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Council Reveal Waste Charges For 2008

DAN SHANAHAN FRONTS NEW "ALL STAR" SERVICE

By Kevin Kirrane

Waterford County Council launched its new Waste Collection charges for 2008, with a new all inclusive "All Star" service - in addition to the existing tag service - which offers a full waste management package for €320 per household.

The service is being fronted by Waterford All Star and Hurler of the Year, Dan Shanahan.

Speaking at the launch, Shanahan said he was delighted to be associated with the Council's new initiative.

EXCELLENCE

"In Waterford" he said "our hurlers have a reputation for excellence, integrity and commitment. Waterford County Council has a similar reputation when it comes to responsible waste management, and caring for the environment. That's why I'm happy to be associated with another winning team."

Adding to Dan's comments, Councillor Billy Kyne, Mayor of County Waterford said "Waterford County Council is nationally recognised in the field of environmental excellence. The Council has blazed a trail in innovative, green thinking and, in doing so, has created quality employment in the County."

SURVEY

Denis McCarthy, Waterford County Council's Environmental Director added that,

"over the summer, we carried out in-depth market research to establish what customers wanted from a waste collection service.

"While cost is obviously critical, there are other issues, such as reliability and green principles which are important to the public.

"Taking on board the feedback that we've had, we've now put in place, in addition to the existing package, the 'All Star' package which is both cost effective and convenient, without compromising the environment."

UP FRONT PAYMENT

The new service involves an up-front payment of €320 which entitles the householder to unlimited use of the Council's grey and brown bin collections, without the need to attach tags.

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Fianna Fail Walk Out And Seek Legal Advice Over Ruling

DIVISIVE DEBATE OVER FILLING OF COMMITTEE PLACES

By Kevin Kirrane

Fianna Fail walked out on a meeting of Waterford County Council, and are now to seek legal advice after a divisive row over the division of committee places at Monday's meeting of the local authority.

Six of the seven Fianna Fail councillors staged the walk-out towards the end of the November meeting over the issue, and are set to look for independent legal advice into a ruling by Labour Mayor, Cllr. Billy Kyne.

Cllr. Ciaran O Riain was the sole Fianna Fail representative to remain in the chamber. He seconded a proposal from the Mayor calling for the issue to be

deferred to the December meeting in the interests of healing the divisions which have emerged on the council between the two main parties.

But in a further twist to the saga, Fine Gael refused to defer the meeting, and were criticised by the Mayor for their role in the affair.

NOMINATIONS

Nominations were sought on three committees: the Board of Waterford Leader Partnership, the Planning and Land Use Committee, and the Audit Committee.

However, a row erupted, forcing an adjournment of the (continued on page 8)

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Sean Cleary, Manager Dungarvan Credit Union presenting the keys to Rosarie Donovan, 14 The Beeches, Dungarvan, winner of the car in the Dungarvan/Carrick-on-Suir/Piltown Credit Unions November Draw. Included are Chloe Wall Donovan, (granddaughter), James Donovan (husband), Liam Moore, Promotions Committee DCU and Eddie Fitzgerald, Salesperson, Dungarvan Nissan. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

Success for Ballyduff Upper and Waterford Co. Council at National Pride of Place Awards

The West Waterford village of Ballyduff along with Waterford Co. Council captured awards at the All Island Pride of Place Awards Ceremony in Westport, Co. Mayo on Saturday night last. Ballyduff along with Cappoquin had been nominated by Waterford Co. Council to represent the county in the Pride of Place competition which has entries from all 32 counties and 10 ran in association with co-operation Ireland.

Ballyduff were in the 0-200 population category while Cappoquin were in the Community Amenity Section in recognition of the fabulous new centre built in the town.

Judging took place on Friday, July 20th when two adjudicators spent a number of hours in both areas.

Ballyduff had their first meeting to plan for the competition back in April and their presentation on adjudication day involved all the clubs and

organisations in the community displaying what they were about. A community directory of services and organisations was launched and a "Fáilte to Ballyduff" Night took place to welcome new people to the area. On the adjudication day a stage show specially written for the occasion was put on in St. Michael's Hall while a DVD on the community was launched. A massive community effort took place to have the village looking its best on the day and if ever the theme of "Pride of Place" was evident it was in Ballyduff on July 20th.

The awards on Saturday night was hosted by Mayo Co. Council and Westport Town Council and the 600 plus attendance included junior Minister at the Dept of the Environment Tony Killeen and Northern Ireland First Minister Margaret Richie. Ballyduff were represented at the awards ceremony by John Jackson, Chairman of Pride of Place

committee and Ml. Flynn, PRO Community Council while Ollie Wilkinson and Cathy McGrath, Chairman and Secretary of the Development Company represented Cappoquin.

Directors of Services Brian White and Denis McCarthy along with the Council's Pride of Place Liaison Officer Richie Walsh were the local authority representatives.

An air of anticipation and excitement hung over the Banqueting Hall at Knockranny House Hotel when it came to the Awards Ceremony. First category was the 0-200 population section and Ballyduff were among the six short listed entries. With two runners up from Meath and Laois declared the tension mounted as we awaited the overall winner. Ballyduff were declared winners and a very proud John Jackson and Ml. Flynn went forward along with Council officials to accept the statuette from Minister Tony Killeen.

Further success was to follow shortly afterwards when Waterford Co. Council won the overall Council award for their efforts in promoting Pride of Place in the Deise county.

Mssrs. Walsh, White and McCarthy accepted this award on behalf of the local authority and a night of celebration for the Waterford delegation was about to begin.

Ballybricken from Waterford city also received an award in the over 5000 population category entitled City Community Award. The adjudicators citation on Ballyduff's success was "Because of its great tradition of Community Involvement, it's consciousness of the challenges of the future, and it's brilliant sense of social cohesion. The community spirit of the area was very much in evidence in the presentation that was made for the competition".

The Ballyduff delegation arrived back in a very proud village on Sunday night to a tremendous reception and were welcomed by Mr. Noel Hayes, Chairman of the local Community Council who spoke of the proud occasion it was for the village and thanked everyone who helped in any way to make the success possible. Other speakers were John Jackson, Chairman of the Pride of Place committee and Richie Walsh on behalf of Waterford Co. Council.

"Nothing Sinister" With Route Selection Plans

By Kevin Korrane
"Nothing sinister" is happening with the route selection process for the Lismore and Cappoquin bypass, County Engineer, John O'Flynn assured the November meeting of Waterford County Council.

The assurance was given after Fianna Fail councillor, Kevin Wilkinson revealed that a number of landowners contacted him with concerns over the process.

However, Mr. O'Flynn said there had been a "walk-over" of the area to identify any constraints that may exist.

"There was nothing sinister whatsoever going on. The route selection process is the same as that of Dungarvan Bypass and will go on display for the public to make submissions on before anything is decided," he added.

Samshire Recycling Case Due This Month

By Kevin Korrane

An outcome to the Samshire Recycling saga is hoped for by the end of this month, Waterford County Council's November meeting heard.

Thousands of bales of rubbish lay dumped in the Lismore-based companies property, but an end may be in sight, according to Director of Services, Denis McCarthy who said a court case is due to be heard at the end of the month.

"Hopefully then we can foresee this situation being resolved," he said.

It followed concerns expressed by Fine Gael councillor, Declan Dooney who said the situation continues to become "darker and darker."

"It's an awful situation," Cllr. Dooney added. "Movement must be made on this issue as soon as possible."

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Congratulations to Patricia Murray, daughter of Bertie and Betty Murray, Ballinac, who graduated from University of Limerick with a Bachelor of Business Studies with First Class Honours.

WIT/BSTAI Recognises Success Of Junior Cert. A Grade Students

Secondary School students who received an A grade in Junior Certificate honours Business Studies this year will be recognised by the Waterford Institute of Technology (WIT) and the Business Studies Teachers Association of Ireland (BSTAI) for their achievement.

224 students from the southeast region attended the awards ceremony on Wednesday 7th November with their parents, Business Studies teachers and school principals. The ceremony celebrates and recognises excellence in Junior Certificate Business Studies. Students were presented with a scroll/certificate of achievement, and schools will receive recognition plaques. The evening was an opportunity for parents, teachers and principals to celebrate the success of their students and will give students an opportunity to view the modern campus and facilities at WIT.

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Waterford Institute of Technology (WIT) and the Business Teachers Association of Ireland (BSTAI) recognised the success of Junior Certificate A grade honours Business Studies students at an awards ceremony in WIT. Students from St. Augustine's are pictured with their awards (l-r): Shiovaun O'Sullivan, teacher; Joan McDonald, Head of Department of Management and Organisation; Aaron Meehan, Shane Crotty, Eileen Quilty, Michael Devine, Ruth Fennell, Joseph Moynihan, Principal; Cearbhall Turraoin and Paddy McGrath, Guidance Counsellor, St. Augustine's. (photozone)

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Waterford Institute of Technology/BSTAI Junior Certificate Awards 2007. L to r; Dr. Denis Harrington, Head of School of Graduate Business, WIT. Alan Meehan, James Cotter, CBS Dungarvan and Kevin Kiely, Teacher. Sean Byrne Photography.



Sinead O'Grady of Ard Scoil na Deise, was the recipient of a recognition award for achieving an A grade in Junior Certificate honours Business Studies from Waterford Institute of Technology (WIT) and the Business Teachers Association of Ireland (BSTAI). Sinead is pictured with her teacher Helen O'Sullivan and Dr. Denis Harrington, Head of School of Graduate Business, WIT. (photozone)

SOROPTIMISTS PREPARE FOR BUMPER EXHIBITION

The last twenty years has seen a steady increase in interest in the arts among the public with more and more people buying the work of local artists. With this rise in interest comes a greater number of outlets for the work of artists and craftspeople of all disciplines and the longest running and most successful of these has been the Annual Soroptimists Exhibition and Sale which, in its 27th Year, is firmly established on the artistic calendar of likely pre-Christmas shopping events.

This year is no exception, for the ballroom of Lawlors Hotel will again be full to overflowing with a wide variety of paintings, wood-turnings, jewellery, photographs and a wide variety of other disciplines from 27th to 29th November.

There is always something fresh and new at the Soroptimists Exhibition, which is why more and more artists like to show their work there and why the public come in greater numbers each year. Many successful artists have found their first outlet there and have stayed to show the

product of their skill and talent for many years, knowing that the lifeblood of commerce is in display of their product to the widest audience.

Twenty-seven years has been a major commitment on the part of the Soroptimists to those involved in the arts in Dungarvan and County Waterford and they have contributed significantly to the growth in the arts within their area. They have been very happy to do this and already their plans are almost finalised for this year's event.

As they begin to conclude their preparations for next week's event, the President of the Dungarvan Soroptimists, Mrs. Gemma Meehan said that they were eagerly looking forward to what should be their finest event yet.

"I have had a preview of some of the paintings and other works and I know the public will be as impressed as I was. It is always an exciting exhibition to visit, whether people intend to purchase or not, but few go away empty-handed because of the wide range of arts and crafts on offer."

This year's Exhibition Co-ordinator, Mrs. Anne Stearn says that exhibitors began contacting her months ago to ensure a place in the hall.

"I know that we will probably have the biggest display ever and the widest range of work on offer over the twenty-seven years of the event," she says. "Unfortunately, the closing date for entries is long since gone and our task now is to cater for the visiting and buying public."

A source of great sadness and a major loss to the event this year has been the recent passing of Mrs. Bernie Twomey who had been a constant driving force behind the Exhibition and an exemplary member of the Soroptimists for nearly three decades. Bernie had been responsible for many of the group's initiatives over the years and her colleagues feel that she will be present in spirit at this year's Exhibition.

The Official Opening will take place on Tuesday evening, 2nd November in Lawlors Hotel before what is expected to be a record attendance.

€2.7m Allocated Towards Ring/Helvick Scheme

By Kevin Kirrane

For the second month in succession, Sinn Fein councillor, Brendan Mansfield quizzed County Engineer, John O'Flynn on a new water supply for the Ring/Helvick area at a meeting of Waterford County Council.

The Co. Engineer said €2.7 million would be allocated towards the cost of the scheme when an adequate source was found.

He said that he was still waiting on a report back from trial boreholes that were being drilled to the west of Dungarvan and he should have a report within the next two months.

At that point, a decision would be made as to whether to supply Ring/Helvick from Ardmore or from the new source to the west of Dungarvan. Cllr. Mansfield stated that a resolution must be found to this ongoing issue.

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The secretary of the branch, Margaret Walsh and chairperson Helen Trihy would like to clarify the branch's authorisation (Garda Permit No. WKI 480/07) and the credibility of the collectors.

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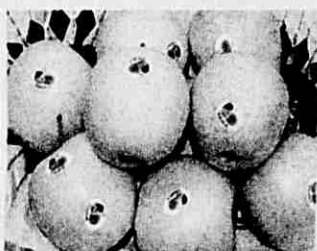
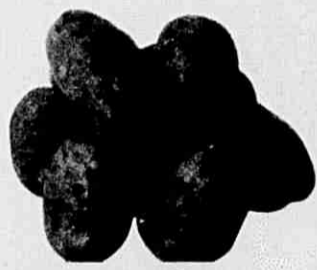
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VIEWPOINT

FIDDLING WHILE THE WASTE HEAP MOUNTS

A genuine councillor Viewpoint met after the November meeting of Waterford County Council stated that he was embarrassed to be an elected representative after the shenanigans and political chicanery which went on - the recriminations of which will boil over into legal argument over the next couple of months.

In short, while our well-paid elected representatives swallowed another mere tinkering of the waste charges, they contented themselves to engage in the most ridiculous and laughable standoff over the membership of council committees.

The argument didn't particularly reflect well on any political grouping.

Fine Gael played the role of the bully-boys, greedily gobbling up all the committee places for themselves, reneging on a proposal made by their former party whip, the now Senator, Paudie Coffey, to include a member of each of the three main parties on the council on the committees; while Fianna Fail raised an unholy clamour, and eventually sulked off moodily after botching an opportunity to be recognised as a political grouping.

When considering what householders have to swallow in regards waste charges, it was an almost stomach churning display of political self-interest by both main parties.

The specifics of the debate can wait for another day, suffice to say, it did nothing as Mayor of County Waterford, Billy Kyne pointed out to aid the working relationship of the council, and the context of the spectacle, the main talking point among councillors on a day when the new waste charges were introduced without a peep of protest, will sicken most householders who are already struggling to meet the exorbitant waste charges in this county.

Spin seemed the order of the day where waste charges were concerned.

At a media launch attended by local hero, Dan Shanahan the bizarrely named "All Star" Waste Collection service was launched.

It seems that Waterford County Council can't do anything of substance except to try and dovetail some of the popularity of our hurlers.

It was all an exercise in smoke and mirrors, and even Shanahan's undoubted popularity, presumably fronting a new PR war with private companies, will hardly make a dent in the public's feeling that they are being royally ripped off.

Bad publicity won't end the municipal waste service in this county. Bad management will.

Management had the opportunity to scrap the disastrous annual waste charge, but instead, are apparently going on the offensive over the perception of the service they provide.

The truth is people don't need to be patronised. They need a regular cost effective service that can compete with private companies. Not a name change and a glossed up image. They also need councillors who can challenge management, and not the type of ones who put on the type of sad spectacle that took over the majority of the meeting on Monday last.

MOVING BANDSTAND A LUDICROUS IDEA

Yes, the bandstand in Dungarvan Town Park has been vandalised repeatedly in recent years, with the latest damage done last week when several of the ornate railings were forced off by mindless thugs.

The damage was thoroughly reprehensible, and left Dungarvan Town Council, who fixed the railings the following day, with a bill for several hundred euros.

But the suggestions that were aired last week, that the bandstand should be moved from its location dominating the view to the Lookout where it has stood resplendent and as a focal point, regaled in the folklore of the town since the 1870's to a new location, is frankly ludicrous.

Independent councillor Michael O'Riordan made the highly dubious call last week to move the bandstand either to a refurbished Grattan Square or even worse for true Dungarvanites, across the bridge to Abbesside.

Presumably, Cllr. O'Riordan was thinking along the lines of the bandstand providing the centrepiece of a refurbished and partly pedestrianised Grattan Square sometime in the future, or as a focal piece for the refurbished Walton's Park.

But both ideas are simply unthinkable. To end the historic link between the bandstand and the Town Park, the focus of many memories for all in the town, and to somehow transplant it into the middle of the square, would be nothing short of disgraceful.

Not only that but it would be the most craven of acts, showing that the town council can quite easily be pushed around by hoodlums with nothing better to do than cause acts of vandalism.

To uproot the bandstand wouldn't solve the problem of vandalism in the town. It would simply move it to another location in the town.

And by moving the bandstand the town park would be an empty piece of land, with nothing in its favour besides a few concrete steps, and a fairly innocuous headstone.

Only by Garda action in stamping out public drinking near the old graveyard and in the town park itself late at night, will anything be resolved.

Moving the bandstand, with the heavy weight of history it carries, is as unworkable as it is unthinkable.

Council Reveal Waste Charges For 2008

(Continued from front page)
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"Waterford County Council is providing the service customers want and, in doing so, we are providing quality local employment," Mr. McCarthy said.

"Alongside the refuse crews, Waterford County Council employs sixteen staff in its award winning Materials Recovery Facility, in Dungarvan."

"By subscribing to the Council service, householders are supporting local employment and the local economy. All dry recyclables collected by Waterford County Council and Dungarvan Town Council are processed in the Shandon facility.

"Private operators, on the other hand, are exporting their waste for processing elsewhere, thus eroding the local economy.

PRIVATE OPERATORS

He added: "While private operators can pick and choose the profitable, populous routes, we provide a county-wide service covering remote rural areas."

"This quality service" he said, "all costs money, but it is part of what we, as a local authority, are about."

McCarthy also pointed out that the Council offers a Waiver



Dan Shanahan GPA Hurler of the Year, and 'All Star' pictured with Dungarvan Town Council's refuse crew, at the launch of the Council's 'All Star' Waste Collection Service — (l. to r.) Gabriel Foley, Town Foreman, Alan Fitzgerald, Michael Sheehan and Gerry O'Mahoney. (Sean Byrne)

Scheme for those whose only income is Social Welfare payments, another cost not borne by the private collector.

"If the Council service is withdrawn, there will undoubtedly be jobs lost locally, something we are determined to avoid while there is any

alternative."

"ALL STAR" SERVICE

Over the coming weeks, householders will be receiving details of the 'All Star' service, which offers the cheapest annual waste disposal cost for County Waterford. The Council's current annual charge and tag per use

option will still be available for those preferring to pay as they go. Householders are offered a number of payment options which include, payment by Post, payment by Internet, payment by Phone, or payment can be made at the Civic Offices in Dungarvan or Tramore.

Fianna Fail Walk Out And Seek Legal Advice Over Ruling

meeting for behind the scenes discussions with the party whips, in the aftermath of a vote for the Leader Partnership committee and the Planning Committee when two nominees from Fine Gael, and one each from Labour and Fianna Fail sought election to three posts on both of the committees.

After initially going to a vote in which the Fine Gael and Labour councillors were elected, Fianna Fail claimed they had a group of seven councillors and under Standing Orders should have been given a share of the committee places.

REGRET

Mayor Kyne said he regretted it had to come to a vote, as he believed the places could have been shared out between the three main parties while Fianna Fail councillor Ciaran O Riain claimed the way the council was doing business, was "exactly the way politics operated in Northern Ireland for years and years" with those with the most numbers not accommodating smaller parties.

His party colleague, Cllr. James Tobin said under the rules of the council they were entitled to places on the committees as a grouping.

GROUPINGS

However, County Secretary, Martin Walsh, said groups had to nominate themselves in writing to the council first. "Nobody offered themselves as a group," he said.

With the issue seemingly unsolvable, it was agreed to defer the issue until the end of the meeting. And intensive behind the scenes discussions then took place, but a resolution remained elusive.

Mayor Kyne then read out a letter from the former Fine Gael whip on the county council and now Senator, Paudie Coffey to the Deputy Waterford City Manager indicating his belief that the places would be divided

between the three parties.

However, the new whip of the Fine Gael party, Cllr. Nora Flynn said she had met with the Fine Gael group, and it was decided to nominate two Fine Gael councillors.

In response, Cllr. Tobin dubbed it "a disgrace" that a Fine Gael whip agreed to something and now the party was rowing back on it.

"They obviously don't even agree with a man they made Senator," he said.

SUFFICIENT NUMBERS

When, Fianna Fail again claimed they had sufficient numbers, Mayor Kyne ruled that they hadn't formally asked to be taken as a group.

"You didn't formally go through the group procedure," he added. "Therefore I have no other

choice than to let the nominees stand."

But Fianna Fail councillor, Pat Daly claimed Mayor Kyne was "making it up" as he went along and said they would be seeking legal advice on the legality of the ruling.

To a derisive round of applause from the Fine Gael group, six of the seven Fianna Fail councillors staged a walk-out in protest.

Mayor Kyne said the whole exercise "didn't reflect well" on Fine Gael, and breaking with the pact with the party, the Labour Mayor said he would be supporting a Fianna Fail candidate for the audit committee.

After nominations, however, a Fine Gael councillor and a Labour councillor were deemed elected to the posts.

County Engineer Hopeful Of Burgery Traffic Calming Funding

By Kevin Kirrane
County Engineer, John O'Flynn told the November meeting of Waterford County Council that he was hopeful that the National Roads Authority would look positively on providing funding for Traffic Calming at the Burgery.

In response to a question from Sinn Fein councillor, Brendan Mansfield, he said that he had met the Inspector from the NRA recently, and he was hopeful that funding would be forthcoming.

However, in relation to the Spring roundabout he felt that only enough funding would be provided to go to a detailed design stage in 2008.

Dan Shanahan To Get Second Civic Reception

ALL STARS TO BE RECOGNISED BY COUNCIL

By Kevin Kirrane

Lismore and Waterford hurler, Dan Shanahan is to get further recognition for a year in which he has already collected a host of awards, and helped propel Waterford to National League honours and Munster Championship success.

Ireland's leading hurler, the bustling Park Roads forward, was proposed for a Civic Reception at Lismore Town Council last week.

At Waterford County Council's November meeting, it was unanimously agreed to formally laud his and the other five All Star's achievements including Ballyduff Upper native, Stephen Molumphy, following a proposal by Fianna Fail councillor, James Tobin.

Mayor of County Waterford, Billy Kyne said Shanahan deserves the honour for his delivery on and off the field.

DUNGARVAN RESCUE KENNELS XMAS FUNDRAISER

We are holding a fundrasing event on 8th December in the Village Inn, Abbesside starting at midday to raise much needed funds to continue to be able to help abused, neglected and injured dogs.

We still need items we can sell, such as bric a brac, small items of furniture etc. We have loads of toys, games and puzzles already thanks to generous donations so far. If you can help please call 086 337 4832 or 058 48742 or drop off any items you have to donate to the Village Inn. Many thanks to everyone who has donated items so far, we really appreciate your support.

DUNGARVAN SCOUTS

We will hold our Annual General Meeting on Monday night next November 19th in the Dungarvan Youth Centre (8.15 to 9 p.m.) We urge all parents and leader to attend this meeting, especially former leaders and people interested in lending a hand in this very worthwhile organisation.

Huge Crowds Gather For Gerry Adams Book



Pat Whyte and Eason staff members pictured with Gerry Adams at the signing of his book "An Irish Eye" at Eason Dungarvan. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

By Kevin Kirrane

A huge crowd gathered at Easons in Dungarvan Shopping Centre to meet and greet Gerry Adams, the iconic leader of the Republican movement, and President of Sinn Féin, who was conducting a book signing as part of a nationwide Easons tour.

Adams, whose book "An Irish Eye" details the several momentous moments in the recent history of the Peace Process, including the IRA announcement it was stepping down its units, and the Sinn Féin decision to sign up to Policing and Justice in the North, told the Dungarvan Leader he was

overwhelmed by the reception. "An Irish Eye" deals with the period between 2004-2007, written mostly as events were happening.

It covers the IRA announcement that it was being stood down, which Adams described as historic.

"In fairness to the IRA throughout the process they assisted and encouraged Sinn Féin's peace strategy. But I think that it was a momentous day when the IRA formally called off its campaign.

"I understood and understand how big a thing that was for both the IRA and also for the families

of the IRA volunteers who were killed over the years."

Despite the near constant stalling of the peace process, he said he had a conviction that if they continued working and didn't give up, and continued to strategise they would make progress.

"There were times when it was fairly bleak," he acknowledged. "And interestingly in this book in 2004 I said that I believed Ian Paisley would do a deal, and a lot of our efforts from their was to make sure it was the right type of a deal, and that it was tied into the Good Friday agreement. The book brings the reader behind the

scenes and lifts the skin on some of these issues."

He said all the parties now must make sure all the institutions are bedded down and functioning properly, before issues like the transfer of power on policing and justice, issues on education, and orange parades can take place.

"I do have a belief though that if there is a will these matters can be resolved. I have to say that in fairness to Ian Paisley he's taken his post as First Minister in a very cordial and good humoured way in the how he deals with issues. So I have confidence in the way forward."

Parallels Drawn Between Controversies in Kilbrien and Ring

By Kevin Kirrane

A Labour councillor has highlighted the parallels between the planning controversies in Kilbrien, where a 39 house estate had been planned by a local developer, and in Ring, but criticised local councillors of double standards in their stances.

Cllr. Fiachra Ó Ceilleachair contrasted the critical stances adopted in the present case by some county councillors with their failure to voice and act on similar objections when the same situation applied in the Ring area at the beginning of this decade.

Cllr. Ó Ceilleachair - who as the Udarás na Gaeltacht representative for the locality says he has always advocated single site and small scale development, as opposed to the larger suburban scale model, in Ring has argued that much of the controversy that emerged in Ring since the implementation of the 1999 County and 2001 Local Development

Plans may have been avoided if some Councillor currently opposed to the direction mooted in Kilbrien had applied similar logic when their votes were sought to push through planning guidelines to alter the rural landscape and impact on the community of the Co. Waterford Gaeltacht.

When the Ring/Old Parish Area Development Plan (a supplement to the 1999-2005 County Development Plan) was approved by 19 votes to 3 at a meeting of Waterford County Council on the 10th September 2001, Cllr. Fiachra Ó Ceilleachair walked out in protest. As he did so, he declared it a "black day in the history of the Co. Waterford Gaeltacht" and repeated concerns that the Plans would be a framework for accentuating infrastructural, environmental and socio-demographic concerns in that community. Since then, Cllr. Ó Ceilleachair claims that obstacles have been put in the way of

O Ceilleachair Blasts Local Cllrs. Double Standards

local individuals looking for planning permission for a single house in many (unzoned) parts of the parish simultaneous to developers being given "free reign" in other (zoned) portions of Ring.

Cllr. Ó Ceilleachair, who is no longer a member of Waterford County Council, says he is watching with interest the per-

formance of still serving former local authority colleagues from throughout the county - and that of their political parties - in relation to the present controversy in Kilbrien.

"From what I have seen to date," Cllr. Ó Ceilleachair said, "there is an element of double standard involved."

Ballymacarbray I.C.A.

The Ballymacarbray I.C.A. Guild are going to see a show called Broadway 2 at the White Memorial Theatre in Clonmel on Tuesday November the 27th. Starting off the evening with the early bird dinner at Mr Bumbles restaurant Clonmel at 6 o'clock. Please give names to any committee member with deposit of 20 euro.

Federation meeting will be held in Crotty's lounge Lemybrian on Thursday the 22nd of November at 7.30pm.

Senior Citizens Christmas party will be held at Dooceys lounge on Sunday December the 2nd at 12.30.

Next meeting Monday November 26th at Ballymacarbray community centre at 7.30pm.

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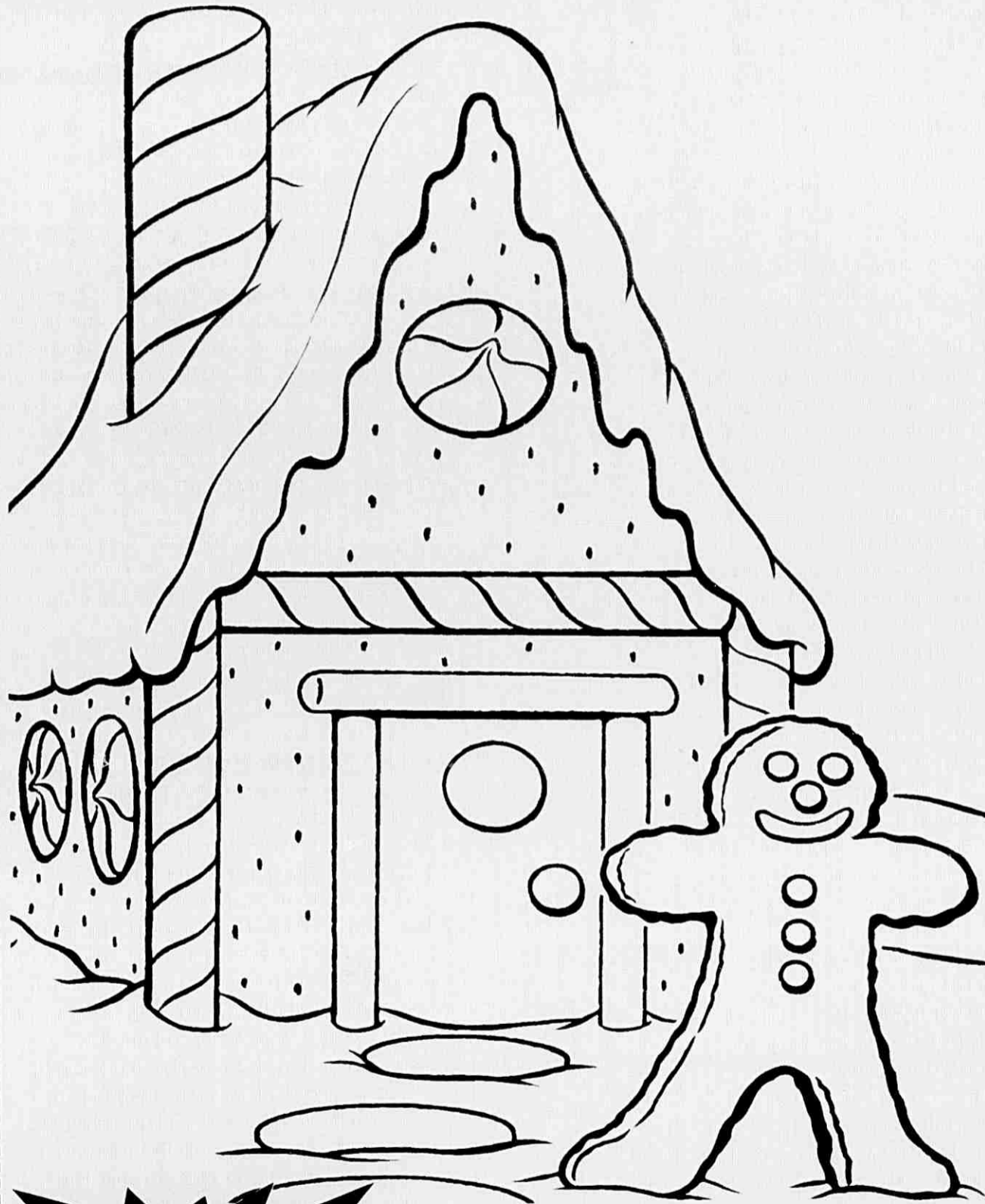
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BIRDS OF PREY

Birds that hunt and kill other creatures are known as birds of prey. They include eagles, hawks, buzzards, vultures and owls. Some birds of prey also feed on carrion, the decaying flesh of dead animals. All birds of prey have excellent eyesight to spot their prey, strong feet with sharp claws to seize it, and hooked beaks to tear flesh apart.

Elegant Eagles

There are probably about 60 types of eagle around the world. The golden eagle lives in mountainous areas, whereas the bald eagle lives along sea coasts and rivers feeding mainly on fish.

The snake eagle feeds, as its name suggests, mostly on snakes. Sea eagles and fish eagles live solely on fish.

Monkeys in the South American rainforest are prone to attack from the world's largest eagle, the harpy eagle. Most eagles have large wings, but the harpy's wings are quite short which makes it very fast and agile. Monkey's are not the only prey for the harpy. It will also swoop

to the ground to snatch up coatis, opossums and sloth's. Another eagle that eats monkeys is the monkey eating eagle, which lives in the Philippines.

THE MAJESTIC CONDOR

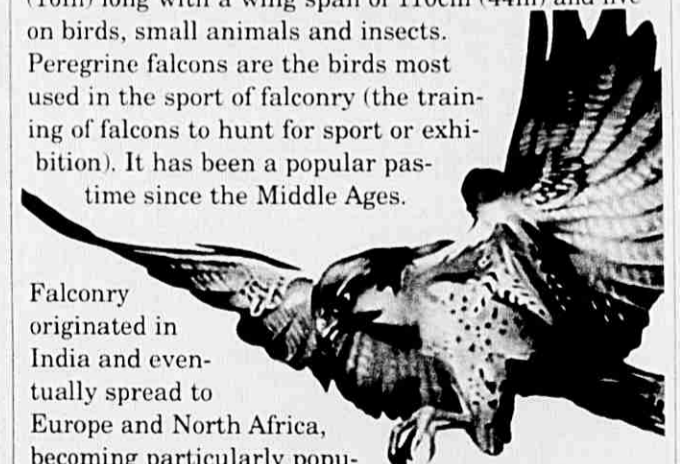
The condor, a member of the vulture family, is the largest and heaviest bird of prey. The Andean condor lives in the Andes mountains of South America and has a wing span of 3m (9ft) and a weight of 10kg (22lb). Its large wings help it to glide effortlessly up to heights of 2,000m (6,600 ft) using the thermals (rising air currents) that abound in the mountains. Like all birds of prey, the condor has excellent eyesight which it uses to spot prey from high above the ground. Normally it feeds on dead and dying animals, but it will also attack live creatures such as lambs, deer and llamas.

HUNTING WITH FALCONS

Lanner falcons are fierce birds of prey that live and hunt in the Sahara Desert. They are about 42cm (16in) long with a wing span of 110cm (44in) and live on birds, small animals and insects.

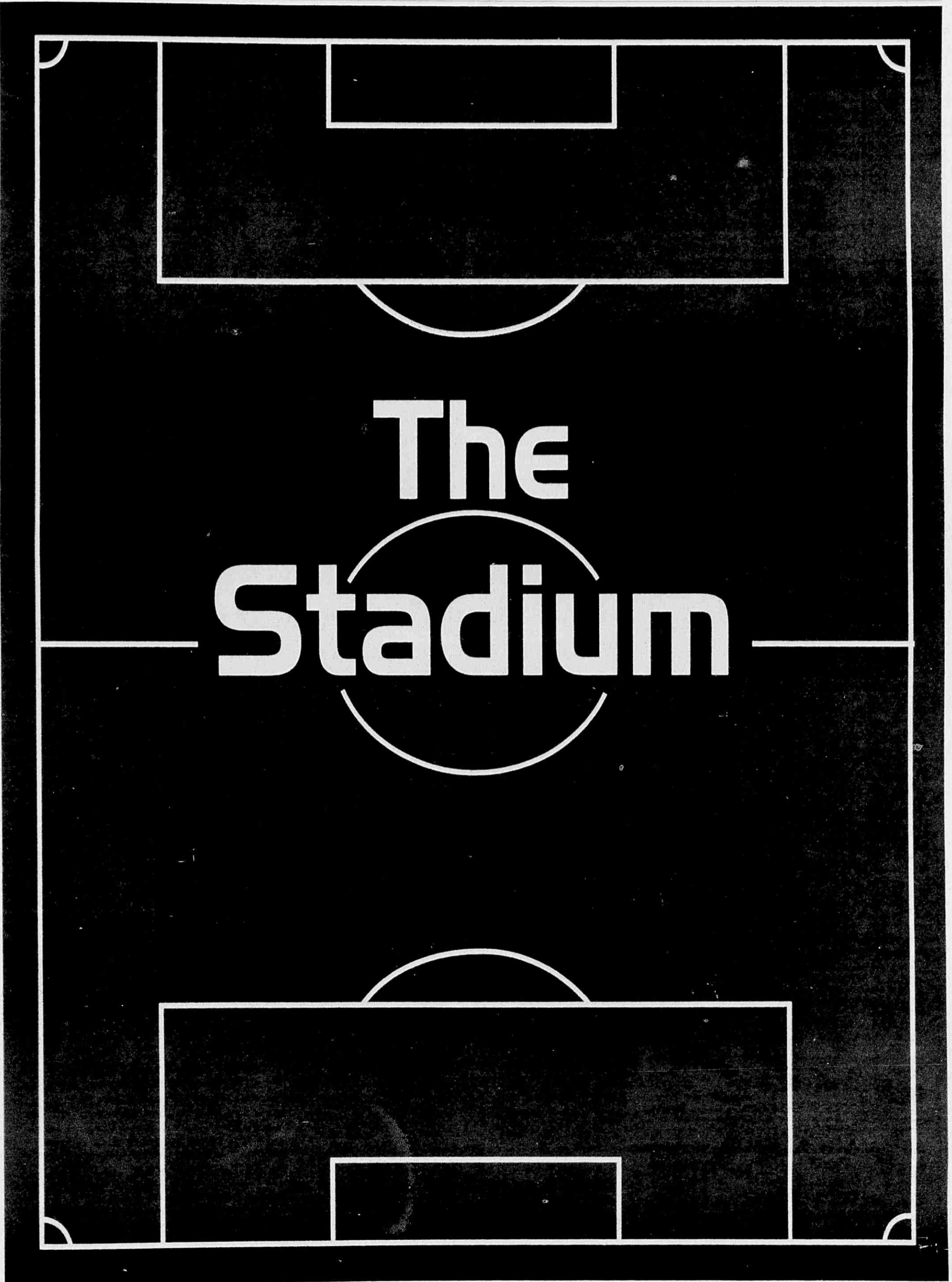
Peregrine falcons are the birds most used in the sport of falconry (the training of falcons to hunt for sport or exhibition). It has been a popular pastime since the Middle Ages.

Falconry originated in India and eventually spread to Europe and North Africa, becoming particularly popular with royalty.



DID YOU KNOW?

- Ostriches can reach a height of 2.5m (8ft 2in), but the extinct moa of New Zealand was over 3m (10ft) tall!
- When a peregrine falcon dives it reaches incredible speeds over 300kph (186mph)! Perhaps the sparrowhawk should have been called the mousehawk - it eats about 290 mice each year!
- The secretary bird quills dangling behind its ears that look like a secretary's pens!
- The owl was first seen as wise by the ancient Greeks, who believed the owl was the companion of Athene, goddess of wisdom.
- King Arthur's magician Merlin used to carry an owl perched on his shoulder.
- Falconry began in Asia as long ago as 2000 BC.



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Re-mortgaging to buy Foreign property- It is commonplace in today's Irish market for people to invest in property abroad. It is often difficult to get finance in the particular country you are investing in. Interest rates are typically much higher as well. Therefore many people are using the equity in their home to finance such ventures.

There are a few things to consider before you go and secure a re-mortgage. Re-mortgaging is a very big decision that should not be taken lightly.

Does Re-mortgaging Cost Money?
There is a cost associated with the re-mortgaging of a house. You might have to pay for things like a valuation fee (usually €130), or a fee to pay off your existing mortgage early. Make sure that you investigate all the costs involved before you set out on this venture, however with the Emerald Financial cash back package, the vast majority of clients re-mortgage for absolutely free.

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Yes, we now have the book with the above title at the archive. I'm not sure why it took us so long to acquire it as it was published back in 2004 by the Lilliput Press, Dublin. The book is based on a column done by Diarmuid O Muirthe for the Oldie.

We are delighted to add it to our book collection, where it will add much humour and information to our stock.

Building Slump Has NO Impact On Christmas Village Construction At The Dungarvan Shopping Centre!

There may be a reported slow down in the construction sector but you wouldn't know it at the Dungarvan Shopping Centre. Work is well underway for the 2007 Santa's Wonderland on the first floor which will open on Saturday November 24th at 3pm when Santa will arrive in style to take up his usual festive residency.

In the meantime very noisy construction, carpenter and painter elves have been drafted in from the North Pole and are working around the clock to complete the village before Nov. 24th. Voted one of the best in Munster in 2006, this year's Santa's Village will be bigger than before. Along with the usual magical pathway that leads to the great man's log cabin and the colourful Village on the other side, this year a toy workshop has been added along with other festive treats.

Children everywhere will enjoy visiting Santa but they can also write a letter to Santa and post it in the special post box that will be situated in the Mall from November 24th. Each letter will be read by the elves at the Shopping

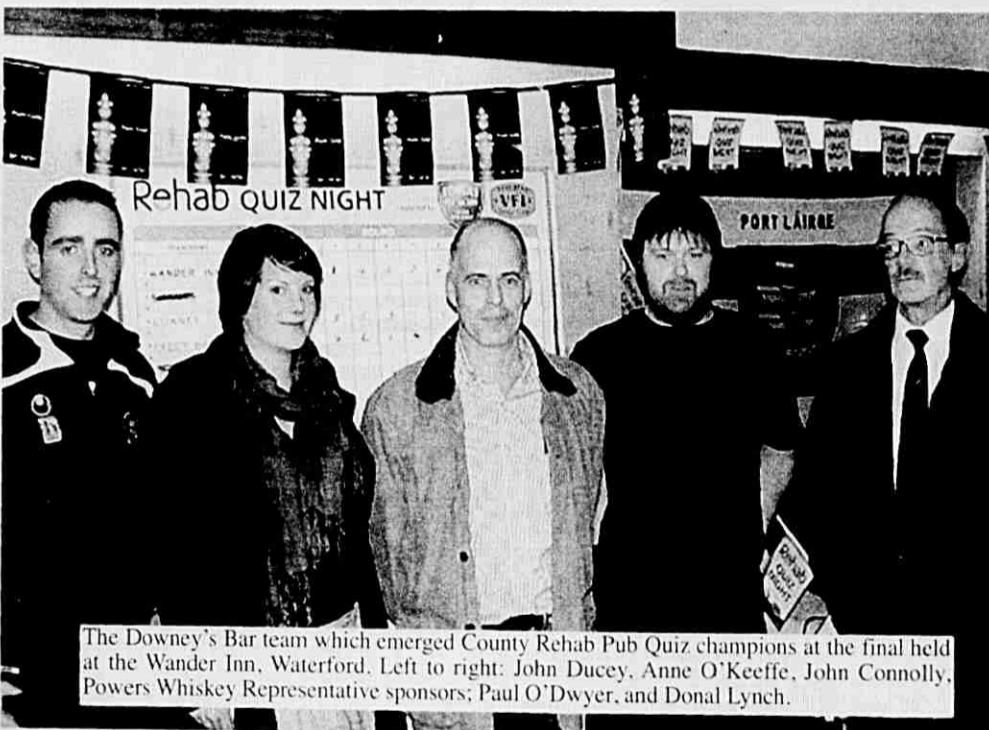
Centre before being flown to the North Pole. The best letter received will win a fantastic prize of €500 in toys all delivered by Santa on the morning of Christmas Eve. Entry is free and letter writing forms will be available at the Shopping Centre from the day Santa arrives.

In a telephone call to Tim Foley, Manager of Dungarvan Shopping Centre Santa had a special message for all the girls and boys of Dungarvan and Co. Waterford, "I'm looking forward to meeting all of you again this Christmas at the Dungarvan Shopping Centre and seeing just how big you have grown since last year. I've got my list and I'll be checking it twice so don't forget to be nice and good to everyone from now on. See you all on November 24th."

Santa's Village is located on the first floor of the Dungarvan Shopping Centre and will be open every Saturday and Sunday up to Christmas from Saturday November 24th. Keep an eye on the Dungarvan Leader for further information next week.



Downey's Bar Are County Quiz Champions



The Downey's Bar team which emerged County Rehab Pub Quiz champions at the final held at the Wander Inn, Waterford. Left to right: John Ducey, Anne O'Keeffe, John Connolly, Powers Whiskey Representative sponsors; Paul O'Dwyer, and Donal Lynch.

Dungarvan will represent the City and County of Waterford in the All Ireland Final of the National Rehab Pub Quiz. Downey's Bar team emerged the winners in an exciting challenge at Aylwards The Wander Inn, Johnstown, Waterford.

After ten rounds of questions, three teams had the same number of points. Another round eliminated a very worthwhile team from the Forge Inn, Portlaw, then the Tie.

Breaker Question produced the winning team with the Seanachai Four being second.

At the presentation of the prizes, Mr. John Connelly of Powers Whiskey said "All who are connected with the VFI and Irish Distillers are delighted with the turn out for the Rehab Pub Quiz" he went on "It is wonderful to see people enjoying the social atmosphere of the Local Pub and raising funds for deserving causes at the same time"

All those who took part in the competition wish Downey's success in the Final and hope they bring the title to our home county.

KCK NEWS

KCK DRAMA NOTES

The cast of KCK Drama have spent the last number of weeks preparing for this year's play Cash on Delivery. A comedy in 2 acts promises to be full of fun and frolics. For the next 2 weekends the play will be presented nightly in Coolnasmea Hall with curtains at 8.15 pm. Booking advisable at 058-42515 or by text 087-2802783. Check out advert for further details.

A number of local people have contributed hugely to getting this play off the ground and for their help and expertise the cast and director are hugely grateful. Set construction team Finbar Timmons and Andy Kelly, hopefully the first of many!! Pippa and Mike (fantastic set design, painting, wallpapering, attention to detail and beautiful artwork), Rosann (stage manager

and general gopher), Gered (for his bits and pieces), Mary (especially for the stretchers), Michael (all those sound effects and lighting management).

MEETING

Next community meeting on tonight (Wednesday), 14th November at 9 pm in Kilbrien Hall. All are welcome.

WIT

Congratulations to Catherine Hickey on being named on the WIT Ladies Football team recently at their awards night.

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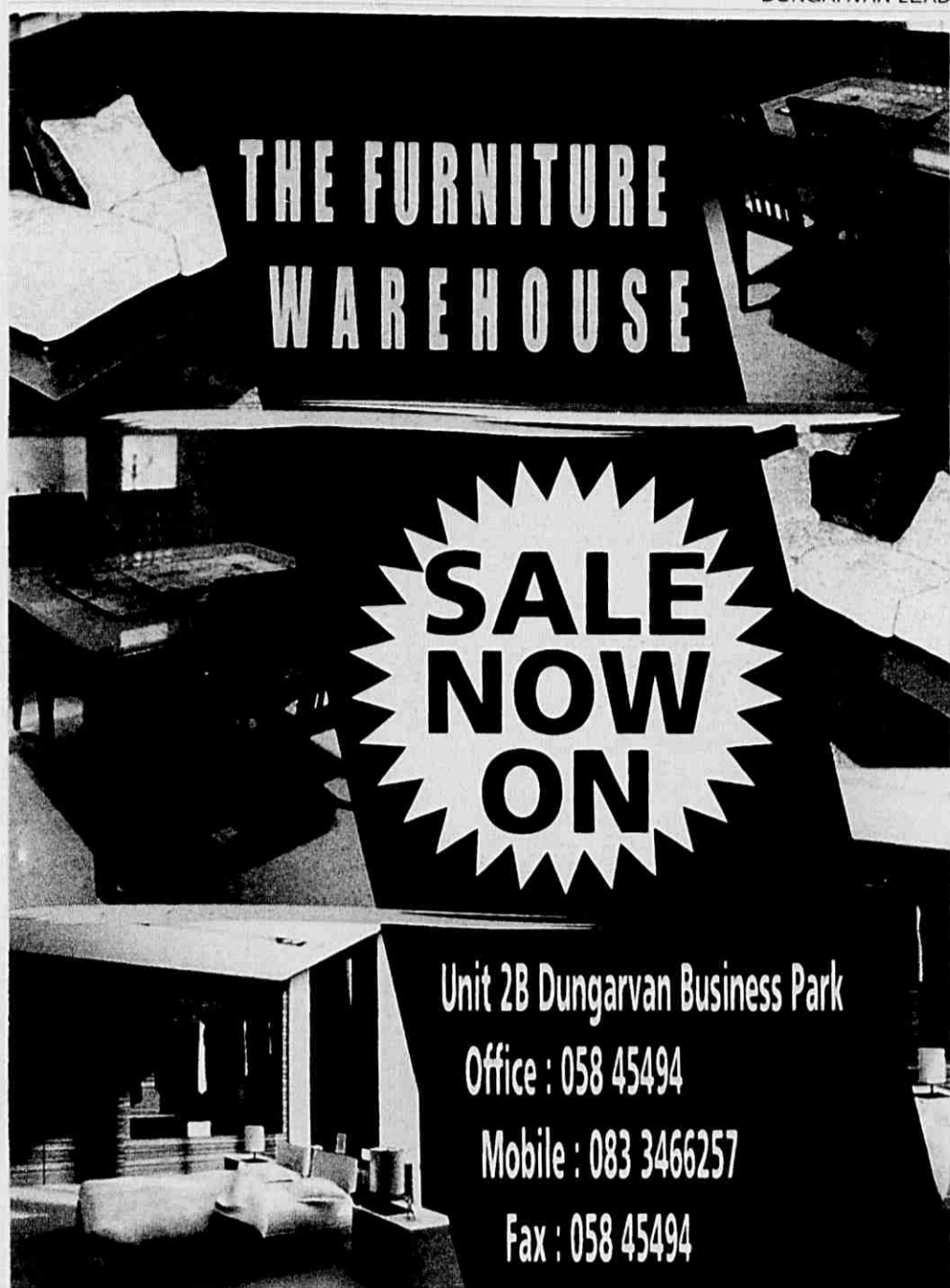
One for the diary, keep 16th December free as there will be an upcoming event.

SYMPATHY

We sympathise with Michael and family, Mary and Alice and friends on the death of their brother Simon Hanley who was buried recently in Kilgobnet.



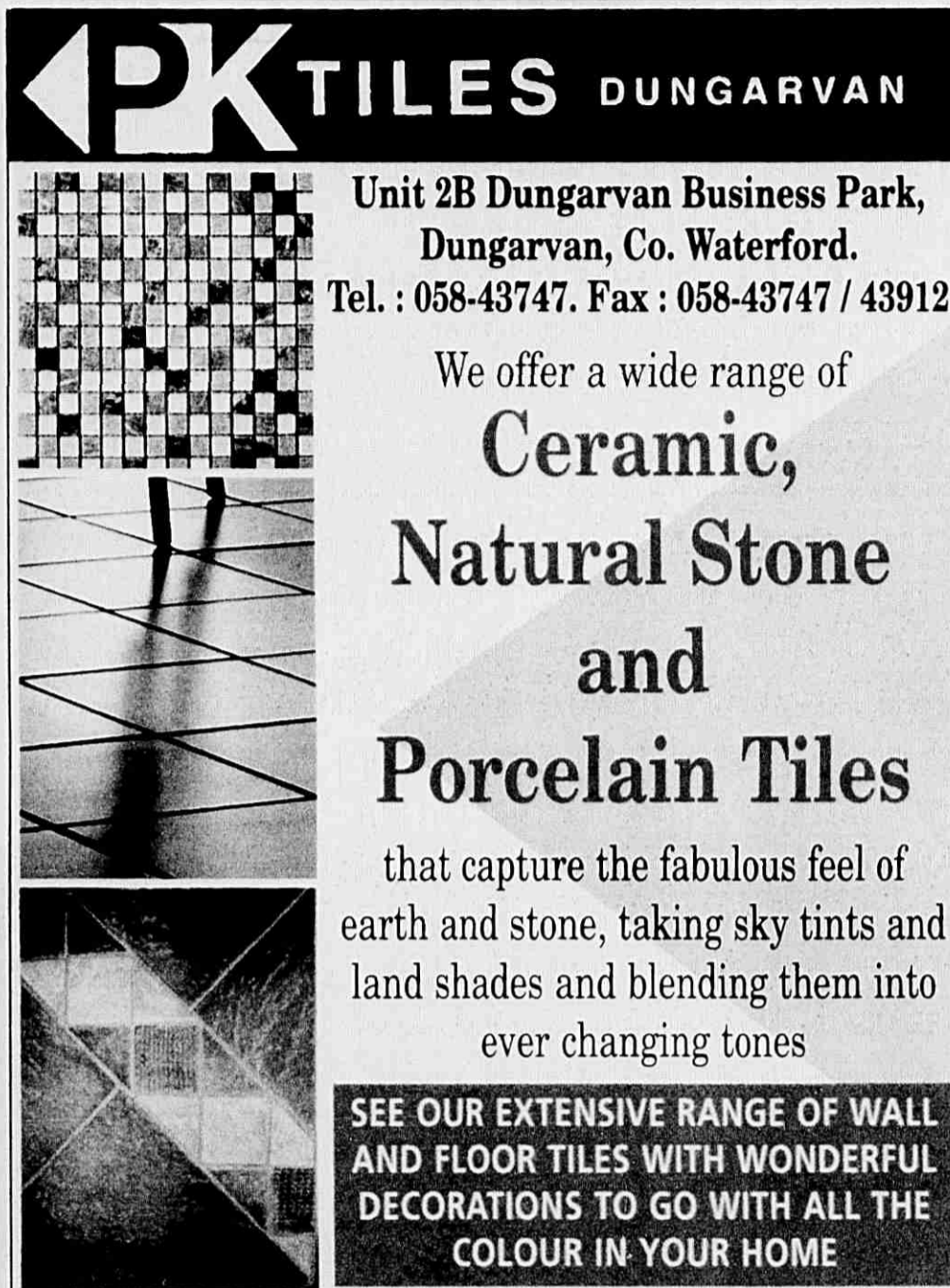
The Seanachai team runners-up in the Co. Waterford Rehab Pub Quiz held at the Wander Inn, Waterford: Left to right: Thomas Phelan, John Kennedy, Thomas Leahy and John Leahy.



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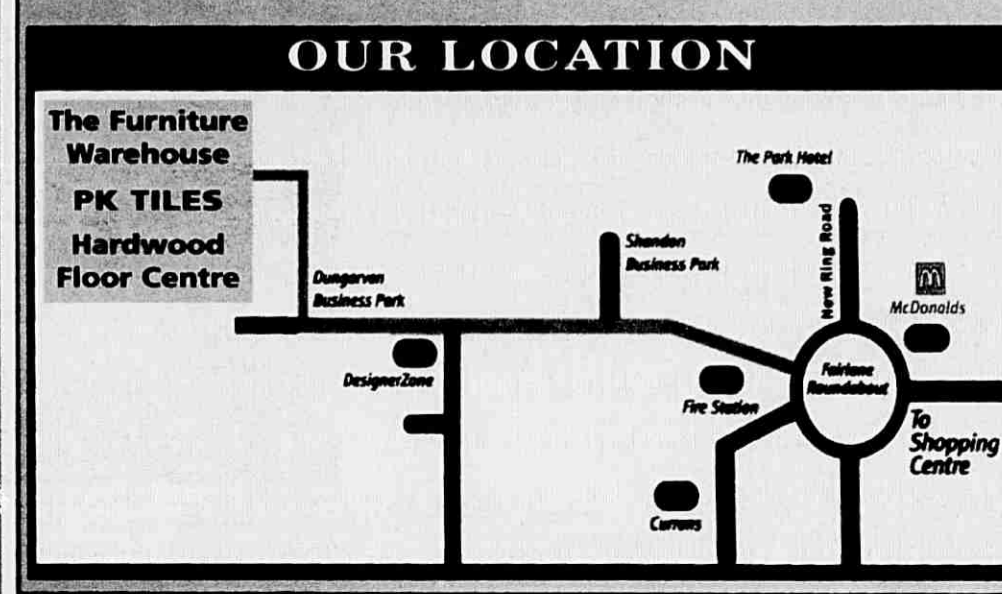
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rín dhá chúl agus ceithre chúilín.

Ar an Aoine tháinig foireann faoi 19 ó Choláiste Pobail na Mainistreach go Páirc Uí Shíocháin na Rinne, agus díoltas á lorg acu. Ach arís bhí cailíní na Meánscoile i bhfad ró-láidir dóibh. Tráthnóna gaofar a bhí ann agus d'imir cailíní na Meánscoile i gcoinne na gaoithe sa chéad leath. Ach fós féin bhíodar cúig phointe chun tosaigh ag an bhfeadóg ghearr. Bhí sár-chluiche ag Ríoghach Nic Dhonnchadha agus d'aimsigh sí dhá chúl agus dhá chúilín.

Dúirt Bainisteoir na foirne, Caoimhín O Murchú, go bhfuil sé an-shásta leis an obair agus an traenáil atá a dhéanamh ag na cailíní, ach gur fada an bóthar atá rompu go fóill.

Meánscoil girls had significant victories in both under 16 and under 19 football competitions during the week. They are working very hard at training and are looking forward to many challenging games ahead.



Ríoghach ar Ruathar



Foireann Peile na Meánscoile faoi 19 a bhuaigh ar Choláiste Pobail na Mainistreach i bPáirc Uí Shíocháin na Rinne.

DUNGARVAN CBS NOTES

School Tour A Great Success

This year's school tour to Valkenburg-Noordwijk was both interesting and extremely enjoyable. The tour party consisted of forty-four students and four teachers: Mr. Kiely (Tour Organiser and Leader), Mr. Collins, Mr. Mulcahy and Mr. Hagen. The party departed from Dublin in the early hours of Thursday, 25th October, arriving in Brussels Charleroi at 9 am. A two hour bus journey saw them in Brussels by 11.30. The city's beautiful architecture, including the infamous Mannequin Pis, was marvelled at by all. The guided bus tour gave some of the more senior teachers the opportunity to catch up on some beauty sleep. In the course of this tour, the party viewed the headquarters of NATO, and the many offices and chambers of the EU. Following this, it was on to their hotel in Valkenburg in Southern Holland.

An early start to Day 2 saw the CBS group head off to cross the border of neighbouring Germany, Cologne bound. A stop-off and a guided tour of the home of one of Bundesliga's top clubs, Bayern Leverkusen was followed by a short trip to the Lindt Chocolate Factory. A trip along the banks of the Rhine brought the CBS crew into the centre of Cologne and the magnificent Cologne Cathedral which dwarfs the cityscape around it. The cathedral displays a history of Christian Germany and remarkably, remained untouched by the Allied bombardment of the city during World War 2. A good day was capped off by an hour strolling around the city's cobbled streets, doing a little shopping. That night, our tourists enjoyed an entertaining couple of hours bowling, with Mr. Collins impressing all with his masterly technique.

Day 3 was spent in Valkenburg. The day started with a visit to the coal mines, a unique monument to the mining industry of the past. It is a model mine carved out of limestone, so unique that it is regarded as a cultural and

historic monument. Here the group saw how people survived conditions that were always difficult and sometimes treacherous to extract coal to power surrounding houses and industries. That night, they watched a football match between Roda JC and De Graafschap.

Day 4 began with the touring party returning to Germany to visit the Volcano Museum in Mendig, and view an extinct volcano. Here they learned about the process of tectonic plate action, and how it has shaped the surrounding landscape. They also went into the extinct dome to view the extensive layers of basalt rock, being informed that in times gone by three breweries established themselves in the Lava-Dome as the temperatures were conducive to excellent beer-making. Next on the agenda was a trip to the Nuerburg motor racing track which hosts the annual German Formula One Grand Prix. The CBS lads got a guided tour which showed cars that competed when this event was in its infancy right through to the elite machines that do battle in the modern-day contest. They also had two virtual reality simulator experiences which gave them an appreciation of what Formula One drivers experience at speeds up to 200km per hour. That night the group went ice-skating, with Bambi on ice featuring throughout. No broken bones to report, but many bruises, and indeed some bruised egos.

Day 5 saw our tourists spending the day in the Bobbejaanland theme park in Noordwijk in Belgium. This, predictably, was the part of the tour that the students most enjoyed. Day 6 was spent in Amsterdam. A highly enjoyable canal boat trip offered the best means of viewing this magnificent city, which is often referred to as the "Venice of the North", with its many canals, islands and bridges. They visited the Gassan Diamond Factory

where rough diamonds are transformed into dazzling jewels. Presents to the value of 350,000 euro were overlooked in anticipation of the delights of the flea markets awaiting outside. Later in the afternoon, the group visited the new Amsterdam Dungeon, a unique feat of fun with history's horrible bits. Later that night, there was another bowling session, with Joey Troy and Sean Ryan taking on Mr. Mulcahy and Mr. Hagen in a game of match play. The teachers easily accounted for the students on a 256 points to 114 points scoreline. Cries of "Easy, Easy, Easy" ... echoed around the bowling alleys.

