th March to 16th March 2008.

Waterford - 26th November to 2nd December 2007 and 17th March to 23 March 2008.

Williamstown - 3rd December to 9th December and 24th March to 30th March 2008.

There may be time limitations at some clubs.

## DUNGARVAN GOLF TRIANGLE

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.

## 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

Congratulations to Jean Conway for her hole in one on the 13th this past Sunday.

## RESULTS

9 Hole Al Eile Sunday 21st Oct - 1st: Jenny Sweeney (13) 20pts back 6; 2nd: Eleanor Murnaghan (15) 20pts; 3rd: Aine Parks (33) 19pts

13 hole ongoing Lancome Breast Cancer with re-entry - 1st: Aine Parks (33) 29pts; 2nd: Jenny Sweeney (13) 28pts back 7; 3rd: Eleanor Murnaghan (15) 28pts

## FIXTURES

13 hole ongoing 22nd-26th Oct. Open 18 hole S/F Sat, Sun, Mon. 27-29 Oct with re-entry. 9 Hole ongoing for October

## QUIZ NIGHT

on Friday 26th October  
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## Club Contact details

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# Lismore Golf Club Notes

## Results

Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st October - 18 Hole Stroke - 1st Marty McNamara (13) 63; 2nd Colin Paul (13) 64; 3rd Ted O'Leary (13) 66; CSS Sat & Sun 68

## Fixtures

Saturday 27th - Monday 29th Open 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Bernie Glavin. Timesheet 058-54026

## Lismore Ladies Golf Club

Results - Wed 17th Oct 18 Hole S/F Member Prize - 1st Sheila Denn (21) - 35 pts; 2nd Connie Dowd (21) - 33 pts; Gross: Shivie O'Meara (13) - 19 gross pts



# Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

## WINTER LEAGUE

The new format Winter League - as suggested by members - attracted nearly 100 but there is still time to get your name in before Sunday's draw; the more teams we have the better the league will be. The notice in the foyer gives all the details, and the hope is that the league will begin on the first weekend of November, and continue over nine league weekends up to February end. There will be no league from Dec 13th to Jan 10th 2008.

League players should put their €15 entry, with their name and handicap written on one of the envelopes provided, in the Score Card box in the Gents' locker room; names will be put in 'pots' by handicap and drawn at random in the main bar on Sunday afternoon at 5 p.m. To find out what team you are on visit the Gents' Locker Room early next week, especially as the league is starting on the weekend of Thurs/Fri/Sat/ Sun 1st/2nd/3rd/4th Nov.

You can save the committee the task of 'ringing round' to get names to fill teams; so, don't put it on the long finger, get your name in.

Winter League Format: 4 scores to count in rounds 1, 2 and 3; 5 scores to count in rounds 4, 5 and 6; 6 scores to count in rounds 7, 8 and 9. This will be changed only if the committee has to reduce the size of teams due to less entries than anticipated. Total Stableford points will be carried forward through the 9 rounds. The top 8 teams will qualify for the second stage: if teams finish level on points their placing will be decided on total score for Round 9; if they are still level, Round 8 will determine the places, and so on. There will be no match play: Quarter-finals 1v8, 4v5, 3v6 and 2v7.

Semi-final: 1 or 8 v 4 or 5; 3 or 6 v 2 or 7.

For Quarter-finals, Semi-finals and Final the teams will be listed according to handicap, with the persons listed lowest going 'head-to-head' on Stableford points, which must be in the club competition, and so on through the list. If teams finish level on 'head-to-heads' won, the result will be decided by the total Stableford points scored by the teams. If they are still level the result between the lowest handicap player on the list will determine the result, and so on up the list. All competitions will be decided on 16 holes.

## LADIES WINTER LEAGUE

The list for names is now on display in the Ladies locker room, so if you are interested in some competitive winter golf, please put your name in for team selection.

## BREDA MCCARTHY - TAKE A BOW!

Breda walked away with the Golfer of the Year title, and that's no surprise. This award was decided on nine competitions between May 1st and August 31st when Breda featured often with either her nett or gross score; in each competition there were ten points for first, nine for second and so on. Breda won the Lady Captain's (Emer O' Kennedy) Prize and one other competition, and was in third place in the President's (Seán Wade) Prize, to lay the foundation for the overall award. A first time winner of the Golfer of the Year, hearty congratulations are due to Breda for her consistency over the season.

## 'PEOPLE IN NEED TELETHON'

There will be a Table Quiz in the clubhouse on Fri night 26th at 8.30 p.m. Entry fee will be €25 per team of four, and all money raised will go to the 'People in Need Telethon'. Tom Mulcahy and Noel Brennan will run the show - and you know what that means! There will be questions to suit everybody, with lots of fun. See you there I hope.

## LOTTO

Numbers drawn this week were 2, 5, 17, 19 and there was no Jackpot winner. €15 winners were Laboure Cliffe, Geradine Reynolds, Kieran Curran, Heidi Nielsen and Billy Queally. Next weeks Jackpot will be €9,450. Thanks for your support.

## AGMs

By the time you read this the new officers and committees of the Ladies' and Gents' Clubs will be installed to face a year of organising and running golf activities. There will be lots to do towards serving the members, with policy and priorities reviewed and evaluated at the AGMs. The following ladies have been appointed for the year, and we all wish them the best with their endeavours: Captain Ann Fitzgerald, Vice-captain Ann Stack, Hon. Sec. Ina H. Considine, Hon. Treasurer Marie Ryan, Handicap Sec. Carmel Fox, Ex Officio Emer O' Kennedy, and committee Bríd Killigrew, Breda Kirwan and Margaret Harty.

The Men's Club have Alan Butler as Captain, Noel Brennan as Vice-captain, Tom Mulcahy as Hon. Sec, Vincent Hayes as Hon. Treasurer and James P. Hayes as Competition Secretary. Tadhg Sheehan will be Ex Officio, Tom Quinlan, Handicap Secretary, along with committee members Maurice Cliffe and Brian Fahy.

In wishing the newly-appointed officers and committees the best for the season we salute the outgoing Captains Emer and Tadhg and their committees, and thank them for their contribution during the past year. Their work was done in close collaboration with the Management Committee and Pro-shop personnel, with a huge amount of back-up from the office team.

## Handicaps

Tom Quinlan, our popular and able Handicap Secretary, has been busy lately. He finally caught up with the guys who had featured in fourballs, scrambles, rumbles, team events, classics etc during the season. Most of the cuts were taken on the chin, but who would want to be a handicap secretary? Tom has posted a notice in the clubhouse about handicapping during the winter, the notional standard scratch for 16-hole competitions, the fact that all handicaps will be restored after winter golf, and all handicaps will be reviewed before the start of the 2008 season. Tom also told me of the GUI moves requiring golfers in the future to return a minimum number of cards each year from qualifying competitions, without which the golfer's handicap will be suspended; there will be more information anon about this.

## WINTER WOOLLIES

With the cold and wet of winter delaying their arrival, we have more time to think of suitable clothing and gear. Dave in the Pro-shop tells me he has a full range of wet gear, and he recommends the 'breathable' type; these jackets and leggings allow you to stay dry without perspiring heavily. To keep your clubs dry the advice is to get a cover to go totally around the bag to keep all rain out. Yes, it is a chore to get the clubs dry, especially the grips, so the message is zero tolerance of rain getting through. Don't forget a pair of all-weather gloves which allow you to hold the clubs on the odd occasion when you are out on the course in the rain and going well. And, of course, you can't beat a pair of waterproof shoes, especially if you take the trouble to let them dry naturally and protect them with Vaseline or dubbin.

For maximum protection, comfort and warmth I am told golfers should wear Gore-tex products, which have been developed over thirty years. They are said to be waterproof, windproof and breathable, due to the microscopic pores and oil-hating substance which allow the perspiration out while keeping the heat in. I hear that the manufacturers of Gore-tex garments have combined colour, design and comfort, but advise that the correct maintenance procedures when washing and drying must be followed, thus ensuring many years of comfort while pursuing and enjoying outdoor activities. It beats the prospect of men dressing in ladies' tights to stay warm while golfing; don't press me to name names!

## SOUTH-EAST JUNIOR ALLIANCE

Congratulations to Jimmy Wemyss, our only member to win a prize - 2nd with 37 points - at the recent SEJA out-

ing at Clonmel GC. This week's outing was at Dungarvan, but none of our members featured.

Members often enquire about such groups as the Junior Alliance. Several clubs in the south-east are involved, and they play ten outings during the autumn/winter period, visiting each course once. Jack Elstead is our convenor, and he tells me that our quota of members is nearly twenty; he also tells me that there is some turn-over in membership, and that he likes to use all our places. With next year in mind, if you are interested contact Jack and get your name on the waiting list.

## PROGRESSIVE 45

While our retired squash players were at Minnies to indulge in the nostalgia of launching a book of memories, the Forty-five players were at the golf club to indulge their passion. We love to see new faces, and there's usually a game after the drive. So, come along any Thursday at 8.30 p.m. If you have no partner we're sure to find you one to play the fifteen game drive. Winners last week were the brother and sister pair of Chrissie Terry and Johnny Hogan. Runners-up were Nuala Harty and Ann Morrissey; Derry Cotter and Martin Landers won the 'best of the last five' prize, and the 'lucky table' prize went to Pat Harty and Tom Curran.

## SIXTY.COM

They went to Mallow on Monday for the return seniors match, with a great day of golf and grub assured for the many who travelled. Last week's winner of the 9-hole for over sixties was Frank Ryan (16) with 20 pts. Mary McGrath (35) won the Best Lady prize with 16 pts, and Tom Phelan (18) was the Best Gent with 18. They had their usual chat, tea/coffee, snooker, cards, and general enjoyment after golf; with numbers growing all the time, Tom Phelan tells me they are always glad to see newcomers. The 'Fifty-somethings' played their weekly nine holes too, with Marie Ryan (27) emerging as the winner with 18 pts. Both groups play on Wednesdays, early in the afternoon.

## RULES CORNER

Must I take relief from Ground Under Repair (GUR)? No. My ball is in a 'rabbit scrape' in a bunker. Have I relief? Yes, you always have relief from a hole made by a burrowing animal. Have I relief from staked trees; in other words may I drop away? At Dungarvan you have no relief; in some places you have, so you should read the information on the scorecard and on notices displayed near the first tee.

With Winter Rules due any day, remember it is usually 6" you are allowed, and no more; once the ball is placed it is in play, so you may not replace it. Finally, don't forget you may not ask for or give any advice that might influence club selection or method of playing a shot. If you do you are in breach of the rules and liable to penalty.

## GENTS RESULTS

Thur 18th Open 18H S/ford - 1st T. Considine (9) 41 pts; 2nd D. Barry (13) 40; Gross D. Walsh (4) 35; 3rd T. M. Curran (19) 39 CSS 38.

Fri 19th - Open 18H S/ford 1st P. Walsh (7) 43 pts 2nd D. Walsh (4) 41 CSS 38.

Sat 20th - 18 H S/ford 1st T. Power (16) 40 pts; 2nd E. Walsh (15) 40; Gross D. Williams (3) 36; 3rd J. Franklin (15) 39; 4th J. Moloney (15) 39 CSS 37.

Sun 21st - 18H S/ford 1st O. O' Mahoney (10) 40 pts; 2nd J. P. Hayes (11) 39; Gross J. O' Donnell (5) 33; 3rd M. O' Mahoney (13) 39. CSS 38

## GENTS FIXTURES

Thurs 25th to Mon. 29th Oct. Open 18H singles each day.

## LADIES RESULTS

Tues 16th Oct 16H S/ford - winner P. Flanagan (18) 37 pts; runner-up M. Phelan (24) 35; 3rd K. Phelan (16) 34.

Sat 20th - Winner M. Carthy (32) 37 pts; 2nd I. Considine (25) 36; 3rd T. Baumann (10) 36 CSS 36.

Ladies Fixtures - Sat 27th Open 18H S/ford; Mon 29th Open 18H S/ford; Tues 30th 18H S/ford.

# GOLD COAST GOLF NOTES

## Mansfield EBS Winter League

The league got off to a flying start this week and one hundred and thirty two players out of a possible one hundred and forty took part. The weather was a major plus and hopefully it will remain so for the foreseeable future. The results from the first round are as follows: Copper Coast 24, Dunhill B 23.5, Dungarvan 22.5, Abbeyside 20.5, Waterford 19.5, Cork 19, Tourneena/Nire 19, Ballinacourty 18.5, Dunhill A 18.5, Mid County 17. The new system looks to be working well as there is only seven points separating the top from the bottom, a swing of a few matches could have made even much less. The full results of all matches and next weeks pairings can be seen on the website: www.goldcoastgolfclub.com after the Ladies notes.

## Next week's matches:

Abbeyside v Cork  
Tourneena/Nire v Dungarvan  
Waterford v Ballinacourty  
Dunhill A v Mid County  
Dunhill B v Copper Coast

Results  
Friday 19th Oct: Open 18 Hole Stableford, Round 1 WL CSS 37.

1st: Tom Landers (10) 41 pts  
2nd: Kieran Cullinan (8) 39 pts  
Gross: Michael Greene (0) 39 pts Slievenamon

Saturday 20th Oct: 18 Hole Stableford, Round 1 WL CSS 37.

1st: Frank Waters (16) 39 pts  
2nd: Jack Moore (13) 38 pts  
Gross: David O'Connor (4) 31 pts.

Sunday 21st Oct: 18 Hole Stableford, Round 1 WL CSS 37.

1st: Anthony Morrissey (15) 43 pts.  
2nd: Alan Neff (11) 41 pts

Gross: David O'Connor (4) 32 pts.  
3rd: Pat Malone (21) 40 pts.

10 Hole Ham Competition No. 1: Tom Considine

10 Hole Ham Competition No. 2: Ian Pericho.

10 Hole Ham Competition No. 3: Pat Malone

## Wanted

There is one 'shall we say' who is less than fully aware of the ethics of golf who continues to take short cuts through the bunkers with his/her trolley. We would like to find out who this person is?

## Fixtures

Thursday 25th/Friday 26th Oct: Round 2 Mansfield EBS Winter League.

Friday 26th Oct: Open 18 Hole Stableford.

Saturday/Sunday 28th Oct: Round 2 Mansfield EBS Winter League

10 Hole Ham Competitions all week.

## Reality Golf

The following are the seven groups for the reality golf:

Group A: Pat Power John Walsh Neil Kelly John Queally Pat Flynn Gerry Whelan.

Group B: Paddy Walsh Robert Poag Tony Flynn Thomas Larkin Colin McArthur David O'Connor

Group C: Tom Reynolds Jim Moroney Mark Lenihan Ger Kelly Brian Gaynor Austin Kiely

Group D: John Wyse Brian O'Connor Brian Fahey Tony Sheehan Micheal White Michael Whelan

Group E: Jimmy O'Dwyer Jerry Mc Carthy Tom White Paul Kehoe Conor Clancy Des O'Brien

Group F: Declan Kiely John Hearne John Hallinan Nicholas Fitzgerald John White Shane Casey

Group G: Jim Power Kiki Cullinan Roy Ware Liam Clancy John Enright Pat Malone

Each group will lose one player each week (Winter League Weeks) until only one player is left in each group. These seven players will be joined by the highest scorer of the players knocked out in the final round to make it eight players for the knock out stages. The draw will take place when the qualifiers are known.

## Ham Competitions.

These 10 hole competitions have now started and will run until we have 30 winners. Each competition will have only 15 entries and the cost of entry will be €3. Each winner will be penalised 2 points for

further ham competitions.

## Committee Meeting:

The final committee meeting for this season will take place at the GoldCoast Golf Hotel on Tuesday 30th October at 8 p.m.

## Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the men's club takes place on Monday 5th November at the GoldCoast at 8 p.m. Nominations for the various positions should be placed on the nomination sheet posted in the kiosk. Nominations close on Tuesday 30th October. Any motions must be posted on the notice board also two weeks prior to the meeting.

## 2's Club for the Winter League

The very popular 2's club will be back for the winter league. However this time only one entry will be permitted for each two day competition, your first time playing.

## Ladies Notes

### A.G.M.

The A.G.M. of the Ladies Club will take place at the GoldCoast Golf Hotel on Friday 2nd November at 8 p.m. Nomination sheet for officers and committee for 2008 season is now posted in the kiosk.

### Results

18 Hole David Crowley Ongoing:  
1st: Mary Clancy (13) 41 pts.  
2nd: Heather Cullen (19) 38 pts.  
3rd: Esther McGuckian (15) 38 pts.  
Best 1st Six: Helena Fitzgerald (13) 14 pts  
Best 2nd Six: Teresa Queally (22) 15 pts.  
Best 3rd Six: Joan Mansfield (19) 14 pts.  
Kelly Pharmacy 18 Hole Stableford.  
1st: Mary Dunford (30) 37 pts.  
2nd: Deirdre Hannigan (21) 33 pts.  
3rd: Helena Fitzgerald (13) 32 pts.  
Comeragh Oil Voucher No. 3: Maureen Morrissey (35) 21 pts.

