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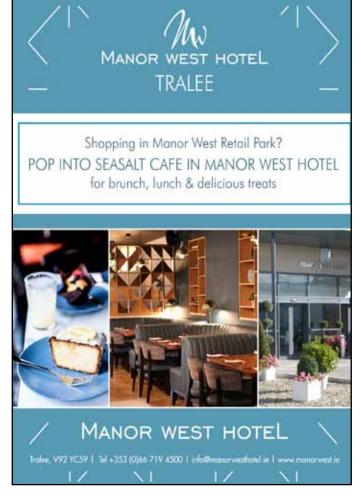
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FOR DISABLED PARKING SPACES

s part of MakeWayDay, which took place on September 25th, Killarney Gardaí have launched operation "Enable".

The aim of this is to target illegal use of disabled parking spaces and also the illegal use of disabled parking permits within Killarney town.

This operation was supported by the Access Group Killarney and also run in conjunction with #Makewayday which is a national public awareness campaign to highlight the issues, people with disabilities face getting around their local communities.

"We would like to thank everyone who supports this operation" Garda Brendan Donovan told Killarney Outlook. "We would especially like to Mary O Shea (Access Group Killarney) and all the residents at the Chesire Homes Killarney who welcomed us this week", he added.

Killarney Access Group liaises with Killarney Municipal District Council on access issues throughout the town of Killarney. The group was formed over 20 years ago to support people with access issues to help make Killarney become a more accessible town for everyone.



Pictured at the launch of Operation Enable are Garda Emma Harte, Karen O Donoghue, student Garda Shane McCarthy, Mary O Shea, Superintendent Flor Murphy, Katie O Sullivan, Mike Scannell, Garda Brendan O' Donovan community policing front row. Pat Daly, Helen Coakley, Aileen O Sullivan.



Pictured at the launch of Operation Enable are LtoR Garda Emma Harte, Mary O Shea, Garda Brendan O Donovan, Community Policing, Superintendemt Flor Murphy, Aileen O Sullivan, Mike Scannell, Student Garda Shane McCarthy.

HOUSE PRICES RISE IN KILLARNEY

The time taken to sell the average house in Kerry has fallen by four weeks in the past quarter, a national property survey has found. The REA Average House Price Survey found that the average time taken to sell across the county fell over the past three months from 11 weeks to seven.

As people move away from urban hubs and incorporate new working from home lifestyles, the price of the average three-bed semi-detached house in the county rose 1.1% this quarter to €226,000.

Killarney prices rose 1.9% this quarter to €270,000, and time taken to sell fell by a fortnight to eight weeks.

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"We continue to see couples moving back to the area from London, Dublin and Cork, and there is also a better demand on rentals as single people are not renting in cities and have moved home to live."

Despite fears of a downturn in the market during the Covid-19 crisis, the price of a three-bedroomed semi-detached house across the country rose by 0.6% over the past three months to €236,046, an annual increase of 0.4%.

Reflecting the beginnings of a flight to rural locations, prices in the rest of the country's towns rose by almost 1% in 12 weeks to €163,345.

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Help the O'Mahony's on their journey for transportation for this amazing girl....

was delighted to visit the home of little Alexis
O'Mahony this week.

Fully masked and sanitised I entered her home briefly before heading out to the back garden in

the beautiful sunshine we've been lucky enough to be enjoying still. Alexis was looking vibrant and beautiful and smiling away listening to music that Teresa told me is a huge contribution to her happiness. A girl after my own heart. A good tune releases the best endorphins. Teresa was excited to show me the recent progress of gripping of hands that Alexis had achieved through their physio Alan Lyons of Bare Foot Physio, Modelfarm Rd Cork. I hadn't seen Alexis in a little while. I was so impressed with her. I noticed as I exited the house to go to the back garden through the back door as you would, Stephen & Alexis needed to use the front door because the back entrance was not wheelchair accessible. Not a huge task I suppose but I wanted to ask about future adapted housing for Alexis but the priority today was to have a chat about transportation for this four and a half year old beauty going forward. I made the mistake of thinking funding was needed for her new wheelchair which was not the case. Here's how our conversation went at Woodlawn Drive. "Kerry Intervention Disability Service (KIDO) have been fantastic to Alexis liaising with specialists in Tralee (AFO's which is bracing for Alexis's feet & lower legs dominantly the ankles) & Cork (to monitor her posture as she is at high risk for scoliosis) and in turn with Enable Ireland. We are so grateful to them for all the support we get. We were in Cork on Friday fitting Alexis for her new DMO suit (orthotic suit) which is fully covered by the HSE as is her wheelchair which we will have a fitting for in the coming weeks. The arrival of the new wheelchair is bitter sweet. It's the best news ever but it brings the dilemma of new transportation for Alexis and us as a family. A regular car simply cannot accommodate." Teresa explained. Like any child, a child seat has to be adapted according to development and it is wonderful that she is now ready for the next stage. The problem now lies with transportation as a fully fitted vehicle with adaptations for a wheelchair is the only solution to get Alexis to appointments and from A to B in general. "Take for example when we need to travel to Dublin for appointments etc. In the past we would make stop offs at Obama Plaza to change Alexis and break up the journey for her. We can no longer use the changing facilities Marie as she is fifteen and a half kilograms, she's too heavy now for the changing areas. Proper transportation would alleviate this as we could change her on board" In her column with the Killarney Outlook - Marie takes to the highways and byways meeting locals and telling their story

"A REGULAR CAR SIMPLY CANNOT ACCOMMODATE ALEXIS"



Stephen explained. "I have to sit next to her too Marie" Teresa continued "as she is at risk of choking. We pack an average of 8 bags with every appointment for Alexis.

I recalled heading home to Tipp & Dublin to see my family when mine were smallies which was a big task. I might have packed the tiniest overnight bag for myself and the rest of the boot was taken up with baby paraphernalia. "When we have the luxury of getting away for example to Poland Marie, with all that goes with Alexis it's similar to the ordeal of moving house! Needless to say we don't get away that often but it will be impossible in the future to go as far as the National Park for a stroll with Alexis without the needed transportation" Stephen continued.