Day 7 was the final day of the tour and the CBS party's final destination was Ajax Football Stadium. This is a multipurpose complex that can hold up to 54,000 people for a football match, while capable of being converted into a major concert venue.

This was Mr. Kiely's 20th tour to date and was, as always, very well organised and enjoyable throughout. Many thanks to Mr. Kiely and to the teachers that accompanied him: Mr. Collins, Mr. Mulcahy and Mr. Hagen.

CBS PLAYERS CONTRIBUTE TO HARTY WIN

West Waterford Colleges qualified for the Harty Cup Quarter Finals with a 4-20 to 5-13 victory over Cashel Community School last Wednesday. The school was represented by David Moore (goalkeeper), Shane Kearney (wing back), Paudie Kiely (corner back), Karl Duggan (midfield), Cormac Curran (wing forward), Liam Ryan (centre forward) and Thomas Dunphy (wing forward). Karl Duggan, who scored 0-7 was man of the match. All of the lads played well, with Cormac Curran (0-6), Liam Ryan (1-0), Thomas Dunphy (0-2) and Shane Kearney (0-1) among the scorers.

Ard Scoil na nDeise

ART COMPETITION WINNERS

Congratulations to our first year students who won first, second and third prizes in the recent Dungarvan Credit Union Poster Competition — Patricia Regan, 1st; Katie Leahy, 2nd Una McGrath, 3rd.

Ard Scoil was also the inaugural winner of the shield for the overall winning school. Well done to the girls and their teacher, Mrs. Mary Foley.

HOCKEY

On Wednesday, our hockey players travelled to Midleton with their coach, Ms Emmilie Pickering. The Under 19 team was very successful on this their premier outing against Midleton College. Bronagh O'Donovan scored a goal from play and Emer O'Connell scored one from a short corner. An excellent performance from the entire team saw the Ard Scoil win by two goals to one.

The Under 14 team had their first outing also. The team include some first years and was a great success as an introduction to the game of hockey. Even though they lost 3-0, they can look forward to great improvement and fun in the future.

AWARDS NIGHT 2007

On Friday night we had another very enjoyable Awards night when we recognised the many and varied talents of our Students. Next week I will have a detailed report and photos. Thank you to our sponsors and to our guest speaker, Waterford Captain Michael Walsh.

St. Augustine's College News

Student Council News

We are coming to that time of year when we host our annual elections for the coming school year of 2007-2008. Class teachers are busy organising their class groups to vote for class representatives. Students in every class group have the opportunity to nominate their own class representative/s to go forward for the election. Ballot papers are then drawn up. Before election day candidates have the opportunity to canvas for votes and the student cohort has time to deliberate on their vote. This year's elections will be held on Thursday 23rd November and the system of proportional representation will be used to count the votes. The votes will be counted on Friday 24th November in the study hall under the watchful eye of Mr. L. O'Mahony, the elections returning officer. Transition Year students will organise and monitor the whole procedure. Hopefully before the end of the school day on Friday 24th this year's student council will be elected. The names of the new student council members will be posted on the student council notice board as soon as they become available.

Transition Year News

Rehearsals for "Scrooge, The

Musical" are well under way, we are all looking forward to what promises to be a wonderful musical production of the Dickens classic, "A Christmas Carol".

Careers Exhibition

Fourth and fifth year students were bused into the Sports Centre recently to a careers exhibition. Many third level institutions were represented as well as An Garda Síochána, The Defence Forces. In all the students enjoyed a most informative presentation. Many thanks to Mr. Paddy McGrath, career guidance teacher, who organised the trip for the students.

Under 14 Hurling St. Augustine's 8-16 St. Paul's 0-0

The Under 14's put up a fine performance on Friday last at Roanmore, where they took on St. Paul's. The Dungarvan side began well with goals from David Gartland and Josh Young. Jamie Kiely in goal dealt with everything that came his way. The full back line of Brian Looby, Jack Leacy and Eoghan Bergin were very solid throughout. The half back line of David Sweeney, Shaun Daly (Capt) and Séamus Keating worked hard and did very well to cut off the supply into the danger area. Tadhé De Burca and Seán O'Donovan who excelled at midfield. St. Paul's

battled to the bitter end and showed some great skills during the game. However they found it hard to cope with the speed of our forwards.

Team: J. Kiely (Brickeys), B. Looby (Abbeyside), J. Leacy (Abbeyside), E. Bergin (Abbeyside), D. Sweeney (Abbeyside), S. Daly (Clashmore), S. Keating (Ardmore), T. De Burca (Clashmore), S. O'Donovan (St. Pats), J. Gartland (Ardmore), B. Phelan (St. Olivers), L. Houlihan (Brickeys), J. Murphy (St. Pats), J. Young (Dungarvan), D. Gartland, (Ardmore).

Athletics News

On Saturday, October 27th David McCarthy (LC 2007) represented Providence College, USA in the "Big East" championship. David was the first freshman home finishing in a credible 18th place helping his team to take third place overall. Well done David.

Junior Ladies Football St. Augustine's 3-13 Loretto, Clonmel 3-5

The college team put up a great performance last Tuesday to top their group in the championship.

They played a very gallant Loretto team at home in their second game of the season. Hannah Leacy did extremely well in goals and pulled off some vital saves during the game. The full back line of Aine Browne, Louise O'Neill

and Lorraine O'Neill defended well together. Equally the half back line of Rachel Leacy, Aimee Jordan and April Ledingham worked hard throughout the game. Rachel Walsh and Margaret Revins impressed at mid-field and won vital ball to supply the forwards. The sterling forwards, Niamh Flynn, Sarah O'Brien, Fiona Morrissey, Mgt. Walsh, Mary Leanne and Siobhan Murray. It was a tight game with the Friary girls trailing by a point at the break. There was a good turn round in the second half with the Friary emerging as eventual winners.

Deirdre Brackett, Maggie Dee and Maria Delahunty were introduced during the game and played an important part in our victory. A special word of thanks to coach, Ms. Angela Walsh.

Ballinacourty Senior County Football Champions

Congratulations to Ballinacourty on securing the county football championship against old rivals Ardmore at Fraher Field on Sunday. St. Augustine's is delighted to be associated with the team, thirteen of the starting fifteen for Ballinacourty are former Friary boys as are seven of the Ardmore team. Well done to both sides who provided such a great afternoon's entertainment.

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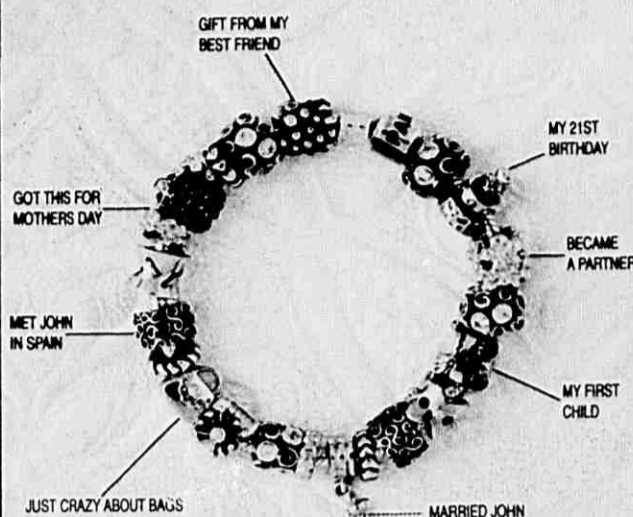
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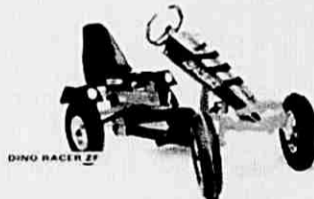
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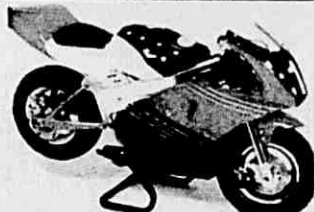
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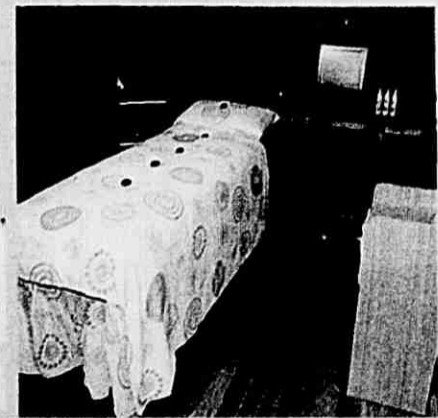
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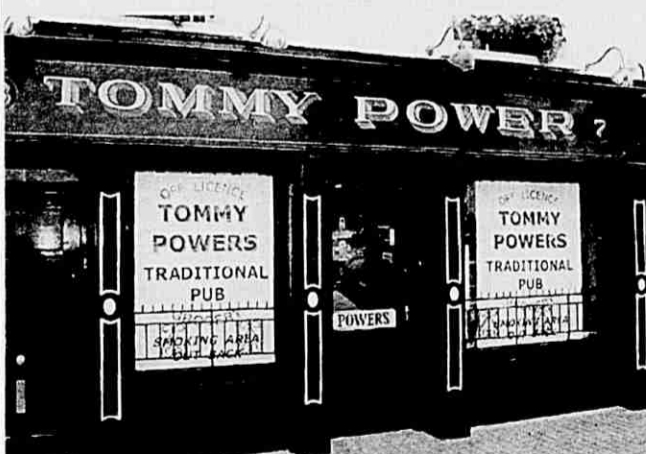
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Avoiding Antibiotics

The days are getting short, the weather has turned chilly and damp and this year's winter coughs, colds and tummy bugs are already doing the rounds. During the winter season many people suffering from acute infections such as sore throats, colds, flu and tummy bugs will visit their doctor in search of antibiotics. However, more and more people are now becoming concerned about the long term effects of these drugs on themselves and their children.

Antibiotics are drugs which kill the bacteria that cause various types of infection in the body. Some antibiotics are very specific and act on only a small number of bacterial species, while others (known as broad spectrum antibiotics) kill many different types of bacteria. However, antibiotics are completely ineffective against the viruses which are responsible for the majority of winter bugs, and they do nothing to support the immune system or to help with the symptoms of the condition. Of course antibiotics are absolutely essential in the treatment of serious or life threatening conditions, but they are powerful drugs which can have some serious side effects.

Firstly, antibiotics interfere with the normal balance of microflora in the body. Microflora is the term used to describe the various species of bacteria and yeasts which are present on the skin and mucous membranes of all normal, healthy people. Many of these species (often referred to as 'friendly bacteria') are important for biological functions such as absorption of various nutrients and protection against harmful micro-organisms. Antibiotics destroy large numbers of these friendly bacteria. This can allow harmful micro-organisms such as *Candida albicans* to become dominant. This causes irritation and inflammation of the local tissues and a variety of other problems which affect the rest of the body. These include thrush, sweet cravings, allergies, sinus problems, reduced alcohol tolerance, digestive disturbances, skin problems, severe pre-menstrual symptoms, thyroid problems, headaches, tiredness and poor concentration. This type of imbalance can be very difficult to correct and in some cases the problem can continue for months or even years.

Antibiotics can also have far-reaching effects on the immune system. Infections which resolve after antibiotic treatment often recur because the immune system has been damaged by the antibiotics. The most notable examples are cystitis and ear infections which may return time and time again and take years to fully resolve. Studies have shown that children who are given antibiotics before they are 6 months old are twice as likely to develop asthma than other children, and those who are given broad spectrum antibiotics are almost nine times more likely to develop the condition. The use of antibiotics in children also increases the likelihood of a range of other allergies. Perhaps the most serious consequence of the overuse of antibiotics is the development of strains of bacteria which have become completely resistant to treatment. One example is MRSA (Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*), which can cause incurable and sometimes fatal infections.

Fortunately there is a safer approach to treating the wide range of infections which are common throughout the winter months. Herbal preparations such as garlic, thyme and tea tree oils have been found to be more effective against a range of bacteria than pharmaceutical antiseptics, and because they are much more complex than orthodox medicines they are less likely to lead to the development of resistant bacteria. There are also a number of antiviral herbs which are more appropriate for treating viral infections than antibiotics.

In order to treat the symptoms of the infection, herbs are used which help to manage fever, to reduce the production of mucus, to soothe sore throats and coughs, or to ease diarrhoea. Which herbs are chosen depends completely on which symptoms are being experienced. In addition, herbal medicine focuses on supporting the body's own immune response in order to fight the infection and to help prevent future attacks.

By visiting a herbalist for the treatment of winter infections you can be assured of treatment which is safe and effective for both adults and children. At the same time you can avoid the side effects of antibiotic treatment and help to ensure that they will be effective if they do become really necessary.

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.



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

Stradbally na Deise Book Launch

"It is amazing how much information can come to light, John Keane and Tom Hickey were by no means the first to find out this when they set out to compile a history of Stradbally as a millennium project.

The project they say was intended for the millennium but seven years later than intended it has at last seen the light of day. Stradbally na Deise is a substantial work of over two hundred pages packed with information of every conceivable kind and abundantly illustrated, the authors have been pretty thorough going through their trawl of the centuries starting with the Ice Age twenty thousand years ago, the area is rich in pre historical remains most notable the Ogham Caves in Drumlohan. In the middle ages Stradbally was one of the main Norman towns in this County the others being Dungarvan, Affane and Kilmeaden. The Medieval Church of St James of which the authors de-

vote much attention including photographs, and a ground plan. In later times there have been several surveys of the village and I was particularly interested to see the Griffiths Valuation Map of Stradbally in 1860.

No account of Stradbally would be complete without including the Barron family, founders of the Barron Memorial Hall and the Faha Chapel of Ease, the most amazing of these was Philip Barron who in 1835 opened a college in Seafield for the teaching of Irish and much else, alas it began with such a flourish but it came

to a swift and mysterious end. Even the fate of its founder was unknown, that is until now the authors have located a certificate of his death in London 1844.

Also featured are the Anthony's of Seafield and the Uniackes and Beresfords of Woodhouse in addition to many families of lesser substance but equally interesting. The area is rich in folklore and many pages are devoted to local legend and songs.

There are chapters on education, on the church, on railways and shipwrecks, including the most detailed of the Cirilo

Amoros that I have yet seen. Last but by no means least Stradbally's noble sport people are dealt with. I don't need to remind listeners of these achievements of the present day but past triumphs may be less known and if you don't know why the bridge on the main road in KilmacThomas is called after Percy Kirwan read the book and find out.

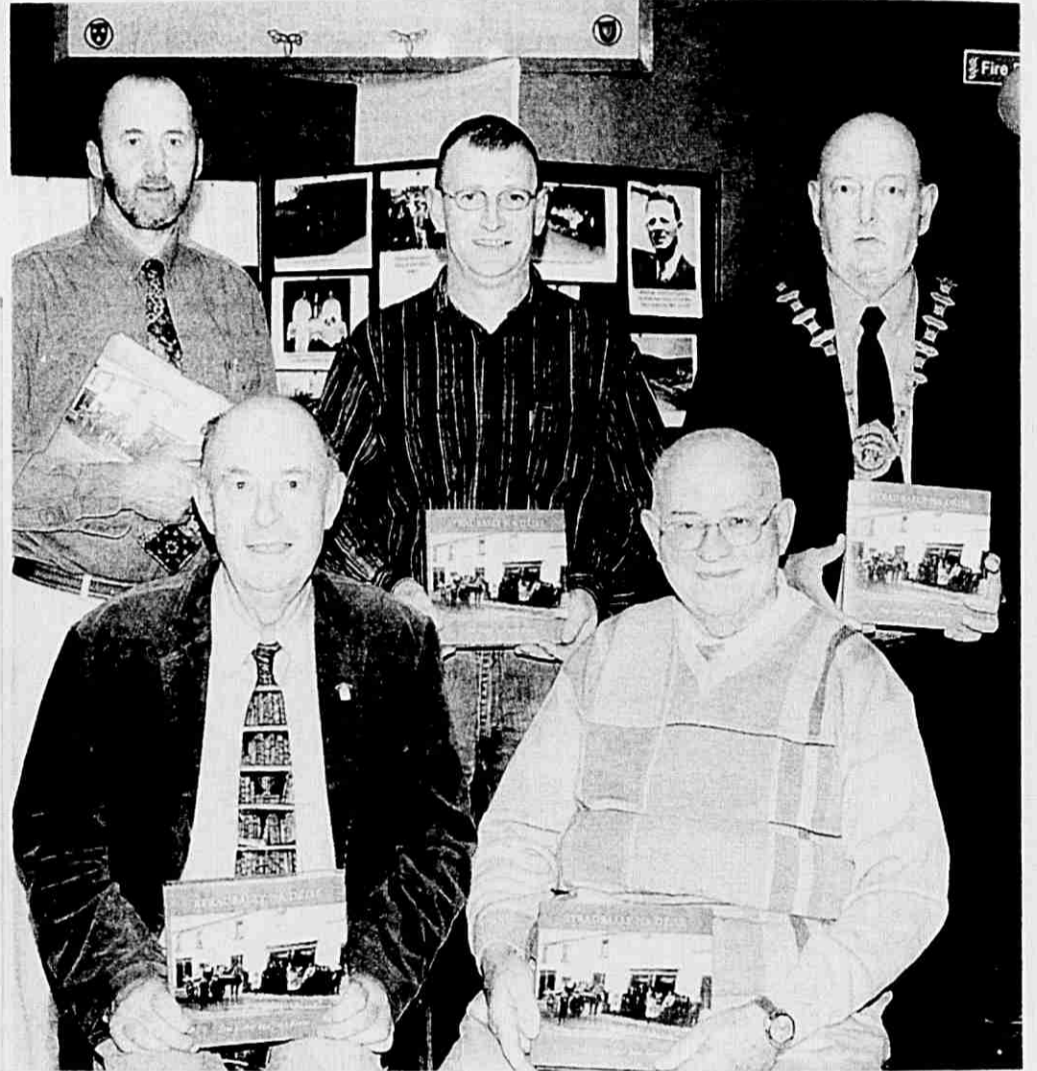
Stradbally na Deise was launched on Friday 26th October the above from Julian Walton's address at the launch in the Stradbally GAA centre.

Current Exhibitions at The Old Market House Arts Centre

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.



Pictured at the Launch were (left to right, back row): Tom Hickey (author), Thomas Power, Chairman of Stradbally Enterprise and Tourism Group, Billy Kyne, Co. Waterford Mayor; front row: Julian Walton (historian), John Keane (author).

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WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL
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PROPOSED VARIATION (NO.9) OF THE WATERFORD COUNTY DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2005 - 2011 IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 13 OF THE PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ZONES & REZONING OF 216 (APPROX) HECTARES OF LAND IN THE DUNGARVAN ENVIRONS AREA OF CO. WATERFORD

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 13 (2) of the Planning & Development Act 2000 that Waterford County Council, being the Planning Authority for the County of Waterford, propose to make a variation in the Waterford County Development Plan 2005-2011 **To include a Zoning Objective for Economic Development Zones in the Waterford County Development Plan 2005-2011 and the Rezoning of approximately 216 hectares of lands zoned Agriculture in the Dungarvan Environs Area to Economic Development Zone 1&2 (EDZ1 & EDZ2) for the purposes of facilitating primarily Industrial Development.**

Details of the proposed variation which is accompanied by an **Environmental Report and supporting documentation i.e. Economic Development Masterplan for Dungarvan Environs** (prepared in accordance with the Planning & Development (Strategic Environmental Assessment) Regulations 2004), may be inspected during the period from **14th November, 2007 to 12th December, 2007** during normal opening hours at the following locations:-

- Planning Department, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford,
- Public Library Dungarvan
- The Council's website: www.waterfordcoco.ie

Written submissions or observations with respect to the **Proposed Variation, Environmental Report and Supporting Documentation** received by the Planning Authority before 5.00p.m on 12th December 2007 will be taken into consideration before the making of the variation. Such submissions should be clearly marked "**Variation (No. 9) Rezoning Dungarvan Environs**" and addressed to:

Denis McCarthy,
The Director of Services,
Planning Department,
Waterford County Council, Civic Offices,
Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

Submissions and observations may also be emailed to the following address: developmentplans@waterfordcoco.ie

Please note that the Planning Dept, Waterford County Council, Dungarvan is closed on 1st Wednesday of each month. Opening hours 10am to 3.30pm Monday to Friday. **Planning Applications are now available for viewing through EPlan & GPlan on Waterford County Council website at www.waterfordcoco.ie**

D. McCarthy,
Director of Services
Planning, & Environment

14th November, 07

Dungarvan No Name Club

(FUN WITHOUT ALCOHOL)

Karaoke tonight (Wed 14th)

The club meets tonight for our weekly get together. This week we have a meeting with a difference as we are holding a karaoke night. Next January in Mallow we will be competing in a karaoke competition against all the other No Name Clubs in Munster. Early in the New Year we will hold a Competition in the Dungarvan club to select our representative Karaoke Singer who will go forward to compete in Mallow. Before this happens we want to get some people used to the fun and craic of Karaoke. Everyone is invited to come along tonight. We will not put any pressure on anyone to sing but we do hope many people will and that we are blown away by the vast reservoirs of vocal talent which we experience this evening. The event begins at 8:00 and will be over at 10:00 pm.

Last Wednesday we held a Fun night at which we had many crazy events. We had Hula Hoop Gymnastics, Balloon relays, Quizzes and crazy golf to mention just some. At the end of the night the winning team consisted of Eimear Duffy, Ciara Hannigan, Rebecca Frost, Natasha Butler, Louise O'Neill, Lorraine Wyley and Jordan Daly. For their prize these seven winners have each won a free pass to our next Disco.

Members are reminded that outstanding membership fees are now due and these can be paid at tonight's meeting.

Halloween Disco Success.

The Halloween Disco that was held in Club Creation on Nov 1st was a great start to the new club year. Many of the Disco Goers entered into the spirit of the season and came in Fancy Dress. The prizes for best costumes went to Jenny Hurley, Luke Martin and Katherine Walsh.

DJ Johnno spun the discs to keep everyone on the dance floor for the night. We sincerely wish to thank Pat O'Brien and all the staff at Club Creation for their professionalism and for the use of their great club for the night. We are now planning to return with another Disco over the Christmas Holidays.

Profile on...

Casey Cunningham

Casey Cunningham from Modeligo is one of the new members of the No Name Club. Casey is featured in this week's Profile.



We return to our occasional profile this week when we profile one of our very new members.

Name...Casey Cunningham
From...Modeligo
Fav. Film...Green Street
Fav. Film Star...Julia Roberts
Fav Sports Person... Dan Shanahan
Hobbies... Horse Riding, Hockey & Swimming
Fav. Book...The Lovely Bones
School & Year...St. Augustine's TY1

Fav Teacher...Mr O'Sullivan (Sound as a bell)
If I were an animal I'd be a...Dog
In the Film of my Life I'd be played by...Tyra Banks
Sexiest Man on Earth...Brad

Pitt
My Hero is... Natasha Butler
Coolest No Name member is ...Hollie Dunford
Fav. Song at the mo...About You Now
Best Song Ever...Girls Just Wanna Hav Fun
Fav Singer...Rihanna
Ideal Job...Nurse
I Can't Stop...Talking
My Dying words will be...I'm bringing sexy back! Yeahhh
Most famous person I've met...Richie Kavanagh

Contact Details

You can contact Dungarvan No Name Club on 087-2782825. The National Website can be found by clicking on www.nonameclub.ie

Dates For Your Diary

We have already received advance notice of several events over the coming season. Please note these dates in your diary.

- 27 Jan '08...Southern Regional Youth Awards in Mallow
- 27 Jan '08...Southern Regional Karaoke Competition in Mallow
- 24 Feb '08...Karaoke Final in Killeshin, Co Laois
- 29 Mar '08...National Youth Awards Ball in Castlebar, Co. Mayo
- 11 May '08... Variety Competition Regional in Tipperary.
- 25 May '08... Variety Competition Final

Paintballing

At present we are considering going paintballing some Sunday before Christmas. If you are interested in going, and have not yet put your name down then please give in your details to John at tonight's (Wed 14th Nov) meeting.



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Housing Section

Expressions of Interest from Qualified Contractors for Works that Qualify for:

- The Housing Adaptation Grant Scheme for People with a Disability
- The Mobility Aids Housing Grant Scheme
- The Housing Aid for Older People Grant Scheme

The Housing Section of Waterford County Council intends to compile a list of suitably qualified and experienced contractors who are prepared to carry out work under the three schemes named above.

In most cases, the contractor would be employed direct by those receiving grant aid (i.e. not by Waterford County Council). Please note that being on the list does not guarantee work.

The work covered under the schemes is very varied, e.g. conversion of bathrooms, installing central heating, repairing/replacing roofs, replacing windows and doors, internal repairs, the building of extensions, etc. The houses would normally be occupied while the work is going on. Access may be difficult. Grants are not paid until the work is complete.

Any contractor who wishes to be included on the list should apply in writing, stating the type of work he or she would be interested in, giving details of his or her qualifications and experience and enclosing a copy of his or her current C2 certificate from the Revenue Commissioners. The contractor should also state clearly which area or areas of the county he or she would be prepared to work in. Those contractors who have submitted their details previously should re-apply.

Please submit your application to: Housing Section, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, County Waterford, before **Friday, 7th December, 2007.**

Frank Curran

Director of Services
Housing, Corporate Affairs & Emergency Services
14th November, 2007.



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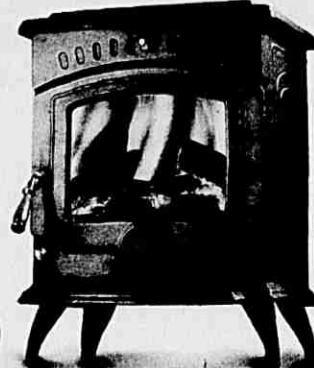
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RECENT DEATHS

LATE PATRICK WHITE



Sunrise: Dec 21st 1928
Sunset: October 7th 2007

Great sadness descended on the London Irish, Dungarvan and Cappoquin communities with the announcement of the unexpected death of Patrick (Paddy) White, after some time in hospital post cardiac surgery. A native of Ballyhahan, Paddy is described by his wife Mary as a kind, gentle and caring husband.

Paddy worked in the UK as a scaffolder for most of his working life. Paddy's friends describe him as always keen to discuss his life's work and the need to help those in problem situations. He loved to discuss his birthplace Ballyhahan and the love and respect he held dear for his Mother Nora and Father Tom who have long since achieved their heavenly reward. He spoke proudly of his family and his Father's war service in the struggle for freedom when the war trumpets rang out loudly across Europe in 1914. His Father's war medals awarded for bravery are testament to his honour and belief in freedom and democracy and this made Paddy very proud. Paddy was a well established member of the London Irish community and had many friends from throughout the

UK and Ireland. Paddy was very well known on the Portobello Road in west London where he lived for many years with his loving wife Mary and they were often visited by her son Paul and family members from Dungarvan, UK and USA.

Paddy was much loved and is deeply mourned by his sisters Maude, Eileen, Kathleen, Enda and his brother Michael. He is predeceased by his brother Tommy. Paddy was also much loved and respected by Mary's Brother Timmy, Brother in Law Bobby, Niece Denise and all the family. Also Paddy is mourned deeply by all of his family in Dungarvan, surrounding areas and in the UK.

Pat was a regular attendee at Mass particularly Sunday Mass at St Mary of the Angels Church, Moorhouse Road, West London and got great comfort from Mass and he also attended funerals on a regular basis in order that he might give support to others in time of pain and despair.

His remains were removed to St Mary of the Angels Church Moorhouse Road for Requiem Mass on Monday October 22nd. The service was attended by a large crowd of family and friends. The readings were carried out by Gerald Waters (husband of Paddy's niece Noreen) and their daughter Emma and the eulogy was provided by his nephew Stephen Tutty. The organist John Ward played a beautiful selection of Paddy's favourite prayer hymns. The interment took place afterwards in Gunnersbury cemetery, West London.

A special word of thanks to all the staff at St Mary's Hospital for the wonderful care he received, to Dr. O'Connor his GP for many years, the local Parish and to Father Alan who conducted the requiem Mass, to the organist John Ward, Nodes Funeral

Directors in Ladbroke Grove particularly Angela and Robyn and to the many friends, neighbours and all others who have sympathised.

Chief mourners: his wife Mary and her son Paul, sisters Maude, Eileen, Kathleen, Enda, brother Michael, Mary's Brother Timmy, Brother in Law Bobby, Niece Denise and all the family. Also Paddy is mourned deeply by all of his family in Dungarvan, surrounding areas and in the UK.

A family prayer from the Book of Psalms
Psalm 133:1 a song of degrees of David

Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity.

This is all I ask of you our Lord for my husband Paddy and our entire family beseech you from the depths of our despair and in your loving mercy to grant our Paddy eternal peace and rest until we meet again in Paradise.

LATE JOHANNA HENNESSY

We write on the passing on Friday last of Johanna Hennessy, 3, College Rd., Ardmore at Drumhills Nursing Home where she had enjoyed the excellent care and attention of Tom and Joan and staff for the past two years. In her early 90's Johanna was a native of Old Parish and worked for many years with the Mooney family, later she continued to carry out household duties in Cork. Very much family orientated and a woman of deep faith, she was a very well read person who was blessed with a wonderful intelligence.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home where prayers and rosary was shared, the removal took place on Saturday evening to Old Parish Church where Fr. Edmond Cullinan P.P. was present for the funeral service.

On Sunday following funeral Mass the interment followed in the adjoining cemetery. We sympathise with her brother Sean, sister-in-law Pam, her nephews, nieces, grand nephews and grand nieces on their loss.

I líonta Dé go gcastar sinn le céile.

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

LATE NORA KEANE

Friday last brought the sad news of the passing of Nora Keane, Ballykerin, Modeligo at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Nora who was in her 90's, was the last surviving member of her family and had resided in St. Joseph's Hospital for close on twelve years.

We offer our sympathy to her nieces and nephews and other relatives at this time.

On Friday evening rosary and prayers were led at the Kiely Funeral Home by Rev. Fr. Gerard O'Connor C.C., who was also in attendance on Saturday evening before Nora's remains were brought to Modeligo Church. V. Rev. Fr. John Kiely P.P. was Mass celebrant on Sunday morning after which the interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

(Full obituary next issue).
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KILROSSANTY NOTES

FIANNA FAIL

Kilrossanty Fianna Fail confined draw tickets are on sale at present. 1st prize 200 euro. 2nd prize 100 euro. 3rd prize 100 euro. Draw will take place in Micilin's on Saturday 1st December. Tickets 2 euros can be got from any member.

QUIZ

Last Friday night raised 375 euros. The proceeds go to ARG Christmas party.

I.F.A.

Kilrossanty I.F.A. A.G.M. takes place on Monday, 19th November in the Hall at 8.15 pm.

SALE OF WORK

Annual Sale of Work on 23rd November in Crotty's Inn. Collectors will be collecting this week. If we miss you when we call please hand it in to a member of the committee. Tickets on sale for the draw on the night. 1st 150 euro, 2nd 75 euro, 3rd 50 euro, 4th 25 euro, 5th 25 euro, 6th 25 euro and 7th 25 euro. Draw will take place at the Sale of Work. Book of 3.5 euro.

ST. DECLAN'S

St. Declan's Community College are holding a make up and beauty night in the Park

Hotel, Dungarvan on Thursday 22nd November at 7.45 pm sharp. 12 euros for tickets which can be got from the college, on the door, phone no of college is 051-294100. Goody bags for all present on the night. Lots of prizes and many stalls with Christmas gift ideas. Your support would be appreciated.

FILM

Bachelors in Trouble new CD and DVD launch will take place in Crotty's on 24th November on Saturday. Music by Southern Pride and Johnny Donegan. Guests will include Dan Shanahan, Hurler of the Year, Sean Kelly, World Cyclist. More details next week.

I.C.A.

The Guild held their monthly meeting last Monday night. It was well attended. The guest speakers on the night were Tom Power and Jackie Elgar who recently launched their book "Photographs with Poetry" on Waterford. It is a very interesting book and would make an ideal Christmas present for people living in Waterford county and overseas.

Lots of topics were discussed including the report on I.C.A. as to the future of the organisation. Another meeting will be held strictly about the future of I.C.A. on Monday, 26th November at 8 pm in the Hall. Tickets for the Christmas draw were given out. Lovely tea was served by Mary Cusack and Christine Houlihan. Raffle was won by Christine Houlihan, Mairead Coffey and Joan Maher. The bus for the day trip will leave Lemybrien at 11 am on this Thursday for Carlow. Carriglea party will take place in Crotty's on November 25th.

As usual all members bring the usual goodies on the day. Members to be in Crotty's for 2 pm. Federation meeting in Crotty's Inn on November 22nd.

HALL

Hall meeting Wednesday night, 14th November at 8.30 pm.

KILROSSANTY GAA NOTES

Clotto

No winner in the weekly Clotto held last Sunday night in Crotty's Inn. Numbers were 2-17-18-20. 25 euros each to the following: Paul Lennon, Lemybrien; Tom Barry and Patricia Cunningham, c/o Crotty's Inn; Paudie Whelan, Kilmacthomas; Joe Hayes, Lemybrien. Sellers prize to John Flynn, Briskey; Paul Lennon, Lemybrien. Jackpot next Sunday night in Micilins 1,400 euro.

AGM

AGM on December 9th in Clubhouse.

Underage Hurling

Hurling for 5-10 year olds continues every Wednesday night between 7 and 8 pm in the field.

Committee Meeting

There will be a committee meeting on Tuesday night next 20th November in the Clubhouse at 9 pm sharp.

AGM's

Our juvenile AGM will take place on Friday, 7th December at 8 pm in the clubhouse. The adult AGM will take place on Sunday, 9th December at 4 pm in the Clubhouse.

Club Merchandise

Club merchandise is still available from either Kevin Lonergan or Maurice Dee. Still available are polo shirts, rugby shirts, windcheaters and jackets.

Postponement

Due to Ballyduff Lowers involvement in the senior hurling relegation play-off the Inter Firms game which was due to be played on Saturday next has been postponed.

ST. MARY'S PARISH NOTES

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Malachi 3:19-20 For you the sun of righteousness will shine out.
2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 Do not let anyone have food if he refuses to work.

Luke 21:5-19 Your endurance will win you your lives.

CROSSES

Please come to the church and pray for all those who died in the last year and are remembered.

Holy Souls Novena of Masses

Will commence in St. Mary's on Thursday 22nd November to Friday 30th November. Novena Mass times as follows

Thursday 22nd 9.30 am; Friday 23rd 7.30 pm; Saturday 24th 7.30 pm; Sunday 25th 10 am; Monday 26th 7.30 pm; Tuesday 27th 9.30 am; Wednesday 28th 7.30 pm; Thursday 29th 9.30 am; Friday 30th 9.30 am.

To remember parishioners and their relatives who died in the past year there will be three special evening Masses at 7.30 pm during the Novena and a candle for your loved one will be lit.

Friday, 23rd Nov. Mass for Parishioners who died November 2006 to April 2007. Monday, 26th Nov. Mass for Parishioners who died May 2007 to 30th October 2007.

Wednesday 28th Nov. Mass for relatives or friends from outside the parish who died during year. (Please leave names into Parish Office).

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 in Lawlor's Hotel. House to house collections will be made for donations of bottles and saleable goods. Please support. All welcome.

Youth Mass

We would like to thank the students from Colaiste Chathail Naofa, CBS and Ard Scoil na nDeise who participated in the vigil Mass on Saturday, and also their teachers, for their contribution. The congregation were very appreciative of the lovely singing and music and readings by these young people and look forward to the next one.

St. Mary's Parish Pilgrimage to the Shrines of France

A saving scheme continues after the 7.30 pm vigil Mass in St. Vincent De Paul's rooms and each following Saturday.

Polish Mass

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

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

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

BAPTISMS

Take place on the 1st Saturday of the month at 6pm and the 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month after 12noon Mass. Parents must take part in the preparation meeting - enrol at the Parish Office please.

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Teagasc Restructures Advisory Service for Kilkenny/Waterford



Pictured at the launch of the Teagasc Kilkenny/ Waterford Advisory Service in the Woodlands Hotel, Waterford were, from left, Vincent O'Donovan, Modeligo. John Moloney, Area Manager, Teagasc, Kilkenny Waterford; Tom Power, Ballinamult and Brian Hilliard, Teagasc Advisor. Picture: Michael Brophy.

The Teagasc Advisory service has a new structure in place to deliver a better service to existing and new farmer clients. The advisory programme is now organised around four programme areas, with a renewed emphasis on the business and technology programme. The other programme areas are; Good Farm Practice, Rural Development and Adult Training and Life Long Learning.

The advisory service in counties Kilkenny and Waterford will now operate as a single area unit, managed by John Moloney. With 28 agricultural advisors working from 5 offices and supported by 8 administration staff, the service will be in a strong position to service farmers' demands. Bringing the Teagasc resources of the two counties into the one unit will help Teagasc to provide a more specialised sharper service to farmer customers.

Kilkenny/Waterford Area Manager John Moloney said: "Much of our work in recent years has been dominated by schemes and services with high levels of demand from our farmer clients for schemes such as the Farm Improvement Scheme, REPS, Single Farm Payment scheme and resolving associated problems. We will

continue to provide this service, but a dedicated team of business and technology advisors are now in place and will work closely with farmers who want to improve technical performance by adopting the best technology that is emerging from our research centres."

Those involved in the core mainstream farm enterprises will benefit from the knowledge of our dedicated business and technology advisors. Our Good Farm Practice team know the intricacies of the various support schemes and REPS. Over half of our clients participate in REPS. REPS4 and the introduction of the nitrates derogation will see this percentage increase.

Teagasc can provide the best advice on all enterprises including many of the alternative farm enterprises. Our specialised Rural Development advisors will provide the facts for you to consider the alternatives that are available.

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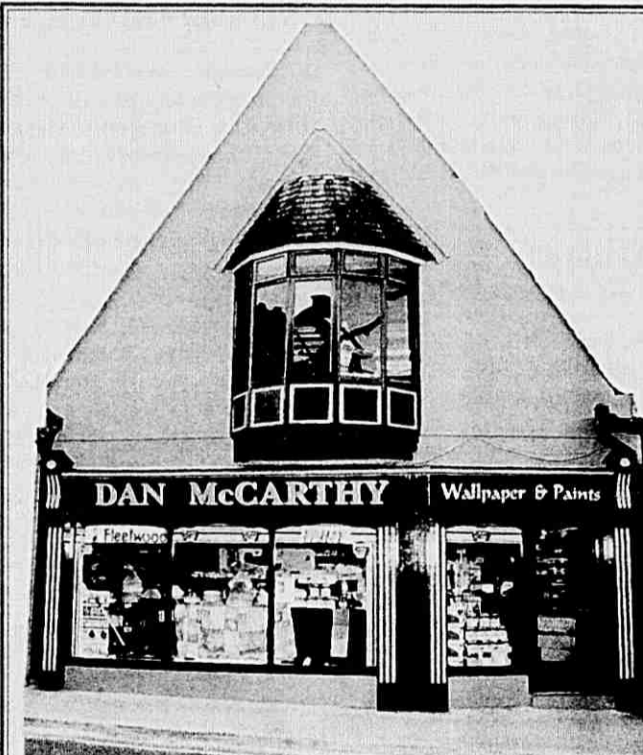
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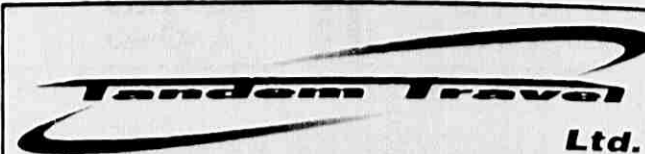
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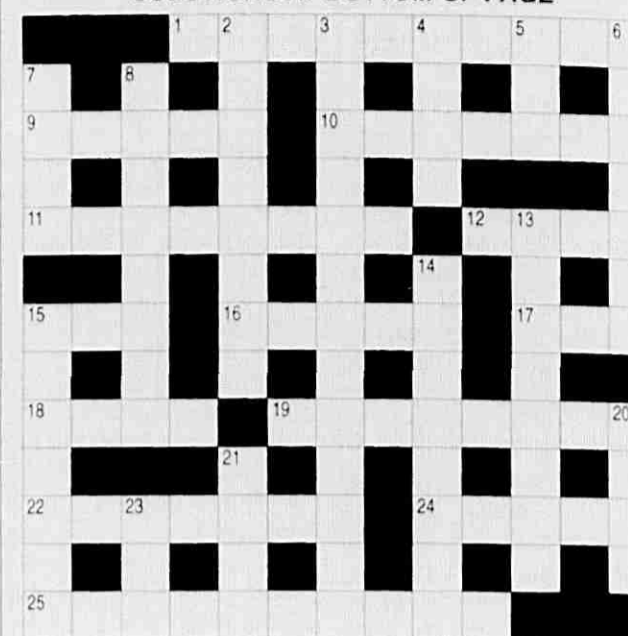
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Leader Crossword

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ACROSS

- 1 Bronchodilator used in the treatment of asthma (10)
- 9 Grant something, such as costs in a legal action (5)
- 10 One of the stages of life (7)
- 11 Things handed down such as historical buildings and the natural environment (8)
- 12 Princess in Star Wars (4)
- 15 See 7
- 16 One who opposes the establishment (5)
- 17 Gave birth to (3)
- 18 North and South, islands in the Outer Hebrides (4)
- 19 Events that cannot be explained by the known laws of nature (8)
- 22 Marked with spots of colour or light (7)
- 24 A seat such as a pew (5)
- 25 Anagram of DIURNALIST (10)

DOWN

- 2 Relating to the sense of hearing (8)
- 3 A person who attempts to reconcile hostile parties, especially by means of diplomacy (6-7)
- 4 Soya bean curd used in Asian and vegetarian cooking (4)
- 5 Name to which X is added to make the adjectival form (3)
- 6 Lancashire town with vehicle manufacturing connections (7)
- 7 15 across Value relating to the speed of sound (4,3)
- 8 Completely bald (8)
- 13 Gas occurring in natural gas and coal gas (8)
- 14 Fortified palace in Granada considered the finest example of Moorish architecture (8)
- 15 Roman Catholic organisation founded in 1928 (4,3)
- 20 Louis, France footballer (4)
- 21 An exclamation of sorrow (4)
- 23 Walk with regular, soft-sounding steps (3)

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- ACROSS:** 1 Salbutamol, 9 Award, 10 Infancy, 11 Heritage, 12 Leia, 15n, 16 Rebel, 17 Had, 18 Uist, 19 Miracles, 22 Dappled, 24 Bench, 25 Industrial.
- DOWN:** 2 Auditory, 3 Bridge-builder, 4 Tofu, 5 Man, 6 Leyland, 7 15 across Mach one, 8 Hairless, 13 Ethylene, 14 Alhambra, 15 Opus Dei, 20 Saha, 21 Alas, 23 Pad.

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Waterford County Council — I am applying to the above for planning permission for a 7.85 metre high storey and a half type dwelling, entrance, treatment system, percolation area and all ancillary works at Knockalisheen, E. D. St. Mary's, Ballymacarbry, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application, on payment of a fee of 20 euro. Signed: Michael J. O'Ryan.

Waterford County Council — We, Richard and Peggy Power, wish to apply to Waterford County Council for outline planning permission to sub-divide existing site in two, to re-locate the existing entrance, and to construct a single storey dwelling, together with all associated site works, all at Horsequarter Bridge, Dunmore East, Co. Waterford. 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, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority 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 — I, Sean Halloran, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission for change of house plan and location of house on site from that granted under PD No. 04/2023 and to change the site boundaries at Garrahylish, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford. The application may be inspected or purchased at the Planning Department, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority on payment of the prescribed €20 fee, within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

Waterford County Council — I, John Heame, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission to extend existing milking parlour and to provide a new dairy at Seafield, Bonmahon, Co. Waterford. The application may be inspected or purchased at the Planning Department, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority on payment of the prescribed €20 fee, within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

Waterford County Council — We, Owen Mangan and Sonya O'Flynn, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission to construct a dormer bungalow, garage/store, waste water treatment system, percolation area and to widen and splay existing entrance to form a shared entrance at Dyrick Lower, Lismore, Co. Waterford. The application may be inspected or purchased at the Planning Department, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority on payment of the prescribed €20 fee, within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

Dungarvan Town Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for permission to construct extension to the rear of my house at no. 64, Town Court, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. Signed: Leonard Tutty. 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, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority on payment of the prescribed fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

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Richie Walsh
Administrative Officer
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BRENNAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of John Brennan, Ballysaggart, Lismore who died on 18th November, 2005. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass on Thursday, 22nd November in St. Mary's Church, Ballysaggart at 7.30 pm.

You left us lovely memories,
That make us laugh and cry,
Times we shared together,
No millionaire could buy,
A thoughtful person,
A special friend,
A wonderful husband and father to
the very end.
(Sadly missed by your wife Helen
and son P. J.)

BUCKLEY — Seventeenth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear son and brother Barry, late of Church Street, Cappoquin who died on November 15, 1990.

We hold you close within our hearts,
And there you shall remain,
To walk with us throughout our lives,
Until we meet again.
(Sadly missed and always remembered by Mam, Dad, brothers and sisters and families).

BARRY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Stephen Kevin Barry, late of London and Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 13th November.

If tears could build a stairway,
And memories a lane,
We'd walk right up to heaven,
And bring you home again.
(Sadly missed by wife Maureen and family).



CROTTY — Third and Second Anniversaries — In loving memory of my father William (Willie) Crotty, whose anniversary occurs on November 15th, late of 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan and also my aunt Mary Tutty (nee Crotty), whose anniversary occurs on November 18th, late of Cois Tra, Dungarvan.

No farewells were spoken,
No time to say goodbye,
Our loss was oh so sudden,
Only God knows why,
Find the softest pillow, Lord,
To rest their heads upon,
Put a kiss upon their cheeks,
And tell them who it's from:
Gone from us, but leaving memories,
Death can never take away,
Memories that will always linger,
While upon this earth we stay.
(Loved and remembered by Kathleen, Kevin, Jamie, Dean and Aidan).

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CROTTY — Third and Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Willie Crotty, late of 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on the 15th November. Also his loving sister Mary Tutty (nee Crotty), Cois Tra, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on the 18th November. Anniversary Mass for Willie and all his family at home and overseas in St. Joseph's Hospital Chapel at 10 am on Thursday, 15th November.

To me you were someone special,
What more can I say,
I only wish with all my heart,
That you were here today,
They say there is a reason,
They say that time will heal,
But neither time nor reason,
Will change the way I feel,
Your name is often spoken,
My thoughts are with you still,
You haven't been forgotten,
What's more you never will.
As long as I live,
I will always be glad,
For a wonderful husband,
I was lucky to have,
A husband with a heart of gold,
His loss to me can never be told,
When I am sad and lonely,
And things are going wrong,
I seem to hear you whisper,
Cheer up and carry on,
And when I see your photo,
You seem to smile and say,
Don't cry I'm only sleeping,
We will meet again some day,
A thousand words won't bring you
back,
We know because we've tried,
Never will a million tears,
We know because we've cried,
Sometimes we think we're dream-
ing,
We cannot believe it is true,
That we can all go on living,
Not that we no longer have you.
(Never forgotten — his loving wife Nellie and all their family at home and overseas).



CROTTY — In loving memory of my dear brother Willie Crotty, 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan whose 3rd anniversary occurs on the 15th November. Also my loving sister Mary Tutty (nee Crotty), Cois Tra, Dungarvan whose second anniversary occurs on the 18th November.

November comes with sad regret,
The day the month we'll never forget,
Quietly, sadly came the call,
Without farewell ye left us all,
A lot in life has altered,
A lot in life is new,
But things that never alter,
Are memories of ye,
In heaven ye rest,
No worry, no pain,
In God's own time we will meet again.
Ye may be out of sight,
We may be worlds apart,
Ye'er always in our thoughts,
And forever in our hearts,
In life we loved ye dearly,
In death we love ye still.
(Always remembered by your loving sister Breda, Paddy and family XXX).



CROTTY — In loving memory of my dear brother Willie Crotty, 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan whose 3rd anniversary occurs on the 15th November. Also my loving sister Mary Tutty (nee Crotty), Cois Tra, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on the 18th November. Happy memories last forever. Of days when we were all together, Each one of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today. Quietly today your memory we treasure, Loving you always, forgetting you never. Will those who think of Willie and Mary today, A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Loved and remembered always - Pearl and family).

CROTTY AND TUTTY — Third and Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother Willie Crotty, whose third anniversary occurs on November 15th, late of 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan, also my sister Mary Tutty (nee Crotty) whose second anniversary occurs on November 18th, late of Cois Tra, Dungarvan.

Taken from us all so suddenly,
You have your memories people say,
But no one knows or understands,
How can you touch a memories hand?
How can you kiss memories face?
How can a memory be embraced,
When the emptiness of missing you is more than I can bear.
I whisper are you both alright, and always feel you near.
I pray that you both are together, and hope that you're truly loved.
Just like you were at home.
(Always remembered, sadly missed by Eileen and family).

CROTTY AND TUTTY — Second and Third Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear sister Mary Tutty (nee Crotty), whose second anniversary occurs on 18th November, late of Cois Tra, Dungarvan and of my dear brother Willie Crotty, late of 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 15th November.

Those we love don't go away,
They walk beside us every day,
Unseen, unheard, but very dear,
Still loved, still missed but very near.
Will those who think of them today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
God bless Willie and Mary.
(Sadly missed by your loving sister Kathleen, brother-in-law Locky and family).

CROTTY — Third and Second Anniversary — In loving memory of William (Willie) Crotty, late of 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on November 15th and of Mary Tutty (nee Crotty) late of Cois Tra, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on November 18th.

A loving spray of memories,
Tied up with all our love,
Memories we will treasure,
Of the ones we dearly loved,
In the centre of God's garden,
There are special people there,
Those people are my brother and sister,
The best beyond compare.
(Always loved and remembered by Ann, Joe and family).



CROTTY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Willie Crotty, 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan who died on 15th November, 2004.

FATHER
We would like to say so many things,
We don't know where to start,
We only know we miss you, Dad,
From the bottom of our hearts,
And when we are sad and lonely,
And everything goes wrong,
We seem to hear you whisper,
Cheer up and carry on.
(From your loving son Mike, Polly, Darren, Karen, Valeri and Gary).

CROTTY — Third and Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother William (Willie) Crotty, late of 19 Springmeadows, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on November 15th and also of my loving sister Mary Tutty (nee Crotty) late of Cois Tra, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on November 18th.

As down the road of memories,
We gently tread today,
Our loving thoughts are with you
As life goes on its way,
Time may heal the heartaches,
Like the smile that hides the tears,
But happy memories keep you close,
Despite the passing years.
(Loved and remembered by Joseph and family).

DAVIS — Twelfth Anniversary — In loving memory of William (Billy) Davis, late of Barrack Street, Tallow who died on November 14, 1995. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

Will those who think of Billy today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by his loving brothers Michael and Tommy and sister Marie).

DONNELLY — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of John Donnelly, 12 Keating Street, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at this time.
Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by Mary, Breda, Kay, Patricia and families).



DRUMMY — Twenty-first Anniversary — In loving memory of Margaret Drummy, late of 38, Congress Villas, Dungarvan who died on November 8, 1986. R.I.P. No special day is needed.

For us to think of you,
For you were someone special,
And we thought the world of you.
God called your name so softly,
That only you could hear,
And no one heard his footsteps,
Of angels drawing near.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.
You are always close beside us,
In everything we do,
You were our greatest treasure,
God's gift to us was you.
(Always loved and never forgotten by your loving husband Jimmy, son Michael and daughter Margaret).

DRUMMY — Twenty-first Anniversary — In loving memory of my cousin Margaret (Peggy), late of 38 Congress Villas whose anniversary occurs at this time.

As I look upon your picture,
Sweet memories I recall,
Of a face so full of sunshine,
And a smile for one and all,
Sweet Jesus, take this message,
To my cousin up above,
Tell her how much I miss her,
And give her all my love.
(Always remembered Peggy by Josie).



DUGGAN — Twenty-fifth and Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear parents, Bridget Duggan who died on 11th November, 1982 and Michael Duggan who died on 13th December, 1994. R.I.P. So close to my heart, Each day of the year, I will always have memories, To cherish and hold, Of a wonderful Mum and Dad more precious than gold.
(Always loved and remembered by Mary, Jackey and family XXX).



HYSLOP — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Hyslop, late of Murphy Place, Abbeyside, whose anniversary occurs about this time.

Our lives go on without you,
But things are not the same,
It's hard to hide the heartache,
When someone speaks your name,
The light at home stopped shining,
The day God called you home,
Part of us went with you,
You did not go alone,
If tears could build a stairway,
And memories a lane,
We would walk right up to heaven,
And bring you home again.
(Sadly missed by your father Danny, son Jake, sisters Christine and Anna and brother Timmy).

HYSLOP — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear niece Mary Hyslop, late of 30 Murphy Place, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs on 17 November.

There is always a face before us,
A voice we'd love to hear,
A smile we always remember,
Of a niece we loved so dear,
We never asked for miracles,
But today just one will do,
To have the door open,
And see you walking through,
A date that's filled with sadness,
Returns to us today,
To mark the day you left us,
In such a sudden way,
No sad farewells were spoken,
No time to say goodbye,
You were gone before we knew it,
And only God knows why.
(Always remembered, never forgotten your aunts Myra, Margaret, Rose and Theresa and all their families).



HORGAN — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother Noreen Horgan, Garryduff, Colligan who died on November 20th, 2004. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, 17th November at 7.30 pm in St. Ann's Church, Colligan. A smile for all, a heart of gold, One of the best this world could hold, Never selfish, always kind, What wonderful memories, You left behind.
(Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by Diarmuid and family).



KELLY — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mrs. Kate Kelly (nee Tobin), Ballyreilly, Ring and London whose anniversary occurs on November 17th. Happy memories last forever, Of days when we were all together, Each one of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today, Quietly today your memory we treasure, Loving you always, forgetting you never. Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Fondly remembered by her daughter Margaret, Pat, Alana, Erin and Patrick).

KIRBY — Thirty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear Mam and Nan, Alice Kirby, late of Coolydoo, Ballyduff who died on 16 November, 1975. R.I.P. Masses offered.
We think of you with love today,
But that is nothing new,
We thought about you yesterday,
And the day before that too,
We think of you in silence,
We often speak your name,
We have lots of memories,
And your picture in a frame,
We will think of you tomorrow,
As we will our whole lives through,
For the day we laid to rest you,
Is the day we will be with you.
(Sadly missed and always remembered by your sons, daughters and their families at home and abroad).



LEAHY — Fiftieth Anniversary — In loving memory of Brigid Leahy (nee Walsh), Parkdola, Tallow who died on 19th November, 1957. As time goes on without you, And days turn into years, They hold a thousand memories, And a million silent tears, You showed love and kindness, You showed us how to care, You bound us all together, With a love few families share, Someday we will meet again, Where sorrow is unknown, We will fold our arms around you, And tell you we've come home.
(From her loving daughter Kathleen, sons John and Paddy).

IN MEMORIAMIS



MACKEY — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Con Mackey, late of Ring, Dungarvan, who died on November 21, 1988.
I lost my life's companion,
A life linked with my own,
And day by day I pray for you,
And I walk through life alone.
The house you left is lonely now,
And I am lonely too,
Those left behind are good and kind,
But none replaces you.
To me you were so special,
What more is there to say,
Except I wish with all my heart,
That you were here today.
(Always remembered by loving wife, Mary).

MACKEY — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Con Mackey, late of Ring, Dungarvan, who died on November 21, 1988.

I'm proud I was your daughter,
I thought the world of you,
To me you were someone special,
You know I always loved you.
If I could visit heaven,
On this my saddest day,
Maybe for a moment,
The pain would go away.
I'd put my arms around you, dad,
And say those words so true,
My life has been so empty,
Since the day I lost you.
(Always remembered — Gretta and Guy).

Little angels dressed in white,
Kiss our granddad, hold him tight.
(From all his grandchildren).

MACKEY — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Con Mackey, late of Ring, Dungarvan who died on November 21, 1988.

MACKEY
He was a father so very rare,
Content in his home and always there,
On earth he toiled in heaven he rests,
God bless you Dad you were one of the best.
The blow was hard the shock severe,
To part with a Dad I loved so dear,
My loss was great I will not complain,
But trust in God we will meet again.
Missed and never forgotten by your son Gerard).

MACKEY — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Con Mackey, late of Ring, Dungarvan, who died on November 21, 1988.
These last nineteen years without you Dad,

Are the saddest we have known,
We treasure every thought of you,
When we are all alone,
We went to tell you something,
So there won't be any doubt,
You are so wonderful to think of,
But so hard to be without.
(Never forgotten — daughter Kathleen, son-in-law Tony).

MERNIN — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Mae Mernin, late of Villierstown whose anniversary occurs on November 16.

MAM
When the emptiness of missing you,
Is more than I can bare,
I whisper Mam, I love you,
And always find you there.
For you left behind your spirit,
It guides me like a light,
Your gentleness surrounds me,
To be with me all my life.
When sickness came upon you, Mam,
You took it in your stride,
You fought with courage and dignity,
Until the day you died.
You were a very special person,
A friend to one and all,
But to me you were my Mam,
The greatest gift of all.
(Sadly missed and always remembered by your daughter Rita, son-in-law Michael and family).



MERNIN — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Mae Mernin, late of Villierstown who died on November 16, 1998.
Masses offered.
With tears I saw you sinking, Mam,
I watched you fade away,
And though my heart was breaking,
I knew you could not stay.
You fought your battle with courage,
Your illness you tried to hide,
I will always remember those last few years,
I was glad to be by your side.
You passed through heaven's gate that day,
God called you to his side,
The sickness you suffered ended, Mam,
And you lost your fight with pride.
(Remembered always with love by your daughter Marie, son-in-law Ned and family).

MERNIN — Ninth Anniversary — Cherished memories of my loving mother, Mae Mernin, late of Villierstown whose anniversary occurs on November 16.

Away in the beautiful land, with God,
In a valley of peace so fair,
Some day, some time, dear Mam,
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 Mam, you will live forever.
(Remembered today and always with love by your son Noel, daughter-in-law Eilish, Australia)

MULCAHY — Fifteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father Michael Mulcahy late of 4 Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on November 14th, 1992.

A bouquet of beautiful memories,
Sprayed with a million tears,
Wishing God could have spared you,
If just for a few more years.
Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
(Never forgotten by Joe, Tony, Mary, daughters-in-law, son-in-law, grandchildren and greatgrandchild Jamie).



McGRATH — Forty-third Anniversary — Cherished memories of our dear mother Mollie McGrath (née Atkins) late of 6 Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on November 18, 1964. R.I.P.
Masses offered.
What we would give if we could say,
We will go and see our mother today,
To hear her voice and see her smile,
To sit and chat with her awhile,
A silent prayer to keep in touch,
With the Mam we love and miss so much.
(Missing you and loving you always, from your sons Pat and Ramie and families, grandchildren and great grandchildren at home and away).



McGRATH — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear Nana, Nellie McGrath, late of Camphire, Cappoquin who died on November 14, 2005.
A million words could not say,
How much we miss you, Nan, everyday,
But beautiful memories are all we have left,
Of a Nan we loved and will never forget.
(Love always and forever — your grandchildren Mags, Paula, Sandie, Pa and greatgranddaughter Ella XXX).

God looked around his garden,
And found an empty place,
He then looked down upon the earth,
And saw your tired face,
He put his arms around you,
And lifted you to rest,
God's garden must be beautiful,
He always takes the best.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.
(Always remembered and missed by your son John-Joe and Sarah XXX).



POWER — Twelfth Anniversary — In loving memory of Edward Power, Upper Knockyellan, Leamybrien, whose anniversary occurs on November 4, 1995.
Will those who think of Edward today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
(Always remembered by brother James and sister Mary, nieces and nephews, relatives and friends).



SCANLON — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear husband Willie, late of Gortnapeeka, Ballyduff Upper who died on November 17th, 2000.
In heaven you rest,
No worry no pain,
In God's own time,
We'll meet again.
(Always remembered by your wife Nonie).

