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## FROM THE EDITOR

As we bask in glorious sunshine in a town that is looking resplendent and is being enjoyed by both locals and tourists alike, we have lots for you to enjoy in this week's Killarney Outlook.

It was a special day for the Moriarty Family on Sunday last, An Taoiseach came face to face with some White Tailed Eagles and Sam Maguire is set to make an appearance at Augustfest at Killarney Races next week.

There was great success for the county at Fleadh Cheoil na hEireann in Mullingar, the debutantes turned on the style at St.Brendan's College and Beaufort have issued a call to invest in the future.

In sport, the 54321 Challenge has been launched, Flesk Valley are set to host the County Championship Coastal Regatta and Jimmy has a round up of all things Sport.

The golfers have been out in force enjoying the fine weather and we have all the news and photographs from the greens and fairways of Killarney clubs.

Enjoy this week's Killarney Outlook and remember to stay #SunSafe

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# MARK ENTERS THE LAST STAGE OF PRIESTHOOD

Joined by family, friends and parishioners, Mark Moriarty was ordained to the Diaconate on Sunday 7th August, at St. Mary's Cathedral, thereby entering the last stage in his journey to Priesthood for the diocese of Kerry.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of Bishop of Kerry Ray Browne, Bishop Emeritus Bill Murphy along with more than 30 priests from the Diocese.

The son of Marjorie and Brian Moriarty, Mark has one brother Paul and is a former student at St. Brendans College.

"Deacons are called to do the will of God generously and to serve Him and others in love and joy", Mary Fagan, Director of Communications in the Kerry Diocese said.

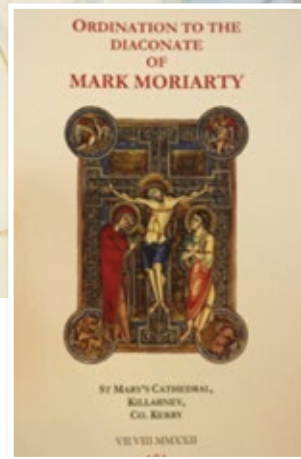
"Mark has become an official minister of the church, co-worker with the bishop, priests and laity in the service of God and the people. The newly-ordained deacon is appointed to assist at the altar, to administer the Sacrament of Baptism, to assist at and bless marriages and to perform many other functions in the name of the Church", she added.

"The sun shone for Mark. It was a beautiful and uplifting ceremony in the Cathedral, with music arrangements primarily by Irish artists, performed under the direction of Dr.Sharon Lyons", Mary added.

Refreshments followed on the grounds of St. Brendan's College.



Proud parents, Brian and Margorie Moriarty pictured at their son Mark's Ordination to the Diaconate with Fr. Kieran O'Brien, Bishop Ray Browne and Deacon Mark Moriarty.



Mark pictured with his uncle Peter Fleming, aunt Martha and cousins Shannon and Liam.



The ceremony at St. Mary's Cathedral on Sunday last.

## Minister to perform the OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE KILLARNEY VALLEY AC ARENA

Minister for Education, Norma Foley will officially open the Killarney Valley AC Arena on Saturday August 27th.

"We are delighted to announce the Official Opening of the facility by Minister for Education Norma Foley on August 27th @ 3.30pm", Jeremiah Griffin, one of the driving forces behind this amazing community facility told Killarney Outlook.

"Minister Foley has supported the building of the track over the past

number of years and we are very appreciative of her support, then and now and are absolutely delighted that she will be part of this day with us", he added.

The fantastic talent of the members of the club will be showcased on the day with a short athletics display of the various disciplines in the sport of athletics.

This event will give people the opportunity to meet with the athletes, coaches and the brilliant team behind the drive to get this wonderful facility built.



Minister Norma Foley will officially open the Killarney Valley AC Arena.



The Killarney Valley AC Arena



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## WHITE TAILED SEA EAGLE CHICKS RELEASED INTO THE SKIES

**T**he Taoiseach was in Tarbert on Friday, 5th August, along with the National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS), to release a number of White Tailed Eagles into the wild. This is part of a long-term initiative to re-establish a population of this iconic, and once extinct, species in Ireland.

This was followed by a further release on Tuesday 9th August, in Killarney National Park, by the Minister of State for Heritage, Malcolm Noonan, TD, accompanied by the Norwegian Ambassador, Mari Skåre. Also in attendance were a group of visiting Norwegians who were responsible for the collection of the eagle nestlings in Norway earlier this year.

The re-establishment of breeding White-tailed Eagles at sites like Killarney, Glengarriff and Lough Derg has proven hugely popular with local residents and visitors. The potential for positive economic benefits from ecotourism was demonstrated in Mountshannon, Co. Clare, when the first breeding pair nested within sight of the village in 2012, attracting thousands of visitors over the following years. One of the first pairs of White-tailed Eagles to breed in Ireland was in Killarney National Park in 2013 and the pair have remained in the park since, once again fledging a chick this year. Their nest is in a tree on an inaccessible cliff, but visitors may be lucky and catch a glimpse of the eagles soaring over the mountains or catching fish in one of the park's many lakes.

These white-tailed Eagle chicks arrived in Kerry

Airport on Friday July 1st this year, as part of a long-term wildlife reintroduction project. The 2022 phase of this landmark collaboration, to restore a native bird to Irish skies, sees the release of sixteen young eagles at three sites across Munster, including Killarney National Park, Lough Derg and the lower Shannon estuary. The four eagle chicks brought to Killarney National Park have been held in special aviaries in a remote part of the park where they have been carefully looked after by National Parks and Wildlife Service staff.

As they mature, these chicks will join and strengthen the small Irish breeding population

that has become established since the reintroduction programme began in 2007. 31 young eagles from Norway have been released over the last two years. The additional 16 birds being released this year, will bring the total to 47.

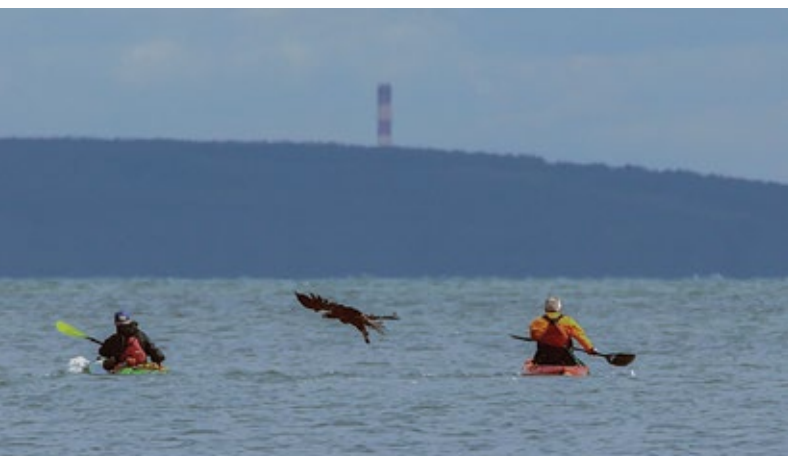
Already, the satellite data shows that two birds released in 2020 have paired up with older birds and have established territories in Ireland. The tracks from the satellite tags, show the young birds travelling the length and

breadth of Ireland and even further afield: two of the young birds released in 2021 are currently in Scotland.

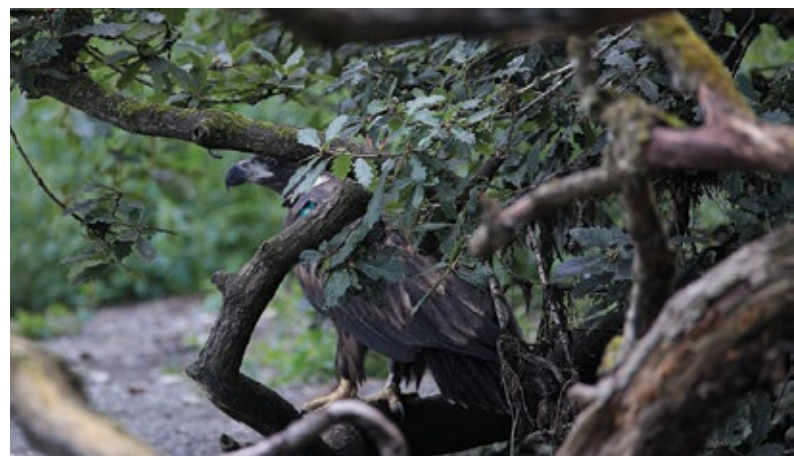
Previously, in the first-phase reintroduction programme (2007-2011), 100 young White-tailed Eagles were released in Killarney National Park. Birds from these releases dispersed throughout Ireland with the first breeding occurring in 2012 on Lough Derg, Co. Clare. Since then a small breeding population of 8-10 pairs has established and has successfully fledged over 40 chicks, including seven chicks that fledged from the wild in 2022.



Eagle Eye, An Taoiseach Michael Martin at the site in Tarbert Estuary.  
Photo: Valerie O'Sullivan



One of the fledging White Tailed Eagles needing encouragement to fly, by Conservation Rangers, NPWS, Micheal McSweeney and Danny O'Keeffe, at the release of the White Tailed Eagles in the Tarbert Estuary, Co Kerry. Photo: Valerie O'Sullivan



A White Tailed Eagle after his first flight at the release site of the White Tailed Eagles cage in the Tarbert Estuary. Photo: Valerie O'Sullivan



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# Sun Shines Dawn on Killanrey Debutantes



Jenny Cronin, Tara Donnellan, Caitlyn Kelly and Maggie Buckley pictured at the Pre Debs Reception at St. Brendan's College.



Brian McCarthy, Caelyn O'Grady, Rian Colleran, Jade O'Riordan, Cian Doyle, Charlotte O'Shea and Darragh O'Brien looking stunning for the Debs.



Killanrey students pictured at the Pre Debs Reception on Monday evening at St. Brendan's College. From left: Cian McMahon, Darragh Fleming, Brian Burke, Ronan Coffey, Jackson O'Mahony, Harry Byrne and Jack Lynch.



Holly Power and Liam Randles pose for photos at the Debs.



Jenny Croni, Tara Donnellan and Holly Power pose for a photo at the Debs.



Looking dapper at the Debs....Jack O'Sullivan, Killian O'Sullivan, Dara O'Callaghan, Cian Foley, Cian McMahon & Colm Kelliher



Colm Kelleher and Tara Donnellan at the Debs.



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## comes roaring back to Killarney

200 supercars and novelty cars, free family festivals, celebrities, over 1000km of Irish open roads and €1.3 million raised for Irish charities, the awesome sight of over 200,000 excited spectators coast to coast waving chequered flags from September 9-11th 2022 is none other than the Cannonball.

The official route for Cannonball 2022 has been announced and it is confirmed that the supercar spectacle is coming back to Killarney on Friday September 9th. The event has already raised €1,298,779 for Irish charities and organisers are hoping to reach €250,000 for The HOPE Foundation by the end of September 2022. The rare super cars will arrive into Killarney to the Brehon Hotel at 6pm on Friday September 9th for the first finish line and depart on Saturday September 10th at 10.30am. Spectators in Killarney will get up close and personal with 200 of the finest cars on the planet and enjoy the unique festival atmosphere that Cannonball is renowned for.

Cannonball, the action-packed supercar spectacle, is set to roll on September 9th-11th with proceeds to The HOPE Foundation. Cannonball, fuelled by milesPLUS from Circle K, is the largest organised road trip in Europe and this year the event will have the highest ever number of car entries including Lamborghini, Ferrari, McLaren, Aston Martin Porsche, Rolls Royce Bentley and Maserati.

The event has already raised €1,298,779 for Irish charities and, this year, the official charity of Cannonball will be The HOPE Foundation, an

Irish Charity doing incredible work with the street children of Kolkata (formerly Calcutta) in India. HOPE funds and operates over 60 projects including 11 child protection homes, a hospital, an ambulance, counselling, food and nutrition, education, healthcare and the restoration of childhoods to children. See <https://www.hopefoundation.ie/cannonball/>. The Brazilian Dancers will bring all the glamour of carnival and live DJs, bands and festivals in host towns get the party started. The notorious NYPD, German Polizei, Cannonballers and celebrities in crazy costumes add to the melee. From Spiderman to Star Wars, Cat Woman to Wonder Woman, cheerleaders to Charlie's Angels, Batman, the Joker and more, it is a totally unique free family day out. This year, organisers are also calling on spectators to dress up in fancy dress with prizes for best dressed.

On Friday September 9th, Cannonball will blaze a trail from Malahide in Co. Dublin to Co. Cork with a fuel stop in Circle K Fermoy and lunch

in The Blue Haven Kinsale in Co. Cork. The first finish line overnight stay will be at the Brehon Hotel in Killarney in Co. Kerry. On Saturday September 10th the convoy will leave Killarney and take a fuel stop at Circle K Ballysimon and then lunch at Salthill Co. Galway and onwards to Sligo town for the second finish line and overnight stay. On Sunday September 11th the start line will be at Rosses Point Sligo and then lunch at Kilronan Castle in Ballyfarnon with a fuel up at Casey's Circle K in Co. Roscommon before a big dramatic final finish line in Trim Co. Meath on Sunday September 11th at 6pm.

Cannonball was founded by Kildare businessman Alan Bannon and the benefit to the host towns for this event is estimated at €2,567,000 per year. Cannonball is fuelled by milesPLUS from Circle K as the main headline Sponsor for 2022. The Tour Sponsors this year is Apache Pizza and Cannonball official partners include Manhattan Popcorn, Bonavox, Karl Goodwin Motors, AB Signs, and BMW Ireland. See [cannonball.ie](http://cannonball.ie)



Michael O'Sullivan age 8, William O'Sullivan age 4, Anthony O'Sullivan age 3 from Killarney pictured as the Cannonball supercar event roared into Killarney in 2019. Photo taken by Kasia Farat



Cannonball is coming back to Killarney! Jaylinn O'Leary age 6 and Harper O'Leary age 2 from Killarney pictured welcoming in the super cars the last time Cannonball roared into Killarney in 2019. Photo taken by Kasia Farat

## Death of PADDY O'SULLIVAN

**The death has occurred of Patrick V O'Sullivan of Woodlawn Killarney.**

The former Teagasc worker was known in farming circles in Kerry.

Married to Jacqui, the couple had four children, Paula, twins Valerie and Patrick and Jennifer.

Formerly of Mount Fox, Kilmallock, Co. Limerick. Paddy passed away peacefully, at University Hospital Kerry, surrounded by his loving family.

He will be sadly missed by his wife Jacqui, children Paula (Murphy), Patrick, Valerie and Jennifer (Pyne) and adored grandad of Sarah, Amy, Brian, Mark, Ollie, Alice and Robbie-Patrick and his great grand

daughter Lucy. Sadly missed and dearly loved by his family, sons-in-law Paul, Derek and Marcus, his sisters Ann (Honohan), Vera (Lane) and Lily (Liddy), sister-in-law Serena, brothers-in-law Sean and Cormac, nieces and nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews relatives, neighbours, his former work colleagues in Teagasc and many friends.

Paddy was cremated following Requiem Mass on Tuesday at St. Mary's Cathedral.





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# It's the talk of the town...

With Anne Lucey



Anne Lucey looks at the positive news happening in the town of Killarney

## TIME TO RETURN OUR HERITAGE



The magnificent gold lunula, a crescent moon shaped neck ornament, found in a bog near Mangerton, just before the Famine

**T**he highly respected Horniman museum in London this week became the first government-funded institution in the UK to hand back artefacts looted by British forces in 1897 to their country of origin.

About 10,000 objects looted at the end of the nineteenth century during the British campaign in Benin, Nigeria, are held in museums and private collections across the world. The British Museum in London holds 900 objects, the largest collection in the world.

Oxford and Cambridge universities say they will hand back their collections.

This week as the Horniman Museum handed back over seventy of the Benin bronzes, and delicate fans is there any chance we in Killarney might be extended the same courtesy?

We are all on the trail of the Annals of Inisfallen in this town and this column, some of us with a long time now. The Manuscript that was taken from here are in the Bodleian in Oxford. But what too of the magnificent gold lunula, a crescent moon shaped neck ornament, found in a bog near Mangerton, just before the Famine?

The finely beaten gold with geometric patterns was crafted with the most precise of tools, around 2000 Bc possibly.

It is described as Early Bronze or Copper Age when copper and gold were in use but not bronze. And Killarney was a hive of activity.

The magnificent lunula was found in 8ft of turf in 1942 - presumably the Killarney side of Mangerton - and it was sold by a wealthy Cork merchant and collector to the British Museum in 1871.

Although you can view it on the BM's website and download the image, it is not on display in the museum. It has been lent all over the world, and is regarded as one of most significant in its class, worldwide. But it has never been lent to

Ireland let alone handed back to Killarney.

I am trying to find where it was found, exactly, and also how it ended up in the hands of the wealthy merchant and collector Sir Thomas Tobin in 1871.

The BM confirmed they purchased it from him, but say "there is limited information on the find spot. Engraved writing on the back of the lunula reads "Found at Mangerton July 1842 under eight feet of bog".

However they are digging around for more information for me. Could they also hand it back?

I am of the strong view any national treasure sold or taken from the country after the Battle of Kinsale (1601) was looted and should be handed back.

## KENMARE V KILLARNEY

**T**here was some ribbing of Killarney people last week after a remark in a pub in Kenmare, attributed to a retired barber was turned into the headline in the Irish Times weekend - how Kenmare was "the opposite of Killarney".

It was "all business in Killarney" and the people of Kenmare were friendlier, the man said.

"I'd describe it as the opposite of Killarney. People are still very friendly here. It is all business in Killarney," the man said.

Oh Dear! Most Killarney people have a strong affinity with Kenmare and regard the town as a much-loved small sister. But a better-heeled sister. And a better-planned sister - Kenmare was after all one of the first planned towns in the country.

The towns have different clientele, with Kenmare overwhelmingly opting for and attracting the rich and the genteel in their tourist market.

Killarney caters for the masses and is in any case a much bigger town. But both towns overwhelmingly depend on tourism.

Kenmare is by the sea and Killarney is by the lakes. After that, I am not sure what you can say, apart from listing all the facilities in Killarney that are clearly not in Kenmare. The towns share the same problems of traffic and lack of

car parking which are not being resolved by those in charge, despite years of lobbying.

The headline sparked a lot of talk, even if it did not go down well in all quarters given the strong links between the two south Kerry towns.

But is there a problem with friendliness in Killarney? It may be worth asking ourselves if we are as friendly to the tourist as our Kenmare cousins are and maybe take a few lessons from them if we are in fact falling short.

## BEAUTIFUL WEATHER



Dundag was busy all through the day until late in the evening. But the lack of facilities is very obvious.

**W**ith climate change, people are going to be getting away from the sun, not flying to it. It has already begun, the flight from the heatwaves: Tourists from France and Germany this week told me it was a relief to come to the "fresh" weather in Killarney when I almost apologized for the dull skies.

The continent has heated up so much in the past five years particularly, there is no relief in the summer months, they tell me. Sleep is impossible and the heat during the day is driving them indoors into darkened houses to keep the sun out.

This week of course we have glorious sunshine and have the suncream and the umbrellas out. But are we ready for the summer upsurge that will continue as the continent heats up? We will need extra facilities and more restaurants and more room at the inn during the peak European holiday period of July and August.

The first port of call should be our beaches so we don't have to drive to Inch and Rossbeigh increasing our carbon footprint.

The magnificent beaches along the Muckross lake were crowded with tourists and with locals this week.

The biggest and most accessible Dundag was busy all through the day until late in the evening. But the lack of facilities is very obvious. There is a dire need for a boardwalk so people can walk out safely to take a dip rather than trying to tiptoe over uncomfortable stones. A changing hut or two would not go astray.

And could we finally have some more sand and some showers, please? As proposed almost 40 years ago in Killarney Town Council.



Killarney caters for the masses and is in any case a much bigger town. But both towns overwhelmingly depend on tourism. Kenmare is by the sea and Killarney is by the lakes.





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# SAM MAGUIRE TO MAKE AN APPEARANCE AT AUGUSTFEST

**W**ith the special appearance of Sam Maguire and the Kerry Senior Football Team on Day one of Augustfest, Killarney Racecourse is set to host an exciting three-day summer horse-racing festival from Thursday 18th to Saturday 20th of August inclusive. AugustFest marks 200 years of racing at Killarney Races offering patrons great racing, history, socialising, entertainment and so much more at Ireland's most scenic racecourse.

With lots of ticket levels and packages including food and beverage options to choose from, whether it is close to the action general admission tickets or silver service fine dining, there is something for everyone at Killarney Races. Live music, fashion, and fun for all the family complement the best of summer racing at the track this August.

Thursday and Friday are evening meetings and Saturday is an afternoon event with all race cards offering seven thrilling races for spectators to enjoy each day.

Thursday is Sam Maguire evening when local Kerry footballers will celebrate in style at Killarney Races. To mark Kerry's recent success and Killarney Races bi-centenary celebration, Killarney Races are offering an amazing deal on the opening day of their three-day event. On Thursday 18th patrons will enjoy admission, a racecard and a €5 free bet all for €20! The first race is approximately 5pm with gates open from 3pm come early, bring along your jersey and camera, it's going to be a great evening. Friday will see the new entrance officially open, as racing officials and elected representatives unlock the gate to the next 200 years at the popular Killarney track, first race at approximately 5pm with gates open from 3pm. With music on the lawn from Donal Lucey and from Tom Cats in the Jim Culloty bar after racing the après racing party is sure to be a 'winner alright'!