"We have talked about opening up a Go Fund Me Page for a long time but there's a certain amount of pride attached to doing something like this. It's really hard to ask for help" Stephen said. In any walk of life it's difficult to ask for help, even something as simple as putting up your hand in Maths Class to say 'I don't understand', I thought. "I was out cycling the other day Marie and the reality hit me that we needed this money. I stopped and got a little upset but then pulled myself together realising Alexis is the biggest happiness of my life and this is not for me, it is for her" Teresa said. Teresa is an amazing mother. As we chatted she was constantly attentive to Alexis changing the tunes and making sure she was warm outside. "She is a real diva Marie and she listens to everything". I was delighted to hear that Alexis was enjoying our chats as well as her music. "It's taken a while for Teresa & I to agree on a Go Fund Me fundraising page. We are so lucky to have five wonderful people on the committee for this project so we don't have to worry about it and they've our best interests at heart. It gives us time to concentrate on Alexis which is the most important thing" Stephen said. "I think it's changed my personality as a person to ask for help. I've opened up so much. You have to do uncomfortable things in life and when you do I believe it will stand to you... or in this case stand to Alexis". I firmly agreed with Stephen. It is so hard to ask for help but no one is invincible and in my experience the people of Killarney are a fantastic community and always willing to help each other out. I wanted to put a few names to this wonderful committee - Louise & Chris McGillycuddy, Frances O'Sullivan, David Fleming & Pam Treacy. "They are so professional Marie. We are forever grateful to them" Stephen added.

"So what's the dream going forward?" I had to ask Stephen & Teresa. Teresa began "A little house in Killarney adapted for my baby girl, even a little apartment close to the park which she loves to go to daily and a vehicle to take us there". I looked over at Stephen who was smiling "Teresa is from Poland Marie and if we had the transportation I would love to drive there. I've had so many thoughts about this you've no idea, outside of Covid19. I've even mapped out the entire journey on google maps. We'd travel to Dublin and stay with my brother then take the ferry over to the UK where another of my brother lives. We have friends in Belgium and Teresa sister lives in Germany. Frydman is a very remote village on the Slovakian border. There would be no issue there, it's beautiful and so quiet and Teresa's parents would be overjoyed to see Alexis again. We just have to find the transportation is all".

I admired the gorgeous windmill in the garden which had come from all the way from Frydman. Stephen decided to up the tempo with the Venga Boys which usually ignites beaming smiles from Alexis and today was no different with her smiling down my lens. What a girl and what a lucky lady to have such amazing parents. Thank you for having me at your home in Woodlawn Stephen, Teresa & Alexis. You too can help Alexis on her journey for transportation for her and her family by going to their Go Fund Me page

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Old School Glamour wins at the McElligotts **Honda Virtual Ladies Day**

nspired by an outfit worn by Sue Ellen in the hit 80's TV show. Dallas, Tasha O'Connor from Templealantine, Co. Limerick, was declared the McElligotts Honda Virtual Best Dressed Lady on Friday 25th of September.

Resplendent in a winter white dress, with faux fur and wide brimmed hat, Tasha bought her mid length dress from H&M and her statement headpiece from Marc Millinery €500 in cash sponsored by McElligotts Tralee and Listowel Races.

The winner of the Most Contemporary New Season Look, sponsored by Brian de Staic Jewellers, was Jae Tourish from Letterkenny, Co. Donegal. She got her eye catching brocade silver and green dress from Stein Official and finished her look with a wide brimmed off-the-face emerald green headpiece from Wisteria Letterkenny. The winner of the Best Headpiece, sponsored by the Muckross Park Hotel, was Michelle Manning from Ballinasloe, Co. Galway. Colour blocking in bright shades of sky blue and canary yellow, Michelle's suit was from Zara, coat from Riverisland and her winning multi coloured headpiece, made completely out of paper, was by Laura Hanlon Designer. The two other finalists, Stacey O'Leary and Catherine O'Connor receive a set of tickets to next June bank holiday's racing festival at Listowel.

The judging panel, headed by Orla Diffily (TV Stylist with RTE Today and Model Agency Owner) were absolutely overwhelmed with both the standard and exceptionally high number of entries from all over Ireland. The Directors of Listowel Race Company, sponsors and judges want to sincerely thank everyone who took the time to dress up and participate and look forward to welcoming everyone back to the race course when safe to do so in the near future.

The McElligotts Honda Ladies Day is always the fashion highlight of the Harvest Racing Festival at Listowel and the online competition allowed those who enjoy style to join together online to celebrate this important occasion. Judging took place in the very fashionable and opulent Tea Rooms in the magical setting of the Muckross Park Hotel in Killarney. The Tea Rooms will open to the public next February and the judges thank the hotel for exclusive access for this fashionable event.



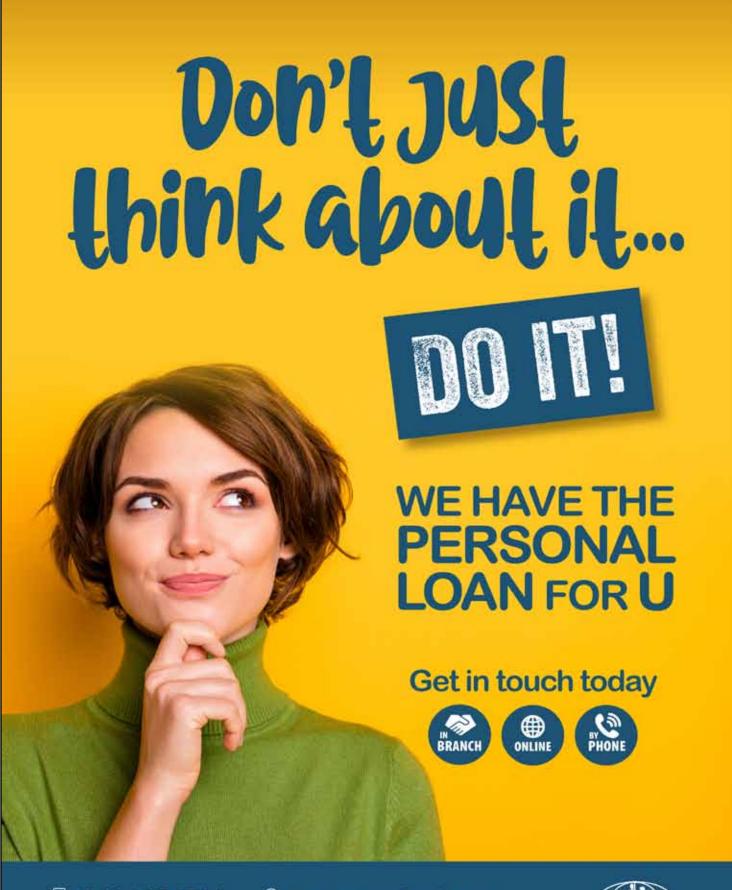
€130,000 Boost for County Kerry for Sport and Physical Activity Measures

The Cathaoirleach of Kerry County Council, Cllr Patrick : Included in the allocation to Kerry O'Connor Scarteen has welcomed a financial boost for sport and physical activity in the county following the allocation of over €130,000 to the Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership through the Dormant Accounts Fund 2020. The allocation is part of a total investment package of €7.3m in Dormant Accounts funding announced by Sport Ireland for a wide range of sport and physical activity measures countrywide. Sport Ireland's investment aims to engage with communities across the country, focusing on people with disabilities, people who are educationally disadvantaged and those from disadvantaged communities.