SCANLON — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of a wonderful father and grandfather Willie, late of Gortnapeeka, Ballyduff Upper who died on November 17, 2000. R.I.P.
Like falling leaves the years go by,
But memories of you will never die,
Sunshine passes, shadows fall,
But memories of you outlast them all.
(Never forgotten by your loving daughter Nellie, Gerard, Noreen, Gerry and Helen).



TUTTY — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear aunt Mary Tutty (nee Crotty), late of Cois Tra, Dungarvan who died on November 18th.
If tears could build a stairway,
And memories a lane,
I'd walk right up to heaven,
And bring you home again.
(Always remembered by your loving nephew Pat, Bridget and boys xxx).



WALL — In loving memory of Tessie Wall, whose second anniversary occurs on 15th November. Mass at 9.30 am in St. Mary's Parish Church.
I hold you close within my heart,
And there you shall remain,
To walk with me throughout my life,
Until we meet again,
So rest in peace dear loved one,
And thanks for all you've done,
I pray that God has given you,
The crown you've truly won.
(Gone but never forgotten Tessie — your loving husband Matt XXX).

WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Tessie Wall, whose second anniversary occurs on 15 November. Mass at 9.30 am in St. Mary's Parish Church.
Lonely is the home without you,
Life to us is not the same,
All the world would be like heaven,
If we could have you back again,
What she suffered she told but few,
She did not deserve what she went through,
Tired and weary Mam you made no fuss,
But you tried so hard to stay with us,
(Loved and remembered always Mam, not just today, missed very much love from daughter Tina, grandsons Peter, Colin, Darren, Dale, granddaughter Michelle).



WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear mother, Teresa Wall, late of Killongford whose anniversary occurs on November 15th.

Today is your anniversary, Mum,
No words could ever say,
How we love and miss you,
More and more each day.
You always had a smile to share,
Time to give, time to care,
Someone to talk to, loving and true,
One in a million, Mum, that was you.
(Lovingly remembered by your daughter Susan and son-in-law Johnny).

NANNY
A special day, another year,
A loving thought, a silent tear,
A little prayer to keep in touch,
Just to say I miss you so much.
(Always loved and remembered by granddaughter Sherree and grandson Kieran XX).



WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Teresa Wall, late of Killongford whose anniversary occurs on November 15.
Along the road to yesterday,
That leads us straight to you,
Are memories of happy days,
Together we once knew,
The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one we loved so dear,
Our loss is great, we'll not complain,
But trust in God to meet again.
(Always remembered by Ann and all the family).



WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Tessie Wall, late of Killongford whose anniversary occurs on November 15th.
If I could have one single wish,
And never have another,
It would simply be to have one hour,
And spend it with my mother,
I'd simply sit and hold your hand,
And we'd have a cup of tea,
No one else would be there,
There'd just be you and me,
We'd talk about the old times,
We'd laugh and reminisce,
And just before you left me,
I'd give your cheek a kiss.
(Always remembered by Monica, John and children).

WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Tessie Wall, whose second anniversary occurs on 15 November.
The happy days we once suffered,
How sweet their memory still,
But death has left a vacant place,
This world will never fill,
Love always Mam,
From your son Ben, daughter Trisha, granddaughters Emily, Hannah, Hilary, grandsons Charles and Robert).

WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Tessie Wall, whose second anniversary occurs on 15 November.
At night the silent stars look down,
On a grave not far from here,
Where sleeps the Mam we can't forget,
And will always love so dear.
(Love always Mam, from your son Tony, daughter-in-law Eileen, granddaughters Marcella, Bernie, Karen, Aisling and our great grandchildren).

WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Teresa Wall, late of Killongford whose anniversary occurs on November 15.
A thousand words won't bring you back,
We know because we've tried,
Neither will a million tears,
We know because we've cried,
Sometimes we think we're dreaming,
We cannot believe it is true,
That we can go on living,
Not that we no longer have you.
(Always remembered by her son Brian, grandson Keith and granddaughter Melissa).

WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Theresa Wall, whose anniversary occurs on 15 November.

My heart can feel so many things,
That words can never say,
The sadness that this day brings,
Will never go away,
How often do I think of you,
Wishing you were here,
How often do I reminisce,
And shed a silent tear,
Time may hide the sadness,
Like the smile that hides my tears,
But special memories hold us close.
As long as I live I will always be glad,
For a wonderful mother I was lucky to have.
Too dearly loved to be forgotten,
(Loved always by your son Killian and grandchildren Christopher, Kieran and Deary).

WHITE — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Maura White, Graigue, Stradbally who died on November 10, 1998.

I am with you always,
When I am gone, release me, let me go,
I have so many things to see and do,
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears,
Be happy that we had so many years,
I gave you my love and can only guess,
How much you gave me in happiness,
I thank you for the love you have shown,
But now it's time I travelled alone,
So grieve a while for me if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted by trust,
It's only for a while that we must part,
So bless the memories within your heart,
I won't be far away for life goes on,
So if you need me call and I will come,
Though you can't see or touch me,
I'll be near,
And if you listen with your heart you'll hear,
All my love around you soft and clear,
And then, when you must come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile and say,
"Welcome Home".
(Always loved and never forgotten by your husband Jimmy and son Gerard).

WHITE — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Maura White, Graigue, Stradbally, who died November 10, 1998.

We remember a smile we would love to see,
And a hand we would love to touch,
We remember a voice we would love to hear,
And a mother we miss so much,
You always had a smile to share,
A laugh, a joke, time to care,
A wonderful nature, warm and true,
These are the memories we have of you,
As time goes by without you,
And days turn into years,
They hold a thousand memories,
And a million silent tears,
Our lives have changed in many ways,
Since we were all together,
But memories of those happy days,
Will live with us forever,
Our wish is just a simple prayer,
God bless and keep you in his care,
Those we love don't go away,
They walk beside us everyday.
(Always loved and never forgotten by your loving son Maurice, daughter-in-law Jackie and grandson Darragh and granddaughter Leah).

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IN MEMORIAMs



WALSH — First Anniversary — In loving memory of William Walsh, late of Coolnagour, Dungarvan and Sandyford, Dublin whose anniversary occurs on November 16th. A day to remember, sad to recall, Without farewell you left us all, Your name is often mentioned, Our thoughts are with you still, You haven't been forgotten What's more you never will. (Always loved and remembered by brothers and sisters, nieces and nephews).



WHELAN — In loving memory of a dear friend Willie Whelan, late of Childers Est., Dungarvan whose second anniversary occurs on the 7th November. **WILLIE**
Along the road of suffering,
You found a little lane,
That took you up to heaven,
And ended all your pain,
You maybe out of sight,
We may be worlds apart,
But you are always in our prayers,
And forever in our hearts.
(Always missed and forever loved your friends Tomás, Mary-Kate, Sophie, Rachel and Baby T.J. XXXX).

MONTH'S MIND MASS

**LATE SR. ROSARIO
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Month's Mind Mass for the late Sr. Rosario McNamara will take place this coming Friday, November 16th at 7.30 pm in the Friary Church.

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Birthday Remembrances



DUNNE — Birthday Remembrance of the late Christy Dunne, 38, Silversprings, Dungarvan. Mass at Hospital Chapel on Friday, November 16 at 10 a.m.
A special day, another year,
A loving thought, a silent tear,
A little prayer to keep in touch,
With one we loved and miss so much.
(Always loved and remembered by wife Theresa, children and grandchildren).



POWER — Birthday Remembrance of my dear brother Finbarr Power, 27 Childers Est., Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on Friday, 17 November.
You left us so suddenly,
Your last thoughts unknown,
You left us a memory,
We are proud to own,
We cannot forget you,
We don't even try,
Your memory still lingers,
As time passes by,
Missing you Finbarr is a heart-ache,
That never goes away,
Precious memories, tears unseen,
Wishing your absence was only a dream,
You have crossed the flowing river,
To the shores of evergreen,
We would dearly love to see you Finbarr,
But the river flows between,
Away on a beautiful hillside,
Free from sorrow and pain,
Someday we will go to meet you,
And find you waiting there,
We will know your voice among the crowd,
And your loving smile of old,
And our hands will meet on God's own street,
And never more unfold.
(Always loved and sadly missed from your loving sister Emily and Garret XXX, you are always in my thoughts).

POWER — Birthday Remembrance of my special brother Finbarr Power whose 27 birthday occurs on the 17 November.

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

God bless you Finbarr, we miss you so much, love you always your brother Killian, your friend Anne and your niece Amy and nephew Michael XXXX).

POWER — Birthday Remembrance of my special brother Finbarr Power, 27 Childers Est., Dungarvan whose 27 birthday occurs on 17 November. The saddest thing in the world to bear,

Is to want your brother and he's not there,
So with a sad heart I whisper low,
God bless you Finbarr I love you so,

I did not see you close your eyes,
I did not see you die,
All I heard was you were gone,
Without a last goodbye,
As long as I live I will always be glad,
For the wonderful brother,
I was so lucky to have,
Finbarr your memory is like the heart of a rose,
The older it gets the sweeter it grows,

Love you always, miss you your sister Jane, friend John Paul and your little niece Kellie XXX).



POWER — Birthday Remembrance of our lovely son Finbarr Power, 27 Childers Est., Dungarvan whose 27th birthday occurs on Friday, 17th November.

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

UNCLE
Little Angels robed in white,
Give our uncle a kiss goodnight.
(Love Kellie, Amy and Michael).

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And find you waiting there,
We will know your voice among the crowd,
And your loving smile of old,
And our hands will meet on God's own street,
And never more unfold.
(Always loved and sadly missed from your loving sister Emily and Garret XXX, you are always in my thoughts).



PRESTON — Birthday Remembrance of Bridget (Birdie) Preston, of 31 Glendine Drive, Abbeyside whose birthday occurs on 19th November.
A heart of gold, a life so true,
Loved and remembered by all she knew,
Always willing, helpful and kind,
What beautiful memories she left behind.
(Loved and always remembered by husband Peter, son Kevin, Rita and family).



POWER — Birthday Remembrance of our lovely son Finbarr Power, 27 Childers Est., Dungarvan whose 27th birthday occurs on Friday, 17th November.

There's a special person in Heaven,
So special and so rare,
That person is our son,
The best beyond compare,
In our world full of memories,
You filled our hearts with joy,
We will never walk alone,
You are always by our side,
You left us lovely memories,
That make us laugh and cry,
The time we had together,
No millionaire could buy,
It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone,
For part of us went with you,
When God called you home,
We seldom ask for miracles,
But today one would do,
Is have the front door open,
And see you walk through,
(You will always be our lovely Gentle Giant).
(Love you always Mam and Dad XXX).

POWER — Birthday Remembrance for Finbarr Power, Childers Est., Dungarvan whose birthday occurs on 17 November.

Today we send a dove to heaven,
With a parcel on its wings,
Be careful when you open it,
It's full of loving things,
Inside are lots of kisses,
Wrapped up in lots of hugs,
To tell you that we miss you,
And send you all our love.
(Pigeon and Kerry).

THE MIRACULOUS PRAYER —

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

NOVENA TO SACRED HEART

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

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Acknowledgment

LATE PEGGY WHELAN (NÉE HOGAN) Ballyduff, Dungarvan

The family of the late Peggy Whelan wish to express their sincere thanks to everyone who sympathised with them on their recent sad loss. Those who attended rosary, removal Mass and burial. Those who travelled long distances, those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes. We would like to send a special thank you to Dr. Maurice O'Sullivan and staff at High Street Medical Centre, also to the Home Care Nurses for their wonderful care during Mam's illness. Thank you to Canon O'Mahony P.P., Fr. Condon P.P., Fr. Lucey P.P. and Fr. Cooney. Thank you to Mags Wall, Step Above, to Declan and Aine Aherne, Tudor House. Thank you to Lorna Daly for her beautiful singing during the interment Mass. We would like to thank Tom and James Drohan, Funeral Directors for their professionalism, attention and assistance. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions. Months Mind Mass will take place on Sunday, 18th November at 12 o'clock in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan.

LATE BRIDGET ROCHE (NÉE COFFEY) Ballinahila, Bonmahon

John, Carmel, Joseph and Patrick, the sons and daughter of our dear mother Bridget (nee Coffey), late of Ballinahila, Bonmahon, Co. Waterford together with daughters-in-law, grandchildren and great grandchildren, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised and supported us in our recent sad bereavement. Those who called personally to the house, attended the Rosary, Removal, Funeral Mass and burial, especially those who travelled long distances providing great comfort with their presence. Also those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, perpetual enrolments, telephone messages, floral tributes and telegrams. Sincere gratitude to the priests who officiated at the removal and concelebrated requiem Mass. Particular thanks is extended to Mammy's dear niece Alice, who travelled a great distance to share her grief with us for her dear departed auntie Bid. Thanks to the soloist, undertaker, Chapel woman, Altar servers and gravediggers. As it would be impossible to thank everybody individually, we trust that this will be accepted by all as a token of our sincere gratitude. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for the intentions of all.

LATE HAZEL WADHAM 10, Glenside, Cappoquin

Her family wish to thank priests, the doctor and nurses from Cappoquin surgery, the doctors and all nursing staff at the Waterford Regional Hospital for all their skillful attention during Hazel's illness. Her home help, Sheila and husband Paddy for their kindness shown to her. Brother Bruce who was her companion and general helper around the home. We will all sadly miss dearest Hazel until hopefully we will meet again in God's eternal home. R.I.P.

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NOVENA TO ST. CLARE —

Ask for three favours, one business, two impossible and say 9 Hail Mary's before a lighted candle for nine days. Promise publication, pray whether you believe or not. Publish on the 9th day. Thank you to St. Clare, St. Pio, St. Theresa and the miraculous prayer for favours received. H.M.B.

PRAYER TO SAINT TERESE

Little Therese, Little Therese,
I come with a whispered prayer,
Little Therese, Little Therese,
Have you a rose to spare?
No pale bud do I ask of you,
But a bloom that is wondrous fair,
Little Therese, Little Therese,
Have you a rose to spare?
Too little your hands, to hold them all,
You are dropping them everywhere,
That beautiful one near your heart,
Have you that rose to spare,
Ah yes, I know for your loves dear sake,
Thorns were your hoarded share,
Sometimes though, you asked your love,
Had He a rose to spare?
What do you whisper "Little Therese",
As you smile from your picture there,
Have you but thorny stems for me,
Have you no rose to spare?
Then teach me like you to prize the thorns,
With their healing hidden cure,
And I shall be glad, because for me,
You had truly a rose to spare,
Memorable to Little Flower,
Remember O most gracious Little Rose Queen,
Your promise of never leaving any request made to you unanswered,
Full of confidence of your power,
With the Sacred Heart of Jesus,
I implore your intercession on my behalf,
And beg of you to obtain the rose,
I so ardently ask and desire.

NOVENA TO SACRED HEART —

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

A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN

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

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The European Central Bank (ECB) Keeps Interest Rates Steady

The European Central Bank has left its main interest rate unchanged at 4.00%.

The decision, taken at the governing council's meeting in Frankfurt, came as no surprise due to the continued turmoil in financial markets. The euro this week rose to a new record of more than \$1.47 against the US dollar.

After announcing it was keeping interest rates on hold yesterday, the ECB said there was a risk inflation across the eurozone would remain above its target of 2%.

In a speech accompanying the announcement, ECB president Jean Claude Trichet said that that brutal exchange rate moves were never good for the world economy. He added that the ECB will continue to monitor all developments 'very closely' and, as always, will act in a 'firm and timely manner' to ensure price stability.

Over in the UK, the Bank of England also kept its key interest rate at 5.75% for a fourth consecutive month, also as expected.

Meanwhile, US Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke said that the US economy has remained resilient in the face of credit market strains but faces risks on both the growth and inflation fronts.

"Sharp increases in crude oil prices have put renewed upward pressure on inflation and may impose further restraint on economic activity," Mr Bernanke told the congressional Joint Economic Committee.

Some economists now believe that we are at the peak in interest rates in the eurozone and that the next rate fluctuation could in fact be a downward move, following on from recent moves in the USA.

This is very good news for home owners as they have seen 8 increases over the last two years in interest rates which has made mortgages more expensive. It is also good news for first time buyers as mortgage lenders will be able to lend that bit more to them as they try to get on the property ladder for the first time.

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Poetry and Social Life in Traditional Ireland

A lecture by Dáithí Ó hÓgáin

Waterford County Museum are delighted that Dr. Ó hÓgáin has agreed to deliver an illustrated lecture on 'Poetry and social life in Traditional Ireland. Poetry has always been an important aspect of Irish history and folklore in this country, and Professor Ó hÓgáin is Ireland's leading specialist in this particular field. For those who saw or indeed missed him at the Féile na nDéise, this is your opportunity to be lifted from your present environment and transported into a world of wonder.

He who goes on a long journey,
before he reaches the head of the course
will meet a stranger on the road ...
The stranger moves faster,
more intensely, his knife
cuts through reefs and realms of paper
on its journey straight through life.
So one enquires of the stranger
who he is or whence he came,
and the question and answer
are always the same.
The question is the answer,
alike to the traveller ...
In the answer lurks danger,
a smooth-moving stranger.

(From his book 'Footsteps from another world')

Dáithí Ó hÓgáin is associate professor of Irish Folklore at University College Dublin and one of Ireland's leading writers. Born in Bruff, Co Limerick, he is the author of six poetry collections, three collections of short stories, eight research books and numerous articles on literature, folklore, history and lexicography, writing in both English and Irish. He has lectured and read poetry throughout Ireland and Europe. In 1987 he played a leading role in the drafting of the Unesco recommendations on the safeguarding of world folklore and in 1994 was co-founder of the European Centre for Traditional Culture in Budapest. His poetry draws on his extensive knowledge of Irish literary and folk tradition and is both mystical and realistic.

This is an opportunity for scholars and student alike. The lecture takes place at the Park Hotel Dungarvan on Wednesday 21 November at 8pm and as always 'All are welcome'

Colaiste Chathail Naofa

GRADUATION NIGHT

The much looked forward to graduation night for the class of 2007 will take place on Friday night the 16th November in the Park Hotel at 8 pm. Preparations for the night are well underway and upwards on 300 people are expected to be present to see their family members receiving their scrolls in their graduation gowns and hats. It is a night of great pride and sense of achievement and one which the college is very proud of.

PARENT TEACHER MEETING

A Parent Teacher meeting for exam classes will take place on Thursday, 15th November. All parents are expected to attend to hear at first hand how well their children are progressing at their studies.

TRIP TO OLD TRAFFORD

Our P.E. teachers along with our new drawing teacher Mr. O'Brien accompanied our students on a trip to Old Trafford for the match against Dynamo Kiev. Seeing that our students are fanatical Manchester United fans, I'm sure they were elated with the 4-0 result. A full report on this trip will be given in the next issue.

CAREERS

Senior cycle and Post Leaving Cert students recently had the opportunity to attend the Dungarvan School's Careers Exhibition. This event, which is organised by the four secondary schools in Dungarvan took place in the Sports Centre.

This proved to be an excellent venue for the many exhibitors which attended including many universities, Institutes of Technology and Further Education Colleges from around the country as well as organisations such as Fáilte Ireland, The Defence Forces and an Garda Síochána. The exhibition offered students the opportunity to gather information and ask relevant questions at the various stands with regard to their various career interests.

Many thanks to all the secondary schools that supported the event as well as to the exhibitors who attended. A special word of thanks must go to all the staff at the Sports Centre, particularly Danny McGrath, whose help was invaluable.

FIRST YEAR SCHOOL MASS

Once again the school organised a Mass for the new First Year Class to welcome them to the school.

Fr. Paul Waldron, the Chaplain, said the Mass which was held in the school Library. Fr. Waldron welcomed all of the new students and wished them well in their new school.

Thanks to all of the students who volunteered to read the prayers during the ceremony. Thanks also to Ms. Dunford who organised the music and arranged the room for the ceremony.

TRIP TO CO. CLARE

Currently 6th year L.C.A. Hotel Catering and Tourism students are undertaking a Tourism Module, one of the key assignments that they must do is to visit a tourist attraction. The students decided to visit the Cliffs of Moher, the Burren and the Ailwee Caves. On the 11th October these students accompanied by Ms. Dunphy (Home Economics Teacher) and Sharon Maher (S.N.A.) headed to Co. Clare to visit these unique tourist attractions. The bus set off at 8 o'clock sharp and students enjoyed the journey on the bus by



GERRY HARRINGTON PRESENTS PORTRAIT OF ST. CATHALDUS — Pictured here is Gerry Harrington, Farnane, Cappagh, presenting his painting of St. Cathaldus, the patron saint of Colaiste Chathail Naofa, Dungarvan. Gerry has commenced his Art course at Crawford College of Art having obtained the maximum of 600 points for his entry portfolio. Gerry is a past pupil of Colaiste Chathail Naofa and a graduate of the Art, Craft and Design course at Colaiste Chathail Naofa. Also in the photograph is Mr. Danny Cunningham, Art Tutor, Mr. Pat Buckley Principal; Mrs. Moira Dunford, Deputy Principal and Fr. Paul Waldron, College Chaplain.

entertaining themselves with a good old sing song!! The first stop off was the Cliffs of Moher, unfortunately it was a misty day so the view was affected. However this did not disappoint the students as they got to experience the virtual reality view of the Cliffs of Moher in the visitors centre, which was definitely an opportunity not to be missed. Then the bus drove through the Burren whereby students got to see the sculpted limestone pavements in the rocks. Everyone was amazed by these features in the rocks. Then we arrived at Ballyvaughan, where the biggest cave of the Burren is, which is the Aillwee Cave which was well worth the visit. Students got a guided tour around the cave and saw animals remains, waterfalls and numerous cave formations. There was plenty of screams when the tour guide turned off the lights in the caves. Then the bus headed to Limerick where students got a bite to eat and had time for some shopping. The students enjoyed a relaxing trip home on the bus after their long adventure, a great day was had by all.

CLARA FRAHER AND RICHARD WALSH BOXING MATCH

On the 13th October at 8 o'clock in Lawlor's Hotel two of our students were boxing in the Peter Crotty Annual Memorial Tournament where Birmingham City Boxing Club were taking on Dungarvan Boxing Club. Clara and Richard had great support from family, classmates and teachers. The cheers were electric when the two contestants stepped into the ring for their match. Clara Fraher, a 6th year student who is the Captain of the Munster team was boxing Deirdre Walsh from St. Michael's in Athy. Clara had three impressive rounds and won her match. She also won in the Peter Crotty Annual Memorial trophy as the most impressive boxer of the night. Clara is definitely making a name for herself in the boxing circles. Richard Walsh a 2nd year student was boxing James Melvin from Birmingham City Boxing Club. Richard put up a great fight especially in his final round but unfortunately he lost his match. Sarah Keohan (5th year), Amy Keohan (3rd Year), Maurice Connors (3rd Year) and Clodagh Beehan (2nd Year) are

all members of Dungarvan Boxing Club. They put in great work as they helped to set up the room and the ring as well as selling tickets for the raffle. These students will be boxing soon so keep an eye out for them.

STUDENT AND TEACHER ENTERPRISE DAY

On the 1st of October 5th L.C.V.P. and 5th L.C.A. students attended the Student and Teacher Enterprise Day run by the Waterford County Enterprise Board in Clonea Hotel. These students were accompanied by Ms. Dunphy (5th L.C.A. Enterprise Teacher), Ms. O'Driscoll (5th L.C.V.P. Enterprise Teacher) and Deirdre Collander (S.N.A.). The students learned all about exciting ways to set up a business. The presentations given by various entrepreneurs gave students valuable information in giving advice in the setting up of their business as well as helping students to come up with a good business idea and providing practical advice on marketing. Students particularly enjoyed the workshop where they took part in a workshop on Marketing. We wish all the Colaiste enterprise students the best of luck in their enterprises.

BEAUTY THERAPY

We would like to congratulate our students who are about to graduate from the Beauty Therapy Course. They all did

really well in their recent examinations. They sat examinations in I.T.E.C. diplomas in Body Treatments, Electrolysis, Aromatherapy and Spa Treatments. I.T.E.C. is an internationally accredited awarding body. They only award distinctions to students who achieve 90% or higher in both the practical and theory sections of an examination.

In the Body Treatments Diploma there were only five distinctions awarded in the whole of Ireland. Two of these went to Colaiste Chathail Naofa and were achieved by Brigid Walsh and Maria Celisse. Three of our students achieved distinctions in Electrolysis - Una Kirwan, Claire Kett and Brigid Walsh and four students achieved distinctions in Spa Treatments - Katrina Foley, Una Kirwan, Claire Kett and Maria Celisse.

We are very proud of all our graduates who worked hard throughout their two years with us. We wish them success in their careers. These students are at the forefront of our drive to prepare students to meet the high standards necessary of today's demanding beauty industry. Towards this end, Colaiste Chathail Naofa has recently completed a purpose built premises to meet the highest standards demanded by the new European recognised government standards.

Vote Of Congratulations For Senior Football Champions

By Kevin Kirrane

At the November meeting of Waterford County Council, Sinn Féin councillor, Brendan Mansfield proposed a vote of congratulations to his local club Abbeyside/Ballinacourty on winning the County Senior Football title.

"It is 26 years since Ballinacourty last captured the senior county title," Cllr. Mansfield said.

"How important this victory is to the people of the 'Village' was quite clear to be seen by the amount of people that turned out on Sunday night to welcome the team and cup, as it was ceremoniously carried over the Bridge." Cllr. Mansfield also proposed votes of congratulation to Ballyduff Upper on winning the Senior Hurling title, Ballysaggart and Abbeyside on winning Junior Hurling titles and the Nire on winning a County Minor Football Final.

Fine Gael councillor, Damien Geoghegan, who is also Mayor of Dungarvan, also congratulated Ballinacourty on their great win. He said it was due reward for all the work they had done at underage levels, which was now coming to fruition.

Cappoquin Notes

RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C.

U12's S.F.A.I Cup

Poor Start Costs Railway

RAILWAY ATHLETIC 1 - CARRICK 4

Our U12 side hosted the league leaders Carrick Utd in the second round of the S.F.A.I. Cup on Saturday and ended up on the wrong side of a four one result. Carrick showed just why they are top of the A League with great strength and power that just blew Railway away in the opening fifteen minutes.

We got off to the worst possible start when a mix up in front of goal allowed the Carrick centre forward to tap into an empty net after only two minutes. We never seemed to get the ball down, and rushed everything. After fifteen minutes Carrick doubled their advantage when their centre midfielder scored a wonder goal from thirty yards out, giving Kenny no chance in the Railway goal. We settled down after this and started to get our game going. We began to put Carrick on the back foot but couldn't break down a resolute defence. Just on the stroke of half time Carrick got a fortunate third goal to almost make sure of the result.

It was a very different Railway side that took to the pitch in the second half. From the off we put Carrick under a lot of pressure. Great work by Molumby and Deevy released O'Hanlon down the right, resulting in a free kick, which O'Hanlon took quickly; the cross was headed home by the in rushing Liam Allen for a very good goal. We really had the visitors under pressure now and came close on a couple of occasions when McNamara and Dwyer had efforts go narrowly wide. Just on the stroke of full time with Railway pushing for another goal Carrick scored with a blistering counter attack and that was that!

It was an excellent second half from a young Railway side and when we get back to league action this game will have stood the lads in good stead.

TEAM: Shane Kenny, Gavin McCarthy, Rian Reddy, Tom O'Hanlon, Aidan Dwyer (Capt), Darragh O'Shea, Aaron O'Sullivan, Liam O'Gorman, Kain Dickenson, Andy Molumby, Gary McNamara.

RES: Gavin Deevy for Dickenson; Liam Allan for O'Gorman; Craig Dunne for Molumby; Sean Cullinane for Sullivan, Elvis Conway, Corey Devennie, Brian Murphy.

CHALLENGE MATCH RAILWAY U11'S V BALLINROAD

Our under 11 side hosted Ballinroad in a challenge on Saturday afternoon and came away with a win by the odd goal in five. This was a great workout for our young lads and we would like to thank Ballinroad for travelling up. We will be returning the favour in the next week or two. Railway scorers were Andy Molumby 2 and Liam Allen 1.

TEAM: Liam O'Gorman, Glenn Curtin, Jack Morgan, Corey Devennie, Sean Cullinane, Jayson Molumby, Liam Allen, Eamon Power, Craig Bray, Bran Murphy (Capt), Elvis Conway.

RES: All used. Andy Molumby, Aaron O'Sullivan, Rian Reddy, Darragh O'Shea, Craig Dunne, Gavin Deevy, Kain Dickenson.

CLUB LOTTO

Once again no winner of this weeks lotto. The numbers were 6-9-21. It is now getting to be a very nice prize indeed, wouldn't it be lovely to win E5,600 just before Christmas! Only three numbers and you could win or share this fantastic jackpot.

The consolation prize winners were: Clair Reddy, Riverglenn; Maureen Arrigan, Villierstown; Gary Hurley, Aglish.

Tickets can be purchased from any Committee Member or player.

SEAVIEW CELTIC DRAW

Best of luck to everyone who purchased ticket from the club for this seasons Seaview Celtic Draw. Hopefully on Saturday night next we will have a winner or two.

FIXTURES

On Saturday Morning next our U11's are at home to Ferrybank. All players to be at the pitch for 9.45am sharp.

Our U15 side travel to Kilmac for a league game. We will be leaving the pitch at 1.15 sharp.

CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER & BILLIARDS CLUB

MARKET HOUSE LEAGUE LADDER

After another weeks snooker we have finally got our quarter finalists for this years Market House League Ladder. A total of twenty-two games were played last week and now things are going to get very serious as everyone will now fancy their chances of claiming this season's title. Derek Cahill was the busiest player last week. Derek played a total of eleven games, winning five and losing six but still qualified for the knockout stages. Liam Whelan just got into the knockout stages when he just had enough in hand to beat Derek in the very last game with Eamonn Costin being just edged out.

Mike Doherty also had to dig deep to get through but did enough with two wins on Tuesday night to claim his place in the quarter finals. The full top eight who have made it through to the knockout stages of this seasons Market House League Ladder are:

	P	W	D	L	P	T
Stephen Power	20	16	13	33		
David Cahill	15	11	0	4	22	
Jamie Dalton	17	10	0	7	20	
Derek Cahill	18	8	0	10	16	
Rhiney Walsh	9	7	0	2	14	
Eddie Hickey	8	5	0	3	10	
Michael Doherty	12	3	1	8	7	
Liam Whelan	7	3	0	4	6	

Quarter Final Draw

The draw for this seasons Market House League Ladder quarter finals took place on Friday night last and it certainly has thrown up some very interesting encounters. All these games will take place this week

and are the best of three frames. The semi-finals and final are down for next week with the final to take place on Friday next November 23rd.

The Quarter Final draw is as follows:

David Cahill (+10) v Eddie Hickey (+3), Rhiney Walsh (+2) v Stephen Power (+15), Jamie Dalton (+15) v Michael Doherty (-15), Liam Whelan (+14) v Derek Cahill (+15).

Quarter Final Preview

Some of these games will now have been played by the time these notes go to press and we should be in for a great weeks snooker.

David Cahill v Eddie Hickey
Should be a very tight encounter. Last seasons champion Cahill will have to be at his best to beat Eddie who on his day can be a match for anyone. Amongst the balls they are both fine players so it is one that can go either way.

Rhiney Walsh v Stephen Power

During the league Stephen was in fantastic form only losing three of his twenty games played. However, Rhiney is one of the more seasoned pros and will not be found wanting in this one. I think Rhiney might scrape through.

Jamie Dalton v Michael Doherty

This should prove another close game. Jamie is probably playing more consistent at the moment and Dots is play well below par by his standards. However when it comes to knockout snooker Dots always seems to raise his game and this may just sway the

result in his favour.

Liam Whelan v Derek Cahill
Another junior player who is playing very well is Derek Cahill. Derek has been very consistent during the league but Liam beat him last week in the league and this will give him a big boost. A very close game that could go either way and it will go down to who can keep their nerve.

Night Duty Officers

Once again night duty officers have been doing a fantastic job ironing the tables and keeping the hall in tip top shape every night. The club are indebted to all the lads who give of their time to look after the hall every night. Officers for the coming week are as follows:

Thurs 15th Ray Curran and Robbie Allen; Fri 16th Liam Whelan and Martin Reddy; Mon 19th Conor O'Leary and Michael Casey; Tues 20th Rhiney Walsh and Brendan Walsh; Wed 21st Eamonn Costin and David Mason.

Mason Mortgages & Financial Services Doubles Tournament

The entry sheet is now up for the Mason Mortgages & Financial Services Doubles Tournament which is due to be drawn on Tuesday November 27th. Closing date for entries will be Monday 26th November at 10.30pm. Last season this proved to be a huge success and hopefully this season we will get another great tournament. The club is very grateful to Mark Mason and family for his continued sponsorship of this tournament.

HERITAGE GROUP NOTES

Gone to Print

Those who enjoyed our heritage publication, Cappoquin A Window on the Past, last Christmas, will probably be pleased to know that our book for this Christmas has gone to the printers at this point. This year's book has, if anything, involved even more thorough research work than last years and we hope the result will be an important contribution to preserving awareness of the heritage of Cappoquin and the surrounding areas. This year's book concentrates on the educational history of the area and is entitled At School by the River Bend. It features lots of information about the local schools, including a timeline of educational events going back some centuries and class lists of the students in some local schools exactly 100 years ago. On top of that, there are well over 200 photographs, dating from the late 19th century to roughly 1977. While many of the photographs have a Cappoquin theme, we have trawled the area

to find pictures from north of the river bend, such as Melleray, to as far south as Camphire and Aglish. The painstaking work that our research team has done, in gathering pictures and getting names on as many of the individuals in them as possible - running to thousands of names ultimately - has been quite incredible.

At School by the River Bend will have a maroon and light blue cover, symbolising the connection between the mountains and the Blackwater, and featuring shots of Melleray, Villierstown and Cappoquin schools. It will be launched at Cappoquin Community Centre on Saturday, December 1st next, at 8.30 PM, all going according to plan. Guests of honour at the launch will be illustrious past student of Cappoquin and Melleray, Monsignor Michael Olden, and illustrious former teacher in Cappoquin, Reverend Sister de Lourdes. We will give out more details of the launch in due course, and will put up

posters around the area in the coming week or so. Be assured that everyone is very, very welcome to what we hope will be an occasion to celebrate our educational heritage and meet old acquaintances into the bargain.

Footnote

For those of you who had not managed to get a copy of our first publication, Cappoquin: A Window on the Past, we have managed to locate a small number, eight to be exact, of outstanding copies. These can be bought at either Murray's or the Credit Union. After that, there are definitely no more available. We also hope to have the commencement of the erection of the heritage trail lecterns and remaining plaques in the coming weeks, so it's all systems go at present.

WEST WATERFORD DARTS

Last weeks results League Cup semi finals Red House 5 Tigh an Cheoil A 2, Log Cabin 4 Moloney's 5, Plate semi final was played on Monday between Deckie's and Tigh an Cheoil B 2. Winners play Old Mill in final. So League Cup final is between Red House and Moloney's. Game to be played in Morrissey's Bar, Cappoquin. Plate final between Old Mill and the winners of Deckies and Tigh an Cheoil game to be played in John Paul's. Next week the league starts. All clubs will get a fixture list and a copy of the rules before the week is out. Hard luck to Billy O'Mahony of Moloney's on being beaten in the final last week. I heard Billy was two games up and cruising until the wife walked in and guess what Billy lost 3-2. Next time Billy leave her at home, ha ha!

ST. MARY'S PARISH, CAPPOQUIN NEWS

Nourishing an Adult Faith

If you believe that religion is not just for children and would like to develop an adult faith you are invited to join

A four Week course, organised by the West Waterford Group of Parishes on "Nourishing an Adult Faith".

to be held in Cappoquin Community Centre at 7.30pm over four Tuesdays beginning on November 20th next

Format for each night's hour-long meeting will be:

Short Presentation, Reflection and Discussion Closing Ritual

Subjects for exploration on each of the nights are on:

Tues. Nov 20. Led by Sr. Antoinette Dilworth

Living out the Call of Baptism. To deepen our understanding of the Sacrament of Baptism, its symbols and meaning, and to explore the meaning of the Call of Baptism.

Tues. Nov. 27.

Nurturing my Relationship with God through Prayer.

An opportunity to look at the meaning of prayer, the different expressions of prayer which are true to the Christian tradition of prayer, and to experience a method of prayer to enhance daily living.

The final meetings will be held

in February
February

Following in the Footsteps of Jesus.

God's Revelation through the person and mission of Jesus.

Jesus' mission and how He lived it out

Following Jesus in everyday

life.
Working in Partnership. To revisit the call of Baptism, Christ's mission. The gift of the Holy Spirit through the Sacrament of Confirmation. The meaning of partnership and the practical ways to translate it into parish life.

AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Results 29/10/07 1st Mary Navan and Mgt Clancy. 2nd Claire Meaney and John O'Dea. 3rd Addie Buckley and Andrew McGrath 4th Lil Costin and Mick Lineen.

CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LTD LOTTO RESULTS

Lotto for 12th November €3,500. No winner. Numbers 12, 19, 20 & 21. Next lotto €5,400. Consolation prizes Mary McGrath, Assumpta Hackett, Tom O'Feerick, Peg Hally, Roisin Meeghan, Dick Cahill. Next draw: Monday 19th November. All proceeds go towards the Community Centre

CAPPOQUIN & DISTRICT DAY CENTRE

Date: 10th Nov. Draw No. 1 € 100 Brid Culloo. €50 Jenny Fraher, €30 Peg Queally, €20 Michael Burke Draw No. 2 € 100 Mary Fives, €50 Justina Walsh, €30 Nora Halley, €20 Soiobhan Denn.

CAPPOQUIN FOROGIE

Cappoquin youth club need your support and commitment in order to ensure the continuation of their Club. Anyone interested in giving some (not a lot) of their free time to keeping the show on the road should contact Cara (087) 9664513. Christine (087) 7684235. Kevin (087) 6501042 or Mike (087) 7913061 before Wednesday

Drama Classes commence: in Cappoquin Community Centre on

Wednesday 21st November, by: Enda Ormond. This is starting with an intense 8 week course. This will lead to theatre material for the forthcoming stage being opened in December.

Forward names to Cathy at 058-52746.

The Acoustics in the Hall are being addressed as this goes to print.

Tuesday Night : Internet Café available.

"High speed internet available - drop in Tuesday 7-30-9-30pm. Email, Skype, shopping, and

more all for as little as €5 for 30 minutes - assistance available"

Wine Appreciation Night:

Thursday 22nd November in Community Centre at 7-30pm. This Presentation will be given by: David Hollywood, Lismore. Open to Community.

This night will be presented with a view of a 5 week Wine Appreciation Course

Increase your knowledge of wine for Christmas.

Bookings taken: 058-52746

Pilattes Class recommencing: Places available for Monday nights. Enquiries: 058-52746.

Bothar's Travelling Meitheal Visited Meanscoil San Nicolas

Bothar's travelling Meitheal visited Meanscoil San Nicolas, Ring, to talk to the students of the school. Bothar speakers from Uganda, Nepal, Honduras and Kosovo talked about how Bothar projects are having an impact on struggling families in the developing world.



Pictured at Meanscoil San Nicolas, Ring are Caoilfhionn Ni Charraoin, 5th year student, Seamus O'Cadhain, Principal, Dr. Bernard Mueyva, Bothar, Uganda and Eibhlis Ni Dhonnchadha, 5th year teacher.



Pictured at Meanscoil San Nicolas, Ring are Cait Ni Mhuarchu, Dr. Bernard Mueyva, Bothar Uganda, Seamus O'Cadhain, Principal, Sinead O Gaiogain and Ciara O'Farrell.



Pictured at Meanscoil San Nicolas, Ring are Ciara O'Farrell, Seamus O'Cadhain, Principal, Dr. Surya Bajracharyh, Bothar Nepal and Sinead O Gaiogain.

PATCHWORK AND QUILTING EXHIBITION

The Nire Craft Group is delighted to present an exhibition of its work at the Craft Granary in Cahir from Friday 9th until Thursday 29th of November, 2007.

Nicholas Mosse has kindly agreed to preside over the opening. The Mosse family has maintained a keen and supportive interest in Irish crafts for many years.

The group consists of 11 local women from varying backgrounds, who meet, weekly, to make patchwork quilts. We range from complete novices to experienced quilters. There is an age difference between our members of over half a century. The group has been in existence for five years and has had exhibitions over the Easter week-end in both 2004 and 2006, at the Nire Hall in Ballymacarby, our regular meeting place. We made a group quilt on both of these occasions, which was subsequently raffled in aid of charity.

Last year we were delighted and very proud to be chosen, against stiff competition, for a grant from the Community Forum under the social inclusion umbrella for art and craft. We always welcome new members, or anyone with creative skills that they would like to share. We all benefit from the wonderful space available at the hall, a friendly atmosphere, cups of tea, and a lovely open fire. Enquiries to the secretary 086 828 8998.

Almost all the work is for sale, and entirely hand-made in Ireland. Also, commissions are welcome. The Craft Granary opening times are 10.30am to 6pm (Mon-Fri) and 9am to 5pm on Saturdays. Why not organise an outing, maybe find a nice Christmas pressie in the shop, visit the castle, and have a bite in one of the excellent local eateries?

Dungarvan SGC To Enter New Age Of Film

By Kevin Kirrane

Ever imagined sitting on stage while U2 rock an auditorium of thousands of fans, or dreamed of watching all the action from an on-pitch perspective during a football game. Well that, and more, is what's promised from the new era of film which is being ushered in at Dungarvan SGC cinema.

Beowulf, the old English folk tale starring Brendan Gleeson and Ray Winstone, will be the first of the new generation of 3D films to hit the screens for a Dungarvan audience, on November 30th.

FULLY DIGITAL

Already the only fully digital cinema in Europe, Dungarvan SGC will again be at the cutting technological edge with this new feature.

The cinema, which opened in October 2005, went fully digital in June 2006 ensuring optimum picture quality for cinema goers.

"That brought Ireland, the South East and Dungarvan into the space age in terms of cinema experience," Eugene Tobin, manager of Dungarvan SGC told a press conference on Thursday morning last.

Now the cinema is to move another step forward, maintaining its position as a technological hub. They are to install a €10,000 to €15,000 specialist silver screen, shipped from France, and a brand new 3D projector.

DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE

"It will provide a totally different cinematic experience," Eugene said. "We will be the only cinema, outside Dublin, that will be able to show 3D films."

The specialist silver screen looks completely flat, but is full of ten of thousands of prisms to enable 3D viewing through special glasses. It will be in the wall-to-wall 40 metre wide Screen 1.

Managing Director, Graham Spurling said while it looks very good with cartoon features, the real difference, and experience, will be with real life features and blockbusters where it will be absolutely spectacular.

"Old 3D was merely out there for effect," he said. "Every thirty seconds something came shooting out of the screen. New 3D is life as you see it - I'm talking about real life movies. It has depth, you can tell that one thing is behind another, you can put your hand behind the person on screen."

REAL LIFE FEATURES

"I've seen the end of Titanic in 3D digital and the water is lapping up against your face - it's quite incredible. Sports features -

3D Films To Feature At Local Cinema



MD Graham Spurling and SGC Manager Eugene Tobin with some of the digital equipment.

I've seen American football in 3D, and you're on that pitch, there's people all around you.

"The glasses are prismatically bent as well, so as people walk through your vision, and you can see them disappear over your left and right hand shoulder. It's what happens in real life. It's actually quite incredible."

A U2 3D feature is coming out in early 2008, and Graham says that promises to be a remarkable experience.

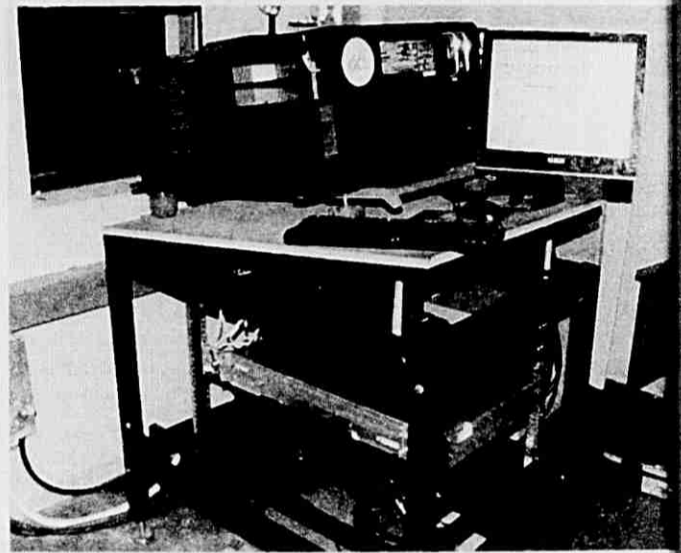
"You can just sit yourself down amongst Larry Mullins' drum kit - its phenomenal, its quite amazing. That's where it works so well because the real life 3D is just spectacular", Graham said.

Industry insiders are calling 3D the future of film-making, and 3D films are attracting 4 times the number of people as ordinary 2D films. Dreamworks are making all their films in 3D, and movie-makers are attracted to it as it's pirate proof.

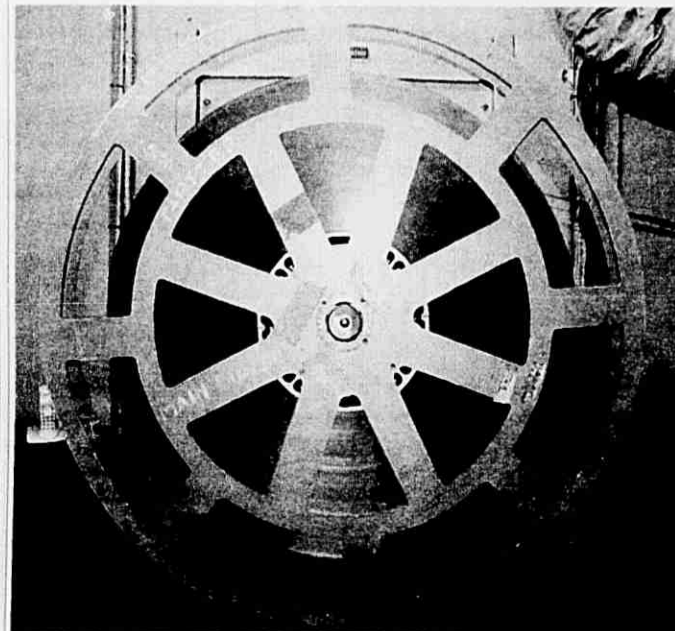
"It's not the gimmick it was," Graham explained. "It's just about making movies more real."

CHARGE

A 3D feature will cost just €1 extra and the glasses can be taken away as souvenirs. The first 3D film is due to start on the November 30th.



A digital projector installed at Dungarvan SGC.



The old style reels which will be replaced by full digital equipment

The Community Voice

WHAT IS THE COMMUNITY FORUM?

The Community Forum was set up in 2000 to ensure that the voice of the community and voluntary sector can be effectively represented at local level on all relevant structures.

It is a network of groups and organisations, which aims to build linkages, consult and be consulted on topics relating to the social, economic and cultural development of County Waterford. 228 Registered Member Groups make up this network, representing extensive interests. Representatives from each of the electoral areas are therefore elected onto various different committees and boards locally, regionally and nationally. Locally, these include the Strategic Policy Committees and Area Committees of Waterford Co. Council, Co. Waterford Vocational Education Committee, Waterford LEADER Partnership, Waterford Co. Development Board, Déiseilink, Waterford Co. Childcare Committee, Waterford Sports Partnership and Waterford Co. Enterprise Board. In addition to representing local needs and interests on these committees the Community Forum strives to highlight and support volunteering across the county, provide key training to volunteers, promote social inclusion and act as an information source for community & voluntary groups.

Committee Skills Training

Some registered members of the Community Forum began a training course this week in Dungarvan on the various aspects of operating strong committees. This training course was organised by Anne Sullivan, Tenant Liaison Officer of the Waterford County Council and was open to member groups of the Community Forum. It will consist of four consecutive evening sessions. It is proposed that a course will be run in the new year in Tramore. For further enquiries contact Anne Sullivan on 058-21153 or asullivan@waterfordcoco.ie.

County Waterford Community & Voluntary Awards 2007

The countdown is on and before we know it the winners of the 2007 Co. Waterford Community & Voluntary Awards will be revealed in the Clonea Strand Hotel on Friday 16th Nov! If last year is anything to go by, the night will be a active one giving people from all different areas, groups and backgrounds a chance to network and socialise. Congratulations to all those who were shortlisted and thank you to all the group that entered the Awards Scheme.

Lismore Notes



C.L.G LIOS MOR - LISMORE GAA

U-21 Western Final

At time of going to print the under 21 western final against Abbesside will take place this Saturday 17th November in Fraher field at 2.30 p.m.

Celebration Night – Dan Shanahan

The club will hold a celebration night in Lismore Hotel on Saturday 1st December at 8.30 p.m. to honour Dan Shanahan on his recent All Star and Hurler of the Year Success. This night is open to all who would like to come and wish Dan well. Please note the change of date.

Who Wants to be a Thousandaire

Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances the upcoming "Who wants to be a Thousandaire" has been

postponed until the new year. Further details will be available shortly.

Lotto

The winning numbers in Monday night's lotto were 10, 13 and 15. There was no winner of the E1550 Jackpot. Next week's jackpot will be E1700. The E15 winners were Teresa Scanlan, Chapel Street, Breda Clancy, Ballysaggart, Billy Dunne, New Street and Clara Aarons, West End.

C.L.G. na nOg Lios Mor/Baile na Saggairt U16 Retain Western A Hurling Title

On Sunday morning last Lismore/Ballysaggart u16's played Clashmore in Cappoquin in the western A hurling championship. After a very low

scoring first half which ended on a scoreline of 4 points each Lismore/Ballysaggart stepped up a gear and overcame a very

determined Clashmore side. Final score Lismore/Ballysaggart 12 pts to Clashmore 8pts. Panel Gavin Pratt, Cailean O Gorman, Diarmuid Nugent, Micheal Fitzgerald, Ray Barry, John Prendergast, Ian McGarry, Conor Tinnelly, Brian Bennett, Stevie Barry, Paudraig Prendergast, Brian Hennessy, Peter O Keffe, Shane Heaphy, Kieren Bennett, Paudie Coleman, Seanie Barry,

Tom O'Brien.

This same team are in action again next Saturday morning in last years u15 league final against Kil leagh. Best of luck to all involved in what will be their last competitive game of the season.

U-12's

The u12's team travelled to Mt Sion to take part in the astro-turf tournament, this was a worthwhile experience for the younger lads who did themselves proud. Well done and thanks to players and mentors who travelled.

PINK RIBBON DAY

Many thanks to everyone who supported Pink Ribbon Day and Breast Cancer Awareness month. Thank you to the shops who took boxes and to all the ladies who collected on the day. A total of 1643 euro has been sent to the Irish Cancer Society.

LISMORE SOCCER CLUB NOTES

For the fourth weekend in a row Lismore played host to a visiting team, last weekend it was local rivals Glen View. Both sides were looking for these points to push themselves up the table, and again manager Joe Tobin had a large squad to choose from.

Lismore started the game brightly and soon took the lead when a fine strike from Keith Hornibrook from the edge of the area found the bottom corner of the net. Five minutes later and it was two, when Colin Kearney struck home with an identical strike to the first. Lismore were in total control at this stage with

the O'Donoghue's causing mayhem down the left and Eddie Pollard terrorising the centre of the Glen View defence and indeed both O'Donoghue's were on the score sheet before half-time. In between these goals Glen View pulled one back through ex-Lismore player William Rothe when Lismore failed to defend a simple free-kick. This left the half-time score at 4 goals to one. Lismore started the second as they had the first and quickly extended their lead through goals from Eddie Pollard, another from Eoin O'Donoghue and another long-distance cracker from Sean Or-

monde. Glen View pulled another goal back through John Broderick. That was the end of the scoring but not the end of the drama, as with just minutes left William Rothe broke through the centre of the Lismore defence only to be taken down by Tommy in goal. Tommy was given a straight red and a penalty was awarded. Keith took over between the sticks and immediately produced a stunning save to deny William Rothe from the spot. Final Score Lismore 7 Glen View 2.

Last weekend's match against Bride View was called off due to

the involvement of several of Bride View's players in the WVEC youth team.

The club would like to take this opportunity to congratulate ex-player Dan Shanahan on being named both GPA and GAA Player of the Year. This is a tremendous achievement for any player and lets hope he can go on next year and add an All-Ireland title to his long list of achievements.

Astro-turf training continues on Tuesday nights at 7pm, all players are requested to attend. Any players that have not paid their membership for the year should bring the €60 with them to training.

ANNUAL CRAFT/GIFT SALE AT LISMORE HERITAGE CENTRE

The Annual Craft & Gift Sale takes place this weekend Friday 16th – Sunday 18th November at the Craft Shop, Lismore Heritage Centre. There is an exclusive range of gift items on sale including Nicholas Mosse pottery, costume jewellery by Shira Designs, silver jewellery, candles, picture frames, ceramics, lifestyle items, lamps and Christmas decorations. There will be reductions on all stock with up to 50% on a number of items.

This year sees the introduction of a new lifestyle collection including contemporary soft furnishings and table decorations – all carefully selected to give you ideas for setting up that classical Christmas table. Complimentary gift wrapping service is available.

A welcome part of this weekend has been the free children's entertainment on Sunday Afternoon and this year we are delighted to welcome Krusty The Magic Klown on his first visit to Lismore.

This is a must for children of all ages with lots of audience involvement, juggling, balloon modeling, and funny games. Famed all over Ireland for fantastic entertainment and fun for all, Krusty is everyone's favourite.

Every child attending will receive a modeling balloon of swords, flowers love hearts, giraffes, motor bikes, doggies on a lead, Rudolf the Red nose Reindeer, maybe even Santa himself!

There will be 2 performances on Sunday afternoon at 3.00pm and at 4.00pm. Admission is free.

Entrance to the exhibition galleries at Lismore Heritage Centre is also free of charge during this weekend. Further details from 058-54975.



Krusty the Clown

TOURIN GAA & NEIGHBOURHOOD NOTES

TOURIN GAA MEETING

A meeting of the above club will be held at Ballinvella Community Centre next Saturday (17/11/07) night at 8.30 pm. It is very important that all players/members be present at this meeting.

HALL DEVELOPMENT MEETING

A meeting of the above will be held on tonight Wednesday, 14th November at 8.30 pm sharp.

BADMINTON

All mens and ladies leagues are under way at present. Please check for Social court availability on the Monday or Wednesday nights as you cannot always be guaranteed a court if a match is being played. As previously stated, there will be a court fee of €3 per person – there will be a collector assigned to collect same on the night so your co operation would be appreciated – court times are from 8 – 10 pm. Membership is overdue – please pay now. Sheena has distributed fundraising cards for the Waterford Badminton Association. All cards must be returned to the County Board by 23rd November so please ensure they are returned to Sheena prior to this date. The Mens and Ladies Doubles Co. Championships will be held on Tuesday, 27th November, if you wish to play in this competition, contact Trudy Kennedy – Secretary Co. Waterford Badminton Assoc.

CONGRATS

The village of Ballyduff Upper was the recipient of the Pride of Place Award in Westport last weekend. This competition embraces All Ireland North/South in conjunction with co operation Ireland and Waterford County Council. Well done!

FOOTBALL/HURLING

Dungarvan beat An Rinn in the Western Intermediate final on Saturday. Modeligo were defeated by Ferrybank in the County Junior Football final but Ballinacourty overcame Ardmore in the All West Senior Football Final at Fraher Field on Sunday.

GPA AWARD

Well done to Dan Shanahan on receiving the GPA Player of the year award recently. Congrats to Ken McGrath, Michael Walsh & Dan Shanahan who were named on the 2007 GPA team of the year.

LISMORE CHOIR'S CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT

Preparations were started during the summer months selecting carols, seeking guest artists and making tapes in anticipation of our forthcoming Carol Concert which will take place in the sumptuous Banqueting Hall of Lismore Castle on December 8th, 9th and 10th this year. This event is now part and parcel of the Christmas calendar in the local area of West Waterford. It will set the mood for Christmas. On entering the Castle you will get the

whiff of spicy mince pies and aromatic mulled wine. It will do your heart good!

This year the theme of our concert is "Carols from around the World" so we will transport you on a magical musical journey across Europe, America and Canada including many traditional tunes and languages.

Our guest artist will be the talented young soprano, Sarah Barry who hails from Castlelyons. Sarah, many of you will remember, sang for Michael Flatley and his bride, Niamh at their wedding so we will be looking forward to being royally entertained. She is at present in her final year studying for her B.A. in Music at U.C.C. and is also having singing lessons with Hilary Reynolds of Tallow.

Carmel O'Shea, our conductor, has been working diligently since September to have us in good voice for the event. Colin Nicholls, former organist at St. Finbar's Cathedral Cork will accompany the choir on organ and piano. Tickets will be available from Kay Murray 058 56357 from November 15th. Early booking is advisable.

SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS PARTY AND CHARITY SHOP

The Christmas Party will be held on Sunday, December 2nd at Lismore Golf Club at 1 pm. So please keep that date free in your diary. All the committee are looking forward to seeing you there. In conjunction with the party, please remember the charity shop on this Friday from 9-5 pm at Eleanor Howards Pottery Shop, Main St.

BALLINVELLA NOTES

Get Well Wishes

Get well wishes are sent to Kitty Kelleher, Bishopstown, who is in hospital at the moment recovering from a hip replacement. Great to know you are on the mend and we look forward to having you back on the 'top of the hill' very soon.

Sympathy

At a recent meeting a vote of sympathy was passed to the Tierney/Cashman family Lismore on the death of Babe Tierney. Babe came to Ballinvella every year for our Annual Mass. Babe brought the hymnbooks with her and was the leader of the singing. May she rest in peace.

Cards

The next 45 Nite will be Tuesday 19th November.

LISMORE CAMOGIE NOTES

Presentation Night

After another very successful year Lismore camogie Club are hosting their 'Presentation Night' on Friday November 30th in Lismore House Hotel. So all camogie players and their Parents/supporters and sponsors are invited to attend.