### End of season outing:

On Sun 14th October our Lady Captain Fidelma and Lady president Sheila and a number of lady members set out on our end of season outing to the sunny South East. Our base for the three nights was the Luxurious recently extended and refurbished White Hotel, Wexford, which proved to be a very popular choice. By 11.30 a.m. all had taken to the fairways of St. Helens Bay and enjoyed a wonderful day's golf in glorious Indian Summer conditions. On Monday a number of our golfers travelled to Seaford Golf Club, Gorey, for an extra day's golf while the remainder of the group opted to spend the day shopping, sight-seeing or simply relaxing by the pool or being pampered in the fabulous Tranquillity Spa at the hotel. The final day of the outing started damp and cloudy but by the time we got to Rosslare Harbour the clouds had lifted and all quickly teed off for another great day's golf. Our sincere thanks to Fidelma and Margaret for organising this most enjoyable outing.

### Wexford Trip

What has Christy Brown's My Left Foot got to do with the Wexford trip? Congratulations to our Lady Captain who succeeded in accumulating the world record number of penalty points for one shot. Why did two ladies need flashing lights to find their way around? Was the skeleton a man or a woman?

### Fixtures:

The 10 Hole Ham competitions which proved so popular last year are now back on and will run for a number of weeks.

### Winter League:

The new format winter league, which is very generously sponsored by Ger Enright Eurospar will commence shortly. The final touches have now being put to all the teams which are as follows:

Team 1: Mary Clancy, Fiona Morrissey, Joan O'Dea and Sue Phelan.

Team 2: Helena Fitzgerald, Margaret Mulhearn, Mary Dunford, Nuala de Paor.

Team 3: Esther McGuckian, Ruth Hannigan, Maria O'Gorman, Peig Foley.

Team 4: Joan Mansfield, Ann Scannell, Lorraine Birney, Ellen Foley.

Team 5: Joan Virgo, Val Fleming, Mary Fenton, Maureen Morrissey.

Team 6: Sheila Norris, Ann McGrath, Ita White, Martina Corkery.

Team 7: Deirdre Hannigan, June Priest, Margaret Hogan, Rosemarie O'Brien.

Team 8: Teresa Queally, Violet Howard, Fidelma Horsom, Yvonne Cunningham



# Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club Notes

## JUNIOR FOOTBALL

We recorded a morale boosting victory in the Western Junior Football Final on Saturday last when we defeated a fine Nire side in the excellently appointed Leamybrien venue. Like all Ballinacourty/Nire games this was a good tough game of football. With 15 minutes remaining we appeared set for victory as we held a comfortable lead, but our opponents thundered back into the game and with time nearly up we found ourselves trailing by two points, and facing near certain defeat. However the team showed fantastic composure and commitment to score three points without reply and secure a one point victory.

After the game Western Chairman Paddy Walsh presented the Crotty Inn trophy to captain John Foley.

Team: R Ryan, E Brackett, J Moore, B Walsh, R Hanrahan, R Foley, J Mahoney, I Kiely, E Enright, J Foley, T Murray, D O'Hare, S McGrath, D Fives, Sub M Lavon

We are now through to the County Final of this championship where we play St. Saviours or Rathgormack.

## SENIOR FOOTBALL

Last Sunday we were forced to field a team for the seventh week out of eight and for the fifth week in a row in adult championship. At the end of a very tough, hard and fair game of football we were fortunate enough to secure a one point victory over a well prepared and gracious Clashmore side. Whilst the quality of football may not have been great at times, we must compliment the courage and commitment the team showed to secure this late victory and keep us in the championship for one more week.

Team: S Enright, J Mullen, J Kindregan, G Breen, S Briggs, J Hurney, S O Hare, G Hurney, P Lynch, P Hurney, L Hurney, J Phelan, M Fives, M Ferncombe, D Fives. Subs: T Murray, R Foley

We have now advanced to the semi-finals where we require a big improvement in performance as we take on county champions, the Nire.

## CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of the club committee takes place at 8pm this Thursday in the Parish Office. This is a very important meeting with a crucial decision to be made so we request a full turn out of members.

## BINGO

The club staged a very successful Super Bingo on

Sunday last in Lawlors Hotel and it was a great credit to our small but extremely hardworking bingo committee.

## DEISE DRAW

The October draw takes place this Friday night so all promoters are asked to have their monies with Packie Hurney by Thursday night.

## ABBEYSIDE BALLINACOURTY JUVENILE G.A.A NOTES VISIT TO MOUNT SION G.A.A CLUB

Last Saturday, we travelled to Mount Sion G.A.A Club where we brought 50 of our seven, eight and nine year olds to play some challenge matches.

First into action were our nine year olds who had a keenly contested game with Mount Sion winning at the final whistle. Mount Sion got into the lead early on and lead at half time and even with a spirited fight back from our side, the Waterford opposition proved too good on the day and won out well deserved winners.

The Abbeyside team coached by Noel Wade and Seanie Kiely were: Paul Wade, Darragh McGrath, Conor Foley, Oisín O'Mahony, Patrick Power, Sylvester Murray, Seamus Ryan, Tony Collins, James Beresford, Michael O'Riordan, Kelvin Moylan, Ryan Daly, Kevin Crossan, Matthew McCarthy, Donnacha Roche.

Next into action were one of our two under eight teams and this match proved to be one of the most exciting and entertaining of the four matches. Abbeyside took an early lead with a couple of splendid goals from man of the match Tommie Walsh who produced a dazzling midfield display and coupled with good performances by all the players all over the pitch. Abbeyside went in at the interval comfortable half time leaders. But early into the second half Mount Sion got on top and brought the match back level. The last quarters passage of play was excellent from both sides as both teams gave it everything, with some great blocking and good scores being taken.

At the final whistle, the Abbeyside team had come out on top with a narrow victory.

The Abbeyside, coached by Tomas Walsh were Davin Flynn, Johnny Treen, Meldan O'Dwyer, Michael Lenihan, Dylan McCormack, Jamie Keating, Larry Brazill, Eoghan Power, James Riordan, Jamie Walsh, Ben Flynn



Under six's who defeated Roanmore last weekend with coach Seamus Fitzgerald.

Then it was the turn of the under sevens, who under the stewardship of Benny Kiely and Joe O'Rourke, guided the Abbeyside team to an evenly contested and entertaining match which saw the scores level at full time.

The Abbeyside team were Sean Kent, Dean Beresford, Michael Kiely, Chandler O'Rourke, Ferghal Roche, Cian O'Riordan, Sennan Crossan, Barry Morrissey, Shane Kiely

Finally, the second of our under eight teams were called into action. Nothing separated the sides when they last met in the Roanmore tournament a month previous, with the Abbeyside team coming out on top that day. Mount Sion were eager to put the record straight and it was evident early on that little would separate them again. Our team went into the interval leading but Mount Sion bounced back early into the second half to draw level. The game ebbed and flowed right up until the final whistle which saw the Abbeyside team just secure victory with a narrow margin.

The team coached by Mark Lenihan were, Aaron Beresford, Adam Clarke, Sean Crotty, Tom Looby, Jack Kiely, Pdraig Moore, Geroid Hallinan, Shane Ahern, Cian Power, Barack Moore.

Well done to all the players for some great performances and thanks to the parents and supporters who turned up to cheer the teams on.

## WEDNESDAY EVENING FOOTBALL TRAINING SESSIONS FOR UNDER 7'S, 8'S, & 9'S

A great turnout last week for our first Autumn football session for these age groups and we hope to see you again this week and every week while weather permits.

Starting time of 6.00pm and finishing at 7.00pm and in the interests of health and safety, we would request parents to collect the players from the floodlit dressing room area only.

## SATURDAY MORNING SESSIONS FINISH UP

Last Saturday saw us conclude our outdoor Saturday morning sessions as we turn our attention to indoor training. A huge thanks to everyone who helped out over the 30 weeks or so since middle of April which saw a huge volume of players partake and learn the joys of hurling.

## INDOOR HURLING, STARTING FRIDAY NEXT IN THE FRIARY HALL

The eagerly awaited details of our indoor sessions are set out

below. A word of thanks to St. Augustinians for permitting us to use their hall. Parents please note the timings for each of the sessions according to age group.

Children must be at least five and under ten.

Commencing Friday 26th October and will run every Friday until next spring for both boys and girls as follows:

Ages 6 and under-6.00pm to 6.45pm,

Ages 7 and under-6.45pm to 7.30pm,

Ages 8 and under-7.30pm to 8.30pm,

Ages 9 and 10-8.30pm to 9.30pm.

Players to bring their helmets but hurleys will be provided.

Sessions will cost €2 per child per night

In the interests of safety, ALL children must be dropped off and collected inside the hall area

Parental help is vital to the safe and successful running of these sessions, so anyone who would like to help out, please make yourself known to the organisers as we always welcome any help we're offered. Don't feel you have to have a hurling knowledge to help as there are a lot of other areas we need to attend to.

## WEBSITE

Just a note to remind everyone to check out the club website: [www.abbeycourtygaa.com](http://www.abbeycourtygaa.com) to view pictures of the recent tournaments including the Danny Lenihan weekend, Roanmore and De La Salle outings.

In summary, fixtures as follows:

Wednesday Ages 7-9

— 24th October- 6.00pm to 7.00pm-football training

Friday Ages 5-10 — 26th October- 6.00pm to 9.30pm-see above.

## UNDER 11 ALL COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Having accounted for Cois Brid, Naomh Brid, St Saviours and St Marys in the Under 11 All county Football League on previous matchdays, the team, panel and mentors returned to Bushy Park last Sunday to play the winners of The Brickeys and Mount Sion. In a closely fought and at times heated game, 14 man Mt Sion disposed of the Brickeys. Ballinacourty then played Mt Sion.

Ballinacourty started the brighter with points by David Looby, Eoin Kiely and Stephen Cliffe before Eoin Kiely drove the ball to the back of the net in the 7th minute. Stephen Cliffe and Conor McCarthy (Ballinacourty) contributed two more points to leave the score at

1-5 to 0-0 at half time.

The second half started at a fierce pace with Mikey Coleman kicking two fine points before scoring a cracker of a goal. Amidst all this scoring, Jack Duggan picked up a nasty looking injury and was substituted. Ballinacourty were well on top at this stage. Darragh Smith replaced Eamon Crotty, Ben Mulligan replaced Conor McCarthy (Ballinroad) and David Sheehan replaced Tadgh Prendergast. Mikey Coleman scored another point and the ball hit the back of the net just before full time to leave Ballinacourty deserved winners on a scoreline of 3-8 to no score.

In the other semi-final played at Bushy Park last Sunday, Rathgormack beat Naomh Brid in an open and skilful game. Both Ballinacourty and Rathgormack then travelled to Fraher Field to play the final.

It was decided to play the match across the width of the field rather than lengthways which had been the norm in all the preceding games. This gave us a much tighter style of football with very little room for playing down the wings or kick passing. Ballinacourty got off to a good start with a John Elsted point in the 3rd minute. Rathgormack replied with a goal and added another and a point before David Looby scored a goal to leave the scores 1-1 to 2-1 in favour of Rathgormack at half time.

Stephen Cliffe opened the scoring in the second half with a point, swiftly followed by another from a David Looby 45'. With only a point separating the teams, Rathgormack kicked two points to extend their lead. Ballinacourty fought back lead

by the charge of Mikey Coleman and John Elsted who scored a couple of points. Rathgormack camped out in their own square to defend a torrent of balls, with the woodwork twice coming to their rescue. They eventually managed to move the ball up the field and benefited from a free to knock the ball over the bar to leave a two point margin. Ballinacourty kept trying and with time almost up we earned a free on the 21'. Rathgormack had 9 men on the goal-line and Elsted's best efforts saw the ball pass over the cross bar by a matter of inches.

And so the scoreline read Ballinacourty 1-6, Rathgormack 2-4. The Ballinacourty team played their hearts out and were inconsolable at the final whistle. Rathgormack were value for their win and showed strength and ability beyond their years.

Many of the Ballinacourty Under 11s will still be underage next year and can look forward to the competition with anticipation.

The Starting Team and subs were as follows — Lawrence Power, Jack Duggan, Gabriel Lacey, Eamon Crotty, Ronan Mansfield, Conor Prunty, Tadgh Prendergast, Tom O'Rourke (Captain), John Elsted, Mikey Coleman, Stephen Cliffe, David Looby, Conor McCarthy (Ballinacourty), Conor McCarthy (Ballinroad), Eoin Kiely. Subs — Daragh Smith, Liam Power, Ben Mulligan, Daire Drummy, Ruairi Conway, Gerard Veale, David Sheehan, Killian Monks, Mentors; Tony Elsted, Donal Looby, Dusty Veale, Steven Prendergast and Ken Walsh.

## BEST WISHES

Best wishes and a speedy recovery from all at the Juvenile Club to Daragh Smith who is recovering from a tonsillectomy.



Winning Captains — Darragh Drummy with the Mick Higgins Cup, Eoin Kiely with the Danny Lenihan Cup and Ruairi Conway with the O'Shea Cup.

## Stradbally GAA Notes

### SENIOR FOOTBALL

We played An Rinn in the Quarter Final last Saturday; we beat them on a scoreline of 2-09 to 0-06. We now face Ardmore in the Semi-final next Sunday at 2.00p.m. In the Fraher Field.

### SOCIAL CENTRE

The Band for next Sunday is Danny Webster.

### UNDER 11 TEAM OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to the Stradbally under 11 team who won team of the year in this grade. This is a great achievement for the players and their mentors.

### VODAFONE ALLSTAR

Congratulations to Michael Walsh on receiving a Hurling Allstar for 2007. This is a great honour for himself and the Stradbally G.A.A. club, thanks must be given to all the mentors and teachers he has had from juvenile to adult level who helped him develop his skills. Congratulations to the other four recipients on their achievement.



# Dungarvan GAA Notes

## JUNIOR FOOTBALL WESTERN FINAL GERALDINES 1-10 DUNGARVAN 0-10

This final produced a very entertaining and competitive match under lights in Leamybrien last Friday evening. The Geraldine's deservedly took home the Burke Cup while our own team also played their part and ensured that the final result was open until referee John Condon blew the full time whistle.

We started well with Trevor Moore pointing in the first minute but Geraldine's scored the next three points as well as hitting the crossbar when the ball looked to be dipping into the goal. Keith Radley and Michael O'Sullivan brought us into the game with a point apiece. However the greater commitment of the Geraldine's for the remainder of the first half earned them three further points to our lone reply, again from the boot of Michael O'Sullivan. Half time Geraldine's 0-6 Dungarvan 0-4.

We had an even better start to the second half with Christy Connolly pointing after 20 seconds and when Nicky Donnelly pointed after seven minutes we were back on level terms. However following a seventh Geraldine's point, what proved to be the match winning score came when the Geraldine's worked a well taken goal. A further two points saw them hold a 1-9 to 0-6 lead with thirteen minutes remaining.

Credit to our side, they scored four points via Jamie Cullinane

(17th min), substitute Brian Foley (18th) and two per Nicky Donnelly (27th and 30th), to Geraldine's lone point (28th min) in the remainder of the game. A grandstand finish was assured when it was our turn to hit the crossbar while the Geraldine's goalie made some brilliant saves towards the end.

Overall, the game was a credit to a junior football western final. Well done to the Geraldine's on their victory and to our own team for their fine effort and to Johnny Lynch and Jason O'Mahoney for organising the lads. The lights at Leamybrien were impressive and I'd say we haven't seen the last of night time games in the seasons to come.

Team: Thomas Mulcahy, Justin Houlihan (capt), Barry Power, Aidan Connolly, Kealan Flynn, Keith Radley (0-1), Mike Edwards, Eoin Cunningham, Trevor Moore (0-1), Ml. Sullivan (0-2), Craig Cowming, Jamie Cullinane (0-1), Christy Connolly (0-1), Nicky Donnelly (0-3), Shane Tutty. Subs: Darren Hamilton and Brian Foley (0-1), (used), also John Flynn, John Joe Ronayne, Paul Ahearn.

### DAN'S THE MAN

Dan's the man who was selected hurler of the year for 2007 last Friday night and congratulations to him from his many friends and admirers in the club. Congratulations also to Ken McGrath, Tony Browne, Michael Walsh and Stephen Molumphy on a great night for Waterford hurling.

### COLLEGES HURLING

Dungarvan CBS bowed out of

the Kinnane Cup at the quarter final stage last week following defeat to a strong Carrigaline team. Club players Darren Duggan, Luke Egan, Eoin Healy, Sean Ryan, Colm Curran, Brendan McCarthy and Thomas Cleary were in action here.