Recreation and Sports Partnership is:

€61,000 for Community Sports & Physical Activity Hub - €35,100 for Urban Outdoor Adventure Initiatives -€15,000 for Volunteer Training & Support Programme - €12,000 for Sports Inclusion Disability Programme Capital Supports - €7,000 for Youth Leadership Córa Carrigg, Coordinator of Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership said: 'This financial investment, which has been made possible through Sport Ireland's efforts in securing government funding for sport, is indeed very much welcomed for Kerry and the extended communities across our county. Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership looks forward to working with strategic partners and service providers to roll out the respective programmes.'







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In her column with the Killarney Outlook - Marie takes to the highways and byways meeting locals and telling their story

From meeting David Beckham to Roy Keane

Lyno is happiest chatting at his local

A vibrant Killarney character and a familiar face in many pubs and clubs around Killarney pre Covid19, I decided to check in on John (Lyno) Lyne this week at his home in Orchard Way.

Well known for his Manchester United uniform of red & white, owner of The Stratford End, The Belvedere Hotel and renowned his dedication to Dr Crokes GAA, there are few that will not recognise John. I arrived to Orchard Way and knocked at the predictably red front door.

"Clare, make Marie a cup of tea"! Soon I was seated sipping a cup of tea with John not quite knowing where to start. John Lyne with his late wife Stephanie & daughters Clare & Ciara ran the Belevedere Hotel located on New Street from 1987-1997. Sadly John's wife Stephanie passed in 1995 but he continued to run the hotel for a further two years together with his very popular local bar, The Stratford End which remained open until 2012.

I recalled a recent Gogglevox I did with local Leeds supporters boasting how they visited The Stratford End bar in triumph, when they won the old first division which is now the premier league. John smiled and said "I was the one laughing that night Marie, they spent well and lined my pockets". A win win for both I'm sure. "Yes Marie, Vincent Scott (The Senator as I called him) was a regular at The Stratford End as were fellow Manchester United supporters Eddie (The Babe) O'Brien, Cathal Walsh, Timmy Corcoran, John Quill, Pat Fennell (RIP) & Niall Brosnan. "Do vou miss the bar John"? I asked. I do and I don't. I was ready to retire Marie" John replied. "Have you been out to the bars since they reopened John" I asked. "I have. I'd only pop into the Laurels or where ever for a half pint and a chat. I can't sit at the bar anymore but I still manage to chat to who ever is along side me" John said. Clare, John's daughter, was present and laughed "Dad could leave the half pint behind him, it's for the conversation he visits mainly". I could totally get that. I too miss the chats with randomers in bars, the general banter. It's part of our culture.

I then wondered how Dr Crokes GAA Lotto was fairing out considering John to be top of his game selling tickets in bars every weekend pre Covid?? "Since mid July I've been leaving tickets for sale in bars throughout town and I head in then of a Sunday to collect them" John told me. "And tell me this John, how long are you selling lotto tickets for Dr Crokes"? I asked. "We figured if the National Lottery can do it, so can Dr Crokes, so we began our own community based lotto in March 1994" John explained. "Did you ever win yourself John"? I asked. "I didn't but Sir Alex, Eric Cantona, Peter Schmichael & Roy Keane won a few bob down through the years alright" John laughed. "Sure I'd never put down my own name". Clare returned and said "I won it once



Marie and Dad never told me! I was out one night and woke to my phone ringing. It was my cousin Sinead insisting I'd won the Dr Crokes lotto. When I realised she wasn't having me on I quickly went downstairs to Dad to ask him if it was true and his reply was 'oh yes that's right'. I had won €9,400 and it came at such a good time as I was New York bound to study for a few months so a trip to Bloomingdales was definitely on the cards. I couldn't believe it. I would only have done the lotto occasionally unlike Dad, or should I say the Man U players" Clare laughed.

John Lyne wears read and white only which is usually teamed with a white or light coloured chino. The clothes line was full of such coordinates which Clare removed for our photoshoot with John & his handsome dog Rashford. "How long have you been a Manchester United fan John?" I asked. "Since the Munich air crash in 1958 Marie" John replied. "Humour me John and give a guess at how many times you've been to see Manchester United play"? I asked. "Will you stop I've no idea what so ever Marie. A friend of mine jokes that I've been there more times than Alex Ferguson" John laughed. I'd believe that too John. Like the Dr Crokes Lottery ticket sales, John Lyne is well connected at sourcing and selling tickets for Manchester United games. "Most of my contacts are in Dublin Marie but people buy their tickets online now. I was contacted recently to see if I wanted my season ticket in the South Stand and I said of course but I don't know when things will be back as they were and people are allowed to enjoy live games again. I really hope Sky TV don't end up pulling the plug".

John Lyne is the type of guy who takes everything in his stride. I imagined over time that he might have had many an opportunity to rub shoulders with celebrities down through the years so that was my next question. "Oh yes, I've had a few of the players at the Stratford End Marie" John said. (See what I mean, he had to be asked and didn't declare it when we chatted earlier about The Stratford End Bar). "Go on John, tell me who?" I asked. He pondered. "Paul McGrath, Brian McClair, Roy Keane & Brian Kidd from memory, nice lads" John replied. As we were sorting out Rashford for the photo we continued chatting and John said "Oh and David Beckham Marie, I forgot about him". Be still my beating heart how could anyone neglect David Beckham? "It was a good one actually Marie. David Beckham had won in the Dr Crokes Lotto so I said I'd visit the hospitality suite to give him his cheque while I was over in Old Trafford" John explained. As you do John, just head off there to the hospitality suite in search of David Beckham. I was all ears. "I asked the barman if he was about to give him the cheque and the barman said he'd be up shortly but that was his girlfriend and he pointed over to two girls sitting. Sure I wouldn't recognise Victoria Beckham at all Marie. She's tiny. Anyway, David arrived and I gave him the cheque. Being the gentleman that he is he returned the cheque and said to have a few drinks on him. I said I'd buy him a drink if he met me in Mulligans later on. He did invite me to stay but you know, all the managers and players were arriving so I said I'd head away". What a story. I laughed and laughed at how John neglected to mention such an encounter. The cheque by the way was for £25 at the time.... and well spent in Mulligans I'm sure. Thank you for having me to your home at Orchard Way John, Rashford & Clare (who shyly bowed out of the photo op).

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Fenit RNLI welcomes first female lifeboat Coxswain in Ireland

enise Lynch, a volunteer lifeboat crewmember with Fenit RNLI in Kerry, has been passed out as an RNLI Coxswain.

She is currently the only woman to hold the senior position on an operational lifeboat crew in Ireland and is the first woman to be appointed to the role in the country. Denise began as a volunteer in 2001 and has served on both Fenit RNLI's inshore and all-weather lifeboats.