Saturday is AYU Ladies Day and all about the glamour as fashionistas bring the curtain down on AugustFest in fine style. AYU is an Irish based and Irish owned cosmetics company set up by renowned makeup artist Suzie O'Neill. With over €1500 in prizes for the most stylish ladies to dress



*Hallowed Ground...St Mary's Cathedral provides the backdrop for the Killarney Races Autumn festival on Sunday. Photo: Valerie O'Sullivan*

up for, what's not to love! Gates open from 12 noon with the first off at approximately 2pm.

The feature race on the opening day of August Fest is the Vincent O'Brien Ruby Stakes (listed), the Kingdom Gold Cup Handicap of €50,000 and the Gain Advantage Race Series. On Friday, the day two feature is the Grade B Handicap Hurdle of €50,000 & the EBF Novice Hurdle, with four competitive chase races. The final day of the festival the feature is the Grade B Handicap Chase of €50,000.

Adult tickets are available from €20 and children under 14 go free ensuring a great day out for all the family. For those who love a deal, the punter's pack is a great value-added option and if you want to live it up check out the Maurice O'Donoghue Suite and Panoramic Restaurant options. For all ticket details and festival programme information visit [killarneyraces.com](http://killarneyraces.com)

## CALLING ALL PLAYWRIGHTS

**D**óchas Drama Group has issued an invitation to everyone to submit a short play of 15-20 minutes, based on the following themes :

"I'm back".....

The Reunion

A Visitor

The deadline for submission is 16th September 2022 and includes the following important stage requirements :

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Please send your entry as a Word document to : [dochasdramakillarney@gmail.com](mailto:dochasdramakillarney@gmail.com)

Author's name and contact details should be sent on a separate sheet of paper, together with the title of the play.

The plays chosen, will be based on suitability of casting, variety of genres and entertainment value, and will be performed by Dóchas Drama Group, in the forthcoming Drama season.

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# BEAUFORT SEND OUT A CALL TO INVEST IN THE FUTURE

**H**uge plans are underway in Beaufort as the local GAA club embark on a new development with the construction of an All-Weather surface on their juvenile pitch.

The laying of an all-weather artificial surface is seen as crucial for the further development of Beaufort G.A.A Club and users of the facilities.

It will allow ongoing activity throughout the winter months and allow unrestricted pre-season training - without the inevitable yearly damage to the surfaces of the existing pitches.

Furthermore, it will also help us cope with the restriction on space and allow training and games to proceed throughout the playing season - even in inclement weather.

It will also provide more space and increase participation in social activities which are becoming extremely popular since we opened our gym and walking track and joined the G.A.A. Healthy Club Project in 2013.

A Sports Capital grant has been approved for the development but there is a shortfall in the order of €150,000 to be raised. The Club propose to meet the monetary target through a number of fundraising schemes,

one being a car draw which has been launched. The draw will be for a Ford Focus car and a number of smaller cash prizes.

Tickets will go on sale this week at a cost of one ticket for €25, three for €60 and five for €100.

We are seeking support for the draw and continued support for us to enable completion of this project.

It will greatly assist us in the promotion of health and wellbeing in our community and beyond.

*'Invest in the Future'*



*Pictured at the launch: Séan O'Brien, left and Mike Breen, right. Séan was Kerry U20 team captain this year and Mike is a Kerry senior team extended panel member. Photo: Tatyana McGough, Fitzgerald Stadium PR*



*Members of Beaufort GAA Club launch their fundraiser. Photo: Tatyana McGough, Fitzgerald Stadium PR*

## *Kerry Rose* enjoys some down time before the festival

**K**erry Rose Édaein O'Connell took some time out at Parknasilla to enjoy this glorious spell of sunshine by the sea at the weekend. "It is so beautiful and peaceful here and a perfect place to spend some quiet time with family before going on tour with my fellow Roses" says Édaein. Coincidentally, Chef Lar Whelan at Parknasilla is one of this year's festival Rose Escorts. "I thought it would be a nice surprise for Édaein if I cooked something special for her" says Lar.

Lar hails from Wexford and is very much looking forward to the Rose of Tralee Festival and his duties as a Rose Escort.

Photo shows Kerry Rose Édaein and Lar Whelan Rose Escort enjoying a canoeing trip around the bay at Parknasilla Hotel at the weekend.

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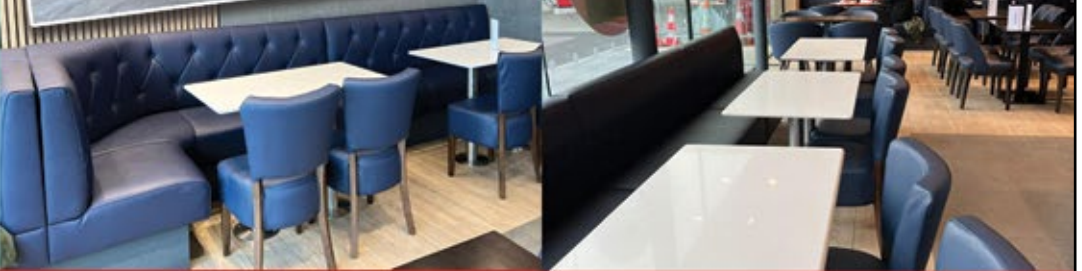
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# Summer Camp Success at Killarney Legion

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Seanie Culloty with his kids Fionn, Cillian and Jack



The boys enjoying a game of Jenga at Camp



THE FENNELLY BROTHERS

Matthew, Robbie and Daniel attending Legion Summer Camp



Clodagh Hegarty  
enjoying camp at  
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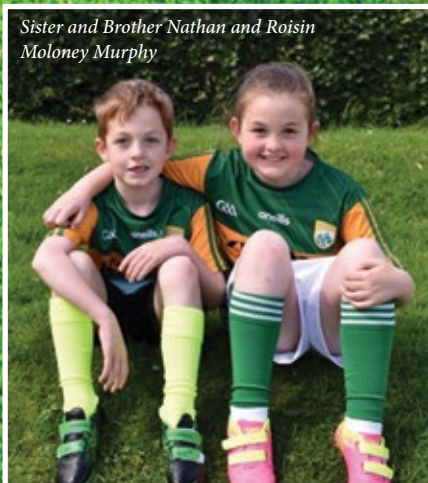
Sisters Harper and  
Jaylinn O Leary  
attending Legion  
Summer Camp



Taking a break at Legion Summer Camp



Sister and Brother Nathan and Roisin  
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Twins Aoibhin and  
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**F**ollowing a four-month tour of North America this Spring/Summer, Celtic Woman bring their Postcards From Ireland show home for 3 dates in the Gleneagle INEC Arena, Co. Kerry on 18th, 19th & 20th August 2022.

Grammy nominated global music sensation Celtic Woman is thrilled to return in 2022 with a brand-new show Postcards from Ireland.

This is a welcome return to Kerry for Celtic Woman, who filmed two videos for their Postcards From Ireland DVD/TV Special last year at Muckross Abbey and Inch Beach.

Postcards from Ireland celebrates the rich musical and cultural heritage of Ireland; taking audiences on a journey of story and song from across the Emerald Isle.

This stunning show features Celtic Woman performing their greatest hits plus brand-new songs from their Postcards From Ireland album, DVD and

TV Special.

Embrace an evening of angelic voices, breath-taking harmonies and instrumental virtuosity, transporting you from your theatre seat through the lush landscapes of Ireland.

Celtic Woman's fresh fusion of traditional Irish music and contemporary songcraft celebrates Ireland's ancient heritage while reflecting the vibrant spirit of modern Ireland.

With Irish dancers, bagpipers and an array of traditional Irish instruments - including the bodhrán, tin whistle and uilleann pipes - this dynamic and multi-talented group has captivated audiences all around the world. See this very special show Postcards from Ireland, and experience the beauty of Ireland brought to life by Celtic Woman.

Tickets from 33.20 are on sale now and available from [www.inec.ie](http://www.inec.ie) or [www.ticketmaster.ie](http://www.ticketmaster.ie)

## return to Bothántaíocht in finuge

**S**iamsa Tíre's Young Curator, Máirtín Ó Cathasaigh, aims to rekindle the once strong Munster tradition of 'Bothántaíocht' in Teach Siamsa, Fionnúig, North Kerry on Sunday 14th August. This is an open call to discover this memorable tradition of informal evening gatherings to share stories, music, song and dance. You can take part and perform or just sit back and enjoy an evening of traditional Irish music, song and dance, spearheaded by a thirty-minute performance from esteemed local musicians. The evening will lead up to an informal trad session inviting all musicians, family and friends to get involved, in this traditional setting.

This unmissable event is open to individuals of all ages and ability, aspiring to 'gather together' and inspire the musicians of tomorrow. Starting at 7pm on Sunday 14th August, this free event will run to 9pm. As space is limited, you are advised to BOOK your FREE tickets to avoid disappointment.

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**C**elebrating its 10th year the 54321 Challenge in aid of 10 charities in Kerry is set to take place on Thursday next August 18th.

Taking on the challenge with a difference this year, Jamie O'Shea has planned to attempt the full 4 day challenge in 24 hours. "Jamie plans to cycle the Ring of Kerry, Climb Carrauntoohil, Cycle on to Cahersiveen and Climb Cnoc na dTobar on the

Saturday 20th. He would then join the rest of us on Sunday 21st morning to complete the 4th day of Challenge", Tony Dunne, one of the organisers of the event.

This Sunday 14th August, in advance of this year's 54321 Challenge starting on next Thursday 18th August, there will be a Spinathon event in Killarney run by The Irish Pilgrimage Trust and supported by HeartBeat Killarney Kerry to help raise much needed funds.

On the day volunteers will take to the spinning bikes and collections so please support them and the charities by giving what you can. You can donate via <https://www.gofundme.com/f/54321-challenge-10-years-on> or on our Facebook page or you can pop down to any of the locations around Killarney town on the day and support our challengers.

The 54321 Challenge was originally started 10 years ago with a team of 5 People over 4 DAYS, completing 3 CYCLES and climbing 2 MOUNTAINS for 1 Cause – a local charity. This year sees it celebrating its 10th year

CELEBRATING 10 YEARS....

## THE 54321 CHALLENGE IS READY FOR THE OFF

and will see 10 teams of 5 take to the roads and mountains of Kerry in support of 10 Kerry Charities. The Irish Pilgrimage Trust, Kerry Hospice, Comfort for Chemo Kerry, Adapt Kerry, Skellig Stars, Cystic Fibrosis Kerry, Sera Huskey, Heartbeat Killarney, Alannah and Polly's Fight for Sight and Scoil Iognaid Ris.

The event will take place from Thursday 18th to Sunday 21st of August 2022 inclusive. This will include the following.

Day 1 (Thursday 18th) - Cycle the Ring of Kerry.

Day 2 (Friday 19th) - Climb Carrantuohill.

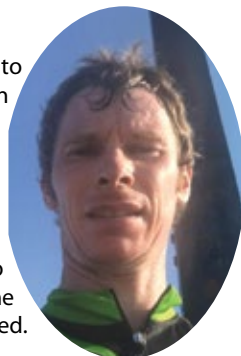
Day 3 (Saturday 20th) - Cycle from Killarney to Cahirciveen via the Ballaghasheen Pass and then climb Cnoc Na Tobair

Day 4 (Sunday 21st) - Cycle the Skellig Ring (70km)

For more information about the challenge and the people taking part visit [www.54321challenge.org](http://www.54321challenge.org).

"We would be very grateful for any contribution to these very worthwhile causes and supporting the participants of this year's Challenge", Tony added.

The link to donate is: <https://gofundme/e4cd7771>



*Jamie O'Shea is planning to attempt the full 4 day challenge in 24 hours.*

## KILLARNEY'S FLESK VALLEY ROWING CLUB TO HOST COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP COASTAL REGATTA



*Members of Flesk Valley Rowing Club and Kerry Coastal Rowing at the Launch of the Flesk Valley County Championship Regatta which takes place on Sunday 14th August 2022)*

**S**unday 14th August will see hundreds take to the Lakes of Killarney as Flesk Valley Rowing Club hosts the County Championship on the lakes for the very first time.

Clubs from all over Kerry, including Sneem, Valentia, Sive, Templenoe, Caherdaniel, Cahersiveen and Cromane, will be joined by Killarney clubs Fossa, Workmens' and Flesk Valley, to compete in the ICRF Celtic Yawl boat fondly known as the One Design Boat in categories from U12 Boys and Girls right up to Senior Ladies and Men.

Speaking at the regatta launch on Monday evening, John Fleming, Chairperson of the Flesk Valley Club said: "This is a truly special occasion for the club; we were due to celebrate our centenary year in 2020 but unfortunately due to Covid the planned celebrations had to be postponed. We are delighted to host this regatta to mark our long history of rowing on the lakes and we very much look forward to welcoming all the participants and showcasing what our 102 year old club has to

offer. We want to acknowledge and thank the National Parks and Wildlife Service for their support in facilitating this event."

This Kerry Coastal Rowing Association Regatta is the final event before clubs head to the Irish Coastal Rowing Federation's All-Ireland Coastal Rowing Championships and row for the National Titles, which will take place in Ferrybank in Wexford over the following weekend, so lots of keenly contested races are expected.

The regatta will take place in Castletlough Bay (at the Flesk Valley boathouses) from 10.30am and admission is free. Parking available directly across from the boathouses on the Muckcross Road so come along and support your local club and it promises to be a feast of rowing. Flesk Valley are calling on all members, past and present to come along and support the club on the day and look forward to welcoming all rowing enthusiasts from Killarney and beyond to what promises to be a truly spectacular rowing event.



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327178	Employment	Digital Marketing and Sales	10/10/22	50 weeks	Monavalley
335880	Progression	Pre-University Law (Legal Studies)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335870	Progression	Pre-Garda Studies (Legal Studies)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
<b>COMPUTING &amp; INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY</b>					
362948	Employment	IT Support Fundamentals	12/6/23	11 weeks	Monavalley
336022	Employment	IT Support Technician (Comp TIA)	29/8/22	53 weeks	Monavalley
335885	Progression	Software Development	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
<b>CONSTRUCTION AND BUILT ENVIRONMENT</b>					
343370	Employment	Construction Groundwork Skills	10/10/22	23 weeks	Monavalley
336190	Employment	Traditional Stonewall Construction	12/9/22	35 weeks	Monavalley
338410	Employment	Civils for Fibre Installation	17/10/22	16 weeks	Monavalley
335907	Employment	Carpentry & Construction Studies (Construction Technology)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
<b>EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE</b>					
335903	Employment	Stage One Advanced Certificate in Early Learning & Care	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335780	Employment	Stage One Advanced Certificate in Early Learning & Care	5/9/22	39 weeks	Killarney
335902	Employment	Stage One Advanced Certificate in Early Learning & Care	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
337606	Employment	ELC Stage 2 Advanced Certificate in Early Learning & Care	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335887	Employment	Special Needs Assisting (Community Health Services)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
358130	Employment	Special Needs Assisting (Community Health Services)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Killarney
335888	Employment	Special Needs Awareness & Assisting (Inclusive Education & Training)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335900	Employment	Special Needs Awareness & Assisting (Inclusive Education & Training)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
335876	Progression	Pre-Teaching & Education Studies (Education & Training)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
<b>ENGINEERING</b>					
338359	Employment	CAD - Computer Aided Draughting and Design	12/9/22	47 weeks	Monavalley
300821	Employment	Marine Engineering	26/9/22	28 weeks	Monavalley
335850	Progression	Engineering Technology	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
359796	Employment	Welding - Basic	19/6/23	19 weeks	Monavalley
307205	Employment	Welding - Coded Pipe	5/12/22	26 weeks	Monavalley



**HAIR & BEAUTY**

357882	Employment	Beauty Therapy	12/9/22	46 weeks	Clash Road
336013	Employment	Hairdressing	5/9/22	44 weeks	Monavalley
335908	Employment	Hairdressing	5/9/22	44 weeks	Listowel

**HEALTHCARE & SOCIAL SCIENCES**

335911	Employment	Healthcare Support	5/9/22	39 weeks	Denny Street
338365	Employment	Healthcare Support	25/7/22	40 weeks	Monavalley
337946	Employment	Healthcare Support	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
338367	Employment	Healthcare Support	24/10/22	40 weeks	Killarney
337953	Employment	Social, Health & Community Studies (Healthcare Support)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
354000	Employment	Community Development & Leadership	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
362951	Employment	Pharmacy Sales Assistant	24/4/23	39 weeks	Monavalley
335912	Progression	Nursing Studies	5/9/22	39 weeks	Denny Street
335901	Progression	Nursing Studies	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
335869	Progression	Physiotherapy Assistant Studies (Health Service Skills)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335913	Progression	Emergency Care Studies (Community Health Services) (EMT)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Denny Street
335899	Progression	Pre-University Arts (Culture & Heritage Studies)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
337924	Progression	Applied Social Studies	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
335910	Progression	Applied Social Studies	5/9/22	39 weeks	Denny Street
335909	Progression	Advanced Social Studies (Social & Vocational Integration)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Denny Street

**RENEWABLE TECHNOLOGIES, TRANSMISSION & DISTRIBUTION**

342882	Employment	Fibre Installation Technician	17/10/22	25 weeks	Monavalley
342884	Employment	Overheads Lines Operative	26/9/22	36 weeks	Monavalley

**SCIENCE & NUTRITION**

335838	Progression	Applied Science (Laboratory Techniques)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335827	Employment	Animal Care	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335898	Employment	Animal Care	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel

**SPECIAL INTEREST**

336030	Employment	Ecology and Practical Fieldwork Skills (Applied Ecology)	5/9/22	40 weeks	Killarney
342880	Employment	Deciding your Future	7/11/22	12 weeks	Monavalley

**SPORTS, PHYSICAL THERAPY AND COACHING**

354998	Employment	Surf Instructor and Beach Lifeguard	14/11/22	27 weeks	Killorglin
364367	Employment	Outdoor Activity Instructor	12/9/22	47 weeks	Killorglin
336028	Employment	Advanced Outdoor Activity Instructor (Sports, Recreation & Exercise)	5/9/22	48 weeks	Killorglin
354975	Employment	Scuba Diving Instructor	22/8/22	41 weeks	Killorglin
336516	Progression	Sports, Exercise and Coaching	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335890	Progression	Sports and PE Pre-Teaching (Sports, Recreation & Exercise)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
335863	Employment	Personal Training and Nutrition (Sports, Recreation & Exercise)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road

**TOURISM, HOSPITALITY & CULINARY ARTS**

335884	Employment	Professional Cookery	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
313887	Employment	Hotel & Catering	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
313249	Employment	Inland Angling Guiding	7/11/22	15 weeks	Killarney
300823	Employment	Marine Angling Guiding	7/11/22	15 weeks	Monavalley
342886	Employment	Regional Tour Guiding	7/11/22	17 weeks	Killarney
336219	Employment	National Tour Guiding	17/10/22	27 weeks	Monavalley
343157	Employment	Food Preparation and Cooking (Culinary Arts)	21/11/22	21 weeks	Dingle

**TRANSPORT & LOGISTICS**

338384	Employment	Bus Driving D Licence	17/10/22	13 weeks	Monavalley
313175	Employment	Bus Driving D Licence	14/11/22	13 weeks	Killarney
342832	Employment	HGV - Rigid	24/10/22	8 weeks	Monavalley
338375	Employment	HGV - Artic	26/9/22	6 weeks	Monavalley
342834	Employment	HGV - Artic	24/10/22	6 weeks	Monavalley

**PATHWAY PROGRAMMES**

350872	Progression	General Learning	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
337952	Progression	General Learning	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
351040	Progression	ICT- Information and Communications Technology (Level 4)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
337951	Progression	ICT- Information and Communications Technology (Level 4)	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
350759	Progression	ICT- Information and Communications Technology (Level 3)	29/8/22	40 weeks	Killarney
350765	Progression	ICT- Information and Communications Technology (Level 4)	29/8/22	41 weeks	Killarney
350863	Progression	Employment Skills	5/9/22	39 weeks	Clash Road
358691	Progression	Office Skills	5/9/22	39 weeks	Listowel
350807	Progression	General Learning	29/8/22	42 weeks	Killorglin
350781	Progression	Employment Skills	29/8/22	43 weeks	Killorglin
361664	Progression	Office Skills	29/8/22	44 weeks	Killorglin

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# All Ireland Glory for Killarney club

## KILLARNEY COMHALTAS ENJOY FANTASTIC WINS AT THE FLEADH

Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann is back after almost 3 years and Killarney Comhaltas are top of the pecking order once again.

7 of the branch's dance teams made the journey up to Mullingar last weekend then travelled home with record numbers of titles.

All-Ireland glory hailed for 4 teams - Full Set Ladies U12, Full Set Mixed U15, Full Set Mixed U18 and Senior Ladies. With stiff competition from County Clare dancers Cill Airne Spá prevailed as Champions and truly proved why they deserve to be at the top table of set dancing.

More medals came from Full Set Mixed U12 and Full Set Ladies U18 who both achieved the silver medal and Senior ladies Céilí dancing team won the bronze.