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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 of 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 Saturday 2-4pm



Dungarvan Asking Price €255,000
89 Springfield Private Treaty
 Beautifully presented and extended, this deceptively large family home enjoys an excellent location within walking distance of town centre. Must be viewed to appreciate the space and attention to detail.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit. ● dining ● w.c. ● 4 beds ● bath ● 140m² (1,500 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment



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Saint Mochua's Terrace, Clashmore

Cuil na Circe, Cappoquin

Aglish Prices From €218,000

Cuil Rua Private Treaty
 Located in the heart of Aglish 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

Dungarvan Asking Price On Application

Clonea Upper Private Treaty
 Enjoying breathtaking views over Dungarvan Bay to Helvic Head, this bungalow with garage has manicured gardens to front and side. Excellent holiday home.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● 3 beds ● bath ● 88m² (950 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

Dungarvan Price On Application For Sale

Westgate Business Park

- 2,500 sq. ft. approx. unit with mezzanine
- Mains water/sewage, broadband/3 phase electricity
- Automated roller door/Secure automated entrance gates
- Ample car parking with 20m turn table
- Full fire spec with fire alarm

Viewing strictly by appointment

Outgrown Your Home? A SELECTION OF LARGE PROPERTIES AVAILABLE

Lismore Asking Price On Application

1 Chapel Place Private Treaty
 The beautifully presented interior of this fine, spacious townhouse will impress from the minute you enter. Attention to detail is apparent in every room.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● w.c. ● 4 beds (2 ens) ● bath ● 120m² (1,300 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Co. Waterford Asking Price On Application

Kilrossanty Private Treaty
 Newly constructed and set on just under 1 acre, this detached bungalow has been finished to a very high standard. Located in a most scenic area close to Mahon Falls and Comeragh Drive.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● 4 beds (1 ens) ● bath ● 153m² (1,650 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Dungarvan Asking Price On Application

Old Parish Private Treaty
 Modern, stylish bungalow set on an elevated south facing site of 0.75 acres approx. Beautiful sea views, walking distance to school, church and pub. Currently under construction.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kitchen ● dining ● util. ● w.c. ● 4 beds (2 ens) ● bathroom ● 188m² (2,020 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Grange Asking Price On Application

Ocean Rise Private Treaty
 Impressive property set in a most scenic location and enjoying wonderful views of Ardmore Bay and the surrounding countryside. Features a double garage with electric doors.
 ● hall ● lounge ● living rm ● study ● kit. ● dining ● utility ● w.c. ● 4 beds (2 ens) ● bath 235 sq.m. (2,530 sq. ft.) approx. ● Garage 62 sq.m. (660 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Ballymacarbray Asking Price On Application

Touraneena Private Treaty
 Stunning newly constructed home set on 0.5 acres approx. with sun lounge and separate garage. Finished to an excellent standard. No stamp duty.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● conservatory ● util. ● w.c. ● 4 beds (2 ens) ● bath ● 200m² (2,150 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

An Rinn Asking Price On Application

An Carn Private Treaty
 Set on 1 acre approx. overlooking Dungarvan Bay and the Atlantic, this superb property would make an excellent family home or B&B.
 ● hall ● lounge ● living/dining ● kit. ● util. ● 2 w.c.s ● 5 beds (all ens) ● 286m² (3,100 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Kilmacthomas Asking Price On Application

Villa Private Treaty
 Superb fully renovated home on 2 acres approx. of beautiful mature gardens. With bright, spacious living areas and ample bedroom accomm. this family home is a must for viewing.
 ● hall ● lounge ● living/5th bed ● kit./dining ● util. ● w.c. ● 4 beds (2 ens) ● bath ● 200m² (2,150 sq. ft.) approx. ● Converted attic: 24m² (260 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

An Rinn Asking Price On Application

6 Radharc na Mara Private Treaty
 With lovely sea views, this property has a sun lounge, patio, garage and attractive landscaped garden to rear.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● sun lounge ● w.c. ● util. ● 4 beds (1 ens) ● bath ● 165 sq.m. (1,760 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Kilmacthomas Asking Price On Application

Comeen, Fews Private Treaty
 Nestled in lush green surrounds, this fine family home with sep. garage is set on in excess of 0.75 acres. Easy commuting distance from both Dungarvan and Waterford. Ideal for those in search of a countryside retreat.
 ● hall ● lounge ● living/games rm ● kit./dining ● sun rm ● 5 beds (1 ens) ● bath ● 181m² (1,950 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Youghal Prices From €380,000

Radharc na Mara Private Treaty
 With lovely sea views, this property has a sun lounge, patio, garage and attractive landscaped garden to rear.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kit./dining ● sun lounge ● w.c. ● util. ● 4 beds (1 ens) ● bath ● 165 sq.m. (1,760 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Stradbally Prices From €885,000

St. James Wood Private Treaty
 A luxurious development of high spec unique thatched houses with the benefit of Section 23-type (holiday resort) tax relief. Located 3 miles from the N25.
 ● hall ● lounge ● kitchen ● dining ● util. ● w.c. ● 4 beds (2 ens) ● 174 - 177m² (1,870 - 1,910 sq. ft.)
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Ardmore Prices From €410,000

The Heritage Private Treaty
 Perched overlooking Ardmore Bay and Strand, this stunning development of exclusive 4 bed detached homes will take your breath away. Two house types are available, each offering a well designed, light filled interior with ample living space. Show open by appointment. 130 sq.m. (1,406 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Kilmacthomas Asking Price On Application

Railway Gardens Private Treaty
 A prestigious development of just 51 houses offering a choice of 4 bedroom detached, 4 and 3 bedroom semi detached, 3 bedroom bungalows and dormers and a stunning feature octagonal home. Four bed detached: 161m² (1,730 sq. ft.)
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Ballinroad Prices From €282,950

An Rosan Private Treaty
 This prestigious development offers a unique opportunity to acquire a luxurious 4 bed semi detached property in an impressive village style setting. Features include Nordic pine windows and doors, tiled bathrooms, fully fitted kitchen with appliances and rear garden with decking.
 130m² (1,400 sq. ft.)
 Viewing strictly by appointment

Dungarvan Prices From €220,000

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 - 107m² (694 - 1,146 sq. ft.) approx.
 Viewing strictly by appointment

An Rinn Prices From €309,163 net of VAT

Seanachai Cottages Private Treaty
 A development of 12 architecturally designed holiday cottages with the benefit of Section 23 type tax relief. These exceptionally large 3 bed semi detached holiday homes (131m²/1,410 sq. ft.) are fitted out to the Fáilte Ireland 4 Star criteria. "Turn Key" investment - ready for rental.
 Viewing strictly by appointment



WEST WATERFORD NOTES



Clashmore Ramblers - Ladies (Sponsored by James Leahy). Claire Marks - Player of the year 2007 being presented with her trophy - sponsored by Seanie Coyne by team manager JP Carey. Also pictured is team captain Des Lombard. Congratulations Claire!

AGLISH NATIONAL SCHOOL NOTES

Parents Association News

The AGM of the parents association was held on Wednesday October 24th and the following officers were elected for the coming year

Chairman: Johnny Heyburn. Vice Chairman: Kirsty Arrigan. Secretary: Dorothy Ahearne. Assistant Secretary: Dorothy Bellgarrd. Joint Treasurers: Kathleen Ronayne and Deirdre Buckley. PRO: Jim O'Brien.

School Match

Our boys travelled to Ardmore to play their semi final against Grange. This was a good game losing out by a goal

Trip to RTE

On Saturday October 13th Aglish pupils headed off to Cork to the RTE studio to take part in Sattitude. This was a great experience and well done.

Sponsored Walk

On Sunday October 14th we had our sponsored walk. It was a beautiful afternoon and it was great to see all the parents taking part in the walk with the children. Thanks to all the sponsors Siobhan Loomer for donating the fruit, the person who donated the water, Country Store Dungarvan for the beautiful Fruit Hamper which was won by Caitrin Kelly. Many thanks to every one - €1800 was raised.

Cookery Book on Sale

Our Cookery Book goes on sale for Christmas costing €5 per book and it can be purchased from any parent or at our local shop

Halloween Party

The Halloween Party [for the kids] in the Elephant Cafe Bar was a brilliant night with lots of fun for all. Many thanks to Mary Ware and the pupils who did a fab job on decorating the lounge - a lot of time was put in to it! Thanks also to Marguerite O'Connor local hairdresser who donated boxes of sweets, PJ for the minerals for all the kids. PJ and staff and to our DJ for the night Triona, job well done! PJ was very impressed with the art work the children had done and found it hard to pick four winners which he kindly sponsored prizes for, the winners were Maggie Hally, Megan Osborne, Julius Bellgarrd, Thomas Hannigan. The costumes worn by the kids were amazing, some of the adults did not need them!!!! When it came down to the games Johnny was a bit like a cat - did not like to get his hair wet.

Halloween Quiz

Our 5th and 6th Classed travelled to Blackwater School for a Halloween Quiz. They had a great night thanks to Blackwater School for the invitation.

AGLISH N.S. - RECYCLING SCHOOL OF THE YEAR 2007

Congratulations to the pupils and staff of Aglish National School on being presented with a computer by the Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr Billy Kyne and Waterford County Council. This award was given to the school in recognition of their achievement on winning the

national title of "The Recycling School of the year 2007". The environmental officer of the county council presented the school with a plaque and spoke of the huge efforts the Green School Committee is making in tackling recycling and the reduction of waste.

A Power Point presentation by sixth class pupils highlighted the work undertaken by all pupils over the past seven years in achieving a green school status and thus resulting in the reduction of energy and water use in the school.

POBALSCOIL NA TRIONOIDE YOUGHAL

Awards Evening

On Thursday evening October 18th Pobalscoil Na Trionoide Youghal hosted their first Students Awards evening at the school. These awards which are rewarding academic achievement, formidable contributions to leadership and personal development are important in the development of a positive and purposeful school ethos. Special guest speaker on the night was Mr Jim Wiley chairperson of Concern. Among the many award recipients on the night were the following west Waterford students. Among the students awarded for attendance was third year student Kevin

McGrath. For his sporting achievements Brian O'Halloran received the Junior Sport Award. Brian also received a Junior Certificate distinction award. Leaving Cert student Mary McGrath was awarded for her contribution to Visual and Performing Arts. Mary was also awarded a leaving cert distinction award. For her contribution to Leadership Leaving Cert Student Edel Wilson was awarded. Transition Year student Nicola Murphy was awarded for her outstanding contribution to the spirit of Transition Year, a Lourdes Youth Helper Nicola also received a Humanitarian award. Eddie Kelly received a

First Year Academic Achievement award and Eric Mangan received a second year academic achievement award.

For his outstanding achievements in his Junior Cert David Byrne was awarded. David's junior cert results ranked him among the top twelve students in the country this year.

It has been a remarkable year for all the students at Pobalscoil Na Trionoide despite the huge challenges which all the students faced at the start of the school year. All accomplished remarkable achievements, our congratulations to all the students who received awards and every success for the future.

CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG JUVENILE G.A.A.

U 16 Hurling Western Final

Our under 16s were very unlucky to be beaten by four points in their clash with Lismore on Sunday morning, in what turned out to be a tough physical contest, in less than ideal conditions, Lismore, who would be considered to be the stronger side, had to pull out all the stops to clinch the title. Even though Clashmore were missing a number of players, through injury, they fought for every ball and took their chances as they presented themselves. Well done to all concerned.

U 12 Floodlit Football

On Monday evening last, we joined with Cois Brid and Naomh Brid in Group three of this competition. On the night everything went our way, which is not a usual occurrence and we recorded great wins over both teams to clinch the title. All players, gave outstanding performances, and it was great to end the season on a winning note. Well done to all the players.

Indoor Hurling

This continues as usual on Thursday and Friday with the usual groupings. Also this Thursday, from 8.00p.m. to 9.00p.m. Tim Bourke will start training with the team who played at U13 level this year. So come along and keep fit for the winter. For the moment, the cost is Euro 4 per hour per child. Again, if any parent would like to help out, there is no shortage of jobs, just let us know on the night.

CLASHMORE 45 DRIVE

Once again we would like to remind all you card players of our 9.00pm sharp start here at the Clashmore 45 drive at the Decies Bar each Monday night. Please make an effort to be on time. On Monday night we had Pat Roche and Martin Lynch, Mairead and Michael Fahey sharing the top two prizes jointly, they won nine games each. In third place we had Tony Keane and Gabriel Hynes winning eight games each. Best of the last five games winners were Nell Foley and Ed Hynes Mary and Ger O'Donovan. Our lucky last game winners were James Ledingham and Edmond Ledingham, Maura McGrath and John Connery Nell and Paddy Foley. Well done to all our winners this week and on a final note we welcome back Jack Douris - welcome back Jack.

CLASHMORE KINSALEBEG GAA CLUB LOTTO DRAW -JACKPOT €8500

On Monday night last the numbers out of the drum in our Clashmore- Kinsalebeg Lotto draw were 3, 5, 9, 18. We had no match four winner so there is a Jackpot of €8500 for next weeks draw - when it takes place down at The Ole Mill down in the Kinsalebeg side of the parish next Monday night. If you want to be in with a chance to win this fantastic prize be sure to get your tickets in for next weeks draw. Well done to each of the following who were our lucky winners of €20 each - Mary Keogh, Kilmeady; Mairead Fahey, Ardmore; Ann Ormond, Clashmore; Aine Lombard, Clashmore; Billy Lynch, Kinsalebeg.

OLE MILL POKER CLASSIC

We were back in the Ole Mill last Wednesday night for our weekly poker classic and once again it was Catherine Mansfield who took the winning spoils with Pat Dalton in second place for Catherine and Pat this also means a place at the table for the Christmas Poker Classic special which takes place at the Ole Mill on December 16th. Poker Classic again tonight Wednesday starting at 9.30pm sharp all are welcome.

BELATED BIRTHDAY GREETINGS MICHAEL

This week we have a very special request for Michael Baker Kinsalebeg who recently celebrated his 70th birthday. Congratulations and best wishes to you Michael from all your family and friends.

LINES FROM PILTOWN SCHOOL Non Stop Draw

Our non stop draw for the month of October took place recently and the following were our winners

1st Prize: Clara Morey Promoter: Clara Morey.
2nd Prize: Maurice Fitzgerald Promoter: Eoin Fitzgerald.
3rd Prize: Ciara Murphy, Promoter: Shannon Murphy.
4th Prize: Eoin O'Halloran Promoter: Kate O'Halloran. Winners of the special children's prize: James Murray, Eoin Murray, Elaine Murphy.

CLASHMORE RACE NIGHT

-This Saturday

The horses are lined up at the post, they are under starters orders and they are ready to go with the first race at 9.00pm on this Saturday Night [November 17th] at Clashmore Race Night at the Decies Bar. On the night we will have all the thrills and spills of racing - indoors, with lots of good food, entertainment and to conclude the night we will have a disco. Tickets are now on sale from any member of the committee or at the door on the night so do come along your support will be very much appreciated.

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

Isn't it annoying when things aren't as you would expect? Yes, but though it sounds tough, that's life! More than usual, you may have to adapt to changing circumstances and accept that there are those around you with a tendency to come up short. In work or business, it is time to volunteer. State what you stand for and be true to your word. ☎ 1550-920-257

TAURUS April 21 to May 21

It is time to rewrite where you stand in a particular pecking order. Let others know that you know your worth and watch attitudes change. A family member proves to be a good friend and is with you while so called close connections are less in evidence. Something has been playing on your mind. Talking about it will put it in perspective. ☎ 1550-920-258

GEMINI May 22 to June 21

Thoughts of travel excite while work responsibilities prove tedious. Stand strong in matters of principal. Others may not see your point but that doesn't mean you don't have one! When making plans, share your thoughts, otherwise someone will feel left out. Finances are steadily improving so you can breathe a sigh of relief. At last, you are making ends meet. ☎ 1550-920-259

CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

Don't feel the need to justify all your decisions and actions to others. Protect your privacy and plot your own path. A testing situation proves far easier than first suspected. You have everything under control. Think big and remember that success is a mind game. Someone needs advice and support but most of all, your encouragement. ☎ 1550-920-260

LEO July 23 to Aug 22

Enjoy simple pleasures and little luxuries. Be good to yourself. You deserve some pampering. Love is unpredictable but exciting. Touch base with an old friend who still thinks the world of you. A "mind over matter" attitude can save the day. Maintain a positive outlook and you can overcome obstacles. Someone needs your time and attention but most of all your understanding. ☎ 1550-920-261

VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

Make time to pursue creative interests. Be content with small advances. Rome wasn't built in a day! Personal relationships are improved though direct communication, even if this proves to be initially difficult. A casual comment sets you thinking and makes you view a situation from a new perspective. A family member needs your assistance but is too proud to ask. ☎ 1550-920-262

LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

Don't be surprised if your schedule has to be re-addressed. Dates and times of appointments may prove inconvenient and likely to clash. You are on top form and you can seize the initiative. A sacrifice may have to be made but is a price worth paying. Events over the coming days should assist you to come to a definite decision on a major issue. ☎ 1550-920-263

SCORPIO Oct 24 to Nov 21

This is a time for conclusions and resolutions. You are tired of pussy footing around and need a sense of direction. Don't carry the weight of the world on your shoulders. Be prepared to share burdens and responsibilities and avoid taking more on board. If someone attempts to impose a guilt trip, recognise that you do your best and that is what matters. ☎ 1550-920-264

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

Social connections delight and excite. Your free spirit adds to your attractiveness and an independent life style suits you. In all testing situations, go the extra mile and you can prove yourself. March to a productive beat but don't expect miracles. Success will come, but not overnight! Be generous with your affection. ☎ 1550-920-265

CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

A promise fulfilled brings trust. Emotional bonds, tried and tested, are strong even in difficult circumstances. Long hours are tiring so ensure that you get adequate sleep. You are running on empty. It is said that nothing will ever be attempted if all possible objections must first be overcome. Be decisive and have faith. Finances are set to improve. ☎ 1550-920-266

AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

A door closes but another opens. Be assured that you are heading towards success and just rewards. This week, let bygones be bygones and make a social occasion a peace making operation. Educational matters are especially well starred. Avoid hair-splitting, especially when it comes to work where you have to work at maintaining good relations. ☎ 1550-920-267

PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

Financial opportunities come from the strangest of sources. A friend has good news. Beware of saying too much in the heat of the moment. It will get you out of the frying pan and straight into the fire! Attending social or business functions introduces you to fascinating new people. Keep building with yesterday's themes but adopt a slower pace. ☎ 1550-920-268

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Dungarvan Leader - this week in the garden

Spring ahead with tulips

TULIPS come in all shapes and sizes and bring a bold splash of colour to your flower garden in spring. They can be grown with daffodils to extend the early flowering season in a mixed border. Although the time to plant daffodils has now passed, if you hurry, there is still time to plant tulips in time for spring flowering. Tulips are excellent for beds and borders and can be planted in clusters according to colour or variety to give a bold display - or scattered randomly across a border. Location is important and, as heights can vary from a few inches to more than two feet, it is worth checking the size the tulip will grow to before planting the bulbs.

Tulip types

Tulips are classified in 15 divisions but are more conveniently grouped by their flowering season and garden use. They come in early, mid-season, late and dwarf varieties and most tulips survive well in fertile, well-drained and humus-rich soils.

Some robust cultivars persist from year to year, although many are best regarded as annual bedding plants.

Colours and cultivation

Ideally tulip plants should be lifted after flowering and then replanted until they have died down. The bulbs rarely flower well in the second year but if they are replanted in autumn, they may reach flowering size again within two years. Dwarf tulips generally prefer open, gritty soils and full sun. Tulips include an impressive array of flower forms, from the simple upright goblets of single flowered tulips to the frilled and twisted petals of parrot tulips and the open double blooms of peony-flowered forms.

They are available in most colours, except blue, from the purest white to the deepest purple - with many glorious shades of yellow, red and crimson in between. Many of the dwarf tulips also have attractively marked leaves, making a welcome addition to a spring garden even before they flower.



Plan ahead: Plant tulips now and you'll be guaranteed a spectacular display in the spring.

THIS WEEK IN THE GARDEN

Sow hardy peas

Some gardeners take culinary peas, plant them outside to mature and are very successful at it. To have any chance whatsoever you must choose a sheltered spot with well-drained soil. To improve your chances further, choose the hardiest variety of pea you can, such as Pilot Improved or Meteor.

Dig up seakale for forcing

The top growth of the plant should have died back by now and this means the ideal time has arrived to lift the roots for forcing. Dig them up carefully and cut off the side sprouts of the root bundle and leave in a sheltered position outside for planting in March. Face the central roots against a wall and cover them with sand until only the crown is visible.

Force rhubarb

If you start your roots at once in a heated greenhouse you should get good sticks in time for Christmas. Strong roots should be lifted and left in the open for a few days, if the weather is frosty. This will actually improve the growth of the plant later on. Plant them in the greenhouse, in deep soil close together, cover them with bin-liners so they are in complete darkness, water moderately and try to maintain a temperature range of 13-24 degrees centigrade.

Tidy herbaceous borders

Most herbaceous perennials will have finished flowering and the borders should be made ready for winter. Cut off all of dead or dying leaves and stems but leave all the evergreen leaves alone. Give the ground a dusting of bonemeal and prick the surface of the ground with a fork, being careful not to disturb plants or bulbs in the process.

Turn over all free ground

By this time there should be lots of free ground for digging.

Tallow Notes

BRIDEVIEW UTD NOTES

United had two teams in action over the weekend unfortunately both ending up losing. The lotto jackpot is still riding high and Santa is due to visit Tallow in the coming weeks.

Lotto

Numbers drawn - 2 9 17 18. The lotto jackpot was not won and there were seven winners of the match three draw and each receive 20 euro. They were Eamonn Cunningham, Colin Cunningham, Elizabeth Henley, Chris O'Shea, Brian Maguire, Ger Oakham and The Curleys New Street. The jackpot next week will be 10,150 Euro and the draw will take place in Lukies Bar at 10.30pm.

Munster Junior Cup

Brideview Utd 0 Carrick Utd 1

United exited the Munster Junior Cup at the hands of title favourites Carrick Utd. Brideview took to the field in a new kit of yellow with blue trim proudly sponsored by Sean Walshe of Walshe's Drapery. The club would like to extend their sincere gratitude to Sean for his generous and continued support. United started with Farmer, O'Neill, Grey, Pratt, B Henley, Landers, P Kearney, J Doyle, M Curley with W Henley and Paul O'Brien up front. The Carrick side started with all guns blazing as they had a warm up of almost an hour before kick-off but the Tallow lads weren't phased and John Doyle epitomized this on 10mins when he won a ball took it away with him and called on his team to relax. However disaster struck on 11mins when a defensive mix up saw the Waterford League side take the lead. At this stage the Tallow side could have rolled over but they were having none of it. The Carrick side boasting some ex league of Ireland players and juniors internationals were shocked four minutes later when Brideview had apparently equalised. Michael Curley swung a ball in from the right on 15mins and it deflecting in off the away defender for what appeared to be an own goal but the assistant referee had his flag up for an apparent offside and the goal didn't stand. Despite the goal not standing Carrick were rattled and United pressed for the equaliser and it almost came on the half hour when Keith Landers hit the post while one on one with the keeper. Attack after attack came for Brideview with corners well into double figures but they couldn't break the resolute defence. In the last 15mins Carrick played every trick in the book to get to the full time whistle - some of their players were going down "Injured" every second minute. The game ended with a one nil defeat but United were the better team on the day. Brideviews priorities this season are the league and domestic cups and next season we will set our sights on the Munsters Cup.

Under 16 - Our under 16 team lost out on a 4-0 scoreline to local rivals Valley Rangers last Saturday.

Preview

Brideview B - Their game last weekend was called off due to the youth inter-league but the entertain fellow strugglers Ballybridge Utd next Friday night in a six pointer. The A team will have a well earned rest this weekend as the have no game due to the Oscar Traynor Cup but two players Graham O'Neill and John Paul Grey will be in action.

Fixtures

Friday 16th 7.30pm
Brideview Utd B v Ballybridge
The Under 12 & 14 play Valley Rangers check the ECWW Schoolboy notes elsewhere in the paper.

Fundraising Night

The club are having a major fundraising night in Lizzy Langtons on Friday night December 28th. The club are having a casino night. This is the first time ever one has taken place in town so it should be a great night.

There will be four tables to play on the night. Twenty euros will get €500 chips. The next €500 worth of chips can be purchased for €10. Who knows who may turn up on the night. Tickets will be on sale from this weekend, which will be limited.

Prizes on the night for first, second and third. A draw will also take place on the night. More on this next week. So as they say, watch this space.

Boys Day Out

Our Premier players are having a day out on Saturday next. The lads are also taking in the Republic of Ireland v Wales game on the TV. We wish our Premier keeper, Ian Farmer, what's the saying, "Many young men of

twenty said goodbye". Right Ian.

Schoolboy News U-16 League

Brideview 0 Valley Rangers 4

Rangers proved too strong here for our lads on Saturday afternoon last.

Blues in Play Off

Waterford Utd are now involved in a playoff to see if they stay up in the Premier Division. They will meet the winners of Finn Harps and Dundalk over two legs. The home game in the RSC will be an all-ticket affair on Friday week.

Sympathy

The club extends its deepest sympathy to the Coughlan family of Aghish on the tragic passing of Frank. May he rest in peace.

Schoolboy Fixtures

Our U12's and U14's are at home to Valley Rangers on Saturday. Players will be informed at training.

Saturday Academy

Continues on Saturday morning at 12 o'clock.

Oscar Traynor

We wish club players John P Grey and Graham O'Neill the best of luck on Sunday next when they take on Limerick in Cappoquin. The WWEC had a great win in Ennis. Another win on Sunday would do nicely.

Well done to Shane Ahearn who played for WWEC Interleague team against Limerick in Jackman Park.

Eircom Premier League: Singing the Blues

Waterford Utd In Playoffs Shamrock Rovers 0 Waterford Utd 0

This is a game that Vinny Sullivan will want to forget. Utd's top scorer this season,

Sullivan was set up after 87 minutes by another local lad, Willie John Kiely whose low cross appeared set for a simple tap in by Sullivan but sadly he missed the chance and the Blues are now in the playoffs as Longford Town are relegated.

Sullivan and Kiely tormented Rovers defence on the night but just could not find the net.

The game saw a big Waterford following attend Tolka Park to cheer on their heroes.

UTD: Delaney, Flynn, Hayes (Brown), Breen, Hedderman, Scully, Warren, D Mulcahy, McCarthy, Kiely, Sullivan.

Sympathy

The West Waterford branch of Waterford Utd Supporters Club would like to extend its deepest sympathy to the Coughlan family of Aghish on the tragic passing of Frank. May he rest in peace.

All Ticket

The Waterford Playoff game in the RSC will almost certainly be an all ticket affair. If so tickets will be on sale in Ger Wyley Sports Shop in O'Connell Street Dungarvan. Tune in to WLRFM or Beat FM or Youghal Community Radio for the latest news.

COCKPIT LANE WEST END RESIDENTS COMMITTEE

A meeting of the above group will take place in Nora Herlihy's House Thursday 15th of November at 8pm.

C.L.G. TULACH AN IARAINN -

SPONSORED BY TALLOW AREA CREDIT UNION
Naomh Columcille Visit

Talking to some of the Naomh Columcille officials before their return north on Sunday, they were at pains to emphasise the importance of their links with Tallow. Hurling in Tyrone hardly comes across the GAA radar. Indeed there are some "lifer types" in the locality who are prone to making derogatory remarks when I occasionally broach the subject on these notes. Unfortunately this type of elitist attitude, from small minded men, is all too common within hurling. Ger Louhane's comments about the Down officials after the Railway Cup final were contemptible when he stated that because of where they were from they didn't understand the game "as well as we do down here". Circumstances have dictated that the game in Ulster is not played at the same standard as it is in counties like Waterford. That doesn't mean that hurling men in the north understand or appreciate the game any less. Quit the contrary in fact. But it's not an argument I'm going to get into now.

Hurling clubs in the north or anywhere else where it is struggling to get established, need all the help they can get from clubs in stronger counties. They don't need our condescension or denigration. Real hurling people like Tony Mansfield appreciate this. Naomh Columcille have sent teams of different age groups to Tallow on 7 or 8 occasions over the last decade and we have undertaken reciprocal visits. I would like to think these exchanges have been mutually beneficial. The Tyrone lads we hope benefit from some coaching and indeed the exposure to a stronger hurling environment. There have been benefits for Tallow too. In 1997, Rachael Ryan took an u16 team to Coalisland to play in a tournament. The lads had a terrific win over Cushendall in the final. It may have been their first ever trophy, an important breakthrough. A couple of years later they won a minor county title. I'm convinced it helped in the development of these players. Many like Slats and Fada are now playing senior hurling for Tallow. Aidan Kearney, who was just a nipper at the time is now hurling for his county. It wasn't any trip to Tyrone that made them but it was part of a development process. Hurling people in this country are too few not to help each other to become stronger.

The lads arrived on Friday evening and following a brief courtesy call from Gerry Adams, Tony Mansfield who had taken time out, on a county final week end for Ballinacourty, addressed the lads in Lawlors. His talk, centred on "Matters under your control", was well received and his passion for the game struck a cord.

On Saturday morning Tony conducted an hour long coaching session at the Abbesside GAA grounds which Pat Moore also attended. Our thanks to the Abbesside club and Tony Mansfield in particular for their help. Kevin Tobin was as always more than helpful with arrangements.

The pitch in Tallow was in pristine condition for the game against our u21's after lunch on Saturday. The only hiccup to arrangements came when we ran out of oil to heat the showers but the Legend, ever vigilant for a sales opportunity, arrived in his East Cork truck to save the day. Our lads were fresher and proved too strong for the visitors. U21 manager, James Beecher was happy with the game as he awaits a Western Final date. It's getting harder to get challenge games this time of year.

After the game Naomh Columcille vice chairman Eamonn Campbell presented Tallow chairman John McDonnell with a couple of mementos, a Naomh Columcille club jersey and a Tyrone jersey and ball signed by the '05 team including Peter The Great, to mark the visit.

The Naomh Columcille annual dinner will be held on January 17th in the Glenavon House in Cookstown and we hope to have a delegation travelling.

Minor Hurling

We have no date yet for the replay of the county final. Challenge game tonight (Wednesday) in Ballynoe v St Colmans. Throw in at 6.30. Players to be there at 6.

Duirt Siad:

"89 appearances and only 1 goal. What went wrong?"

Kieran Ryan's txt from London on last weeks Bride View notes.

"They didn't count og's"

My response.

"I didn't know they played hurling in Tyrone"

Gerry Adams keeps the craic going with the Naomh Columcille lads on Friday night.

"There is a feeling in clubhouses too that it is the colour and the county we pay to see, not the players."

Tom Humphries on G.P.A. demands.

Tallow GAA Lotto - Supported by Kearney's Restaurant

Lotto Jackpot Reaches Record High

The Lotto jackpot stood at €10,300 going into Monday nights draw which to the best of my knowledge is the highest it has ever been. Somebody could have a nice windfall for Christmas so make sure you have your numbers in. Numbers drawn on 5/11/07 were 3,7,8,21. No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes go to Sean Walsh, Caithlin Pratt, Marian O'Boyle, E O'Hanrahan. Promoter Eamonn de Paor. Jackpot €10,300. Results next week.



Funding from Waterford Leader Partnership to Tallow Community Centre under the Leader Programme. Pictured is Jimmy Taaffe, WLP shaking hands with Sean Tobin, TCC following the presentation. (Photo; Sean Byrne.)

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB JUVENILE NOTES

MORE SUCCESS AT MUNSTER CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Fifty young athletes travelled to Carrignavar to take part in the second round of the Munster Cross Country Championships under 9, 11, 13, 15, 17 & 19. With over one thousand athletes taking part competition for medals was keen. They didn't have to wait long to get among the medal winners as the Waterford girls under 9 team took third place in the inter county contest and West Waterford supplied three of the scoring six. First home for the Waterford team was Chloe Beecher in 16th place, this was a huge improvement of thirty places on her run in the under 10s two weeks ago. Also improving on their recent outings were Aisling Mullaney 21st and Rachel Wyley 33rd who were the other scoring members of the team. Well done to all three on winning their first Munster cross-country medals. Also competing for West Waterford in their first outing at this level were Darina Shanley 50th, and Caoimhe Dwyer 51st. In the boys under 9 we had four athletes competing at this level for the first time. First home was Aidan McKenna 37th followed closely by Eoin Ryan 39th, next came Eric Keating 58th and Glenn O'Connor 63rd.

There were well over one hundred competitors in the girls under 11 race and Sarah Wyley ran a superb race to finish 28th next home was Cliona Ryan 47th followed by Rachel Morrissey 92, Roisin Uniacke 93, Sarah Jane Smith 97, Michelle Daly 99, Erica Crotty 100, Holly Mc Grath 107. In the boys race there was once again a large field taking part. Sean Curran returned after his recent illness to finish 20th with Tholm Reddy just one place behind in 21st, Oisín O'Mahoney moved up from the under 10s to finish 64th Eoin Dwyer 68th and Richard Casey 77th completed the West Waterford team.

West Waterford had six athletes competing in the under 13 girls and they finished as follows Lorraine Bray 51, Cara Mullaney 64, Kate Hickey 78, Dominique O'Mahoney 103, Lauren O'Sullivan 105, and Michelle Maher 108, While in the boys race, Cian Ryan was first home in 59th with Shane Nugent 85th and Luke Fennessey 88th.

GOLD MEDAL FOR EDEL ROCHE IN UNDER 17 GIRLS

Waterford had to wait for the under 17 girls race before they got among the medal winners again. The Waterford team took gold in the inter county race and among the scoring six was Edel Roche who is improving with every outing and finished in 19th place. There was also excellent running from Rebecca Maher 22nd and Claire Collins 26th and it was a pity they did not have a fourth scorer as they would surely have made it into the medals in the inter club competition. All three girls have qualified for the All Ireland, which will be held in Dungarvan on December 16th. In the under 15 girls Kate Veale returned to competition having been out of action through illness for the past two week and finished in 18th place. In the same race Clodagh Gallagher was 52nd, Colleen Whelan 70th and Lisa Houlihan 77th. In the boys race David Early was 26th and there was a welcome return to competition for Lughaidh O'Mahoney 45th and Darragh O'Riordan 52nd.

INDIVIDUAL MEDALS FOR DANIEL, ELMA, JENNY AND RORY

In the boys under 17 race Daniel Mc Carthy was up with the pace from the start and came home to claim an individual medal and a place on the Munster team for the All Ireland when he finished 7th.

Also running well was Joe Conway 14th and Brian Hallissey was back in action again and

finished 21st. We had just two competitors in very competitive girls under 19 race and both claimed individual medals and places on the Munster team for the All Ireland. Elma Nugent continued her good form of late to finish 7th while there was a great finish from Jenny Hurley who took 11th place.

In the boys under 19 the improvement made by Rory Moloney over the last few months was evident when he claimed 5th place with Des Sheehan 24th and Cian Ryan 30th it was a pity Mark Shalloe was out through illness we would surely have taken a team prize in this race. Well done to all who travelled and competed.

PARIS HERE WE COME

All arrangements are made and we head to Paris next Friday. The trip has generated a great air of excitement at training and all sixteen athletes have trained well for this event. We are looking forward to a good trip and hope that a number of our athletes have recovered sufficiently from their recent illnesses to run well on the day.

COUNTY B NEXT SUNDAY

The county B cross country championships under 9, 11, 13, and 15 will be held in the Friary next Sunday with a 1pm start. Anyone who won an individual medal or was a scoring member of a winning team at the A championships cannot take part. Check the list at training for who can compete. Medals will be awarded to the first 10 finishers in each race. Meet in Friary at 12.30 two-euro entry.

ALL IRELAND IN NEWBRIDGE

On Sunday 25th of November twenty five of West Waterford best athletes will travel to compete in the All Ireland Championships under 12, 14, 16, & 18. They will compete with province, county and club in the most important event in the cross county calendar. The following have qualified to compete

MUNSTER TEAMS

Kate Veale under 14 girls
David Early under 14 boys
Daniel Mc Carthy under 16 boys
Elma Nugent under 18 girls
Jenny Hurley under 18 girls
Mark Shalloe under 18 boys

COUNTY TEAMS

Waterford qualified four teams for the inter county contest and West Waterford is well represented in all these team. Those qualified are

Under 12 Boys: Sean Curran, Tholm Reddy, Richard Casey & Shane Nugent

Under 16 Boys: Daniel Mc Carthy, Joe Conway, Tom Curran, Jim Curran, Brian Hallissey,

Under 18 Girls: Elma Nugent, Jenny Hurley,

Under 18 Boys: Mark Shalloe Club Teams

Under 16 Girls: Edel Roche, Rebecca Maher, Claire Collins, Clodagh Gallagher, Kate Kennedy, Colleen Whelan & Lisa Houlihan.

Under 16 Boys: Daniel Mc Carthy, Joe Conway, Tom Curran, Jim Curran, Brian Hallissey, Lughaidh O'Mahony, Darragh O'Riordan

Under 18 Girls: Elma Nugent, Jenny Hurley, Shona Curran, and Stacey Lyons.

It is with regret that we learned of the untimely passing of Alvie Power wife of our County Chairman Noel, we extend our deepest sympathies to all the Power family.

EASONS C.C. LEAGUE

Week 4 of the Eason Dungarvan sponsored Juvenile Cross Country League had excellent running conditions again on Friday evening. A total of 12 athletes ran personal bests. The biggest improvement came from Dearbhla Whelan who took a massive 59 seconds off her previous best time. Sarah Wyley was also very impressive improving by 26 seconds. Cara Mullaney, Claire

Collins, Jenny Hurley, Hanna O'Connor and Dominique O'Mahony all improved by a few seconds. At this stage only 2 athletes have improved every week Shane Nugent and Clodagh Curran who is running the 1000 metre lap. Also doing the shorter lap and improving nicely are Rachel O'Grady, Niamh Campbell and James Cotter. The team competition is hotting up nicely. David Early's team still lead with Elma Nugent's team in second and Kate Veale's team moving up the table into 3rd place. There will be no league this Friday as quite a few of the athletes will be away in Paris. Next round on Friday, 23rd November.

Times Recorded Friday 9th November - Mark Shalloe 6.00. Des Sheehan 6.27. Brian Hallissey 6.29. David Early 6.30. Tom Curran 6.48. Lughaidh O'Mahony 7.01. Elma Nugent 7.12. Jenny Hurley 7.19. Kate Veale 7.25. Tholm Reddy 7.35. Jim Curran 7.35. Claire Collins 7.41. Edel Roche 7.45. Rebecca Maher 7.46. Oisín O'Mahony 7.52. Cian Ryan 7.54. Sean Curran 7.58. Clodagh Gallagher 8.09. Eoin Dwyer 8.19. Kate Kennedy 8.21. Richard Casey 8.31. Sarah Wyley 8.34. Shane Nugent 8.45. Colleen Whelan 8.48. Una McGrath 8.54. Kate Hickey 8.56. Cliona Ryan 9.05. Cara Mullaney 9.06. Gemma Wyley 9.09. Dearbhla Whelan 9.26. Caoimhe Dwyer 9.32. Dominique O'Mahony 9.33. Paul Curran 9.41. Rachel Young 9.51. John Curran 9.58. Hanna O'Connor 10.01. Ellen Curran 10.16. Shane O'Riordan 10.19.

1000 Metre Lap - Aisling Mullaney 4.04. Darina Shanley 4.08. Aidan McKenna 4.10. Eoin Ryan 4.11. Niall Blackwell 4.16. Rachel Wyley 4.18. Niamh Campbell 4.23. Chloe Beecher 4.24. Eric Keating 4.32. James Cotter 4.35. Danielle Sheehan 4.35. Sarah Morrissey 4.40. John Blackwell 4.44. Clodagh Curran 4.45. Rachel O'Grady 4.46. Holly McGrath 5.53. Glen O'Connor 7.03. Michelle Sheehan 7.21.

County Board Meeting

CHANGE OF FIXTURE

The under 21 Western Hurling Final involving Abbeyside and Lismore has been brought forward from Sunday to Saturday at Fraher Field. The game will be preceded by the Gleeson Cup Final.

The County Board gave approval for the land in the Curran's Boreen area to be used as a car park during important match days. A railing is to be erected around the area.

The Treasurer Michael Hogan informed the meeting that the overall cost of training teams this year is 501,900 euro and half of this figure relates to the senior hurling panel. The meeting were told that the criteria for claiming the 250,000 euro funding for clubs will be decided upon this week.

Convention date was confirmed for Friday, December 14th.

Western Board Fixtures

SATURDAY 17/11/07 @ 2.30PM
Sean Byrnes Photography U-21 A Hurling Final
Abbeyside v Lismore @ Fraher Field Ref T O Sullivan
SUNDAY 18/11/07 @ 2.30PM
Radley Engineering IFC Final
Geraldines v Ballinameela @ Fraher Field Ref D O Murchadha.

WATERFORD COUNTY G.A.A. BOARD FIXTURE

Sun 18/11/07

Senior Hurling relegation

Ballyduff Lower V Clonea @ Kill time: 11.30am

Ref: M. Wadding extra time if necessary.

WATERFORD COUNTY GAA BOARD NEWS

U21 FOOTBALL SELECTORS FOR 2008

Manager: M. J. Ryan (Nire); Selectors: John Troy, Kilmacthomas, Maurice Lannon, Stradbally.

It has come to the notice of the County Board that an unofficial "Waterford Wall planner" is in the process of being printed. Businesses and Individuals have been approached for sponsorship on the pretext that the County Board and Players will benefit from the sales, however this is not the case. Therefore we advise our supporters to be extra vigilant when handing over sponsorship.

— Waterford P.R.O.

CLG na Rinne

Torthai Lotto - 5/11/2007

Bhí €5,500 sa phota óir agus tarraingíodh na huimhreacha 6,10,14 agus 19. Ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir ann agus bhuaigh na daoine seo a leanas €20 an duine: David Murphy, Christy Ó Cuirrín, Tigh Uí Mhuirithe, Seán Kelly agus Caoimhín Ó Cuirrín.

Iomáint Sóisear

Chas an fhoireann shóisear ar an gCláis Mhór i gceacht an iarthair ar an Satharn seo chaite. Bhí na foirne gob ar ghob don chéad cheathrú. Chuir cúl ó Cárthach Mac Craith solas an lae idir na foirne agus bhíomar ceithre phointe chun cinn ag leath am. D'imir An Rinn leis an ngaith sa dara leath agus chuir sé seo go mór le himirt na dtosaíthe. D'aimsigh Reamóinn Ó Turraoinn scóranna breátha chun an bua a cinntiú. D'imir gach aoinne le croí agus misneach agus bhumar an cluiche leis an scór An Rinn 2-10, An Chlais Mhór 0-6. Bhain gortú dona do Noel Ó Murchadha nuair a shábháil sé poc saor sa dara leath. Guimíd gach rath air agus tá súil againn go mbeidh sé in ard a shláinte go luath. An Fhoireann: Noel Ó Murchadha, Eamonn de Paor, Liam Ó Cuirrín, Éanna de Faoite, Réamóinn de Paor, Séimí Mac Craith, Tomás de Faoite, Eugene Ó Cuirrín, Déuglán Ó hArtaigh, Tomás Ó Cadhla, Cathal Ó Cuirrín, Réamóinn Ó Turraoinn, Mícheál Ó Lallaí, Cárthach Mac Craith, Darragh Ó hIarlaíthe. Fir Ionaí: Tomás Mac Craith, Eoin Mac Craith, Dáithí Ó Condúin, Mícheál Seán Ó Murchadha, Cormac Ó hUallacháin. Beidh an Rinn ag imirt Dún Aill i gceacht an chontae amach anseo i bpáirc in oirthear an chontae.

Iomáint idir-mheánach
Thug an fhoireann idir-mheánach aghaidh ar Dhún Garbhán i gceacht an iarthair ar an Satharn seo chaite chomh maith. Thosnaíomar go maith agus d'aimsíomar dhá chúl go luath sa chluiche. Bhí caighdeán na himeartha thar a bheith ard agus bhí an cluiche ag dul ar luas lasrach ó cheann ceann na páirce. Tháinig Dún Garbhán thar n-ais isteach sa chluiche. Fuair eadar cúl chinníunacha chun bearna de cúig phointe a chur idir na foirne ag leath am. Dún Garbhán 4-5 An Rinn 3-3. Choiméad Dún Garbhán solas an lae idir na foirne agus cé gur dhein imreoirí na Rinne a seacht ndícheall ní rabhamar in ann an bhearna a laghdú. D'aimsíomar cúl agus gan ach 3 nóimint fágtha ar an gclóg. Ní rabhamar in ann scór an bhua a fháil, áfach, agus bhuaigh Dún Garbhán an cluiche. Dún Garbhán 4-10, An Rinn 4-8. An Fhoireann: Níoclás Ó Lionáin, Eoin Breathnach, Cillian Ó Murchadha, Shane Ó Cuirrín, Jeaic Ó hArtaigh, Pádraig Ó hArtaigh, Ciarán Ó Manacháin, Shane Ó Ceallaigh, Noel Ó Murchadha, Liam Ó Lionáin, Dónal Ó Murchadha, Eamonn Ó Crotaigh, Pádraig Ó Murchadha, Cian Ó Conchubhair, Tadhg Ó hUallacháin. Fir Ionaí: Darach Breathnach, Billí Breathnach, Peaidí Catháin, Liam de Grás, Stíofán de Brún, Gortaíodh Séamus Ó Lionáin an tseachtain seo chaite i gcluiche iomána. Guimíd go léir gach rath ar Shéamus.

St. Olivers GAA Notes

UNDER 16 HURLING

We played Cois Brid in last Sunday's under 16 B western final.

Cois Brid have our measure with a bit to spare over the years in this age group, so we travelled to Cappoquin more in hope than confidence.

However on Sunday the St. Olivers lads came with a late run and a pair of Kieran Lynch points followed by a cracking Jim Curran goal ten minutes from time put them into a lead that they maintained to the end to beat Cois Brid on a 1-10 to 1-08 scoreline.

This victory was a great boost for this group of players after the disappointment of the county final defeat to Ferrybank a couple of weeks ago.

It was fitting that captain Conor Buckley should receive the western trophy as he has lead this team with sterling performances all through the year.

Sincere thanks to the selectors Mick Heaphy, Pádraig O'Brien and Austin Curran for all their work throughout the season.

Our panel on Sunday was: B. Phelan, J. Longan, C. Buckley, S. Meskill, S. McGrath, K. Phelan, R. Fitzgerald, D. O'Brien, T. Curran, J. Ryan, J. Curran, K. Lynch, C. Walsh, D. O'Connell, M. Heaphy, J. Shine, B.O'Dwyer, O. O'Connell, L. Looby, S. McGovern, P. Hickey and J. Glavin.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

We look forward to a very interesting clash between our two parent clubs Aghlish and Ballinameela in the western Intermediate football final this weekend.

Sitting in our neutral corner all the St. Olivers P.R.O. can say is "may the best team win".

MANCHESTER UNITED

SUPPORTERS CLUB NEWS

WATERFORD BRANCH BLACKBURN BRUSHED ASIDE

As the headline suggests Blackburn were dispatched with great efficiency as Ronaldo showed why he was named in the World team of the year with a clinical brace. It was certainly a lot easier than was expected. The lads that were over enjoyed a good weekend when we encountered some seriously poor efforts by Edenderry branch to sing some of the terrace chants and to be polite about it (got the words mixed up on more than one occasion) in the hotel after the match.

HOPE YOU WERE ON

The dreaded predictions were both right last week with the 4-0 victory over Kiev and then the scorecast in the Blackburn game with Ronaldo to score first and United to win 2-0 paid a handsome 25/1 and yours truly was on and all the sweeter to be paid in sterling. HAPPY DAYS !! Ok Damien and John I got it into the notes.

KIEV TRIP HUGE SUCCESS

Having spoke to a lot of the lads that travelled to the match with Colaiste Chaorthil Naofa in a non event as a contest they were more than happy with the stadium and the atmosphere and several expressed an interest in visiting again as soon as possible. When you have been to the "Mecca" of football you can't but be impressed and be hungry for more. Well done to the school for organising the trip for the lads.

TICKET FINAL WARNING

Having spoken at the last few meetings regarding tickets and fixture changes in particular, this is a final WARNING to those who have not made contact re PROVISIONALLY BOOKED tickets (all matches in the new year).

You must contact the secretary within the next 7 days to clarify your place and arrange payment asap as previously advised. If a fixture changes and you have flights arranged and decide not to travel you will forfeit your ticket money as per the branch rules. TAKE THIS WARNING SERIOUSLY ! Deadline date 21st of November - NO EXCEPTIONS.

QUIZ TIME AGAIN

Even with the really difficult questions last week one member stands out as "The brain of football" and that is none other than Patrick Sheehan who rattled off the answers with ease at the meeting last week. With that in mind here are a few for the craic.

1. Which 4 men have played in and later managed a European Cup winning side?

2. Name 4 British players between 1980-1991 who played on the losing side in a European Cup losing side?

3. Just for the Scousers - Who were the only 2 players to play both for and against Liverpool in an F A Cup final?

FOOTBALL FUNNIES

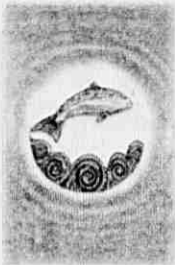
Here are some of the funniest quotes made by managers "I am a firm believer that if you score one goal, the other team have to score two to win"-HOWARD WILKINSON "What I said to them at half-time would be unprintable on radio"-GERRY FRANCIS

And last but not least possible new Ireland manager TERRY VENABLES— "If history repeats itself, I should expect the same thing again" God help Ireland if that is the wizard we end up with.

CHRISTMAS DRAW

Tickets are available from all committee members and some members. Otherwise contact the secretary on 086 3925677 or ask in John Keane's where they are on sale also.

BLACKWATER COMMUNITY SCHOOL NEWS



Science Week

Best of luck to all our science students who will be attending many workshops and demonstrations to see the fun and adventure to science, engineering and technology this week. They will also be taking part in the Science Week organised by the Science Teachers Association in Waterford.

Road Safety Week

From Monday Nov 12th to Fri 15th the LCA group are organising a Road Safety Awareness week in Blackwater Community School. The students will be holding a Garda Presentation, Workshops, Poster Campaign, and a whole School survey on safety during the week. We hope that it will be a success and students will become more aware of the importance of road safety on our roads.

Hurling

Well done to county senior Limerick

hurling champions Adare and to PE/Irish teacher Mr Foley who had a great win over Croom last Sunday to capture the title.

In school well done to the senior hurling team who beat Borrisoleigh last Monday, to the Colaisti na nDeise team who beat Cashel Community School last Wednesday in the Harty Cup match.

Soccer

Congratulations to the boys under 16 soccer team who won 4-2 last Tuesday playing at home to Tramore CBS and to the under 15 girls soccer team who played against Ballyhale and won 5-1 on Thursday at home on the Astroturf. Good luck to the under 14 boys who play against Comeragh College < Carrick on Suir this Wednesday.

Careers News

On Tuesday last sixth year students attended a Study Skills workshop including modules on Time Management, the SQ3R and Mind Map study methods, Co-operative learning groups and examination

techniques.

Students interested in careers in the hospitality industry attended a seminar in WIT on Thursday 8th November on career opportunities offered by Faighte Ireland.

We were treated to a cookery demonstration by senior students in the Culinary skills course followed by a tour of the college. We then went into the auditorium where lectures take place and the Faighte Ireland DVD 'Get a Life in Tourism' was shown. This was followed by student testimonials on what it is like to study at WIT and what kind of job opportunities are available after qualifying, many of which seem to include travelling to work in five star hotels, and finally we were served a light lunch cooked by the WIT students.

On Thursday 15th Nov. the Careers night will be held in the school from 7 to 9pm.

Parent Teacher Meetings

The 6th year meeting will have taken place this Tuesday and the 3rd year Parent Teacher Meeting will take place next Thursday 22nd November from 1 pm to 3.30pm.



Pictured above is the St. Declan's Under-18 soccer team who defeated Blackwater College last Thursday.

ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTES

SOCCER U-18 MUNSTER CUP Blackwater College Lismore 1 St. Declan's 2

St. Declan's travelled to Lismore last Thursday for this first round game and they recorded a well deserved win that could have been more

comfortable with some better finishing. We got off to a dream start when after just two minutes Adrian Curran's corner kick was headed goalwards by Dean Murphy and despite a defender

clearing the ball off the line Mairtin de Paor was on hand to steer it home.

With the midfield dominating the exchanges St. Declan's created a number of good chances but it took them until the 50th minute to add to their tally when Tommy Prendergast made it 2-0 from close range following a cross by John Flynn.

Following this goal the Lismore school came more into the game and in the 74th minute they reduced the deficit. Both teams had penalty claims turned down but it was St. Declan's who finished the stronger, to advance to the next round and a game against Mitchelstown or Cobh.

Team: K. Burns, J. Flynn, D. Fahey, P. Kearns, G. Shannon, A. Curran, E. Kenny, T. Prendergast, D. Murphy, M. de Paor, J. Burns. Res: B. Gallagher for A. Curran (inj), C. Buckley, C. Power, B. Flynn, M. Millea, A. Whelan, P. Lynn, D. Kiely.

LAURA GRIFFIN

Pictured over is Laura Griffin being presented with an award by Mr. John Landers in recognition of her fantastic results in the

2007 Junior Cert. Laura achieved 11 Grade A's on Higher Level papers and was one of the top students in the country.

Also included in the picture are Laura's parents, Breda and Willie Griffin.

SHOEBOX APPEAL

Many thanks to our students who generously supported our annual Shoebox Appeal. The gift filled shoe-boxes will be much welcome Christmas presents for young boys and girls in many different countries. A big thank you also to the parents who get involved.

MAKE-UP AND BEAUTY NIGHT

St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas will hold a Make-Up and Beauty Night at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan on Thursday, 22nd November at 7:45pm sharp. Tickets are €12 and are available on the door and through the school or reserve a ticket by telephone. 051-294100. Complimentary Goodie Bag for everyone. Lots of Prizes and many Stalls with great Christmas Gift ideas. Your support would be greatly appreciated.



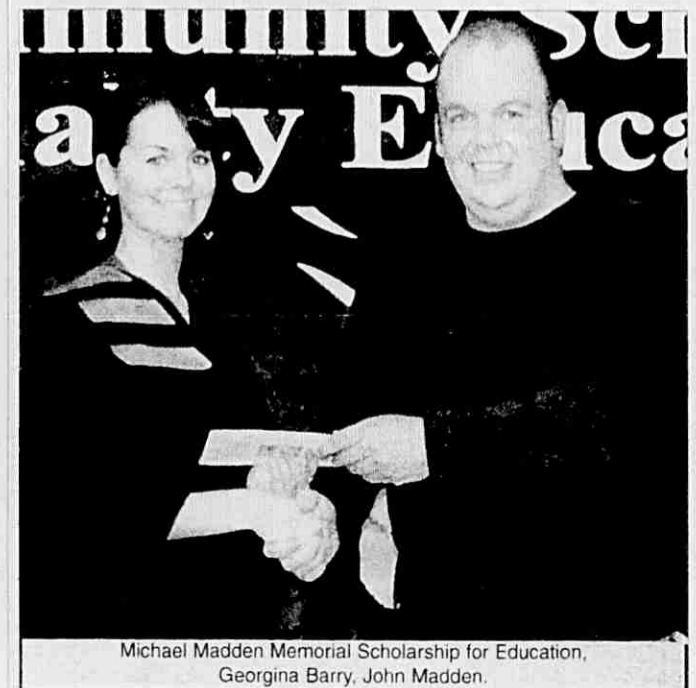
BLACKWATER COMMUNITY SCHOOL AWARDS PRESENTATIONS



Arts Education Scholarship, Helen O'Donovan, David Reynolds, Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds.



Kevin Moroney, Gold Medal in Accounting, John Heneghan.



Michael Madden Memorial Scholarship for Education, Georgina Barry, John Madden.



Science Scholarship, Niamh Geary, Michael McGrath Jnr.



Anne Bennett, Kevin Moroney, Gold Medal in Mathematics, Sharon O'Gorman.



Georgina Barry, Gold Medal in History, Sheena Wilkinson.



John Nugent, Gold Medal in German, Joern Wiebe, Nicola Barrett.



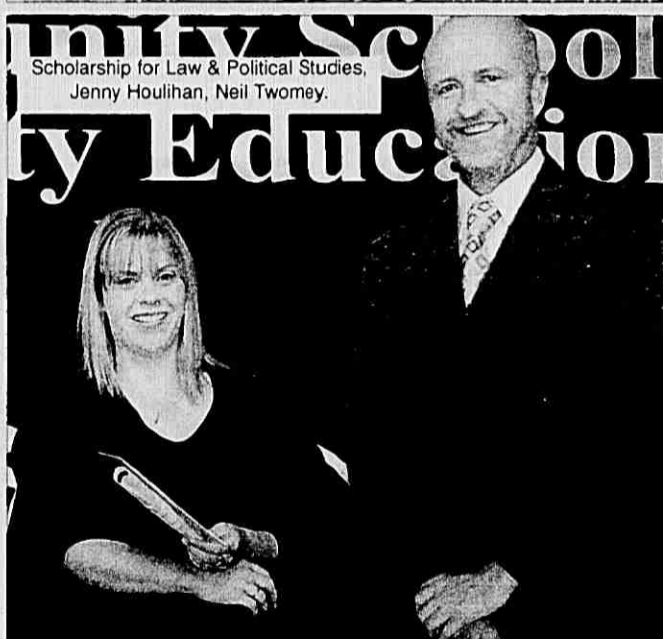
Denis Ring, John Coleman, Award for Community Service.



Hall of Fame Award, Denis Ring, Sr. Margaret Mary, Anne Fitzgerald.



Seamus Fitzgerald, Gold Medal in Chemistry, Margo Cashman, Michelle Hanrahan.



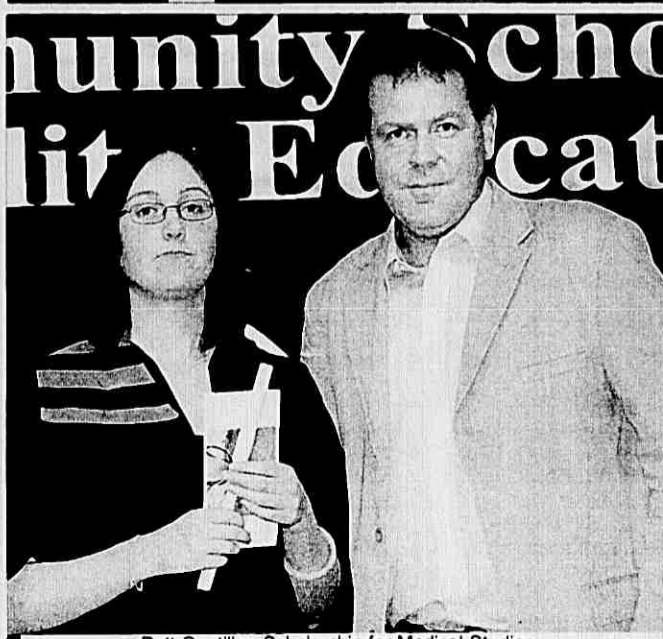
Scholarship for Law & Political Studies, Jenny Houlihan, Neil Twomey.



Arts & Design Scholarship, Sarah O'Brien, Alison Ackroyd.



Kieran Fennessy, Gold Medal in Construction Studies, Michael McBride.



Patt Cantillon Scholarship for Medical Studies, Catherina Hennessy, Billy Cantillon.



John Owens, Gold Medal in Geography, Ann Ita Doolan.

BALLYSGAGGART NOTES

CARDS RESULTS

1st Nov. John Kennefick and Joe Power. Ber Coughlan and Mary Power. Bertie Neville and Sean Kelly. Lucky tables; Mary Whelan and Dan O'Brien. Nellie Devine and Cissie Power. Pat O'Connor and Pat Kirby. Tickets; Dan O'Brien, Tess Hale, Michael Fennessy and Jackie Houlihan.

8th Nov. Pat O'Connor and Pat Kirby. Nellie Devine and Cissie Power. Bridie O'Brien and Stephen Cunningham. Lucky tables; Mary Power and Ber Coughlan. Dan Howard and Finola Hynes. John Kennefick and Joe Power. Tickets; Tom Nugent and Dan O'Brien. Nellie Devine and Johnny Prendergast.

GAA - Co. Final Success

Sunday last week will stand out as a red letter day in the clubs story when we captured our third ever junior hurling title. We started very well and led by 6 points and as we seem to have done all year we let Bonmahon back at us. Half time saw us ahead by just 1 point 1-5 to 1-4. In an exciting second half we were down a point at one stage, but in the last ten minutes we pulled away and eventually won on the scoreline of 3-10 to 1-8. The scenes of excitement after the game showed what this win meant to us. We now go on to the Munster semi final which is due to be played sometime toward the end of the month. An awful lot of people put a lot of effort into winning this final. Firstly the players and management and then all the people who do so much work behind the scenes and which rarely gets noticed, to one and all we say a sincere thank you and well done and once again to all our very generous sponsors who once again helped us out we say thanks very much.

Golden Goal

The time of the Golden Goal was 9 minutes of the first half, who ever has that ticket is asked to contact 087-6742117 before Saturday next, 10th November to claim prize of 100 euro.

Congratulations

Congratulations to our near neighbours Ballyduff who made it an all west day in Walsh Park by winning the senior title.

Thanks

We wish to sincerely thank the individuals and clubs who went to the trouble of ringing and writing to wish us well before the game and after the game to congratulate us - it was all appreciated.

Lotto Results

Numbers drawn Tuesday 30th October 3-6-9-12. No jackpot winner. 15 euro winners as follows; John Delaney, Tallow; Tom Walsh Snr; Anna Moore. Numbers drawn Tues. 6th 3-7-8-20. No jackpot winner. 15 euro winners as follows; Tom Cunningham, Jack Casey and Jim Kearney. Jackpot Tuesday 13th 2,375 euro. Results next week.

Munster Championship

We will meet the winners of the Cork/Clare game on Sunday 25th. The venue will depend on who will be our opponents.

U-21 Hurling Western Final
The Western Final of U-21 is due to be played this weekend between Lismore/Ballysgaggart and Abbeyside. We wish them well. Check for time and venue. I haven't them at time of writing.

Best of luck

We wish Ballyduff the best of luck on Sunday next when they play the Clare champions in Ennis in the Munster semi final.

Pride of Place

It seems Ballyduff have got into the habit of winning. We congratulate them on their win at the weekend in the Pride of Place competition.

Apologies

My apologies for non appearance of notes last week - circumstances beyond my control.