Denise became interested in lifeboats as a primary school student when her class visited the lifeboat station on a school trip. From a prominent fishing family in Fenit, as a child, she knew and looked up to the lifeboat Coxswain and decided that when she was old enough she would join the lifeboat crew. The middle of six children, Denise (37) is the only one of her family to serve on the lifeboat.

"From the day I visited the station in primary school, I fell in love with lifeboats. I know my family and the lifeboat crew are proud of me and I feel incredibly honoured and ready for this new challenge. I have been a Helm on the inshore lifeboat and a navigator on the allweather lifeboat for years. I think about how we are helping families whose loved ones are in trouble and it hits home how important



Denise Lynch, the first female lifeboat coxswain for the RNLI in Ireland. This week is National Volunteer Week in Ireland

the work of the RNLI is, along with that of our : Anyone interested in volunteering for the RNLI, colleagues in the Coast Guard and other search and rescues agencies", Denise said.

the charity that saves lives at sea, can find further details at www.rnli.org/volunteer.

Cynthia takes on Cardiac Hill for Jack and Jill

Having witnessed first hand the amazing work undertaken by the Jack & Jill Foundation, Cynthia Daly & Friends from Gneeveguilla is calling on people to support "UptheHill20, to give a push up that fundraising hill for Jack & Jill whose fundraising calendar has been severely flattened due to Covid 19.

By donating as little as €16.00, you are very kindly funding the cost of 1 hour of home nursing care for a sick child and bridging the €250,000 funding gap which the charity is currently experiencing.

Jack & Jill foundation is a national charity providing vital home nursing and end of life support to 362 children across Ireland who have complex medical and life- threatening conditions. Despite Covid- 19, the charities



services marches on, as the nursing teams keep going just like the families they support.

"I have witnessed first hand the vital support the charity provides in the home nursing care of my niece Olivia, who suffers from a rare genetic disorder", Cynthia told Killarney Outlook.

Cynthia is climbing Cardiac Hill in an effort to say thank you and enable the charity to continue providing the service and support to many families who find themselves in a very challenging place. For these families, their Jack & Jill nurses are their backbone and life line. The charity enables families and carers to do normal day to day things, knowing their child is in professional care.

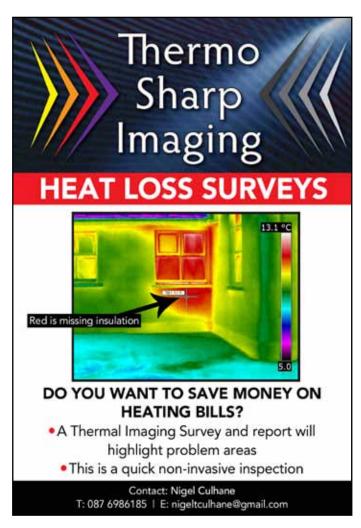
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DEPUTY HEALY-RAE HORRIFIED AT BED CLOSURES

Deputy Danny Healy-Rae has expressed : his horror at the closure of 27 beds in the St Columbanus Community Nursing home Killarney and 15 beds in the Killarney Community Hospital (The District).

"The reason being given is that they are closed by HIQA. Recently the Minister and HSE said they were opening up more beds throughout the country to cater for patients with the Corona Virus, while beds are actually being closed in Killarney where there is a huge need for these beds to be available.", Deputy Healy told the Killarney Outlook.

"What should be happening now is that all the beds and wards which have been closed for years need to be opened up and used. I wish to point out that both St Columbanus and the Community Hospital have always given 100% care to their patients both now and when they were operating at full capacity. Most importantly I wish to thank the wonderful staff in both facilities for their dedicated work for all the patients who have been and are now in their wonderful care", he added.









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"There's nothing like a good failure to get the adrenaline going to succeed"

Marie meets Anne Nagle, a lady who is not stranger to success



When you spend a long time doing something, you have got to love it don't you? The love of caring for others is an absolute gift in my book and I found it quite amazing that this fresh looking lady Anne Nagle has 40 years service with the Order of Malta here in Killarney.

Anne does exceptional work with the No Name Club too so I decided meet for a socially distanced tea at Anne's beautiful home at St Brendan's Terrace. As a snapper for the Killarney Outlook for the last number of years I would have met Anne at many events, always smiling so it was nice to meet her in off duty mode. "Come on in Marie". Anne's house is absolutely beautiful and I said that to her. "Oh I bit the bullet Marie recently Marie and moved out for 14 weeks relocating myself at my late brothers house Harry & Anne Bartletts, Woodlawn Drive. There is a running joke with Ann (without an E) & I, how she stole my identity and is forever indebted to me for that" Anne laughed. "Wasn't I lucky to have such a great project manager in Harry and to have had that time with him before his passing? My girls moved out to their cousin Amanda's house in Beaufort until the house was complete".

"So Anne, what have you been up to with

the Order of Malta for 40 years" I asked. "I started with the Order of Malta when I was 12 Marie. I lived just across the road at 39 Marion Terrace. It was a lovely place to grow up in. Being the youngest of 6 I quickly gained a tag along status. There was plenty of love but not a lot of money back then so the Order of Malta was a fitting pastime for me and my parents pockets. People would pass our door constantly throughout the day. There were no mothers taking their children to school, we all went together. Our family of 6 was one of the smallest in the estate. You could set your watch to the 1pm-2pm TUF Shoes lunch break and the 5pm & 6pm people returning from work in town. So anything outside of those patterns deserved the question 'where are you off to'? I asked that question one day to neighbours who were off to the Order of Malta meeting and decided that day 'sure I'll come too' and that was it Marie".

It takes a village to raise a child I thought. "So has much changed over your 40 years of service Anne"? I asked. "My first meeting was a tiny room at the top of the town hall. The fire siren was up there and when it went off you'd know about it. We were deafened. You took notes at the lecture and learned them off and you didn't darken the door til you knew all the answers to the guizzes the following week. We learned first aid, home nursing, correct dressing of beds, administration of medication and general life skills in caring. I loved being on duty for the Killarney Races and it was a cadets job to carry the water bottles. I then became a senior at the age of 16. I thought it would never happen. I used to share my uniform with Patsy Foley across the road. Up until then I had only ever been as far as Cork but now I was travelling the length and breath of the country with the Order of Malta. Over time training became harder especially when the defibrillator was introduced. I remember Donal McCarthy saying he was going to bow out as it would be far too difficult for him. We decided we'd take it on together. He passed and I failed Marie! Of course I passed the next time. There's nothing like a good failure to get the adrenaline going to succeed" Anne laughed.