### DEISE DRAW

The October Deise Draw will be hosted this weekend by the Gaultier Club. Best of luck to all our ticket holders in the draw. Please forward any outstanding ticket money to Mary Fitzgerald this week.

### SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Francis Barry, Springfield on the recent death of his aunt, Teresa O'Toole. May she rest in peace.

### HURLING FINAL DATE

The Western Intermediate Hurling Final between ourselves and An Rinn will be played on Saturday, November 10th.

### CHARITY RUN/WALK

Our annual St. Stephen's Day Charity run and walk will be held again this year in association with West Waterford Athletic Club. The latter club's Winter League every Wednesday night in the Sports Centre at 7 pm is ideal preparation for St. Stephen's Day.

### ONE FOR THE DIARY

Club Race Nite - Friday, November 30th.

### INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

A game we should have won but a game we could have lost. That best sums up our Intermediate football Western semi final against The Geraldines in Cappoquin on Sunday last.

Leading by four points with just

a minute remaining on the clock we were forced into a replay when The Geraldines struck for a brilliant last minute goal and an injury time equalising point.

We started the game brightly to take the lead with a well taken Trevor Crotty free (2mins). After an evenly contested first half the teams headed into the break level with four points each. Our additional scores coming from Gavin Crotty (x2) and Anthony Power (45).

The Geraldines started the second half the stronger and only a last ditch interception by Paudie Kiely prevented them from goaling in the first minute. Staying on top they went two points clear within three minutes of the restart. However a goal keeping error allowed Trevor Crotty to goal to put us a point ahead.

Further points from Ciaran Curran, Gavin Crotty and Cormac Curran put us four points clear midway through the second half.

A brilliant save from our goalkeeper David Morrissey allowed us to maintain this lead as we entered the final ten minutes of the game.

Points from Anthony Power (free) and Gavin Crotty were cancelled out by similar scores from The Geraldines before they struck for the late scores which means we must meet again.

Team: D. Morrissey, P. Sullivan, M. McLoughlin (capt), P. Kiely, E. Morrissey, J.P. Tutty, D. Barry, J. Mahoney, C. Curran, L. Ryan, J. Regan, G. Crotty, A. Power, C. Curran, T. Crotty. Subs Used J Shaw, G. Nagle, N. Considine.

## Waterford GAA Results

### County S. F. Quarter finals

Stradbally	2-9	Rinn O gCuanach	0-5
Nire	1-10	Rathgormack	0-4
Ballinacourty	1-7	Clashmore	1-6

### County S. H. semi-final

Ballygunner	1-14	Lismore	2-6
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### West J. F. C.

Ballinacourty	1-9	Nire	1-8
Geraldines	1-13	Dungarvan	0-13

### West I. F. semi-final

Dungarvan	1-9	Geraldines	1-9
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### East I. H. C.

St Mollerans	2-10	Ballydurn	2-8
St Saviours	0-17	Ballygunner	1-11

### East J. H. C.

Ballygunner	1-16	Mt Sion	2-11
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### East U21 "B" Hurling

Dunhill/Fenor	6-13	Erins Own	1-8
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### JUVENILE RESULT

East U14 Div 2 Football final			
De La Salle	3-7	Roanmore	3-6

## Waterford GAA Fixtures

### County S.F. semi-finals @ Fraher field Sun 28/10/07

Stradbally v. Ardmore	time: 1.30pm	Ref: J.M. Kelly
Ballinacourty v. Nire	time: 3pm	Ref: T. O'Sullivan.

## Brickey Rangers GAA Notes

### BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

The lotto draw was held in The Tudor House Bar on Thursday night last. Numbers drawn were 14-18-29. There was no jackpot winner. 25 euro winners were Angela and Breege Whelan, Dylan and Harvey Aherne, John Tobin, Helen McCarthy. This week's draw will be held in Tommy Power's bar and the jackpot will be 3,800 euro. Tickets only 2 euro each available from any promoter.

### DEISE DRAW

The October draw will be held on Friday night 26th. All tickets and monies due in for the draw are to be in to club coordinator early this week.

### RACE NIGHT

On Saturday 10th November the club will hold a fundraising race night in Lawlor's Hotel, horse races, dog races, novelty events. Refreshments will be available on the night, with over 1,000 euro in prizemoney. Tickets already purchased for the 27th September which was postponed will be still valid on the night. So come along - tickets available from any committee member.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To County hurler Dan Shanahan on receiving the "Vodafone Hurler of the Year Award". Also to his team mates who received Allstar awards last weekend.

## ARDMORE G.A.A. NOTES

### WEEKLY LOTTO— JACKPOT NOT WON

Next weeks jackpot starts at €4600, so if you are not in you can't win.

Draw Results 15th October 2007 of €20 Each: Pat O Connell, Nellie Mansfield, Pud, Ronnie Hennessy and Louise Seward.

### Deise Draw

Club Co-Ordinator for the deise draw would like to remind all

promoters that there is only two draws remaining in this years draw and to commence finalising accounts for all members as soon as possible. The next draw is Friday night the 26th October.

### Senior Football Semi-Final

Ardmore play Stradbally this coming Sunday at Fraher Field. This is a big game for Ardmore and I am confident that this time around, we can advance to the

final, our first appearance since 1981. Manager Tom Power knows all to well that it is not going to be easy, so a big performance from all his players is required on the day. Let's show our confidence in the team by all travelling on Sunday.

### New Information System

The club is presently upgrading its information system, thanks to the help of Nicky Keating. Shortly all members will be contacted through text messages whether it be matches, social events or club meetings. Nicky is also setting up web page for the club and soon the club affairs will be viewable on the net.

### Social Gathering

The club decided at a recent executive meeting that to show a more friendly and family atmosphere the clubs facilities are to be improved with the instalment of a plasma television, DVD and video system plus the availability of tea or coffee for parents and grand parents while training or matches are in progress. The club feels that this may reduce the need for parents to be rushing back and forth to the field in collecting their children.

N.B. The club is interested in hearing from anyone in the community with new ideas for further making our club the best in the county and afar.

### Congratulations

The club would like to congratulate our five hurlers in picking up All-Star Awards on Friday night last. Ken McGrath, Tony Brown, Michael Walsh, Stephen Molumphy and Dan Shanahan had a great year for Waterford and special mention must go to Dan the Man Shanahan

for also achieving the hurler of the year award. This was only fitting for the excellent year Dan had. Let's look forward and hope that this time next year we will be honouring one of our own trios of Clinton, Seamus and Declan.

### ARDMORE & GRANGE LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB Annual General Meeting

The club A.G.M will be held this Friday at 8.30pm in the GAA grounds

There was a large attendance at this meeting last year and hopefully we can build on this, anyone interested in helping out with possibly their daughters, or nieces teams is welcome to attend. The club will again be running teams at under 10, 12, 14, 16, minor and junior and the positions for manager of these teams will be filled on the night. Each elected manager will then organise his selectors and trainer and inform committee when it is finalised. The positions on the committee will also be ratified at this meeting. paper soon

### Annual Bag Pack

It is hoped to run a bag pack in November. The date and further information will be given out in this.

### Winter training for U10 & U12 panels

The under 10's will commence training on the 22nd of October at 6.30pm in St Declans hall Ardmore. The under 12's will commence on the same night but will start at 7.30pm and finish at 8.30pm. Dur to the Bank holiday weekend as usual there will be no training on the 29th October but we will resume on the 5th November. The cost for this year has increased to two euro per child.

## Fourmilewater/Nire Hurling Club

### SENIOR FOOTBALL

The Nire senior footballers had a 1-10 to 0-4 victory over neighbours Rathgormack in Fraher Field on Saturday last. Michael Moore was the goal scorer in the first half.

### JUNIOR FOOTBALL

The Nire junior footballers were beaten by one point by Ballinacourty in the Western Final in Leamybrien on Saturday last on a scoreline of 1-9 to 1-8. This was a very hard result on this team who played some fine football throughout the year.

### MINOR FOOTBALL

The county minor football final has been fixed for Saturday the 3rd November in Fraher Field at 1.30 pm. Our opponents will be De La Salle who will be very tough opposition and were impressive in the Eastern Championship but this Nire team has trained hard all year and don't intend to leave Fraher Field without the Cup. It should be a great game.

### ALLSTARS

It's great to see Waterford getting 5 Allstars and it just shows what a great year that the hurlers had this year.

### CARDS

The result of the cards which were held in Doocey's on Friday night last were as follows: Joint 1st Oliver O'Hara, Jim Gough, Larry and Jim Phelan. Jerry O'Grady and Walter Wall. Jimmy Quinn and Billy Carroll. Table prizes: Tom Brazil, Vincent Wall, Peg Fitzgerald and Ben Culligan. On Friday night the 12th October the results were as follows - on 10 games; Jim Phelan and Larry Ryan. 2nd on 8 games Patsy O'Halloran and Jimmy Keating, Richard Harte and M. Power. Table prize Donal Fraher and Niall Carroll and John and M. Boyle. We thank you for your support.

## Shamrock's GAA Club Notes

### CLUB LOTTO

On last Saturday night at the Shamrock Inn, the numbers drawn were 5-9-18-22 and there was no jackpot winner. 20 euro consolation prizes were won by Joe Geary, Moorehill; Billy O'Keefe, Kilwinny; Esther Power, Newport; Maria O'Brien, Kilmore; Crawford 4. On next Monday night, October 29th the next draw will be held when the jackpot will be 3625 euro and tickets at 1.50 euro each are available from the usual promoters.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The next draw will take place on this Friday night, October 26th and we would ask members from the club to have all money with Johnny Baldwin (club coordinator immediately).

### CONGRATULATIONS

To five players of the Waterford Senior Hurling team who received All Star Awards in Dublin on last Friday night. The successful players were Ken McGrath, Dan Shanahan, Michael Walsh, Stephen Molumphy and Tony Browne. In addition Dan Shanahan was named hurler of the year for which Ken McGrath was also nominated.

### BEST WISHES

Our club offers best wishes to popular player Sean Murphy, Coolbegan who will be getting married to Monica Keaveny on Saturday next in the Church of the Annunciation, Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim. Long and happy lives to both.



**Saint  
Augustine's  
Debutantes  
Ball 2007**

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Roisin Manahan & Paudie Barry



Orla Manahan & Johnny Buckley



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Stephen Meaney & Chelsea McCarthy



Colin Murray & Neasa McCarthy



Ciara McCarthy & Deaglan O Cionnshaolaidh



David Walsh & Rachel McCarthy



Clodagh McGovern & Deaglan O hArtaigh



Aisling McMahon & David Buckley



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Alan Curran & Kate Morrissey



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*John Walsh & Eileen O'Connell*



*Mark Bannon & Joeline O'Keeffe*



*Roisin O'Neill & Conor Foley*



*Sarah O'Brien & James Phelan*



*Claire O'Halloran & John Whelan*



*Stephen Browne & Clodagh Phelan*



*David Fitzgerald & Alice Power*



*Katie Power & Nioclas O Lonain*



*Ferdia O Haodha & Vanessa Quinlan*



*Kaylaigh Regan & Cormac Enright*



*Mary Rossiter & Darragh Mansfield*



*Alan Tobin & Ciara Ryan*



*James Fahey & Maria Scanlon*



*Kate Shanley & Darren Dunford*



*Eithne Skehan & Eoin Brackett*



*Shane Fives & Fiona Tobin*



*Tommy Dunphy & Ciara Wadding*



*Colin Looby & Karen Wall*



*Kirk Sullivan & Kimbereley Wall*



*Eanne Farrell & Donna Walsh*



*Jason Healy & Aoife Walsh*



*Shane O'Brien & Helen Walsh*



*Lorraine Walsh & James Ryan*



*Amy Whelan & Christopher Fennell*



**C.A.A. NOTES**

**BY "COMMENTATOR"**

**Geraldines  
Defeat  
Dungarvan in  
Western Junior  
Football Final  
(Intermediate  
Section)  
at Floodlit  
Leamybrien**



Geraldines (above) who beat Dungarvan (below) in the Lawlors Hotel sponsored Western Junior football final (Intermediate section) at Leamybrien.

**Geraldines 1-13  
Dungarvan 0-13**

The Kilrossanty's clubs new floodlighting at the mid -county venue shone brightly on the contestants here on Friday evening and the novelty of the lighting brought many neutral observers to the venue. They were rewarded with a splendid contest that remained wide open right to the finish. This was the second string intermediate championship final.

In presenting the new trophy to the winning captain, Western Board chairman Paddy Walsh praised both teams for the high standard of play and complimented Kilrossanty club for their forward planning and the erection of the floodlighting.



**SEAN BYRNE**  
Photography



Albert Burke (son) presents the Ned Burke Memorial Cup to Geraldine's captain, Nicky Ahearne. Included are Paddy Walsh, Chairman Western GAA Board, Anthony Ahearne, the late Ned Burke's wife, Alice Burke and daughters Alice Marian Phelan and Veronica Troy.



Action from the Dungarvan v Geraldines Western Junior football final in Leamybrien.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Record Five All-Stars For Deise Hurlers

Messages of congratulations were doing the rounds at a mighty rate on Wednesday afternoon when the Vodafone All-Star team including five Waterford players was announced from City West.

It was our biggest ever number and as county chairman Pat Flynn stated, "this is due recognition for the quality of Waterford hurling and for the high standards of players on our hurling panel."

County team manager Justin McCarthy said it was the least number that he had expected and he was delighted for all of them — they are all top class players"

Very well known and highly respected journalist Enda McIvor commented at City West Hotel on Friday night "to night Waterford stole the show and deservedly so."

There were celebrations in Stradbally where the county team captain the very popular

Michael "Brick" Walsh became the first man from the seaside club to achieve such an honour. A comment from a very excited and obviously delighted Stradbally club man, "imagine us getting a hurling All-Star before a football All-Star. The Brick is now a hurling legend in our club."

There were celebrations too in Ballyduff when Stephen Molumphy's name was called and there was delight everywhere when Stephen made it into the elite grouping in his first season playing on the panel. It was a great and a deserved honour for the young player and for the Ballyduff club, who now become the first club in the West to have two players honoured in this way. Mossy Walsh became the first Deise player from the West to achieve the distinction in 1980. Stephen, like Dan is modest about his award.

Dan Shannahan won his third

All-Star and there was never any doubt about the selection of the Lismore man who enjoyed his best season in the Waterford colours.

### HURLER OF THE YEAR

I can confirm that the volume of applause rose to a crescendo in City West when Dan the Man was named as Hurler of the Year 2007. It put the icing on the cake for the flamboyant Lismore club man whose popularity seems to know no bounds. As one of the Deise group in the banquet hall commented "it certainly put the icing on the cake for Waterford as well."

Five All-Stars and the Hurler of the Year award after winning the Munster championship some weeks after capturing the National league title. What a year for the county?

## Daily Star Award For Dan

Dan's presentations did not end at City West on Friday as on the following evening he was awarded the Daily Star Award at a function in Croke Park when their monthly and over-all awards were presented.

On Sunday the Lismore man was back in town for the Lismore v Ballygunner SH. semi-final, so it was something of a 'merry go round' weekend for the newly crowned Hurler of the Year.

## Hurler of the Year Award for Dan Shanahan



A proud "Hurler of the Year" Lismore's Dan Shanahan pictured with Waterford's Central Council Representative Seamus O'Brien at the Awards Ceremony on Friday night.