Killarney Comhaltas wish to thank the wonderfully loyal musicians Sean & Damien for providing fantastic musics for the dancers and for providing the audience with fabulous entertainment all weekend.

Lastly the dancing teachers Triona and Mairéad who always give such dedication, work ethic, professionalism and always preparing the dancers to the highest standard, Míle Buíochas Fleadh Celebrations for all that competed at all levels will be held next Sunday August 14th in The Old Killarney Inn at 5pm, All Welcome.



2A Bosca Ceoil / Button Accordion (Faoi 12), 1st Seán Angland, CCÉ, Glenflesk, Kerry



Killarney Spa CCÉ - Senior Ladies All Ireland Champions - Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann



CCE Cill Airne spa U12 Ladies All Ireland Champions



Rince Seit, Mná / Full Set, Ladies (15-18), 2nd Aoife O'Donoghue, Ciara O'Donoghue, Grace O'Connor, Isabel Waters, Laura Fleming, Lauren Carey, Róisín O'Sullivan, Tegan O'Sullivan, CCÉ, Cill Airne, Spa, Kerry



3B Feadóir Mhór / Flute (12, 3rd Colleen Angland, CCÉ, Glenflesk, Kerry



12C Pianó / Piano (15-18), 1st Grace Angland, CCÉ, Glenflesk, Kerry



Rince Seit, Measctha / Full Set, Mixed (Faoi 12), 2nd Aidan Hickey, Aisling Gallagher, Eabha McCarthy, Eoin Brosnan, Laura O'Sullivan, Maedbh O'Brien, Oran Lynch, Sophie O'Shea, CCÉ, Cill Airne, Spa,, Kerry



Winner on the double. Michael Healy, CCÉ, Kilcummin, Co Kerry, 1st Place All Ireland Winner for Button Accordion Leo Griffin Cup (12-15 years) and 1st Place All Ireland Winner for Melodeon "Seán Norman Perpetual Cup" (12-15 years) at the 2022 Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann All Ireland Fleadh Cheoil in Mullingar.



# Clubs at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann

## KILCUMMIN CCE BRING HOME THE MEDALS

August 5th arrived with the start of the dancing competitions for Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann in situ in the heart of the midland town of Mullingar.

A plethora of Kerry Jerseys were visible throughout Mullingar, all anxious no doubt that their performers would repeat the feats of the Gents Kerry football team, and bring back All Ireland medals to their local branch of CCÉ.

First up for Kilcummin CCÉ were the U12's ladies full set. Our set danced superbly amongst stiff competition and when the results were delivered, they placed second overall. A fantastic achievement on the national stage.

Later on in the afternoon, we had the privilege of viewing the 12-15 Ladies Full Set competition.

The standard throughout was exceptional. The Kilcummin set were dancing last and knew it would take their best to deliver the ultimate prize. The ladies did indeed deliver their best and were soon crowned national champions, claiming first place.

The same afternoon the under 18 half mixed set took to the stage. They performed to a very high standard and at the end of this competition placed 2nd. A brilliant result at this national competition.

The next day saw the Kilcummin over 18's Half Mixed Set to the stage in what was an obviously serious competition with little separating the various groups. Once again, this set danced supremely and derseverly took first place and were crowned All Ireland Champions.

Later the same day we saw the veterans of dance, the Over 35's Mixed Full Set ready to take on the challenge of Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2022. Once again the standard from all the groups was amazing and a greta spectacle to view. When the results were announced Kilcummin placed in 2nd place, a magnificent achievement on the national stage.

Much credit must go to the dedication and hard work from all the dancers and also their mentors, Adrian, Mary & John Moriarty of the Moriraty School of dancing. Much thanks to Conor Moriarty & Sean Kelliher for providing the music for the dancers over the two days of competition. We also had a double All Ireland Champion when Michael Healy continued his dominance in the music competition. He won the 12-15 Accordion and also the 12-15 Melodion competition with exceptional and comprehensive performances. A hard working, natural and gifted player deserving of his double All Ireland titles.

Eoin Foley also represented Kilcummin, Kerry & Munster with a superb performance in the under 12's Melodion competition and was deemed unlucky not to have placed having put on a brilliant performance. He continued later the same evening in the under 12's Accordion competition and placed 3rd in what was a very tight contest among some very fine players.

Again much thanks to the mentors involved in ensuring that these musicians are at their best on the national stage. Mullingar certainly did not fail to deliver and the return of the Fleadh was much welcomed by the Comhaltas and wider community.

To be at a sun drenched Mulligar and to hear and see our Irish culture on display throughout the town, was indeed a privilege for all who attended.

We await the announcement of the host town Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2023 in the coming weeks and we can only look forward to doing it all again!

Kilcummin CCÉ will be holding a Homecoming Celebration at Kilcummin the Club House this Sunday night at 8pm. All are welcome to come and help us celebrate what has been a great success in Kerry, Munster and All Ireland Fleadheana.



The Kilcummin CCÉ under 18's half mixed set who placed second at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2022



Kilcummin CCÉ over 18's half Mixed Set - crowned All Ireland Champions at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2022



Kilcummin CCÉ U12 Ladies Set with their trainer Adrian Moriarty who came 2nd at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2022



Smiles all around for the victorious Kilcummin CCÉ 12-15's Ladies Set and their trainer Adrian Moriarty - 1st Place & All Ireland Champions Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2022



Kilcummin CCÉ Over 35's Mixed Set - 2nd at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann 2022





To celebrate the Art School re-opening for classes in September, Chapel Hill School of Art in Macroom is hosting an fun, free Open Day August 20th from 12.30 to 4pm.

In partnership with The Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media and Cork County Council with Heritage Week, Cork Craft Month and August Craft Month, a series of Heritage based workshops and demonstrations will be showcased for your enjoyment on the spacious grounds and buildings on Chapel Hill. Free Event, All Welcome!

Bernadette Tuite the Programme Coordinator at the School of Art says:

"From the success of last year's Open Day, Open Day 2022 will share the vibrancy of creative talent around us, showcasing our heritage and bringing the community together in a fun and engaging way in our beautiful and spacious amenity. There will be events for the whole family to enjoy along with live music and dancing from the Fresh Air Collective. From Basket Weaving to Blacksmithing to Bee Hive making to circus, to pottery throwdown there will be opportunities to have fun with the Teachers from the school in workshops, sign up for classes, tour Chapel Hill grounds and enjoy adult and family fun all while celebrating the arts and heritage crafts that link the community to one another and the locality."

Chapel Hill School of Art was founded in 2020 by sculptors Joe Neeson and John McCormack. The school is based in the historic former Mercy Convent on Chapel Hill in Macroom, Co. Cork. They offer a range of weekly Art classes, and one day workshops for all ages from fun have-a-go creative opportunities to the Master class experience.

For full details on the open day visit <https://www.chapelhillschoolofart.ie/news/open-day-open-day-2022-august-20th-1230-pm-to-4pm-free-event-all-welcome>

Founders : John McCormack and Joe Neeson met and started working together in The National Sculpture Factory in 1997. Since then they have collaborated on many large and small scale sculptures for national and international artists. This work is exhibited in both public and private collections. In 2016 they acquired The Convent of Mercy in Macroom. The property has been a center for education and community engagement since 1865.

Commenting on Chapel Hill, founder Joe Neeson and John McCormack say:

"We both felt that it would be important to continue with the educational history of the building. The logical path for us, considering our backgrounds, was to create the Chapel Hill School of Art".

This history of education continues with fresh endeavours to contribute to meaningful culture, heritage and celebration of the visual Arts and heritage in the area with the exciting opening of CHSA and its offering of Art classes in September of 2022, with classes ranging from crochet to painting, willow and textile weaving, painting to Mosaic making.

The programme for Classes and workshops is available at <https://www.chapelhillschoolofart.ie/>

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## KILLARNEY OUTLOOK COMPETITION

# Celtic Woman

Chloe Agnew, Muirgen O'Mahony, Megan Walsh and Tara O'Neill from Celtic Woman pictured during film recording at The INEC, Killarney. Photo: Don MacMonagle - macmonagle.com

Your chance to win tickets to see Celtic Woman perform Postcards from Ireland at the INEC Arena next week. Following a four-month tour of North America this Spring/Summer, Celtic Woman bring their Postcards From Ireland show home for 3 dates in the INEC Killarney, Co. Kerry on 18th, 19th & 20th August 2022.

TO ENTER THE COMPETITION JUST SEND YOUR:

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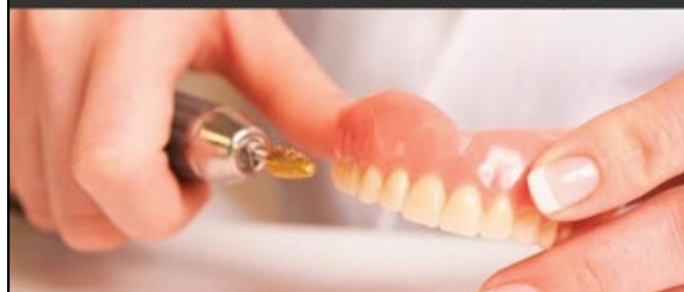


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for a Barbecue and then the Prizegiving. The run goes through most of Gaeltacht Mhúscraí, including Reinanree, Toonsbridge, Dromcarra, Inchigeela, Gougane Barra, After a rest stop we continue to the Mouth of the Glen, Furihy and returning to the Mills Inn via Coolea. There are numerous Perpetual Awards including the "Best Overall Vehicle" Sponsored by Opel Ireland which will be picked and presented by Opel Ireland Marketing Manager Emma Toner who will be in attendance. There are other Perpetual Awards and Special Awards for various categories. We are thankful to our continued Sponsors Opel Ireland, Cartell.ie and Casey Caravan Services for continuing their association with the run. As always the proceeds from the run are going to the Charity "Dogs for the Disabled" whose work is unmeasurable and receive no Government funding. Registration is from 9am on Saturday morning with the first Award being presented at 10am and cars depart at 10.15am. We hope to be returning to the Mills Inn at approximately 4pm. There will be music in the Bar on Saturday night with Hank Wadel. We hope to see you all on Saturday, All Opel, Vauxhall cars are welcome regardless of age. Come out and give us a wave as we pass if you don't have a car to join us.

## RENOWNED MUSICALS PERFORM FREE CONCERT

**T**im O'Shea and Rosie Healy will preform a free Concert of Irish Folk & Traditional music at St. Mary's Church of Ireland Killarney this Saturday night at St. Mary's Church of Ireland Main St. Killarney at 8pm, August 13th 2022.

Enjoy a great night of local Kerry Traditional Irish Music and Song with Kerry musicians in the fantastic environs of St Mary's Church of Ireland, Main St. Killarney. The Concert will feature Tim O'Shea and Friends. Tim's musical "friend" and Rosie Healy: (Headford)- Flute/Whistle/Vocal), and will feature new music recently recorded and released on their new Cd "another skin too few" which remembers some of our finest Kerry musicians, sadly no longer with us. Their settings and arrangements of these tunes are now preserved, some well known, and some not so well known traditional melodies. The Musicians remembered are: Con Durham (Dublin & Dingle) who lived most of his life on the Dingle peninsula and played Uilleann Pipes and Whistles. John Cronin (Aghadoe & New York), a fine accordion player, and Stephen Carroll (Maulykevane) who also played accordion. The legend fiddler Paddy Cronin of (Kiskeam & Boston) spent over forty years in America, also contributes a tune to the collection. There is an original poem and spoken word piece, recounting a visit to Kerry from Belfast poet Adrian Fox, set to the music of Sigerson Clifford. Tim O'Shea contributes and original song in honour of Con Durham, and also, two Scottish songs picked up by Tim on his travels. So all in all a great night, of local music, played by local musicians, spanning the generations, in one of Killarney's most iconic and historic, beautiful acoustic spaces. Everyone welcome. Don't miss other concerts St. Mary's Killarney Church of Ireland again and for Culture Night Friday Sept 23rd (with AFRO TRAD IRELAND).



Musicians Tim O'Shea and Rosie Healy

*Not to be missed....*

## John B Keane's THE MATCHMAKER at the INEC Arena



**N**ow for it 21st year, Michael Scott's iconic production of **JOHN B. KEANE'S** hilarious dramatic comedy **THE MATCHMAKER** is coming to Killarney.

Featuring one of Ireland leading dramatic actresses Norma Sheahan joins JON KENNY (who was part of the Irish comic duo d'Unbelievables with Pat Shortt) this iconic production takes place at the Gleneagle INEC Arena on September 18th 2022. Together they play a myriad of characters in this hilarious and earthy dramatic comedy.

The play follows the efforts of Dicky Mick Dicky O Connor to make matches for the lonely and lovelorn. Using his inimitable way with words and his one sense of "devilment" and wit, Keane delves into the longings, hungers, fears and foibles of this collection of lonely country people and creates a marvellously colourful world, taking us back to a simpler time, when phones were few and far between and the only web was one left behind by spiders.

Norma Sheahan loved by audiences from her roles in The Clinic, Bridget and Eamon and Moone Boy, is the only other actress apart from Vanessa Redgrave to have sold out the Gaiety Theatre in a one woman show (not once, but twice) in her role as Willy Russell's Shirley Valentine. Shirley Valentine has just completed an enormously successful national tour. The production is directed by Michael Scott

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**Ireland's hottest grill masters will descend on the market town of Castleisland this September for the Grill Master Ireland competition.**

The annual event, which will take place at The Crown, showcases the best in braai/bbq cooking and the 5 finalists will compete against each other over 3 days showcasing their skills.

They will be given numerous challenges throughout the weekend on different braai/bbq cooking styles. All contestants will be provided with the essentials for each cooking style and will have their own work stations and tools.

This is a fantastic opportunity to watch Ireland's hottest grill masters cooking live in person and as a added bonus there will be a production team who will be filming the competition for their YouTube channel.

Street food vendors and artisan food producers are invited to come and set up for the weekend and sell their wares to the crowds attending over

the weekend. This exciting event will be family friendly and of interest to bbq enthusiasts & foodies.

**The event will take place from 23rd September to the 25th September and the schedule includes:**

**Friday:**

The competition will start at 1pm and finish at 7pm. there will one big cook and a series of smaller challenges in between.

**Saturday: 7am to 5pm.**

After each contestant has completed their challenges, 3 contestants will be eliminated with 2 going forward to the final on Sunday.

**Sunday:**

7am to 4pm. Grill Master Ireland 2022 winner will be announced!

## WHEELS OF CHANGE:

### CHARITY CHALLENGES CYCLISTS TO BACK MEN'S MENTAL HEALTH AND HELP PREVENT SUICIDE

**Cycle Against Suicide, a national suicide prevention charity, is fighting stigmas around masculinity and mental health.** A series of cycles in September are organised for Bike4Life - World Suicide Prevention Day, September 10th, with friends, families, schools, clubs and organisations taking part. The events are spreading the message to men of all ages that asking for help is never a sign of weakness, but a sign of strength.

In Ireland, 300 men died by suicide in 2019. Better mental health literacy can prevent deaths, helping Irish men express their feelings and seek support. Sadly, the stigma of mental health starts early — many young Irish men don't seek help because of worries about social exclusion, self-image or perceived masculine responsibilities, studies show.

Middle-aged men are at currently at highest risk of suicide in Ireland, while this country has the 4th highest suicide rate in Europe for males aged 15-24 years old. A rising population of older men living alone are also at risk. Let's fight mental health stigma to save men's lives. At a leisurely or fast pace, the Coast-to-Coast, Dublin to Galway, is a challenging 220km cycle over 2 days, Cork Spin-off is a fun, family-friendly event which starts and finishes at Marina Market, Cork on 3rd September while for the fit and intrepid cyclists, Portugal end-to-end is a thrilling challenge. On September 30th to October 7th.

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**People aged 65 years and over reminded to get second COVID-19 booster vaccine, with appointments available this week at vaccination centres in Cork and Kerry.**

Cork Kerry Community Healthcare is reminding all those aged 65 years and over that they can still avail of their second COVID-19 booster vaccine.



Anyone due their second Covid-19 booster vaccination can book a booster appointment online at a HSE vaccination centre. Vaccination centres in Tralee, Bantry and North Main street have appointments available to book this

week for second Covid-19 booster doses.

We are encouraging everyone who has already had their first booster to get their second booster dose when they become eligible. This second booster will give you the best protection from serious illness caused by COVID-19.

There are still appointments available for people aged 65 and over for second booster vaccinations at our clinics (see list below for more info) and there will also be a number of walk-in clinics available in the North Main Street Vaccination centre:

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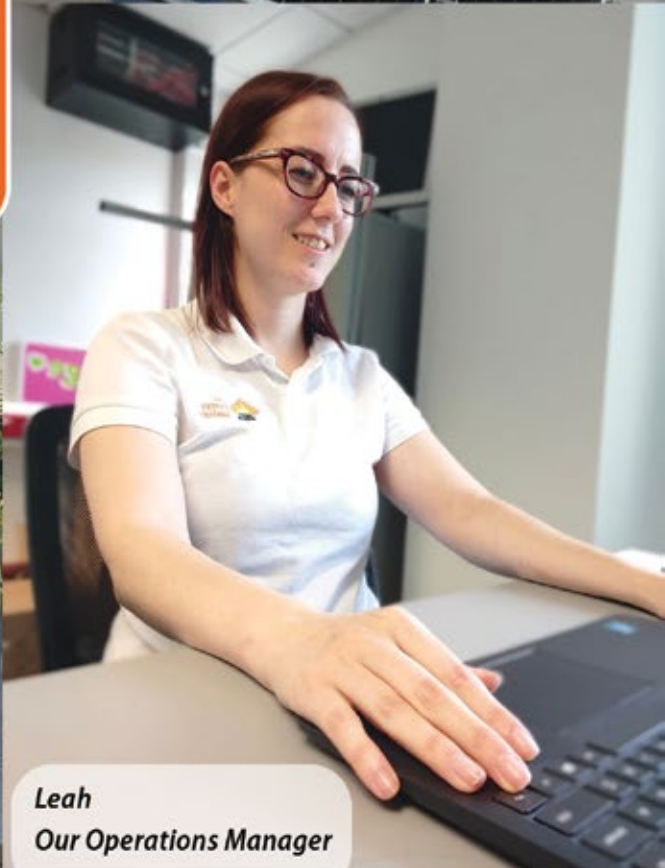
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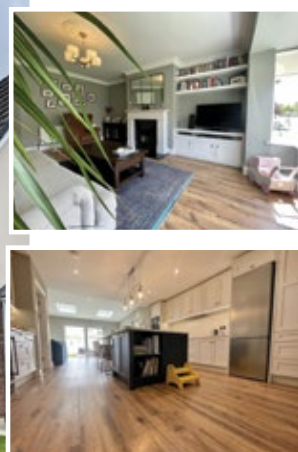
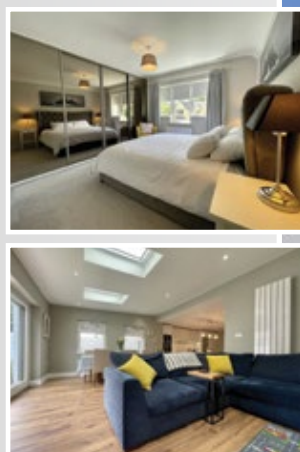
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**Taxable Cash:** You may also be able to take sum of your pension in taxable cash.

**Annual Pension:** This is a guaranteed income usually paid monthly for the rest of your life that is purchased with the money left after your tax free lump sum, this is subject to taxation.

**Approved Retirement Funds:** You may be entitled to keep some of your money in an approved retirement fund, money can be taken from the fund to give you a regular income, usually monthly. This is subject to taxation also. Taxation at retirement is often much lower than when you are working.

It is extremely important that you take your time and have all the options explained to you in plain simple English and that you understand all your options clearly before you make your final decision. As well as the above there is much more to be discussed about your pension. You should discuss your retirement options with a financial advisor who has access to a number of different pension providers before making any decisions, he or she will help you with the above options and any other queries you may have.

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**F**inancial technology and business services company Fexco and digital services company, TEKenable have announced a strategic partnership to transform customers' digital experience, invest in new services and create 75 new jobs as a result of this partnership by 2025.

The Fexco Managed Services and TEKenable partnership will see both organisations co-invest in Microsoft Dynamics 365 Products and Salesforce Cloud Solutions and Services aimed at improving their collective customers end-to-end experience across both Irish and UK markets.

This partnership combines TEKenable's experience in providing Microsoft Dynamics 365 consultancy, development, and support services to their customers, with Fexco's experience of premium operational delivery, customer management and process optimisation experts. This partnership will also see the creation of 75 new jobs by 2025, with roles created within Digital Customer Experience, Predictive Customer Behaviour Analysis, and Automation & Operational Efficiency services.

Martin Ryan, Managing Director of Fexco Managed Services & Advisory Services, "This partnership will help us build on our collective strengths, and deliver the perfect blend of premium operational expertise, support, and resources to maximise the potential of Microsoft Dynamics 365 in improving our



Pictured left to right are Nick Connors, Managing Director of TEKenable, and Martin Ryan, Managing Director of Fexco Managed Services.

customers' digital end to end experience. This will see us and TEKenable collaborate across multiple sectors and reinforce our position as trusted advisors who deliver transformative services for our clients."