"So what's been the highlight throughout your 40 years of service Anne"? lasked. "Ilove training the cadets. We take the less expensive option when going to competitions by camping which is great fun. I am very proud of the fantastic marching team we have, who have won many All Irelands. But the absolute highlight for me is when we go to Lourdes annually. It usually takes place over rally weekend in Killarney. At

the hospital there is a floor for each nationality who are ill. We care for the Irish people and do whatever they want to do. The stay is just five days but it is wonderful to see the Order of Malta unite world wide in one place. The floor above us is usually the Italians and below us the Spanish Order of Malta. Another once off personal highlight for me was when Pope John Paul II visited The Phoenix Park in 1979. Head office is located at St John's House, Clyde Road. We were arriving in droves with staggered duties through the night. An absolute thrill for me to say, prior to my duties, I slept under the Knights Table at the Order of Malta head office. There were no beds and we were on and off duty so frequently". Anne explained.

I wanted to speak briefly to Anne about The No Name Club before I left. "I was asked by Ann Marie McCarthy to go to a meeting fifteen years ago, with the National Development Officers, and I came out as PRO Marie" Anne said. This didn't surprise me one bit. It's in her nature to give and to help. "My daughter Samantha took a keen interest and made many great suggestions so I told her to put her body where her mouth is and she came on board, closely followed by her sister Rebecca, Simon Bowes, Timmy Cronin & Caroline McCarthy. I thought of it as something for my younger daughter Danielle and the age groups that followed. Tom Tobin was a Sergeant at the time in Killarney and was absolutely fantastic. He assigned Garda Diane Collins who has served 10 great years of service with us ably seconded by Garda Darren Rohan. We usually recruit in September and because of what 2020 has brought us with the Coronavirus, we've found things hard and needless to say we cannot recruit. Like many we continued through zoom. We never decide what the agenda is at The No Name Club. We leave it up to the youths. This year, over zoom, they chose nutrition and well being as topics to cover, so I'd like to say a big thank you to Linda Geaney for her Wellness meetings and Edele Daly & Neilus Hayes for her input on nutrition, exercise & mind mapping for study.

Anne Nagle is a very busy lady. She works full time at Murphy's Bar on College Street as well as The Order of Malta & Killarney No Name Club. "I can't wait to receive my 40 years of service medal Marie but we will have to get to Dublin first" she laughed.

Thanks for having me to your beautiful home at St Brendan's Terrace Anne.

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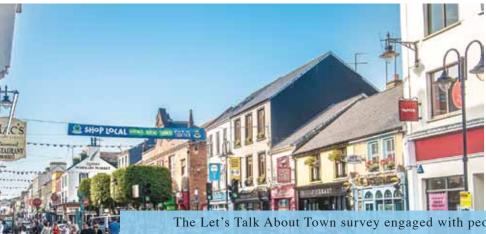








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Let's Talk About Town: Killarney's voice is heard

The Let's Talk About Town survey engaged with people living and working in Killarney to get a snapshot of what is important to them, what they need and expect from the business community and measures they would like to see implemented.

survey of residents and businesses in Killarney has revealed that a significant number of respondents are in favour of making Plunkett Street and Main Street pedestrian only zones.

Of the 1,332 responses received via an online survey initiated by Killarney Chamber of Tourism and Commerce, 629 – or 47% – expressed a preference for the pedestrianisation of both streets

15 per cent were in favour of pedestrianising Plunkett Street only and eight per cent would prefer to see a no traffic zone on Main Street only.

A total of 26 per cent of those that responded wanted neither Main Street or Plunkett Street pedestrianised.

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The information received from the 1,332 people that responded is seen as important as Killarney continues moving towards creating a safe, progressive and inclusive town in Covid times.

The survey also sought opinions on how best to improve the visitor experience in Killarney and topping the list of "extremely important" priorities in the responses received was maintaining tidy towns competition standards (58%), providing areas to sit outside (45%), infrastructure to promote walking and cycling (44%), access to town centre car parking (44%), improved paving and footpaths (41%) and amenity areas for social meet-ups (40%).

Other suggestions included the provision of marquee/canopy style settings for outdoor dining (37%), dedicated elderly parking bays (36%), adequate bicycle stands and cycle lanes (33%), street events and entertainment (27%) and dedicated family parking bays (26%).

On other topics, an overwhelming 901 of 1,332 respondents (68%) believe the number

of refuse bins on the streets of Killarney is not sufficient, with the older age groups of 65+ and 55-64 the most concerned. While 74% feel that bins are collected regularly enough, 77% expressed concern about unsightly bin storage in some laneways.

In relation to any proposals to introduce free or low-cost parking in the town, 44% expressed a preference for having the first hour free of charge while the second preference was between 9am and 11am each day.

In terms of shopping preferences, 85% of respondents said they conduct most of their shopping in Killarney and, grocery shopping excluded, 41 per cent of those surveyed shop in town a few times a week with 27 per cent about once a week. Just 7% said they conduct most of their shopping online.

Respect shown to staff by employers, cleanliness of the retail area, friendliness of staff, quality and choice and parking availability were the key requirements expressed.

On specific questions relating to Killarney National Park, 42% said they visit a few times a week, 23% use the park every day, 14% about once a week and 12% a few times a month. Increasing signage within and outside of Killarney National Park was viewed as being extremely important by over 70% of those surveyed.

786 of the 1,332 respondents (59%) have visited the interpretation centre at Killarney House and Gardens and over 80 per cent of respondents consider it a very important attraction for the town.

The survey indicated that there could be a significant decline in the number of people socialising in Killarney post Covid-19 with 53 per cent expecting that they will socialise less. Respondents particularly value the offering of live entertainment and show venues, locally

Paul Sherry.

owned bars and live music venues.

The most important considerations for respondents when choosing what pubs to visit are how much the business supports the local community and the availability of outdoor seating.

Over 62 per cent of respondents said they would see benefits if staggered opening and closing times were introduced for pubs and clubs with

younger age categories preferring to stay out later.

Outlining the reasoning behind the online survey, Killarney Chamber of Tourism and Commerce President, Paul Sherry, said local businesses need support, now more than ever, and it was important that people had their say on what changes they would like to see.

"Towns and businesses must rebuild and there is a desire for change in Killarney to reflect a collective and inclusive voice.

"This was a great opportunity to get feedback from the public on what they see as important factors in creating a safe and vibrant new Killarney," said Mr Sherry.

"We all need to rebuild together and this survey will serve as a starting point in changing the ways we do business and how to better satisfy the needs of our customers, locals and visitors," said the chamber chief.

The online survey was conducted by Killarney Chamber of Tourism and Commerce with the assistance of Tralee Chamber Alliance who conducted a similar survey in Tralee earlier this year. The results were collated by the Institute of Technology Tralee.

The findings of the survey were presented to officials and members of Killarney Municipal District Council at a virtual meeting on Wednesday afternoon.



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this commitment. One of the company's core values is "We Accept Responsibility" and it aims at all times to fulfil its responsibility to society in general and the environment.

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t o m o r r o w today".

Speaking about the latest move by the company, Michael Brennan, Managing Director of Killarney Hotels Ltd.