### All-Star Awards - The Record

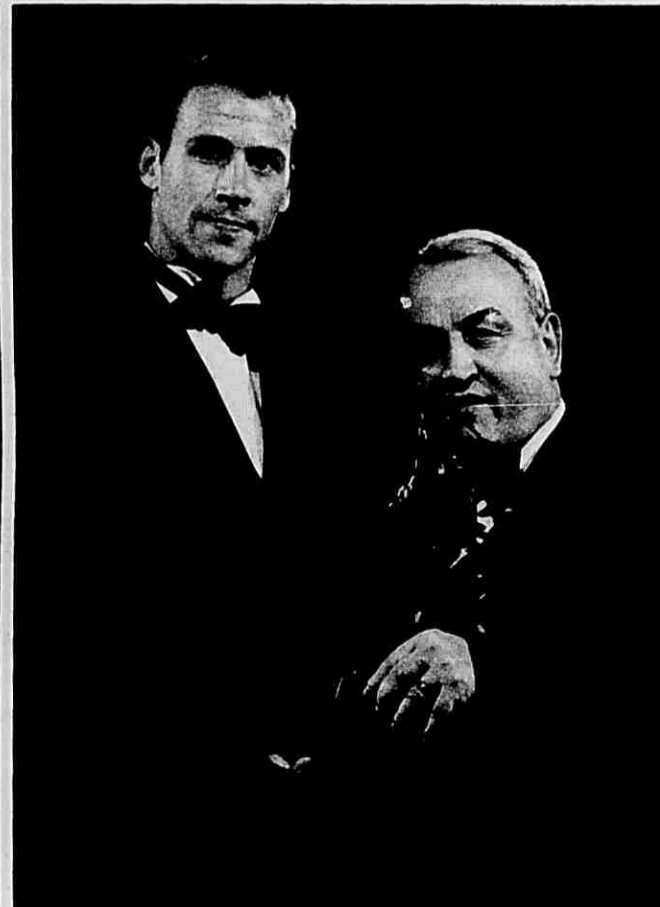
- 1974 John Galvin, Potlaw
- 1980 Mossy Walsh, Ballyduff, John Galvin, Portlaw
- 1998 Tony Browne All Star & Hurler of the Year
- 1982 Jim Green, Mount Sion.
- 2002 Ken McGrath, Mount Sion, Fergal Hartley, Ballygunner, Eoin Kelly, Mount Sion.
- 2003 John Mullane, De La Salle.
- 2004 Ken McGrath, Mount Sion; Dan Shanahan Lismore, Paul Flynn Ballygunner.
- 2005 None.
- 2006 Eoin Murphy, Shamrocks, Dan Shanahan Lismore, Tony Browne, Mount Sion.
- 2007 Ken McGrath, Mount Suin, Tony Browne, Mount Sion, Michael Walsh, Stradbally, Dan Shanahan, Lismore, Stephen Molumphy, Ballyduff Upper.



Michael Walsh being presented with his Vodafone GAA All-Star award by Nickey Brennan, President of the GAA, during the 2007 Vodafone GAA All-Star Awards. Citywest Hotel. Picture: Brendan Moran / SPORTSFILE



Stephen Molumphy being presented with his Vodafone GAA All-Star award by Nickey Brennan, President of the GAA, during the 2007 Vodafone GAA All-Star Awards. Picture: Brendan Moran / SPORTSFILE



Dan Shanahan being presented with his Vodafone GAA All-Star award by Nickey Brennan, President of the GAA, during the 2007 Vodafone GAA All-Star Awards. Picture: Brendan Moran / SPORTSFILE



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Ballinacourty Are Western Junior Football "A" Final

**BALLINACOURTY 1-9  
THE NIRE 1-8**

This was a ding-dong battle from start to finish and after a really pulsating second half hour, Ballinacourty emerged winners against the Nire who

looked to have the title won after going into a 3 points lead entering the final ten minutes. An amazing comeback saw the winners cut the lead and go in

front with the approach of the final whistle. At the end of this hectic contest, supporters felt that neither side deserved to lose.

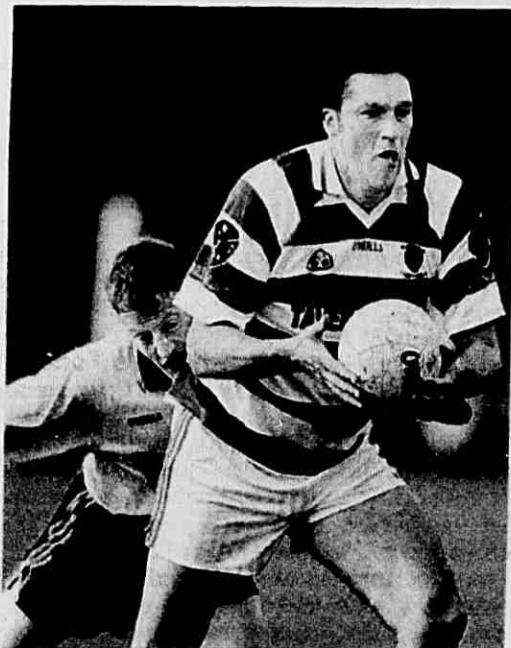
The win for Ballinacourty gave them the junior football and hurling western double.



Ballinacourty (above), who beat the Nire (below) 1-9 to 1-8 in the Lawlors Hotel sponsored Western Junior football final (Senior Section).



Action from the Western Junior football final (Senior Section) between Ballinacourty and the Nire, played in Leamybrien.



David Morrissey presents the Crotty's Inn Cup to Ballinacourty's Captain, John Foley. included are Paddy Walsh, Chairman Western GAA Board and Michael Burke Jr. Lawlors Hotel, Championship sponsors.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Stradbally At Their Best

**STRADBALLY 2 - 9  
AN RINN 0-5**

Stradbally, who are looked upon as the strong challengers for the Conway Cup were back at their best once again after suffering an unexpected defeat by Clashmore in the previous round.

Some observers will contend that the poor quality of the opposition here made the recent five-in-a-row winners look better than they really are. This question will be put to the test in the semi-final next weekend.

Only a single point from play over the 60 minutes and all six forwards failing to register a single score was a clear illustration of the difference in standards between themselves and An Rinn.

**PLAY**

A very cautious approach by both sides kept scoring down to a minimum in the opening half and even the winners could not have felt happy with their half-time tally of 0-5 to 0-1.

No score was registered in the opening 10 minutes until Shane O Ceallaigh pointed a free for An Rinn.

After this Stradbally turned up the tempo and points by Michael 'Brick' Walsh, operating at full forward after a late night sitting at City West Hotel where he had received his All-Star, John Hearne, Michael Walsh, Ger Power and Nial Curran, in that order put the winners five points on the board.

**SECOND HALF**

Stradbally asserted themselves to a greater degree after An Rinn had their only score from play when Liam O Lonain pointed in the 2nd Minute. Stradbally hit back with a point and a goal by Michael Walsh to leave the tally at 1-7 to 0-2 in the 40th. minute.

Nial Curran pointed for Stradbally and An Rinn goalkeeper Tomas O Caodhla brought off a super save that denied the winners a further goal.

Shane O Ceallaigh pointed two frees but after Nial Curran raised Stradbally's second green flag the contest was well and truly at an end.

**Scores:** Stradbally- M. Walsh 1-3, N. Curran 1-2, G. Power 0-

2, J. Hearne and S. Cunningham 0-1 each. An Rinn - S. O Ceallaigh 0-4, L. O Lonain 0-1.

**Stradbally** - O. Costello E. Cummins, K. Coffey, T. Walsh, T. Grey, S. Lamont, J. Costello, J. Kearney, J. Coffey, S. Cunningham, G. Walsh, G. Power, N. Curran, M. Walsh, P. Foley. Subs. Played - P. Doyle, T. Curran, P. Weldon.

**An Rinn** - T.O Caodhla, S.O hArtaigh, D. Breathnach, E. De Faoite, L. Breathnach, L.O Cuirrin, L. De Gras, S.O Ceallaigh, L. O Lonain, C.O Concubhair, C. O Murcadha, N.O Murcadha, P.O Murcadha, C.O Manachain, D.O Murcadha, Fir Ionaid - E. O Crotaigh, B. Breathnach.

Ref. M. Condon, Clashmore.

# GPA To Ballot on Strike Action

Last week the voting papers were sent to players around the country and within a week or so the decision will be announced. If strike action is approved then there is expected to be turmoil next season.

The GPA which is in effect the players trade union are unhappy with the G.A.A. and the Government for not agreeing to pay out the 5,000,000 euro for player benefits and are urging their players to force the issue by voting for strike action.

Over the weekend I spoke to a very prominent hurler who told me that "the whole affair makes me sick and I cannot see why a special few in the overall context of the association, should demand special treatment."

I could not agree more and like the thousands of club players in each code who will not benefit if the issue comes to fruition, I am entitled to ask why the elite band of intercounty players who are being very well looked after, getting holidays and other perks available that club players do not have would take such action.

The GPA do not cater for the thousands of club players who train for three and sometimes four nights per week and are more often to play their matches in winter conditions, etc., because the summer programme is reserved for the intercounty activity.

The outcome of the vote may be very interesting, but I do not see it interfering with intercounty championships next year as I know (as everyone else knows) there are thousands of players out there who will feel proud and privileged to wear their county colours if called upon to do so.

# Polished Performance By Nire

**SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP  
Nire 1-10  
Rathgormack 0-4**

Had the challengers many wasteful wides been translated into scores this would have proven to be a far better contest. But there was never any doubt about the final outcome when the champions second half performance held the challengers to a single point.

At the halfway stage the Nire held a 1-5 to 0-3 lead, thanks to a Michael Moore well taken goal in the 9th. minute

**SECOND HALF**

Richie Power scored Rathgormack fourth point in the 8th minute to give the challengers their final score of the match, but they did have several wasted opportunities that might have been translated into scores if the pressure by the Nire de-

fence had not been as intense.

It was a polished performance by the Nire and one got the impression that their display was programmed to deal with the extent of the challenge and if required it could have improved. This test is on the way when they play in the semi-final against Ballinacourty on next weekend.

**Scores:** Nire - M. Moore 1-1, C. Power 0-3, D. Wall 0-2, M. Walsh 0-2, L. Lawlor and B. Wall 0-1 each; Rathgormack - R. Power 0-2, R. Larkin P.

Shankey 0-1 each.

**Nire** - J. Flynn, J. Walsh, T. O'Gorman, T. O'Gorman, J. Moore, D. Ryan, B. Wall, A. O'Gorman, A. O'Gorman, M. Walsh, P. Walsh, D. Wall, M. Moore, L. Lawlor, C. Power. Sub. R. Fenlon.

**Rathgormack** - B. Crotty, J. Crotty, D. Hasset, M. Mears, D. Crotty, V. Oshawa, M. Crotty, M. Cummins, G. Power, K. Power, P. Shankey, P. Larkin, P. Crotty, E. Hogan, J. Kirwan. Sub M. Whelan.

Ref. J.M. Kelly, Shamrocks.

# Intermediate Football Semi-Final Ends All Square

**Geraldines 1-9 Dungarvan 1-9**

This was a very fair result to a splendidly contested divisional semi-final which was played at Cappoquin on Sunday last. Dungarvan who were strongly fancied appeared to have the game well in hand until the Geraldines hit back for a goal and a point to win a share of the spoils.

No refixture has been made but it seems sure that it will take place on the weekend of November 4th.

The winners will play Ballinameela in the Western final

# Senior Football Semi-Finals on Sunday

As announced two weeks ago, both the semi-finals will be played at Fraher field on next Sunday where Stradbally play Ardmore and the champions, the Nire take on Ballinacourty. The public expectations are that we will have a county final between the same contestants as last year after Stradbally have defeated Ardmore and the Nire have beaten Ballinacourty.

Things do not always turn out in the expected way but I would imagine that the odds in favour of an Ardmore v Ballinacourty final are pretty generous.

**STRADBALLY V. ARDMORE**

This is listed as the first semi-final and it may be the better of the two.

Stradbally will commence favourites but I see the result of the match being dependent on the form of Ardmore. They can rise to great heights and also they can play poorly as we have seen already this year.

Stradbally, beaten by the Nire in last year's county final, went under to Clashmore six weeks ago and look to be that bit more vulnerable now than they have been for a long while. However they still get my vote to qualify.

**NIRE V. BALLINACOURTY**

I have been made aware at the time of writing that Ballinacourty have applied to have the match put back for a week. Last Sunday they had to play without a number of regulars due to injury and they have submitted that practically all the players on their panel have been out non-stop in championship hurling and football for the last five Sundays.

If a postponement is granted it will be announced in the public media.

If the game goes ahead I can see the champions coming through.

Last Saturday when defeating Rathgormack they looked very impressive without having been pushed by Rathgormack.

Ballinacourty on the other hand, appear to have shed their freshness due in the main to tiredness from over activity.

# THE SUNDAY PROGRAMME AT FRAHER FIELD

It would be fair to say that the fare was little better than what we saw for the two and half hours on Saturday at the same venue.

The well publicised clash between Ballygunner and Lismore failed to produce the expected top class hurling that we have come to expect from both sides and the game for the most part was a disappointment with the city team who were favourites winning by five points after a record number of wides were hit out by both sides.

**FOOTBALL**

The meeting of Ballinacourty and Clashmore although producing a very tight finish was also a disappointment. The football fans who had looked forward to a game that would increase the interest that had been lagging so much in football over the past few weeks were disappointed. Ballinacourty survived by a point to win a place in the County semi-final against the reigning champions the Nire.

# THREE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS?

At the end of the experiment that was approved by County Convention 2006 to separate the three grades involved questions will undoubtedly be asked if it was all worthwhile or if the county should revert to the single championship in both codes. Tourin club will be pressing for the retention of the change, but others are likely to call for the one championship to be brought back.

**WEST JUNIOR B FINAL**

Two of the 'new' junior football divisional finals were played and decided over the weekend and the winners will now take on their opposite numbers in the county finals at Fraher field on a date to be fixed.

Both finals were accommodated at the Leamybrien venue which was in top class order for the games.

# GAELIC GAMES COACHING CORNER

**U17 Gaelic Football Coaching time change**

Coaching for the above age has started and will continue for the coming weeks. The next session will take place on Sun 21st Oct at 9am in Friary College. Players please contact Dave Robinson if unavailable for training.

**U15 Gaelic Football**

All those who are interested in being in on the U15 Gaelic Football panel are advised that their will be a tournament for all players during the mid term break. On Wed 31st Oct Rural East will play Urban in Kilmacthomas under floodlights at 7.30pm. On the same night Dungarvan Area will play West Waterford also under lights in Aghlish at 7.30pm. On Fri 2nd Nov all four teams will play in Kilrossanty. Clubs have been notified of the games and are asked to send names of suitable players up to the age to the GPO's

**U10 & 12 Floodlit & Astro Turf Gaelic Football**

This year the Astro Turf blitz will take place on Mon 12th & Mon 19th Nov in Mt. Sion Astro Turf Pitch It is a 7 a side blitz. Clubs are requested to have teams entered by Mon 5th Nov. Clubs can enter as many teams as they wish. The under 12 will commence on Mpdnday 5th of November in Aghlish, Clashmore and The Nire with nine teams taking part.

**New Young Whistlers Course 30th Oct**

A young whistlers course will take place on Tue 30th Oct. It will take place in Roanmore GAA club from 7pm to 9pm. An inter county referee will guest along with Referee Tutor Pat Moore. Anyone between 13 & 19 can take part and all interested should contact any of the GPO's to book a place on the course.

**Foundation Courses Hurling and Gaelic Football**

With the upcoming end of the outdoor season Coaching and Games will be offering Foundation level Hurling and Gaelic Football Coaching courses in the coming months. Any club with 12 people can have a course or else clubs can combine to get the required numbers. Course will be run in November subject to demand. Any clubs interested please contact the GPO's.

**GAA National Coaching Conference**

The 5th GAA Coaching Conference will take place on Fri 23rd & Sat 24th Nov. It will take place in Croke Park with a variety of topics covered by top coaches and tutors.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# LATE POINT SEES BALLINACOURTY THROUGH TO SEMI-FINAL

**SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP  
Ballinacourty 1-7  
Clashmore 1-6**

It could be said here that the favourites Ballinacourty collapsed over the finish line when a Pat Hurney sixty third minute point from play rescued them from a dead heat and having to do it all again on next week-end.

The low scoring in the game to some extent reflected the closeness of the exchanges but

more than anything else it illustrated the inability of the sides to take scores that were there for the taking. In this regard Ballinacourty were more culpable having kicked more wides than Clashmore over the sixty three minutes of the game. A six point lead for Ballinacourty and an amazing miss at goal gave the impression that they were going to win this game decisively after only twenty minutes, however Clashmore had other ideas and stuck closely to the task of

holding the Ballinacourty attack who kicked several wides under pressure. At the end of sixty minutes the sides were level and it looked certain that a replay was a must until the point that separated the sides was kicked over at the third minute of added on time.

Ballinacourty will probably have more reason to feeling displeased with their play as over the hour they had far more possession but did not seem able to deliver the scores that looked possible particularly in the second half hour.

Clashmore too will feel disappointed having scored three successive points to bring them level in the closing ten minutes and then having conceded the point to put them out of the running in the place for the semi-final. A share of the spoils would have done them justice in the end.

**PLAY**

Ballinacourty opened after twenty seconds when Patrick Hurney kicked over the lead point but in the second minute Clashmore corner forward Fintan Breathnach converted a free to leave the sides level. A point from play from Patrick Lynch in the seventh minute was followed in the tenth minute by a Gary Hurney goal to give Ballinacourty a four point advantage. Patrick Hurney added a point in the fifteenth minute

and in the eighteenth minute Declan Fives converted a free to extend the lead to six points.