Nick Connors, Managing Director, TEKenable "This partnership will see us work with Fexco Managed Services to bring solutions, products and services offerings that will fundamentally change the end-to-end experience of both our customers, and their customers," said Nick

Connors, Group Managing Director, TEKenable. "We predict that we will see growth from a combination of existing and new clients over the coming three years."

TEKenable was founded in 2002 by Nick Connors and Peter Rose is an innovative technology company focused on delivering digital services through Low Code platforms to medium and large-scale enterprises in Ireland, UK and EMEA.

## McDonald's Youth Opportunity supporting Kerry Diocesan Youth Service, helping young people gain employability skills

**M**cDonald's in Kerry is supporting the local Kerry Diocesan Youth Service as part of its new Youth Opportunity Ireland programme. In partnership with the Irish Youth Foundation, McDonald's is providing funding to the Kerry Diocesan Youth Service, which is located in Killarney and Tralee, as part of a nationwide skills and employment initiative.

McDonald's Youth Opportunity Ireland programme, which was launched earlier this year, is providing €200,000 to youth organisations across Ireland. The programme will enable these groups to deliver specialised training and mentorship opportunities for 2,000 young people by 2023.

The community-focused McDonald's Youth Opportunity Ireland programme is supporting young people between the ages of 15 and 24 nationally, who are experiencing disadvantage and

aims to empower them with the skills, training and mentorship they need to access the employment market.

In the first year of the programme, the funding will enable 13 grassroots youth organisations across Ireland to deliver targeted youth employability programmes. Kerry Diocesan Youth Service was selected to receive funding in the programme's first year.

Kerry Diocesan Youth Service works directly with young people in Kerry who are not currently in education, employment or training to provide through its RICE Programme. RICE is a unique programme, using informal educational methodologies, that has the primary objective of assisting young people aged 17 to 20 to develop four, essential life-skills: Resilience, Independence, Communication and Employability related qualities.



Alastair Hoban, McDonald Tralee & Killarney pictured with Berni Smyth, CEO, KDYS, Nicola O'Sullivan, HT Manager, KDYS and Ukrainian students Yarik Usenko and Tima Brynov at the launch of McDonald's Youth Opportunity Ireland programme. Photo: Don MacMonagle



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## SPA

Written by: Deirdre O'Sullivan-Darcy

### ➤SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RD1 S PA 3-9 DINGLE 0-13

Spa got their Senior Club Championship campaign off to a good start on Saturday evening as they overcame Dingle GAA in the opening round of the 2022 Kerry Petroleum Club Championships. Despite what the final score-line might suggest, it was a close game throughout that had a slow-paced opening half but plenty of action in the second half. The evening began with a minute silence for Tipperary hurler Dillon Quirke RIP who passed away suddenly on Friday evening.

Dingle were first off the mark and their opening point from Paul Geaney in the second minute would be the only time they led during the game. Spa responded with three from Mike Foley (2f) and a superb '45 from centre back Shane Cronin to lead by 0-4 to 0-1 at the end of the first quarter. The first half was played very defensively, teams in possession building up each attack slowly. Barra Ó Súilleabháin added a Dingle point from a mark in the 23rd minute before the first Spa goal just before the break, the brilliant Liam Kearney turning over the ball inside the Dingle '45 and laying off to David Spillane who charged at goal, rounding one defender and then the keeper to raise the first green flag for Spa. Dingle added one more before the break, Pádraig Mac a'Síthigh with the point, and by the half time whistle Spa were leading 1-4 to 0-3.

Dingle burst out of the traps in the second half and although Evan Cronin kicked over a lovely point right after the throw in, Dingle soon found their form and quickly had four more points on the board, Paul Geaney with the first two and Dylan Geaney with two more. Mike Foley settled the Spa side when he collected a short free and tapped the ball over the bar but Pádraig Mac a'Síthigh replied immediately for Dingle. By the end of the third quarter, Spa were leading by just the minimum, 1-6 to 0-8.

Mike Foley (2) and Paul Geaney exchanged points before Liam Kearney was bearing down on the Dingle goal. He was brought to the ground in the 49th minute, Dingle's Ruan McCarthy sent to the sidelines on a black card and David Spillane blasting home the resulting penalty to give Spa a bit of breathing room, 2-8 to 0-9 with ten minutes remaining. Dingle fought back however, Mikey Geaney and Paul Geaney reducing the deficit to put just a goal between the sides with five minutes remaining.

Spa kept their composure and showed great character as the ball moved from player to player while setting up their next move on the Dingle goal. In the 60th minute David Spillane was again bursting forward towards the Dingle goal and played across to Ciaran Spillane who was ready at the edge of the square. Ciarán's shot was well blocked, but Ryan O'Carroll was waiting in the wings and got a shot off the loose ball to finish the third Spa goal. Injury time points from Paul Geaney and Cathal Ó Bambaire followed, and Spa's Liam Spillane hit the final score of the day in the 65th minute.

### ➤CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RD2 AND RD3 FIXTURES

Senior Club Championship Rd2 & Rd3 fixtures confirmed: Rd2 Saturday

August 13th Spa v Kenmare Shamrocks at 7pm (in Spa). Rd3 August 20th/21st v Na Gaeil (away)

### ➤DONAL CURTIN CUP FINAL

The Spa Senior Ladies turned out for the Final of the Donal Curtin Cup on Wednesday 27th July in Fitzgerald Stadium. Playing conditions were good. This was always going to be one of our toughest games to date, but the Spa Ladies knew what was ahead of them and were ready for the challenge. The Spa Ladies settled into their game after 15 minutes and scored 4 points before the half time whistle. Score at half time Crokes 0-6 to Spa 0-4. The game changed completely in the second half and Spa displayed fantastic team effort and played great attacking football to lead the game by a point. Crokes responded quickly and put the ball over the bar to equalise the game 5 mins before the final whistle. Unfortunately, it wasn't meant to be for the Spa Senior Ladies when shortly before the final whistle was blown Crokes scored the winning point. Final score Spa 1-5 to Crokes 0-9. Congratulations to Dr Crokes on their win. Although disappointing, it was great to see such improvement since the start of the competition and to see the Spa Senior Ladies panel getting stronger with returning and new players. Up next for the ladies is Junior Championship later this month.

### ➤SUCCESS FOR KERRY COMHALTAS AT FLEADH

Congratulations to all the Kerry competitors, especially all our Spa members, who took part in Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann in Mullingar last week.

### ➤CO MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Good luck to the East Kerry minor team who play South Kerry this Monday August 8th in the Co. Minor Championship Quarter Final (6.30pm in Killorglin). Special mention to the Spa members with the team Oran O'Neill, Timmy Moynihan, Aidan Cronin, Luke O'Neill, Danny Coffey, Emmett Spillane, Cian Russell and mentor John O'Neill.

### ➤EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE

East Kerry Junior League continues this Tuesday August 9th with Spa away to Scartaglen (7.30pm).

### ➤SPA GAA LOTTO

Lotto Results 01/08/22: Numbers Drawn 4, 9, 11, 28. No winner and €50 Lucky Dips to Aoife Sheehan, Margaret McAuliffe, John Hannon and Pat Somers. Annual ticket holders monthly draw winners – Anna & Roddy O'Donoghue. This week's JACKPOT is €6,600 and tickets on sale online on spagaa.com or in usual outlets. Thank you for your continued support.

### ➤ITEMS FOR NOTES

Any items for the Spa notes please contact the club PRO on 085 1216359 or pro.spa.kerry@gaa.ie before 8pm on Sundays.

## LISTRY

Written by: Anne Sugrue O'Brien

### ➤SHANE COURTNEY ANNUAL GOLF CLASSIC

The Shane Courtney Golf Classic in aid of Listry GAA club takes place again this year in Maine Valley Golf club Killorglin on Saturday Sept 3rd. This is our main fundraiser to run the club each year and we ask everybody to support if possible please. Teams of 4 cost €120 (€30 each). Tee Boxes can be sponsored at a cost of €50. This is open to businesses and individuals. There will also have a raffle on the day with many wonderful prizes. Any queries please contact Anthony or any club officers

### ➤MINOR FOOTBALL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

East Kerry GAA Minor team were unlikely last Monday evening, losing only by 2 points in The Quarter Final against South Kerry. East Kerry 1.12 South Kerry 0.17

Well done to Listry's Cathal and Pádraig O'Donoghue, Tadgh Gosney and Daniel Evans in the championship.

### ➤KERRY PETROLEUM JUNIOR PREMIER CHAMPIONSHIP

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### ➤LISTRY LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn 6, 12, 13, 21. €100 Mick Breen, Rockfield. €50 x 2 Hannah

Wharton, Seanie O Gorman, Kanturk. €25 x 2 Pádraig Spillane c/o John Wrenn. John Keffee. Next Sunday jackpot €5,400

### ➤LISTRY SUMMER CAMP

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### ➤MKL GAELS

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- **Jump into Confidence!** This is a great fun game to play with your child. Raise your hand a little above their head and ask them to jump up to touch your hand. The deal is that every time they jump up and touch your hand you will say something fabulous about them! You can raise your hand a little every time to make it even more fun!
- **Teach your child Body Compassion.** Whenever your child falls over or hurts a part of their body, invite your child to say kind words to that area. Sometimes it's easier to help your child do this by asking them to imagine what they would say to their favourite pet or even their best friend if they were hurt or sad & direct this towards themselves. This helps to foster body compassion.

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2. **Check your urine colour** – this isn't just when the weather is hot. Check in the morning and if it is clear or light yellow then your body is well hydrated, however a dark or brown coloured urine means that the body is dehydrated and you will need to hydrate before going out in the heat or going to your exercise class.
3. **Wear appropriate clothing** – if training outdoors especially then light breathable clothing is best to allow for perspiration.
4. **Warm-up!** While you might think that you are warm enough in the heat it is still important to maintain a good warm up routine and prepare the muscles for the activity ahead.
5. **Be aware of how you are feeling** – if you are starting to feel nauseous, faint, dizzy or in anyway unwell then stop and if outside get out of the sun. You may need to get water or food into the body.
6. **Avoid training outdoors during the hottest part of the day** – while it seems obvious to say we want to be out in the sun when the weather is good, but when it comes to your training schedule you should look at altering if you are normally someone that trains in the middle of the day. While the weather is hot an early morning run or late in the evening when temperatures are a little lower would be best.





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## RATHMORE GNEEVEGUILLA

By Michael O' Mahony

➤ **SYMPATHIES** to Margaret Foley, Noel & Nealus Cronin and their families on the death of their sister Sheila Murphy, Killentierna, whose funeral took place on Sat. 30th July in Killeentierna. To Eugie O'Leary, Anne O'Leary, Kathleen Fleming, Bill & Gene Riordan on the death of their uncle Connie Riordan, Barna, Scartaglen, whose funeral took place in Gneeveguilla on Mon. 1st August. May they rest in peace

➤ **WEDDING BELLS**

Congratulations to George O'Keeffe, Rathmore & Marie Moynihan, Rathmore who were married on Saturday last in Rathmore. We wish both of them happy long life together

➤ **THE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA** will be on Main Street, Killarney on Saturday 13th August from 2.30p.m. to remember Our Lady's 4th visit to Fatima. The Divine Mercy chaplet & the Holy Rosary will be recited at 3.00p.m. on the street. All welcome.

➤ **AUBANE COMMUNITY WALK** on Sunday 21st August leaving Aubane Community Centre at 2.00p.m. to the Butter Road monument. Refreshments afterwards at Aubane Community Centre.

➤ **DIACONATE ORDINATION**

Mark Moriarty, a native of Killarney was ordained a deacon on Sunday, St Mary's Cathedral, Killarney. He has completed his formation for the

priesthood at St Patrick's College, Maynooth. Congratulations to Mark

➤ **BINGO** every Friday night in Rathmore community centre at 8-30

➤ **GNEEVEGUILLA DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION SPLIT THE BUCKET**

Congratulations to Michael J Dillane, this week's jackpot winner of €500

➤ **FRIENDS OF UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL KERRY BENEFIT MEETING** at kindom Greyhound Stadium Tralee on Friday 2nd September 2022. 1st Race 7.42pm. Fundraising for University Hospital Specialised Equipment. Please help retain our existing services in Kerry. Draw for 1st €300 & 2nd €100. Ticket €5 for admission to track on the night & Draw. If you would like to contribute your donations will be acknowledged in the local papers (€100 Gold sponsor, €50 Silver sponsor, €25 Bronze Sponsor) You can also nominate a dog and enter a a day for €300 (€20 per dog or €50 for there dogs). If you would like to contribute please contact Michael O'Mahony Rathmore 0876676817

➤ **NOTES**

If you would like to add to the notes please email Michael O'Mahony (momahony14@gmail.com) or ring or text 087-6676817 before 6pm Sunday

## GLENFLESK

Written by: Seamus Healy

➤ **LOTTO**

No winner of Glenflesk Lotto which took place on 8/8/2022 in Glenflesk Hall. Jackpot €8,600 The numbers drawn were, 13, 16, 22, 25. There was no winner. Consolation prizes of €50. 1. Conor Doherty, Knockanes 2. Danny Doherty ( Sellers' Prize). 3. Marian Carey, Clonkeen. 4. Eileen Gleeson ( Yearly Ticket). Next draw will take place in Glenflesk Hall on Wed 22/8/2022. Jackpot will be €8,800. Thank you to all who support our Lotto and to our sellers

➤ **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP GROUP 4 ROUND 1 GLENFLESK 1 - 11 MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE 1 - 11**

After sixty plus minutes of intense action, Glenflesk and Milltown could not be separated, and ended up sharing the spoils in round one of the Intermediate Championship, played in perfect conditions in Fossa.

After both teams had earned promotion from their respective County League Divisions, confidence was high that they could get off to a good start here. Glenflesk opened quicker, with Dylan Roche especially lively. After he was hauled to the ground as he headed for goal, Glenflesk were awarded an early penalty. Darragh Roche stepped forward and gave Cormac Leane no chance with a clinical finish. Patrick Darcy then extended the lead, after being played in by Kevin Bowler. Milltown's slow ponderous buildup was not helping them, but Cathal Moriarty eventually let fly with a shot that found the target. With Daniel O'Brien and Jeff O'Donoghue impressing, Glenflesk extended their early advantage with a run of three points from Darcy, Darragh Roche and Kevin Bowler. Eanna O'Connor then fired over a superb free with his left foot, after earlier scoring from his play with his right as Milltown continued to struggle to open up the Glenflesk defense. Ian Roche's superb steal and run ended with another point, before the Mid Kerry men finally found some room near the Glenflesk goal. Cathal Moriarty was upended, leading to a penalty. O'Connor showed a calm touch, firing low into the corner. Darcy continued to torment Milltown with his strong running, and his fisted effort left Glenflesk ahead by one, as the teams headed for the dressing room.

Wing back O'Brien's powerful run and score meant Glenflesk started the second half in a positive way. The free's were starting to pile up though, with O'Connor not looking like missing as he struck two more to bring the score's level. Darragh Roche then converted after taking a mark, as the two heavy hitting forwards started to find their range. After another O'Connor free levelled things up again, sub Jonathan O'Sullivan put Milltown ahead for the first time. Roche though responded with a monster free, and then fired his side in front with a beautiful strike off his left foot. Cian Horan then was black carded as Glenflesk desperately tried to hold on. Things

were frantic at this stage, and composure seemed to be deserting both sides. Milltown were offered one more chance, when they won a free just on the forty five meter line. O'Connor was the man again, sending the ball straight between the posts, and meaning this hectic match had ended in a draw.

Both sides will know they will have to improve if they are to make serious inroads in this Championship. There was a lot of mistakes and poor decisions on show this evening. It was entertaining though, and some of the individual forward play was of the top end quality. Milltown will probably slightly happier with the draw, but Glenflesk will feel they can play a whole lot better, and came away without losing. Next weekend should tell us more about each teams prospects.

Glenflesk. 1. Marc Kelliher, 2. Emmet Finnan, 3. Chris O'Donoghue, 4. Shane Courtney, 5. Kieran A O'Donoghue, 6. Killian O'Sullivan (0 - 1) 7. Daniel O'Brien Cpt (0 - 1) 8. Jeff O'Donoghue, 9. Brian O'Donoghue, 10. Ian Roche (0 - 1) 11. Patrick Darcy (0 - 3) 12. Cian Horan, 13. Dylan Roche. 14. Darragh Roche (1 - 4) 15. Kevin Bowler (0 - 1) 22. Tommy Bowler.

Milltown/Castlemaine. 1. Cormac Leane, 2. Jack Teahan, 3. Gavin McKenna, 4. Tadgh McCarthy, 5. Jonathan O'Connor, 6. Killian Keirns, 7. Kieran Carroll, 8. David Roche Cpt, 9. Donal Dennehy, 10. John Dennehy, 11. Eanna O'Connor (1 - 7) 12. Kieran McKenna (0 - 1) 13. Jerome Flynn 14. Cathal Moriarty (0 - 2) 15. Brendan Casey, 22. Jonathan O'Sullivan (0 - 1) 27. Anthony Kelliher, 28. Patrick O'Sullivan. Report by Michael Healy.

➤ **INTERMEDIATE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

Group 4 - Rd 2. Sat 13 Aug @ 7pm. Milltown/Castlemaine v St. Marys in Milltown

Sun 14 Aug @ 2.30pm. Glenflesk v Rathmore in Glenflesk

Rd 3 - W/end Aug 20/21. Rathmore v Milltown/Castlemaine in Rathmore St. Marys v Glenflesk in Caherciveen

➤ **ALL IRELAND FLEADH CHEOIL**

Congratulations to this super talented group of Glenflesk musicians and storytellers at last weekend's Fleadh Cheoil in Mullingar.

50A STORYTELLING FAOI 12; 1st. Rian Gleeson, Glenflesk, Ciarraí

2A BOSCA CEOIL / BUTTON ACCORDION FAOI 12; 1st. Seán Angland, Glenflesk, Ciarraí

12A PIANÓ / PIANO FAOI 12; 2nd. Seán Angland, Glenflesk, Ciarraí

3B FEADÓG MHÓR / FLUTE 12-15; 3rd. Colleen Angland, Glenflesk, Ciarraí

PIANO FAOI 12; 2nd. Seán Angland, Glenflesk CCE

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## KILCUMMIN

Written by: John Moriarty

## &gt;MORIARTY SCHOOL OF MUSIC AND DANCE

The Moriarty School of Music and Dance would like to congratulate all their musicians and dancers who achieved outstanding success at Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann last week in Mullingar. Conor's team of musicians made up of Michael Healy, Eoin Foley and Jack Purcell all brought home All Ireland medals. On Friday, Michael and Jack competed in the U15 Melodeon and they covered themselves in glory when Michael was awarded gold and Jack awarded silver. Earlier in the day, Michael claimed first place with another top class performance and crowned U.15 Accordion champion, two All Ireland's in one day for Michael is some achievement. It was Eoin's turn on Saturday and again another All Ireland medal was achieved when he was placed third in the U.12 accordion competition. Well done boys on some wonderful achievements. In the Set Dancing competition Adrian had five sets and all dancers finished in the top two in their competitions. Following a fine display of dancing both the Senior Half Set and U15 Ladies set were crowned All Ireland champions with the Ladies U12 Set, U18 Half Set and the O.35 Mixed Set coming home with silver medals. A big thank you to all the dancers for their dedication and commitment over the past year. Thanks to the parents and Kilcummin Comhaltas branch for all their support, also the Recreational Hall committee and Rural Development for providing the venues for our training.

## &gt;KILCUMMIN CCE

Kilcummin CCE are holding a celebration of our branch this Sunday evening 14th August in the Kilcummin GAA Club house at 8pm. Everyone is welcome to attend & celebrate with us, our success in County, Munster & All Ireland Fleadhanna.

All participants in County, Munster & All Ireland are invited to attend & perform on the night.

It will be a very enjoyable evening with lots of music, dancing & singing. Everyone is welcome.

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## &gt;KILCUMMIN GAA

## KERRY PETROLEUM CLUB INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Kilcummin 1-11 Desmonds 0-11. Played in Rathmore on Saturday evening this was real championship fair with both teams fully aware of the importance of winning their opening game. Kilcummin were first

out of the blocks and were up 4 points within 8 minutes gone courtesy of Eoghan O'Donovan, Noel Duggan, Danny Cronin and Kelvin Teahan. Desmond rallied with a brace of points but after "Man of the Match" Philip O'Leary shook the crossbar with a pile driver of a shot, Kilcummin struck for the all-important goal. Paul O'Shea delivered a pin point pass to younger brother Mark who rounded the keeper before slotting home. Desmonds did have a purple patch before half time but a great Paul O'Shea mark and two points from the inspirational Philip O'Leary saw us lead by 1-7 to 0-6 at half time. The second half saw us start with a Noel Duggan free but Desmonds started to exert control and it took some amazing defending to keep them at bay. Special mention to the entire defence as they never lost their concentration and frustrated the much-vaunted Desmonds attack. Cian Foley was playing really well and showed his value with two well taken points that gave us breathing space. Noel Duggan kicked our final point with five minutes remaining but from there to the end it was a rear guard action as Desmonds threw everything at us to get a goal but the defence held out through four minutes of extra time. We now face An Gaeltacht in Gallerus next Sunday in Rd2. Team: Brendan Kealy, Kevin McSweeney, Dara O'Callaghan, Chris O'Leary, Dan Moynihan, Philip O'Leary, Eoghan O'Donovan, Kevin Gorman, Gary O'Leary Capt, Cian Foley, Mark O'Shea, Kelvin Teahan, Danny Cronin, Paul O'Shea, Noel Duggan. subs used Kieran Murphy and Sean Brosnan.