Said, "The Europe Hotel &

Resort's location overlooking some of Ireland's most precious & inspiring landscapes ensures that our duty and respect to our environment is at the forefront of our minds. We are proud to now operate on 100% Green Renewable Electricity and hope that our action will inspire other companies to take further steps towards a greener, brighter future."



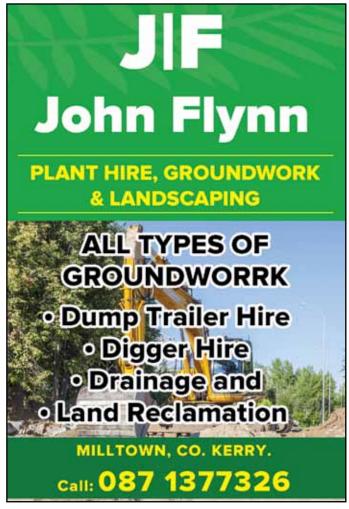
Sweet Treats at The Lake Hotel

An esteemed pastry chef and accoplished chocolatier with over 20 years experience has been appointed as new Head Pastry Chef at The Lake Hotel. A native of Mauritius, Dinesh Mauree, learned his craft in his home country and relocated to Ireland 15 years ago. His career path has been filled with prestigious, fine dining establishments. He most recently worked at the five star Killarney Park Hotel and prior to this he worked for the Ely Restaurant Group and, Shanahan's on the Green in Dublin. Dinesh completed his chocolatier training in Paris and has created his own signature chocolate using Cacao Barry, a brand he has worked with for over 12 years.

Dinesh was welcomed by award winning Executive Chef Noel Enright who commented, "We are delighted to have Dinesh on board, he will be a wonderful asset to the team. Dinesh's experience will bring a fresh approach to The Lake Hotel, reinventing our dessert, pastry and afternoon tea offering and really amplifying the sweet section of our menus which will enhance the overall dining experience."









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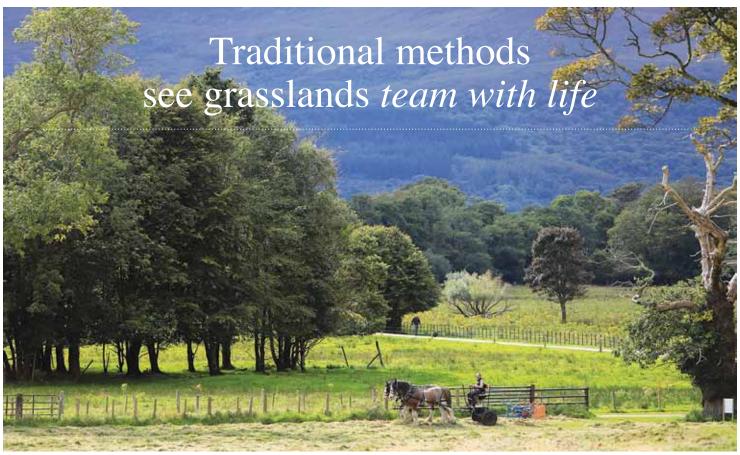






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A time to Reap...Harvesting a wildflower meadow using Muckross Traditional Farms Clydesdale Horses 'Bud' and 'Budweiser' and traditional machinery as part of the National Pollinator Plan to increase the biodiversity of grasslands in Knockreer Estate, Killarney National Park. It also gave staff members Will O'Sullivan, the opportunity to display the importance of preserving traditional methods, machinery, using their craft and skill. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

BY: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

s the old saying goes "Mighty oaks from Llittle acorns grow".

A saying that might be very apt in Killarney National Park, an area that is renowned for its magnificent Oak woodlands however, in this instance it isn't oaks that we are talking about - but it's the conversion of amenity grassland to Semi-natural grasslands, or neutral grasslands. From a simple conversation 'in the field' at a local park the seed of that all-important acorn was planted. Following a spring and summer of careful planning and nurturing we are seeing the fruits of the labour of three different organisations - Killarney National Park, Kerry **Educational and Training Board and Muckross** Traditional Farms - coming to fruition.

It all started with a desire to answer the call of the National Pollinator Plan and increase the biodiversity of some of the grasslands in the Town Park in Knockreer.

Gerry Murphy (Head Gardener Muckross House and Killarney National Park) and National Park staff Brendan O'Neill and Micheal Lynch got to work managing certain areas in the Town Park to promote the pollinator plan and to increase the available habitat for insects and invertebrates in general. When Chris Barron from the Kerry Educational and Training Board, who runs the education centre in Knockreer House, got involved, the idea of the grassland management soon took hold.

As the idea became a reality and as some of the meadows began to emerge, Conservation Ranger Staff working on a low carbon model



of grassland management elsewhere in the National Park suggested there was potential to trail some of these methods in Knockreer. A decision to go back in time and use the old traditional method of horses was decided

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The Traditional Farms, managed by the Trustees of Muckross House, form an integral part of Killarney National Park and are a great resource to be able to call upon. Thanks to Mr Toddy Doyle, Farm and Event Manager at Muckross Traditional Farms, who coordinated the machinery and horses, the project was able to use the old traditional method of cutting and harvesting the grassland. The assistance of Will O'Sullivan, whose expertise in the use of a team of horses and traditional machinery, was also crucial. The use of horses caught the eye of many visitors to the park, who remarked how great it was to see these traditional low impact methods returning.



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As the new school academic year has begun, and schools have reopened, the school basketball season however has yet to restart. Training and matches have been postponed indefinitely as all precautions are being taken to ensure schools remain open during the present pandemic. Mar a deir an seanfhocal 'Ar scáth a chéile a mhairimid', (We are all in this together).



Pictured From left kneeling: Amy Mc Carthy, Shauna Mc Carthy, Tara Kerins, Mikaela Buckley, Ciara Shanahan, Sarah West. Standing from left: Mollie Mahony, Teresa Lonergan (Principal), Emma O Donoghue, Grace O Callaghan, Katie Kerins, Denny Porter (Trainer), Thomas O Connor (O Connor Coaches), Bella Harmon, Shauna O Riordan, Keeva Aherne, Eilís Enright, Anna Buckley (Manager) Yvonne Rice (Manager).



Winner of the Dawn Milk AI Fresco Dining Promotion Rosie Healy and her husband Derry from Headford, Killarney with Teresa Walker, Dawn Milk. Rosie was presented with the Solana 6 seater Dining Set and the Landmann Grill worth \in 1,000.

St. Brigid's TY students in conjunction with Kingdom Waves Surf School had a fabulous day at Inch beach for surfing this week. Some perfect waves were caught by the girls. They had some impressive wipeouts as well as catching some 5 star waves.



Kelleher calls on Irish Govt to

stand firm against Rule of Law infringements

by Member States

- Attacks on LGBTI citizens, media and judiciary simply not acceptable

Fianna Fáil MEP, Billy Kelleher has urged the Irish Government to stand firm when it comes to the Rule of Law and the requirement for Member States to abide by EU rules and values.