In the twenty seventh minute Fintan Breathnach kicked over a free to leave the half way tally at 1-4 to 0-2

**SECOND HALF**

A Declan Fives point from a free in the third minute gave Ballinacourty a six points lead and at this stage they looked to be heading for a safe victory until a fifth minute Stephen Barron rocket hit the back of the net to restore the confidence of the challengers and when Fintan Breathnach added a point (first from play) in the seventh minute a battle royal looked to be on. Breathnach again pointed from a free and when Kieran Connery sent over a splendid score in the fifty eighth minute an upset looked possible and it looked even more possible in the sixtieth minute when Fintan Breathnach brought the teams level for the first time in an hour.

Then came the rescuing score and the Patrick Hurney point that parted the sides on the scoreboard in the third minute of added on time. While the overall performance was disappointing a win is a win and while Ballinacourty did not play to the standard of which they are well capable they will be glad to have come through to take their place in the semi-final against the

champions. Going off the field after the final whistle Clashmore were obviously disappointed at losing a game in the closing minutes. A win for them would put them into the county semi-final for the first time in over a quarter of a century.

**Scorers:** Ballinacourty - G. Hurney 1-1, P. Hurney 0-3, D. Fives 0-2, P. Lynch M. Ferncombe 0-1 each.

Clashmore - S. Barron 1-1, F. Breathnach 0-4, K. Connery 0-1

**Ballinacourty** - Stephen Enright, Joey Mullen, John Kindregan, Gavin Breen, John

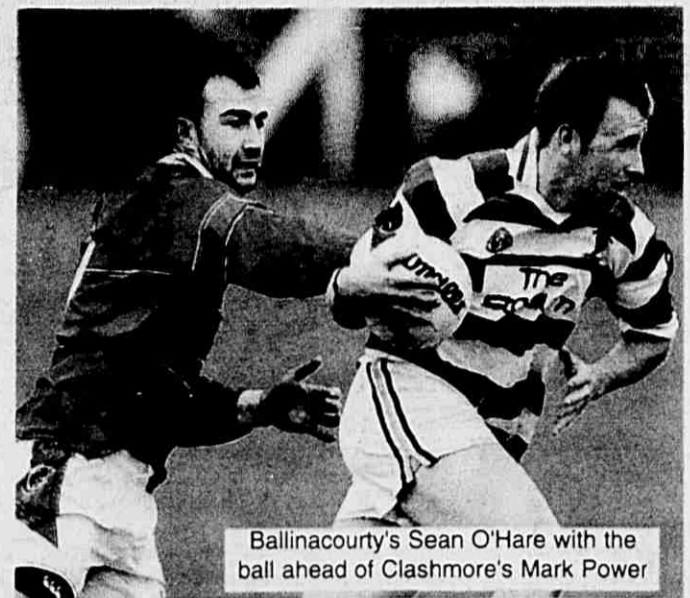
Phelan, John Hurney, Shane Briggs, Gary Hurney, Patrick Lynch, Patrick Hurney, Mark Fives, Sean O'Hare, Declan Fives, Laurence Hurney, Mark Ferncombe

**Clashmore** - Brian O'Neill, Barry Dunne, Jason Seward, Ed Beresford, Philip Dec, Kieran Connery, Ciaran Burke, Karl O'Keeffe, Mark Power, Padraigh O'Rourke, Stephen Barron, Declan Allen, Sean Fleming, Cillian O'Keeffe, Fintan Breathnach. Sub: Padraigh Connery.

Ref: Tim Byrne Erins Own.



Clashmore's Sean Fleming gets ahead of Ballinacourty's Joey Mullins



Ballinacourty's Sean O'Hare with the ball ahead of Clashmore's Mark Power

# Ballygunner Defeat Lismore For A Place In The County Final

**SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP  
Ballygunner 1-14  
Lismore 2-6**

The expectations that the western challengers Lismore would score a first ever championship victory over the favourites Ballygunner in this highly publicised semi-final met with disappointment before a very large crowd at Fraher Field on Sunday afternoon after the outlook had looked bright in the opening minutes when a Sean Daly goal gave them a four point lead before the Gunners got on the scoreboard. However their

total score for the remainder of the half amounted to just two points to leave them with 1-3 at the break. In the meantime Ballygunner had added seven points to give them a marginal lead when the sides retired at half time.

Within two minutes of the restart Barry Mullane hit the back of the net to give the city team a four point lead and a boost that saw them score a further four points without reply. A Dan Shanahan point in the fifty sixth minute and a splendid goal also from Dan in the fifty eighth minute closed the gap to just

three points and at this stage anything looked possible. Shane O'Sullivan and J.J. Hutchinson added relieving points that ensured victory for the favourites in a game that will hardly be remembered for its classic hurling.

Lismore will bemoan the seventeen wides that denied them scores which could have made a difference at crucial stages. At one point in the second half they hit five successive wides. At the end of the day Ballygunner were that much better and deserved their win.

The game was tension packed from the start and one could observe a nervous feeling by both sets of players. This to some extent accounted for a lot of erratic shooting and near misses that would have counted on the scoreboard had there been less tension in the game.

Dave Bennet pointed a seven minute free to open the scoring for Lismore and only a minute later Sean Daly had the ball in the net for the first of Lismore's two goals. Ballygunner did not get on the score board until the eleventh minute and Andy Moloney's point from play was followed with points from Barry Mullane, Gearoid O'Connor and Shane O'Sullivan to leave the sides level in the nineteenth minute. David O'Gorman had Lismore's second point in the twentieth minute and Stephen Power had the sides level again in the twenty fourth minute. Stephen Power and

David Howard exchanged points to leave it level in the twenty ninth minute until a Stephen Power free gave Ballygunner a one point lead (0-7 to 1-3) at the break.

**SECOND HALF**

The Barry Mullane goal as reported above extended Ballygunner's lead in the second minute of this half and with four further points without reply the favourites held a 1-11 to 1-3 lead in the forty second minute. Still Lismore kept battling away but a Dave Bennet point from a free gave the challengers slight hope of recovering at this point when Stephen Power also pointed a free to leave the Ballygunner lead at eight points. Kevin Power had a fine Lismore score from play and this was followed by Dan Shanahan's first score of the match in the fifty sixth minute and when the hurler of the year shot to the Ballygunner net in the fifty eighth minute they reduced their leeway to three points (2-6 to 2-12). Everyone seemed uncertain what the end would be as the sides battled it out for the closing five minutes but the points came on the Ballygunner side and their two added points gave them a five point advantage when time was called.

Ballygunner will have little reason for feeling elated about their display and Lismore will certainly feel disappointed about their overall performance and their wasted chances. However a win is a win and the result puts

Ballygunner into the County Final against western challenger sBallyduff at Walsh Park on next Sunday week November the 4th.

**Scorers:** Ballygunner - S. Power 0-5, B. Mullane 1-1 J.J. Hutchinson 0-3, S.O'Sullivan 0-2, G.O'Connor 0-1, D. O'Sullivan, A. Moloney 0-1 each. Lismore -D. Shanahan 1-1, S. Daly, 1-0, D. Bennet 0-3, D. Howard and D. O'Gorman 0-1 each

**Ballygunner** - Pat Haran, Colin Keogh, Alan Kirwan, Rory O'Sullivan, Tommy Power, Fergal Hartley, Wayne Hutchinson, David O'Sullivan, Shane Walsh,

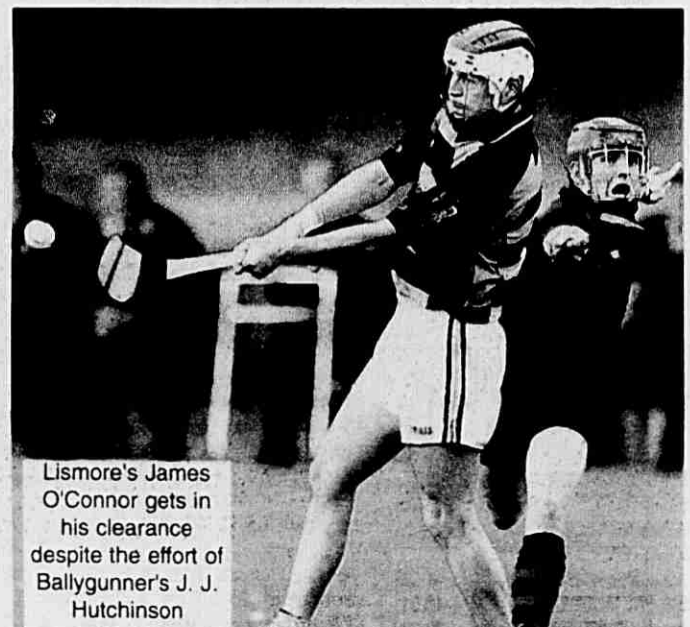
Gearoid O Connor, Andy Moloney, J.J. Hutchinson, Barry Mullane, Steven Power. Sub: N. O'Donnell.

**Lismore** - Brendan Landers, Eoin Bennet, Shane Kearney, Anthony Whelan, Peter Howard, James O'Connor, William Cunningham, David Howard, Kevin Power, Dan Shanahan, James Shanahan, Dave Bennett, Maurice Shanahan, Sean Daly, John Heneghan. Subs: David O'Gorman M. Walsh, B. Bennet, P. Prendergast.

Referee Maurice Condon (Clashmore) did a splendid job on this his first County Senior Hurling Semi-Final.



Lismore's Dan Shanahan and Michael Walsh in an ariel duel with Ballygunner's, Shane O'Sullivan and Wayne Hutchinson



Lismore's James O'Connor gets in his clearance despite the effort of Ballygunner's J. J. Hutchinson



# WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



A tentative crowd listen to Tom Scanlon's directions before the start of Enright's Eurospar Autumn Running League at St. Augustine's College. The League finished last Thursday night and was a resounding success.

## EUROSPAR LEAGUE

WEEK 6 — 18/10/2007

ONE LAP	
1 DIANA CHIZHIKOVA	9.21
2 FIONA O'RIORDAN	10.42
3 EUNICE POWER	10.43
4 HELENA MORRISSEY	10.44
5 LISA MOORE	10.51
6 EMER POWER	10.56
7 SUSIE KEANE	11.01
8 PAULA EARLY	11.03
9 BRIGID BLACKWELL	11.05
10 ANN WRIGHT	11.17
11 MAURA FLYNN	11.24
12 SHIRLEY FLYNN	11.51
13 ANN LYONS	13.04
14 EILEEN POWER	13.52
15 REGINIA BYRNE	14.16

TWO LAP	
1 YEVGENIY CHIZHIKOV	15.00
2 CARINA WALSH	15.12
3 ANN WHELAN	17.52
4 BRENDA HUNT	17.53
5 PEARSE MOLONEY	19.24
6 SCOTT LYONS	19.42
7 NIKKI MC KENNA	20.35
8 DEBORAH BERESFORD	21.04
9 HELEN FROST	22.27
10 CAROLINE FLYNN	23.20
11 TOMMY LENIHAN	23.21
12 MARY O'RIORDAN	26.29

THREE LAP	
1 MARK CAHILL	23.29
2 SHANE POWER	26.03
3 PADDY POWER	26.15
4 TOM MORONEY	26.26
5 NOEL MC KENNA	27.01
6 JOSIE UI CHUIRRIN	28.02
7 CAROL WHELAN	28.23
8 EMER CULLINANE	29.10
9 MARGARET POWER	29.26
10 ONRA POWER	29.47
11 JOSIE HARTY	33.05

FOUR LAP	
1 RAVIS ZAKIS	27.39
2 KEVIN KENEALLY	27.40
3 DENIS MC CARTHY	28.40
4 BRIAN BYRNE	28.44
5 DES FEENEY	28.49
6 ALAN LYONS	31.46
7 EARL NAVIN	31.59
8 NORMA WALL	32.01
9 JIM BARRY	32.35
10 DAVID CONNORS	32.41
11 JASON DEE	32.44
12 COLIN LYONS	32.45
13 LIAM BUDDS	34.14
14 PATRICK RIORDAN	34.15
15 BILLY COLEMAN	35.17
16 SULLIVAN O'DOHERTY	35.27
17 ANN DUNFORD	36.26
18 RAY CURRAN	37.19
19 DERMOT RYAN	37.26
20 PAT MORRISSEY	37.44
21 J.J. HENLEY	37.50
22 PASCAL PROCTOR	37.57
23 MICHÉAL CALLAGHAN	37.59
24 VINCENT TUTTY	38.06
25 ROSEALEEN RYAN	38.29
26 MAIREAD MURPHY	40.29
27 JUDY HAURAHAN	40.38
28 PAT MOORE	40.51
29 MICHAEL TUTTY	42.07
30 MICHAEL DEEGAN	42.09

# Enright's Eurospar Autumn League Draws To A Successful Conclusion

The sixth and final night of the Eurospar Autumn League was held last Thursday night in the Friary and it was a resounding success. With the light fading, proceedings got underway promptly and there were many on top form for the final night. Whether you ran in the one, two, three or four lap league, thanks to you all for participating and we hope you all enjoyed the league. We were very fortunate throughout the duration of the league with the weather and the grounds were in tip-top shape each night. Our thanks to St. Augustine's for the use of the grounds for the league. Now that the Autumn has come and gone, it's time to turn your attention to the winter league. Don't undo all your good work in the Autumn, use the Winter League to capitalise on your present level of fitness and health. For round six there were many runners that hit top form and many went home with a personal best to their credit.

### VERY CLOSE IN ONE LAP LEAGUE

It was fast and furious for the one lap and many were side-by-side coming in to the home straight. Fiona O'Riordan led one group home in a time of 10.42, closely followed by Eunice Power in 10.43 and Helena Morrissey in 10.44. It doesn't get any closer than that. Lisa Moore wasn't too far behind in 10.51. Susie Keane, Paula Early and Brigid Blackwell all recorded great runs and were unlucky to finish just outside of eleven minutes for the one lap.

### YEVGENIY CHIZHIKOV RECORDS 15 MINUTES EVEN FOR TWO LAPS

Yevgeniy Chizhikov pulled off a great performance in the two-lap league. He started off nice and steady and just after half way he really upped the pace and led the field of two lappers home to record fifteen minutes even. Another great performance of the night went to Corinna Walsh who clocked 15.12 for the distance. Caroline Flynn will be well pleased with her run as she recorded 23.20 as will Mary O'Riordan who broke 27 minutes for the run.

### CAHILL ON THE MARK

Mark Cahill recorded a great personal best for the three-lap course. He ran the first two laps an even eight minutes per lap and going into the third and final lap he took off and came home in a time of 23.29, his fastest time for the league. This run earned him the title of division one winner for the three laps so well done. Noel McKenna also had a great run and clocked 27.01, so close to the 27 minutes even and for this Noel went on to claim the honour of leader of division two on 24 points. Onra Power ran a steady 29.47 and so was well under thirty minutes for the distance.

### RAVIS IS OVERALL WINNER OF FOUR-LAP LEAGUE

Ravis Zakis was the hot favourite at the beginning of the league to take the title and this he duly achieved. Along with Ravis, there were four others that broke 30 minutes on the night. Kevin Kenneally, Denis McCarthy, Brian Byrne and Des Feeney will be well pleased with their sub 30-minute runs. Jim Barry had a great run on the night and recorded 32.35 for his efforts and this earned him the top spot for division 3 ahead of Jason Dee who also had a terrific run to record 32.44. David Connors also had a personal best and will be delighted with 32.41. Newcomer Rosaleen Ryan showed that she knows a thing or two about running and was well under 40 minutes for the four laps, recording 38.29.

The following are the division winners for the various laps of the league.

**One Lap — Division 1 —** Diana Chizhikova, Rosemarie Fleming, Susie Flynn. **Division 2 —** Brigid Blackwell. **Division 3 —** Ann Wright.

**Two Laps — Division 1 —** Yevgeniy Chizhikov, Corinna Walsh, Ann Whelan. **Division 2 —** Nikki McKenna.

**Three Laps — Division 1 —** Mark Cahill, Shane Power, Paddy Power. **Division 2 —** Noel McKenna.

**Four Laps — Division 1 —** Ravis Zakis, Rory Moloney. **Division 2 —** Alan Lyons.

**Division 3 —** Jim Barry. **Division 4 —** David Connors. **Division 5 —** Michael Tutty. **Division 6 —** Michael Deegan

### SPONSORS

As the league draws to a close, we would like to take this opportunity to thank Ger Enright of Eurospar for his generous sponsorship of the league. It was great to have Ger on board again this year and we would like to thank him for his support of local athletics over the last number of years. Many thanks.

### PRIZEGIVING

The prize giving for the Autumn League will be held in Minnies Bar, Abbeyside on Friday night October 26 at 10 p.m. As we had two leagues on each week, the prize giving for both will be held at the one time. A great night is in store for you all and we hope that as many as possible will turn up on the night. See you all there.



Declan Mc Grath gives it his all at last week's Enright's Eurospar Autumn League at St. Augustine's College.