## COUNTY U 21 CHAMPIONSHIP

Well done to East Kerry on their recent victory in the final and in particular to our Kilcummin players involved including selector Seanie O'Leary, Players: Paul O'Shea, Philip O'Leary, Dara O'Callaghan, Mark O'Shea and Keith O'Leary

## MINOR CO CHAMPIONSHIP

Best wishes to our players who are part of the East Kerry panel in their forthcoming games. Jack O'Donoghue, Jack Fogarty, Keelan O'Shea, Padraigh Moynihan, Luke Daly, Sean Doolan, Dara Stack, and DJ Fleming selector.

## &gt;MASTERGEEHA FC

Joe Doyle over 35's tournament, 6-a-side (max Squad: 10 players) €10 entry per player. It will be held on the 21st August. Contact Paul (087 2971792, Tadhg (086 4098405)

## LOTTO

There was no winner on Friday 5th August 2022 of the Jackpot for €2,800. Numbers drawn were 3,9,15,17. Consolation prizes of €50 went to Helen Healy, Kathleen Devane, Mastergeeha, Jack O'Leary, Mileen, John Sheehan, Lyreatough. Next Draw is Friday 12th August 2022, for a Jackpot of €3,000.

## &gt;COMMUNITY GAMES

Best of luck to Sean O'Leary who is representing Kerry in U12 ball throw in the national finals in Carlow this weekend.



## BRIAN RETIRES AFTER 23 YEARS SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF BEAUFORT

Brian O'Connor celebrating his retirement after 23 years as CE supervisor for Beaufort Community Council surrounded by family and friends. Wishing him the very best on his retirement.

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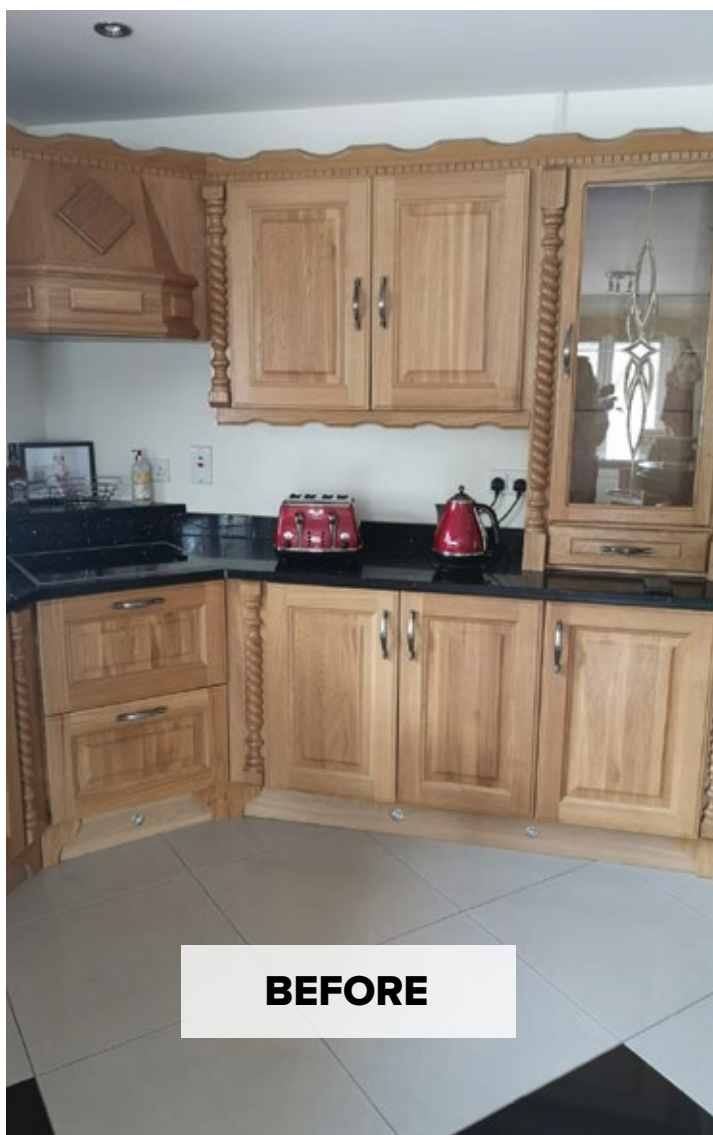




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# ETHAN HONoured AT HIS HOME CLUB



On Saturday evening last, members of Muckross Rowing Club gathered at the club's boathouse to welcome home Ethan O'Neill and congratulate him on winning a gold medal for Ireland at the Home International Regatta, held in London on Saturday 23 July.

The homecoming event marked the end of a busy and demanding rowing

season for the talented Muckross oarsman, who was successful in progressing through the rigours of multiple rounds of national trials since the Autumn of 2021 while studying for his Leaving Cert exams. Having completed his exams in June, there was little rest for Ethan who also represented his Muckross club proudly at the Irish Rowing Championships held in Cork in July before setting off for London to represent Ireland.

Ethan, son of Brendan and Lynne O'Neill, has been rowing with Muckross since starting secondary school in St. Brendan's College and has steadily advanced through the rowing ranks over the years. Ethan continues a proud family tradition of rowing, following in the footsteps of his aunt Norlene who also represented the Muckross club and Ireland at the Home International Regatta in 1997. Ethan's father Brendan and sister Faye are also active members of Muckross RC.

The Home International Regatta is an annual rowing contest for

the four rowing federations of Ireland and Great Britain, with Ethan selected for the Irish junior sculling squad earlier in the summer culminating in a training camp at Castleconnell Boat Club in the week before the regatta where he was joined by Aidan Kearney of St. Michael's RC (Limerick), David Ross-Chu of Shandon BC (Cork) and Lochlan Crooks of Neptune RC (Dublin).

Ethan rowed in three sculling events. Partnering with David Ross-Chu for the Mens Junior Double, the Munster duo rowed a strong first half in their race, leading at 500m and holding second place at the half-way mark, however a strong surge by the competition saw the Welsh crew take gold and Ireland third with England second at the line.

In the Junior Quad 2km race, the Irish crew were very unlucky to find themselves third at the finish. Despite suffering two technical interruptions early in the race, the Irish crew stayed in the race and showed the potential for a top finish.

A revised regatta format saw the Irish quad crew make the most of their second chance in the 500m sprint event, which saw Ireland dominate to claim gold and raise the Irish flag to a proud rendition of the Irish national anthem on the London docks.

Club members were delighted to welcome Ethan back home to Muckross last weekend, where Club Chairman Sean Daly spoke of Ethan's commitment to his training and the immense pride of the whole club in his achievement in London. It was noted on the evening that Ethan joins a distinguished line up of Muckross rowers who have been selected to row for their country. Paul Griffin, Sean Casey and Cathal Moynihan count among the club's most successful athletes having reached the Olympic stage in 2004 and 2008 while Ethan becomes the tenth male rower from the Muckross club to race at the Home International Regatta since 1996. Speaking to the club members assembled, Ethan expressed his thanks to all those who had supported him over the years, including his coaches, family and especially to his coach Marko Tot who has mentored and guided Ethan in his training at the Junior 18 grade. Ethan is now looking forward to a short break from competitive rowing ahead of the Leaving Cert exam results in September.





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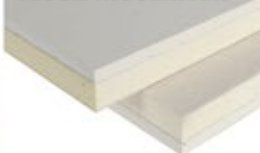
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- 2: Michael Courtney (10) 41
- 3: Michael Gorman (29) 40
- 4: Daniel Cronin (14) 40
- 5: Maurice Coffey (29) 39

On Friday August 5th we held a 10 hole mixed scramble in splendid weather and with a very large turnout. The golf was followed by a BBQ. The winning team was Andy Cole, Mary O'Connor and Donie Hayes.

### FIXTURES

**Friday Evening Scramble:** On Friday August 12th our 10 hole mixed scramble will continue with a shotgun start at 6.30pm. There will also be food available afterwards. For the scramble please put your name on the entry sheet in the Clubhouse before 6pm on Friday. Any entries after 6pm will not be guaranteed a game.

**BEST OF LUCK** to the Killarney Race Company for the upcoming August Racing Festival.

## KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB (MENS)

**CAPTAINS PRIZE COMPETITION RESULTS SINGLES V-PAR COURSE: KILLEEN**

- 1st: John Brennan (10) 6up
- 2nd: Phillip O'Connor (Mill rd) (11) 5up
- Best Gross: Stephen O'Neill (+2) 71
- 3rd: Shane Connole (10) 4up
- 4th: Joe Walsh (28) 4up
- 5th: Brian Clarke (16) 3up
- 6th: Dan Quirke (12) 3up
- 7th: Stephen O'Connor (16) 3up
- 8th: Seamus O'Connor (17) 2up
- 9th: Denny Lyons (9) 1up
- 10th: John Twomey (29) 1up
- 11th: Tom Doherty (24) 1up
- 12th: Liam Murphy (10) 1up
- 13th: Rory F O'Sullivan (19) Level
- 14th: Brendan Long (15) Level
- 15th: George Savage (30) 2dn
- Division 1: Mark Bowe (5) 3up
- Division 2: Daniel Glavin (10) 3up
- Division 3: Gerard Walsh (15) 3up
- Division 4: Dermie Fitzgerald (21) 3up
- Front 9: Karl McMahon (10) 4up
- Back 9: Niall John O'Connor (4) 4up
- Over 70's: Seamus Coffey (22) 1up
- Past Captain: Derry McCarthy (7) 2up
- Guest: Graham Spring
- Committee Declan Kelly (8) Level

### FRED DALY

On Saturday evening in Newcastle West Golf Club our junior boys took on Limerick Golf Club in the Fred Daly West Munster final. It proved a very tight match and went down to the wire. Unfortunately this time Killarney lost out on the 19th hole in the final match. Cillian Courtney and Alex O'Callaghan had put points on the board for Killarney, while Ewan MacIndoe and Brian O'Connor both lost very close matches. Ryan McCarthy was 2 down with 4 to play and staged a dramatic comeback to force his match down 19. Sadly it was not to be and Limerick advance to the All Ireland quarter final. It has been another great run for us this year

in the Fred Daly and everyone can be very proud of how our boys have represented Killarney Golf Club. Also a very big thank you to the team manger Jason Arthur, who has guided the boys through the season.

## CASTLEROSSE LADIES GOLF CLUB

### RESULTS 18 HOLE STABLEFORD:

- 1st: Mary Tobin (27) 36pts
  - 2nd: Una Moroney (24) 33pts
  - 3rd: Nora Long (42) 30pts
- Congratulations Ladies

### MIXED CLUB SCRAMBLE

Donal Dowd, Barbara O'Shea, Michael Sealy

### NOREEN MOORE TEAM

The Noreen Moore match between Castlerosse & Tralee was played on Tralee famous links course - so an away match for the visitors! Nonetheless the final score wasn't to be with 3:2 in Tralee favour. Only conceding in a nail-biting finish on the 18th hole of the final match! Well done ladies .....Eileen Sugre, Catherine Woods, Helen Healy, Erina MacSweeney, Barbara O'Shea and team Coach Chan Martin.

### FORTHCOMING COMPETITIONS

#### Mixed Club 9 Hole Scramble

Tuesday evenings, Open to Members and Non-Members. Draw for Partners at 6pm Sharp. Sign in at Clubhouse before 6pm or sign in on BRS (tee times do not apply)

#### Sat.20th AUGUST @ 2pm (Shotgun Start)

'Play in Pink' In Aid of Breast Cancer Research 9 Hole 3 Person Scramble. Sign in on BRS to enter. Draw for Partners at 1pm. Please pull out all your pink style for the day.

#### Ladies Club Competition this week

Eileen Murphy Team of two (Format Greensomes). Must have four ball to play (two teams)

## MURPHY'S GOLF SOCIETY

**6TH AUGUST 2022, KILLEEN - CAPTAINS PRIZE, JONATHAN CASEY. SPONSOR: GUINNESS**

- 1st: Chris Collins (12) 39 Points
- 2nd: Mike Casey (16) 37 Points
- 3rd: Niall O Meara (7) 37 Points
- Best Gross: James O Neil (4) 30 Points
- 4th: Brendan Keogh (9) 36 Points
- 5th: Vincent O Doherty (29) 36 Points
- 6th: Jim Morris (13) 36 Points
- Past Captains: Chris Collins (12) 39 Points
- Category: Dan Moynihan (29) 36 Points
- Guest Prize: Ger Murphy (17) 30 Points
- NTP: Conor Mc Neice
- Chris Collins
- Front Nine: Seamus Mc Carthy 21 Points
- Back Nine: Denis Nash 21 Points

**NEXT OUTING:** October 1st, Ceann Sibeal,



Noreen Moore Team & Caddies

Left to right (team member) Catherine Woods, (Lady Captain & Caddie for the day) Nuala Ward, (team member) Eileen Sugrue, Erina MacSweeney, Helen Healy, Barbara O'Shea, (caddie) Mary Tobin. Front & Centre, Chan Martin (Team Manager)...Tralee Golf Club

Podge's Prize.

### MATCH PLAY

All games to be played by the next outing.

## MAINE VALLEY MEMBERS GOLF CLUB

**RESULTS OF FRANK 'MAXI' MCMAHON TROPHY 7/8 AUG**

- 1st" Robert Gallagher (16) 44pts (last six)
- 2nd" Vincent O'Sullivan (14) 44pts
- 3rd" Tom Finnerty (17) 43pts (countback)

#### Division 1 (indexes up to 12.9)

Shane Collins (8) 41pts (back 9)

#### Division 2 (index 13.0 to 17.4)

Donal Murphy (16) 43pts

#### Division 3 (index 17.5 to 22.5)

Michael Murtagh (17) 42pts (back 9)

#### Division 4 (22.6 and above)

Jerry Sheehan (33) 41pts

**NEXT WEEK'S COMPETITION** is Eamon Feeleys Captains day

## DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB

**MUNSTER U16 STROKEPLAY AND INTER-COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Club members certainly made their presence felt in Cunnigar, Dungarvan, Co Waterford at these events last week. In the U16's last Friday, Brian McCarthy (Capt), Nathan Cronin and Noah Sexton were part of the Kerry 'Gold' team that won the Inter-County event by a convincing margin from Tipperary. All three also won Singles medals in the two Boys categories. Nathan was involved in a nine-hole playoff for the 14-15 age title where despite a hole-in-one he lost out to Tipperary's Adam O'Brien by a single stroke over the extra distance. Noah was third in the same category. Brian meanwhile was third in the Boys 8-13 category. Ben Kelliher was also a member of the Kerry 'Green' side that finished third in the Inter-County event. Thanks to both Gearoid Cronin and Derry McCarthy for looking after them last week. Then on Sunday Damien Fleming and John McGrath were part of the Kerry Senior Gents team that finished in their event as Damien fired in an impressive 14 under par Scotch Foursomes card alongside Tralee's Jason O'Regan.





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The winning Kerry 'Gold' U16 team of Brian McCarthy (Captain, middle), Ajay Barrett (left), Noah Sexton (second left) and Nathan Cronin (second right) pictured receiving the winning Cup from last Friday's Munster U16 Inter-County Championship in Cunnigar, Dungarvan, Co Waterford from Liam Leahy (Pitch & Putt Ireland Youth Officer). Also included in photo is Gearoid Cronin (Kerry Pitch & Putt U16 Officer).



Killarney Golf Club Junior Boys pictured from left to right are Ewan Macindoe, Cillian Courtney, Alex O'Callaghan, Brian O'Connor and Ryan McCarthy at the Fred Daly West Munster Final.

### SUNDAY DRAWS

Fourball Betterball- First Nett: Noel Moynihan & Dan Kiely 41½, Gross: Noel Moynihan & Dave Spillane 50 and Second Nett: Sean Ashe & Aidan O'Keeffe 42½.

### COURSE CLOSED

Please note that after this Sunday August 14th we are closed to the general public prior to our hosting of the National U16 Strokeplay and Inter-County Championships on Saturday August 20th. We will close to members after Wednesday August 17th.



Well done to Killarney Golf Club junior members that participated in the recent All Ireland Inter-Club Qualifier held in Kanturk GC on 9th August. (Left to right): Cian Lenihan Fionn Mc Monagle Fiona Brunner Aodhán O Halloran, Isabelle Lyons Ellen Barry



Best of Luck to the Ladies from Beaufort Golf Club who are participating in the AIG West Munster Final of the Minor Cup against Ballonet in Adare Manor on Saturday 13th August. The ladies have an early start with the first tee time set at 09:10. The club are super proud of the team, caddies and managers. Wishing them all the very best.

## BUSY TIMES AT DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB

Deerpark Pitch & Putt Club is set for two busy weekends at the end of the month as it plays host to the National U16 Strokeplay Championship on Saturday August 20th followed by the staging of their annual and popular Ricky Kelly Memorial competition from August 26th-28th. This year will mark the 30th anniversary of the naming of the Ricky Kelly event after the former Club PRO as he was one of the main founders of it back in the days when it was an Inter-Pub tournament initially back in 1991 prior to his sad passing. The Tatler Jack Bar are sponsors once more for this event like they have been for well over half of the tournament's history now as the format again this year is a Three Ball Scramble. Play this year is in 18 hole cards with a cost of €30 per card with a total fee of €50 if a team wishes to play a second card. In order to be considered for the main prize, teams must contain at least one non-registered member of Pitch & Putt Ireland.

Times of play on Friday August 26th are 2pm-6pm (last card), Saturday August 27th 10am-5pm (last card) and Sunday August 28th 10am-4pm (last card). Presentation of prizes as well as evening entertainment returns this year on Sunday August 28th as the club will announce further details of same nearer the time. The club throws open a big invitation to club members past and present this year

to take part especially as the club is getting ready to celebrate its 50th anniversary in 2023.

Those without Pitch & Putt Handicaps will be allocated handicaps by the organizing committee for the event as all those with queries about the event are asked to contact the club in advance.



Deerpark Pitch and Putt Club will host the annual Ricky Kelly Memorial Tournament from August 26th -28th Launching the event were Emily Looney, Frances O'Sullivan, Tatler Jack, sponsor, and Adam McCarthy (in front). In centre are Sean Kelly, TJ O'Sullivan, Bobby Kelly and Betty O'Brien. Standing from left are Melissa O'Brien, Robert O'Brien, Margaret Looney, Kieran Fitzpatrick (competitions secretary), Danny Looney and Sean Kelly (Captain). Picture: Eamonn Keogh






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Prize winners in the Brian James Single Stableford competition in Killarney Golf Club on Sunday from left John O'Shea Competitions Secretary, Ronan Brosnan, Tom Prendergast representing Shane Horgan and Liam Kearney



Ciara O'Shea presents Patricia Quane the Maureen O'Shea Memorial Cup in Killarney Golf Club on Sunday front from left Lily Fogarty, Deirdre O'Shea, Ciara O'Shea, Patricia Quane, Ann Duggan Lady Captain, Bell Fogarty. Back from left Ann Moynihan Bernard O'Shea, Linda O'Shea, John O'Shea, Ailish Mulcahy, Anne Looney, Josephine O'Sullivan



Margaret Moloney is presented the Hayes Cup Catherine Coffey in Killarney Golf Club on Sunday evening. Hayes Cup sponsored by O'Brien-Coffey-McSweeney winners were from left Ashling Coffey, Nicola O'Mahony, Catherine Coffey, Margaret Moloney and Anne Duggan Lady Captain



Winner of the Flesk Restaurant Ladies competition Anne O'Leary is presented her prize by Anne Duggan Lady Captain in Killarney Golf Club on Sunday from left Angela Kelliher, Mai Bergen, Anne Duggan Lady Captain, Anne O'Leary, Tom Prendergast representing Deirdre Prendergast



Prize winners in the Daly's SuperValu Single Stroke (GOY) who were presented their prizes in Killarney Golf Club on Sunday front row l-r: John O'Shea Competitions Secretary, Alex Clifford, Simon Clifford, Cillian O'Connor, Back row: Mick O'Neill, Karl McMahon, Sean O'Donoghue and Matthew O'Connor



Anne Looney winner of the Adams Garage Ladies Competition with the prize winners at Killarney Golf and Fishing club on Sunday evening from left Annette McNeice, Amy Arthur, Ursulla Desmond, Anne Looney, Anne Duggan Lady Captain and Angela Kelleher



Prize winners in the Brian James Single Stableford competition in Killarney Golf Club on Sunday from left John O'Shea Competitions Secretary, Ronan Brosnan, Tom Prendergast representing Shane Horgan and Liam Kearney



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Killarney RFC presents a 1 day tag rugby event at Aghadoe on Saturday the 27th of August. Teams of 14 players cost €140 with a BBQ afterwards. All welcome! To register a team visit our Facebook page or give Ger Moynihan a call on 087-1240365 for details. This promises to be a brilliant day out so book your team in now!

**TAG TUESDAYS**

Our Tag Tuesdays continues for the summer. Tag rugby takes place every Tuesday evening at Aghadoe between 7pm and 9pm and all are welcome. No experience necessary and a great way to build fitness or stay fit over the summer. For details give Ger Moynihan a ring on 087-1240365.