JOHNNY CARROLL

The Ballysgaggart Community Festival committee presented Johnny Carroll for a night of dance in the Lismore House Hotel last Friday night. The night was well attended and the committee would like most sincerely to thank everyone for coming. Pat Heskin was the support band on the night and also went down a treat with the crowd. The committee would also like to thank the Lismore House Hotel for the use of the function room for the night and to our gracious sponsors on the night who are as follows; Sean Roche, Ballysgaggart; Dodo & Willie Mulcahy (Burncourt); Lismore House Hotel, Kellehers Supervalu (Cappoquin); Cappoquin Chickens; Hair & Beauty Gallery (Lismore); Mary F.M. Fashions (Lismore); Karen Frewen (Ballyduff); Lismore Farmers Market.

A huge thank you also to our junior county champions who brought in the Western and County Cups.

The committee would like to extend heartiest and warmest wishes and every success to our boys in blue as they play in the Munster club championship in a couple of weeks time.

Best of luck lads!

A great night was had by all and once again thanks to all who attended.

HILL FARMERS ASSOCIATION MASS

There will be Mass celebrated for the Hill Farmers Association this coming Friday night, November 16th. It was announced last Sunday that Mass would commence at 7.30 pm which is incorrect, it will be celebrated at 8 pm instead.

Touraneena Notes

CHARITY AUCTION

A charity auction will be held in Dunford's Bar on Sunday 9th December. There will be lots of exciting goods on offer including Christmas gifts at very reasonable prices, so don't miss out on the bargains. Auction commences at 9 pm. No entrance fee.

GET WELL WISHES

To Fr. Martin Keogh, Knockanore who is presently a bit under the weather. Wishing Fr. Martin back to full health soon.

SYMPATHY

We extend sincere sympathy to Pa Moore, Clonmel on the recent death of his wife Bernadette, also to her sons, daughter, sisters, nephews, nieces and all relatives and friends. May she rest in peace.

OFF TO BOLIVIA

We wish the best of luck to Gemma Cliffe and Eithne Skehan at the world racquetball championship in Bolivia on December 10th - 20th.

WEDDING

Congratulations to Dick Power, Touraneena, son of Tony and the late Ann Power, Touraneena and Tracy Long, daughter of Dave and Kay Long, Springmount, Dungarvan who we married recently in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan. Long life and happiness to both.

HAPPY EVENT

Congratulations to Terrie and Daniel on the birth of a baby girl Alicie. We wish Terrie, Daniel and Alicie many years of health and happiness. Alicie is granddaughter of Alice Burke and the late Ned Burke, Touraneena.

Nótaí na Gaeltachta

Scéim Sparánachta sna hEalaíona 2008

Cuireann Ealaíon na Gaeltachta fáilte roimh ealaíontóirí iarratas dhéanamh ar Sparánacht sna hEalaíona 2008. Tá an scéim dírithe orthu siúd atá ag saothrú mar ealaíontóirí gairmiúla. Bronnfar uasmhéid de €12,500 faoin scéim seo agus caithfear an ciste a tharraingt taobh istigh de thréimhse 18 mí. Tá an scéim seo dírithe ar ealaíontóir atá lonnaithe sa Gaeltacht. Ní mór an t-eolas seo a leanas a chur leis an iarratas: CV den ealaíontóir a bheidh páirteach, samplaí dá chuid oibre agus eolas ábhartha ar bith eile. Seol d'iarratas chuig Eibhlín de

Paor, Ealaíon na Gaeltachta, Baile Mhic Íre, Maigh Chromtha, Co. Chorcaí nó ar ríomh phost chuig e.depaor@udaras.ie

Sean nós Beo

Buailfidh an grúpa faoi stiúir Chiarán Ó Gealbháin le chéile ar an gCéadaoin an 21ú lá Samhain 2007 ó 7.30pm go dtí 9.30pm i Meánscoil San Nioclás, An Rinn. Más maith leat amhrántí agus Gaoluinn bí linn. Fáilte roimh chách. This group will meet under the guidance of Chiarán Ó Gealbháin on Wednesday the 21st of November from 7.30pm to 9.30pm in Meánscoil San Nioclás, An Rinn.

If you like songs and Irish be there. All are welcome.

Cairde

Buaileann an grúpa seo lena chéile uair amháin sa mhí i gcistin Halla Pobail na Rinne ar an gcéad Mháirt den mhí. Beidh siad ag bualadh lena chéile arís ar an 4ú lá de mhí na Nollag 2007 óna 3.00in go dtí 5.00in. Más mian leat a bheith ag caint bí ann. Bíonn an comhrá dhátheangach. This group meets once a month in the kitchen of Halla Phobail na Rinne. They will meet again on the 4th of December 2007 from 3.00pm to 5.00pm. If you would like to make new friends and chat be there!

Ranganna Gaeluinne

Tá ag éirí go breá leis na ranganna i nGaoluinn na nDéise atá ar bun i Meánscoil San Nioclás. Cúigear is fiche ar fad atá cláraithe idir mhuintir na háite, cairde ón chontae agus fiú chomh fada ó bhaile le Cill Chainnigh. Saibhreas teangan, téacsanna, téipeanna agus cur is eúiteamh ar bun gach oíche

Dhéardaoin. Ní bheidh aon rang ann ar an 15ú. An chéad rang eile: 22 Samhain. The advanced classes in the Déise dialect are in full swing. Twenty five people attend regularly and come from both the locality, the county in general and from as far afield as Kilkenny. Wealth of language, texts, tapes and discussion every Thursday night. No class on the 15th, next class: 22 Nov.

Eolas Teagmhála

Má tá aon eolas agat go dteastaíonn uait a chur i Nótaí na Gaeltachta téir i dteangmháil leis an Aisitheoir Pobail, Anne-Marie de Búrca trí ghlaoch a chur ar 058-46752 nó ar ríomhphost chuig eolas@deise.ie nó ar fón póca ar 087-9141494.

If you have any information that you wish to be published in Nótaí na Gaeltachta please contact the Community facilitator Anne-Marie de Búrca on 058-46752 or on email eolas@deise.ie or on mobile phone 087 9141494

DUNGARVAN CAMERA CLUB NOTES

The November meeting of the Club was well attended on Tuesday night. The Chairman welcomed the new members and the provision of photos for various forthcoming events were discussed. After the 'business' had been processed, for the benefit of those members who were unable to participate in the recent Field Trips to

(a) The Saltee Islands and

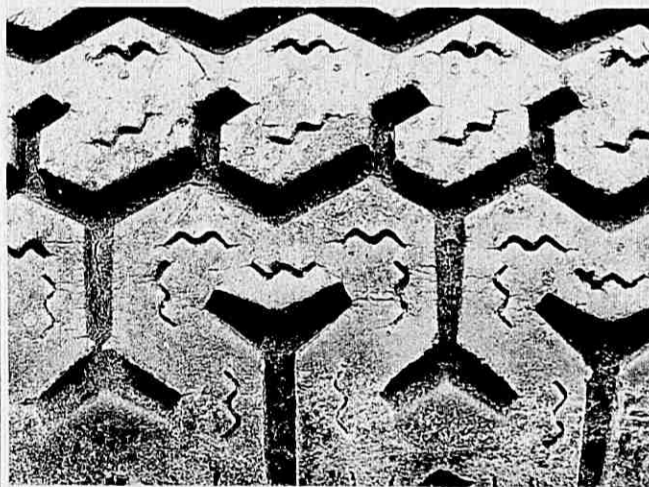
(b) Fota Wildlife Park and Gardens, a slide show composed of images recorded on the trips was shown.

under optimum conditions of light, etc. No problem on the Salties where Gannets and Puffins posed happily, it would seem, in beautiful sunshine for our intrepid photographers! The day in Fota was, however, overcast, but the images portrayed gave evidence of what can be done with a little bit of camera skill and a good sense of composition. The colours of foliage in autumn are beautiful. Thanks to Ludovic, John P, Eugene, Francis, Richard and Tony for their shots and commentaries. The new Club digital projector works a treat.

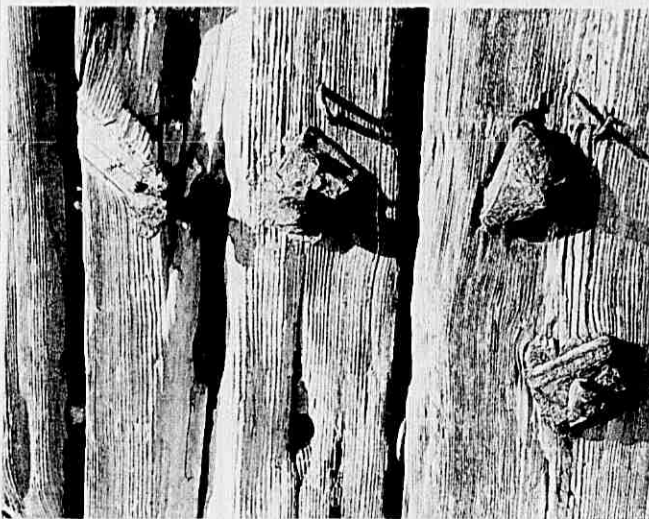
These outings are a valuable part of our Club activities, as there is opportunity for beginners to confer with experienced members, on a one to one basis, as to how to go about taking good pictures and getting the best out of their cameras.

This month's tutorial, given by John Pelham, explained the intricacies of 'LORES' and 'HIRES' to novices like me! The mysteries of 'cropping' and '300 d.p.i.' were also explained. Hope I can remember it all.

The subject for this month's competition was 'Patterns and Textures'. Both 1st and 2nd Prizes were won by John Pelham.



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Is the global property market at sustainable growth levels? Is the house price bubble going to burst some day here in Ireland as it has done in Spain, or will it only gently deflate?

The ideal scenario is the soft landing option, say economists, which will cause the least disruption, especially to new buyers and speculators who may have over borrowed to get onto the property ladder and are vulnerable to anything that will affect not just their ability to meet monthly mortgage repayments (like rising interest rates) but the re-sale value of their home. Even a sharp 'correction' in prices could push some buyers into 'negative equity' in which the market value of their home ends up being worth less than their mortgage.

There are ways to protect yourself from both a property market 'correction' of a full blown meltdown.

Accelerate your mortgage repayments now to reduce your debt and increase the amount of equity you own. If your house is currently worth 350k euro, but you only own 50k euro worth of equity in it or just over 14%, and prices drop to 280k, but you will still owe the bank 300k euro. This is negative equity.

Spend less. During volatile or even uncertain economic times you should be doing your best to live within your means.

Reduce your other debt. Use any savings earning low interest rates to pay off your most expensive debt - credit cards, hire purchase agreements and personal loans. Cut up the credit cards and learn to use cash again.

Your house is a liability until it is paid off. Stop 'investing' any further in it until you own more equity in it, at least 30%, but ideally even more to provide a sufficient cushion in the event of a price downturn. If your house is currently valued at 350k euro, this means you should own at least 105k worth of equity.

Reduce your mortgage liability by renting a spare room in your house. The Rent a Room scheme allows you to earn 7,620 euro a year, tax-free, income that could be used to reduce your outstanding mortgage. Someone with a 300k mortgage will pay a total repayment of interest and capital of nearly 579,600 over the course of typical 30 year mortgage. By taking on a lodger for five years, at a monthly charge of even 466 euro a month or 5,592 euro a year, you will reduce the term of the loan 20 years and reduce the total capital and interest repayment to 475,200 euro, a saving of 104,400 euro.

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Dungarvan Rugby News

PRESIDENT TO ATTEND 40TH CELEBRATIONS

The President of the Irish Rugby Football Union, Mr Der Healy, is set to attend the Dungarvan Rugby Club's 40th anniversary celebrations in The Park Hotel next Saturday Night. Players from all four decades of the club will be in attendance at the function. The function starts at 8.00pm and is not 'Black Tie'. All ticket money should be given to Tim Shanley before the night.

DUNGARVAN 2ND XV 12 CARRIGALINE 28

Our 2nd XV played at home last Sunday in a hotly contested match in the 2 league. We had no 1st team game, with a lot of players wishing to attend Munsters game against Wasps and also the Ballinacorney county final (which we congratulate them on winning) we just about put out a team. We had our fair share of possession but Carrigaline are very well organized at this level and caught us on the hop with a few good fast moves which reaped good tries. We came strong in the second half but even with late tries from Richard Laffan and Warren Hogan, we had left our comeback too late once again. John Ahearne made his debut for Dungarvan and did nothing wrong.

Paul Landers showed no mean speed and skill to create Hogans try and Paul duly slotted the conversion like an old pro. There's a lot more to come from these guys. Watch this space. There are no fixtures this weekend on account of the dinner dance but our training continues on the field for 7.15pm Tuesday and Friday.

Squad: R. Mahony, S. Cleary, T O'Mahony, S. Walsh, J. Fraher, C. Bulfin, P. Walsh, C. Shields, R. Laffan, C. Landers, E. Cunningham, A. French, W. Hogan, M. Gough, M. Irwin, P. Landers, J. Ahearne, M. Shanley, S O'Donnell.

UNDER AGE NEWS

Dungarvan Juvenile Rugby Teams played several East Munster League matches this weekend. The U18s traveled to Thurles and lost 35-8.

The U16s were away to Roscrea and won 29-0. The U14s played Killeacle at home and won 29-5. The U13s played Killeacle in a friendly and lost 27 - 14. All full match reports will be published next week.

Congratulations to Pa Cuddihy and Liam Flynn who were selected for the representative squad to play for East Munster against South Munster at U17s level later this month. This is a great achievement for the players concerned and great reward got a lot of hard work concerning attending and traveling to many training sessions in South Tipperary.

There are no League matches next week but it is hoped to play the first match in the interschool series at U16s level in Ballyrandle next Saturday November 17th at 12 noon. Teams from the Friary and the CBS will compete. This event is to be confirmed by the respective coaches at training 6pm on Wednesday next.

The U13s will travel to Waterpark on Saturday 17th November to play in a major blitz versus Waterpark, Sunday's Well and Middleton. Transport leaving clubhouse at 09.25am.

MINIS

The mini rugby Teams (u12s to u7s) will travel to Waterpark on Sunday 18th November to play in a major blitz versus Waterpark, Kilkenny and Blackrock Dublin. Transport leaving clubhouse at 09.25am. Training for all Saturday next at 10.30am.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Niamh Briggs who has been included in the Irish Senior Ladies squad after some good performances for Munster in the Interpros.

Dungarvan Chess Club News



Keeping It In The Family! — 1st and 2nd in the Bank of Ireland League 2007 are Asta Liobikiene and Ausra Leikute.

The 2007/08 chess season is now underway and anyone interested is welcome to attend our club nights.

The junior section meets on Monday nights in St. Laurence's Tennis club, Ballinroad from 19.00 to 20.30, beginners welcome.

The senior section meets on Wednesday nights upstairs in the Lady Belle, The Square, Dungarvan from 20.30, again beginners welcome.

For further information ring 058-42616.

Stradbally Soccer Club Notes

GIRLS "All to Play For"

In our first interparish league matches a few weeks ago, the words "sorry are you ok?" after a tackle could be heard from the girls as they gently went about playing their games, over the next few matches that began to change as the importance of the games began to register with the girls. Well on Sunday last the games reached fever point as both games produced some wonderful football and at times tackles that no-one apologised for. Who would dare say now that girls are NOT COMPETITIVE.

Bally finally did it, they have been threatening in every game, well on Sunday last they got their first win over the Village girls and in doing so opened up the league and with 2 games each left, this league is going down to the wire. Why not call up to the field on Sundays at 2pm, you will be surprised with what the girls have to offer.

The state of play now is that the Village and Durrow share top spot on 7 points, Faha have 5 and Bally 3. The top 2 meet on Sunday and Durrow have now been installed as favourites by O'Briens Bookmakers and their odds have been cut to 2-1. The Village wobbled last week some would say the did more than wobble and have drifted in the betting and are now at 3-1, Faha are still in there but need to pick themselves up after their 1st defeat and draw over the last 2 games. Bally have left it late but expect them to have a big say in where the league honours will go and will be a good bet for the cup which will take place after Christmas. So 2 weeks of action left, why not give these girls your support before they head off after

Christmas to Spain for pre-season training for the upcoming leagues.



UNDER AGE

U12 lost in the National Cup last weekend- so its back to the bread and butter of the league for this gang. U14 were very disappointing against Ballyduff at the weekend and very few can hold their hands up and say I did my best. Philip tried his best - but we are better than we are showing but not producing it. Maybe it is time to call in some help with this gang as we are facing another year without a win, and these lads deserve more than that, so any Miracle Workers or anyone looking for a challenge - Contact Us.

ACADEMY

Ballinroad were our 1st visitors of the season to the club and 2 enjoyable games of ball were played and about 30 children from each club enjoyed a wonderful evening of games. Our thanks to Ballinroad for their visit and hopefully we will have a return trip soon.

RAFFLE

Our underage section launched their Christmas Raffle last week and some wonderful prizes are on offer, so if any child comes a calling - be nice to them. Money raised goes towards keeping our underage section of the club going and with underage groups to look after money is always needed.

SWIM

It may not be today or tomorrow but someday - you may pick up that phone and ring the Samaritans and there will be someone on the other end to listen, in today's world the need of the Samaritans is huge, we have decided to offer funds from our Christmas Day swim to this voluntary group - as not one knows when we may have to make that call and we in the Club want to help in having that Voice there, the Voice that for some is their last hope and for others just someone to listen to them. We ask that people not in the club join us on the Christmas Day Swim and help a very worthwhile cause.

FROM THE SIDE LINE

It is expected to have our training ground fully lit up in the next 2 weeks which will help all the teams plan for training. Thanks to Paul and his gang for the plastering of the club house last weekend - another step in the right direction. Belated birthday wishes to Claire Condon who is one of our Academy helpers and also give of her all when playing on the girls teams. Mens Mysery Tour after Christmas. Mother's Day out to the Field on the 22nd December - if they are good we might bring them further next year!

The Ballyrafter Centre, Lismore

AUTUMN SHOWJUMPING

The Autumn Showjumping League Finals took place last weekend at The Ballyrafter Centre, Lismore and showjumping enthusiasts were treated to an action packed festival of fantastic showjumping competition.

Eleven year old Darragh Ryan, (Thurles) was the outstanding leading rider of the Sunday Pony Leagues and cycled away on a new mountain bike plus the award for the leading open pony on his tiny but brilliant "Cabra Flyer". To cap it all off he also won the 138D class with the 4 year old "Thunderbird One" plus placings on all his other rides. The leading novice pony award was also won by a 128 pony the ultra consistent "Cahirbeg Princess" and Ian Fives, (Cappoquin), lan never touched a pole throughout the league and for extra good measure won the thrilling 128BCD final and just got beaten in the 128CD by Jodi Walker (Dungarvan) who scored a great double of wins with her little bay "Miss Elegant" who set the day rolling with a win in the 128D and then again flew round to win the 128CD.

Billy Gleeson (Knocklong)

who possibly will make racing his future, started his showjumping career in Ballyrafter and last Sunday had a fantastic day with a treble. The dun "Mr Dundee" who he has produced from novice himself won the 138CD final a seriously competitive class and then amazingly he also won the 138ABC from his older rivals. Then later in the day he brought out his 148 "Play Misty For Me" to win the 148D final. To win last Sunday it seemed you needed to ride a dun coloured pony. Colin O'Sullivan, Cork had a perfect and seriously fast round on the dun "Turbo Boy" in the 128ABC which could not be matched and in the last class of the day Sarah-Kate O'Donovan (Dungarvan) rode the 148 dun "La Comedian" to victory in the 148CD.

Sarah-Kate's cousin Niamh Flynn (Dungarvan) was the only rider to find the key to the course for the 148AB final which she won nicely with "Ballyclough Castle Storm". Aimee Moloney (Colligan) won the feature Quiverhill Equine Bedding 138BC with "Cec MoJo" in top form and the 148 equivalent was won by Meggan Tully (Midleton) with "Ballylee Bravo".

Autumn has become a popular time for horses to compete and they produced great jumping on Saturday. Colin Hannan (Mallow) had a marvellous win in the 4 & 5 year old class with John O'Connell's lovely bay mare "Inch Eaine" and she also won the leading award in the 1-00m class. Fran Mangan (Lismore) has had a particularly successful amateur season and he brought out "Madrid" to convincingly win the competitive 1-10m final. Michael Buckley (Cappoquin) a regular winner here, was last to go in the 1-20m final on Noel Devereux's "Knockenpower Ginger" and he stole the class with a proper cheekily fast round.

Maria Blomen (Monkstown) did likewise in the 90cms final with her great servant "Pommac" and Rachel Raheer (Clonea) was the first winner of the day with "Clonea Trampas". Sara O'Donovan made the long journey from Rosscarbery worthwhile taking two leading awards with "Darrowby Victor".

The Friday evening Castle League was tremendously competitive and no class was taken easily. Daniel Joyce (Killeagh) managed a double

winning twice with "Kipper" and Sinead Allen (Araglen) won a thrilling 90cms final with "Benjamin". Jack O'Donoghue (Tallow) started the league with a new novice pony and capped it off really well on Martin Rohan's "Rosie" winning the 60cms final. The first class of the evening the 50cms had one of the most popular winners in Alison Barry (Castlelyons) on "Shadow" a great tonic for her Dad Tom who missed the finals through illness. Sisters Kirsty and Sarah Connell (Tallow) and Sarah and Laura Connors (Dungarvan) brought home hard earned leading pony awards having clear rounds every show with their ponies and the team challenge was won by the O'Gorman family Jill, Shay and Lucy from Dungourney who were team winners by just one star from the Dungarvan Connors family Sarah, Laura and Nicholas.

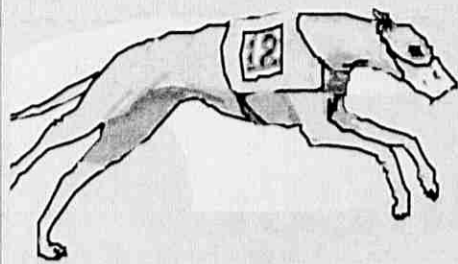
The Castle League final for horses on Thursday evening had a great following. Aoife Landers (Cappagh) and "Aldalier Valley" were the first to take the spoils in the 70cms final then Tom O'Riordan (Dungarvan) no stranger to winning produced his own "Garraunfadda Jacko" to

storm home winners in the 80cms final with the leading horse award going to James Noonan (Curraglass) and "Powerwalker". Seamus Meskill (Dungarvan) and the aptly named "The Big Fellow" used his size and power to wrestle the 90cms final from Kevin Veale and "Clover" who took the leaders award. Maeve-Ann Moynihan (Lismore and her very successful Irish Draught mare "Bonnie" won the 1-00m final and also the leaders award.

Showjumping continues at Ballyrafter with the Winter Leagues starting this week and of course the highlights are the Christmas Shows in December when Santa makes his annual journey on his sleigh so don't be left out.

Na Deise Ladies Football Notes

Na Deise Ladies Football Club Fund Raising Quiz Friday 16th November @ Deckies Bar Modeligo 8.30 SHARP. All welcome.



GREYHOUND NEWS

BY MARK
PHILLIPS

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 9TH

Daring Honcho Delivered In Style

Top Honcho may have died recently but his progeny live on and his November 2005 son Daring Honcho ex Any Time Soon captured the final of the Jack Fitzgerald Memorial A3 Stake last Friday night to credit Portlaw owner Stephanie Maguire and Dungarvan trainer Mick Brennan with a well deserved 28.44 success a best ever return by this lightly raced winner. With the odds on favourite Cash For Class breaking moderately from trap six Sparta Lola came away in front from trap one but as the leader edged to the outside on the run to the opening corner Daring Honcho made his move. Seizing the opportunity 3/1 chance Daring Honcho switched his challenge inside of Sparta Lola to drive into a first bend lead. Sparta Lola gave chase down the back stretch but Daring Honcho was not stopping in front lengthening his stride to race on for a three and a half lengths success over Sparta Lola with a running on Cash For Class two lengths further back in third. The winner was bred in New Inn, County Tipperary by Shari Anne O'Donnell.

The opening contest produced a 5/2 winner as the Michael Fitzgerald owned Catsrock Ronaldo (Droopys Vieri-Reggae Lady) spread-eagled his rivals on the run to the first bend to lead around the first turn. After a moderate break Peters Pinewood moved into second place down the back stretch but there was no catching Catsrock Ronaldo who went on to open his account by five lengths in a career best 28.82.

On a good night for favourite backers the Robert Power owned and Nick Turner trained Blackforest Milo (Top Honcho-Lay Down Daisy) returned to winning ways in a 300 yard sprint taking over from a fast starting Head Turner after fifty yards before forging clear for a cosy four and a half lengths win over Seagrave Dash in a lively 16.38.

In the third contest Ballydurn Kate led to the third bend where she gave best to 6/4 favourite Baunfaun Jimmy. Hilldun Violet stayed on well at the finish but the Dick Cullinane trained Baunfaun Jimmy (Droopys Vieri-Star Lips) dug deep on the run to the winning line to triumph by half a length in 29.34.

Fosters Boy running for the Drops Syndicate and local trainer Peter Cronin had the honour of capturing the first ever 325 yard sprint contest at the venue taking race four with something to spare in 17.67. Showing good early speed from trap six Fosters Boy (Droopys Scholes-Venice Duchess) eased his way into an early lead over Black Wok and Banner Blackie and enjoying his front running duty Fosters Boy went on to account for Banner Blackie by four and a half lengths.

The following two races were semi finals of the Masters Restaurant Unraced Stake and Butlerstown brothers Davy and Michael Power captured both semi finals courtesy of the litter sisters Honey Stunner 4/6 and Honey Giselle 2/5. In the first semi final Twospotstwospots bounded into a clear back stretch lead over Honey Stunner but gradually reeling in the leader Honey Stunner stayed on strongly in the closing stages to deny Twospotstwospots by a length in 30.06.

Honey Stunner's full sister Honey Giselle went a good deal faster in the second qualifier absolutely sluicing up in 29.29. Coming away in front from trap three Honey Giselle was never in the slightest danger of losing out leading down the back from a rails running Ask Shearer before beating Garrymore Girl by ten lengths. Both winners are home bred members of the Larkhill Jo ex Honey Princess May 2006 litter.

5/2 shot Mall Lane continued the good run of Wexford owner George Roche taking a decent 325-yard contest in 17.55. Striking the front shortly after the break Mall Lane (Sycamore Dan-Ultimate Rush) was quickly in control of matters and

striding out well Mall Lane went on to record his fifth race win from just nine races by two and a half lengths from a slow breaking Ron Burgundy Sir.

Wilcox Bobo was despatched as the even money favourite but was forced to settle for the runner up spot in race eight. Clic In Nic got to the front early on here but he was soon chased by 7/4 chance Nero Venture. The latter running for Patrick Sutton and Richard Dunne made his move however into the third bend to strike the front on the rails. It proved plain sailing for Nero Venture (Come On Lleyton-Broken Maid) from that point on as he raced on to an easy two and a half lengths win over a staying on Wilcox Bobo. Time 29.50.

The tenth contest produced a tight finish. Swithin Kate 4/1 and Dipton Cavalier 4/1 locked horns up front from an early stage and while Brykat Sioux the 4/6 hot pot joined in the action up front over the closing two bends the Tom and Paul Walsh owned Swithin Kate (Honcho Classic-Cu Cara Kate) renewed her challenge for trainer Eamon O Donovan to get back up for a head win over Brykat Sioux in 29.08.

The L Moyser owned and Perry Aylward trained Perrys Frosty (Top Honcho-Cold Rose) ran out a well supported even money winner of the concluding 550 in a decent 30.06. Moreton Magna led to the second bend where Perrys Frosty accelerated into the lead on the wide outside. It was all one-way traffic thereafter as Perrys Frosty went on to account for Rally On Fran by four lengths.

TRAP DRAW-FRIDAY NOVEMBER 16TH

Masters Restaurant Unraced Final

- 1 Garrymore Girl
- 2 Honey Stunner
- 3 Ask Shearer
- 4 Twospotstwospots
- 5 Honey Giselle
- 6 Paper Deice

Selection — Honey Giselle

Dangers — Garrymore Girl, Honey Stunner

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 10TH

Catunda Harry Displayed His Class

With the 550-yard traps giving continuous problems last Saturday nights fixture in Kilcohan Park took nearly four hours to run off. The showcase event of the session was the final of the 2007 34,000 Euro Gain Waterford Masters and it proved easy pickings for the evens favourite Catunda Harry (Elite State-Your So Vain) who basically romped to a facile 29.40 success. With some of his more fancied opponents sluggish to leave traps the Larry O'Rourke owned and Owen McKenna trained Catunda Harry left nothing to chance powering up to the first bend to lead from 33/1 outsider Click Click and Ballyard Carl 8/1 and with this order of running remaining unchanged throughout Catunda Harry bounded on for a facile six lengths win over Click Click with Ballyard Carl two lengths further behind in third.

Favourite backers certainly started on good terms with themselves as the 1/1 hot pot Black Polo (Droopys Woods-Joes Hara) made no mistake from trap one leading all the way in a smashing 28.31. Trained by Nick Turner for Carlow owners John Lambert and John McDermott Black Polo came away running from trap one to lead from Swift Milly and Redrock Canyon and while a slow starting Tinahue Spring ran on well at the finish to claim the runner up spot Black Polo was gone beyond recall eventually winning out by seven lengths.

When I contacted the racing office at midday on Saturday

Kilgraney Poet was the only non-runner in the open 325-yard sprint and the reserve Montos Mark was due to take his place so I like everybody else was quiet surprised to see that Skywalker Magic and Jims Vieri were additional sprint non-runners on the night. The T Megaw and J Dawkins owned and Pat Buckley trained Montos Mark (Montos Carhumore-Montos Tricks) was duly installed as the 1/3 hot pot to dispose of his three rivals and shaking off the early challenge of Raytown Bud Montos Mark eased his way to the front before motoring on to a cosy six lengths defeat of Roskei in a speedy 17.25.

Race three was the final of the Nicholas Kervick Memorial A2 Stake and leaving trap five at a fair rate of knots the George Roche owned Hewillyeah (Spiral Nikita-Betfivemillion) 9/4 made no mistake producing a polished front running performance leading all the way in a career best 28.68. Captain Slow was the winner's closest pursuer throughout but staying on well Hewillyeah went on to account for Captain Slow by a length.

Race four was heat one of the Murray Developments A1 575 yard stake. Despite being off the track for some time the N.T.J.P Syndicate owned and Kevin McLean trained Kerryroad Lucy (Never Give Up-Droopys Sal) made a triumphant return to action this 5/2 chance driving into the first bend to lead from the rails running Feagh Darroch. Try as he might Feagh Darroch could never reach a determined Kerryroad Lucy who saw the trip out well to triumph by two and a half lengths in 31.07.

Making sound use of his early pace in heat two the Jacoba Van der Scheer owned and Ronny Wuyts handled Vigorous Magic (Droopys Vieri-Frisby Fizz) 3/1 cut through the pack on the run to the first turn to poach an early advantage over Persistent Merry and Elldan Honcho. In a one sided qualifier Vigorous Magic was never in the slightest danger of losing this qualifier breezing in all of six lengths clear of a slow starting but fast finishing Cloheena Cracker in 31.05.

Killeagh owner Donal O'Brien combined with his local trainer Phil Gough to capture heat three with the fast starting 4/1 chance Newline Honcho (Spiral Nikita-Manuka Honey) this lady running a gutsy race to score in 31.15. The pack closed right up on Newline Honey over the opening two bends but the leader did extremely well to protect her early advantage. Parisienne Way gave chase for the remainder of the trip but Newline Honey stuck it out to the bitter end to score by three lengths.

The Im A Dog syndicate owned Large Mac (Jamella Prince-Roisins Becky) returned to winning form for trainer Liam Butler Junior in the Gain Waterford Masters Consolation event this 4/1 shot doing the business in 29.50. Doing ever so well to make the first bend ahead of the pack Large Mac upped the tempo down the far side of the track opening up a handy lead over Standin Me before crossing the winning line with eight lengths to spare over a slow starting Mardocs Saha.

Skywalker Prince posted back-to-back victories from trap six in the eight event the Gain Open 525 with a smooth all the way success in 28.45. Trained by Frances O'Donnell for UK owner Ray Patterson Skywalker Prince scooted into a first bend lead over Show Million before dishing out a five and a half lengths beating to a staying on Cherokee Playboy.

Races ten and eleven saw us return to the 575-yard trip for the remaining two heats of the A1 Stake. The photo finish equipment was out of action for these two races and the Judge was forced to call the result from ground level and the last thing we wanted was a tight finish. In heat ten as expected Kingsmill Dubh cut for the inside on the run up but Orema Fifty Five was soon in a nice rhythm on the wide outside to take over in the lead on the run to the third bend. Orema Fifty Five continued to hold a narrow lead over Kingsmill Dubh and as they went away from us in the grandstand it appeared as if Orema Fifty Five 7/4 had held on but to the surprise of the vast majority present the Aidan Roche owned Kingsmill Dubh (Droopys Vieri-Its Awesome) was declared the 4/1 winner by a short head.

Thankfully in heat five there was a clear cut winner in the shape of the Brid Mulrennan and Tommy Clifford owned and Frances O'Donnell trained Very Bad Tonight this black son of Sonic Flight and Blacluan Spirit obliging in 31.24 at odds of 6/4. Taking over in the lead at the entrance to the back stretch from the front running Stevenonrocket Very Bad Tonight went clean away to register a facile six lengths success over a running on David.

MURRAY DEVELOPMENTS A1 575-YARD STAKE

The second round heats of the Murray Developments 575 yard stake are pencilled in for next Saturday night but the trap draws were not available at the time of filing this report.

Colligan Equestrian Centre

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE RESULTS OF COLLIGAN EQUESTRIAN CENTRE AUTUMN SHOWJUMPING FINAL ON FRIDAY

Mini League — 1st Beautiful Dawn (Megan Dowling). 2nd Becker (Mark Moloney).

Mini Plus League — 1st Beautiful Dawn (Megan Dowling). 2nd Thunder Storm (Genevieve Warron). 3rd The Woo (Charlotte Connors). 3rd Becker (Shane Moloney). 4th J. J. (Ester Boutsouliha). 4th Murty (Kate Colivet). 5th Star (Muireann Fraher). 6th Sparkie (Jessie Harty).

Midi League — 1st Mojo (Shane Moloney). 1st J. J. (Rachel Troy). 2nd The Woo (Charlotte Connors). 2nd Hot Shot (Catriona Slevin). 3rd Scamp (Alice Haehy). 3rd Brehan Boy (Niamh Lynam). 4th Ozzy (Caoimhe Curran). 4th Toby Lord Byron (Hayley O'Riordan). 5th Abhainn (Sean Looney).

Midi Plus League — 1st Miss Elegant (Jodi Walker). 1st Mr. Razz (Kelsi Walker). 2nd Mojo (Aimee Moloney). 3rd Little Pay Dreamer (Chloe Creedon). 4th Scooby Doo (Liz O'Donnell). 5th Cliff (Hayley O'Riordan). 6th Buzz (Tara Dunphy). 7th Little Pet (Paul Kiely). 8th Moll (Tommy Harty).

Maxi League — 1st Sprinter's Magic (Aimee Moloney). 2nd Velvet (Paul Kiely). 3rd Cliff (Hayley O'Riordan). 4th Mango (Susi Lonergan).

Well done to all our pupils who did so well at the Ballyrafter Autumn Showjumping Finals on Sunday, November 11th who were Jodi Walker, Kelsi Walker, Liz O'Donnell, Aimee Moloney, Conor Dunphy, Rachel Phelan, Paul Kiely.

DUNGARVAN RUGBY CLUB NOTES



Pictured above are the Dungarvan Rugby First XV team of 1984 with the Manseragh Cup.

Dungarvan Rugby Club Celebrates 40 Years

Dungarvan Rugby Football Club celebrates 40 years in existence on Saturday November 17th. Players from all four decades will be present for the event in the Park Hotel.

The present rugby club in Dungarvan was reformed in 1968. It had Revelle Farrell as its first president and Dan McGrath as its first chairman. Committee consisted of secretary, Killian Lannon, treasurer, Marion Nagle, and committee members, Pat Murphy, Mary Dalton, Alice Daly, John O'Donnell and Alfie Nicholson. The new club's first game was against Youghal in 1968.

After playing in a couple of Dan Casey's fields in Clonea and on John Morrissey's land in Ballinroad over the earlier seasons, the club settled in its current base in Ballyrandle, after the purchase of a field by Dan McGrath and Niall Flynn from Gerry Heaphy, Ballinacourty for £3,000.

Training at that time consisted of a run from Lynch's fruit store, to Ballyneety Bridge, a few exercises and run back into town. The Friary Hall was also used for training, as was the hall in Clonea.

On match days, the showers or should I say bath, was in Lawlors Hotel and if you ask any of the players of that generation, you'll hear stories about

taps not turned off and water dripping from upstairs into the bar...

One of the highlights of the earlier seasons was the visit of the famous Swansea Uplands team to Dungarvan. The game was played on the pitch in Clonea and Dungarvan, inspired by their captain, David Hill, defeated their Welsh opponents by 10 points to 6 points.

The first success on the playing field was the prestigious 'Cashel 7's'. It wasn't till 1984 that silver wear made its way to Dungarvan for the first XV. At this time the club was one of the top teams in Munster, reaching the Junior cup semi final in Thomond Park, only to be beaten by a star studded Thomond team in Limerick. The club was to retain the Manseragh Cup in 1985 and won the Garryowen cup back to back in 1986 & 1987.

During this golden era for the club, the seconds were to win the Ballyrandle cup on three occasions. To put icing on the cake, the third XV won back-to-back Munster Cups.

The club had an annual fixture with Youghal for the Clock Gate cup and the club first won this cup in 1972 with JD Power as captain.

Off the field, there was a huge amount

of work carries out in the eighties. The club pavilion was opened in 1981 with a Munster team traveling to Dungarvan, which included Tony Ward, Donal Lenihan and Moss Keane.

The following year, a second field was purchased in order that the club could have a second pitch. Much work had to be carried out to get this pitch up to standard. It was opened for use two years later. With the installation of floodlights, Dungarvan had facilities, which were second to none.

Over the years, the club has had many great players and coaches. Many great characters on and off the field, many will have their own story to tell on Saturday night. The club through the years, had players from most parishes in West Waterford.

At representative level, no fewer than 11 players have represented Munster at Junior level, Johnny Lynch, Frankie Lynch, John David Power, Eamonn Walsh, Kieran O'Connor, Pat Morrissey, PJ Kindergeran, Matt Hanahran, Liam Lannen, Eoin Phelan, and Mark O'Connor. Both Eamonn Walsh and Liam Lannen went onto play on the Munster senior team. John Coady, another former player, played on the Leinster senior team.

Cian Walsh played on the Munster Youths team and in 2005, three members of the Dungarvan Ladies team, Cliona Kirwin, Louise Landers and Niamh Briggs went onto play for Munster. Niamh Briggs has recently been drafted into the Irish squad.

With the professional era in rugby, allied to the extensive media coverage, numbers playing underage rugby is at a all time high. Dungarvan is following this trend and had 200 children out on a Saturday morning playing rugby. As with any sport this is the future of the club. The first weekend in October saw Dungarvan field teams in every age group up to under 18, which is no mean achievement for a provincial club.

The club is currently working on improving the facilities, at the grounds, to cater for the large number of members. It has an ongoing campaign to raise funds the development, which they hope to start in the near future.

Club President, Eamonn Spratt is delighted with the response to Saturday night's event, he's looking forward to a sociable celebration of the past 40 years and looking forward to the next 40 year of Dungarvan rugby.

Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes

2008 CALENDAR ANNOUNCED

The recent Committee meeting finalised the 2008 Calendar of events for the Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club. As all will see below it is a full schedule with events for all standards of cyclists; beginners, leisure and competitive.

Date	Event
2 April	Liam Rossitor Meats 'Individual Predict-your-Time' Competition, 5 Wednesdays, finishing 30th April
07 May	O'Mahony Cycles & Nursery Summer Series, 8 Wednesdays, finishing 02 July
11 May	Kelly Pharmacy Road Race (Sunday)
04 June	Club Championship Graded 5k Time Trial
08 June	Wicklow 200 (Sunday) *to be confirmed
05 July	Ring of Kerry Cycle (Saturday) *to be confirmed
23 July	Ger Wyley Sports 'Individual Predict-your-Time Hill Climbing' Competition, 4 Wednesdays, finishing 13th August
17 August	Sean Kelly Tour of Waterford (Sunday)
03 October	Club Annual General Meeting (Friday)

WEEKEND SPINS

Good sized spins took place over the weekend. Saturday saw the group head to Lismore, Tallow, Camphire and home once again through Cappoquin. Sunday's group headed to Cappoquin, Knockanore and home through Youghal bridge.

Out cycling were Siobhan O'Mahony, Emma Walsh, Michael Moloney, Mark Power (DMCC), Dzintar's Klava, Keith Walsh, Vincent Feeny, Frank Browne, Richie Power, Michael Keane, Frank O'Rourke, Mark Radley, Michael 'Banner' Whelan, Pat O'Driscoll, Enda Donnelly, Siobhan Dunphy, Pádraig de Búrca and Justin Coonan.

Weekend spins will continue to meet at John Foley's Kilrush on Saturday and The Square on Sunday, both at 9.30am.

BEGINNERS WELCOME

The group is open to all new cyclists; both speed & distance are agreed on the morning of cycles. Come along with your bike (racing or mountain), helmet, food, water and just a little enthusiasm. Support and advice will be given.

CLUB WEBSITE

Don't forget the club web site www.dungarvancyclingclub.org

Dungarvan Crystal Racquetball Notes

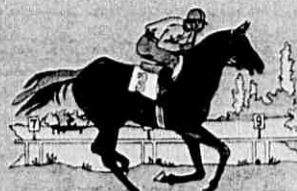
PERMANENT TSB TOURNAMENT

This tournament gets underway this week. With six teams playing, it would be very hard to pick out a favourite for this as all teams look strong.

First rounds are Paddy Walsh (capt), Maurice Walsh and Owen Collins against Joe Salmon (capt), Pat O'Brien and Mike Ameglio and in the other half Dave Power (capt), Vinny O'Mahoney and Michael Walsh against Ray Moore (capt), Andrew Lally and Cathal Curran. The two teams already in the semi final are Kevin Tutty (capt), Frank Aird and Keith Healy and at the other side Gerald Foley (capt), Brian Foley and Glenn Power.

This tournament kicks off on Wednesday, 14th November at 6 pm with Paddy Walsh's team playing Joe Salmon's team and Dave Power's team playing Ray Moore's team. We should have match reports on those games next week. The best of luck to all.

HORSE RACING SNIPPETS



BY MARK PHILLIPS

PAPAL BULL FOR JAPAN

Papal Bull will represent trainer Michael Stoute in the Japan Cup in Tokyo on November 25th. Trainer Stoute tasted success in this event twice in the past courtesy of Singsspiel and Pilsudski.

ALAN AWAITING DECISION

Jockey Alan Munroe is expecting a decision in December on whether or not he will be re issued with a licence to ride again on the flat.

MELBOURNE CUP

UPDATE

Over 120,000 people attended this years Melbourne Cup at Flemington racecourse and they were treated to an exciting finish as the four-year-old Efficient 20/1 a previous winner of the Victorian Derby struck late to deny one of the English challengers Purple Moon with the Irish hope Mahler running a fine race to claim third spot.

LEXUS SPONSORSHIP

Lexus have extended their sponsorship of the Lexus chase at Leopardstown until 2009.

CHANNEL 4 CAMERAS

The Channel 4 cameras head to the following courses this coming weekend,

Friday — Cheltenham

Saturday — Cheltenham and Wetherby

Sunday — Cheltenham and Fontwell Park

CLONMEL ON THURSDAY

There is some excellent jump racing on offer at Clonmel on Thursday where the feature event of the session is the Grade 2 Clonmel Oil Chase over two and a half miles. Justified is among the entries and he appears well suited to both ground conditions and the distance of the race.

The four man Australian visiting jockeys team will also ride at this fixture.

SEB AND JAMIE

TAKE A BOW

This years English jockeys flat title race went all the way to the wire at Doncaster last Saturday and Jamie Spencer on his last ride of the afternoon on Inchedamph absolutely hacked up as the Tipperary rider claimed a share of the spoils with Seb Sanders. Greg Fairley claimed the apprentice title.

TRAINER IN CAR CRASH

Well known English trainer Robert Ainer is reported to be comfortable after undergoing neck surgery over the weekend following his involvement in a car accident. Robert buys a number of his horses from Waterford trainer Henry De Bromhead.

BETFAIR SPONSORSHIP

Betfair recently confirmed that they will sponsor at least one race at every Irish track before April 2009. They sponsor a handicap hurdle at Clonmel this coming Thursday.

JUMP LICENCE FOR MICHAEL

Derby winning trainer Michael Bell

is to take out a jump licence to train the recently gelded Metaphoric for a crack at the Triumph Hurdle in Cheltenham. Bell who spent some time with well known jumps trainer Mercy Rimell trained a couple of hurdle winners in the past from a limited number of runners.

KEVIN CALLS IT A DAY

After a distinguished career in the saddle 47-year-old flat rider Kevin Darley has called it a day and officially had his last ride at Doncaster last Saturday. Kevin was champion jockey in 2000 while in 1978 he was champion apprentice in the UK.

Kevin rode a total of 2,451 winners during his time in the saddle.

HORSE RACING FILM

RTE and Horse Racing Ireland recently announced plans to broadcast a new horse racing film in October 2008. Irish Horse is the title of the film.

AMANDA'S BABY

Trainer Amanda Harwood gave birth to her second child last week. Amanda is the daughter of former Classic winning trainer Guy Harwood and is married to former jump jockey Mark Perrett who rode his fare share of winners for now retired trainer Stan Mellor.

KENS WINNER

Lismore born Ken Whelan rode a 20/1 winner at Thurles last week scoring on Pipers Blaze in a handicap hurdle.

Dunhill rider Shay Barry was also among the winners for trainer Charles Byrnes at Limerick last Sunday.

JAMIE'S PURCHASE

They say that Championship winning jockey Jamie Spencer is not short of a bob or two and he recently purchased the La Grange stables in Newmarket. Trainer Geoff Huffer sent out dual Irish and English 2000 Guineas winner Cockney Rebel from these very same stables.

ALEXANDER TANGO

KILLED

The Tommy Clark trained filly Alexander Tango was killed in a freak accident in Kentucky recently.

BEST EVER SEASON

Cappagh rider Tom Queally who is currently sidelined through injury is enjoying his best ever season in England and already has 66 winners to his credit. Tom is only one of two jockeys in the top fifteen table to show a profit to a 1-euro stake.

THIS WEEKS IRISH FIXTURES

Wednesday — Downpatrick 12.45 p.m.

Thursday — Clonmel 12.55 p.m.

Friday — Dundalk 6.45 p.m.

Saturday — PuncHESTOWN 12.15 p.m.

Sunday — PuncHESTOWN 12.35pm, Cork 12.45 p.m.

GALWAY IN FOURTH SPOT

Did you know that Galway is rated the fourth highest racing festival in the world? The top three places are occupied by Cheltenham, Royal Ascot and the Melbourne carnival.

BIG BUSINESS

Income for stallions at Coolmore stud in 2008 is set to top the 160 million Euro mark. Coolmore expect to stand twenty-four stallions next year and some of the more popular sires could well cover 150 mares each during the breeding season.

POINT-TO-POINT

FIXTURES

Sunday November 18th

Tipperary Foxhounds, Lisronagh, Clonmel, County Tipperary 12pm
Island Hunt Foxhounds, Ballydarragh, Gorey, County Wexford 12pm

SADDLERS WELLS

The 27-year-old sire Saddlers Wells will continue to cover mares in 2008.

Should you wish to send your mare to Dylan Thomas at Coolmore it will set you back 50,000 Euro. In total Coolmore will stand five Irish Derby winners next year.

PROFILE OF LEADING

TRAINER

HOWARD JOHNSON

Born in Barnard Castle, Co Durham, on August 11, 1953, Howard Johnson began training in 1984 and sent out his first winner, Tabriz Gold, at Kelso on February 26, 1985. He was involved with the pony club from a young age and assisted his father Roy, who trained a few horses under permit at the family's White Lea Farm on the outskirts of Crook in Co Durham as well as tending a 100-strong dairy herd. Johnson spent two years learning the ropes with Arthur Stephenson and initially harboured hopes of becoming a Flat jockey, something that never materialised. He had a few rides and ended his riding career as an amateur. He still combines cattle farming with training at White Lea Farm, although over the past four years he has considerably stepped up his training operation, largely thanks to the investment of owner Graham Wylie. Wylie's investment in the Johnson yard paid dividends at the 2005 Cheltenham Festival with three winners - Arcalis in the Supreme Novices' Hurdle, No Refuge in the Royal & SunAlliance Novices' Hurdle and Inglis Drever in the Ladbrokes World Hurdle. Inglis Drever landed a second Ladbrokes World Hurdle at the 2007 Cheltenham Festival while other significant successes for Johnson include the Betfred Gold Cup (1994 Ushers Island) and the National Hunt Challenge Cup Chase at Cheltenham (1993 Ushers Island). His successes at Aintree include the John Smith's Melling Chase with Direct Route in 1999 and 2000 and Grey Abbey in the 2005 Betfair Bowl. His owners include former Newcastle United captain Alan Shearer.

Wylie who owns most of the 161 horses he has in training this year although Johnson shares ownership on horses that run under the Transcend Bloodstock banner. He is married to Sue, daughter of former trainer Ray Hawkey. Hawkey acts as Johnson's assistant trainer.

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THE FINAL FURLONG

(IN ASSOCIATION WITH BETFAIR)

BY PHIL DELANEY

Pipe Junior a chip off the ol' block



Picture shows Noel Meade

Last week we picked our five 'bankers' for the new National Hunt season, this week we look at the dark horses and the potential handicap 'plot' horses that not alone can rack up points in the Racing Post's Ten to Follow competition, but that can also look after the Christmas expenses.

The season's first big handicap takes place at Cheltenham this weekend. In the old days - for those of us of a vintage - it was known as the Mackeson Gold Cup. And together with the Hennessy Gold Cup in two weeks time, it was a race for genuine handicappers who appreciate winter ground and a good test of stamina.

Some things have changed. Firstly the Mackeson is now the Paddy Power Gold Cup and instead of experienced ol' jumpers winning it, often it's unexposed 'chasers on handy marks. What never changed was Martin Pipe's ability to lay one out for the race.

Pipe Senior was an old-hand at winning the weekend's big race. His son David is now at the helm at Pond House, but that same Pipe tradition can be kept up with a horse called **Abragante**. He looks well handicapped at 125 and can make that mark, and a likeness for Cheltenham, tell at the weekend.

Exotic Dancer was the ideal 'Ten to Follow' horse last season. A young chaser with plenty of potential, he won three big handicaps (picking up some serious bonus points) and then developed into a Grade 1 chaser in the spring.

Paul Nicholls' **Granit Jack** may turn out to be something similar. He looked as if he was going to disappoint last season before producing a fine performance at the Cheltenham Festival to finish second to Ebaziyan in the Supreme Novices Hurdle. He jumped a bit big in that race which will come as no surprise because this French-import had already won a number of chases in his home country. As such he'll be forced into open company this season but looks well up

to making his mark in that sphere. He makes our ten to follow not just for his potential to go right to the very top but also because of his enticing handicap mark.

I've a hunch that **Hear The Echo** is being lined up for a tilt at a big handicap this winter and his run at Galway the other week was very promising. He won a Grade 2 Novice Chase at Leopardstown last season and it wouldn't surprise me if he was back at that venue for the valuable Paddy Power Chase this Christmas. His trainer Mouse Morris landed a big gamble in the race with Keepattem a number of years ago and I'm betting that this fellow has that race in his sights. You know where you heard it first!

My Way de Solzen is not the most original choice but he makes our ten because of his versatility. Alan King has always thought the world of him and always said he'd win a Gold Cup some day. Unfortunately for him he's around at a potentially vintage time for the distance, but he ticks a lot of boxes and could be a serious contender for anything from the Champion Chase to the Ryanair to the Blue Riband itself. If he stays sound he'll pick up plenty of points this season.

In that category too goes our final choice, Noel Meade's **Iktitaf**. A wind operation (Everyone's getting one done these days. You mean you haven't?) doesn't make a good horse out of a bad one but it can make a big difference to a horse who's already high class. His high head carriage means that this fellow isn't everyone's cup of tea but there's room in the Champion Hurdle division for him to edge into contention this year. He already has a high cruising speed and the off-season operation can see him land a couple of Grade 1 hurdles this season.

Phil Delaney's Ten to Follow: Kauto Star, Blythe Knight, Nickname, Wichita Lineman, Aran Concerto, Abragante, Granit Jack, Hear The Echo, My Way de Solzen, Iktitaf.

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Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Club

No Luck For Both Teams Over Weekend

MUNSTER COMBINED CUP ROUND 1

BELVEDERE 2 DUNGARVAN 1

Dungarvan's second team travelled to Ballincollig on Sunday last to meet Belvedere's Division 5 team in the 1st round of the Munster Combined Div. 5/6 Cup.

Dungarvan were looking forward to a good contest against this Cork side. A great boost to Dungarvan was the return of Cathy O'Mahoney who slotted into sweeper position and had a fantastic game. Together with Anita Power, Julie Fitzgerald and Sarah Power, the defence did a great job and certainly had their work cut out for them in the opening twenty minutes when it seemed the ball would never make it past the half way line. Carol Tobin was outstanding in goal and made some terrific saves, one particular 'dive' stands to mind when the pressure was on, that ball wasn't getting through! The new goalie gear kindly sponsored by Enright's EUROSPAR Abbeyside, certainly helped!

Cork saw their chance from a short corner in the 25th minute and despite every effort from the defence a flick from a rebound saw Cork take the lead.

Dungarvan were not deterred and fought back hard and with the speed of Brid Breathannach and Claire O'Sullivan in midfield the game began to even out. Cathy O'Mahoney's long hit outs eventually began to break through to create chances. Claire Cashin was on cue in the 30th minute when a long range hit out was swept up by Brid Breathannach who carried it through, flicked it over to Claire Cashin who fought through the Cork Defence and smacked it into the back of the Cork goal. The sides were level at half time.

Into the second half and Dungarvan were keen to get ahead. Anna Ballot on the left wing flanked by Ursula Browne in midfield had a couple of chances and were unlucky not to score. Katie Dobbyn ran her heart out in midfield and menaced the Cork Defence. A couple of changes were made in the second half and Janet Dunphy came on for Claire O'Sullivan in midfield and did a fine job intercepting some great Cork balls, and even travelling down to help out the defence on more than one occasion! Ciara Dunne came on a short time later and put in some great runs.

The sides battled on and Cork drove on hard and with ten minutes to go, saw another chance to score, with much of their team in the circle, and much scrapping, they got their score and were one up.

Dungarvan battled on to the bitter end but luck was not on their side, despite a very spirited performance from every player. This second team is certainly getting better with every game.

Thanks to trainer Ray Moore for travelling with us and for his wise words.

Team — Carol Tobin, Cathy O'Mahoney, Anita Power, Julie Fitzgerald, Sarah Power, Ursula Browne, Katie Dobbyn, Claire O'Sullivan, Anna Ballot, Brid Breathannach, Claire Cashin,

Janet Dunphy, Ciara Dunne, Mary Ann Conway.

THE BRICKEY RUN WITH WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB

Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Club are delighted to confirm their involvement in the Brickey Run, in association with West Waterford Athletic Club. The run will take place on Sunday next the 18th of November from Bushy Park at 11am. Many thanks to Tony Ryan and Albert McGrath and all at the West Waterford Athletic Club who have very kindly agreed to hold their annual run in conjunction with our club this year, with the proceeds from the run being donated to the hockey club.

All members will be running and will be getting their own sponsorship for so doing, to boost up the fundraising!

The run itself together with all prizes is sponsored by McGrath's Newsagents. There will be a 5 mile and 3 mile run and walk, and entries will be taken at Bushy Park from 10am by kind permission of the Brickey G.A.A. Club. Entry fee is € 7 per person. The Martin Curran Perpetual Cup will be presented to the first man to finish, and the Jim Lyons Memorial Shield will be presented to the first woman to finish the 5 mile course. Presentation of prizes will take place during a social evening in Bridie Dee's afterwards.

We would like to sincerely thank West Waterford Athletic Club and sponsors of the event Albert and Patricia McGrath for their help in our association with this major event.

JUNIOR HOCKEY

Continues every Saturday morning at 10am in St Augustine's College for school going children aged 7 to 12 yrs. We would be delighted to see new members every week. All players must wear gum shields and shin guards. Membership for the year is € 50 and includes insurance. There will no longer be a weekly fee. Membership forms will be handed out each Saturday morning to new players so come along and bring a friend!

CLUB NEWS

The club wish both Bridget Kiely and Nollaig Sheehan speedy recoveries and look forward to your return soon!

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Ann Brennan and Michael McLoughlin on the birth of their first baby Aoife recently.

Congratulations too to Louise Conroy and Dermot Fahy on the birth of their new bouncing baby boy recently too. Some more recruits for Junior Hockey!

DIVISION 3

Dungarvan 0 Church of Ireland 2

On Sunday afternoon, Dungarvan welcomed Church of Ireland to the Friary. The home side were a bit slow out of the blocks, and the visitors capitalised putting Dungarvan under pressure from the whistle. Their central midfield player, showed her years of experience, being instrumental in creating a lot of their early chances. During this early period of sustained pressure the Dungarvan defence of Aisling Cusack, Tina Landers,

Thea O'Riordan and Sinead Heihr stood strong, keeping Lucinda Shrubbs in goal well protected. But it wasn't all C of I, the home side had a few chance. About 10 minutes in we had a short corner, from which Jillian Dalton shot wide. The Cork defence cleared well from another home attack, with a long ball into their forwards, some hectic play in the circle followed, and Church of Ireland scuffed the ball over the line for a scrappy goal.

This spurred Dungarvan into action, with Roisin Briggs helping out Lindsey Keane, Maria Conroy and Jillian Dalton in midfield, resulting in some good balls being delivered out to both wings. Sharon Duggan, Emma Dunne and Susi Lonergan worked incredibly hard creating chances but C of I held onto their slender lead until half time.

We started the second half, as we had finished the first, with the midfield on top, and the whole team working extremely hard to try to force the equaliser. Our best chance came when Maria made a fantastic solo run beating three defenders, rounded the keeper, but narrowly shot wide. The home team created wave after wave of attack, with Susi Lonergan and Maria Conroy linking up well to pressurise the opposition, coming close on a number of occasions, with the

keeper having to be at her best to keep out Susi's effort. Sharon and Emma combined well down the right, leading to a short corner, from which Susi was again unlucky. Dungarvan were really on top now, with the Cork team working very hard to gain any momentum.

During one of the home attacks, a sharp interception by one of the C of I midfielders lead to a long ball to their left wing, who crossed into the circle, and their centre forward finished with a fantastic shot. This was a real sucker punch for the home team, but undeterred Dungarvan continued to battle hard, and were unlucky not to get the goal their play deserved.

It was a great team performance and the players can be proud of their effort.

Thanks to Nollaig for umpiring. Sinead and Lucinda- hope to see you back in action soon..

FUN RUN

In association with West Waterford Athletic Club, we present the Brickey Run, which takes place this Sunday, November 18th, at 11am in Bushy Park. Each member will run either the three or five mile course. All proceeds will go towards the running of Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Club. Anyone else who wants to take part would be more than welcome.



SPONSORSHIP 2007/ 2008 ENRIGHTS EUROSPAR ABBEYSIDE

The club would like to thank again, Ger and Joan Enright and Enright's EUROSPAR Abbeyside for further Sponsorship this season. The Club are delighted to have a new full set of goalie gear for their second team and are very grateful for Enright's EUROSPAR for their continued support.

Pictured above is Lindsey Keane wearing our new jerseys, sponsored by Enright's Eurospar, Abbeyside.

Dungarvan Premier Pigeon Club Annual Social

Pictured over are (l. to r.) S. O'Donnell and M. O'Donnell presenting the T. O'Donnell Trophy to M. Riordan and P. Cullinan for winning Monaghan (2) Young Bird Race.



Pictured below are (from left) M. Drummey, T. Downey, P. Wright, I. Harty, J. Drummey, K. Crotty, J. Woods (Chairman), S. O'Donnell, P. Power, J. Crotty, M. Duggan, M. Riordan, J. Organ.



Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

PARENT CLUB AGM

This will be held in the clubhouse on Thurs. 15th Nov. at 8pm. All eligible members are invited to attend and have their say. Notices of Motions to be discussed and voted upon are currently displayed on the club notice boards. The annual Mass for deceased members will take place at 7.30pm sharp, prior to the AGM, and will be celebrated by Rev. Fr. Doherty, whom it is good to see 'back in action' again.

ENRIGHT EUROSPAR WINTER LEAGUE

The Enright Eurospar Winter League gents competition has gotten off to a great start with the first two rounds now completed. The current spell of fantastic weather has helped enormously, and the scoring for 16 holes has been hot, to say the least. Teams F & G are making the early running with 208 points each, and Team M are bringing up the rear, which is surprising considering the calibre of players on that team. Three scores will count for the first three weeks. Four scores will count during the following three league weeks, and five will count during the last three. The top eight teams will then go into the second stage. Those who have entered this competition should now make every effort to play any weekend that the league is running.

COURSE

As we wrote last week, work is continuing apace on the extension to the lake on the 18th and the enlargement of the greenside bunker, as well as creating some additional mounding and filling some fairway bunkers. This work will have a short term detrimental affect on some areas of the course, and members' patience is sought while this is happening. The 17th and 18th holes are closed for play until further notice, and this applies to everybody. Any area of the course affected by either the recent drainage works on the 1st and 7th holes, or the current course alteration works, may be treated as 'ground under repair' and relief taken accordingly. See notices to this effect posted in the clubhouse.

ANNUAL SUBS

The annual subs and levies are now due for payment. Thanks to all those who have paid already. Payment can be made in the office Monday to Friday, or in the bar at weekends.

ASHES V LISMORE

The first leg will be held in Dungarvan on Sat. 17th November. Tee is reserved from 10.50 to 12.10. The second leg will be held in Lismore on 24th November. The 12 team pairings is posted in the foyer.

LADIES

Please note that the winner of the 11 or 16 hole ladies competitions over the Winter will carry a one shot penalty for the following 3 competitions played in.

The results of the 3rd Home Alliance are as follows; Sat. 3rd Nov. Section 1 — 1st B. Ahearne (16) 33; 2nd C. O'Brien (11) 31. Section 2 — 1st N. Harty (23) 35; 2nd M. Carthy (31) 34. Tues 6th Nov. Section 3 — 1st L. Fleming (13) 22; 2nd J. Mansfield (19) 22. Section 4 — 1st H. Browne (33) 26; 2nd B. O'Sullivan (31) 23. Next Home Alliance is Sat. 17th & Tues. 20th Nov.

The Ladies Christmas Party will be held in the Clubhouse on 7th December. There is a list for names posted in the locker room. Please put your name on the list, along with €10 deposit as soon as possible. It promises to be a great night, as usual.

SIXTY.COM & 50 SOMETHINGS

The winner of the sixty.com on Wed. 7th was Dennis O'Brien (18) with 21pts. The best lady was Kathleen Phelan (16) with 19pts. and the best gent was Bob Frizzelle (10) with 19 pts. The next competition is on this Wed. 14th at 2pm.

The winner of the 50 something's 7 hole was Bernie Hayes (16) with 14pts. Their next outing is also on this Wed. 14th Nov. Draw for partners 1.45.

PROGRESSIVE 45

Winners; Vincent & Teresa Hayes. Runners up; Mary Radley & Breda Hallahan and Nuala Harty & Ann Morrissey. Last 5; Frank Ryan & Don Brennan. Lucky Table; Johnny Hogan & Chrissie Terry. The next progressive 45 will be Thursday 22nd Nov. at 8.30pm sharp. All are welcome.

LOTTO

Thanks to all who continue to support our weekly lotto. There was no winner of the Jackpot this week when the numbers drawn were 6, 8, 16 and 22. Next week's Jackpot will be €9,900. The winners of €15 this week were C-L-P Sheehan c/o Finnegan; Tom Conway; Heather & Mary c/o Finnegan; Marian, Ann & Carmel c/o M. Roche; Aoife Dunne. A word of thanks to Johnny Hogan, Maurice Terry and everyone else who help out with the lotto, an important source of income for the Club.

GENTS RESULTS

(16 holes) Thurs 8th Nov. — 1st K. Dobbin (17) 36 pts; 2nd J. O'Donnell (6) 32. CSS n/q.

Fri. 11th — 1st P.Terry (12) 36pts; 2nd D. Verling (14) 34. CSS n/q.

Sat 10th — 1st D. Kelly (10) 39; 2nd N. Kavanagh (15) 38; Gross M. Walsh (7) 28; 3rd M. Lynch (12) 36; 4th M. McNamara (14) 36. CSS n/q.

Sun 11th — 1st J. Considine (12) 37; 2nd B. Hallissey (14) 37; Gross D. Walsh (4) 32; 3rd P. Cunningham (18) 35; 4th J. Harty (8) 35; 5th F.O'Callaghan (16) 35. CSS n/q.

GENTS FIXTURES

Thur. 15th & Fri. 16th — Open 16 Hole S/ford and Enright Eurospar Winter League; Sat 17th & Sun. 18th — 16 Hole S/ford & Enright Eurospar Winter League.

LADIES RESULTS

Tues. 6th 11 hole. — 1st H. Browne (33) 26pts; Cat A. B.McCarthy (4) 22; Cat B. N.Harty (23) 23; Cat C. B. O'Sullivan (31) 23.

Sat. 10th 16 hole — 1st M.Phelan (24) 34; 2nd T. Baumann (10) 33; 3rd A.Morrissey (17) 33. CSS n/q.

LADIES FIXTURES

Sat 17th — 16H s'ford (Club & Home Alliance). Tues 20th — 11H s'ford (Club & Home Alliance). The Ladies Winter League, kindly sponsored by David Dawson, commences 13th/14th & 17th/18th November.

GOLDCOAST GOLF CLUB NOTES

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The A.G.M. of the men's club was held at the GoldCoast Golf Hotel on Monday last. There was a very good attendance which it is always good to see. The report from the Treasurer shows the Club to be in a very strong financial position and it compliments the work of the committee that they showed a profit for the year just gone. Dave Clarke, our very able Secretary gave a full report on the year's events and while we enjoyed some success in team competitions we still have a lot to do to reach a Munster Final. Maybe 2008 will be our year to make further progress. Outgoing Captain Patsy Walsh then addressed the meeting and he covered all aspects of the operation of the club over the past twelve months. The following are the new committee for 2008: Captain, Michael Wall, President Michael Whelan, Vice Captain Martin Murray, Vice President John White Secretary Dave Clarke, Treasurer Nicholas Fitzgerald, Comp. Sec. Tom White, P.R.O. Brendan O'Brien Handicap Sec. Brendan O'Brien Junior Officer Tom Considine, Ex Officio Patsy Walsh and Austin Kiely, Committee John McGrath, Handicap Committee: Michael Wall, Michael Whelan, Brendan O'Brien.

This year we will be setting up a special Junior Committee to take care of our growing number of junior golfers and a newsletter with this committee's plans for the coming season will be distributed to all in February. The newsletter will contain details of some new and innovative competitions for the juniors.

OUTGOING CAPTAIN PATSY WALSH

Some of the comments passed on the work carried out by our outgoing Captain, Patsy Walsh, were as follows: Outstanding, one of our best ever, great job, and many more. The commitment and dedication to all aspects of the club, from presentations, attending team matches, representing the club at various functions, to the everyday working of the club was top class throughout the year and his professionalism in all he did was an example to us all and his efforts over the year definitely moved the club a step further up the ladder. An outstanding year, Patsy and well done on behalf of the entire club.

OUTGOING PRESIDENT AUSTIN KIELY

While the role of President is not as demanding as that of Captain, Presidents do have a lot to offer and we must thank Austin for input and energy he put into making his own mark on the position during 2007. Most club members do not realise the time and effort that office holders put in, in ensuring that everything goes well during the year, from securing sponsorship, to arranging competitions, travelling with all our various teams, etc. and we can categorically say that we were in very good hands for the past year. Well done Austin.

HOLE IN ONE

This man got out of bed last Saturday and was heading for Waterford, met a detour sign at Ballinroad and ended up at the GoldCoast where he went playing golf, took out a three wood on the fourteenth, one hop and into the hole. Well done Tony Lonergan.

MANSFIELD EBS WINTER LEAGUE ROUND 4

The league resumes on

Thursday next 15th November and the following is the draw for this weekend: Ballinacourty v Cork, Dungarvan v Mid County, Abbeyside v Copper Coast, Toumeena/Nire v Dunhill B, Waterford v Dunhill A. We have never had a league as tight as this one and as Cork proved last week there is no one out of it at this stage and there is no team certain of qualifying either. The pairings for next weekend will be published at the end of these notes on our website www.goldcoastgolfclub.com

INDIVIDUAL PLACING

Michael White and Pat Malone lead the pack with 116 pts. Anthony Morrissey is on 114, Liam Clancy, Kiki Cullinan and Jody Hallinan are all on 111 pts. The rest of the leader board is as follows: John White 110, Tom Prendergast 110, David O'Connor 110, Tony Hearne 109, Roy Ware 109, Shane Casey 108, Tony Flynn 107, Dave Scannell 107, Nicholas Mc Grath 106, Colm Keane 106, Ger Kelly 106, Sullivan Doherty 106, Tony Sheehan 106, Stephen Greene 105, Tom White 105.

REALITY GOLF

The players left standing in the various groups are as follows:

Group 1: Pat Power, Neil Kelly, Gerry Whelan and John Queally.

Group 2: Tony Flynn, Thomas Larkin, Colin McArthur and David O'Connor.

Group 3: Ger Kelly, Brian Gaynor, Tom Reynolds and Mark Lenihan.

Group 4: Brian Fahey, Tony Sheehan, Micheal White and Michael Whelan.

Group 5: Jimmy O'Dwyer, Conor Clancy Tom White and Des O'Brien.

Group 6: Tony Hearne, Nicholas Fitzgerald, John White and Shane Casey.

Group 7: Kiki Cullinan, Liam Clancy, John Enright and Pat Malone

Each group will lose another member this weekend in Round 4 of the Winter League.

GREENS

Our greens are in fantastic condition at the moment and it's great to hear so many visitors commenting on them. There are one or two players going out practicing and hitting too many golf balls to the greens and not repairing the plug marks. Any golfer that carries on like this should be ashamed of himself. The greens are for all golfers to use and should be respected and treated properly. It only takes a few seconds to repair a pitch mark.

LIONS CHRISTMAS APPEAL

This will take place during the week 3rd to the 9th December and we would urge all our members to try and get players from other clubs to play during that week. All competition monies collected during the week will go to the Lions Christmas Appeal as all prizes are sponsored by the club. Visitors can play in the 10 hole competition for €10 and in the 18 hole competition for €20.

CHRISTMAS FUN DAY

Members trying to book golf for Sunday 16th December will see that the sheet is closed off to all bookings. This is because we will be having a shotgun start at directly after the Captains' Drive In at 9.30 that morning. All entries for the Fun Day must be in by 9.15 that morning as the draw for partners must be made before the drive in. No late entries will be accepted.

RESULTS

Friday 9th November: CSS 36 pts — 1st: Patrick O'Brien (5) 36

Saturday 10th November: 18 Hole Stableford CSS 35 pts — 1st: Tom Flynn (18) 40 pts; 2nd: Ted Carroll (15) 37 pts; Gross: Micheal White (5) 34 pts.

Sunday 11th November: 18 Hole Stableford CSS 37 pts — 1st: David O'Connor (5) 42 pts; 2nd: Pat Bagge (14) 41 pts; Gross: Mark McGroarty (4) 35 pts.

Ham No. 9 — Gerry Raheer. Ham No. 10 — Micheal White

FIXTURES

Thursday 15th/Friday 16th November: Mansfield EBS Winter League Round 4.

Friday 16th November: Open 18 Hole Stableford.

Saturday 17th November: Mansfield EBS Winter League Round 4.

Sunday 18th November: Mansfield EBS Winter League Round 4.

10 Hole Ham Competition all week.

LADIES NOTES

Fiona Morrissey nominated by Munster Branch to get specialised coaching.

Enright's Eurospar Ladies Winter League 2007-2008 —

Once again this competition had everyone out in force. One team captain and a team member were seen out very early, getting in their round before going to work.

Now there's dedication.

After two rounds of the league the team standings are as follows: Mary Clancy 103, Sheila Norris 102, Teresa Queally 101, Esther McGuckian 100, Joan Virgo 92, Deirdre Hannigan 92, Joan Mansfield 90, Helena Fitzgerald 88. Round three continues this week and then there is a break until Monday 26th November when round 4 will take place.

In the individual tables Fiona Morrissey and Ann McGrath lead with 54 pts each, Joan Virgo is in 3rd place with 52 pts. Esther McGuckian and Teresa Queally are in joint fourth place with 51 and they are followed by Joan O'Dea, Joan Mansfield and Fidelma Horsom with 49 points apiece, Sheila Norris has 48 points and Margaret Hogan make up the top ten with 47 points.

ENRIGHT'S EUROSPAR LADIES WINTER LEAGUE 2007-2008

Results from round 1 — 1st: Esther McGuckian (15) 29 pts; 2nd: Teresa Queally (21) 27 pts; 3rd: Joan Virgo (19) 26 pts.

Round 2 Winners — 1st: Fiona Morrissey (26) 30 pts; 2nd: Anne McGrath (24) 30 pts; 3rd: Joan O'Dea (30) 27 pts.

Fixtures — Enright's Eurospar Winter League Round 3 Mon. to Sunday 18th Nov. 10 Hole Ham Competitions ongoing.

Lismore Golf Club Notes

RESULTS

Monday 5th — Sunday 11th November '07 — 12 Hole Stableford — 1st Sean Desmond (13) 30 Pts L6; 2nd Declan Glavin (10) 30 Pts; 3rd Tom O'Donovan (17) 29 Pts L6

FIXTURES

Monday 12th — Sunday 18th November 12 Hole Stableford Saturday 17th Annual Ashes Match Versus Dungarvan in Dungarvan@ 10.30

SEAN DESMOND CLAIMS 1ST TURKEY OF THE YEAR

The honour of winning the first turkey of the year went to Sean Desmond (13) who carded a great score of 30 points. The highlight of Sean's round came with a fine birdie 2 at the fifth hole. Sean just edged out Declan Glavin (10) on the last six holes. Declan shot a great round of one over par which included a tap in birdie at index one. In third place was outgoing Captain Tom O'Donovan relieved from the stress of Office shooting a fine 29 points on the back 6 just beating Frank Geary and Martin O'Driscoll on a count back.

GOLFER OF THE YEAR

This year's winner of the golfer of the year was Barry Rumley (6) who had an excellent year of golf. He displayed amazing consistency featuring in 7 of the 10 counting events. This was quite a feat off such a low handicap. Well done to Barry. The runner up this year was Trevor Sheehan who also had a fine year.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

On Tuesday we had our Annual General Meeting of the Men's club. Outgoing Captain Tom O'Donovan presided over a constructive meeting. Hon. Treasurer Stephen Hales provided a comprehensive financial report while Hon. Secretary Mr. Shaun Moynihan in his report detailed a busy year of club activities on and off the course. In his address our Captain Mr. Tom O'Donovan thanked all who contributed to the smooth running of the club during his successful tenure. He thanked all sub committees of the club, in particular all involved in course maintenance and Bar and Catering Staff. Incoming Captain Mr. William Kearney said he had a hard act to follow and he looked forward to the challenge of maintaining the high standards already in place.

LISMORE LADIES GOLF

Results — Sun 4th and Wed 7th Nov 12 Hole S/F — 1st Nora O'Sullivan (17) — 27 pts; 2nd Caroline Rothwell (33) — 25 pts.

Officers for 2008 — Captain — Patricia Bolger McCarthy; Vice Captain — Ann Bennett; Hon Sec. — Nora O'Leary; Treasurer — Gerty Murphy; Handicap Sec. — Esther Hornibrook; Ex Officio — Hannah Lucas. Committee — Margaret Morrissey, Connie Dowd, Marie Condon, Nora O'Sullivan, Anna Murphy, Joan Cahillane, Katherine Moynihan, Sheila O'Leary, Sheena Wilkinson, Jo Jo Tobin, Brid Henry.

Fixtures — Mon 12th to Sun 18th 12 Hole S/F play once only

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WEST WATERFORD GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB NOTES

COMPETITION RESULTS

Friday, Saturday & Sunday 9th, 10th & 11th November - Club Competition 16-hole Stableford - 1st: Tim Cooke (12) - 36pts. 2nd: Willie Fitzgibbon (16) - 35pts. 3rd: Eddie Murphy (9) - 35pts. Gross: Karl O'Callaghan (3) - 32pts. 4th: Gerard McGrath (16) - 35pts. 5th: James Cooney (14) - 34pts.

Wednesday 7th November - 1st: Mike Daly (16) (W.W) - 39pts. 2nd: Frank North (19) (W.W) - 39pts. 3rd: Seamus O'Neill (10) (Dungarvan) - 37pts.

Congratulations to Malcolm Ashby who achieved a Hole in One on the 4th hole of the Autumn/Winter Wednesday Open.

The next Autumn/Winter Open takes place next Wednesday 21st November.

SINGLES MATCHPLAY

In the semi-final of the Singles Matchplay competition David Curran beat Sean Kelly and James Cooney beat John Carroll to claim their place in the final of the competition.

CLUB FOURBALL

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Congratulations to Jean Conway and Edward Hickey who defeated Bridget Broderick and Morrie Ferncombe in the final of the club Fourball.

JUNIOR MATCHPLAY

Congratulations to David Byrne and Gary Hurlley who have reached the final of The Ray Spratt Cup. The final will take place next weekend.

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.

FIXTURES

Monday 12th November to Sunday 18th November - Deise Golf Pass Open Winter Competition, Open 16-hole Stableford, tee-time limitations apply. There will be 5 qualifiers from the weekly competition, (3 members and 2 non-members)

Sunday 18th November - Captains' Golf Day
Wednesday 21st November - Autumn/Winter Open Competition 16-hole Stableford.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday 23rd, 24th & 25th November - Club Competition 16-hole Stableford.

Saturday 24th November - Ardmore/Cashmore Golf Society 11am to 12.30pm.

Sunday 25th November - 1st tee reserved for South East Senior Alliance from 10.30am to 1pm.

Wednesday 28th November - Autumn/Winter Open Competition 16-hole Stableford.

Wednesday 28th November - Annual General Meetings of both the Ladies and Gents Clubs at 8pm sharp in the Clubhouse.

Friday 30th November, Saturday & Sunday 1st & 2nd December - Club Competition 16-hole Stableford.

Wednesday 5th December - Autumn/Winter Open Competition 16-hole Stableford

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website:

DEISE GOLF OPEN

For the week commencing Monday 12th November to Sunday 18th November, West Waterford Golf Club will host the first of their weeks Deise Open qualifier. During that week an Open 16-hole competition will run for the week for both Ladies and Gents, handicap limits 20 for men and 30 for ladies. 3 visitors and 2 members will qualify for the Grand

Finals which will take place in April 2008 at a venue and date to be decided. The prize for the overall winner will be 4 green fees and 4 meals from each of the 10 participating Clubs within the Deise Golf Pass scheme. Tee-time limitations apply and not available to pre-booked groups.

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.

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.

SOUTH EAST SENIOR ALLIANCE

West Waterford Golf and Country Club are delighted to be playing host to the South East Senior Alliance once more on Sunday 25th November. The crème de la crème of the South East will be pitting their wits against the course and we look forward to the visit of Martin O'Mahony and his fellow golfers.

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

Captains lunch was a great success. Thank you to Joanna for a lovely warm get together and once again Bridget and her staff out did themselves with a lovely meal.

Results - 13 Hole sponsored by Liz Murray - 1st: MaryLou Carroll (15) 34pts; 2nd: Phil Kelly (24) 31pts back 7; 3rd: Mary Spratt (25) 31pts

Fixtures - 13 hole ongoing. 9 Hole for November. AGM: Wednesday 28th November. Please sign up for winter leagues if you would be interested in playing.

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Waterford County Badminton Notes

TOURANEENA CELEBRATE 40TH BIRTHDAY

Over two hundred people attended a function at the Park Hotel in Dungarvan on Saturday 10th November to mark the fortieth anniversary of the founding of Touraneena Badminton Club. Some of the original founding members were present including Theresa Butler, Fr. Griffin, Tom Power and John Dalton. Waterford County Badminton Association was represented by President Sheena Wilkinson and committee members Martin Morrissey and Michael and Mary McGrath. Sheena Wilkinson addressed the audience as well as Fr. Griffin and Pat Hearne, Chairperson of Touraneena Badminton Club.

A special presentation was made to Theresa Butler to recognise her outstanding commitment to badminton both in Touraneena and throughout the county over the years.

MEN'S AND LADIES COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Men's and Ladies County Championships will take place in the new hall in Cappoquin on Tuesday 27th November. Club members of all levels should be encouraged to take part to make this event as successful as possible. Entries should be sent to Tom O'Connor or Trudy Kennedy as soon as possible.

COUNTY DEVELOPMENT DRAW

Tickets are now being distributed for the County Development Draw. Half of all proceeds will go to the county with the remainder being added to club funds. This is an excellent opportunity for clubs to raise money. Tickets are available from Tom O'Connor. All tickets must be returned by November 23rd. The draw will take place on November 27th at the County Championships.

CLASS 4

Waterford will host the Munster Class 4 competition on November 25th in Cappoquin. The Class 4 team has been training in Cappoquin for the past few weeks. The final training session will be held on Sunday 18th November from 7.00 to 9.00 p.m.

Causeway Tennis Club Notes

COMMITTEE MEETING

The next committee meeting will be held on Thursday 15th November at 9.00 p.m.

LADDER

The next round of the ladder has started and the two games must be played by 9.00 p.m. on Wednesday 21st November - no extensions allowed.

WINTER LEAGUE

Anyone interested please put your name on the sheet on the notice board. This will be a team event with a male/female from each section.

CONTACT

Club administrator (clubhouse, tel: 058 42813 or by email: 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: Club administrator (clubhouse, tel: 058 42813 or by email: causewaytennisclub@hotmail.com)

LADIES' MORNING

Ladies' mornings, every Wednesday in the Club. All levels welcome.

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.

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

Cumann Camogaiochta Na Rinne

BUA IONTACH

Ta rimead orainn fos tar eis bua an fhorieann mhionuir i gCraobh an Chontae, an tseachtain seo chaite. Beidh oiche cheiliurtha ar siúl i dTigh Mhuirthe ar an 1/12/07. Teacht le cheile a bheidh i gceist le ceol agus craic, gan dabht. Bronnfar a mboinn ar an buaiteoiri ona 7i.n. go 9i.n. Cuirfearar solaiste fail. Bigi Linn!

URRAIOCHT

Ar mbuiochas leis na hurraitheoiri ar fad a thug an-chunamh duinn i rith na bliana. Buiochas ar leith le Shane O Suilleabhain. B'acmhainn duinn malai traenala a cheannach, toisc an cabhair a thug se.

CRUINNIU CINNBHLIANA

Tionolfar cruinniu cinnbhliana an chumainn i Halla an Phobail ar 7.30i.n. ar an 23/11/07. Caithear na ticeidi ar fad don crannchur a bheith istigh ar an oiche seo. Chomh maith leis sin beidh pacaiste (mala traenala agus geansai cohall-costs €50) ar diol tar eis an chruinnithe. Nil ach lion airithe ar fail da bhre sin diolfar iad leis na baili is luaithe a thiofadh.

A NIGHT OF CELEBRATION

Many of our players are still celebrating the winning of the minor county title last week. We will hold a celebratory night in Murray's, An Rinn on the 1/12/07. Medals will be presented to the Minor team between 7pm - 9pm. It promises to be a great night of music and craic. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

SPONSORSHIP

We would like to thank our many sponsors who helped us out during the year, especially Shane O'Sullivan who recently sponsored our kit bags. Mile buiochas.

AGM

Our AGM will be held in Halla an Phobail, An Rinn on the 23/11/07 at 7.30pm. All players are asked to hand in raffle tickets on the night. We will also be selling a package-a kit bag and a hoodie for €50. You are advised to arrive early as there is only a limited amount available.

CUNNIGAR PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES

COMPETITION WINNERS

Ladies Day - Wednesday 7th November Best Nett: Bridget Broderick, Best Gross: Mary Donnelly.

Turkey Competitions - Saturday 10th November Nett: Mary O'Neill & Jacinta O'Mahony, Best Gross: Thomas Maher & Wayne McCarthy.

JUVENILE LEAGUE RESULTS

BOYS
1st Nett: Scott Moynahan 1st Gross: Pius O'Shea
2nd Nett: Colm O'Shea 2nd Gross: Ryan McGrath
3rd Nett: John Blackwell

GIRLS
1st Nett: Vicky McGee 1st Gross: Elizabeth O'Dea
2nd Nett: Katie EBanks 2nd Gross: Nadine Brown
A sincere thank you to Ger Wyley for donating Clubs.

JUVENILE SCRATCH CUP - THIS SUNDAY 18TH NOVEMBER AT 2.00 p.m.

Best of luck to all participating in this competition. Everyone welcome to play.

TURKEY COMPETITIONS EVERY SATURDAY

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.

SNOWBALL

Winner of Snowball Saturday 10th November was Vicky McGee.



Valley Go Top Of The Table

CASTLEBRIDGE LEAD PROMOTION RACE

NO LUCK FOR THE THREE IN MUNSTER

YOUTHS BEATEN IN LIMERICK

OSCAR TRAYNOR NEXT SUNDAY

Last weekend was one of the busiest for many weeks with Munster Cup, Youth Inter League, Bolger Cup and Youth Inter league all taking place between Saturday and Sunday. For ourselves it was without doubt one of the busiest 8 days for many a week.

We started off with the FAI Corporate Presentation in Lismore and we had the unveiling of 4 new RDO's in Cork and Waterford.

On the field of play we had Munster Junior Cup games on Saturday night, and on Sunday we were in Jackman Park, Limerick, for the Youth Inter League Game. At the same time we had the semi final of the Bolger Cup and League games in both divisions. Who says PRO is an easy past time?

LIMERICK DISTRICT LEAGUE 6 WWEC 0

We made the long trek to Jackman Park Limerick on Sunday

afternoon for the first group game in the Umbro Youth Inter-league series. Unfortunately manager Paddy Tobin found himself short three of the original panel on Sunday morning, the players picking up injuries on Saturday night in the Munster Cup games.

The WWEC selection found themselves up against a very strong Limerick side, boasting no fewer than 6 Munster youth capped players. The game was only 3 mins. old when the home side beat the off side trap brilliantly to score. 10 mins. later they doubled the score and this is the way the score was up to the 38th minute when Limerick struck twice in the space of 5 mins. to leave the score at the break 4 goals to nil.

A reorganisation at the break saw a more attack conscious WWEC in the opening 10 mins. of the 2nd half and two great efforts from Craig Guiry saw Glasgow Celtic trialist, goalie Ger Barron make two wonderful saves. This really tore the heart out of the team and Limerick in quick passing movements, moving the ball from defence to midfield, out to the wings and pinpoint crosses into the box resulted in 2 more goals, one an og.

At the end of the 90 mins. Limerick showed us why they are one of the favourites to win the group and advance to probably the final of the competition.

While defeated, Manager Paddy Tobin and coach Michael Looby, have much to look forward with a full strength team. Players like the two Guirys, McNulty, Fives, Morrissey all gave of their best, but having to play two games in less than 24 hours proved too much of a handicap.

Team — S. Aherne, T. P. Lee, C. McNulty, A. McGrath, C. Guiry (capt.), G. Guiry, E. Morrissey, S. Fives, S. Power, K. Browne, A. Coughlan. Reserve: K. Walsh.

In the other group game, the TS&DL defeated the Desmond League by 2 goals to nil.

Our next game is against the TS&DL in Cappoquin on 2nd December.

TRAMORE 4 BLACKWATER 1

Tramore were favourites to win this tie, but Blackwater did not lack confidence having already knocked out Tramore Rgs on the way. Unfortunately for the WWEC side they fell 2 goals behind early in the 1st half before Andrew Murphy pulled a goal back from the penalty spot. Blackwater really piled on the pressure after this as they went in search of the equaliser but could not do so before the break and in a breakaway the home side scored.

In the 2nd half the visitors tried hard to pull back the 2 goal deficit, but try as they might they could not break down a strong home defence who on another break scored their 4th goal to kill off any hope the WWEC side had. Credit to Blackwater for their display and they can now look forward to a Bolger Plate Final and the league as they chase Valley and Bride View.

KILWORTH 1 VALLEY RGS 4

Valley went into this game knowing that for the rest of the season they will be without their very influential goalie Shane Fitzgerald who received a bad injury training last week. Early in the opening half Kilworth scored when Paudie Lynch found the

LUCOZADE SPORT MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP

Cappoquin Unlucky To Lose In Extra Time

CAPPOQUIN 0 DUNGARVAN 1 (AET)

We were disappointed that we could not take in this Lucozade Sport Munster Junior Cup game on Saturday night but we had to travel to Tallow for the other cup game. Our reporter at the game kept us informed throughout with the progress. This was a brilliant game of football, with two sides playing a good attacking brand of football, and while Dungarvan had more of the possession they were not putting the home defence under too much pressure. Cappoquin, without the injured David Lenane, Stephen Kett and Mossie Collins, took the game to the old boro, but neither side just could not find the net. The 2nd half was the same as the first, but the fitness of the visitors seemed to tell on Cappoquin. However they still managed to keep their goal in tact to the final whistle and we then went into extra time.

The 1st period was much the same as the preceding 90 mins with neither side able to find the net. As we entered the final few minutes and the dreaded penalties began looming Dungarvan scored in the 108th minute and through to the next round. It was heart break for an understrength Cappoquin team who gave their all and while defeated can feel proud with Dungarvan to have played a very sporting contest well refereed by Tom Griffin.

net. However Valley have shown since the start of the season they intend to retain their crown and put Kilworth under a lot of pressure ending with an og to leave the sides level at the break. In the 2nd half Sean Twomey gave the champions the lead and two goals from Terence Rumley ensured the points went to Conna and top of the league table.

AN GHAELTACHT 2 ACCRINGTON CELTIC 3

A first league win for the Fermoy side and they move off the bottom of the table. The home side were understrength on the day but still managed to score twice in the opening half through Shane Kelly and Liam Grace. Eltin Pierce and Kevin Whelan replied for the visitors. In the 2nd half Mark O'Connor scored to give Accrington their first league win in 8 games and move them off the bottom of the table and a point behind their opponents.

CASTLEBRIDGE 4 CAPPOQUIN 1

Castlebridge take over as leaders of the 1st division following this win at home to the Cappoquin 2nd string. Kevin Cotter gave them a half time lead, but early in the 2nd half Cappoquin equalise through Mark Flavin. At this stage it was developing into a very evenly contested game be-

fore Mick Linehan converted a penalty for the home side. Further goals from Killian Smith and Linehan again ensured the points for Castlebridge and the top of the 1st division.

MOGEELY 3 CLASHMORE 3

(Clashmore win on penalties)
In a rip roaring Tony Bolger Cup Semi Final played at the Inch venue both sides finished level after 6 goals were scored and in the penalty shoot out Clashmore came out on top.

Mogeely took the lead in what can be a candidate for the fastest ever goal scored in a cup competition when John Clifford scored straight from the kick off. Billy Daly equalised for the Clashmore side before Noel Early scored to give Mogeely a half time lead. Early in the 2nd half, Vinny Coonan levelled matters and Barry Coleman put the Waterford side ahead and it looked as if this was the winning score until just on the full time whistle Chris Mottebibi popped up to bring the sides to a penalty shootout. Clashmore goalie Pat O'Rourke was the Clashmore hero saving three Mogeely penalties, and Clashmore converting theirs.

Clashmore now go on to play Bride View in the Tony Bolger Cup final.

LUCOZADE SPORT MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP

Bride View Push Carrick All The Way

BRIDE VIEW 0 CARRICK UTD 1

This Lucozade Sport Munster Junior Cup game played in Tallow on Saturday night was definitely not a game for the faint hearted. It was a game full of incident, a cup tie that saw the favourites Carrick Utd hold on for a win in a rip roaring contest that had the large attendance on their toes to the final whistle. From the off both sides made their intentions known—they both wanted to win. Carrick took the lead on 11 mins. when Ian Cleary found the net. Play swung from end to end with on occasions, rash tackles, and Bride View did have the ball in the net only to be ruled offside. With 10 mins. to the break, a wonderful movement by the home side saw Keith Landers hit a post with the Carrick keeper out of position.

In the opening 20 mins. of the 2nd half, Bride View really threw down the gauntlet to the Waterford champions and we actually lost count of the corner kick count when it reached double figures. For all of the supremacy at this stage, the home side could not find the net with Adrian Walsh in the Carrick goal showing why he has only conceded one goal in 7 appearances for the Irish Juniors, and that goal was an og the previous week in Palma against Spain. William Henley had the best opportunity to equalise in this period, but his header came out off the line instead of the net. Carrick coach, ex Waterford manager and player Michael Bennett, reorganised the defence and the visitors held out for a hard earned win and disappointment for the home team.

Carrick definitely missed international Wayne Fitzgerald, out for the rest of the season with an injury picked up in Spain, but they showed all their experience and fitness in a second half that could have and should have seen Bride View equalise.

Bride View must now get over the disappointment and concentrate on the league, especially with their neighbours Valley winning on Sunday and going top of the table.



WEST WATERFORD EAST CORK JUNIOR LEAGUE

11TH CO-OP DRAW (2007/2008)

2nd Draw at the W.W.E.C. Delegate Meeting, 5th November 2007



1st	€5,000 Cash	3512	Marie Ducey	c/o Pinewood Schoolboys	Pinewood Schoolboys
2nd	€2,000 Family Holiday	0741	David O'Connell	Kiliphilibeem, Ballynoe, Mallow	Valley Rangers
3rd	€1,000 Rugby Trip	3204	Michael Murphy	Shanauagoon, Ladysbridge	Mogeely
4th	€600 LCD T.V.	2531	Caitriona McCarthy	Mohera, Castlelyons, Co. Cork	Castlebridge
5th	€500 Toss Bryan Voucher	1495	John O'Donnell	Feddaun, Mount Melleray	Glenview
6th	€400 Quality Hotel Break	1405	Declan Foy	Mt. Melleray, Cappoquin	Glenview
7th	€400 Quality Hotel Break	0959	Amelda Noonan	c/o Padraig Noonan	Valley Rangers
8th	€400 Quality Hotel Break	1490	Pat, J.J. & Michael Devine	Moonboy, Cappoquin	Glenview
9th	€300 Oakwood Family Trip	1061	Kevin Casey	Knockkeylan, Leamybrien	Cappoquin
10th	€200 TV/DVD Combi	1037	James Morrissey	Barrett Street, Cappoquin	Cappoquin

Next draw Monday, December 3rd 2007 at the W.W.E.C. Delegate Meeting



W.W.E.C. RESULTS

LUCOZADE SPORT MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP
Cappoquin 0 Dungarvan 1 (aet)
Bride View 0 Carrick Utd 1
Tramore 4 Blackwater 1

TONY BOLGER CUP
(sponsored by Dungarvan Leader)
Mogeely 3 Clashmore 3
(Clashmore win on penalties)

FAI UMBRO YOUTH INTERLEAGUE CUP
Limerick District League 6 WWEC 0

MARI MINA PHARMACY PREMIER DIVISION
Kilworth 1 Valley Rgs 4
An Ghaeltacht 2 Accrington 3

SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIV
Castlebridge 4 Cappoquin 1

FAI Corporate Presentation Night

The above night was held in the Lismore Hotel on Monday night last.
(See page 62 for details)

W.W.E.C. FIXTURES

FRIDAY 16th NOVEMBER
SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIV
Bride View v Ballybridge 7.30pm R Barrett

SUNDAY 18TH NOVEMBER
FAI UMBRO OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP
WWEC v Limerick District League at Cappoquin 2.30pm T Griffin
Assistants A Horgan, E Cusack

SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1st DIV
Cappoquin v Inch at Affane 12.30pm
Ref. P Marks

SINCERE SYMPATHY

Very sincere sympathy is extended to Jim Madden, Hon Secretary of the Clare League on the death last week of his daughter Orla. Orla died at a young age leaving a husband and two small children, and while we knew she was not well when we played Oscar Traynor Cup in Ennis a few weeks back, her death still came as a shock to all of us in the football community. Ar dheis de ar a anam.

BLACKWATER FC NOTES

Blackwater Lose Away To Tramore

For the second round of the Munster Junior Cup our reward for beating Inch was a daunting trip to high flying Tramore who are Premier Division in the Waterford league. We were under no illusions travelling down on Saturday evening that they were a class side and we would be hard pressed to get any sort of result from the game.

The pace and fitness of the opposition was evident from the start and to be fair Tramore was always in control of the game. Even though Blackwater played with one up front and a five man midfield the home side were dominant in all the opening exchanges. Before a half hour had passed we found ourselves 2-0 down and in real trouble but when C. Shalloe made a break through the middle he was pulled down in the box by the Tramore centre back. The referee was left with little option than to award the penalty which was dispatched with ease by A. Murphy. Much to the surprise of all at the game the player was only shown a yellow when clearly as the last man he could and should have been shown red. This goal gave Blackwater hope and they did give a better account of themselves after pulling the goal back. J. Radley was most unlucky when after getting into a great position to pull the trigger and get Blackwater on level terms he was blatantly pulled back and another penalty should have been awarded. The away team protested strongly and were incensed but this was to prove the turning point as instead of conceding another penalty and a possible equalizer Tramore stormed up the pitch on the break and made the game over as a contest by scoring their 3rd goal. 3-1 down at 1/2 time and against a class outfit like Tramore the game was effectively over as a contest. Blackwater had to press forward and inevitably gaps appeared and it was only a matter of time before one of their chances was converted to make it 4-1. A. Murphy had a great game on his own up front for Blackwater and despite conceding four. D. Cullnane and J. Healy had great games at the back for Blackwater.

Despite some unpopular decisions from the Referee Blackwater were beaten by the better side on the day by a team that will progress further in this competition. We wish them well in this competition and thank them for their kind hospitality on the night.

Team: P. Donavon; J. Tobin; D. Cullnane; J. Healy; G. Ronayne; F. Cotter; J. Radley; C. Shalloe; K. Cotter; S. Cotter; A. Murphy

FIXTURES

Due to the western Final next weekend, we have no fixtures for the coming week. With divided loyalties in the Blackwater Camp for the big game on Sunday we wish both teams contesting the final the best of luck and May the best team win.

TABLE QUIZ

The fundraising table quiz scheduled for Friday 16th November in the Elephants Bar has been postponed. Apologies for an inconvenience caused and we will try to run it before Christmas. New date will be announced in the coming weeks.

SPONSORSHIP

On behalf of the club I would like to thank Sean Cotter for his kind sponsorship of gear bags. All sponsorship is vital and greatly appreciated by all associated with the club.

Clashmore Ramblers FC

UNDER-11 LEAGUE

Through To League Final In First season!

CLASHMORE 4 VALLEY 0

Another great performance by this young team, with a panel of twenty playing it, it was great to watch. Man of the match was Eoin Coughlan with a hat-trick but everyone played very well. Also special mention to Aiden Keating in goal, who had a great game. Shane Russell opened the scoring after five minutes and it was 1-0 at half time.

In the second half, Eoin took over the scoring and was unlucky not to score more. His second goal was very good as he rounded three players before beating the keeper. Issac O'Sullivan and Danny O'Mahony played very well when they came on in the second half and for two 8 year olds this was great to see. Well done to all the boys and when we get word of the final and our opponents we'll pass it on.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership must be paid at this Saturday's matches, by the latest please: U8-12's 20 euro plus passport photo.

JUNIOR TEAM — BOLGER CUP — SEMI FINAL

Great Display Sees Clashmore Advance To Cup Final

CLASHMORE 3 MOGEELY 3
(Clashmore win 3-0 on penalties)

Finally something to smile about after an excellent game by two teams playing attacking football. We couldn't have started any worse because after 20 seconds we were a goal down when Mogeely scored straight from kick-off. One of their players ran straight into the box and shot past Pa O'Rourke in goal to go 1 up. This got us going and we started to pass the ball around with good efforts by Decey Gleeson and Barry Coleman, which forced corners. We equalised when the ball broke to Billy Daly from a corner twenty yards out and hitting it first time scored a great goal and one we greatly deserved. We were on top form at this stage but could do nothing about going behind again just before half time when Mogeely scored with a great strike from outside the box. At half time we were 2-1 down.

At half time we knew we had the beatings of Mogeely and in the second half we went on the attack looking for the goal to bring us level and played some good football. Derek Cronin put some great balls into the box and it was only a matter of time before we scored. And that is how the second goal came! Shane Dalton played the ball down the line to Derek who beat his man and sent a great ball to the back post where Vinnie Connan controlled it and beat the keeper to the bottom corner. 2-2 game on. We kept the pressure up and Mogeely were defending deep in their half. After good play by Thomas Burke, the ball was played to Barry and he made no mistake finishing to the top corner, giving the keeper no chance. So with fifteen minutes left we had come back to lead. Then as Mogeely drove forward looking to save the game, Decey got injured in a tackle after rounding the keeper, that could easily have been a penalty. He had to go off and with subs already used we played the last five minutes with ten men. Mogeely then scored in what must be said was an off-side goal. 3-3 and the dreaded penalty shootout.

Mogeely won the toss and decided to go first. Pa made the save down to his right. Up stepped Vinnie and he scored to give us the advantage. Pa saved Mogeely second penalty to his right again and when Derek scored we were in control. Mogeely had to score the next penalty but Pa was in fine form and saved again, this time as the player sent it straight down the middle. Pa stood firm and saved a powerful shot. The winning of the game was left to Chalky who scored his penalty to sent us into the final against Brideview A on the 29th of December, during the Christmas holidays.

A great team performance with everyone playing their part but special mention to the goalkeeper Pa O'Rourke for his penalty saves. We have a break next week due to the Oscar Traynor game. Hopefully we'll have the injured lads back to full health by the next game in two weeks away in Conna when we take on league and cup champions Valley Rangers. Well done to all concerned.

FIXTURES

Pinewood Rangers visit Pablo Park next Saturday with three games going ahead, with the young U-8's and U-10's playing their first game in their own age group. Anyone that saw the U-11 game last week when they all got a run will be looking forward to seeing these games.

Under 8 — Home v Pinewood next Saturday, November 17th, kick-off 12.30pm.

Under 10 — Home v Pinewood next Saturday, November 17th, kick-off 12.30pm.

All under 8-10s to be at the pitch at 12.00pm sharp.

Under 12 — Home v Pinewood next Saturday, November 17th, kick-off 2.00pm.

All U-12 to be at the pitch by 1.30pm sharp.

No games for Junior, U-11 or U-16 this weekend.

W.W.E.C. PREVIEWS

This weekend is dominated by the 2nd game in the group series of the Oscar Traynor Cup when the Limerick District League are visitors to Cappoquin on Sunday afternoon. Fixture Secretary Noel Hegarty has given all the clubs in the premier a free weekend that they might travel to Cappoquin and support the WWEC team.

There are just two 1st division games down for decision.

OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP

This Sunday should see a very large attendance at the Cappoquin venue for the visit of Limerick District League to play the WWEC in the 2nd series of group games in The Oscar Traynor Cup. The interest has never been higher in the WWEC following their great win in Ennis a few weeks back against the Clare League. Both Limerick and the Munster Senior League played a draw in their opening game, which means for the first time ever our league not only won a group game, but go top of the group and need just one win from the next two games to qualify with home advantage for the open draw.

However back to Sunday's game, and from what we hear in the higher echelons the WWEC is the team to watch this season and Limerick will not feel as confident of victory as they did this time last season. Limerick defeated us last season at Jackman Park and that defeat cost us qualification. On that occasion Limerick were the better team, and in fact the best team in the group. Having seen the WWEC squad in action we feel this is the best squad of players the league has had since we made our debut in 2001. Manager David Condon and his assistant Joe Tobin have put a lot of time and commitment into the selection of players and the squad have responded with their commitment to all the training sessions with coach Michael Looby.

There is much disappointment within the team with the injury to captain and goalie Shane Fitzgerald, Valley Rgs, whose injury is likely to keep him out of football for the rest of

the season. Luckily the league can call on another top class keeper in Kieran Cotter, whose experience will be of great benefit to the whole team and management. It would be unfair of us to mention players, but on the Clare performance, we can expect another wonderful performance.

We have been advised Limerick will not be as confident as they were this time 12 months ago in Jackman Park, but with so many top class players to chose from, Limerick will always be favourites. Looking at the team they fielded in their draw against the Munster Senior League, it resembled an Eircom League team with so many players who have played at the highest level and names that are so familiar to us Eircom League followers with Alan Barry one of the most prominent.

We do believe that names and past exploits of the opposition mean little to the current squad of the WWEC and they themselves are experienced enough, many having years of experience in the Oscar Traynor Competition and National and Provincial cup competitions.

So what is our prediction, you might ask. For the first time ever we see a confidence that a win can achieve, and a self belief that has been instilled in the team by the management team of David Condon, Joe Tobin and Michael Looby. We would love to see a victory that would make the trip to Cork in January nothing more than fulfilling a fixture, but we must be realistic and remember that Limerick will always be one of the top 8 teams in the country expecting to qualify for the last 16, and on those qualifications alone we will settle for a draw.

We would ask all the clubs in the league to turn up on Sunday to support and encourage the WWEC, for support and encouragement at times be worth a goal start.

There can be no excuses for lack of support as Fixture Secretary Noel Hegarty has allowed a free Sunday for all the clubs to travel to Cappoquin.

Remember Kick Off is 2.30pm. Be there.



JUBILANT SCENES AT FRAHER FIELD, DUNGARVAN AS ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY SUPPORTERS WAIT FOR JOHN HURNEY TO LIFT THE CONWAY CUP AFTER THEIR TEAM WON THE CO. SENIOR FOOTBALL FINAL LAST SUNDAY. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Notes

COUNTY SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

All the hard work by so many dedicated people at under age level helped to produce a fine committed team effort in last Sunday's Co. S.F.C. final at Dungarvan's Fraher Field as after a lapse of 26 years Ballinacourty recaptured the Co. title over a fine Ardmore side who ensured that the issue hung in doubt right up to the final whistle.

All in the club extend their deep

appreciation to each and every player on the panel for their dedication and commitment throughout what has been a truly hectic schedule which has seen the club involved in no less than "9 senior championship games in both codes over the past 11 weeks".

Our management team of Packie Hurney, manager who spared no effort over the past two years in quest of that elusive title, selectors Nial Moore and Tomas O Faolain who likewise played

key roles as did coach Pat Moore who brought all his experience to bear and physical trainer Jeff Allen who had the panel in top fettle.

Also very much part of the back room team were Tomas Kiely (First Aid) with Michael Scanlon also helping out on several occasions, Jimmy O'Leary (kit man), while helping out on the side line with water etc were Damien Cliffe, Pa McGovern, Ian Kiely, Diarmuid O'Hare and Matty Kiely with Doctor Breffini Hannon's assistance also being much appreciated. Ensuring that everything ran smooth were secretary Bernard Shields and Chairman Tony Mansfield.

Our thanks to the juvenile committee who had the next generation of club players present in huge numbers and likewise to the "ad hoc" sub committee who be-decked our parish with "Green and White".

A county senior final is a huge sporting occasion and this group of players brought huge joy to our parish in 2007 and it was a truly emotional moment when John Hurney hoisted the Cup on Sunday last as years and years of dedicated work by so many loyal club personnel had brought its just rewards, as Green and White balloons were released into the sky.

Final score Ballinacourty 3-4 Ardmore 1-7.

Team: Stephen Enright: Joey Mullen, John Kindregan, Gavan Breen, Shane Briggs, John Hurney, Richie Foley, Sean O'Hare, Patrick Lynch, Mark Fives, Laurence Hurney, John Phelan, Gary Hurney, Patrick Hurney, Mark Ferncombe, Sub Mark Gorman (for), M. Ferncombe (injured), Richie Ryan, Declan Fives, Tiernan Murray, Eoin Brackett, John Foley, Jonathan Moore, James O'Mahoney, Aidan Landers, Simon Hanrahan, Eoin Enright, Brendan Walsh, John Gorman, Declan Enright.

TOUR OF THE PARISH

A cavalcade of cars journeyed all over the parish with the Cup and received a wonderful welcome throughout their victorious journey.

PLEASANT AFTER MATCH FUNCTION

After the game all involved plus many supporters enjoyed a meal at Lawlor's Hotel, the championship sponsors and it was a truly pleasant function with team capt. John Hurney, team

manager Packie Hurney and club Chairman providing the necessary short speeches after the meal.

GOING HOME

Then with a guard of honour provided by the juveniles attired in their club colours the Conway Cup was brought home across the Bridge and Causeway to a huge welcome in the 'village'.

The players/management were then introduced individually by M.C. Kieran O'Connor and John Hurney, Packie Hurney and Tony Mansfield spoke to the hundreds in attendance - our thanks to the Gardaí for their help and to John McGrath, Waterford Joinery for providing the lorry and to those club personell who again acted so promptly to organise a fitting homecoming for our champions as fireworks lit up the night sky.

SCHOOLS VISITED

On Monday morning the players, team officials and club officers visited the schools in our parish namely Scoil Mhuire,

Abbeyside, Scoil Garbhan, Scoil Garanban and St. Augustine's College.

On display at each of the schools were the trophies won to date in 2007 as follows: U-21 Hurling (06) Final played in Jan 07, U-21 Football, U-16 Football, Junior Hurling, SH Sargent Cup, SFC Conway Cup. In all a total of 10 cups were on display.

SPONSORS

The club wishes to thank its sponsors - Firstly our main sponsors First Active for all their help and support.

Secondly, Emerald Financial for sponsoring socks.

Thirdly, The Village Inn for sponsoring togs.

Fourthly to all our other sponsors whose continued support is great appreciated.

COMMITTEE MEETING

The next committee meeting will be held in the Parish Office on Thursday, November 22nd at 8 p.m.

U-21 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

It's likely that the Western U-21 hurling championship final

will go ahead this week and hopefully on Saturday as Ballinacourty footballers are coming together from all over the country for a footballing session on Sunday next as they will play Kerry representatives Kilkummin in the AIB Munster Club Championship on the 25th November.

GAA QUIZ NIGHT

Our juvenile section are currently organising a GAA quiz night to be held in Minnies on Friday, November 23rd at 8.30 pm. As the name suggests all questions will be GAA based, so get organising your teams quickly as we try to see who does know the most GAA trivia in Waterford. The good news is that no team will be competing against Waterford's own Jimmy Magee, namely John Kiely, as John will be our quiz master on the night.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets are currently on sale for our annual Christmas Raffle and we are requesting big support here as the costs involved with a senior Co. Final and Munster Club are huge and we have no doubt that our supporters will not be found wanting.



J.R. Ewing visits "The Stadium" congratulating his club Abbeyside/Ballinacourty on their great win last Sunday. He would like to thank Ardmore for the splendid game.

Juvenile G.A.A. Notes

Well done and thanks to all of the Juvenile supporters who turned up in their colours to support the boys last Sunday and added to the atmosphere both at the match and at the celebrations that followed that evening.

INDOOR HURLING EVERY FRIDAY EVENING

All are Welcome-Senior Football Cup and members of the team coming this week.

Our indoor season in the Friary hall is now well under way with another great turnout last Friday evening.

It was great to see Ballinacourty's Senior Football Captain John Hurney taking the time out of his schedule and give some time back to the juveniles. Along with club chairman Tony Mansfield, they presented each juvenile with a green and white streamer for Sunday's match. On Friday evening next we will the Senior Football cup along with some members of the team so don't miss this opportunity to get your hands on the cup.

For anyone who hasn't attended the indoor sessions before, this is an ideal opportunity to bring along your children to learn and enjoy some basic training in hurling with the emphasis more on enjoyment rather than competition.

The sessions will run every Friday evening up to the end of March next and are for both boys and girls.

Details of the sessions as follows:
 Under 6's- 6.00pm to 6.45pm
 Under 7's- 6.45pm to 7.30pm
 Under 8's- 7.30pm to 8.30pm
 Under 9 & 10 8.30pm to 9.30pm
 Children must be at least 5 and under 10
 Cost is €2 per child per night
 Hurleys will be provided but bring your own helmet.

Parents please complete and return parental consent forms next week and if you've sold any of our Annual Christmas Raffle tickets please return the ticket coupon book with payment.

OUTDOOR FOOTBALL SESSIONS FOR UNDER 7'S, 8'S AND 9'S ON WEDNESDAY

Our Wednesday evening training sessions under the floodlights for under 7's, 8's and 9's are proving very popular, starting at 6.00pm and finishing 7.00pm they will continue while weather permits

CLUB GEAR - THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS PRESENT!

With Christmas getting ever closer, over the next few weeks we will have more details for anyone interested in getting some of our very fashionable and trendy club gear like our juvenile hoodies and training shirts.

G.A.A - TABLE QUIZ IN AID OF THE JUVENILE CLUB

For anyone interested in testing their G.A.A knowledge, we are holding a table quiz in Minnies Bar on Friday Night, November 23rd next at 8.30pm. Teams of four cost €40 with plenty of prizes and quiz master John Kiely, Waterford Senior Football Manager. All proceeds going towards our own Juvenile club

WEBSITE

Just a note to remind everyone to checkout the club website www.abbeycourtygaa.com to view pictures of the recent tournaments including the Darryl Lenihan, Roanmore and De La Salle outings.

In Summary, Fixtures as follows:
 Wednesday - Ages 7-9 - 14th November- 6.00pm to 7.00pm-football training.
 Friday - Ages 5-10 - 16th November - 6.00pm - 9.30pm-see above for further details.

Dungarvan GAA Club Notes

INTERMEDIATE HURLERS RETAIN WESTERN TITLE Dungarvan 4-10 An Rinn 4-8

In a final worthy of the occasion, our Intermediate hurlers produced a spirited second half display to retain our Western Title at the Fraher Field last Saturday afternoon. When the chips were down in this second half, the team produced a determination and stickwork that reflects the true potential of this group. Having not availed of the strong wind in the first half fully, the second thirty minutes was always going to be difficult but at the end of the day we pulled through on foot of a solid team display.

Goals! Goals! Goals!

Someone said that goals win games and our goal famine thankfully ended last Saturday with four goals in twenty three minutes in contrast to no goals in two hours and forty minutes prior to this game.

With the strong wind at our backs, we were nevertheless slow out of the blocks and we were 1-2 down after just four minutes. We were well off the pace of the game and we seemed destined for a bad day at the office. Two goals, one each by Liam Ryan (6th min) and Brian Bannon (9th min), either side of a Ring point steadied the ship. The supply of goals in the game continued with a brace coming from Ring in the 10th and 19th minutes and Jamie Nagle raised two green flags, one from a long range free in the 15th minute and the other from an unstoppable penalty on 23 minutes after Cormac Curran had been taken down. At the end of the very entertaining first half the score was 4-5 to 3-3 in our favour. Our remaining scores came from Brian Bannon, Cormac Curran, Graham Nagle and Jamie Nagle (2), all points for a change!

Second Half Efforts

Against the wind and a good Ring team, the second half was always going to be tough. However this was arguably our better half, we matched Ring point for point, five each, up to the 26th minute when we left the Gaeltacht men in for a goal that should never have been. This produced a grandstand finish but we weren't hanging on. We hurled well in the final four minutes of ordinary time and the further three minutes of additional time during which we had a goal disallowed and should have had another clinching score or two. Our five second half points came from Jamie Nagle (0-3), Cormac Curran and substitute John Joe Ronayne. We led the game from the 21st minute of the first half, so our second consecutive Western title was well deserved by the lads. Well done to all concerned. Thanks to a very sporting An Rinn team for a very competitive game.

Western titles don't grow on trees at adult level so well done to the players in a year when we lost team captain Trevor Galvin (injury), Mikey Power (emigration) and Wayne Flynn (dubious suspension). It is still a bone of contention that Wayne is not hurling in the November of this year.

Thanks

Our hurling year is still alive with a county final to be played in Walsh Park. In the meantime well done to all concerned for their efforts this year. Thanks to

team manager Conor Lannen and his fellow selectors Nicky Sheehan and Trevor Galvin for once again guiding us into the winners enclosure and to Peter Cody and Seanie O'Farrell (Sarsfields) for their efforts and commitment to the team and to the club. Well done to our supporters who were out in force last Saturday. Happy days!

County Final Date

Provisionally Sunday, November 25th. Not later than Sunday, December 2nd.

Team: Paul Ahearne, Michael McLaughlin, David Morrissey, Derek Barry, Damien Power, John Paul Tutty, Kieran Curran (capt), Jamie Nagle (2-5), Derek Trumann, Cormac Curran (0-2), Pat Sullivan, Graham Nagle (0-1), Jonathan Regan, Brian Bannon (1-1), Liam Ryan (1-0), Subs: Karl Duggan for Michael McLoughlin, Gavin Crotty for Jonathan Regan, John Joe Ronayne (0-1) for Brian Bannon and Paudie Kiely for Damien Power (injured). Blood sub Jason O'Mahoney for Jamie Nagle. Also Ger Cusack, Anthony Power, John Cass, Darren Hamilton, Trevor Crotty.

Thanks to Tom Scanlon and crew for videoing the game and to Johnny Lynch, the Parrish, where the game was shown. Colours for the County Final are currently available in Alberts Newsagents, Mitchell St. First come, first served.

HARTY CUP WIN

Well done to club players David Moore, Paudie Kiely, Karl Duggan, Liam Ryan, Tony Walsh and David Houlihan who were part of the Colaiste Na nDeise squad that best Cashel CBS by 4-2 to 5-13 in Ardfinnan last week. The team have now qualified for the Munster Quarter Final after Christmas. With some training, this team has the ability to reach the semi final of this important competition.

RACE NITE SOON

Preparations continue for our race nite in John Keane's on Friday, November 30th at 9 pm. Cards are currently on sale from committee members and club players. All are welcome to come along for a different and enjoyable night out and at the same time supporting the club's fundraising efforts. Thanks to our race nite sub committee for their work to date and to those who have supported us to date.

CLUB LOTTO

The big prize is still out there. Ten grand would be grand. If you are not in you can't win. Thanks again to Michael and his workers for their continuing efforts with the lotto. Oh, for a phone call from him on Monday night!!

WELL DONE BALLINACOURTY

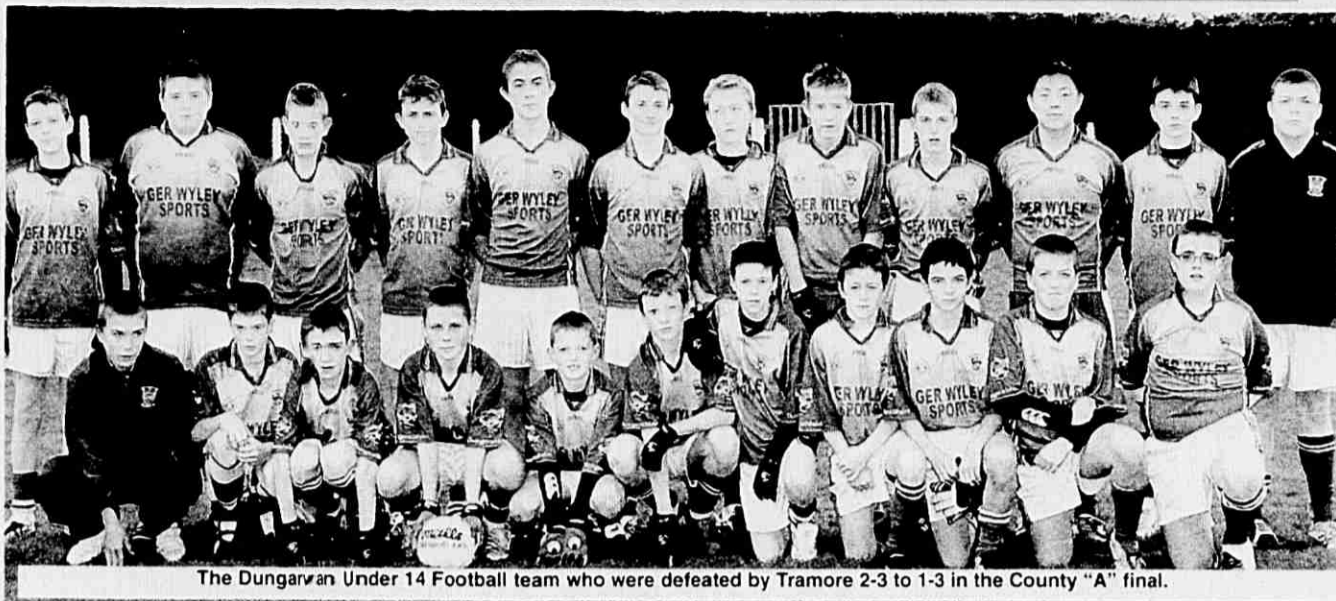
The good work of our neighbours Ballinacourty at under age level in recent years received its just reward at the Fraher Field last Sunday with their deserved victory in the County Senior Football Final. Rivals we may be but credit where credit is due and good luck to you in the Munster club championship.