# EUROSPAR LEAGUE TABLES

ONE LAP	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 5	WK 6	TL
<b>DIVISION 1</b>							
1 DIANA CHIZHIKOVA	1	2	2			1	6
2 ROSEMARIE FLEMING	2	4	3	8			17
3 SUSIE FLYNN	4	6	6			7	23
4 FIONA O'RIORDAN			5	9	8	2	24
5 HELENA MORRISSEY	3			10	10	4	27
<b>DIVISION 2</b>							
1 BRIGID BLACKWELL	5	11	13			9	38
2 PAULA EARLY		10	8	14		8	40
3 LISA MOORE		13	12		15	5	45
4 SHIRLEY FLYNN	6	14	15			12	47
5 EMER POWER		12	10	20		6	48
<b>DIVISION 3</b>							
1 ANN WRIGHT		20	11		17	10	58
2 EILEEN POWER	9	19	21			14	63
3 CATHERINE WRIGHT	8	16	18	24			66
4 TRACEY DRUMMY	7	17	19	23			66
5 KATHLEEN YOUNG	10	23	24		26		83
6 REGINA BYRNE		21	23	28		15	87
<b>TWO LAP</b>							
<b>DIVISION 1</b>							
1 YEVGENIY CHIZHIKOV	1			1	1	1	4
2 CORINA WALSH	2	3			2	2	9
3 ANN WHELAN	4	4			4	3	15
4 BRENDA HUNT		5		3	5	4	17
5 PEARSE MOLONEY	8			5	6	5	24
<b>DIVISION 2</b>							
1 NIKKI MCKENNA		9		7	9	7	32
2 TOMMY LENIHAN	11	11		11		11	44
3 CAROLINE FLYNN	13	12	14			10	49
4 HELEN FROST		10		15	17	9	51
5 PAULA NUGENT		13	12	13	15		53
6 MARY O'RIORDAN	16	15		17		12	60
<b>THREE LAP</b>							
<b>DIVISION 1</b>							
1 MARK CAHILL		4		1	2	1	8
2 SHANE POWER			2	3	3	2	10
3 PADDY POWER	1			4	4	3	12
4 TOM MORONEY	3	6	3			4	16
5 JOSIE UI CHUIRRIN			4	5	7	6	22
<b>DIVISION 2</b>							
1 NOEL MCKENNA		8	5	6		5	24
2 CAROL WHELAN	4	7		7		7	25
3 ONRA POWER	5	9	8	9			31
4 JOSIE HARTY	7		9	10		11	37
<b>FOUR LAP</b>							
<b>DIVISION 1</b>							
1 RAVIS ZAKIS	1	1			1	1	4
2 RORY MOLONEY	2	2		2	2		8
3 KEVIN KENEALLY			3	4	3	2	12
4 DENIS MCCARTHY	5	5	4			3	17
5 DES FEENEY		7	6		6	7	26
<b>DIVISION 2</b>							
1 ALAN LYONS	10		8		8	6	32
2 COLIN LYONS	6	9	9	10			34
3 PATRICK RIORDAN	9	8		12	9		38
4 EARL NAVIN	11	11	11			7	40
5 NORMA WALL	12		10	14		8	44
<b>DIVISION 3</b>							
1 JIM BARRY	13		12		13	9	47
2 JASON DEE	14	12	16			11	53
3 MICHAEL ROCHE	16	14	17		15		62
4 PAUL BRUNNOCK	15	13	15	20			63
5 DERMOT RYAN		10	13		22	19	64
<b>DIVISION 4</b>							
1 DAVID CONNORS	17			19	18	10	64
2 BILLY COLEMAN	18	16	18			15	67
3 SULLIVAN O'DOHERTY		20	19		16	16	71
4 VINCENT TUTTY		19	14	16	24		73
5 RAY CURRAN		24	23		23	18	88
<b>DIVISION 5</b>							
1 MICHAEL TUTTY	22	22		24		29	97
2 JJ HENLEY	28	25	26			21	100
3 PASCAL PROCTOR	25		25	31		22	103
4 KEVIN O'DONOGHUE	32	23	22	29			106
5 JUDY HANRAHAN	30	29			31	27	117
<b>DIVISION 6</b>							
1 ML DEEGAN		28	28		32	30	118
2 PAT MOORE	33	30			39	28	130
3 LIAM SANDFORD	31		29	39	33		132

## Check Out The Club Web Site

Have you checked out the countries most frequently updated athletics web site on the net? Well you should, because its your very own [www.westwaterfordathletics.org](http://www.westwaterfordathletics.org) filled with all the club's up to date photos, league tables, race results, notes etc. It's a vital tool now in the day to day happenings in the club and keeps all members up to date with all that's happening on the local running scene. The lady responsible for looking after the site behind the scenes is club member Andrea Gaffney who is doing a terrific job for the club we thank her for all her work with the site. If there's anything that you would like to see on the site or you would like to contribute anything for the site please email it to [info@westwaterfordathletics.org](mailto:info@westwaterfordathletics.org) come on everybody its up to all of us to avail of this club facility.



WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

# Elite Paintball One Lap Challenge A Huge Success

They came, they ran and they conquered. And so the story goes for the fifty or so people that ran each night of the Elite Paintball One Lap Challenge and all passed with flying colours!! To some it was a challenge that they were well used to, to others it was something completely new and unknown to them and to these people especially we extend our congratulations. We are delighted that you made the decision to join and give it a go and doubly delighted that you all endured the six weeks of the league and that you rose to the challenge on every occasion. Many of you out there would have been complete newcomers to the scene but not anymore and for this you must all be complimented. Now it's your

turn to encourage a friend or two to give it a go. Now that you have proved to yourself that you are up for the challenge, it's time to set a new one! That's the thing about running, you set yourself a target, you achieve it and straight away you find yourself setting a new goal. This means that you are getting fitter, stronger, healthier and faster all at the one time. Not bad for €2 per night. Well done again to everybody. During the course of the league participants were allocated into divisions of five and it was each person's best four nights out of the six nights that counted and this is how we calculated the division winners. However, in our minds, each and every one of you are a winner. You may not have been at the top of a division but if you came out with the intention of running a lap without stopping and this you duly achieved, then you are certainly a winner and no doubt in the not too distant future you will be a division winner in one of our future leagues.

**MICHAEL "MOTORS" ON AS SINEAD BREAKS TWELVE MINUTES**

It's always on the final night that people will muster up all their determination and energy and give it they're all round six of the Elite Paintball One Lap Challenge was no different. Many of you achieved personal bests and were thrilled with the results. Brenda Hunt recorded 7.38 and was more than happy with that. Stacey Lyons, who has been hovering between 8.10 and 8.30, clocked 8.01, which was fantastic running. She must be picking up a few tips from Dad Colin who was winner of division two. Michael Tutty was really motoring on the night and achieved a personal best for his efforts, clocking 8.10, three seconds faster than his previous best. Mairead Murphy was a very strong finisher and passed the finishing line in a time of 8.20. Sinead Hogan had a mere second to spare in her effort to break

eleven minutes and was happy with 10.59. Marie Hyslop was another out to break the twelve-minute barrier and clocked 11.58, which was a great achievement. Well done all and we hope to see you all at our upcoming leagues. You have all worked hard for the Autumn; it would be a shame to undo all that hard work for the winter.

**DIVISIONAL WINNERS**

There were eight division winners and well done to all. Raivis Zakis won division one, closely followed by the man from the Kingdom, Johnny O'Connor on nine points. Alan Lyons was only one point behind Johnny so division one was very close indeed. Colin Lyons was a clear winner of division two. Brigid Coffey won division three on 37 points. Ann Whelan finished up with 36 points, which unfortunately for Ann pushed her up to the next division. Pearse Moloney had four points to spare over Geraldine Heffernan in division 4. A former division winner in the TQS League, Diana Chizhikova finds herself a division winner yet again and claimed the honours for division 5 on a score of 85 points, a 5 point lead over second placed Karolina Mazur. In division 6, another former division winner, Susie Keane takes the top spot with 115 points. Division 7 went to Shirley Flynn with a score of 144, giving her an eight-point lead over Mary O'Riordan. A gallant effort by Marie Hyslop to break 12 minutes on the final night certainly paid off and as a result Marie became winner of division eight on a score of 166 points. So well done to you all and we hope that you can come along to Minnie's Bar on Friday 26 October for the prize giving and have a night out to celebrate your win.

**PRIZE GIVING.**

The Prize-giving for the Elite Paintball One Lap Challenge will take place in Minnie's Bar on Friday night, October 26 at 10 p.m. Prizes will be given to the

division winners and all participants are invited to attend. A great night is guaranteed for you all.

**SPONSORS**

Once again, the club would like to sincerely thank Jeff and Marie Allen for their ongoing support and co-operation throughout the league. They came along and participated each night and in no small way made the league the huge success that it was. We were delighted to welcome them on board as sponsors and as runners and we are indebted to them for their very generous sponsorship. Many thanks.

**DUBLIN CITY MARATHON ON BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY FOR PADDY JOE DELANEY MEMORIAL SHIELD**

With the majority of our marathon runners jet setting around various parts of the World these last couple of weeks. We had runners taking part in marathons in Berlin, Amsterdam and Chicago. Obviously our numbers taking part in this coming Bank Holiday Monday's Dublin City Marathon will be a much smaller contingent than usual. However that said we will be well represented on the day. The Irish National Marathon Championship will, as has been the case for a few years now, held in conjunction with the race. Those from the club taking part will include Benji Whelan, (winner of the shield at last years race) Eoin O'Riordan, Paul Brunnock, Ann Moroney, Terri Gough, Declan McGrath, and David Connors, among others, we wish them all the very best for the day.

**Elite Paintball 1 Lap Challenge League Tables**

DIVISION	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 5	WK 6	TL
<b>DIVISION 1</b>							
RAIVIS ZAKIS		1		1	3	1	6
JOHNNY O'CONNOR			1	2	4	2	9
ALAN LYONS		2	2	3		3	10
YEVGENIY CHIZHIKOV	1	3	3	4			11
CORINA WALSH	3	5		5		5	18
<b>DIVISION 2</b>							
COLIN LYONS	4	4	4	6			18
NORMA WALL	5		5	7		8	25
BRENDA HUNT	8	7	6	8			29
ANN DUNFORD	6	8		9	11		34
ANN WHELAN	9	9	7	11			36
<b>DIVISION 3</b>							
BRIGID COFFEY	7	10	8	12			37
STACEY LYONS	10	11	9	14			44
MICHAEL TUTTY	14		10	13		17	54
BRID VEALE			12	15	17	16	60
CAROL WHELAN	15	15	13	17			60
<b>DIVISION 4</b>							
PEARSE MOLONEY	16	16	14	19			65
GERALDINE HEFFERNAN		13	16		20	20	69
JUDY HANRAHAN		12		16	22	21	71
JOSIE UI CHUIRRIN			15	18	21	22	76
ONRA POWER	17	17	17	25			76
<b>DIVISION 5</b>							
DIANA CHIZHIKOVA	18	19	20	28			85
KAROLINA MAZUR	19	20	24	27			90
SHARON LYNCH		23	19	21		29	92
HUGH O'CONNOR			21	22	24	27	94
JOSIE HARTY	20	22	27	30			99
<b>DIVISION 6</b>							
SUSIE KEANE	24	26	31	34			115
CAROLINE FLYNN	25	28	34			40	127
BRIGID BLACKWELL	30	29	35	36			130
FIONA O'RIORDAN			28	32	35	36	131
HELENA MORRISSEY			29	31	36	35	131
<b>DIVISION 7</b>							
SHIRLEY FLYNN	28	31	38			47	144
MARY O'RIORDAN	27		37	42	46		152
ANN WRIGHT		32	41	44		41	158
EMER POWER			36	41	41	43	161
ANITA LYONS	32	35	46			48	161
<b>DIVISION 8</b>							
MARIE HYSLOP		34	43	45	44		166
KATHLEEN YOUNG	33	38	52	52			175
REGINA BYRNE		36	50		52	51	189
UNA COTTER		37	51	51	53		192

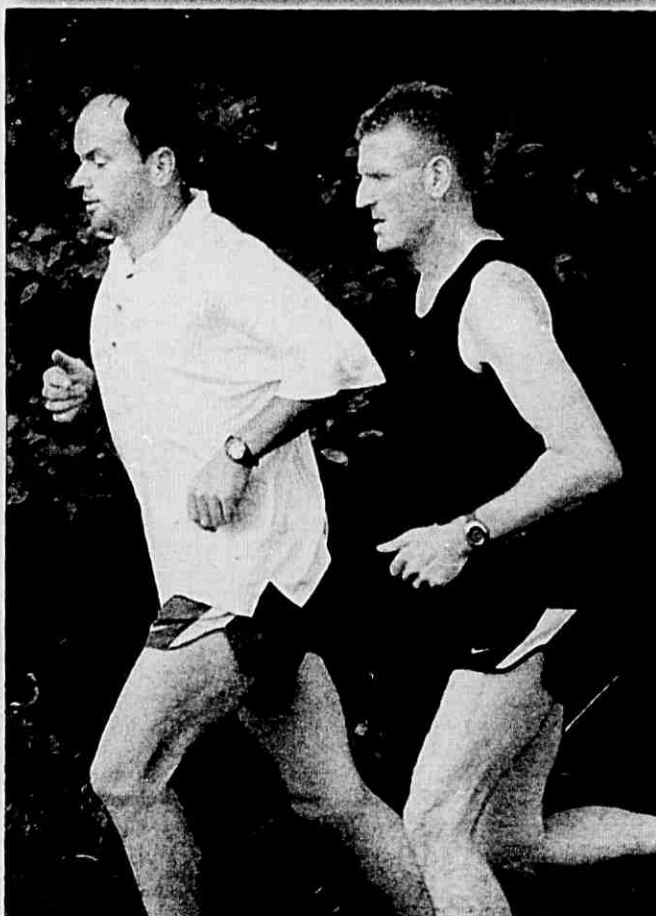
**Elite Paintball 1 Lap Challenge**

**TIMES WEEK 6 — 10/16/07**

RAIVIS ZAKIS	6.27
JOHNNY O'CONNOR	6.33
ALAN LYONS	6.55
YEVGENIY CHIZHIKOV	6.57
CORINA WALSH	7.14
COLIN LYONS	7.27
TADGH UI CHUIRRIN	7.28
NORMA WALL	7.31
DZINTARS SANTERS	7.33
BRENDA HUNT	7.38
DEIRDRE MCCURTAIN	7.39
ANN WHELAN	7.44
ANN DUNFORD	7.45
STACEY LYONS	8.01
BRIGID COFFEY	8.07
BRID VEALE	8.09
MICHAEL TUTTY	8.10
ARTIS	8.16
MAIREAD MURPHY	8.20
GERALDINE HEFFERNAN	8.32
JUDY HANRAHAN	8.33
JOSIE UI CHUIRRIN	8.38
PETER KIELY	8.39
PAT MOORE	8.48
MARTINA RYAN	8.49
CAROL WHELAN	8.53
HUGH O'CONNOR	8.54
EMER HURLEY	9.06
SHARON LYNCH	9.13
ANDREA GAFFNEY	9.13
ONRA POWER	9.14
DIANA CHIZHIKOVA	9.40
PEIGI ASKEW	9.40
JOSIE HARTY	9.53
HELENA MORRISSEY	10.14
FIONA O'RIORDAN	10.43
SUSIE KEANE	10.48
PAULA EARLEY	10.54
SINEAD HOGAN	10.59
CAROLINE FLYNN	11.15
ANN WRIGHT	11.21
BRIGID BLACKWELL	11.21
EMER POWER	11.26
LISA MOORE	11.27
MAURA FLYNN	11.50
MARIE HYSLOP	11.58
SHIRLEY FLYNN	12.05
ANITA LYONS	12.25
MARY O'RIORDAN	12.47
ANN LYONS	13.46
REGINA BYRNE	14.40
KATHLEEN YOUNG	18.03



And they're off — at the Enright's Eurospar Autumn Running League at St. Augustine's College which concluded last Thursday night.



Tomás and Richie in full flight during the Enright's Eurospar Autumn League last Thursday evening.

**RUNNING QUOTE**

Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up.

— Sinead Moore



**WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES****WATERFORD COUNTY SENIOR CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS****Sandis Rules O.K.  
GOLD AND SILVER TEAM AWARDS  
FOR WEST WATERFORD AC.**

West Waterford A.C. kept its great tradition of cross country running intact at the recent Waterford Senior Cross Country Championships which were held at St. Augustine's College in conjunction with the Garveys SuperValu sponsored Cross Country Gallop last Sunday week.