**U18 GIRLS RETURNS**

Our U18 girls commenced pre season training last week at Aghadoe and new players are more than welcome to come along and give rugby a try every Wednesday at 7:30pm. For details contact Stephen on 086-3484337.

**U18 BOYS RETURNS**

Our U18 boys commenced pre season training this Monday at Aghadoe and new players are more than welcome to come along and give rugby a try every Monday at 7pm. For details contact Jenna on 086-8611407.

**SENIOR PRESEASON**

Our Seniors continue outdoor preseason Monday at Aghadoe (at 7:30pm). New players always welcome. Contact John O'Connell on 086-8525116 for details.

**GNEEVGUILLA AC**

**LOTTO 29/07/2022;** No winner of our lotto draw 29/07/2022. Numbers drawn were 17, 24, 26 & 27. Sellers prize winner Mairead Carmody. €50 y/t prize winner Gneevguilla Basketball Club, €50 to Mairead Carmody, €40 to Daniel Collins Village, Aisling O' Keeffe Askeaton & Margaret Donnelly c/o Mgt Hayes. Bonus not won numbers drawn were 10, 11 17 & 26. Next week's jackpot €7,600 plus €1,000 bonus.

**LOTTO 05/08/2022;** No winner of our lotto draw 05/08/2022. Numbers drawn were 4, 9, 13 & 15 Sellers prize winner Mairead Carmody. €50 y/t

prize winner Catherine Kiely Muckcross, €50 to Eamon Guiney Boherbue, €40 to Anna O' Sullivan Renasup, Denis Donnelly c/o Mgt Hayes & Eamon Guiney Boherbue. Bonus not won numbers drawn were 7, 15, 26 & 30. Next week's jackpot €7,700 plus €1,000 bonus.

**MUCKCROSS****ROWING CLUB****EVENTS**

While the club's main flatwater season of rowing is over following the Irish Rowing Championships in July, the club's activity continues with crews partaking in the offshore rowing calendar. Bantry Offshore Regatta takes place at the town's Aerodrome on Saturday, August 27 while the Irish Offshore Rowing Championships are set for Wicklow on Saturday, September 10.

**KILLARNEY REGATTA**

Following the cancellation of the original fixture at the end of June, Killarney Regatta is set to finally make its return for the first time since 2019 on Sunday, September 4.

**HOMECOMING**

On Saturday last, club members gathered to officially welcome home Ethan O'Neill, following his gold medal success with the Irish rowing squad at the Home International Regatta in London in July. Speaking on the evening, Club Chairman Sean Daly expressed the immense pride of the whole club and extended congratulations from all club members to Ethan and his family on the outstanding achievement of securing a green jersey and bringing home a gold medal to the club. Ethan becomes the tenth male member of Muckcross RC to race at the Home International Regatta since 1996 and the first member to race in a junior sculling event. Our congratulations



*Killarney Rugby Club U18's girls who returned to training during the week.*

once again to Ethan, his coach Marko and to all the coaches and committee members who have supported Ethan over the years. A special word of thanks to Sean Daly and Mike Daly who organised the homecoming and to everyone who supplied home baking and refreshments.

**KILLARNEY CELTIC NOTES****CELTIC LOTTO**

Numbers drawn 5,7,11,14. No jackpot winner. Match 3 winners received €25. Next jackpot on Monday August 15th is €7,200

**THE KILLARNEY CELTIC ANNUAL GOLF CLASSIC** will take place on Saturday Sept 3rd at Beaufort Golf Club. To book a Tee Time please contact Tim Jones 0879771302 or Tomas Kelliher 0872589194.

**REGISTRATION FOR THE NEW SEASON IS NOW OPEN** on clubforce.com for all sections from Academy to Adult.

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**THE QUEST FOR A MESSIAH**

By Nicky Barry

Hebrews wandered in the wilderness, for many  
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Waiting for a messiah, to lead them with no fear.  
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And drowned Egyptian soldiers, with the help of God.  
Fergie was the messiah, who led United to the top,  
But since the day that he retired, Man U began to drop.  
So they brought in David Moyes, who was the  
Chosen One,  
But he was a disaster, so they gave him the run.  
Next up was a Dutchman, by the name of van Gaal,  
Who was none too clever, so he went to the wall.  
Now things were getting serious, so they sent for Jose,

Who had been a great success, with Chelsea in his day,  
But Jose did not produce, and so he went out the door,  
Then they called up an old hero, Ole Gunnar Solskjaer.  
Ole tried his level best, but it was not good enough,  
So they went for someone, who they thought had  
sterner stuff.  
Ralph Rangnick failed to win the league, so they  
said goodbye,  
And brought in Erik Ten Hag, to help them soar on high.  
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## KERRY CANCER SUPPORT GROUP PILOT SUNSCREEN DISPENSER

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The custom-made board which will be outside the centre includes a

dispenser with SPF 30 sunscreen, a mirror to aid application, information on the UV index, the SunSmart code and a UV dial to raise awareness and remind people to protect their skin.

Breda from Kerry Cancer Support Group said that they are delighted to get behind the initiative and hope that people make use of the board. We see it as a very natural progression of our service because we already provide SunSmart awareness presentations to schools and groups in the region. If any group or business are interested in getting a board they can contact us and we will give them all of the information.

Kerry Cancer Support Group was established in 2007 and has been transporting the people of Kerry, West Cork and West Limerick to hospitals in Kerry, Cork and Limerick for their cancer related appointments since 2010. Their motto is that "No one should face their cancer journey alone" and having covered up to 60,000 appointments in the past 12 years they hope that they are living up to that. They also provide information and support to families experiencing cancer and to schools and groups in the region with their different campaigns. Their centre at Maine Street in Tralee is very welcoming and people are always encouraged to drop in to discuss anything relating to their journey. All of their services are Covid Compliant. Call 0667195560 for information.





## €791,490 IN ADDITIONAL FUNDING for Local Improvement Scheme roads in Kerry

**F**unding for the Local Improvement Scheme has been doubled to €22 million as part of Our Rural Future, the Government's ambitious policy for rural development, Deputy Government Chief Whip, Brendan Griffin TD has said. An additional €791,460 has been allocated for the Local Improvement Scheme in Kerry, bring the total allocation for 2022 to €1,495,490

Deputy Griffin welcomed the news from the Minister for Rural and Community Development, Heather Humphreys TD, that Kerry will see a major increase in our allocation under the Local Improvement Scheme for 2022.

Deputy Griffin said: "This extremely positive announcement will see our laneways and non-public roads in Kerry receive improved access to homes, farms and outdoor amenities.

"Prior to this news, Kerry County Council consulted with local residents and landowners to identify road and laneway projects where works could start immediately and be completed this year.

"Fine Gael is working to build stronger, safer communities and we want to see more people living, working and raising a family in our rural communities throughout the country. We will continue to fight for rural



homeowners in Kerry and make the case for further increases in funding. "The funding provided by the Department will be complemented by a local financial contribution from landowners/households. There is a ceiling of €1,200 on the amount that any individual householder or landowner will be asked to contribute towards the cost.

Minister Heather Humphreys added, "The scheme provides substantial grant aid for the upgrade of these routes and assists homeowners with the costs. In many cases where there are multiple homes on a lane, neighbours will work together to draw down funding under the scheme. "The Department of Rural and Community Development is now exactly five years old. I am proud during those five years my Department has provided over €100 million under the Local Improvement Scheme. That funding has delivered improvements on over 3,000 roads and laneways nationwide benefitting over 13,000 rural homes. The funding I am announcing today will see a further increase in those numbers with many more homeowners benefitting", Minister Humphreys concluded.

## New funding to **SUPPORT AND IMPROVE LIBRARIES IN KERRY**

**N**ew funding has been announced to support and improve libraries in Kerry.

The Minister for Rural and Community Development Heather Humphreys, has confirmed to me that €14,404 in Government funding is being made available to assist libraries across Kerry to reach out to and improve services for vulnerable and marginalised groups.

Deputy Brendan Griffin said, "This funding is designed to support and encourage the use of libraries by children, the elderly, people with disabilities and the marginalised and disadvantaged communities, with a number of projects also designed to reach out to Ukrainian families who have fled the war. The funding will

provide for a range of equipment, classes and activities in libraries across the country and I am delighted that many libraries in Kerry will benefit.

In total, the Government has announced €700,000 nationally in funding for library supports, approved under the 2022 Dormant Accounts Action Plan. This funding compliments over €3.1m announced by Minister Humphreys recently for major expansion of My Open Library.

Deputy Griffin continued, "Fine Gael is working to build stronger, safer communities and we are determined to support and improve our libraries, which are integral to communities across Kerry. It is important to reach out to vulnerable and marginalised groups and ensure they have access to quality library services.

"At a national level this initiative will see €400,000 allocated to events and programmes which reach out to marginalised, socially excluded and disadvantaged communities. €150,000 will be granted for the provision of digital equity and sensory equipment which will ++improve accessibility to public library services for people with a disability and those with sensory needs, autism, or older members of our community. And a further €150,000 is allocated for the provision of literacy supports

in tandem with the national Right to Read Programme such as literacy, numeracy, digital skills licences."

Minister for Rural and Community Development, Heather Humphreys TD said, "I am delighted today to announce €700,000 in funding to libraries across the country. The sort of innovative projects that are being funded under this initiative will create a more welcoming and engaging library experience for thousands of people.

"They will put our libraries at the forefront of reaching out to all members of the local community in which they serve.

"I would really encourage families to look at the projects being funding in their own county. Comic Book Clubs for Children with Dyslexia, Online in No Time Courses for older citizens, and Sign Language Storytime are just a few examples of the great supports this funding will allow our libraries across the country to host.

"While this funding is small in nature, it will have a big impact in terms of improving people's lives. I want to pay tribute and thank all our library staff, who play such an important role in cities, towns and villages right across the country."



## MINISTER FOLEY WELCOMES OVER €90,000 IN FUNDING TO SUPPORT AND IMPROVE KERRY WALKING TRAILS

**M**inister for Education and Kerry TD Norma Foley welcomes today's announcement that funding of €91,900 will go towards supporting and improving 41 walking trails across Kerry.

The funding is being provided as part of Our Rural Future, the Government's ambitious policy for rural development.

Under the initiative, grants of €1,000 - €3,000 will be provided to 41 Kerry community groups responsible for managing the trails throughout rural Ireland

The groups, which include the Kerry Way, the Skellig Monks Trail, the John F Leslie Woodland Walk and the Dingle Way, will be able to use the

grant to maintain and improve their local trail and promote its use to visitors.

Minister Foley said: "I am delighted to welcome this funding that will enhance and support some of Kerry's world- class walking trails and scenic walks in beautiful, picturesque and safe surroundings. Tourism is vital to the Kerry economy and this funding will enrich the visitor experience for locals and visitors alike."

*The Kerry Way has received funding to the tune of €3,000*





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# Road Safety Alert

## High Temperature Advisory for Ireland

The Road Safety Authority (RSA), is asking road users to exercise caution while using the roads as Met Eireann has issued a weather advisory for High Temperatures. Ireland is experiencing a hot spell continuing through the weekend. Daytime temperatures will widely reach the mid to high twenties and it will remain uncomfortably warm overnight too.

In High temperatures the RSA is advising road users, particularly drivers, to be aware of the dangers posed by 'sun glare'. Sun glare can result in drivers being temporarily dazzled or blinded by the intensity and brightness of the sun.

With clear sunny conditions and high temperatures forecast over the next number of days, the RSA is advising drivers to:

- Reduce the risk from sun glare and of being dazzled by wearing sun glasses. Be aware of the dangers of sun glare when travelling east in the mornings and west later in the day.
- Be prepared and ensure you have adequate supplies of water, any delays to journeys could result in road users being stuck in traffic for a period time in hot conditions. Children and pets are particularly at risk during these hot spells of weather.
- Ensure your windscreen is clear of grease or grime inside and out. Make sure you have plenty of window washer fluid to clear flies/insects and excess dust from the road when driving.
- Watch out for vulnerable road users such as pedestrians, cyclists, horse riders and motorcyclists. Slow down and allow extra space when passing. Pedestrians, cyclists and motorcyclists are advised to:
- Beware of the dangers that sun glare can cause, especially when crossing the road and at junctions.
- Follow current health messaging around the use of sun block when out walking and cycling.

The impact of high temperatures on roads means that road surface temperatures will rise significantly in the hot weather and surface



dressed roads ("tar and chips") will be prone to softening of the bitumen. This will lead to bitumen slicks occurring on more minor roads. Road users are advised to slow down and exercise caution when braking in such situations.

For advice on severe weather driving tips, please see severe weather advice on the RSA website or check out the RSA Facebook and Twitter pages.

Please also see our severe weather warning videos created in collaboration with Teresa Mannion here. See advice for driving in sun glare here

For more weather updates, visit Met Eireann's website: [www.met.ie](http://www.met.ie)

You can also find more advice on the government's 'Be Summer Ready' safety campaign website.

## CRONIN'S LONG HAUL QUEST FOR POINTS HAUL

Saturday's Grampian Forest Rally based near Banchory, west of Aberdeen, sees the 2022 British Rally Championship reach it's half-way point, and for series leaders, Keith Cronin and Mikie Galvin, the 900 kilometre trip from their respective Ballylickey and Killarney bases marks the longest journey of the season. They currently hold an eleven point advantage at

the head of the standings ahead of Welshman, Osian Pryce, who is also partnered by a Killarney co-driver, Noel O'Sullivan. There has been little to choose between the crews on pace so far this season, and both are equipped with similar examples of the Volkswagen Polo GTi. Pryce has secured two wins, while Cronin recorded victory on the BRC's last foray to Scotland in

May, and has two second places.

Pryce and O'Sullivan are seeded at Number 1, followed by Cronin and Galvin at 2. Former British championship contender, David Bogie, is seeded at three, and will be endeavouring to uphold Scots honour in his Ford Fiesta Rally 2. "I expect David to go very well on Saturday", said Cronin. "He isn't registered for the BRC on this occasion, so if he's ahead I don't intend to get into a battle with him, I'll be prioritising points. When we did the BRC last year, things didn't really gel for us overall, but the Grampian was actually our best result of the season, so I'm obviously hoping things will go well again this time".

Elliot Payne/Patrick Walsh and Garry Pearson/Dale Furniss complete the top five seeds in Ford Fiestas, with the latter crew also chasing host nation honours.

The first stage of the Grampian Forest Rally will commence just before 9.30am.

Keith Cronin and Mikie Galvin are supported in the British Rally Championship by M O'Brien Group of Companies, Keohane Seafoods, Inver Energy, Cremin Coaches, Cronin's HomeValue Hardware, Cronin's Centra (Ballylickey, Leap and Union Hall) and Pirelli Tyres.







## A Word of Victory

Welcome back dear student, the band Maverick City released a worship song called 'Promises' that we love to sing at our fellowship meetings "...I put my trust in Jesus, my Anchor to the ground, my Hope, my firm Foundation, He'll never let me down....Great is Your Faithfulness to me" are some of its lyrics. God is faithful to His Word. That means He can be trusted. People may leave you down and forget what they promised, but God never will. When we gather together to study God's Word we always begin with worship – that is, singing songs that praise the Lord, declaring His goodness and how awesome God is. When we magnify the Lord by using our voices in song there is an anointing released where His Holy Spirit – the Presence of God comes down and fills that place with His Glory and people are touched by the Power of God and healed. All of the songs come from Scripture. That is really what the Psalms are – songs that David and others wrote pouring out their hearts to God and reminding themselves of His Goodness and Power.

Music has a way of touching a person deep inside. We all remember songs from different times in our lives, and how they made us feel. Some evoke tears and others joy depending on the memories. It's always amazing at social events - the dance floor can be empty but once 'Dancing Queen' comes on the atmosphere changes and people nearly knock each other running out to dance! And it's great to see people enjoying themselves. But often when people are in church they remain mute and motionless because of the fear of what others will think of them. The Word of God tells us that God 'inhabits the praises' of His people (Psalm 22:3) so, where there's no expression of worship or praise, the Spirit of God cannot manifest His Presence. All through the Scripture God's people are instructed to praise the Name of the Lord. "From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets, the name of the Lord is to be praised." (Psalm 113:3)

Praise and worship is actually spiritual warfare. Before he fell, Satan was the angel Lucifer. He was involved in the worship in Heaven so he knows how powerful praising God is (Ezekiel 28:13). It is a weapon God has given us to defeat the enemy. The worship song 'I Raise A Hallelujah' was born out of a desperate situation where a little boy was fighting for his life in ICU. His parents were given the devastating news that he would not survive the night. The people in Bethel Church where his parents attended, gathered to pray and intercede for little Jaxon's healing. While they worshipped the verse from Psalm 23 "You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies" was the inspiration for a song that sprang forth as they worshipped. Jaxon not only survived the night but was miraculously healed and restored. This song is a mighty battle cry attesting to God's Power and Glory. When Jesus cleared the temple of those who were defiling it, He actually equated our praises with gaining strength and victory over the enemy (Matthew 21:12-16). He quoted Psalms 8:2 – "You have taught children and infants to give You praise (to tell of Your strength which silences their enemies). Today, start praising God in the Name of Jesus and watch your enemies flee! (John 14:13).

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## JIMMY O'SULLIVAN-DARCY

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### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP DRAW

The County Championship draw last Monday night was simultaneously cruel and kind – it just depends on your perspective!

#### **Group 1: Dr. Crokes, Shannon Rangers, Kenmare Shamrocks, St. Kierans**

Dr. Crokes will fancy their chances of emerging for a quarter-final. Shannon Rangers have struggled in recent years (the amalgamation with Feale Rangers and underage could well be extended to senior in the near future). They are on opposite sides of the club championship to Kenmare this year, but most will remember the controversy surrounding last year's encounter. I don't expect any lingering after-effects – both clubs are too intelligent and too focussed to fall for such distractions. I've had St. Kierans as dark horses for the last number of years – the likes of Thomas Hickey, Luka Brosnan, the Horans, Adam Donoghue, Paul Walsh....I'll still keep a weather eye on them!

#### **Group 2: Kerins O'Rahillys, Spa, Dingle, East Kerry**

Well, we all know the group to watch! This is the obvious 'group of death' – there's absolutely nothing easy here. I think we all know one of the teams emerging for a quarter-final – East Kerry will be smarting badly after their first round loss to Austin Stacks last year (covid necessitated a knock-out championship at the time) and the form of the Cliffords in particular is stunning. Who joins them, though, is anybody's guess. Any of the other three could beat or lose to any other. It'll be interesting!

#### **Group 3: Austin Stacks, West Kerry, Mid Kerry, Na Gaeil**

Na Gaeil would have hoped to avoid their near neighbours – the reigning champions will be hotly tipped to emerge here, but the newcomers having a real chance of joining them in the last eight – a full strength Na Gaeil (apart from Okumbor, who is extremely unlikely to play any role) will be very formidable in their own right. They certainly aren't dependent on the guaranteed excellence of Diarmuid and Jack! I think West Kerry might struggle a bit – plenty of talent in the likes of Gaeltacht and Castlegregory, but none of the clubs are going all that well. Mid Kerry could well be a surprise package – in fact, I think they will be. Beaufort, Laune Rangers, and Milltown/Castlemaine have players who would walk onto any team.

#### **Group 4: St. Brendans, South Kerry, Templenoe, Feale Rangers**

This is the hardest group to read. South Kerry have been down for a year but are coming back strong – Bryan Sheehan must be among the greatest county championship players of all time, and he isn't finished yet. I think they are still a year or two away from contention, though. Likewise Feale Rangers – the draw hasn't been kind in recent years but I can't see them among



*The Dr. Crokes Team*

the top guns. Templenoe have a great starting fifteen – outside of the county players, the likes of Seán Sheehan, Brian Crowley, and Stephen O'Sullivan are top players. Panel depth might be an issue – including the club championships, players have a lot of games with very little rest or recovery time, and reserves will be needed. The team I'd keep a weather eye on here is St. Brendans – their exploits in last year's semi-final didn't come as any surprise, quite genuinely, to anyone watching minor or U21 championships in recent years. They also have great dual players fully available. That is very much a coming team and I'd still walk very softly around them, even without the powerhouse that is Na Gaeil.

### CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS Senior Club

Oh boy! This was where metal met meat in a big way, with some absolutely cracking games and some surprising results.

#### **Group One**

##### **Spa 3-9 Dingle 0-13**

Spa made the early running in a low-scoring first half, with both sides concentrating more on defence than attack. Dingle played Paul Geaney out the field, with Barry O'Sullivan inside – neither profited from the switch. Liam Kearney gave an absolute exhibition from start to finish, and it was his turnover that saw David Spillane neatly jink past the last defender and goalkeeper for a stunning goal to give Spa a 1-4 to 0-3 half-time lead. Dingle took over in the third quarter, with a high press on Spa's kick-out and Paul (back to his usual berth) and Dylan Geaney doing most of the damage. Spa absorbed the punishment, though, and still led by two points when a great Kearney burst saw David Spillane coolly dispatch a penalty and Ryan Carroll added another after Ciarán Spillane was blocked to ensure that Spa beat the League champions.