The Ireland South MEP was commenting following a meeting with the Irish Minister for European Affairs, Thomas Byrne TD in Brussels.

"What is happening in certain member states is simply unacceptable. Attacks on the media, the judiciary and attempts to infringe upon the rights of LGBTI citizens are not on, and must be dealt with immediately by the European Council.

"The European Parliament has consistently called out Poland and Hungary for their lack of respect for EU laws and values. It is high time the European Council did the same.

"I believe the Irish Government

must stand firm on the European Council. There is no place for LGBTI discrimination in the European Union.

"There can be no toleration of abuses of power or attempts to undermine the cornerstones of democratic counties - a free press and an independent judiciary," added the Renew Europe MEP.

"If the EU is to be truly democratic, member state governments must be accountable to someone other than themselves.

"I've said it before, and I will keep saying it until change happens - the EU is not an ATM for member state governments. We are a Union of laws and of values. If member states cannot accept those laws and values, the funding tap should be turned off. Enough is enough," concluded Kelleher.





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Community organisations in Kerry to

benefit from Dormant Accounts funding - Griffin

ommunity organisations in Kerry will receive funding to support sport and physical activity measures, Deputy Government Chief Whip, Brendan Griffin TD has said.

Deputy Griffin said, "I very much welcome that €7.3 million from the Dormant Accounts Fund is being allocated to support community groups across the country.

"The investment aims to engage with communities in Kerry, focusing on people with disabilities, people who are educationally disadvantaged and from disadvantaged areas. "The importance of sport and physical activity for our physical and mental health cannot be overstated and we have all seen how beneficial it has been for people of all ages during the current pandemic.

"I am delighted that Local Sports Partnerships (LSPs) in Kerry have been allocated funding under various programme initiatives. The funding amounts for LSPs in Kerry include: €61,000 for Community Sports and Physical Activity Hubs. These hubs provide information, support and advice on a wide range of sports and physical activities to make it easier for people in disadvantaged areas to get involved



in and engage in a more active and healthier lifestyle.

€12,000 for Kerry Local Sports Partnership under the Sports Inclusion Disability Programme Capital Supports. The fund aims to reduce the barriers to sports participation for people with a disability through the provision of equipment and minor infrastructure

€31,500forUrbanOutdoorAdventureInitiatives, which aim to create new opportunities for people living in disadvantaged areas in Kerry to participate in outdoor adventure sports in urban settings.

€15,000 for the Volunteer Training & Support Programme. The fund aims to successfully identify and assist targeted individuals who are volunteering in disadvantaged communities or with people with disabilities to gain community

sport leadership skills

€7,000 for the Youth Leadership Project, which involves the development and delivery of youth leadership training for young people providing a stepping stone for learners into employment and also into further education or training.

"I am also pleased that various sporting national Government bodies and other sporting organisations also received funding to support their work.

"I will continue to work with Minister for Media, Tourism, Arts, Culture, Sport and the Gaeltacht, Catherine Martin T.D, in order to secure essential funding for community organisations and thank her for her commitment," Deputy Griffin added.

Minister for Education and Kerry TD Norma Foley Welcomes Government Funding

Minister for Education and Kerry TD Norma Foley today welcomes the approval of grant funding totalling €10 million drawn down from the National Action Plan on COVID-19 to increase the level of day service provision and to provide intensive support packages for children and young people with complex/high support needs.

€10m has been made available and is broken down into two categories:

€7.5m is being used to increase disability day services by one day a week for over 14,000 adults.

€2.5M will provide an additional 210 intensive support packages to help children and young people with complex/high support needs remain living with their families.

The funding announced today will be crucially important in supporting people with disabilities in the coming months. This investment will go some way to alleviate some of the pressures and stress on people with disabilities and their families.



Norma Foley.

Mortgage payment break for local authority home loan borrowers will be extended by a further three months - Griffin

The mortgage payment break already in place for local authority home loan borrowers will be extended for those continuing to face difficulties due to the Covid-19 emergency, Deputy Government Chief Whip Brendan Griffin TD has said.

Deputy Griffin said: "Local authority home loan borrowers could already avail of two payment breaks totalling up to six months and borrowers who take up a third payment break will be contacted by their local authority during the payment break to assess their financial situation and discuss options if necessary.

"Due to the continuing economic uncertainty

associated with COVID-19, many local authority home loan borrowers continue to face difficulties in paying their mortgage or have very real fears that they will face repayment problems in the future.

"To help people in this situation, the mortgage payment break period is being extended by another three months, allowing people a total of nine months to get back on their feet.

"The deadline for applying for a payment break until the end of 2020 is also being extended to provide for borrowers who may yet suffer setbacks in the coming months.

"The simplified application process in place

allows borrowers in distress to access a payment break quickly.

"Any local authority home loan borrower facing difficulties due to COVID-19 are urged to contact their local authority as soon as possible, in particular, to access the application form and information that will be available on each local authority's website.

"Importantly, no additional costs to the original home loan balance arise for the borrower who avails of these measures, as borrowers are not charged interest for the period of the breaks," Deputy Griffin said.







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NO MARKS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN CALCULATED GRADES BLUNDER



The Leaving Cert calculated grades process has been a comedy of errors by the Department of Education and Skills (DES) and an emotional roller coaster for exam candidates.

The first mistake, in a self-inflicted sequence of own goals by DES, was the decision to allow the State Examinations Commission (SEC) the exams' authority - to wash its hands of the calculated grades process for fear of legal redress. This body with all the experience in conducting exams was allowed to walk away from the process when its expertise was most needed. The second critical mistake was the inexplicable decision by DES to downgrade 17% of the candidates' grades, which had already undergone a rigorous process of checks and balances in their schools. A third crucial mistake was to delay the Leaving Cert results from 12th August until the 7th September so that they could be subjected to a process of national standardisation by a Canadian contractor. The fourth mistake was the failure to learn from the exam results fiasco in Britain. Just when they thought they had survived bloodied but unbowed, the 2020 Leaving Cert Class was thrown into further turmoil when DES announced on Thursday afternoon that two errors had occurred in the standardisation process. Consequently, about 6500 candidates may be entitled to higher grades in one or more subjects. No candidate will be downgraded in the recheck process that is now underway. When the revised grades are issued the CAO

will determine which applicants are eligible for further college offers. Every effort will be made to accommodate them in the current academic year, though some may have to defer until 2021.

Two errors were discovered in the algorithm, or coding, used to implement the standardisation process. The first error was in a line of code programmed by DES' external contractor, Polymetrika International Inc. of Canada. The error affected the way in which candidates' Junior Cycle results were included in the standardisation process. DES found the second coding error while checking data related to the first error.