Our club recorded a great double in races, individually as well as team. Sandis Bralitis took an easy victory in the mens event and Corinna Walsh after somewhat of a battle with club mate Diane Behan was the victor in the Ladies race. This was Sandis's second Waterford Senior County Cross Country Championship win in a row and he did it in style leading from gun to tape. His team mate Raivis Zakis who was the champion from 2005 had to settle for the silver medal again this year as was the case last year. The bronze medal was won by ten times senior winner James Sullivan Waterford AC who is running as well now as he was 10 years ago, despite now running as a master. The club had another good day in the team sections winning gold and silver team awards. Sandis and Raivis lead the club to gold along with one of the club's new kid's on the block Rory Moloney who finishing a superb 4th overall in his very first senior cross country race and like wise another youngster whose name we haven't heard the last of Mark Shalloe was our fourth scoring member finishing 6th overall, this gave us 13 points. The silver winning West Waterford team finished with a tally of 36 points and here too we saw some great performances when Declan McGrath headed the team up finishing 7th, Kevin Kennelly was hot on his heels in 8th place as was Martin McCarthy who is always in the top 10 or 12 at this championship race each year, he finished 10 on this occasion, just one place behind Martin was Des Feeney in 11th place. Des is making a great fist of the cross



West Waterford AC Senior Mens Waterford Cross Country Champions 2007 — (l. to r.) Rory Moloney, Raivis Zakis (individual silver), Sandis Bralitis (individual gold) and Mark Shalloe. The team won with a total of 20 points.

country running this year and is in his best form ever over the country. Good team running from all. Waterford AC took the bronze medals here with 39 points.

**CORINNA WALSH CLAIMS HER FIRST SENIOR COUNTY CROSS COUNTRY TITLE****WEST WATERFORD LADIES TAKE GOLD AND BRONZE TEAM AWARDS**

The ladies championship saw the welcome return of Corinna Walsh who has suffered her share of injury this past year and a half. However all that seems to be

behind her now and she gave a fine display of cross country running when taking the title from club mate and holder of the title from 2006 Diane Behan who had to be content with the silver on this occasion. Diane and Corinna were together for the first of two laps of the Friary course then on the final lap Corinna made her move drawing away from Diane over the final couple of hundred meters. Diane had won the title on three previous occasions when winning in 2003 and she then did the double in 2005 and 2006. Diane will not begrudge Corinna her senior title and these two athlete will be the back bone of our ladies cross country squad for the coming cross county season. Well done to both. Waterford's Maria Griffin finished third to take the bronze medal. Corinna and Diane lead the club to the gold team title also with the third

scoring member Norma Wall in an excellent 4th overall. Norma is most consistent when it comes to cross country running and she also finished in this exact position last year. The fourth scoring member was one of the clubs upcoming bright young stars Elma Nugent who finished 8th overall in her very first senior cross country championship race, not bad for one so young, remember the name. This is the clubs umpteenth time winning this county team award, so well done to all concerned in keeping up our rich tradition.

The silver winning team were from Waterford A.C. and they had 21 points Maria Griffin 3rd, Brea Cooke 5th, Sylvia Malone 6th and Mary Burke 7th. West Waterford also took the bronze team medals with the team consisting of Brenda Hunt 9th, Eibhlis Ní hAdooha 10th, Anne Whalen 11th, Ann Dunford 12th, 42 points were their tally. Well done to all medal winners and we are now eagerly looking forward to the Cross Country season ahead.



West Waterford AC Senior Ladies Waterford Cross Country Champions 2007 (l. to r.) Corinna Walsh (individual gold), Diane Behan (individual silver), Norma Wall and Elma Nugent. The team won with a total of 18 points.

**West Waterford Athletes Leave Their Mark On Amsterdam Marathon**

With conditions ideal for Marathon running in Amsterdam last Sunday the West Waterford Marathon troop returned some fine performances. The club had many first time half and full marathoners running and we are delighted to report that all finished their task. West Waterford's first two athletes out of the blocks were Onra Power and Carmel Corcoran who took part in the 5k event, both did very well here with Carmel finishing with a time of 24.19 and Onra was clocked at 25.41. The scene was set for the half and full marathon which were to follow we had 15 competing in the half marathon Tom Condon lead the club home here with a time of 1.40. This was 4 minutes faster than Tom's time last year in Amsterdam. He was followed by Ray Moore 1.41, Ray opted for the half this year after completing the full marathon last year, next we had two great runs from first timer Trevor Walsh 1.42 and Michael Tutty who "motored" his way around the course in 1.44. Martina Ryan lead our ladies finishers with a time of 1.53 and was followed by training partners Marie O'Gorman 1.55 and Sheilanne O'Donoghue 1.56.

31 from West Waterford ran the full marathon and as expected with the training done by all, performances lived up to most peoples expectations. Raivis Zakis once again proved with the right conditions he is a fine marathon runner when finishing just outside his personal best time he was clocked at 2.30 giving him a 44th overall finishing position. Breaking the magic 3-hour barrier in any marathon is no mean feat as many who attempt this will vouch for. Michael Dunford is no stranger to marathon pacing and once again he got his figures spot on when breaking that 3 hour mark 2.58. Michael was 1 minute faster than his time for last year's race.

We had five athletes under the 3.15 mark and they were Pat O'Riordan 3.01, Liam Budds 3.02, Eamon Phelan 3.04 and Brett Lynam 3.06. The 3 hours in beckoning here for these boys. Our first lady finisher was Triona Wall and her improvement in recent months is evident, last year Triona ran a time of 3.34 and this year she was focused on breaking the 3.30 mark and of course she did just that when clocking 3.28 last Sunday. Karen Ryan was our second lady finisher and will be well pleased with her 3.57. Angeline Drennan was our third lady finisher with another great run of 4.14

There were many other great performances including all Albert's gang who acquitted themselves admirably, so it's a big congratulations to all of them especially. They trained like no other and all richly deserve great praise and congratulations on their achievements.

Well done to all and a big thanks to the big travelling contingent that came over to support the runners this was much appreciated. Finally to Jacinta, Albert and Charmain for all their work in organising the trip a super job which was very well done with everything going off without a hitch, all arriving back to the old Boro tired and weary but happy campers.

The winner in Amsterdam was the 29-year old Kenyan Emmanuel Mutai who was somewhat of a surprise winner in 2.06.29. His time was just 9 seconds outside the course record of Haile Gebrselassie of 2005. This year only the same Gebrselassie was faster on the world ranking 2007 with his world record. Before Amsterdam last Sunday Mutai fastest time was 2.13.06. Impressive was also the performance of his fellow countryman Richard Limo, who finished in second place in his first marathon ever in 2.06.45. The battle for the third place was a photo finish. James Rotich was less than a second faster than his Kenyan fellow countryman and favourite Paul Kirui both in 2.07.12. Eleven athletes finished within 2.10.00.

In the ladies race Kenyan Magdaline Chemjor took the victory. The 28-year-old Chemjor won in her debut at the marathon distance in 2.28.16. The Polish Dorota Gruca (2.30.10) was just a little faster than the Ethiopian Ayelech Worku (2.30.15).

In total 24,000 participants took part in the ING Amsterdam Marathon. A record!

**Top 5 men** — 1) Emmanuel Mutai, Kenya 2.06.29; 2) Richard Limo, Kenya 2.06.45; 3) James Rotich, Kenya 2.07.12; 4) Paul Kirui, Kenya 2.07.12; 5) Yonas Kifle, Eritrea 2.07.34/

**Top 5 women** — 1) Magdaline Chemjor, Kenya 2.28.16; 2) Dorota Gruca, Poland 2.30.10; 3) Ayelech Worku, Ethiopia 2.30.15; 4) Shiru Deriba, Ethiopia 2.30.30; 5) Liza Hunter-Galvan, New Zealand 2.30.40.

**Full West Waterford Ac Marathon Results** — Raivis Zakis 2.30, Michael Dunford 2.58, Patrick Riordan 3.01, Liam Budds 3.02, Eamon Phelan 3.04, Brett Lynam 3.06, Tom O'Brien 3.11, Andrew Leary 3.25, Vincent Tutty 3.26, Dermot Ryan 3.29, Triona Wall 3.28, Ray Burke 3.36, Tomas Coleman 3.38, Richie Kelly 3.40, Brian Collins 3.44, Pat Morrissey 3.47, Alan Hickey 3.53, Karen Ryan 3.57, Pat O'Brien 4.02, Vincent O'Donovan 4.03, Eamon Flavin 4.10, Liam Sandford 4.14, Angeline Drennan 4.14, Sharon O'Brien 4.34, Tom Scanlon 4.36, Catriona O'Brien 4.50, Clare Walsh 4.54, Sinead Moore 4.54, Mary Harney 4.56, Jacinta Sheil 5.18, Albert McGrath 5.18.

**Half Marathon Results** — Tom Condon 1.40, Ray Moore 1.41, Trevor Walsh 1.42, Michael Tutty 1.44, Michael Deegan 1.50, Pascal Proctor 1.52, Martina Ryan 1.53, Maria O'Gorman 1.55, Sheilanne O'Donoghue 1.56, Patrick Lannon 1.57, Oliver Crotty 1.59, Martina Walsh 2.26, Niamh Budds 2.26, Alice Shanley 2.27, Don Sheil 2.30.

**5k** — Carmel Corcoran 24.19, Onra Power 25.41.

**MUNSTER NOVICE CROSS COUNTRY**

The club was well represented at the Munster Novice cross-country championships, which were held in Bilboa, Limerick last Sunday afternoon. However as we got to print the full results are still unavailable so we will hold our report over until next week.



# WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



West Waterford girls Under 10 Cross Country team pictured at the Munster's in Limerick last Sunday. Back row (l. to r.) Rachel Wyley, Emily Quinn, Rachel Morrissey and Chloe Beecher. Front row (l. to r.) Jade Morrissey, Ellen Curran, Aisling Mullaney and Erica Crotty.



West Waterford A.C. girls under 18 team who competed at the Munster Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Limerick — (l. to r.) Stacey Lyons, Jenny Hurley, Shona Curran and Elma Nugent.



Pictured are the West Waterford boys Under 16 team which took bronze club team medals at the Munster Even Ages Cross Country Championships in Limerick last Sunday — (l. to r.) Joe Conway, Daniel McCarthy, Tom Curran and Jim Curran.



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### ALLROUNDER SPORTS WINTER LEAGUE

## Registration Tonight Wednesday 24th

The 14th Annual Allrounder Sports Winter League registration night is on tonight with the league proper starting the following Wednesday October 31st. The league as in previous years will start and finish at Dungarvan Sports Centre, Quanns. As with all West Waterford events we try and cater for all levels, and all are welcome no matter what your back round or what your sport may be. If you feel like keeping fit over the winter months the Allrounder Sports Winter League is there for you. We have our usual two distances the 2.6 mile and the 5.6 mile runs, so a distance to suit all. Please make the effort to come

along tonight from 6.30-7.30 p.m. to registrar, anyone who wishes to run the course on this night can do so but it will not be counting as a league night proper. The first league night proper will be the next Wednesday evening October 31st.

#### SIXTEEN-WEEK LEAGUE

The organising committee under Gerry Cantwell have decided on a 16-week league this year with eight nights of league running before Christmas and eight nights after Christmas. We will have the traditional Christmas break finishing on Wednesday night December 19th our final league run in 2007 and the league will resume

on Wednesday night January 2nd. The league will finish on Wednesday 20th February.

The mystery tour night will be Friday night 22nd February. Entry will remain the same as previous years 2 euro per night to members of the club and 3 euro to non members. As was the case last year there will be a once off payment on registration night of 5 euro this extra amount will be used to cover the cost of purchasing the numbers which are quite expensive but they are waterproof and have to be used each night for the duration of the league.

All participants are asked to note also that the penalty points system "which is designed to give all runners an equal chance of winning the league" will come into play from week one, and is based on your times from last year's league. These penalty points for those who receive them will come into being from week number 1. The various division placings are made during the Christmas break and will be displayed weekly on our return night in January. Remember rule number one, no bib no run! Rule number 2 no watches.

It is quite a task to organise such a big event and with this in mind we appeal to anyone who might have an hour or so to spare any Wednesday evening and would be willing to give a hand we would be more than delighted to hear from you. Tony Ryan is looking after the stewards etc and he can be contacted on 087-7657805.

### IRELAND TO HOST THE 2009 EUROPEAN CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2009 European Cross Country Championships will be staged at Santry in Dublin. The European Athletics Council announced last week that the Irish bid had edged out French hopeful Carcassone and Polish city Bydgoszcz. Athletics Ireland has earmarked 13 December as the date for the event. Ireland hosted the 1979 and 2002 World Cross Country Championships but it will be the first occasion the country has staged the European Championships. Mo Farah and Ukraine's Tatyana Golovchenko claimed the individual titles in last year's championships while Irish athlete Fionnuala Britton was second in the Under-23 event. Irish athlete Catherina McKiernan won the European title in 1994. Meanwhile, Paris has been chosen to host the European Indoor Championships in 2011 and Gothenburg was selected to host the 2013 event. The European Indoor Championships were first held in 1966 in Dortmund. Paris has hosted it once, in 1994.



# Abbeyside Cub Scout Pack, Scout Troop & Venture Scout Notes

## Last Weeks Photo

This was Michael Cosgrave and Ray Moore in Galway during Annual Camp 1987, they are standing in the doorway of the Army Tent, some of you may remember this tent or even have slept in it a some time.

## Calendar Of Events

We have put our Activities onto an online Calendar, you can see these on the Blog Spot or the Abbeyside Scout Group site.

## Waterford Scout County AGM

Waterford Scout County will hold their AGM for 2007 on the 5th November in the WYTEC Waterford City.

## Cub Scout Pack - News & Information

This weeks meeting was started by Conor saying the cubs scouts prayer. Then Gearoid took up the subs and introduced everybody to new cub Aidan. Everybody then soon got warmed up with a game of North, South, East and West which was organised by Michael. This soon became a knockout game and the last two standing were the Tiger clan and the Panther clan with the Tiger clan coming out on top. Then the Wolf clan faced up to the Kestrel clan with the Wolf clan being the victors. The Wolf and Tiger clans then faced off in the final and after some questionable decisions by referee Michael without consultation from his "linesmen", the Tiger clan were the victors. Jordan Cliffe then did his report as part of his book reader badge and then answered questions from the rest of the cub pack on the other books that he had read over the summer months. Well done Jordan. The pack then sat down in their clans and started to do their drawings based on their own ideas of cub scouting. These drawings will be presented to the county at the start of December and the best one will be put on a neckerchief for the County Camp Weekend next year. Gearoid then reminded everyone about the overnight in Mount Melleray the following night and handed out a notice to anyone who didn't have one. Conor then said the final prayer and everyone was dismissed.

## OVERNIGHT MOUNT MELLERAY

Everyone arrived at Mount Melleray Scout centre last Friday night full of Adrenalin and anticipation. By the time Seanie, Brendan and Gearoid arrived Muller had shown most of the

cubs where they would be staying for the night. Gearoid took up subs for the stay in Melleray and then relieved the parents of their own duties, some of whom it must be said seemed to be extremely eager to get away. Once everybody was accounted for, everyone was allocated a bed according to what clan they were in, then we all went to the "half acre" to play some games and release some of the energy building up inside. Then about ten fifteen Gearoid gave all the cubs a hi-vis jacket and together with the scouts and the other leaders headed for our hike from Melleray down to the grotto. Some of the cubs were heard to be complaining about the slowness in the pace while a certain Leader did nothing but complain when we got back about how fast it was. As usual no names. When we did get back from the hike Brendan had been busy in the kitchen cooking us a wide variety of pizzas which hit the spot perfectly. Then it was time to settle down for bed and after a few reminder from the leaders about how close everybody was to home we all eventually got some sleep. Saturday morning saw us up early for breakfast and once that was over it was time for a wash and a clean. Then time to pack our gear especially for those leaving early to play matches. We then had to make sure that our room in which we slept was left in the same condition we found it. Once that was done and our gear was down at the main door ready to be collected Brendan brought the remaining cubs down to the climbing wall where some thrills and spills was had by all until everybody was collected by their parents. Everyone went home happy with I'm sure some stories to tell.

New members are always welcome so if there is anyone who may be interested in joining the Cubs have a Parent/Guardian 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. Their meeting night will be on a Thursday night from seven fifteen to eight forty five. If you have any questions before then you can E-Mail the Cubs on cubpack@abbeysidescoutgroup.com and Gearoid will get back in contact with you.