##### **Na Gaeil 2-12 Kenmare Shamrocks 1-14**

Seán O'Shea had three early points as Kenmare led by 0-4 to 0-3. It was nip and tuck all the way from there, with the teams deadlocked at 0-7 apiece at half-time. Stephen O'Brien had two points for Kenmare, who also had a goal

disallowed (controversially, to say the least), and they could feel reasonably confident heading out for the second half. Diarmuid O'Connor and Jack Barry had both acquitted themselves well in winning midfield in the first half, but O'Connor was simply stunning in the second. He outscored Stephen O'Brien by 3 to 2 in the third quarter and then set up Mikey Griffin for a goal before adding a free. Seán O'Shea was keeping Kenmare in it, and three frees from him plus a Paul O'Connor goal nudged Kenmare in front. However, a sensational goal by O'Connor, followed by a spectacular save by Devon Burns, was enough to see Na Gaeil win their first ever senior club game.

#### **Group Two**

##### **Templenoe 3-9 Austin Stacks 0-13**

Both sides played open football, but Templenoe played a clever possession game that had Stacks' struggling – Tadhg Morley pulled all the strings and dictated the pace. Stacks led after an early Jack O'Shea goal, but found Killian Spillane and Stephen O'Sullivan far too hot to handle. Stephen O'Sullivan intercepted a kick-out and skillfully lobbed the keeper for a brilliant goal to give them a commanding 1-9 to 1-2 half-time lead. Stacks rang the changes at half-time and looked lively early on, with Joe O'Connor forcing a great save from Mark Looney, but O'Sullivan set up Josh Crowley Holland for another goal and should perhaps have had a third himself after Stacks coughed up a turnover with the keeper out of position – Adam Curran got back for a brilliant block. In the end Templenoe were surprisingly comfortable.

##### **Kerins O'Rahillys 0-23 Dr. Crokes 1-16**

Dr. Crokes had a lot of a younger generation pushing onto the starting team, with the likes of Neil O'Shea, Evan Looney, and Liam Randles starting and sub Cian McMahon picking off two points in an impressive second half. However, it was their main guns like Mark O'Shea, Micheál Burns, and an unmarkable Tony Brosnan who led the way. Rahillys, on the other hand, had an experienced line-up that included big men like David Moran, the Walsh brothers, and Tom Hoare. Rahillys led by four early on, all from the boot of Jack Savage. Tony Brosnan scored a brilliant goal for Dr. Crokes, but they trailed by 0-12 to 1-6 at half-time. Micheál Burns and





East Kerry team who lost out to South Kerry in the County Minor Quarter final



Congratulations to the Kerry U14 team, including three players and two coaches from a vibrant Killarney club

Tony Brosnan (2) cut the gap to one point but the Savage brothers nudged Rahillys back in front. Brosnan and Burns whittled the gap back down to two points but, with Tony Brosnan coming out the field, it gave his tormented marker Cormac Coffey license to attack and he picked off three rapid points to seal victory. Jack Savage finished with 0-12 (10f), while Tony Brosnan had 1-9 (4f, 1m).

## COUNTY MINOR QUARTER-FINALS

### South Kerry 0-17 East Kerry 1-12

East Kerry last lost a knockout game in the County Minor Championship away back in the 2016 quarter final to Digle and since then they have been untouchable, lifting the Frank King Cup five times on the trot.

This year it will reside in other hands as their long reign came to an end, and South Kerry propelled themselves right up among the favourites with a spellbinding performance in J.P. O'Sullivan Park last Monday. Ian O'Sullivan and Emmet Daly had them three points in front before Cathal O'Donoghue opened East Kerry's account. It was nip and tuck from then on, Daly and O'Sullivan trading scores with O'Donoghue and Timmy Moynihan to leave the sides deadlocked at 0-8 apiece at half-time. South Kerry made a blistering start to the second half with four points on the trot and Emmet Daly forcing a great save out of Jack O'Donoghue. Cathal O'Donoghue pointed in reply before Seán Finnegan cut in for a great goal to restore parity. Two great points by Jamie Moynihan gave East Kerry hope, but South Kerry always had an answer and deserved to win. They will play Mid Kerry in the semi-final.

### North Kerry 0-12 Austin Stacks 0-11

It is notoriously difficult for a club side to win this competition – it only happened six times ever, twice by Austin Stacks ('69 and '80). They'll have to wait a bit further, but they bowed out with their heads high after a cracking contest with a formidable North Kerry. The divisional side led by 0-5 to 0-3 after a low-scoring first half, Cormac Dillon and Paddy Lane the main men on either side.

Daniel Kirby and Oisín Healy traded scores for their respective teams on the restart – both were to impress. North Kerry gradually pulled clear to lead by 0-9 to 0-6, Stacks reeled that in

though, to trail by just a point, 0-10 to 0-9. Oisín Healy extended the lead, but two points from Paddy Lane brought the sides level. Evan Boyle with a great point from distance saw North Kerry escape with the win to set up a semi-final against Kenmare District.

## CAUSEWAY ARE KERRY HURLING CHAMPIONS

### County Final:

#### Causeway 2-14 Ballyduff 0-15

Causeway surprised quite a few people (myself very much included) when that great comeback saw off Kilmoyley in the semi-final. Frankly, I and most people had expected Kilmoyley and Ballyduff to be battling it out for the title. Causeway have a few new faces in the ranks since their 2019 triumph, but as it turned out the young guns slotted in with consummate ease.

It looked worrisome for them at the start, with Eoin Ross pointing from long range (Ballyduff relied heavily, perhaps a bit too heavily, on long ball and long range shooting). Causeway were misfiring early on, but Paul McGrath, Joseph Diggins (after great work by Brandon Barrett), and a Barrett free nudged them in front. John Mike Dooley (what a hurler for Kerry he was!) made a brilliant save to deny Jack O'Sullivan, with Pádraig Boyle sweeping over the '65 – meat and drink to Kerry's top scorer this year. Kyle O'Connor and Daniel O'Carroll put Ballyduff in front and I thought that they might start to pull away, but instead it was Causeway who rose their game. Barret, my man of the match, and Paul McGrath levelled the contest before Dan Goggin put them in front. Joseph Diggins – both brothers were very impressive – picked out Colum Harty and the Kerry star sliced through before cracking home a brilliant goal. Pádraig Boyle and Kevin Goulding replied. However, Causeway put on another burst, with Harty, Barrett (f) and McGrath giving them a 1-9 to 0-8 lead at half-time.

Pádraig Boyle and Dan Goggin exchanged points but three on the trot from Boyle cut the gap to a single point. Brandon Barrett replied with two frees to put three between them again. Once again Pádraig Boyle and Jack O'Sullivan cut the gap back to the minimum, but once again Causeway responded in style. Brandon Barrett split the posts twice more,

Gavin Dooley added another, and a poacher's goal by Brandon Barrett gave the final scoreline a slightly flattering aspect.

I watched the game on TG4 (I had been at the Stacks v Templehoe game in Direen) and it was great to see the showcase of Kerry hurling on television – this is a stronger hurling county than it usually gets credit for.

The referee's mic was another innovation, and a brilliantly successful one. John O'Halloran from Limerick set the tone from the start with a brief no-nonsense but non-threatening word with the two captains and was quick and clear in both his decisions and his communication. A masterclass that we observers were able to appreciate.

It's a pity that most of the hurling is coming to what I would consider a somewhat premature close, squeezed a bit too abruptly by the football competitions. It's a tough one to resolve, especially with group stages in both the club and county football championships and a lot of dual players being so prominent – Kilgarvan played four games in eleven days recently, Ballyduff much the same, with both teams strongly competitive in both codes. Na Gaeil had players involved in the County Hurling Final the day after they were opening their first ever Senior Club Football Campaign – that's a fair dilemma! Dr. Crokes are competing in the North Kerry Championship, which is great (I firmly believe that hurlers need constant games to stay sharp, much more so than football) and their defeat of Lixnaw is one that will deservedly raise a few eyebrows.

More good news for South Kerry hurling is Kilgarvan's win in the Intermediate championship – they have been knocking on that door for a long time. With Dr. Crokes a senior club, Kilgarvan having the opportunity to go up (a bit risky, given their small panel depth, but nothing ventured would ensure nothing gained), Kenmare always a good side, St. Pats still proudly carrying the hurling flag in East Kerry, and Rathmore having put in fantastic hurling foundations and Firies also making great strides at underage, how far away are we from a viable South Kerry championship? I know nothing, I'm just musing aloud.



## ROWING

The Killarney Regatta is the oldest sporting event in Killarney – it stretches back nigh on 200 years in written records and there are reports of regattas back in the 1700s. I can remember thousands in attendance myself – go back a further generation and it was tens of thousands. I've had the great privilege of hearing the great stories of the Killarney Regatta from John Kelly – I'd say no-one around knew as much about rowing and there were very few who could match him for Killarney history in general – and he helped to shape those histories in a lifetime of public service.

The lakes are always beautiful to visit, but they should be truly spectacular this Sunday as they host the Kerry Coastal Rowing Championships. Coastal rowing has pretty much become the default setting for Irish rowing, a sport in which it should be remembered that Kerry has four Olympians – Seán Casey, Paul Griffin, and Cathal Moynihan from Killarney and Monika Dukarska from Killorglin – Monika is still going as strong as ever and, judging by recent Killorglin success, especially in the quad schulls, we might have a few more international stars on the way.

The championships will be getting underway this Sunday at 10.30am at Castlelough Bay (by the Flesk Valley boathouses) from 11.00am and admission is free. Clubs participating include Sneem, Valentia, Sive, Caherdaniel, Cromane, and Templenoe as well as Fossa, Workmen, and Flesk Valley, and it should make for a great family event.

## CAMOGIE

Congratulations to the Kerry U14 team, including three players and two coaches from a vibrant Killarney club, who followed up on their Division Four Féile win earlier this year with victory last weekend in Ennis in the National U14 Development Blitz.

## ATHLETICS

Killarney Valley's development of their own top quality training facilities in conjunction with St. Brendans' College is a saga of ambition over adversity in its own right. I don't think anyone could have foreseen the incredible dividends it would yield, though – Killarney Valley is quietly becoming a respected name, not just nationally, but internationally after the recent



3 greats of the Kerry Ladies football game of the 80's and 90's, Mary Jo Curran, Dell White and Marina Barry Walsh, had occasion to meet in Connolly Park, Tralee this evening. All three are still involved in ladies football - Mary Jo as Beaufort Ladies team trainer, Dell as a Referee, and Marina as player with Austin Stacks Senior Ladies. All three have been a great inspiration to all involved in the Ladies game over the years, and continue to do so.

This evening's game was round 1 of the Randles Brothers Intermediate Championship between Austin Stacks and Beaufort, with the home side winning on a scoreline of 4-9 to 2-5.

successes of the likes of Jordan Lee, Sarah Leahy, and so many more.

Saturday, August 27th, at 3.30pm sees the official opening of the facility, and after the cutting of the ribbon, the club will be putting on a showcase of athletics with everybody welcome.

## RUGBY

I'm not indulging in the weird panic stations in New Zealand rugby after the All Blacks were defeated by Ireland...at home! Poor oul' Ian Foster is being painted as the villain of the

piece by international media. Listen to an old soldier here, people – calm down a small bit until after the World Cup and let's see how Ireland and New Zealand compare. We've all been here before – Ireland's hopes in the Rugby World Cup have always been a cycle of boom (beforehand) and bust (during). The more we self-congratulate and the more New Zealand themselves, the more my sense of foreboding grows....

It's no secret that Ireland Womens' Rugby had to call out the IRFU for the lack of real support for womens' rugby. Plenty of token platitudes, but little tangibility. It wasn't quite as bad as their [FAI] counterparts having to change gear in airports, and it never got quite as bitter, but it says a lot that the issue was effectively ignored by the IRFU until it had to be brought into the public domain. It's very noticeable that our womens' rugby and soccer teams have both seen a big upturn fortunes. In the circumstances, the news last week that the IRFU are offering full time contracts to their womens' 15s players is a welcome change of culture as well as fully deserved.







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## FOSSA GAA CLUB NEWS

### FOSSA SENIOR MEN

Best of luck to our senior team who play Castlegregory in the second round of the Premier junior championship away on Sunday at 2.30.

### FOSSA U11 BOYS

Well Done to our Under 11 boys who travelled to Glenflesk tonight and played out a fantastic game against the host club. It was a game that had everything, from brilliant defending to wonderful score taking. In total the games produced a staggered 37 scores. Congratulations to both teams on an exhibition of football. Thanks to Glenflesk who provided their wonderful facilities. We look forward to playing Glenflesk again soon.

### EAST KERRY U15

CONGRATS TO FOSSA U15 players Karl James o'Neill, David Butler, Ryan Brady, Mark Kenneally who were all involved with the East Kerry U15 squad this evening. East Kerry had a comprehensive win v Mid Kerry in round 1 of the U15 county championship played in Spa.

### LOTTO:

1,15,25,26. €40 WINNERS: JOAN O'DONOGHUE, ARBUTUS GROVE KILLARNEY. EMMA SHEEHAN, DROUMLAHANE KILLORGLIN; JOANNE LENIHAN, KEEL. REEKS CONSULTING, KILLARNEY. LORCAN O'DOHERTY, C/O GOLDEN NUGGET.

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## KILLARNEY LEGION

### CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Following on from the weekends past fixtures our Senior team will now make the trip down to South Kerry where we will meet Dromid Pearces on their home patch this Sunday August 14th at 2.30pm. Regardless of the result of this fixture we will meet John Mitchels in Direen on the weekend of August 20/21st. So it's a big week ahead with a place in the quarter finals (to be played on Aug 27th/28th) at stake.

### WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to our Senior player Jamie O'Sullivan and Bridie Kennelly who tied the knot last Saturday and we wish them all the best for the future in their life together.

### SUMMER CAMP

We had a fantastic week at our Summer Camp which ran on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. It was brilliant to have it back and with huge numbers. The kids had a great time but it's only possible to run it with the help of our volunteers which numbered close to thirty, ranging from our older juveniles to some of our staunchest Club people. It will be a fixture in our Club for the years ahead.

### MINOR LADIES

The Minor Ladies face MKL Gaels this Friday August 12th in the County League Final with a time and venue yet to be decided. We will share the fixture details on Social media as soon as they are confirmed.



FOSSA U11 BOYS

Well Done to our Under 11 boys who travelled to Glenflesk tonight and played out a fantastic game against the host club

### EAST KERRY U15S

Well done to Bryan Walsh, Oisín Fleming, Cillian Murphy, Aindi O Cathasaigh, Luke Courtney and Selector Nigel Shevlin who were all part of the winning East Kerry team vs Mid Kerry in the U15 County Championship in Spa last Wednesday. Finan Blackwell has since been added to the panel and they will face Castleisland District in the latest round in Milltown this Wednesday at 7.30.

### PAT DRAWS A LYNE UNDER HIS CAREER

Pat Spillane called time on his highly successful and enjoyable punditry career with RTE on the most fitting of days as Kerry celebrated their 38th All Ireland success in Croke Park against Galway. Pat captured the heart of the nation with his emotional recollection of his father Tom, who died at the early age of 41, just days after Kerry's defeat to Galway in the 1964 All Ireland, at a time when he was a Kerry selector. Tom Senior of course was married to Maura Lyne of Cleeney and also played on the only Killarney Legion team to win a County Championship in 1946. Together Tom and Maura raised three boys namely the aforementioned Pat, Mick and Tom Jnr who of course won 19 All Ireland medals between them during Kerry's famous Golden Years.

The Lyne family of course has its own medal collection as well with Canon Michael winning two in 1937 and 1941, Jackie successful in 1946 and 1953 and Denny collecting a Celtic cross in 1946. Denny of course was also the captain of the Kerry team in the famous final of 1947 against Cavan in the Polo Grounds in New York, the only final to be played outside Ireland. Jackie later returned as trainer of the Kerry team and led them to All Ireland success in 1969 (with a team captained by Johnny Culloty) and 1971. More recently of course Denny's Grandson Jonathan added to the family medal board with the 2014 success. Jonathan's cousins and Tom Snr grandsons Killian and Adrian helped turn the tide in Kerry's direction in the 2022 edition and so consolidated the Spillane / Lyne as a Kerry Football dynasty.

Fittingly only this past Sunday Adrian and Killian played starring roles for their club Templenoe as they shocked County Champions Austin Stacks in the first round of the Senior Championship. The game played in Legions home ground of

Direen might have had the feel of a second home to the Spillane tyros.

### DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

The Club extends its sympathies to the family of Paddy O'Sullivan at this sad time. Paddy's son in law Derek Pyne was a mainstay of the Senior team for many years while another son in law Paul Murphy (son of the late Jimmy) played for the Club in his younger days

We also extend our sympathies to the family of Sean Seosamh O Conchubhair at this sad time. Sean's daughter Fiona is the current Club registrar, and the Cotter family have always been great supporters of the Club with the kids active Juvenile members.

### LOTTO RESULTS

Monday Aug 1st. Numbers - 2, 13, 16, 17 bonus 28. No jackpot winner. Match 3/ lucky dip: 1. Mary O Shea, 2. Michael Myers, 3. Billy Kenny, 4. Breda Grimes, 5. Naomi Travers

## MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE CLUB

### LOTTO

Sponsored by Almas Takeaway, Milltown. The fortnightly club lotto draw took place on Tuesday, July 26th at the club grounds. There was no jackpot winner on this occasion. The numbers drawn were 1, 3, 22 and the bonus ball was 28. Lucky Dip winners were as follows: €50 - Brian O'Neill, Killarney. €50 - Bok My Chain, Cork. €25 - Catherine O'Connor, Castlemaine. €25 - Pat O'Connor, Fries. €25 - Margaret Harmon, Milltown. €25 - Norma O'Neill, Milltown

Our next club lotto draw is scheduled to take place on Monday, August 8th (tomorrow) at 8:00pm where the jackpot will be €12,600. Get your draw tickets or renew your yearly tickets online on Clubforce or get your tickets for the next draw from all the usual local outlets. Mile búiochas do gach duine for playing Milltown/Castlemaine Clubs Fortnightly Fundraiser, the money raised is vital to the day to day running of our club and your support is sincerely appreciated.

### CAMP FOR FUTURE STARS 202

Final Call For Camp Registration. Registration for the Milltown/Castlemaine 'Camp For Future Stars' closes this weekend. Registration available On-line via the following link (<https://>



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#### **KERRY PETROLEUM INTERMEDIATE CLUB FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP: ROUND 1 RESULT AND ROUND 2 FIXTURE**

Milltown/Castlemaine took on Glenflesk on Saturday evening in Round 1 of the Kerry Petroleum Intermediate Club Football Championship in Fossa. Glenflesk were quickest out of the blocks and had built up a five point lead at 1-04 to 0-02 by the end of the opening quarter with their goal being scored by Darragh Roche from the penalty spot. Milltown/Castlemaine, though slow to settle, gradually brought themselves back into the contest and had managed to level the game approaching half-time on a score of 1-6 apiece with our own goal scored by Eanna O'Connor

from the penalty spot after Cathal Moriarty was adjudged to have been fouled. Patrick D'Arcy however through a fisted effort ensured Glenflesk would take a narrow one point lead into the interval at 1-7 to 1-6. The second half was a more tense affair as the half wore on with neither side wanting to get off to a losing start. Glenflesk opened the scoring through captain Daniel O'Brien to extend their lead to two but Milltown/Castlemaine fought back once more and took the lead for the first time all game with less than ten minutes remaining when substitute Jonathan O'Sullivan landed a peach of a point to make it 1-10 to 1-09. Glenflesk through two Darragh Roche superbly taken scores regained the lead however as we headed for injury time but cometh the hour, cometh the man as they say as the unerring accuracy of Eanna O'Connor ensured the teams would share the spoils as he knocked over a free off the ground in the 63rd minute to bring his own personal tally to 1-7 for the evening and it ultimately left the final score 1-11 to 1-11 which overall one would have to say was a fair result on the balance of play.

Round 2 takes place next weekend when Milltown/Castlemaine host St. Marys at the Paddy Burke Memorial Park. Date and time is yet to be confirmed. In the same group next weekend, Glenflesk will host Rathmore.

#### **KEANE'S SUPERVALU COUNTY MINOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP:**

The Mid Kerry Minors along with Kenmare Shamrocks have received a Bye into the Semi-Finals of the Keane's Supervalu County Minor Football Championship. They won their 3 group games against West Kerry, Laune Rangers and South Kerry.

The Quarter-Final pairings drawn earlier in the week will see North Kerry take on Austin Stacks and East Kerry come up against South Kerry.

Milltown/Castlemaine are well represented with 8 players on the panel and Cathal Moriarty/Mike Burke are involved in the management team.

#### **COUNTY U-15 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP:**

Mid Kerry's U-15s side travelled to Spa GAA, Killarney on Wednesday evening for Round 1 of the County Championship where they met East Kerry.

Unfortunately despite a great effort, the lads didn't return victorious. Milltown/Castlemaine have 4 players on the panel with James Dempsey, Michael Lynch, Sean Griffin and Diarmuid Quirke all involved, Stephen Roche of our own club is part of the management team too.