DUNGARVAN GAA JUVENILE CLUB NOTES

Under-12 Floodlit Football Division 1 Champions — Last Monday night our U.12 footballers travelled to Aglisg to take part in the Division 1 finals.

We were one of three teams in division 1, having qualified the previous week in Clashmore. Other group winners were The Nire and the Brickeys.

First up for us was the Brickeys and this was a very competitive



The Dungarvan Under 14 Football team who were defeated by Tramore 2-3 to 1-3 in the County "A" final.

match and we held out for a good win despite a strong finish from the opposition.

The Nire then managed to turn over the Brickeys in their group game and this set us up for a straight final against the Nire.

This game was played at a frantic pace from start to finish and in fairness to both teams, neither deserved to lose. However, as always someone has to lose and on the night our boys just about shaded it with a 1-6 to 1-4 win. All credit due to the Nire for a fine display of football though and they certainly had improved dramatically since we last met earlier on in the year in the U.12 Championship.

Well done to our own boys who finished the year on a high note and came away with a nice trophy each for their efforts.

Thanks to Michelle Power and Ann Hogan and everyone else who helped in the organising and running of the competition and a big thank you to all the parents who helped out with cars on both nights.

U-8 & U-9 Indoor Hurling League — We started our indoor league for our 7's, 8's & 9's last Monday night. The league is designed to give all teams 2 matches every Monday night, with play offs in the new year.

All 4 matches were keenly contested, with some good fast hurling being played however the closest match being between Peter's team and Jack's team ending in a thrilling 3-3 draw.

Glen's team found their scoring touch, scoring 11 goals in their 2 matches, but Stephen's team were beginning to play well towards the end of the night and will definitely be in the shake up at the end of the league.

A special word must go to our 7's who played really well, even though they were playing against 8's & 9's.

So after the 1st night, Glenn Waters team is topping the table with 6 points, but it's early days and there is plenty of hurling to be played yet.

The league is on every Monday night @ 5pm in the Sports Centre, so please come along and support the teams.

The teams are as follows:
Team A — Peter Quعالى (capt), Mark Allen, Gary Donnelly, TJ Kiely, John Sullivan, Adam Nugent, Dion Keogh, Davis Beaumann, Colm O'Shea.

Team B — Jack Lacey (capt), Conor Hayes, Conor Duggan, Luke O'Callaghan, Daniel Kiely, Liam Moore, Jordan McCarthy, James Duggan, Dillon Murphy.

Team C — Glenn Waters (capt), Mark Boland, Kealan Daly, Pat Fraher, Kevin Doherty, Conor Sheehan, Toby Taylor, Peter Keenan.

Team D: Stephen Donovan (capt), Jordan Sexton, Shaun Murray, Clodagh Curran, Gary Crotty, Lee Moore, Shane Crty, Conor Keogh.

U.14 Football County Division 1 County Final — Last Sunday morning we played the much-awaited U.14 Football Co. Final in Lemybrien and unfortunately came out on the wrong side of the result. Tramore were the victors, for the second year running at our expense, and to be fair to them they were probably a bit stronger and sharper than our boys, having only played an Eastern final a couple of weeks ago. The price we played for the Western Bord na nOg completing their divisional championship on time was a five or six week wait for the County Final. This is not fair on any team as it is hard to keep lads interested especially at this age, and at this time of year.

To be fair to our boys they battled well in the second half in particular where we were in the game right up to the very end when Tramore got a goal with about seven or eight minute to go that sealed the victory. They had some fine individual performances to be fair to them and as previously said they just about shaded it, from a neutrals point of view, I would say.

The absence of Sean Hyslop through a nasty shoulder injury last week was a huge loss to us as well and we wish Sean a speedy recovery.

That, however, finishes out the year for us from a Juvenile point of view and what a fantastic year it has been with the U-12 Western and County Double and an U.14 Western Double. Not to be snubbed at in any year and hopefully we can achieve as much, if not more, next year.

Our U-14 Panel was Conor Mulcahy, Gavin Power, Conor Sheridan, Keith Healy, Denis Kirwan, Richard Walsh, Tomás Harty, Patrick Houlihan, Mike Daly, Frank Duggan, Cathal Curran, Ryan Donnelly, Lee Hyslop, Alex Lei, Patrick Curran, Glen Power, Cormac Coleman, Darragh Fitzgerald, Robert Havens, Rian Crotty, Kevin Daly, Sean Hyslop.

County Final "Man of the Match" Awards Nights — The presentation of man of the match awards for the various County Hurling and Football Finals take place on the following nights:

U-12 Hurling and football will take place at a mid county venue to be confirmed on 1st December. Patrick Curran won the Hurling and Fionn Hallihan was the Football recipient.

U-14 hurling presentations take place on the 17th November in Bushy Park and our recipient was

Ryan Donnelly.

Conor Sheridan received the man of the match award for last Sundays football county final and the presentation takes place at the Mount Sion venue on the 24th November.

End Of Another Year — On behalf of all the juvenile club officials and indeed all our loyal supporters I would like to thank all our players for their efforts during the year. As previously said it will go down as one of the most successful years we have had for a while and hopefully things can keep improving.

To all our mentors as well we say a big thanks for all the personal time they devote to our teams and without them, and indeed the quality of work that they are putting in, we wouldn't have won anything.

On my behalf, as outgoing

PRO I would like to thank all the people that assisted me during the year with correspondence and notes. We look forward to a successful AGM which will probably be taking place within the next couple of weeks. Watch the notes for details.

DUNGARVAN LADIES FOOTBALL

WELL DONE — We'd like to say well done to Scoil Garbhan on reaching the final of the schools football. Although they were defeated I'm informed that the Dungarvan girls played well. We were represented by Jade Hayes, Katie Hayes, Lauren O'Shea, Lucy O'Shea, Dervla O'Donovan, Dawn Power and Jane Allen.

AGM — Our club AGM is taking place on Thursday 15th at 7.30pm. It's vital for everyone to attend same. See you all there.

WATERFORD GAA RESULTS

S. F. County Final			
Ballinacourty	3-4	Ardmore	1-7
S. H. Relegation			
Ballyduff Lower	0-11	Clonea	1-8
County Junior Football Final			
Ferrybank	0-7	Modeligo	0-5
West I. H. Final			
Dungarvan	4-10	An Rinn	4-8
West J. H. Final			
An Rinn	2-10	Clashmore	0-6
East I. H. C.			
Portlaw	3-13	St Mollerans	1-14
Passage	4-10	Dunhill	2-11
East J."B" Football Championship			
Rathgormack	1-14	St Saviours	2-6
East J. "B" hurling Championship			
Dunhill	1-5	Roanmore	0-7
East U21 hurling			
De la Salle	3-14	Ballygunner	0-5
JUVENILE			
U14 "A" football			
Tramore	2-3	Dungarvan	1-3
Cumann na mBunscol			
Western Football finals held Saturday in Cappoquin.			
Roinn "A" Girls			
Bunscoil Bhothar na Naomh	Lismore	4-3	
Ballymacarbry	0-1		
Roinn "B" Girls			
Ballyduff N.S.	4-5	Scoil Gharbhan	1-1
Roinn "D" Girls			
Grange N.S.	8-3	Modeligo	4-0
Roinn "E" Girls			
Kilbrien N.S.	4-3	Fews N.S.	3-5
Roinn "E" Boys			
Kilbrien N.S.	5-5	Villierstown N.S.	2-1
Roinn "D" Boys			
Grange N.S.	3-9	Kinsalebeg N.S.	2-5
Roinn "B" Boys played between Ballyduff N.S. and Scoil Gharbhan ended in a draw after extra time. This game will go to a replay next week.			

G.A.A. NOTES

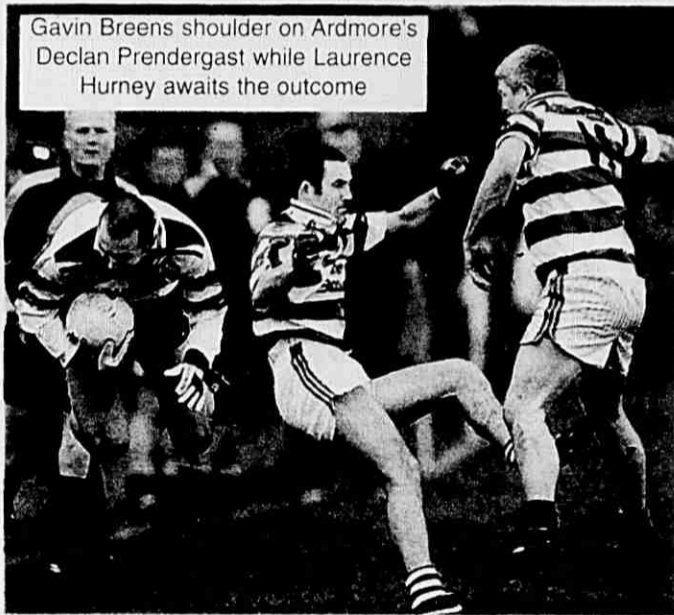
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Ballinacourty Defeat Ardmore in Thrilling County Final

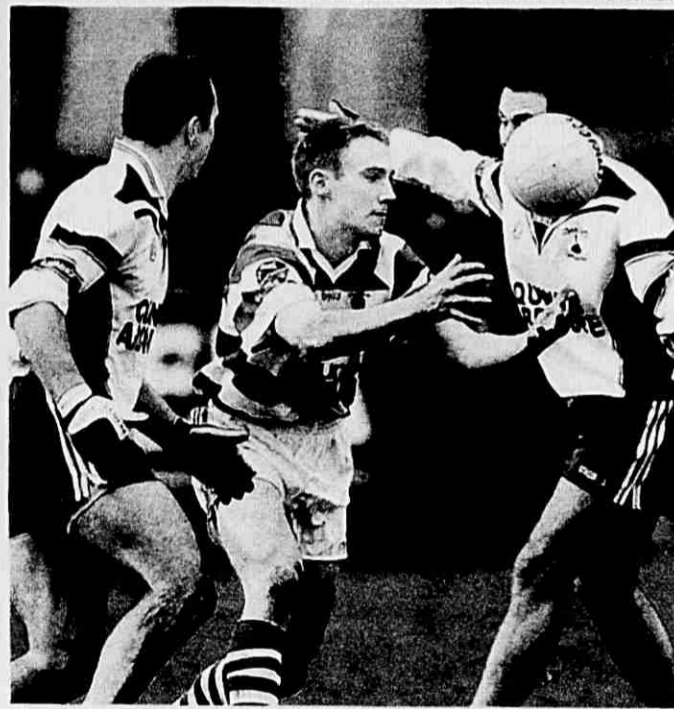
Senior Football Final
BALLINACOURTY 3-4
ARDMORE 1-7



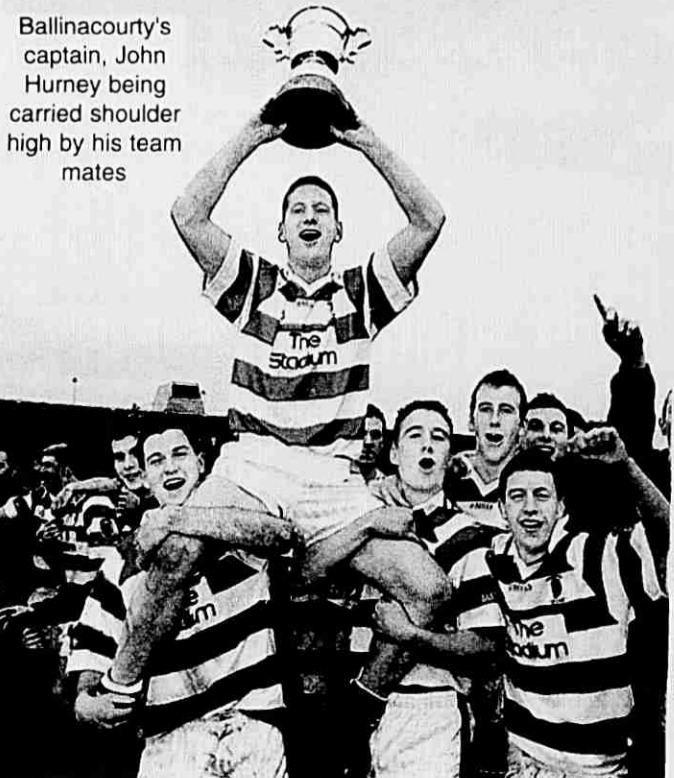
Ballinacourty, Co. Senior Football Champions 2007. They beat Ardmore in the final 3.4 to 1.7 at Fraher Field.



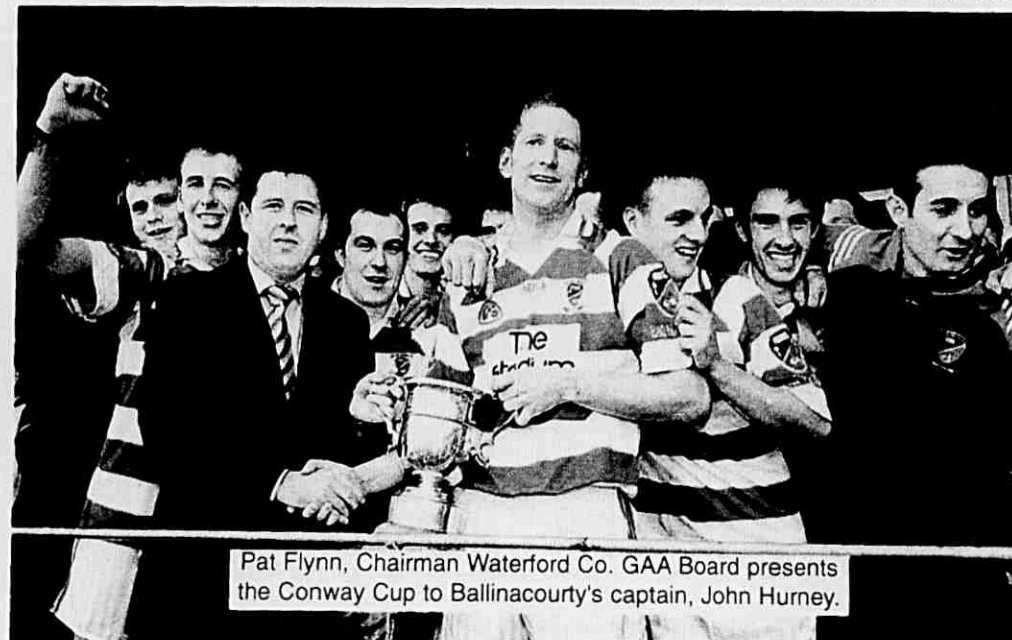
Gavin Breens shoulder on Ardmore's Declan Prendergast while Laurence Hurney awaits the outcome



Ballinacourty's Richie Foley about to take possession against Ardmore's Seamus Prendergast and Cathal Hennessy



Ballinacourty's captain, John Hurney being carried shoulder high by his team mates



Pat Flynn, Chairman Waterford Co. GAA Board presents the Conway Cup to Ballinacourty's captain, John Hurney.

Some students of the game might not describe it as a classic but it was certainly a thriller all the way and very much a game of changing fortunes as will be seen from the ebb and flow of the game that remained undecided until the last kick of the ball. The game produced an amazing pattern of play and in the early stages it looked as if Ballinacourty might repeat what they did to Ardmore way back twenty six years ago when the teams last met in a County final. Before the half ended however it did appear as if Ardmore who had taken complete control in the final five minutes of the half might exert revenge for that County final defeat in 1981.

I don't know how long ago it is since a winning team in a county final failed to raise a single white flag in the first half as was the case with Ballinacourty who shot several chance-wide that could have cost them the title. Ardmore on the other hand

did not raise a flag of any colour until the twenty first minute, in fact they did not have their first wide until the seventeenth minute but after scoring their first point ten minutes from the end of the half they remained in control until John Kelly blew the half time whistle

The second half was tight with every single ball being contested and scores being very difficult to come by because of the rock solid defences on both sides. After Ballinacourty took a lead ten minutes after the restart they were never headed but they were never safe at the same time as Ardmore kept coming at them and missed a number of scoring chances. Ballinacourty in the closing stages were on top and their goal in the fifty sixth minute gave them a four points lead that was eventually reduced to just three points after Ardmore fluffed a couple of good scoring chances. The final whistle certainly brought relief to Ballinacourty and an outburst of emotional excitement showed what this victory meant to them. I know that had Ardmore won the celebrations would have been equally as ecstatic as their hunger for a win was equally as intense.

The fact that two new teams were playing the county final aroused exceptional interest and while they were saying things about each other everybody knew quite well that neither side had more than a 50/50 chance. This is the way the bookmakers saw it too and the odds on offer did not favour either side. The game was watched by a crowd of about three and half thousand and they were entertained by the Barrack Street Fife and Drum Band from Waterford city.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

A GAME TO REMEMBER



Ardmore, beaten by Ballinacourty in the Co. Senior Football Final at Fraher Field on Sunday last.

PLAY

In the opening eight minutes Ballinacourty were completely on top with Ardmore looking to be completely out of the game but the dominance of Ballinacourty was not translated into scores until near the tenth minute of the half when a penalty was awarded for a foul on Mark Ferncombe. The same player took the shot and surprisingly it rebounded off the cross bar to be kicked back into the net by the taker of the free for the opening score of the game.

Four minutes later with Ballinacourty very much in control a second goal was registered on the scoreboard when a Mark Fives free found its way to the Ardmore net. Gary Hurney seemed to have helped the ball in but it was subsequently confirmed that the ball was untouched by any player only the taker. Ballinacourty had two near misses at points as they continued to dominate but then for some strange reason they seemed to lose the impetus that had kept them in control for the opening twenty minutes and the undaunted Ardmore recovered their composure and showed very clearly that they were in command as the last ten minutes of the half ticked away. An Alan North point in the twenty first minute signalled their recovery and this was followed with a Clinton Hennessy point two minutes later. Then three minutes later the unerring boot of Billy Harty reduced the deficit when he converted a free. Then amazingly the Ardmore pressure continued and a James O'Donnell goal in the thirtieth minute had the teams level for the first time. Then the lead for Ardmore came in the thirty first minute when Cathal Hennessy kicked over a free to leave them with a one point advantage as the half time whistle blew.

Second Half

Within three minutes of the start a Mark Fives free had the sides level and this incidentally was the first white flag raised by Ballinacourty. How-

ever Ardmore were back in front again in the thirty seventh minute following a splendid point by team captain Alan North and an equally super score from Patrick Hurney in the thirty ninth minute had the teams on level terms once more. Ballinacourty then took a slight lead when substitute Mark Gorman sent over the point that was to be their final white flag score. In the fiftieth minute Michael Supple reduced the leeway to a single point with a fifty fifth minute score and then came the decisive score of the County final and amazingly it was a score that involved the four Hurney brothers, Laurence, John, Gary and Patrick who finished the ball to the net to increase Ballinacourty's lead to four points. However Ardmore were far from finished and continued to fight doggedly for scores and with two minutes of normal time remaining Billy Harty sent over the score that reduced the gap to a single goal in the fifty eighth minute. Play continued at a hectic pace with both sides throwing everything they knew into the contest and ensuring a grandstand finish to a County Final that might have gone either way but favoured Ballinacourty when John Michael Kelly blew the final whistle after a couple of minutes of injury time. The celebrations were instantaneous

and a big gathering of Ballinacourty supporters with the full panel of Ardmore players watched County chairman Pat Flynn present the Conway Cup to captain John Hurney. The chairman praised both clubs for a wonderful and exciting County final and John Hurney having thanked his players, his backroom team, supporters and club committee paid a deserved tribute to Ardmore and concluded by saying "luck was with us on the day".

Scorers: Abbeyside — P. Hurney 1-1, M Fives 1-1, M. Ferncombe 1-0, G. Hurney, M.

Gorman 0-1 each. Ardmore — J. O'Donnell 1-0, A. North 0-2, B. Harty 0-2, C. Hennessy 0-2, M. Supple 0-1

Ballinacourty — Stephen Enright, Joey Mullen, John Kindregan, Gavan Breen, Shane Briggs, John Hurney, Richie Foley, Sean O'Hare, Patrick Lynch, Mark Fives, Laurence Hurney, John Phelan, Gary Hurney, Patrick Hurney, Ma. Subs Mark Gorman for Mark Ferncombe(injured).

Ardmore — Conor Hurlley, Austin Flavin, Michael Supple, Conor McNamara, Niall Hennessy, Declan Prendergast,

Richie Hennessy, Gary North, Seamus Prendergast, James O'Donnell, Alan North, Wayne Hennessy, Johnny Hennessy, Billy Harty, Clinton Hennessy. Subs: Cathal Hennessy for McNamara

Ref: John M. Kelly.
I saw it as a final where both sets of defenders were magnificent and while there may have been some outstanding individual displays it would be unfair and unjust not to pay tribute to every player on the field as in

this contest every player certainly gave it his best shot.

Ballinacourty's next engagement will be in the Munster club championship, a competition in which they have not played for a quarter of a century and their opponents here will be the Kerry County champions Kilmummin who disposed of Lissycasey in the Munster Club Quarter final on a score of 1-9 to 0-5 on Sunday last. The game will be played at a Kerry venue on Sunday 25th November.

SEAN BYRNE Photography



Hurney family with the Conway Cup (from left) Lorna, Gary, Laurence with his daughter Rosaleen. Pakie, John, Patrick and Carmel.



Ballinacourty players, mentors and supporters celebrate their Co. Final success.

All photographs by Sean Byrne Photography of the Co. Senior Football Final can be viewed on the Internet using the following link:
<http://gallery.mac.com/seanbyrne1#100087>

Jubilant Ballinacourty Supporters

Photos by Sean Byrne



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Ferrybank Surprise Modeligo

JUNIOR FOOTBALL (A) COUNTY FINAL — FERRYBANK 0-7 MODELIGO 0-5



The Modeligo team who were beaten by Ferrybank at Fraher Field in the Junior Football (A) County Final

Munster Club S.H. Ballyduff v. Tulla

Although our new county champions will have to field without Michael Molumphy and Shane Kearney for their first round match against Clare county champions, Tulla, at Cusack Park, Ennis on Sunday next, they are certain to mount a very serious challenge for a place in the provincial final three weeks later.

Tulla brushed aside all opposition in the Clare county championship before disposing of the Kerry champions, Liana in a poor contest in the opening round of the competition two weeks ago.

In the Clare county final a crowd estimated at 10,000 saw Tulla defeat Cusheen in a splendid contest and the champions if fielding at full strength here will start favourites to win.

Ballyduff's last appearance in the Munster Club championship was in 1987 when they lost to Middleton who then went on to win the All Ireland final.

Needless to mention the entire Deise county will be rooting for a Ballyduff victory - a result which is decidedly possible.

Convention News

With the county board having sought permission to have a full-time County Secretary appointed, the position is a little unclear at the present time.

If permission is granted, then the retiring Seamus Mac Grainne may be retained until March 31st on an interim basis. If permission is not granted then a secretary will have to be elected at County Convention. If this is the case the new secretary will not be full time and will have to be re-elected on an annual basis.

There are two vacancies on the executive committee and nominations for these posts will have to be submitted before the closing date. The vacancies are for Coaching & Games Development Officer and for County Development Officer.

Clubs have been notified that Friday next November 16th is the deadline for submitting motions and nominations for the convention

G.P.A. Threaten Strike

As I predicted last week, the Gaelic Players body voted 95% in favour of taking strike action if their demands are not met for the proposed Government funding.

I note that the Tyrone football manager Mickey Harte stated that this is not going to stop Tyrone from putting a team on the field. A similar attitude on the part of other County team managers would settle this issue very quickly.

Cork goalkeeper Donal Og Cusack who is chairman of the G.P.A. has stated that "no players will cross the picket line." Mr Cusack could be in for a rude awakening.

EAST INTERMEDIATE HURLING SEMI-FINALS

Both the semi finals were played on Saturday and saw Portlaw score a decisive win over neighbours St Mollerans and the other semi final the Eoin Kelly lead passage defeated Dunhill in a very exciting contest.

FERRYBANK V O'CALLAGHAN MILLS AT WALSH PARK

Our new junior football county champions Ferrybank will represent the county in the Munster semi-final which takes place at Walsh Park on Sunday next.

In most parts of the county Modeligo were regarded as the favourites to win this as their standard was considered to be higher than that of the city team who only struggled through Mount Sion in the eastern final.

Modeligo on the other hand had a splendid run here in the west and were regarded as warm favourites to take this overdue title.

PLAY

Ferrybank started the better side and an Eoin O'Neill point in the third minute gave them a lead which was wiped out with a John Fitzgerald point in the seventh minute. The eastern

visitors went in front again when Conor O'Neill pointed from play in the eighteenth minute and here Shane Troy came to the rescue for Modeligo to balance things in the eighteenth minute. Jason Hennessy, and John Byrne had points to leave the score at 0-4 to 0-2 in favour of Ferrybank entering the second quarter. John Buckley and James Troy restored parity before the half time whistled sounded leaving the sides locked together at 0-4 apiece.

SECOND HALF

A J. Troy point gave Ferrybank the lead in the opening

three minutes and Paul Sheridan had a Modeligo score in the thirty seventh minute but this unfortunately was their final score of the final and Ferrybank went on to score two further points that won them the title which they last captured over thirty five years ago. The result was a very big disappointment for Modeligo and for the strong western support that came to cheer them, however on the day things just did not work out and Ferrybank who fielded a far stronger side than they did in the eastern final against Mount Sion just about deserved their win.

Ferrybank — Cormac Tier-

ney, Patrick O'Neill, Gary Coady, Patrick Treacy, James Murphy, John Treacy, Paul Martin, Brian Mallon, Edward McKenna, John Byrne, Colm O'Neill, Jason Hennessy, Daniel Fell, Eoin O'Neill, Colm Roche

Modeligo — Adam Bending, Kieran McCarthy, J. P. Ryan, Tom O'Byrne, Paudie McCarthy, Brian McCarthy, Matthew Cashman, Walter O'Grady, Shane Troy, Willie Morrissey, John Fitzgerald, Johnny Buckley, Michael Power, Paul Sheridan, Patrick O'Donovan

Ref: Jim Murphy (Mt. Sion)

Stradbally GAA Notes

Floodlit Football League

Our Floodlit league begins on Friday week November the 23rd. The League will have eight teams consisting of eleven players and it will begin at 6.45p.m. and conclude at 8.30p.m. each evening. The league will consist of matches and coaching sessions.

The teams are as follows:

County:	Captain:	Manager:
Donegal	Martin Roche	Trevor Costello
Kerry	Valerie Heffernan	Kevin Roche
Meath	Daniel Weldon	Edmond Lannon
Dublin	Stephen Power	Noelie Weldon
Waterford	James Whelan	Noel Costello
Sligo	Ciarán Cusack	Eoin Cunningham
Tyrone	Michael Sweeney	Tomás Walsh
Galway	Mark Walsh	Robin Ahearn

A copy of the team lists will be distributed in the schools of the Parish during the coming week and if your name isn't present you can come along on Friday the 23rd. This league is mixed with boys and girls participating.

There will be four rounds before Christmas on the following nights — Friday Nov. 23rd; Wednesday Nov. 28th; Friday Dec. 7th; Wednesday Dec. 12th.

Social Centre

The bands for the remainder of the month are as follows:
Nov. 11th "Soundwave"
Nov. 18th "Pat & Ger"
Nov. 25th "Paddy Blanche"

There is also a night being organised recognising Michael Walsh's achievements for December 22nd.

Ladies' Football A.G.M.

The A.G.M. will take place this Thursday night in the Social Centre at 8.00p.m. This is an extremely important meeting so we would appreciate it if all members could attend.

SENIOR HURLING RELEGATION

Ballyduff East 0-11 Clonea 1-8

Last year's intermediate county champions who went down to Stradbally by a 4 points margin last weekend went dangerously close to sending the favourites Ballyduff, after holding them to a draw in a well contested tie at Walsh Park, back to the intermediate grade on Saturday last

The replay takes place on next weekend at Kill.

Gaelic Games Coaching Corner

Under 10 Floodlit Astro Turf Gets Started

Monday last saw the 1st night of the Astro Turf under lights in Mt. Sion. 8 teams are taking part with each team playing 3 games a night. The standard of play is very good for all teams and players find it enjoyable to be playing under lights which is a nice change.

Floodlit Football Finals

The finals of the Floodlit Football in West Waterford took place on Mon night. There were groups in Nire, Clashmore and Aglish. A full report on the finals will take place in next weeks notes.

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.

SHAMROCK'S GAA CLUB NOTES

CLUB LOTTO

In last Saturday nights draw at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore the numbers drawn were 8-12-19-22 and there was no jackpot winner. 20 euro consolation prizewinners were Edmond Nicholson, Youghal; Tara Casey, Ballinaha; Ann O'Keefe, Kilwinny; Aisling Nicholson, Gortroe; Gerard Heffernan, c/o Rose Casey. In next Saturday nights draw the jackpot will be 4,000 euro and tickets at 1.50 euro each are available from the usual promoters.

NEW HALL

The hall beside Knockanore School is almost completed, and is a fine building. Our congratulations go to the contractors, the committee and to everybody concerned on a great effort and when opened will be a great boom to all the area.

C.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"



Dungarvan, Western Intermediate Hurling Champions 2007 after a thrilling victory over An Rinn on Saturday last.

WEST INTERMEDIATE HURLING FINAL

Dungarvan Survive Strong Challenge To Retain Title

DUNGARVAN 4-10 AN RINN 4-8

It was a splendid game of hurling and a contest equal to the best that we have seen in this grade this year. Dungarvan, although deserving winners were only marginally the better side and were made fight every inch of the way to stay in front in the closing five or six minutes when the gap was reduced to just 2 points.

An Rinn did waste a number of scoring chances when shooting a number of wides in the closing stages and had they achieved a share of the spoils it would have been no more than they deserved.

The winners who had to survive a double challenge from Cappoquin in the semi-final may have been that little bit more conditioned for the contest.

PLAY

Dungarvan, aided by a very strong breeze in the opening half, found themselves 5 points in arrears after only 5 minutes. Pointed frees by Padraigh O Harta and Padraigh O Murchu were followed with a splendidly worked goal by Liam O Lonain. A goal hit by Liam Ryan in the 8th minute for Dungarvan was followed with a Cian O Concubhair point to leave An Rinn with a 3 points lead, however the sides were level just one minute later when Brian Bannon struck for the champions second goal in the 10th minute.

And Liam O Lonain struck for his and An Rinn's second major in the 11th minute to restore his side's 3 points lead.

Then in the 14th minute Brian Bannon raised the champions first white flag and within a minute Jamie Nagle had the ball in the net to put Dungarvan back into the lead in the 16th minute and a Cormack

Curran point put the Blues further ahead in the 17th minute. Play was now moving up and down the pitch at a hectic pace with both teams striving to make the best of their chances.

A Donal O Murchu goal in the 18th minute restored the lead for An Rinn before Graham and Jamie Nagle pointed Dungarvan back in front once more.

A relieving goal for the champions gave them a 4 points lead when a long Derek Truman delivery found the net in the 23rd minute and a Jamie Nagle point finished the first half scoring to leave the scoreboard reading 4-5 to 3-3 in favour of Dungarvan.

SECOND HALF

Within 5 minutes of the restart, the gap had been reduced to just a goal after Padraigh and Noel O Murchu had points for An Rinn.

Jamie Nagle and Tadhg O hUallachain exchanged points and then a Jamie Nagle point restored Dungarvan's lead to five points. At this point an Rinn came back into the game and a point by Liam O Lonain and Padraigh O Murchu reduced the gap. Play continued in this fashion up to the fifty sixth minute when a Cian O Concubhair goal reduced the gap to two points and guaranteed a grand stand finish to a game that was still theirs for the taking. Both sides battled

gamely and there were gasps of dismay from An Rinn supporters when a number of scoreable shots went out wide. Dungarvan too had wides during this period but there were no further scores and relief came to Dungarvan when the final whistle sounded at the end of the splendid final. The winners will now play Portlaw or Passage in the county final at Walsh Park in two or three weeks time.

Scorers: Dungarvan — J. Nagle 1-5, B Bannon 1-1, L Ryan 1-0, Derek Truman 1-0, Cormac Curran 0-2, Graham Nagle 0-1, J.J. Ronayne 0-1, An Rinn — L. O Lonain 2-1, Cian O Connor 1-1, Noel O Murchu 1-1, T. O hUallachain 0-1, P O Murchu 0-3, P. Harta 0-1.

Dungarvan — Paul Aherne, Michael McLoughlin, David Morrissey, Derek Barry, Damien Power, J.P. Tutty, Ciaran Curran, Jamie Nagle, Derek Truman, Cormac Curran, Pat Sullivan, Graham Nagle, Jonathan Regan, Brian Bannon, Liam Ryan. Subs: Karl Duggan, J.J. McLoughlin.

An Rinn — Nioclás O Lonain, Eoin Breathnach, Cillian O Murchadha, Shane O Cuirrin, Sean O Harta, Padraigh O Harta, Ciaran O Manachain, Noel O Murchadha, Shane O Ceallaigh, Liam O Lonain, Donie O Murchadha, Eamonn O Crotaigh, Padraigh O Murchu, Cian O Conchuir, Tadhg O hUallachain. Sub: P. Breathnach.



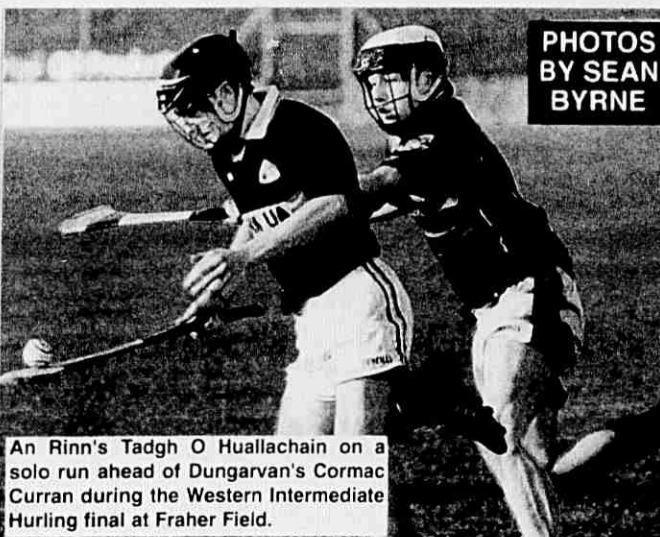
Paddy Walsh, Chairman Western GAA Board presents the Cup to joint Dungarvan captains Kieran Curran and Trevor Galvin. Included are Paddy Joe Ryan, Nire Oil (sponsor) and young Sarah Sullivan.



Dungarvan's Karl Duggan controls the sliothar ahead of An Rinn's Padraig O Harta during the Western Intermediate Hurling final at Fraher Field.



Action from An Rinn v Dungarvan during the Western Intermediate Hurling final at Fraher Field.



An Rinn's Tadhg O Huallachain on a solo run ahead of Dungarvan's Cormac Curran during the Western Intermediate Hurling final at Fraher Field.

PHOTOS BY SEAN BYRNE



An Rinn who were narrowly defeated by Dungarvan in the Western Intermediate Hurling Final in Fraher Field last Saturday.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

County Bord Na nÓg Notes

Waterford G.A.A. Supports Club - Dublin Branch Awards Night this Saturday

The Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club - Dublin Branch were the sponsors of this Years County Under 14 and 16 hurling championship. As part of the sponsorship package, they present a player from all teams that played in finals at both grades with a player of the team award. This year's awards will take place in Lawlors' Hotel in Dungarvan on Saturday night and the evening's proceedings get underway at 7.30pm.

The players getting awards this year for their performance in the under 14 county finals are as follows. John Halley - (Kilmaethomas). Donal Breathnach - (An Gaeltacht). Mark O'Keefe - (Sacred Heart). Craig Wall - (Portlaw/St. Mollerans). Sean O'Donovan (St. Patrick's), Damien Ahearne - (Ferrybank). Ryan Donnelly - (Dungarvan) and Sean Cheasty (Butlerstown).

In under 16 hurling, for their performances in the county finals, the following players are to receive awards, Daniel Duggan - (St. Saviours), Kenny Murphy - (Ardmore), Brendan Phelan - (St. Oliver's), Shane O'Sullivan - (Ferrybank), Daniel O'Connor - (Clashmore), Paul Power - (Portlaw/St. Mollerans), Stephen Roche - (Mount Sion) and Paudie Mahony - (Ballygunner).

All clubs with players receiving awards have been contacted about the awards night and have been invited to attend. Players, parents, family members and club representatives are invited to come along for the celebrations.

The special guest on the evening will be Seamus Prendergast.

All clubs who have not got there player profiles to County Bord na nÓg P.R.O. Thomas Keane are asked to do so straight away.

The under 14 and 16 Football awards will be presented on November 14th in Mount Sion by Waterford Senior Football Manager John Kiely.

Convention Dates

The Dates for the Three Bord na nÓg Conventions have been finalised. The East Waterford Convention will take place on November 26 and twenty-four hours later, the West will hold its convention. The County Bord na nÓg Convention will take place on December 3rd in Lawlors Hotel.

Year Book

The final preparations are been put to the County Year Book by the County Communications Committee and will be on sale in early December. With all the success that Waterford had in 2007, I have no doubt that the book will sell out very quickly and will go to all corners of the world as Christmas presents to Waterford people where ever they are.

Congratulations Tramore.

Congratulations to Tramore on there win over Dungarvan in the County Under 14 'A' Football Final on Sunday in Lemybrien. The competition was kindly sponsored by the Combined Waterford and Tramore Credit Unions.

Dr. Harty Cup

Congratulations to De La Salle and Colaiste na nDeise on advancing to the knockout stages of this years Dr. Harty Cup following wins over North Mon and Cashel Community School respectively last week. Despite Scoil na Trionoide from Youghal winning two games in the competition they have failed to qualify for the knockout stages on scoring differences. St. Colman's from Fermoy have two games to play in this year's competition but have it all to do if they are to join Colaiste na nDeise and De La Salle in the latter stages of the competition. They have to win their remaining games to be in with a chance of qualifying and hope that other results go their way.

Cumann na mBunscoil

Some of the finals of the West Waterford Cumann na mBunscoil football finals were played last weekend. The results are listed below. Congratulations to the winners and commiserations to those that finished as runners up. Congratulations to the teachers and committee that organise these games every year. The work done in the schools plays a big part in the promotion of hurling and football at under age levels.

One very good thing about Cumann na mBunscoil is that all players who play in a final gets a medal. This is something that also happens in most other sports and is something that the G.A.A. should look about in the near future.

Best of Luck

The very best of luck is wished to Ballyduff and Ferrybank in this weekends Munster Club Championships. Ballyduff play Tulla from Clare at Cusack Park in Ennis at 2pm in the Senior Hurling Championship and in Walsh Park Ferrybank play O'Callaghan Mills from Clare. Both games can go to extra time if need be.

The very best of luck is also wished to Tommy O'Sullivan and Pat Casey who are on refereeing duty this coming weekend in the Munster championships. Tommy will be in charge of the Intermediate football game between Arravale Rovers of Tipperary and Annascaul from Kerry in Sean Treacy Park in Tipperary Town, and Pat is in charge of the junior hurling game between Meelick of Clare and Barryroe of Cork in Meelick. Both of these games also have a 2pm throw in.

Dr. Harty Cup Results

Group A			
St. Caimins	0-13		
Carrigaline	1-5		
Nenagh C.B.S.	2-8		
St. Flannan's	0-9		
Group B			
De La Salle	5-28		
North Mon	0-3		
Colaiste na nDeise	4-20		
Cashel Community School	5-13		
Group C			
Scoil na Trionoide	3-11		
Doon C.B.S.	1-15		
Templemore	3-20		
Glanmire Community	1-9		
Group D			
Thurles C.B.S.	4-21		
Charleville	1-3		
Ard Scoil Rís	3-19		
Midleton C.B.S.	2-7		

-PRO Thomas Keane

An Rinn Best In Entertaining Game

Junior Hurling (Second String Intermediate) — AN RINN 2-10 CLASHMORE 0-6

This was a very entertaining final in the second string section of the intermediate hurling championship and despite the ten points winning margin for the Gaeltacht team the game was very competitive and entertaining. Over the sixty minutes an Rinn were the strongest side and just about deserved their win. They are now scheduled to play Dunhill in the county final of this new championship over the coming week-end.

An Rinn — N. O Murchu, E. De Paor, L. Cuirin, E. De Faoite, T. De Faoite, S. McGraith, r. De Paor, D. Harta, D. O Cuirin, S. O Cadhla, C. Cuirin, R. O Turrin, D. O Meagher, C. McGrath
Clashmore — S. Buckley, D.

Hickey, J. Collins, E. Og Led- ngghan, A. Hickey, A. Trihy, R. Ryan, S. Allen, N. Beresford, P.

Connery, J. Flavin, K. Power, P. Lombard, T. Dee. The referee for this final was

Kevin Martin of Ballyduff Upper who did an excellent job on his first big game.



Paddy Walsh, Chairman Western GAA Board presents the Tony Morrissey Memorial Cup to An Rinn's Captain, Carthach MacCraith. Included are Helena Byrne, Local Bar,sponsors and Mary Morrissey and Stephen Donovan, on behalf of the Morrissey



An Rinn (above) winners of the The Local Bar sponsored Western Junior Hurling final (Intermediate Section.) They beat Clashmore (below) in the final at Fraher Field. —(Photos: Sean Byrne).



DR. HARTY CUP LEAGUE TABLES

Group A					
St. Caimins	3	2	1	0	5
Carrigaline C.S.	3	1	1	1	3
Nenagh C.B.S.	2	1	1	0	3
St. Colman's	2	0	1	1	1
St. Flannan's	2	0	0	2	0
Group B					
De La Salle	3	3	0	0	6
Colaiste na nDeise	3	2	0	1	4
Cashel C.S.	3	1	0	2	2
North Mon.	3	0	0	3	0
Group C					
Our Lady's,	3	2	0	1	4
Doon C.B.S.	3	2	0	1	4
Scoil na Trionoide	3	2	0	1	4
Glanmire C.S.	3	0	0	3	0
Group D					
Thurles C.B.S.,	3	2	1	0	5
Ard Scoil Rís,	3	2	1	0	5
Midleton C.B.S.	3	1	0	2	2
Charleville C.B.S.	3	0	0	3	0

C.L.G An tSean Phobail

Comhghairdeachas
Comhghairdeachas le foireann soisear na Rinne a bhuaigh Craobh an Iarthair san iománaíocht an Sathair seo chaite. Bhí seisear ón Sean Phobail ar an panéil: Eamon De Paor, Ray De Paor, Ray Ó Turraoin (1-7), Michéal Ó Lallaigh agus Daithí Ó Conduín. Bhí Shane De Paor ar an foireann i rith na bhliana ach de bharr tinneas ní raibh sé in ann imirt ar an Sathair. Le cúnaimh Dé beidh sé thar nais do Craobh an Chondae. Ba ea an scór deireadh An Rinn 2-10 Claishmhór 0-6. Mi-ádh leis an foireann idirmhéanach a chaill Craobh an Iarthair ar an Sathair.

This years AGM will take place on Saturday the 1st of December in the clubhouse at 8pm. Please keep this date free as it is vital that every member attend.

Comhbhrón

Ba maith liom comhbhrón a gh-lacadh le chlann Ó Aonghosa tar éis bás Johanna an tseachtain seo chaite. On behalf of C.L.G An tSean Phobail I would like to sympathise with Séan Hennessey and his family on the recent death of his sister Johanna.

Shock's Lotto 11/11/07

This week's numbers: 19, 20, 23, 25. There was no jackpot winner. Winners of €15:

1) Hannah Whelan; 2) Hayley O'Donnell; 3) Michael Flynn; 4) Eimear Organ; 5) Máire Brid Uada. Next week's jackpot: € 5, 280.00

A.G.M

Tá an cruinniú cinn bliana eagraithe don céad lá do Mí na Nol-láig (1/12/07). Beidh sé ar súil síos i bPáirc Cholmáin ag 8 i.n. Bigé ann.

W.W.E.C.

West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



John Delaney, C.E.O F.A.I. Akram Hanna, Mari Mina Pharmacy, sponsor of the WWEC Premier League and Pakie Bonner, F.A.I. Technical Director at the F.A.I Corporate Presentation Evening in Lismore House Hotel.



David Reynolds, M.D. SherryFitzgerald Reynolds, sponsors of Div.1 of the WWEC League, John Delaney, C.E.O F.A.I. Cllr. Billy Kyne, Waterford Co. Mayor and Pakie Bonner, Technical Director F.A.I. at the F.A.I Corporate Presentation Evening in Lismore House Hotel.



Pakie Bonner, Technical Director F.A.I. Claire O'Driscoll, Chairperson and Sinead O'Donoghue, Secretary WWEC Ladies League and John Delaney, C.E.O F.A.I. at the F.A.I Corporate Presentation Evening in Lismore House Hotel.

FAI Detail Future Plans At Corporate Presentation

At Lismore House Hotel on Monday night last and before a large attendance, the Football Association Of Ireland presented their Corporate Presentation. Paddy Pollard, Chairman of the Local Football Partnership, welcomed everyone, with a special welcome for the County Mayor, Councillor Billy Kyne, and the League's two main Sponsors, Akram Hanna, Mari Mina Pharmacies, and David Reynolds, MD Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds. Introducing the Co. Mayor, Paddy said Billy Kyne and himself had on many occasions played against each other in the Waterford League for Lismore and Dungarvan. Billy in his speech thanked the committee for their invitation and spoke of great strides the WWEC has made in the last number of years. Billy thanked John Delaney for all the help he has given to clubs in Waterford and the county and since his appointment as CEO the wonderful strides forward made by the FAI.

Billy concluded by saying being asked to speak at this function was the same as coming home to the home of football.

John Delaney, Chief Executive Officer FAI, was the main speaker. He explained to the attendance in a power point presentation, where the association is at present and the future plans planned and envisaged for the future. Plans which include improvements in all strands of the game, commencing at schoolboy level and all the way to the senior international game. He spoke about the women's game and how all children, boys and girls, must be given the same opportunities of playing the game. John went on

to speak of the success of the women's U19 Irish team in the past few weeks. Facilities for all the clubs is a priority in the years ahead and he complimented the work done by the clubs in the WWEC. Packie Bonner, Technical Director FAI, spoke on the technical plans of the FAI, in relation to the game with coaches for all grades of football and the work that has been done in the past two years since the appointment of Michael Looby as RDO.

At the conclusion of the presentation, there was a question and answer session and all questions were answered by the CEO. Questions varied from dual registration to the high profile Gibson situation that currently exists, to the inevitable questions on the selection process for the future manager of the Irish Senior team. Indeed John Delaney informed us the standard of questions were the best in the 8 presentations that have taken place country wide so far.

Also present on the night were John Byrne and Bob Breen from the FAI Facility Development Department, and Helen Raftery, Director of Strategic Development FAI.

The 2nd draw in the League's Super Draw then took place with Liam Fraser and the League's Derek Mooney, at the helm, ably assisted on the night by John Delaney and Pakie Bonner. Results appear elsewhere in our notes.

Both John and Pakie then mingled with the large attendance and the former international goalie is as popular today as he was when he saved that famous penalty all those years ago.



Committee Members of the WWEC League pictured with Pakie Bonner, F.A.I. Technical Director, John Delaney, CEO. F.A.I. and Michael Looby, F.A.I. RDO at the F.A.I Corporate Presentation Evening in Lismore House Hotel.



WWEC League Club representatives with Michael Looby, F.A.I RDO, John Delaney, C.E.O F.A.I. and Pakie Bonner, Technical Director F.A.I. at the F.A.I Corporate Presentation Evening in Lismore House Hotel.



Pakie Bonner, Technical Director F.A.I., WWEC Leagues Referees, Paul Griffin, Leonard Fraser, Tony Horgan, John Delaney, C.E.O F.A.I. and Maurice Hartnett at the F.A.I Corporate Presentation Evening in Lismore House Hotel. (Photos by Sean Byrne)

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

ALLROUNDER SPORTS WINTER LEAGUE

Over 300 Now Registered

With just the second night completed in this year Allrounder Sports Winter League the number of runners now registered has passed the 300 mark with 256 of these running in last weeks league. The 5.7 mile course saw 135 participants and the 2.6 mile course had 121. All are to be congratulated on getting out there and running the league each week, and there's plenty room for more I might add. Pass on the word, we ask all participants to bring along a friend in the coming weeks and lead them into a healthier and fitter way of living over the winter months, they will thank you for it.

This time last year (will we ever forget) after two rounds we had experienced terrible wet and windy weather on both nights which set a trend of bad weather for the duration of the league.

This year we can report that we have had probably the best two nights ever witnessed for the league, hopefully by the time you read this the good weather will still be with us and we can enjoy the league for the coming winter months in drier conditions. How about the running then, well already we are seeing some very fast times over both distances. On the 5.7 course, sub 3 hour marathon runner recently in Dublin Declan McGrath was first home in a time of 34.42 he was followed by Paudie Crotty 38.41 and another man clocking good times considering his recent Dublin marathon exploits Ray Dwyer 41.14 was third. Fastest runner on the night was Raivis Zakis with a time of 31.18 and while our hands on sponsor Pearse Moloney was clipping his way around the 2.6 mile course

his son Rory was keeping the flag flying for the clan on the 5.7 mile course recording the next fastest time of 32.10 proving that he really is an "All Rounder". Kevin Kenneally was next with a time of 33.40, fair going boys-fair going. Claire O'Reilly was our first lady to cross the finish line with a good time of 43.29 this gave Claire a finishing position of 6th well done to her. Our next lady to finish was Carol Whelan 50.07 in 13th place and third lady finisher was Regina Byrne 23rd with a time of 46.32.

The leagues handicap system will start to kick into place over the coming weeks and all will have the same chance of finishing well up the pecking order each week. Thanks once again to our stewards for all their help and time out spent on both courses all the runners of the league appreci-

ate your help.

The 2.6 mile course saw terrific running last week also with Abbeyside man Brian Byrne leading the posse home with the fastest time recorded so far this year 13.43. He was followed in second place by Taught Occurring 16.18 and third home was Waterford United under 21 star Jonathon Shaw with a solid 16.32.. good training for the off season. Brenda Hunt recent winner of a team silver Munster medal at the Novice cross country championships was our first lady finisher on the night with a very good time of 16.46, she was placed 4th overall. Stradbally's Aoife Connors was second lady home in 8th place 20.18. Ciara Duffin was third finishing 10th in 20.25, well done to all. It was noticeable that after only two rounds the improvement from round one for many of the 2.6-mile runners was evident last Wednesday with many improving greatly now that they have become familiar with the course etc. And I guarantee you all if you stick to the league you will see a vast improvement come Christmas and beyond but like the 5.7 milers we say don't keep it to yourself, don't even continuously tell your friend's about it, go one better bring them along next week. Remember you can join

the league at any stage and all are welcome once over the age of 16 years. Waddle on friends.

Remember too that you can see your finishing position and time each Thursday morning on the club web site log onto www.westwaterfordathletics.org

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARTICIPANTS

Please run the route that you have registered for. If you wish to change the route, i.e., you are running the 2.6 mile route and you want to run the 6 mile, then you will need to be issued with a new number and likewise, if you are running the 6 and you wish to run the 2.7 you will need to be issued with a new number. This applies even if you only want to change for one night or a few nights. Just tell whoever is at the registration desk that you wish to change and they will issue you with your new number. This is a very important matter for the people who are doing up the results each week, your full co-operation here would be appreciated. Also a reminder to all that you must wear a proper reflective running bib and always wear your number on the front of your bib. We also have some foot-path repairs currently going on in Abbeyside, so we ask runners to take extra care here.

PENALTY POINTS

There's much talk about the penalty points and what's it all about, here's my effort to explain. If you are running the 2.7 mile league and ran it last year and you are more than 3 minutes slower than your best time last year you will be awarded penalty points each week that your slower than that 3 minutes, if there's 150 runners you will receive 151 points and not your finishing position points and so will anyone else who is 3 minutes outside their best time from last year. If you're running the 6 mile course you are allowed 6 minutes grace on your best time from last year again each week that your 6 minutes or more slower than this time you will receive maximum penalty points. Instead of getting your finishing position points you will receive the points total plus one of the amount of finishers on that night, eg if 180 runner take part on the night you will receive 181 points along with all others who are 6 minutes outside their late years best time. Penalty points will be awarded each week but wont become apparent until the divisions are in place after the Christmas break. This system open's up the competition to all levels of runners.

ALLROUNDER WINTER LEAGUE 6 MILE RESULTS (Round Two)

Pos	No.	Name	Time	Pos.	No.	Name	Time
1	57	MCGRATH, Declan (81)	0:34:42	69	89	PHELAN, Eamon	0:41:16
2	151	CROTTY, Paudie	0:38:41	70	121	MOLONEY, Michael	0:42:47
3	159	DWYER, Ray	0:41:14	71	1	DUNFORD, Michael	0:43:17
4	137	LEAHY, John	0:41:46	72	3	MORONEY, Tom	0:44:18
5	148	NUGENT, Mark	0:43:21	73	133	DROHAN, Noel	0:44:18
6	162	O RIELLY, Claire	0:43:29	74	5	KAVANAGH, Liam	0:42:49
7	138	DWANE, Cathal	0:45:15	75	25	COLEMAN, Billy	0:42:50
8	44	WALSH, Trevor	0:43:55	76	61	HAYES, Martin	0:40:20
9	50	BYRNE, Tom	0:44:11	77	98	HARTY, Philip	0:40:21
10	147	O'LAOIRE, Tadgh	0:44:28	78	13	WALL, Triona	0:43:21
11	74	WHELAN, Benji	0:37:58	79	93	RIORDAN, Patrick	0:40:22
12	139	FOLEY, James	0:49:41	80	150	CUMMINS, Donagh	0:48:22
13	26	WHELAN, Carol (65)	0:50:07	81	114	RADLEY, Keith	0:38:53
14	141	DEE, John	0:50:25	82	82	O'CONNOR, Gerry	0:48:24
15	11	MCCNALLY, David	0:47:06	83	91	RUSSELL, Caroline	0:58:24
16	60	FRAHER, Gerard	0:47:07	84	163	O'DONOGHUE, Shilleanne	0:48:25
17	100	HICKEY, Alan	0:42:40	85	42	DEE, Nicola	0:58:25
18	63	BEDELL, Toby	0:46:18	86	105	FITZGERALD, Alice	0:57:26
19	71	BOLAND, Laurence	0:46:19	87	32	KIRWAN, Jenny	0:58:26
20	7	MANSFIELD, Tom	0:46:21	88	120	CURRAN, John	0:55:56
21	143	MCKENNA, Noel	0:47:22	89	62	RYAN, Dermot	0:38:57
22	16	BRUNNOCK, Paul	0:41:58	90	53	POWER, Paddy	0:44:31
23	153	BYRNE, Regina(74)	0:46:32	91	160	HOGAN, Aidan	0:48:33
24	109	FAWKES, Ron	0:38:38	92	87	HAMILTON, Tony	0:50:09
25	104	SCANLAN, Tom	0:50:51	93	14	KENNEALLY, Kevin	0:33:40
26	43	WRIGHT, Ann	0:51:27	94	54	NAVIN, Earl	0:44:40
27	41	KEANE, Marian	0:51:29	95	24	CONDON, Tom	0:45:11
28	79	BARRY, Jim	0:47:01	96	15	TUTTY, Michael	0:43:12
29	149	DEE, Jason	0:47:01	97	94	HANRAHAN, Judy	0:45:42
30	65	HUMPHREYS, Colm	0:47:02	98	45	O'CALLAGHAN, Micheal	0:44:43
31	27	DWYER, Anthony	0:40:33	99	126	HEFFERNAN, Geraldine	0:49:44
32	152	SHALLOE, Tony	0:47:05	100	78	FRISBY, Pat	0:41:44
33	107	NOLAN, Padraig	0:48:36	101	21	DURAND, Michele	0:48:48
34	117	HEALY, Darren	0:43:39	102	30	TWOMEY, Paul	0:44:49
35	106	COONAN, Justin	0:40:40	103	131	TRAVERS, Jason	0:39:19
36	125	O'MAHONY, Tony	0:40:13	104	90	VEALE, James	0:39:20
37	48	DWYER, Tracy	0:47:14	105	23	CONNAUGHTON, Pat	0:42:59
38	135	LYNAM, Brett	0:40:45	106	136	WALSH, Martina	0:57:33
39	51	POWER, Onra	0:52:47	107	49	SHANLEY, Alice	0:57:33
40	123	ZAKIS, Raivis	0:31:18	108	142	MCKENNA, Nicola	0:57:34
41	69	HEARNE, Margaret	0:54:58	109	4	DOHERTY, Sullivan	0:42:40
42	31	COLLINS, Gary	0:41:32	110	99	CURRAN, Ray	0:48:16
43	22	SHAW-HAMILTON, Natalie	0:47:35	111	20	CAMPBELL, David	0:48:17
44	47	MULHEARNE, Camille	0:47:36	112	92	UI CHUIRRIN, Josie	0:46:55
45	80	VERLING, Mick	0:43:37	113	129	KEALY, Rosarie	0:46:25
46	29	MOLONEY, Rory	0:32:10	114	118	DUNFORD, Joanne	0:46:26
47	72	HICKEY, Quentien	0:38:12	115	145	RUSSELL, Kieran	0:45:28
48	66	MULCAHY, Jenny	0:41:14	116	18	TUTTY, Pat	0:46:05
49	77	KELLY, Finbar	0:42:15	117	96	POWER, Liam (1970)	0:47:43
50	58	KIRWAN, Bryan	0:47:47	118	75	FOLEY, John	0:47:22
51	86	HENLEY, John Joe	0:48:50	119	95	DEEGAN, Michael	0:45:53
52	119	QUINN, Noel	0:47:50	120	52	CARTLIDGE, Aaron	0:51:35
53	110	O'DONNELL, Kenneth	0:45:51	121	161	RYAN, Alan	0:50:11
54	73	QUINN, Pat	0:38:22	122	37	SHANLEY, Tom	0:51:34
55	128	BUDDS, Liam	0:41:22	123	38	DONNELLY, Brendan	0:51:39
56	2	LYONS, Alan	0:37:31	124	85	WHELAN (57), John	0:51:39
57	115	WATERS, Liam	0:42:32	125	101	RYAN, Rosaleen	0:47:52
58	124	FALCONER, John	0:46:03	126	154	O'MAHONEY, Orla	0:52:06
59	97	CANTWELL, Gerry	0:41:34	127	10	FOLEY, Aine	0:52:47
60	108	DUNFORD, Ann	0:41:05	128	9	KEATING, Paul	0:52:47
61	122	CORCORAN, Carmel	0:50:06	129	146	O'FOGHLU, Tadhy	0:48:25
62	103	COLLINS, Brian	0:42:36	130	6	O'CONNOR, Hugh	0:53:23
63	83	DUNFORD, Pat	0:38:37	131	19	SHAW-HAMILTON, Robert	0:53:57
64	11	O'GORMAN, Marie	0:48:11	132	156	CURRAN, P.J.	0:55:30
65	40	O'REILLY, Patrick	0:49:12	133	12	GAFFNEY, Andrea	0:56:13
66	158	BREATHNACH, Brid	0:48:14	134	127	VEALE, Martin	0:52:14
67	157	O'DEA, Paddy	0:48:14	135	155	BUDDS, Niamh	1:01:46
68	55	CONNOLLY, Fergal	0:43:45				

ALLROUNDER WINTER LEAGUE 2.7 MILE RESULTS (Round Two)

Pos	No.	Name	Time	61	816	MURPHY, Donncha	00:17:05
1	845	BYRNE, Brian	00:13:43	62	713	MCCARTHY, Christine	00:21:06
2	784	O'CUIRRIN, Tadgh	00:16:18	63	852	FLEMING, Rose	00:23:37
3	837	SHAW, Jonathan	00:16:32	64	775	FOLEY, Blathnaid	00:26:38
4	839	HUNT, Brenda	00:16:46	65	717	CHIZHIKOVA, Diana	00:19:39
5	755	WALSH, Hugh	00:17:59	66	760	POWER, Monica	00:23:09
6	779	MORRISSEY, Pat	00:18:15	67	701	LYONS, Scott	00:18:40
7	833	KENIRY, Keith	00:18:24	68	711	DOOCEY, Avril	00:24:10
8	843	CONNORS, Aoife	00:20:18	69	808	O'NEILL, Andrea	00:18:41
9	841	HENNESSY, Michael	00:20:23	70	747	KEANE, Susie	00:23:12
10	722	DUFFIN, Ciara	00:20:25	71	811	FINN, Valerie	00:25:42
11	831	BULLEN, Geoff	00:20:31	72	727	O'DONOVAN, Marie	00:23:43
12	848	DEE, Kavan	00:21:01	73	773	BRADFIELD, Linda	00:21:14
13	703	BERESFORD, Michael	00:21:03	74	730	MOORE, Kenneth	00:15:49
14	751	MAZUR, Karolina	00:21:39	75	742	LYNCH, Sharon	00:18:50
15	834	O'RIORDAN, Fiona	00:22:00	76	729	MOLONEY, Pearse	00:18:52
16	838	FROST, Helen	00:22:01	77	758	HICKEY, Lorraine	00:28:54
17	844	CASEY, Ronan	00:22:03	78	749	BYRNE, Regina	00:28:55
18	840	HOWLEY, Ger	00:23:04	79	763	WHYTE, Triona	00:21:25
19	835	HANSBURY, Paul	00:23:19	80	822	TUTTY, George	00:18:56
20	734	POWER, Eimear	00:23:52	81	823	MCGRATH, Paul	00:18:57
21	849	GRIFFIN, Sonya	00:23:55	82	704	NUGENT, Paula	00:23:28
22	724	SHEEHAN, Betty	00:24:32	83	753	LENIHAN, Tommy	00:21:29
23	847	GREEN, Julie	00:24:46	84	709	FLYNN, Caroline	00:25:00
24	707	MANSFIELD, Amanda	00:24:48	85	710	FLYNN, Shirley	00:25:01
25	706	HAYES, Colleen	00:24:49	86	804	EARLEY, Paula	00:22:31
26	832	BULLEN, Katie	00:24:53	87	800	O'DROMA, Seamus	00:20:32
27	851	REYNOLDS, John	00:24:53	88	801	MANAHAN, Seamus	00:20:32
28	850	REYNOLDS, Niamh	00:24:54	89	708	LYONS, Anita	00:26:06
29	705	NUGENT, Denise	00:25:01	90	828	MOORE, Aine	00:27:09
30	752	RIORDAN, Mary	00:25:02	91	769	POWER, Derrick	00:21:40
31	836	FLAVIN, Cyril	00:25:05	92	785	WRIGHT, Ann (66)	00:24:41
32	743	CUMMINS, Cora	00:25:06	93	792	FINNEGAN, Michelle	00:25:15
33	726	BROWNE, Ursula	00:25:08	94	750	MASON, Ita	00:24:46
34	846	FITZGERALD, Anthony	00:25:09	95	719	NAVIN, Joan	00:19:47
35	820	FLAVIN, Eimear	00:19:45	96	794	BANNON, Collette	00:27:18
36	759	MOLONEY, Marian	00:25:16	97	774	CLIFF, Mark	00:17:19
37	826	GREENE, Stephen	00:21:44	98	791	O'CONNELL, Aine	00:24:49
38	786	GOUGH, Joe	00:14:52	99	790	LEDINGHAM, Anne	00:24:50
39	827	MOORE, Sean	00:22:53	100	764	HARTY, Josie	00:21:25
40	795	DALTON, Pat	00:22:04	101	737	CASEY, Seamus	00:21:56
41	842	MHIC GHIOLLA CHUDA, Cliona	00:27:12	102	736	O'SHEA, Garry	00:20:02
42	789	CURRAN, Emmet	00:18:30	103	762	WHYTE, Gretta	00:27:08
43	807	MCCINN-MURPHY, Libby	00:22:02	104	825	WHYTE, Mary	00:23:10
44	702	BERESFORD, Debra	00:21:36	105	821	MCCONNELL, Mark	00:14:41
45	732	CONNOLLY, Christy	00:18:45	106	772	LANNEN, Paddy	00:29:44
46	783	DOWER, Michael	00:18:57	107	739	FITZGERALD, Micheal	00:16:49
47	815	BYRNE, Carolyn	00:22:28	108	805	POWER, Ritchie (59)	00:17:52
48	806	BYRNE, Mary	00:24:06	109	720	WALSH, Corinna	00:14:53
49	819	BARRY, Geraldine	00:23:41	110	716	CHIZHIKOV, Yevgeniy	00:14:54
50	796	O'FLYNN, Vincent	00:20:48	111	735	WHELAN, Anne	00:15:56
51	766	TOBIN, Richard	00:20:20	112	810	DEMPSEY, Luarena	00:28:05
52	765	CURRAN, Alan (75)	00:20:21	113	798	CRONIN, Lisa	00:24:14
53	788	QUINLAN, Martin	00:22:52	114	757	POWER, Annmarie	00:22:18
54	754	BRENNAN, Dermot	00:22:24	115	799	POWER, Barry	00:17:10
55	745	MCCARTHY, Michelle	00:17:58	116	715	FLEMING, Leisa	00:30:44
56	776	REGAN, David	00:20:19	117	714	CONWAY, Linda	00:30:47
57	813	CURRAN, Alan (74					

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

MUNSTER INTERMEDIATE CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Double Silver For West Waterford AC Teams

The Munster Intermediate Cross County Championships for men and woman was held in Carrig Na Bhfeair, Co. Cork last Sunday and a good day's racing was had by all in good under foot conditions. Proceeded by the juvenile championships uneven ages where the club was well represented with many returning home with Munster medals.