## Scout Troop - News & Information

The Scout Troop were overnight in Mount Melleray Scout Activity and Sports Centre on Friday Night 19th October. They gathered at the Centre for nine O'clock and settled into their room for the night in Eamon Macha with the Cub Pack across the landing and the Leaders room in between. The



Can you name these Scouts?

first Activity for the scouts was the Climbing Wall after which the scouts joined the Cub Pack getting some fresh air, by walking down to the Grotto at the bottom of the hill, everyone could be seen in the distance wearing their Hi Vis jackets with the 4th Waterford Logo on the back (thanks again Martin for the design, still no royalties). Back at the centre the Scouts enjoyed some soup and rolls with Kevin and Chris cooking what foods they brought with them, they was even some pizza left after the Cubs to be enjoyed. Soon it was time to go to bed and sleep quickly followed (well that is the official story).

The Scout were allowed to stay asleep for a little while after the Cubs but soon were up and enjoying their breakfast after which they tidied up their room before heading to the games room for some fun soon eleven o'clock arrived and time to head for home.

Scouts are reminded to be in Full Uniform with All badges in place.

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. Scout Meetings will still be on a Saturday night from seven to nine. If you have any questions about Scouts before we return in September you can E-Mail us at scouttroop@abbeysidescoutgroup.com and Brendan will get back in contact with you.

## Venture Scout Group - Information

The Venture Scout Group were

out under the stars last Friday night while the other two sections stayed in Mount Melleray. Glenshelane Scout Campsite & Cabin was their base as they Bivvyed out in the woods. We will have a full report from the lads themselves next week.

Ventures are reminded to return their Activity Consent Forms if they have not done so already. For further information contact Sandy. You can E-Mail the Venture Group on venturegroup@abbeysidescoutgroup.com.

## Full Uniform

Full Uniform is Black Polished Shoes/Boots, Navy/Black Socks, Uniform Trousers, Uniform Belt, Uniform Jumper (Cubs), Uniform Shirt (Scouts), Group Neckerchief, Woggle (Plus Spare), 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.

The Scout and Cub Scout Uniform are available from the Outdoor Adventure Store, Mc Curtain Street, Cork.

We carry some items such as Group Badge €3-50, Group Neckerchief €5-50, Woggle €1-50, and Group Baseball Cap €15-00. As well, as some other small items. Just ask the Leaders and they will help you out.

If there is anyone who has been in the Cubs or Scouts and wishes to pass on their Uniform in part or full contact one of the Leaders. Thank You.

## Web Site

We have added some more photos from the past Annual Camp in Larch Hill, and will add in time some of the Patrol Log Book extracts along with photo's from further back.

Please leave us a comment and tell us what you think, 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.

We are also hoping to get our Troop Web Site up to speed with information on each of the sections and the leaders involved. www.abbeysidescoutgroup.com

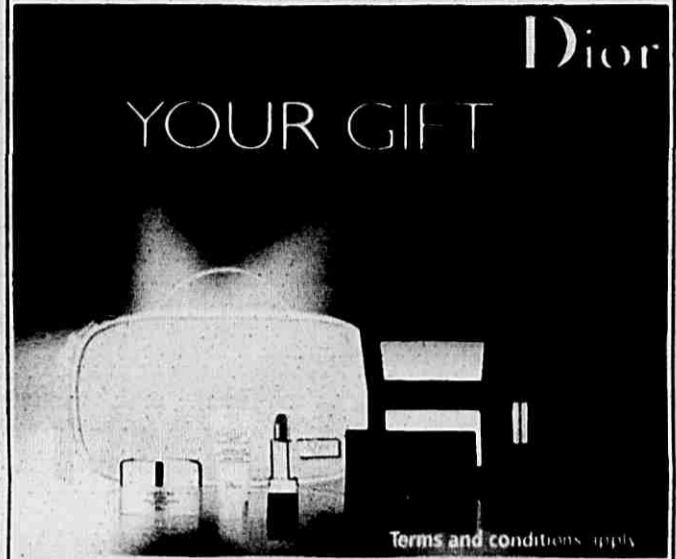
Check out the Glenshelane Scout Campsite & Cabin web site on www.glenshelanescoutcampsite.com and leave us a message in the guest book, tell us what you think. Scribe.



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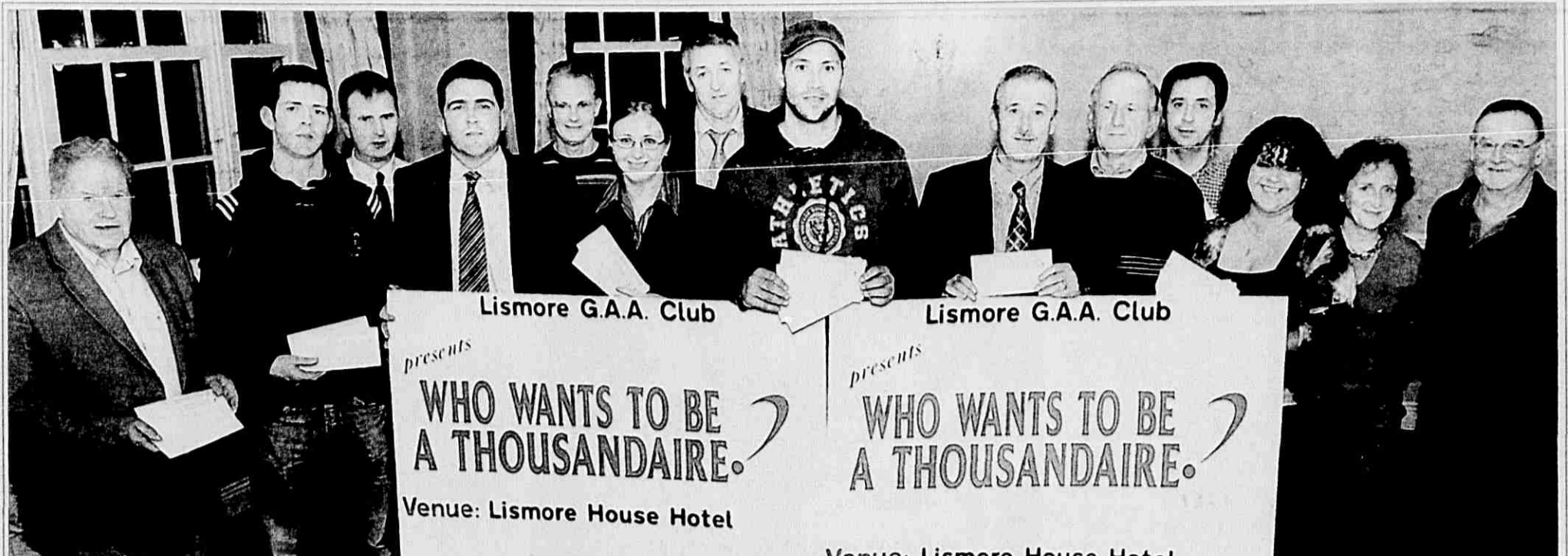
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# THE BEE GEES TRIBUTE BAND



Photo shows Scouts Kevin Brazel and Joe Conway during a recent hike in the Comeragh Mountains





Pictured at the launch of Lismore GAA clubs, Who wants to be a Thousandaire are Bernard Dooley Chairman Lismore GAA Club, Margaret Walsh, Duty Manager of Lismore House Hotel, who are main sponsors of the event, Dan Shanahan, Lismore and Waterford hurling star, Shane Kearney, captain Waterford Intermediate hurlers, Jimmy O'Gorman, Chairman of Munster Council and other committee members and supporters of the club. (Robert Power Photography)

# Lismore GAA Host "Who Wants To Be A Thousandaire?"

On Thursday 15th November next, Lismore GAA brings the hugely popular "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" to Lismore House Hotel. This show has attracted large audiences all over Ireland over the past five years and is fast becoming the most popular source of fund-raising for schools and clubs. Contestants are drawn from ticket sales and each contestant will play for 1000 Euro. The show is fully computerised with 50/50, Ask the Audience and a brilliant video linked Phone a Friend. The questions and four possible answers and displayed on two 8ft x 6ft screens, one at each side of the stage.

This incredibly successful show, which is provided Pallas Marketing Ltd., is being run by Lismore GAA to assist in fundraising for New dressing rooms, meeting room and field

lighting. The launch night for the show was held in Lismore House Hotel on Wednesday night last (17th October) and a large attendance included Caroline Walsh from Lismore House Hotel (main sponsor) and Louise Boland from Pallas Marketing (show providers). The first tickets for the event was purchased by Waterford Stars Dan Shanahan and Dave Bennett and Chairman of the Munster Council, Jimmy O'Gorman along with Captain of this year's Waterford Intermediates Shane Kearney. We spoke to Chairman Bernard Dooley and Secretary Emer Barry about the show at the launch night who advised as follows:

Mr. Dooley said "We have been in contact with several others groups who ran, "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" shows around the country with great

success. We are all looking forward to a great night on the 15th November as the show is really hi-tech and offers a superb night's entertainment. We hope to attract a large audience for this popular event which in turn will help fundraise for our much needed dressing rooms and lighting facilities continued Mr. Dooley.

The show is timed to start at 8pm and we would encourage people to come early to ensure a seat" said Ms. Barry. "We would also like to say a particular word of thanks to our main sponsor, Lismore House Hotel and to all of those who have taken out advertising at the show" she continued.

Tickets for "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" are available from any member of the fundraising committee or at the door on the night.



Bernard Dooley, Chairman Lismore GAA Club, Jimmy O'Gorman Chairman Munster Council, along with players and committee at the launch of the clubs "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" which took place in the Lismore House Hotel who also are the main sponsors of the event. (Robert Power photography)



Lismore and Waterford senior hurling All Star Dan Shanahan purchases a ticket from Bernard Dooley, Chairman of Lismore GAA Club to officially launch the club's "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" fundraiser which will take place in the Lismore House Hotel. (Robert Power Photography)



Pictured at the Lismore GAA Club's launch of "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" in Lismore House Hotel (main sponsors) are committee members, back row (l. to r.) George Howard, Ger Ahearne, John O'Donnell, Colin Kearney, Treasurer and P. J. Coughlan. Front row (l. to r.) Dan Shanahan who officially launched the event, Emer Barry, Secretary, Martina Hale, Camogie club and Bernard Dooley, Chairman Lismore GAA Club. (Robert Power Photography)



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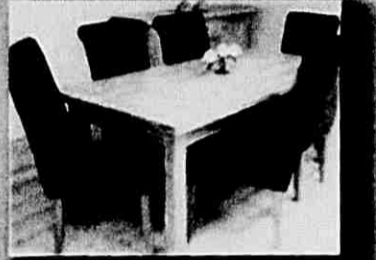
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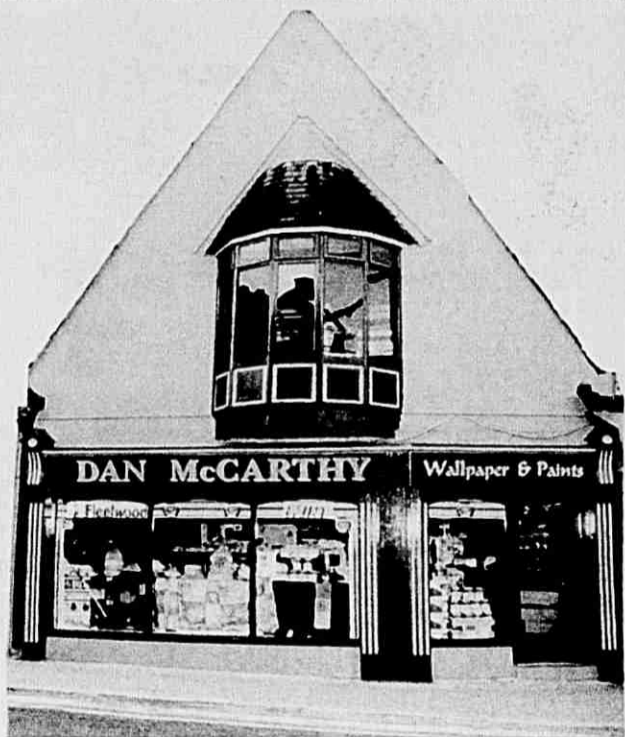
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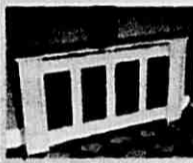


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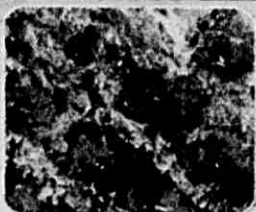


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 Thursday October 25th 2007 at 7.30pm

**EXHIBITING ARTISTS**

**BREEDA O'BRIEN** is an artist who lives in Grange near Ardmore. She works with oils and acrylics, she is inspired and entranced by the colour, shape and form of the rocks found on the beaches in her locality. Breeda's work is a celebration of the Southeast Coastline and all who live therein.



**BRIGID HYNES-ROCHE** is a Dungarvan based artist who has recently put her final career on hold to pursue her passion for painting. Bridget's work reflects her equestrian and nautical interests.



**JIM LAWN** is a contemporary artist based in Dungarvan. Jim works with acrylics on canvas. In his own words his work explores the energy of the sea and the surrounding landscapes through the use of colour. Jim has received a number of awards for his work and features in many collections around Europe.



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**Patricia Mulally**, is a local artist in Ardmore. Patricia has been painting for many years and draws her inspiration from the local coastline.

**Bridget Hynes-Roche**, a Dungarvan based artist, her equestrian work is well worth a visit to see.

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**Margaret Shine**, a Dungarvan based artist who specialises in local scenes painted in watercolours.

**Seamus Quinn**, a Dungarvan based artist whose work features in many government collections.

**Judy Shinnick**, a local Ardmore artist whom uses watercolours. Judy is well known having partaken in Merrion Square for many years.

**Irene Dawson**, another local artist who currently has some beautiful work which reflects her visit to the Grand Canyon recently.

**Enda Griffin**, a Clare based artist who uses colour to explore the changing colours of the seasons.

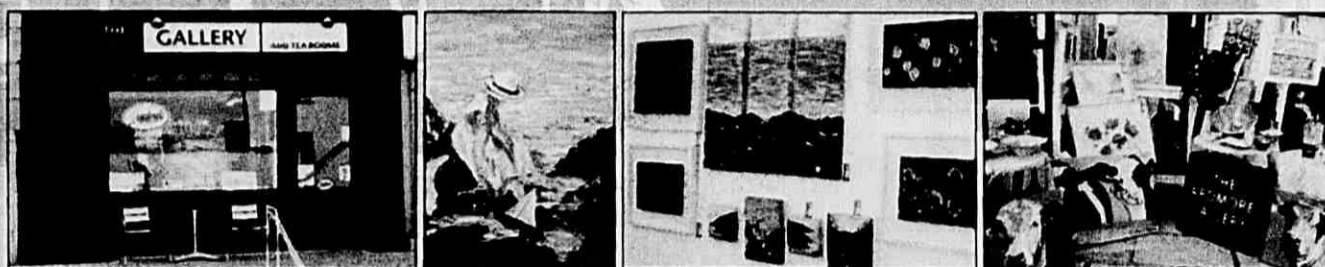
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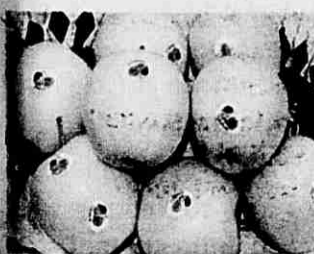
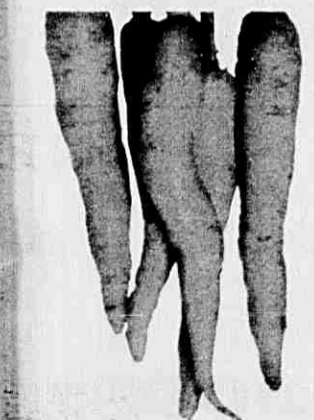
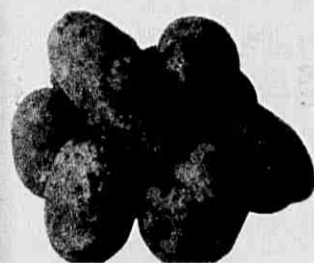
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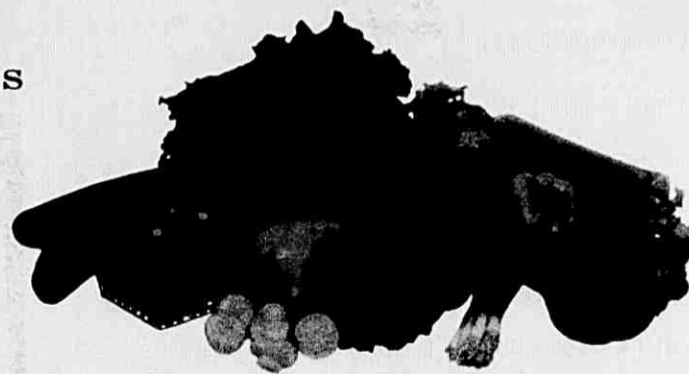


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