#### **U13S**

Milltown/Castlemaine's U-13 Green and White sides will both continue training on Tuesday



Gneeveguilla team Defeated by Dr Crokes in the East Kerry Junior League Division 1 Final. Photo by Seamus Healy





and Friday of this week at 6:00pm at the club grounds. The two sides will travel to Killeen, Tralee on Sunday evening next to take on Na Gaeil in Round 3 of the Kellihers Toyota Central Region. Times to be confirmed.

#### GAA 4 ALL

Please note that GAA 4 All training sessions will now take place once weekly on a Wednesday evening (instead of Saturday morning) from 5:45pm - 6:30pm at the club grounds.

Thanks so much to Abbie, our coach who travels all the way from Knocknagree, just over the border in Co Cork to help our footballers in our GAA 4 ALL group at our weekly training sessions. As a gift after enjoying her first year with us Abbie and her mom Claire bought water bottles for all our players with our club logo and team name on the front. Thank you so much to both Abbie and Claire for a wonderful and kind gesture. They would also like to thank <https://idsportshop.com/> for their help in making the bottles.

#### U10 GIRLS

The team will have a blitz in Tralee on Saturday, August 13th at Austin Stacks GAA Club Grounds, otherwise known as Connolly Park. The management are asking all players to be at the grounds for 10:15am. The organisers of the blitz aim to have it finished by 2:15pm.

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U8 Girls Next training will be Monday, August 8th at the club grounds at 6:15pm. Born 2014 & 2015. U10 Girls Training continues on Thursday evening, August 11th at 6:45pm.

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MC Minis contact is Colin McKenna 0870687653

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If you are new to the area and you wish to join an older group, contact Ian Twiss (0872521053). New players welcome to try out to see how much they enjoy it!

## DR. CROKES GAA CLUB

#### SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Dr. Crokes 1-16 Kerins O'Rahillys 0-23. We had a disappointing start in our Club Championship campaign in a game played on a glorious day in Castleisland Desmonds GAA on Sunday. Lining out without Kerry players Gavin White and Shane Murphy, Rahillys proved the stronger at the final whistle. Rahillys started the better, leading 4 points to 1 point after just 5 minutes of play. Brian Looney opened our scoring with a point from play. A well taken goal from Tony Brosnan gave us a lead for the first time in the game. 3 unanswered points from Rahillys before Tony Brosnan replied with a free from

the mark leaving the score 0-8 to 1-3 after the first quarter. Both teams kept the scoreboard ticking over, leaving the score 0-12 to 1-6 at the half time break. We started the second half well with points from Tony and Micheal Burns leaving the score 1-10 to 1-4 after 39 minutes of play. We refused to lie down but Rahillys emerged as deserving winners.

East Kerry Junior Final Dr. Crokes 1-13 Gneeveguilla 0-13. Our Junior team brought back their first bit of silverware of the year after a well fought battle against Gneeveguilla on Tuesday last. Both teams worked hard throughout the game with the goal being the difference after 60 minutes of play.

North Kerry Senior Hurling Championship Dr. Crokes 0-27 Lixnaw 2-18 (AET). Our senior hurlers made the trip to Lixnaw on Bank Holiday Monday evening to meet the home side in the Preliminary Round of the North Kerry Senior Hurling Championship. With a strong wind to our backs in the first half, the team linked up well together to build a formidable lead by the break. Long range points from Mark Heffernan, Tom Doyle and Vinny Doyle saw us lead 0-14 to 1-03 at half time. We started the second half well against the breeze but Lixnaw got a grip on the game and together with another goal, levelled matters after 15 minutes. It was then back and forth with a spread of scorers including Kevin Landers, Jack and Michael Lenihan and Rob Ryan. Both sides rued some uncharacteristic wides in what was a very free-flowing skilful game, resulting in a level score line at the full time whistle, 0-22 to 2-16. Both sides gave everything they had in extra-time in what was a real classic, enjoyed by all spectators. James Murphy and Mike Milner held strong, winning vital possession and delivering forward. We contested every ball and persevered as a team to claim a well fought victory. We will now face Crotta O'Neill's at a date and venue to be confirmed.

#### COUNTY MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Dr. Crokes 1-06 Austin Stacks 0-09. Our minors earned a well-deserved draw in an entertaining game played in very difficult conditions in round 3 of the county minor championship in Lewis Road on Monday last. Scores from Shay O'Meara 1-2(2f) Alex Hennigan 0-2(1f) Cormac O'Donoghue 0-1 Neill O'Carroll 0-1.

Summer Camp Our very popular Summer Can will be taking place from the 22nd to the 24th of August from 9am - 1pm for boys and girls aged 4 to 11. Info from the academy coaches. Booking can be done through the following link [https://member.clubforce.com/memberships\\_cart\\_m.asp?LL\\_ID=2545&intMF\\_ID=10516#Anchor](https://member.clubforce.com/memberships_cart_m.asp?LL_ID=2545&intMF_ID=10516#Anchor)

**LOTTO** TOOK PLACE ON August 8th Numbers drawn were 1, 3, 6, 16 Jackpot not won. 11



Pictured is captain Kieran Ward Dr Crokes, Ref Brian Fleming, Currow, Gneeveguilla Captain Danny O'Callaghan. Photo taken By Seamus Healy



East Kerry PRO Michael O Mahony was on hand to present the James Doyle Memorial Trophy to Crokes Captain Kieran Ward, along with James nephew, James Doyle, Gneeveguilla

patrons matched 3 numbers and receive €40 each. Jackpot for draw on August 16th will be €8 300. We are calling on all members to support our weekly lotto as this represents one of the main sources of revenue for the club. We have made a number of alterations to make things easier for members to play the easiest one being to play it online by following the link below and follow instructions attached [https://play.clubforce.com/play\\_newa.asp#Anchor](https://play.clubforce.com/play_newa.asp#Anchor)

#### BINGO

Dr Crokes Bingo continues every Sunday night at 8pm. Doors open at 6:45. Everyone Welcome. **CONGRATULATIONS** to Ambrose O'Donovan and his new wife Anja who were married in Germany last weekend.

## BALLYHAR-FIRIES GAA

#### LOTTO

Numbers drawn were: 3, 5, 18, 25. No jackpot winner. 5x€30" James Ellard, Farranfore. Aisling Walsh. Bridie Grady, c/o Bridie. David & Aiden Breen, c/o Bridie. Aoife Sheehan, Crag Farranfore. Next weeks jackpot €2600. Thanks to everyone who purchased a ticket and don't forget to get one for next week!!

Get your lotto tickets online via the Furies page





John Henderson played with the Kerry u14 over the weekend



Firies players Fionn Dineen, Adam Burns and Sean Barry played with Kerry U15's played Saturday in the Stalker Wallace



Oileán Walsh played with the Kerry u16's on Saturday

on Clubforce or tickets are also available to purchase physically in some of the local shops incl. Aherns Pharmacy, Farranfore, Sherwood Bar and Restaurant Farranfore, Sheehans Shop Farranfore, Moriarty's Centra Farranfore, Brides Shop Firies, Hendersons Shop and Bar Firies and from all the usual sellers. We thank these businesses for their continued support. Thank you all for your continued support.

#### THE BIG DROP

We are very excited to announce our new Club Fundraiser, "THE BIG DROP". On Saturday, 1st October at 2pm, the clubs' home turf will be virtually divided into a grid format and Taking advantage of the clubs' close proximity to Kerry Airport, a helicopter will fly over Pairc Eamonn, dropping ten balls. When one purchases a €50 ticket, the purchaser is randomly allocated a grid box and if the ball lands on your allocated grid box, you could be the lucky recipient to share in 25K in prize money. There are ten cash prizes available on the day; six €1K, one €1.5K, one €2.5K and the ultimate prize of €10K. Tickets are now on sale either on-line via <https://pallaslotteries.ie/firiesbigdrop> or in paper format from any club member. 10% of

all profits from the big drop will go to the Air Ambulance to acknowledge the phenomenal work that is undertaken not only in Firies but beyond our rural club.

#### KERRY DEVELOPMENT HURLING SQUADS

John Henderson played with the Kerry u14 over the weekend in a Tony forestall qualifier, where they played cork, waterford and Kilkenny.

Kerry U15's played Saturday in the Stalker Wallace against Limerick and Kildare with Firies players Fionn Dineen, Adam Burns and Sean Barry all involved.

Oileán Walsh played with the Kerry u16's on Saturday in Kildare against Kildare, Westmeath and clare. Well done lads.

#### RESULTS

Junior Championship Rd 2 Firies 3-16 Beale 1-08

#### RATHMORE/GNEEVEGUILLA

By Michael O'Mahony

#### INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Rathmore play Glenflesk in Glenflesk at 2.30pm on Sunday August 14th. Rathmore play Milltown/Castlemaine the following weekend in

Rathbeg.

#### SOUTH KERRY JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP QUARTER FINAL

Kenmare V Rathmore in Kenmare at 7.00pm on Mon. Aug. 15th.

#### U15 CO. CHAMPIONSHIP

Eoghan Rua V East Kerry Wed. Aug. 17th in Rathbeg at 7.00 pm.

**BEST WISHES** to the Rathmore players who will play with East Kerry in the Senior Co. Championship V Kerins O'Rahilly's in the first round. Best wishes to Cian O'Connor who plays with U 16 South Kerry Dev. Squad in an All Ireland Final on Aug. 13th.

#### CONGRATULATIONS & VERY BEST WISHES

to George O'Keeffe & Marie Moynihan who were married on Sat. last. Rath Dé oraibh I gcónaí.

**SINCERE SYMPATHY** to the Desmond family from Rathbeg on the death of their brother Diarmuid who played football with Rathmore and subsequently had a long footballing career as a player and manager with Bank of Ireland and Ballinteer St. John's. Ar Dheis Dé go raibh a anam dílis.



## SEAN O'SHEA'S LAST GASP FREE TO TAKE KERRY TO THE FINAL WINS EIRGRID POWER PLAY OF THE MONTH

Sean O'Shea's astonishing last gasp 50 metre winning free into the S breeze against Dublin in the All-Ireland semi-final and has been selected as the EirGrid Power Play of the Month for July, as voted for by the fans. EirGrid, the state-owned company charged with delivering a cleaner energy future through management of Ireland's electricity grid, launched the EirGrid Power Play Awards earlier this year, as part of its Official Timings Partnership with the GAA.

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by a panel of experts, from both the Football and Hurling All Ireland Championships and was put to public vote to be named the EirGrid Power Play of the Month. Tony Kelly's last-minute side-line to force extra-time in the Munster final was selected as the EirGrid Power Play for June, while Damien Reck's goal line clearance for Wexford vs Kilkenny was selected as the EirGrid Power Play of the Month for May. O'Shea's kick was the iconic GAA moment of the summer.

The shape and whip on the kick was perfection itself as Kerry ended a run of five consecutive Championship defeats by Dublin to set up an All-Ireland final date with Galway, and ultimately a first Sam Maguire triumph since 2014.

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### 1st Monday

8.15 PM  
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9.00 PM  
9.30 PM

### 1st Wednesday

8.00 PM  
8.30 PM  
9.00 PM  
9.30 PM

### 1st Thursday

8.30 PM  
9.00 PM  
9.30 PM  
10.00 PM

### 1st Friday

9.30 PM  
10.00 PM  
10.30 PM

### 3rd Monday

8.30 PM  
9.00 PM  
9.30 PM  
9.45 PM

### Rathmore & Gneeveguilla

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### 3rd Friday

7.30 PM  
8.00 PM  
8.15 PM  
9.00 PM  
9.30 PM

### 4th Thursday

7.00 PM  
7.30 PM  
8.15 PM  
8.45 PM  
9.15 PM  
9.45 PM

### 4th Friday

8.30 PM  
9.30 PM  
10.00 PM  
10.45 PM

### Last Monday

8.00 PM  
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by John O'Sullivan

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## NOVENA TO ST. CLARE

### IN THANKSGIVING

Novena to St. Clare. Ask for three favours, one business, two impossible. Say nine Hail Mary's for nine nights with lighted candles. Pray whether you believe or not. Publish on ninth day. Powerful novena.

Say may the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored glorified and loved today and everyday throughout the whole world now and forever. Amen  
Your request will be granted no matter how impossible it may seem.

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## THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Sacred Heart of Jesus, in the past, I have asked for many favours.

This time I ask for a very special one.

(Here mention your request.)

Take it, dear Jesus, and place it within your own broken heart, where your Father sees it. Then, in his merciful eyes, it will become your favor and not mine. Amen.  
Say for three days and promise to publish.

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## PRAYER TO THE LITTLE FLOWER ST THERESE

O Little Therese of the Child Jesus, please pick for me a rose from the heavenly gardens and send it to me as a message of love. O Little Flower of Jesus, ask God to grant the favours

I now place with confidence in your hands . .

(mention in silence here)

St. Therese, help me to always believe as you did in God's great love for me, so that I might imitate your "Little Way" each day.

Amen

## 28TH ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

EILEEN  
O'DONOGHUE



LATE OF BALLYCASHEEN,  
KILLARNEY.  
WHO DIED ON THE 11TH  
AUGUST, 1994.

*Our Mum,*

*Why our Mum we often say*

*Why she was picked to be that way*

*Now she has gone and left us here*

*We all did love her very dear*

*When she was very ill in bed*

*She won't pull through the Doctor said*

*Every time she came out on top*

*But suddenly it came to a stop*

*All the nurses we must thank so much*

*They always had the special touch*

*To get her well and pull her through*

*We owe it all to all of you*

*And also the home-help*

*They did a lot*

*Don't worry we never forget*

*Ye kept her well she- had no pain*

*And minding her was not a strain*

*And her friend that was so dear*

*She never had to live in fear*

*Of feeling down and all alone*

*She'd come by and make it home*

*All the suffering Mom went through*

*Dad was there*

*And went through it all*

*He stood by her through it all*

*And at the end he took the fall*

*A bouquet of beautiful memories*

*Sprayed with a million tears*

*Wishing God could have spared you*

*If just for a few more years.*

Loved always and never forgotten

Your loving husband Sean, Norma and Bryan,

Lorraine and Killian, Tricia and Richard,

Sean and Jen and your loving grandchildren

Fionn, Saoirse, Oisín, Timmy, Paddy, Robert

and Benjamin

## 2ND ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

JUNE WALSH



WOODLAWN PARK, KILLARNEY  
WHO DIED ON THE  
18TH OF AUGUST 2020

*"It broke our hearts to lose you  
But you did not go alone  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home."*

From your loving husband Cathal  
& your brother Jerry.

Anniversary Mass on Friday August 19th at  
6.15pm in St. Mary's Cathedral, Killarney.

## 2ND ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

JUNE WALSH



WOODLAWN PARK, KILLARNEY  
WHO DIED ON THE  
18TH OF AUGUST 2020

*"We think of you always  
and talk about you too  
We have such precious memories  
We wish we still had you."*

Dearly loved & missed by your sons  
Finbarr & Enda,  
daughter-in-law Breda  
& your grandchildren Rebecca, Amy,  
Nia & Dara.

## ST ROCH PRAYER

Prayer to Avert Contagious Maladies.

O' Most Merciful God who through an angel promised St Roch whoever would invoke his name should be preserved From pestilence & contagious diseases. Grant that through his intercession we may be preserved from all dangers both of Soul & body. Through Christ Our Lord  
Amen St Roch Pray for Us.

Feast 16 August.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & 1ST ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

BRIAN V WYNNE



LATE OF FLESK GROVE,  
KILLARNEY AND  
BEAUMONT, DUBLIN 9

WHO DIED PEACEFULLY ON THE  
11TH OF AUGUST, 2021.

On Brian's first anniversary we, his family, wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the sympathy and support shown to us on our heart-breaking loss.

We wish to thank especially the ambulance crews and the Doctors and Nurses at University Hospital Kerry, who cared for our father in such a compassionate manner. Our sincere thanks to Fr. Niall Howard for his guidance and prayers and for leading the beautiful personal funeral mass for our father. Your visits to Dad during his final months were a great comfort and joy to him during his time of grief following our Mam's death and after a marriage of over 60 years.

Many thanks to the sacristan, Tadhg and to our singer Máire and organist Anita, for their very moving musical additions to the mass. To our dear friends, neighbours, relatives and colleagues who graciously lined St. Mary's Cathedral driveway and the streets of Killarney to pay their respects and to those who joined the mass on-line. We were deeply touched and it meant so much to us at this time. Many thanks to those who sent mass cards, texts, letters, messages and refreshments. A special thanks to Kennelly's Pharmacy, and to Dr Gary Stack and Norma of Park Medical Practice for their unwavering care of our Dad. To his carer Sandra and to Consultants and staff at CUH, Bons Secours Tralee and UHK Palliative Care Unit who always went out of their way to treat Dad in such a kind and friendly manner.

Finally, thanks to Mike and Mary O'Shea Funeral Directors and their team for their gentle professionalism in arranging the funeral and the transportation of Dad's remains to the Island Crematorium.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, please accept this acknowledgement as a token of our sincere gratitude to everyone.

We also remember our dear mother Dymphna Wynne (nee Keely), who pre-deceased our father on the 12th January, 2021. Mam and Dad returned to Dublin together, as they always wished and are now interred at Kilternan Cemetery Park, Co. Dublin.

*O bhás go críoch,  
Ní críoch ach ath-fhás  
I bParthas na nGráist  
Go rabhaimid.*

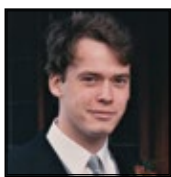
Loved and always remembered by your family  
Brian J, Colm, Karen and extended families

**The Anniversary Mass for Brian will take place  
in St. Mary's Cathedral on Saturday 24th  
September at 6.15pm.**



### 15TH ANNIVERSARY

#### IN LOVING MEMORY OF TIMOTHY KELLY



NO 1 COUNTESS GROVE  
WHO DIED AUG 8, 2007

*Fondly remembered and thought  
of every day for your wonderful  
sense of humour and your loyalty  
to your family, your missed every  
day Tim and always will be.*

Loved always by your brother's Patrick,  
Michael, sisters Kathleen, Maura,  
nephews Patrick, Declan and niece Maura,  
also Kurt and Brother In Law Mike

### 7TH ANNIVERSARY

#### IN LOVING MEMORY OF TRISH CREAGH MCLARNON



KNOCKNAGEEHA,  
GNEEVEGUILLA  
WHO DIED ON THE  
17TH OF AUGUST 2015

*God saw you getting tired  
And a cure was not to be  
He closed his arms around you  
And whispered "Come with me"  
Your memory is our keepsake  
For which we'll never part  
God has you in his keeping  
We have you in our hearts*

Sadly missed and always remembered  
by your husband Tony, Daughter Tara  
and The McLarnon Family.

*Anniversary Mass on Sunday 14th of August  
at 10.00am in The Church of the Holy Rosary,  
Gneeveguilla.*

### 28TH ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

#### EILEEN O'DONOGHUE



LATE OF BALLYCASHEEN,  
KILLARNEY.  
WHO DIED ON THE 11TH  
AUGUST, 1994.

*As I lay down to sleep  
To god I give my soul to keep  
If I shall die before I wake  
To god I give my soul to take  
There are four corners in my bed  
There are four angles at my head  
One to guard me, one to guide me,  
And two to take my soul straight to heaven*

From her loving daughter Tricia,  
Richard and Grandsons  
Timmy and Paddy

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### 28TH ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

#### EILEEN O'DONOGHUE



LATE OF BALLYCASHEEN,  
KILLARNEY.  
WHO DIED ON THE 11TH  
AUGUST, 1994.

*Heaven needed Mam:  
So many things of mam I miss  
Her gentle hug and tender kiss  
I still can feel her warm embrace  
And picture still her loving face*

*A mother's task are never done  
And heaven must have needed one  
For angles came and took her hand  
And led her to gods promised land*

*She's surely kept quite busy there  
While brushing angels little hair  
And made sure they are dressed just right  
And not staying out too late at night*

*Although there is sadness this I know  
She's waiting there, her face aglow  
I close my eyes and I can see  
Her arms still open wide for me.*

Your loving son Sean, Jen  
& her grandsons Robert & Benjamin

### 3RD ANNIVERSARY

#### IN LOVING MEMORY OF JERRY (JEREMIAH) O'BRIEN



LATE OF 44 O'KELLYS VILLAS,  
KILLARNEY  
WHO PASSED AWAY ON THE  
13TH AUGUST 2019

*Treasure the memories within your heart,  
I won't be far away for life goes on,  
And if you need me, call and I will come.  
Thought you can't see or touch me,  
I will be near,  
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear,  
All my love around you soft and clear.*

Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by  
Siobhán, Jerry, Cassandra and Ellen.

**Anniversary Mass for Jerry will take  
place on the 20th August at 6:15pm  
in St Mary's Cathedral**

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## NOVENA TO ST ANTHONY

O wonderful St. Anthony, glorious on account  
of the fame of your miracles, and through the  
condescension of Jesus in coming in the form of  
a little child to rest in your arms, obtain for me of  
His bounty the grace which I ardently desire from  
the depths of my heart. (State your intention)  
You who were so compassionate toward miserable  
sinners, regard not the unworthiness of those  
who pray to you, but the glory of God that it may  
once again be magnified by the granting of the  
particular request (State your intention) which I  
now ask for with persevering earnestness. Amen

Pray one Our Father,  
one Hail Mary, and  
Glory Be to the Father, in honor of Saint Anthony.  
Saint Anthony, pray for us!  
**J.B.**

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