Turning to the Intermediate event Tony Ryan fielded the club's strongest possible teams available and all are to be commended on turning out for their club and wearing the club singlet.

The mens race was off first with quite a strong field of athletes. Ennis Track would have been near unbeatable on the day

when winning with a very good 19 points team tally with West Waterford taking a deserving silver with 82 points and third were Dundrum who we just piped for silver as they had 83 points so it goes to show ever place does count. Our first man across the line was Alan O'Brien and what a terrific display of cross country running the army man gave. Alan, to be honest would be more at home in his favourite discipline on the track, but when called upon by the club to take part, made the journey south and finished very strongly over the final half of the race.

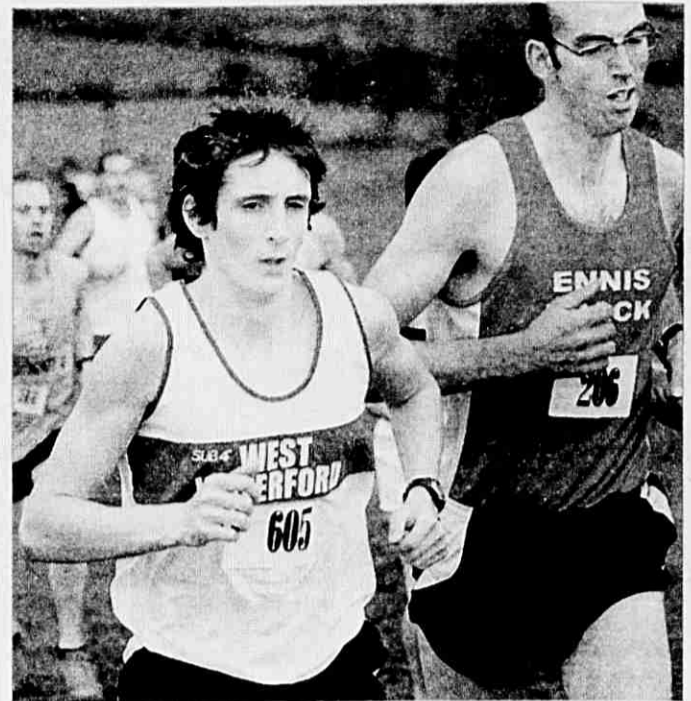
calling on all his track speed to take 7th place overall. Our next finisher was Kevin Kenneally who has improved this past two months or so two fold now that he is part of the "Stable" set-up he is definitely going in the right direction with his training. Kevin claimed 22nd place on Sunday. James Ledingham one of the club's most consistent runners was next in 23rd place and gave his usual 100% team effort for his club. Young Padraig Healy is making great strides since mov-

ing to college Cork and is training consistently he finished in 30th place and was a key member of the team which took club silver medals for West Waterford AC. Every team game needs a full squad and athletics in no different. We also had on our team last Sunday Trevor Mason 48th Conor Murray 57th and Con Kelleher 60th well done to all.

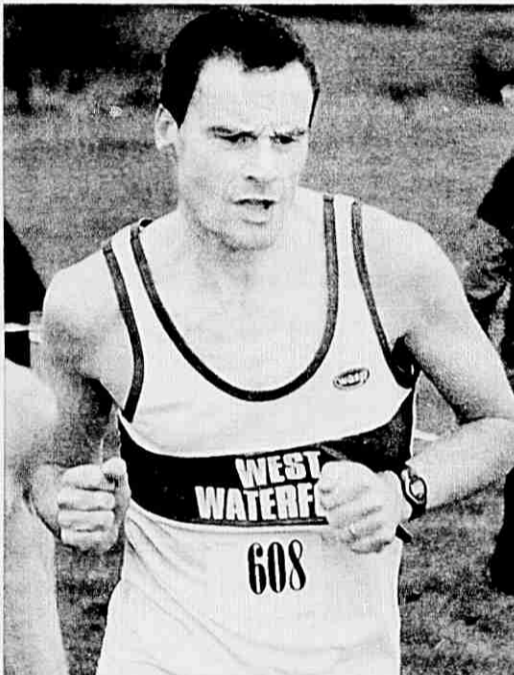
The ladies race also saw a good field and here too the West Waterford ladies team performed well taking club silver team medals to add to the silver won two week previous in the Novice championships. Our first lady finisher was Eibhlis Ní hAodha who gave an excellent display to finish 8th overall. Eibhlis has been involved with all the club teams at County, Munster and All Ireland level for many years and is running as well as ever presently.

Cross Country running at team level is all about packing well and this our ladies did on Sunday with our next three scoring runners finishing in 15th, 16th and 17th position respectively. The Sunday morning long runs are playing an important part in the current fitness level of Ann Dunford who finished 15th and Brenda Hunt who only recently joined the team added another Munster medal to her Novice one of two weeks ago finishing 16th. Anne Whelan who is a vastly experienced cross-country runner at all levels finished in that important 17th place.

Like our mens team we had great team back up with Bridget Coffey again giving her all to finish in 24th place with the ever-present Judy Hanrahan 28th. Ennis Track took gold on the day with 35 points from West Waterford's 56 and third were Clonmel on 64 points. Well done to both teams and team managers Tony Ryan and Michael Tuitty.



Padraig Healy well up in affairs at the Munster Intermediate Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Carrig Na Bhfeair. The mens team took silver medals on the day.



Conor Murray battles his way to the finish line at last Sunday's Intermediate Cross Country Championships in Carrig Na Bhfeair.



West Waterford's top placed finisher Alan O'Brien at last Sunday's Intermediate Cross Country Championships. Alan finished a creditable 7th overall leading his team to the silver club medals.



James Ledingham passes another Cork Athlete as he comes into finish the Munster Intermediate Cross Country Championships in Carrig Na Bhfeair last Sunday.



Members of our ladies squad which won silver team medals at the Munster Cross Country Championships in Carrig Na Bhfeair last Sunday. Photos show (clockwise) Judy Hanrahan, Ann Dunford and Ann Whelan

Silver For Ladies At Munster Novice Cross Country Championships

The results from the recent Munster Novice Cross Country Championships have finally been posted up, and our ladies team were once again in the medals, taking a deserved silver team behind winners Ennis Track. Having won this title the last six years in succession our ladies gave their all on the day and can be well pleased with their performances, however they were up against a very good Clare team on the day.

The final scoring was Ennis Track 21 points, West Waterford 57 points and third was Clonmel with 135 points. Well done to all our ladies in Limerick and indeed all those from the club over the years who have brought

great Munster honours? Cross Country Co-ordinator Tony Ryan also had a mens team on the day and here there were good performances all round, however we didn't figure among the medals here amid a very strong field.

Not to be outdone our mens team put in a huge performance for the club when taking an excellent silver team medal also with some fine individual performances all round leading to a very good team effort.

Our first athlete home was Alan O'Brien, better known as a track athlete and a member of our national Track and Field winning squad.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



Members of West Waterford A.C. (Albert's Gang) enjoying themselves during the Amsterdam Marathon recently.

McGrath's Newsagents Brickey Run

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All roads lead to Bushy Park Sunday next November 18th at 11 a.m. for the 14th Annual Brickey Run and Walk. All proceeds from the race thanks to our kind sponsor will be presented to the Dungarvan Hockey Club on this occasion. There will be a 5-mile and 3 mile Run and Walk and entries will be taken at Bushy Park from 10 a.m. by kind permission of Brickey GAA Club. Entry fee is €7 euro per person.

The Martin Curran Perpetual Cup will be presented to the first man to finish, and the Jim Lyons Memorial Shield will be presented to the first woman to finish. There will be individual

and weight categories for men and prizes. Individual prizes for Women. There will also be prizes in the 3-mile event. The weight categories are as follows: Under 40kg, 50kg, 60kg, 70kg, 80kg, 90kg, and 100kg and over 100kg.

Presentation of prizes will take place during a social evening at Bridie Dees, Mary St., Dungarvan after the race. This year's race will as in the past be kindly sponsored by McGrath's Newsagents, Mitchell Street, Dungarvan. We thank Albert and Patricia for their kind sponsorship of this event once again this year.

RUNNING QUOTE

Just remember this — No one ever won the olive wreath with an impressive training diary. Alan Lyons



Benji Whelan is presented with the Paddy Joe Delaney Memorial Shield as the first West Waterford AC finisher at the recent Dublin City Marathon. Benji was retaining the shield as he also won it in 2006 at the Dublin event. His time this year was a superb 2.44 a new personal best for the Kilmac man. Making the presentation was Club Chairman James Veale.

WEST WATERFORD A.C. CLUB MEMBERSHIP FOR 2008

The club's yearly membership has been set for the coming year and is 25 euro. As stated now by Athletics Ireland because of insurance reasons it has become compulsory that all running in club events be covered by insurance so with this in mind we urge all local runners to join West Waterford AC.

For those taking part in the Winter League its practically free membership as the league each night is 3 euro for non members and 2 euro for members, over the period by saving the 1 euro each week of the league you would nearly have the membership paid when having only to pay 2 euro each night. Also if you join now you are a member up until end of December 2008. Michael Tutty is the club's registration officer and he will be available each week of the league or any upcoming club event to look after your membership.

NATIONAL CROSS COUNTRY AT ST.AUGUSTINES COLLEGE

The club applied some time ago to host the Woodie's DIY Novice and Juvenile Uneven Ages Cross Country Championships of Ireland. We still await an official reply but through the grape vine we hear that indeed the championships will go ahead at the famed Friary Grounds on Sunday 16th December. More anon.

POST AMSTERDAM MARATHON MEAL

Post Amsterdam Marathon meal will be held on Saturday, November 17th in Lawlors Hotel at 7.30 p.m. Price E25. Names and money to Albert before tonight Wednesday, November 14th. All club members welcome.

SINCERE SYMPATHY

West Waterford Athletic Club extends sincere sympathy to our County Board Chairman Noel Power and his family on the untimely death of his wife Alvie which occurred last week. May she rest in peace.

K.C.K. Athletic Club

LAURA BEHAN AND GARY CANTWELL CLAIM MUNSTER INDIVIDUAL MEDALS IN CORK

Carrig Na Bheir hosted the second day of the Munster Cross Country Championships last Sunday. The weather produced some light showers as the athletes warmed up for their races.

KCK was well represented in the medal stakes, with Laura Behan and Gary Cantwell both winning individual medals. The girls U-17 team excelled when they won the team bronze medals in the Inter Club competition. Other athletes were also members of county teams that featured in the medals.

THREE MUNSTER MEDALS FOR LAURA BEHAN

Laura Behan was once again among the medal winners in the girls U-17 race. Having finished 7th in the longer U-18 3000m a few weeks ago, Laura also competed very well over the shorter 2000m. She had a very strong run finishing 10th place which secured her an individual medal. Laura was also a member of the Waterford County team which were easy winners in the Inter County competition, ensuring another Munster gold medal for Laura.

TEAM BRONZE FOR GIRLS U-17

Our girls U-17 team all produced excellent performances when they finished 3rd in the U-17 girls club competition. The team comprised of Laura Behan, Stephanie Power, Lisa Keane and Claire Morrissey. Laura Behan secured her third medal of the day and next home for the club was Stephanie Power. Stephanie who is a complete newcomer to cross country was competing in her very first Munster race. She competed very well among the regulars and finished home in a well placed 31st. Lisa Keane was next over the line for the club. Lisa, after a strong run, produced a blistering finish overtaking 3 finishers on the final straight. Claire Morrissey enjoyed her workout over the course and ran a good race to ensure the team medals were going to the club.

GARY CANTWELL WINS INDIVIDUAL MEDAL

Another athlete to win an individual medal was Gary Cantwell in the boys U-15 2000m. Gary, having been sick all week, produced a great performance and came home in 11th spot. Gary, along with Laura are now both qualified for both All-Ireland Championships which will be held shortly.

GIRLS RESULTS

Our girls U-11 squad of Elsa Griffin, Heather Shanahan and Briona Fennell were first out in action for the club. The girls lined up for their 800m in what was the largest field of the day, with over 100 athletes taking to the line. All three girls battled excellently throughout the course, with Elsa the first Waterford girl to finish. Elsa was followed home closely by Heather and then Briona all finishing well up the field.

Sisters Kate and Erica Kiely competed well in the girls U-15 race. Kate got off to a fantastic start and was in a very good position after 200m from where she then powered all the way to the line to record a good result. Erica, competing a year out of her age, had to work hard after her start, which she duly did. Her strong finish placed her home in 33rd, another fine performance by Erica.

BOYS RESULTS

Aaron Whelan and Michael Behan both went in the boys U-13 1200m race. Both lads were competing a year out of their age. Michael was well positioned throughout the race and a super finish led him into finish 41st. Just a few places back was Aaron, who put in a great performance finishing in 44th. Both lads will now be looking forward to their All-Irelands in the Curragh next weekend.

There were also good performances from the rest of the boys U-15 team. Rhuain Mitchell competing a year out of age was second home on the team. Rhuain worked hard from the gun and in the end finished a well placed 16th. John Halley stepped up from his normal distance when he took to the 2000m race. His very fast finish got him home in 41st place after a good run. Isaac Lineen and Joseph Morrissey followed, with both lads giving some solid performances. John Nicholas Fennell was our final performer of the day going in the U-17 race. John was in a good position throughout the race and finished strongly to round off a good day of cross country. Well done again to all the athletes who performed so well on the day and to all the parents who helped out.

COUNTY B CROSS COUNTRY

Next up are the County B's which will take place this Sunday in the Friary, Dungarvan. All athletes who did not win an individual medal or a team gold medal in the County A Championships are eligible to compete. There will be races for girls and boys U-9, U-11, U-13 and U-15 with the first race going off at 1pm. There will be medals for the first 10 in each race. All athletes from the club who are eligible to run are asked to attend.

TRAINING

Training continues every Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7-8pm in Lemybrien GAA Field. New members are most welcome, contact Richie Browne on 087-9225732 for more info.

Fixtures

November 18th – County B Cross Country, Dungarvan
November 25th – All-Ireland Cross Country, Curragh (Even Ages)
December 2nd – Munster B Cross Country, Tralee (Uneven Ages)
December 16th – All-Ireland Cross Country, Dungarvan (Uneven Ages)

ARDMORE & GRANGE LADIES FOOTBALL

Winter training for U10 & U12 panels — Training will now resume on the 12th November at the usual times of 6.30pm to 7.30pm for under 10's and 7.30 to 8.30pm for the under 12's. The cost for this year has increased to two euro per child.

Junior Panel — The club is going to go ahead with developing a junior team next year. This team will cater for those to old for the minor grade. Anyone interested in playing for the Ladies football club at this grade should contact Michael Roche (024 94887) or any member of the committee.

Next Committee Meeting — Will be held in the GAA club grounds on the 14th November at 8.30pm. There are some important issues to be discussed at this meeting a full attendance would be appreciated by the members.

County Referees Course — There is a course for those interested in becoming referees in Ladies football on this Thursday night the 16th in a venue to be arranged. Any member interested should contact Tom Cronin for details. A lack of officials to take charge of matches has led to problems for the last two years and the club would encourage any player over the age of sixteen to consider attending the course. It is for one night only and pays more than any part time job for less working hours.

Grange National school — Congratulations to the young ladies and gentlemen of the above school for successfully winning their respective Cumann na mBunscoil competitions. A great day was had in Cappoquin last Saturday morning by players, teachers and parents with siblings in tow as Grange proved successful. A special mention to the boys who were underdogs in their match and surprised a lot of people by defeating Piltown who had beaten them during the qualification rounds. The young ladies were also worthy winners and defeated Modeligo to win the competition for the third year in a row.

St Declans Ardmore — Hard Luck ! to the senior footballers who lost to Ballinacourty last Sunday. Any defeat can be hard to take those in a final are even harder. The whole of the Ardmore and surrounding areas are very proud of all involved with this team and appreciate the effort that each player gave on the day and also to the hard work that goes on behind the scenes by various members of the backroom.

Brickey Rangers GAA Notes

CLUB LOTTO

There was no winner of the club lotto last week which was held in the Tudor House. Numbers drawn were 3-4-13. The 25 euro prizes went to Pa Curran, Una Murphy, Johnny Cooney and Matthew McCarthy.

Next week's draw, which will be held in Tommy Power's carries a jackpot of 4,250 euro. Tickets 2 euro each available from any committee member and the usual outlets.

COMMITTEE MEETING

The November meeting will be held on Tuesday night, 20th November at 8 pm at Bushy Park. All committee members are asked to attend this final meeting prior to the AGM.

RACE NIGHT

Last Saturday night at Lawlor's Hotel was the venue for our Race Night, which proved to be a huge success. On the night we had 4 Greyhound Races, 4 Horse Races and 1 Auction Race which was kindly sponsored by Michael Curran, Curran's Home Furnishings. We had snippets from club and intercounty matches throughout the year. At the interval, a selection of finger food was available. We also had a number of variety spots on the night, this proved to be a huge hit, and a lot of serious dancers have come to light after the event.

Race Results

Race 1 winner: Clara O'Connor. 2nd Brian Fox. Race 2 Winner: Helen McCarthy. 2nd Mikey Barry. Race 3 Winner: Teresa Meehan. 2nd Aoife Hickey. Race 4 Winner: Martin Houlihan. 2nd Johnny Kiely. Race 5 Winner: Una and Jason Cotter. 2nd James and Pat Fitzgerald. Race 6 Winner: Denis Herlihy. 2nd Michael Sheehan. Race 7 Winner: Mary Rose Neville. 2nd Gerry Carolan. Race 8 Winner: Susan O'Mahoney. 2nd John O'Brien.

AUCTION RACE

Race 9 Winner: Pat Barry. 2nd The McCarthy Syndicate. Through this column the club would like to express sincere thanks to the following sponsors who contributed so generously to make the night such a huge success: Michael Curran, Curran's Home Furnishings. Terra Nua; Bridie Dee's Bar; The Tudor House; Tommy Power's Bar; the Local; Minnies Bar & Night Club; Murray's Pharmacy; The Stadium at Wyley Sports; Dwane Tool and Plant Hire; Albert McGrath's Newsagents; Allied Irish Bank; Noel Cummins Bookmaker; Dungarvan Printers; Kereen Quarry; Tom McCarthy; EBS Dungarvan; Morrissey's Super Valu.

COLM MCCARTHY MEMORIAL FUND

The above fund is closing on Wednesday, November 21st. All outstanding monies should be forwarded to a member of the committee before this date.

The presentation of the money is to be held on Saturday, 24th November at West Waterford Golf Club. Full details in next week's issue.

Ballyduff Upper GAA Notes

MUNSTER SENIOR HURLING CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

We will play Clare Champions Tulla in the semi-final of the Munster Club Championship in Cusack Park Ennis on Sunday next November 18th at 2.00pm. While we appreciate it has been a long year for our supporters, we would appeal for as many as possible to travel on Sunday as we endeavour to reach our first Senior Munster Hurling Club Final.

CLUB GEAR

Club gear will be on sale on Thursday next from 6.00pm to 8.00pm, Friday from 6.00pm to 9.00pm and on Saturday from 2.00pm to 5.00pm and 7.00pm to 9.00pm. or by contacting John Jackson and is also available from Teresa Noonan's shop.

AN APPRECIATION

We would like to thank the many clubs and individuals who sent messages and put up signs in support to our senior hurlers prior to the county final last Sunday week, especially Cappoquin / Affane GAA Club for their excellent sign which they erected at the field in Cappoquin.

COUNTY FINAL DVDS / VIDEOS

Anyone who wishes to buy a DVD or Video of the County Final can do so by contacting Eddie Curly on 058-56451 or

086-8371220.

CLUB LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last week's lotto draw in the Log Cabin on Tuesday November 6th were 8-9-19. There was no winner of the jackpot. The €30 winners were John Lyons, James Dalton, Brendan Dunlea and Maura McCarthy. This week's jackpot was €1,550 and the draw took place in Tobin's Bar on Tuesday November 13th. The results of this draw will appear in next week's notes. You can get

results and club news by visiting our website at

CONGRATULATIONS

We send our congratulations to Mike Walsh on his appointment as Waterford City Manager.

To Ballyduff Community on winning the Pride of Place Competition at the National Awards Ceremony in Westport on Saturday night last, and to Ballinacourty on their victory in the Senior Football County Final last Sunday.

Clashmore Kinsalebeg GAA Notes

JUNIOR HURLING WESTERN FINAL

A great season for our Junior Hurlers came to an end on Saturday last as An Rinn proved to have too much hurling for our brave bunch of lads. Clashmore/Kinsalebeg played with the wind in the first half and managed to stay with the lads from The Gaeltacht with the score at half-time being 1-6 to 0-5.

But come the second half An Rinn slowly took a stranglehold on the game with the wind, and our lads would only register a single further point to 1-4 for the opposition, to leave it 2-10 to 0-6 at the final whistle.

Despite the result this team of lads have done the club proud in the past few months by reaching this stage of the competition and deserve great credit, especially lads like veteran Pat Lombard who came out of retirement and put in a huge effort, and some of the younger players giving very good accounts of themselves all year.

Well done on a great year to Captain Tom Dee and his players and also to Selectors Johnny Flavin and Alan Curran for steering this team as far as this point.

Team: 1. Liam Keogh, 2. Joe Collins, 3. Dec Hackett, 4. Sean Bourke, 5. Ed Og Ledingham, 6. Andrew Hickey, 7. Aidan Trihy, 8. Roger Ryan(0-1), 9. Shane Allen(0-1), 10. Nick Beresford(0-3), 11. Padraig Connery, 12. Jim Flavin, 13. Kieran Power(0-1), 14. Pat Lombard, 15. Tom Dee(Capt.)

Subs Used: Daragh Curran(0-1), Eoin Coyne, Conor Coughlan, Seamus Landers.

FUNDRAISING RACE NIGHT

The Club Fundraising Race Night is finally upon us, so all roads will lead to The Decies Bar on this Saturday night when events should get under way by 9pm and a packed night of entertainment is promised. Between now and then, anyone who as of yet hasn't laid their hands on a ticket can do so by contacting any club member/officer in the next week or so. The ticket cost is €20 and includes entry on the night, food at The Decies, all the racing and betting entertainment and dancing till late with the DJ. There will also be a Race Commentator on duty on the night, as well as a Tote betting system to interest the racing enthusiasts and ordinary punter alike. The race card will include seven horse races and one dog race, with the final horse race being an auction race, where punters will get a chance to bid for each of the eight runners in the race for the big prize of the night. A great night is expected so be sure not to miss out and come along and support our club.

CLUB LOTTO

There was no winner of last week's jackpot of €8,200 when the numbers drawn were 1,4,12 & 17 and the consolation prize winners of €20 were Lauren Ryan, Piltown; Eddie McCarthy, Piltown; Gary Curran, Aghlish; Christy c/o The Old Mill & Larry Kiely, Cappagh.

This weeks jackpot will have been a huge €8,350 when the draw will have been made in The Rising Sun bar and it is worth anyone's while buying a ticket at the moment because "If you're not, you can't win...". Thanks to all buyers and sellers for your continued support of our club during the year.

Cois Bhride G.A.A. Notes

U-16 HURLING WESTERN FINAL

Following their impressive win over St. Patricks in the semi-final, Cois Bhride U-16 hurlers took on St. Olivers in the Western B Final last Sunday in Cappoquin. Olivers themselves had a convincing win over Fourmilewater in the other semi, so we knew going over that it was going to be a tight game. Evan Sheehan opened the scoring with a pointed free, and the sides matched each other fairly well until an opportunist goal from Liam O'Gorman put a bit of daylight between the sides. However St. Olivers responded well, and at the half-time whistle, just a solitary point separated the teams, 1-4 to 0-6 in favour of Cois Bhride.

Even though we were ahead, we knew we weren't playing well, and a big effort was needed in the second half. But it was St. Olivers who forced the pace, and with sheer determination and some well taken scores, they gradually pulled ahead, and when they cracked home a fine goal near the end, there was no way back for Cois Bhride. The final score was 1-9 to 1-7. To be fair, St. Olivers were the better side on the day, and had they taken their chances, they would have won by more. For Cois Bhride, apart from five or six players who tried very hard to the final whistle, there were unfortunately a lot of lads who didn't play well on the day, and having to field without Shane Roche and Dean Hennessy didn't help their cause either. We congratulate St. Olivers on their win, in a nutshell, they wanted it more. Panel: David Hartnett, Kegan O'Farrell, Brian McCarthy, Stevie Lucey, Edward Lonergan, Aaron Pratt, Kieran Fraser, Tom McGrath, Kevin O'Brien (0-1), Tommy Daly (0-1), Evan Sheehan (0-4), Eoin Roche, Rob O'Sullivan, Joe Leahy (0-1), Liam O'Gorman (1-0), Tomas O'Neill, Padraig Ahearne.

MINOR FINAL REPLAY

The only information I have about the Minor Hurling county final replay is that it will probably be in December. It's a long old wait for the lads, and keeping them fit and prepared is not an easy task for the selectors. But hang in there lads, it will be worth it in the end.

PRESENTATION EVENING

Sunday 9th of December is a day to keep free in your diary, as we present all our younger players with their medals and trophies won during 2007. It will be a gala day for all the family, as all parents, guardians and families are invited to Clancy's Bar, (formerly known as The Devonshire Arms Hotel) in Tallow, starting around 4pm. There will be ceol, craic, sangers, crisps, Tup, and medals galore as we celebrate their achievements during the year. Oh and yes, there will be a famous Hurler (or three) also in attendance. Don't forget the date... Sunday 9th December.

A WESTERN TREBLE

Our heartiest congratulations go out this week to the hurlers of Ballyduff and Ballysaggart on their tremendous County Final wins in Senior and Junior, and not forgetting Ballinacourty who last Sunday won their first Senior Football title in 26 years. It's great to see Western clubs finally tasting a bit of success, and Ballyduff, who broke an Eastern domination going back 14 years, certainly did it in style playing a very attractive style of free-flowing hurling spear-headed by All-Star Stephen Molumphy. We wish all of them the best of luck in the Munster Club Championships that are coming up, particularly Ballyduff, who have to travel to Ennis next Sunday. Go on the village, no doubt ye'll do us proud.

GERALDINES GAA NOTES

LOTTO — 9th Nov 2007: - Winning numbers 12, 26 and 29. No winner, €20 winners: - Paula O'Neill, Nora Maher, Anne Duffy, Ned Scanlon, and Paddens Glavin.

Next weeks jackpot is €1700 and the draw is in Maureen's bar.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

We play our fellow parishioners Ballinameela in the Western Final on Sunday next at 230 pm in the Fraher Field. We are short our captain John Tobin through suspension with a few others struggling with injuries while our neighbours will be far stronger since we last played, earlier in the year. It will probably be tight and close all the way to the finish so we again ask our supporters to make themselves heard as they did when all looked lost in the semi final.

NEW P.R.O. — Vinnie Lombard is taking over as P.R.O. from this week on as yours truly has a busy schedule over the next few weeks. He can be contacted on 087 9774483.

Sliabh gCua St. Mary's G.A.A. Club Notes

Friday 23rd November at 9.30pm a presentation of €1,000 (1st prize) will be made to the winners of the annual sports quiz.

1st prize was a joint entry from Tom and John Barron, Lagg. 2nd Prize: Sean Hickey, Cahernaleague, 3rd Prize Alan Walsh, Colligan, 4th (Shared) Brid McCarthy, Abbeyside, Brian Fahey Ballymacarthy.

On the same night a new and exciting format of the 2008 quiz will be launched. Entries next year will be entered on the Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's website where results and placings can be checked at any time. A new multiple choice format for answering is also in place. Our thanks to John P. Fitzpatrick for the many hours spent researching and advancing the quiz.

A reminder for the 10th of January 2008 when the club will celebrate 30 years since the first title was won for Junior Hurling in 1978.

A presentation was made to all the player involved. President Nicky Brennan will attend along with other dignitaries. Advertising is still available on the programme for the night. Please contact contact a member of the committee if interested.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our annual general meeting, which was supposed to be held on this Friday 16th November has now been deferred to a later date.

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To Eamon and Patricia Lonergan on hosting a very
successful slow food event, well done to all who took part.
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DUNGARVAN UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

DUNGARVAN NARROWLY MISS OUT IN LOCAL DERBY

An exciting game of football was witnessed by a large crowd in Kilrush last Saturday. Both teams started off well but we were unfortunate to be a goal down in the first half. In the second half our lads gave their all and some brilliant defending by our back four and excellent saves by our goalkeeper kept us in the game.

In the last ten minutes we piled on the pressure but were unfortunate not to score. Well done to Ballinroad on a good win and we look forward to our next meeting.

Final Result Dungarvan Utd 0 Ballinroad 1.

JUNIOR RESULTS

Munster Junior Cup - Cappoquin 0 Dungarvan Utd 1 (aet)

JUNIOR FIXTURES

Sat 17th Nov
1B Abbeyside v Dungarvan Utd
2pm Kick off

SCHOOLBOY RESULTS

Ballinroad 1 Dungarvan 0

SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES

Sat Nov 17th
U11 League Dungarvan v Portlaw 10.30am

U15 League Dungarvan v Carrick 2.30pm

**DUNGARVAN UNITED AFC
SATURDAY ACADEMY**
Academy on Saturday 1.30pm.

All children between ages 6 and 10 are very welcome."

ASTRO TURF BOOKINGS

Certain times are available at present so to book your slot give Billy a ring on 087-0557015 to book your hour. The astro turf is also available for parents to rent for their child's birthday party.

SPONSORSHIP SIGNS

A huge thank you to all our sponsors of pitch signs. They are all erected now around our pitch and look very well indeed. For information on this venture contact David Walsh on 087-6896983.

SCHOOLBOY TRAINING TIMES

U-11 Training - Every Wednesday at 5 p.m. Bring boots and runners.

U-12 Training - Every Tuesday & Thursday at 5.45 p.m. Bring boots and runners.

JUNIOR ROUND UP

Another tough encounter this week saw us scrape past Cappoquin on Saturday night. It looked like our second penalty shoot out inside a week, as we couldn't break down a stubborn and well organised Cappoquin defence, but with just two minutes of extra time remaining Tony Fitzgerald powerfully headed home Gavin Crotty's beautifully flighted cross. Away to Villa in the next round and with Southend at home in the FAI Cup, the next couple of weeks will tell a lot about how our season will pan out.

CLUB INDEBTED TO ROY BARTON AFTER SUPERB JOB AS TREASURER

"A special mention of thanks to Dungarvan United's man with the money. Our Treasurer for the past number of years has decided to take a step back from this time consuming position within the club. Roy Barton has done a superb job in managing the finances for Dungarvan United AFC and we in the club are indebted for the many hours Roy and Mary have given, during this responsible role in the club. We are happy to add that Roy will be still helping out with our Saturday Soccer Academy and all our children and coaches are thankful for his support each week. There is a rumour that Roy and Santa Claus are very close and that he may escort Father Christmas to our Old Folks Christmas Party in early December, as he has done for the past few years."

CONGRATULATIONS

Congrats to Ballinacourty on winning the Senior football county title last Sunday and in particular premier players Ferry and Aidan and also to Dungarvan on winning the Western Intermediate title on which Gavin, Trevor and Derek were part of the lads success.

LAST CHANCE TO ORDER CLUB GEAR

If anyone is looking to purchase club gear you can do so by ordering same with money at time of order to Colin Walsh. You can meet Colin with payment at the Club at 6.50pm any Tuesday night. With a lot of big games coming up for the Blues it might be a nice to be seen supporting the lads in one of the fantastic Umbro tops or a treat /present for someone for Christmas. This is the final chance to order club gear for this year. Last date for order is Saturday 24th November. Strictly - No money, no order!! - no orders after this date.

A BIG THANK YOU

A big thank you to the Morrissey Family, Abbeyside, for their custom last weekend. We were delighted to be able to facilitate them and by all accounts it was an excellent night had by all.

PREMIER / 1B TRAINING

Every Tuesday / Thursday @ 7pm. Bring boots (and runners just in case also).

Abbeyside AFC Notes

RESULTS

Under-12 -
Ferrybank 1 Abbeyside 2
Div. 1B -
Ferrybank 2 Abbeyside 2
SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES
Under-11 Sat 17th Nov 10.30
Ballyduff v Abbeyside

UNDER-12 MATCH

Back To Winning Ways

FERRYBANK 1 ABBEYSIDE 2

Saturday morning last we travelled to Abbeylands for what was always going to be a tight fought contest. We started much the brighter going close with several chances by Mulhearn. On the 17th minute a half cleared corner from Ferrybank was caught neatly on the volley by O'Donovan to put us up 1 nil Ferrybank threw everything at us for the next ten minutes but some very stern defending by our ever reliable backline kept them at bay half time 0-1.

In the second half we started a bit sloppy and gave away a very sloppy goal to make it 1-1. That seemed to wake us up and spur us on and a parried shot from Fehilly fell to Morrissey who put the ball in the bottom corner of the net to give us back our lead. Ferrybank never got back into it after that and we had several more chances but could not find the back of the net going close with shots from Mullet Toffee O'Donovan and Morrissey but to no avail. This was a hard fought game and if this is anything to go by we should challenge for league honours this year. Final score 1-2.

Team L.Cummins, D. Cummins, Fitzgerald, Fehilly, Clifford (c), Cockwell, O'Donovan, Mulhearn, Morrissey, McGrath, Duggan, Subs T.Reddy, S.Reddy, Joyce, Power, Doocey subs used S.Reddy for Cockwell and T. Reddy for Duggan.

SCHOOLBOY TRAINING TIMES

U/11 - Mon 6 Till 8
U/12 - Wed 6 Till 8

Kilmac' FC Notes

ALPHA LOTTO RESULT

Winning Letters - D, F, I, S. No Winner. Next weeks Jackpot - €1,000. Weekly Winners of €30 - 1) Keith Mulhearn, Kilmac'; 2) Piers Casey, C/O Mosh's; 3) Julie Kiersey, Ballybrack, Kilmac'; 4) Sean White, C/O Dawn Meats; 5) Martin Coffey, C/O Danny Walsh.

SEAVIEW DRAW

Best of luck to everyone that bought Seaview tickets as the draw takes place on Saturday.

RESULTS

1A - Kilmac 2-4 St Josephs

SFAI Cup - U-14

Evergreen "B" 0 Kilmac 3

We travelled to Kilkenny last Saturday and came away with a fine win to progress to the next round of the SFAI cup.

This was another strong performance by this team as we were always in control of this game. We dominated from the off and had a number of chances early on to have had the game wrapped up by half time instead of leading by only one, a well taken volley by Kieran Power after a great delivery by David Halahan from a corner kick.

We doubled our lead early in the second half, this time through Kieran Lynn, scoring for the second game running. The win was secured when in the last minutes we were awarded a penalty which was slotted home by Paul "Dougal" Weldon.

This was a very good team effort with our back four of Evan, Niall, Jay and Paul outstanding, the result being that Shane had only one real save to make in the whole match.

Team: Shane Power, Evan Joy, Niall Power, Jay Hurton, Paul Weldon, Eoin McElduff, Tom Kiersey, Kieran Power, David Halahan, Kieran Lynn, David Sutton, Jamie Walsh, TJ Fitzsimons, Adam Walsh, Dennis Hassett.

We will be travelling back to Evergreen for the next round as their "A" team beat Tramore.

UNDER-16 MATCH REPORT

Kilmac 1 Tramore 3

We had Sean Sutton back for his first game of the season after a long lay-off due to injury and he had an immediate impact as his fine delivery was converted by Eoin Walsh after only 3 minutes.

Tramore came back into the game when they were gifted a free header after 20 minutes and with very little between the teams it made the half time score 1-1.

Tramore increased their lead early in the second half when sloppy defending allowed them in on the back post for an easy tap in. They got their third shortly after when a defensive mix-up allowed the center-forward in, to round the Kilmac Keeper.

The Kilmac lads will need to do some serious training to work out these basic mistakes if they are to get their season back on track.

CHALLENGE

In the recent challenge between the Over 33's and the 2nd Div, honours were shared at 2 goals apiece.

The "Youngsters" were the first on the score sheet courtesy of a penalty, however video evidence at half time (thanks to Gearldine Lynn) proved this to be a blatant "dive".

The "old-timers" were rewarded a penalty shortly it the second half and while it was protested against again the video review proved useful as it clearly showed "Sele's" shirt being pulled. The 2nd Div went ahead again through "Wogi" only for "Murt" to equalise with the goal of the match, a diving header to wrong foot the keeper. Much to his disappointment however, the goal was not caught on camera as the battery's went dead.

After this the 2nd Div were made to sweat as the Over 33's dominated up until the final whistle and feel they should have won.

The game was reviewed in Lynn's after and though "Murt" was unhappy that his wonder goal was missing, a number of the 2nd Div players were glad, as they reckoned it would be replayed over and over again.

Somehow I think a lot of money passed hands and vital footage was erased before the camera reached the street, as the "camera-man" was seen shopping on Monday.

GET WELL SOON

Best wishes to Michael Lawlor who suffered a broken leg recently. We hope to see him back in action in the not too distant future.

SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES

Sat 17th Nov

U-11 - Kilmac v Park Rangers, kick-off 10.30 a.m.

U-13 - Portlaw v Kilmac, kick-off 11.45 a.m.

U-15 - Kilmac v Railway, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

JUNIOR FIXTURES

Saturday 17th November

1A - Piltown v Kilmac, kick-off 2.00 p.m.

Sunday 18th November

2nd Div - Kilmac v Johnville, kick-off 11.00 a.m.

OVER 30'S CHARITY LEAGUE

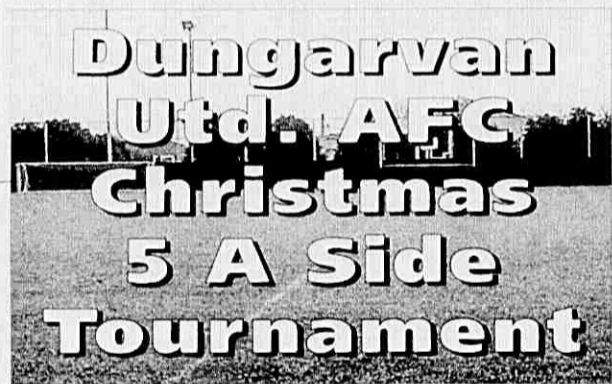
The over 30's charity tournament, the proceeds of which are going to the Baby Care Unit in the WRH, kicked off last Monday and will be continuing for the next few weeks.

Next Monday's Fixtures

Mon 19th Nov - 7.00 Firemen v Lynn's

7.40 Mosh's v Kiersey's

8.20 Bally Inn v Danny's



SATURDAY 29TH DECEMBER

We are delighted to announce our open Christmas 5 a side tournament to be held on our Astro Turf Facility in the middle of the Christmas Festivities. How do you fancy taking a few hours out of the pub? Do you want shed some of the extra Turkey pounds? Limited to 16 teams. All teams will play initially in a league with a minimum of three games each. Winners of each group will progress to semi finals and finals. All games will be refereed.

Panel of 6 players required. Games will be 5 a side. Subs must play half a game.

Maximum of 2 Premier Players per team. A player will count as Premier if they have played Premier Soccer or a higher standard in 2007 or if they have played in Senior Hurling or Football in 2007.

Each team must have a minimum of 1 player who must be aged over 35 in the panel.

Ladies of course are also very welcome to play.

Handicaps. If a team has up to two premier players, their initial score in each game is deducted one goal for each premier player on the panel. If a team plays an extra over 35 player, they will be given an extra goal in the game. A goal start will also be awarded for each lady to a maximum of 2 ladies on a panel. Cost per team. Only €60.

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Only 16 teams available. Will be gone very quickly. Contact David Walsh on 087-6896983 to register your team? A team will not be entered into the competition until an application form is completed with the list of players and the payment of €60 is also received.

PINEWOOD RANGERS SCHOOLBOYS F.C.

There was training on Saturday morning last for both under 12s and under 14s. Under-14's started at eleven and under 12s started twelve o'clock. There was a good turnout from both groups. We have four players on the under 14 development squad and three on the under 13 squad and two on the under 12 squad.

The club would like to congratulate MAIREAD DOOCEY on winning first prize of 5000 euro in the W.W.E.C. league SUPERDRAW.

We would also like to congratulate the NIRE minor team on winning the county final for the first time. Membership is due for under 12's and under 14's.

PLAYER PROFILE

Name - Ian Mulcahy

Age - Ten

Club - Pinewood Rangers

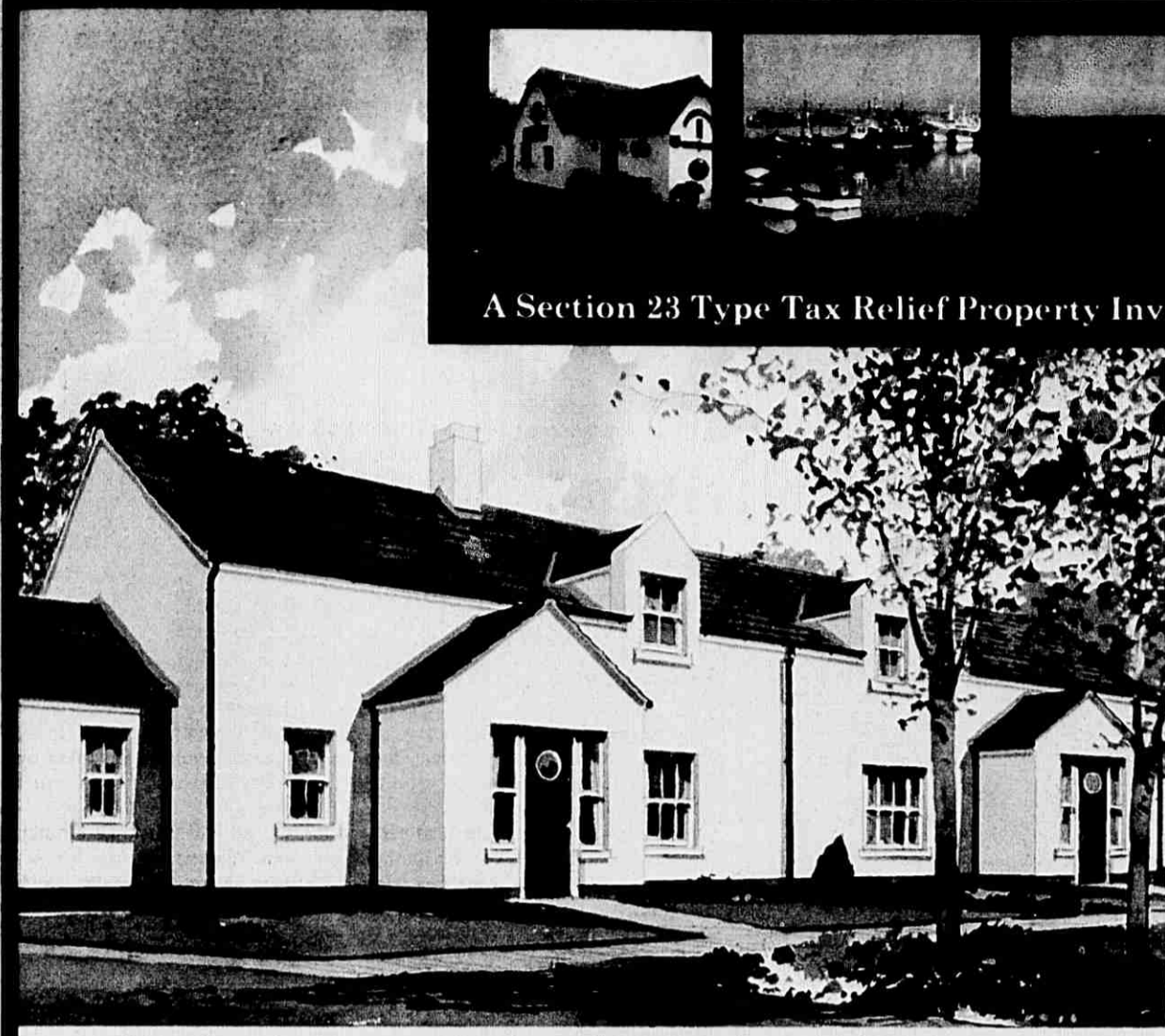
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Abbeyside Cub Scout Pack, Scout Troop & Venture Scout Group Notes

NOTICE FOR ANNUAL SCOUT MASS

The Annual 4th Waterford Unit, St. Joseph's, Abbeyside Scout Group, Scouting Ireland, Mass will be held on Sunday 18th November, 2007 at half past nine (09:30 am) in Abbeyside Church. All Cubs, Scouts and Ventures are expected to attend in Full and Correct Uniform. All sections are asked to gather at the Scout Den at Nine O'Clock (09:00 am). Parents, family and friends are invited to join the Unit for this Special Mass to mark the year just past, the coming year, and praying for members of the 4th Waterford past and present.

SOUTH EASTERN PROVINCE YOUTH FORUM

The first ever South Eastern Youth Forum will be held in Mount Mellera Scout Activity & Sports Centre, Cappoquin on Friday November 30th to Sunday December 2nd, "YOUR VOICE 07". Open to Scouts (13 years and Up) and All Ventures, Cost: €40. Come along and have your say and participate in a fun filled weekend. Conference Sessions include New Youth Programme, Youth Participation, Jamboree 2008 & Programme Events, Activities include Summit, Archery, Assault Course, Games, Disco and Campfire. Should be a very interesting weekend for all.

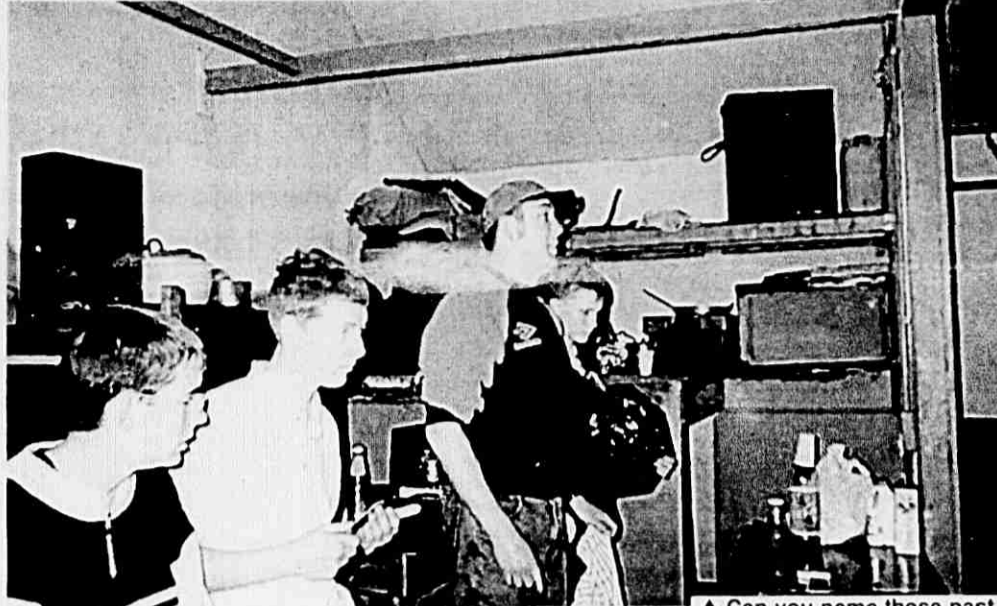
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

We have put our Activities onto an online Calendar, you can see these on the Blog Spot or the Abbeyside Scout Group site.

CUB SCOUT PACK - NEWS & INFORMATION

Darragh began this weeks meeting with the saying of the cub scout prayer. Then Gearoid and Michael took up subs. First game of the night was one that we haven't played in a while, was "Gearoid says" which a lot of the cubs seemed to get tired very quickly from, due to lack of energy or lack of coca cola before hand, we're not sure which. Then Michael took charge of the "x" game, which as usual was both very popular and very competitive with both teams at times literally, and figuratively going for each others throats. The cubs then sat down and wrote out what they thought were appropriate prayers of the faithful for the 4th Waterford's annual mass for past and present members which is on in Abbeyside Church this Sunday at 9.30a.m. The prayers got some careful consideration before being put to paper. Then Seanie gave the cubs some sample questions that may or may not be asked at the Cub County Quiz in Ferrybank on Sunday December 9th. We will be doing more of the same in the coming weeks. The cubs were then given a notice about the mass on Sunday and told to meet at the den in full uniform. Darragh then said the final prayer and everyone was dismissed.

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 10 1/2 /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@abbeyscoutgroup.com and Gearoid will get back in contact with you.

SCOUT TROOP - NEWS & INFORMATION

The meeting started with Patrol Formation and the Scout Prayer being said, after which the Patrols got out the Patrol Equipment Boxes, which had not been seen since we returned from Annual Camp in Larch Hill. The equipment was taken out and checked, and given a quick wash in preparation for the Indoor Cooking Competition later this month.

It was then time for a bit of fun and some games, the Troop formed a line and number off then number off in two's splitting into two teams for a quick relay game, but even after all this time some of the Scouts could not remember if they were numbered team one or team two, so we started again, this time making two Teams of fairly even numbers, after another relay game it was time for a game of 'Number Snatch' Joe's Team won this easy enough even after the scores were adjusted for Tom's team they could not win. A game of switch was next on the agenda and proved as always to be great fun.

Before the meeting finished some notices were gone over and discussed with those present, among those talked about was the Indoor Cooking Competition, Annual visit to the Sports Centre, and the Annual Unit Mass. The Court of Honour are to organise the activities for next weeks meeting in the sports centre which starts at half past five and will be over at half seven. All Scouts are to wear their Group Neckerchief.

The meeting finished with the Scout Prayer being said and everyone dismissed to go home. A Court Of Honour was held after the meeting where the upcoming South Eastern Youth Forum, and Waterford Scout County PL/WL Training was talked about.

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 10 1/2 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@abbeyscoutgroup.com and Brendan will get back in contact with you.

VENTURE SCOUT GROUP - INFORMATION

Ventures Saturday Night Meeting started shortly after seven. Talk this week among the Ventures was the Annual Indoor Cooking Competition, 'Paint Balling' in December, Annual Unit Mass, Annual Camp and the South Eastern Province Youth Forum.

If there are any Ventures still interested in any of these events let Sandy know as soon as possible as in advance booking is essential for all these. 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 and Sandy will get in contact with you.

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 €15-50. 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 photos 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.

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www.glenshelanescoutcampsite.com and leave us a message in the guest book, tell us what you think. — Scribe.

WLRfm Sony Centre Star Search Final

The WLRfm Sony Centre Star Search Final played to a full house in the Theatre Royal Waterford on Tuesday last November 6th. And after 5 weeks of on-air competition, Michelle Corcoran of Portlaw, was voted Waterford's Brightest Star and walked away with €5,000 in prize money.

The seven other finalists who performed brilliantly on the night were: Michelle Quilty, Hillview, Waterford, Ronan Flynn, Dungarvan (wildcard), Lyndsey Penkert, Lismore Lawn, Waterford, The Appeal, Ferrybank (wildcard), Caroline Power, Balyduff, Kilmeaden, David Sheridan, Cork Road, Waterford (wildcard), Michelle Dunne, Tramore.

The top 3 acts were then announced - Michelle Quilty, Hillview; Caroline Power, Balyduff, Kilmeaden and Michelle Corcoran, and invited to sing for a second time. With Michelle Corcoran coming out on top.

How it all began

Auditions were held in Waterford City and Dungarvan in September, 4 qualifiers battled it out on air each week for 5 weeks with WLRfm listeners voting for their favourites.

Each of our judges then had a 'wildcard' - an artist they thought was outstanding but who failed to make it through the public vote giving the listeners a choice of eight acts to vote for on the Final Night.

The night was presented by WLRfm's Breakfast Show team of Timmy Ryan and Aoibhin Fallon and professional opinions were given to the singers by the judges: Nichola Beresford, Richie Hayes and Dermot Power.

Promotions and advertising executive Sinead Sullivan of WLRfm said: "We were thrilled with the level of talent out there in Waterford City and County through the course of our initial auditions, and all eight performers on the night were extremely deserving of their place in the final. Well done to the professionalism of all the acts most of whom had never sung to such a large crowd before and, of course, congratulations to Michelle Corcoran from Portlaw who was a fantastic winner".

Irish Wheelchair Association To Light Up Dungarvan Shopping Centre

The Irish Wheelchair Association (IWA) was formed over 40 years ago. In the 1960's, services for people with physical disability were meagre, sporadic or in some cases non-existent. From the outset IWA services were driven by the needs of members, a central goal was the integration of people with disabilities into the community. By the 1970's IWA had over 1,000 members, today there are over 20,000 members and IWA continues to grow.

In a testimony to its growth and progression in the Waterford area, The Irish Wheelchair Association has been invited to switch on the Christmas lights in Dungarvan Shopping Centre on Saturday, November 17th this year. This eagerly awaited annual event signals the beginning of the "Christmas rush", as well, of course, as the beginning of the season of goodwill and charity to all.

According to Tim Foley, Manager of Dungarvan Shopping Centre, "We were delighted to get involved with a fundraising project for IWA. The Irish Wheelchair Association has grown significantly over the past few years particularly in the Waterford area. Not only will all funds raised go to an extremely worthy cause, the day will be jam-packed with festive celebrations, such as face-painters, clowns, music, giveaways and even some members of the Waterford Senior Hurling Team will be there".

Mary Simpson, Service Co-ordinator noted that IWA is currently raising funds to develop a Resource and Outreach Centre in the Dungarvan area. The centre will

provide much needed services and support for people with physical and sensory disabilities in the area, while also making the facility available to the wider community. "The provision of such services is really only possible as a result of the generosity of the community and of local business's such as Dungarvan Shopping Centre", Mary added.

If you're not adverse to a great afternoon of festive fun, call to the Dungarvan Shopping Centre on Saturday, November 17th for the switching on of the Christmas Lights.



Getting ready to turn on the Christmas Lights at Dungarvan Shopping Centre are (l-r) Mary Simpson and Thos O'Leary, IWA and Sean Power, Dungarvan Shopping Centre. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



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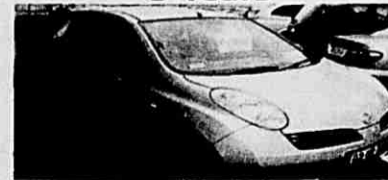
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