Junior Cycle results in Irish, English and Maths were included in the standardisation process, along with each student's best two other subjects. Instead, the two weakest subjects were included in error. This error has reduced some candidates calculated grades. Polymetrika discovered the error and informed DES about it on Tuesday, 22nd September. but it took a further week before the information went public.

The second error was that the Junior Cycle subject Civic, Social and Political Education (CSPE) was included in the data when it should have been excluded.

The coding errors were corrected and as a further check, DES has contracted Educational Training Service (ETS), a USA company specialising in educational measurement, to review the algorithm. Following that review, DES will contact all Leaving Cert candidates, to

advise them of grade changes, if any.

DES has emerged from the calculated grades process with its reputation in tatters. It has treated candidates as inanimate raw data rather than young people with dreams, feelings and emotions. It still needs to address two glaring errors if it hopes to re-establish a reputation for fairness and integrity.

Firstly, candidates who presented Leaving Cert results from previous years were hugely disadvantaged by the dramatic increase in grades this year. In the interest of fairness, all of these CAO applicants should be considered for college places on the basis of the last traditional Leaving Cert exam, which took place in 2019. Secondly, a candidate's right to appeal her/his grades must be restored. This year there is no facility to appeal the calculated grade awarded, only the paper trail leading to the grade awarded. This is a major departure from long established practice in the state exams and is a major cause of distress for many candidates who are feeling badly let down by the system, Its due time for DES to do the right thing by mentally exhausted young people rather than engage in self-serving damage limitation.

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Transition Year Students enjoy CSI Workshop Students at St. Brigid's Secondary school in Killarney enjoyed a CSI workshop involving scene analysis, fingerprinting, scene preservation as well as solving a murder crime scene. "It was a very informative and practical workshop where some students are now considering a career in crimonology" Peggy Dowling, PRO at St. Brigid's told Killarney Outlook.



Noreen at What Women Wants gives you some **beauty tips** while you are staying at home during Covid-19



Eyeliner to pop your colour



Eye Makeup has become a huge focus for 2020 and eye liner is bigger than ever with lots of bright colour. White or Cream Eyeliner is great on all eye colours. Use on bottom waterline or just on the corners of the eye top and bottom to brighten any eye look.

Classic Colours

Black is a stable eyeliner colour in most makeup kits but try switching it up. Other colours may be more flattering to your eye colour during the daytime. -Brown liner enhances blue eyes, giving a softer look than the black. A taupe brown liner under the bottom lashes softly defines older eyes.

-Purple liner on green or brown eyes is very brightening and with the right shade can look darker than black.

-Navy makes brown eyes more intense looking.

-Dark forest green defines hazel eyes more naturally.

Coloured Eyeliner

For the brave among us, embrace the trend and experiment with blues, greens, pinks,etc to add a pop of colour to your eyes.

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HEALTHY EATING TIPS FOR KIDS

Now that kids are back to school and into a routine now is as good a time to make some healthy habit changes. It's not always easy to encourage your children to eat a balanced diet. Here are **ten tips** for helping them to develop healthy habits at a young age. - Continued

- 5. Eat together: It's tempting to eat dinner in front of the television, to wolf down lunch at your desk, and to grab snacks on the run.If you can encourage your children to eat regular meals with you at the table, it can not only reduce snacking, it can also teach valuable social skills.
- 6. Have fun in the kitchen: Children are more likely to become adventurous eaters if they know how to cook. Make it fun by giving them their own aprons and letting them help you regularly with small tasks in the kitchen. As they get older and more confident, let them cook dinner once a week. If the thought of kids in the kitchen sounds like a recipe for disaster, why not enrol them in cooking class that might pop on or check out some fun ones online.
- 7. Slow it down: Eating slowly is great for weight control at any age. It's a fantastic way to show kids that it takes about 20 minutes for the message that they are full to get from their stomachs to their brains. As much as we'd love our children to finish their meal in minutes, rather than hours, it's much more important that they learn to slow down and chew their food properly.

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- 3. Choose peace as your goal and organise your day around this
- 4. Focus on what you love
- 5. When in doubt about what to do next, just take the next step that feels better to you.
- 6. Speak kindly to yourself and others
- 7. Eat slowly. Savour every mouthful of food and imagine it loving and healing

your body as you eat.

- 8. Hold your own hand and stroke it gently as if you were calming someone you loved very much. When we do this for ourselves, we deepen our own sense of wellbeing
- 9. Daydream about all the things you would love to do, let your mind drift into fantasies and worlds of magic
- 10. Listen deeply to your life. To the rain outside your window, the birds singing, the trees rustling in the breeze, the sound of children playing, the kettle boiling, the shower water flowing, your loved ones talking, your favourite music playing and your own heart whispering to you of what feels right.

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EAST KERRY ARE COUNTY CHAMPIONS!

Congratulations to East Kerry on a marvellous victory over Mid Kerry last Saturday night in the 2020 Garvey's County Senior Football Championship Final. The Champions managed to retain the title for 2020 which was a difficult challenge considering all the changes for this year. Mid Kerry will learn a lot from this defeat, they are a very young and talented side and are led by a strong and ambitious management team. Their turn to take home the Bishop Moynihan is not too far away at all. The goal from the immense David Clifford in the second half was definitely the turning point of the game. From that moment on East Kerry dominated and this was reflected on the scoreboard. They are an amazing team and fully deserved their victory. Man of the Match was David Clifford and he was presented with a beautiful trophy and a Voucher for the Dingle Skellig Hotel all sponsored by the Garvey Group.

Our thanks to the Garvey Group for their continued sponsorship of our premier championship, both in football and hurling. They are a perfect fit considering their ethos is based on supporting the local community.

For this year, Bishop Moynihan will continue to reside in the East of the County! It's all to play for again next year and we really saw this year how the gap is closing between the different sides in the Championship. Many other sides will fancy their chances next year. But for now the accolade of champions rightly and deservedly belongs with East Kerry.

PRIMARY TEACHERS' WEBINAR

A Webinar for Primary Teachers entitled IN THE CLASS & ON THE PITCH: HOW TO USE GAA CROSS-CURRICULAR RESOURCES including the launch of new GAA resources will be held on Wednesday, September 30th, 2020 3:15 - 3:45PM Register for free now at: learning.gaa. ie/primary-school

KERRY GAA GOLF CLASSIC

In Kerry over the last number of years a Golf Classic before an All-Ireland Final in both Kerry & Dublin allowed supporters an opportunity to enjoy a great day out, support our teams and get access to those much in demand tickets for the big game. This year and with your continued support we are determined to keep the Green & Gold flying high and we have put together an event that will once again give you the opportunity to enjoy a great days golfing, support our Kerry teams and have access to



County chairman Tim Murphy, Sponsor Jim Garvey, East Kerry Captain Dan O'Donoghue and Man of the Match David Clifford. **Picture: Seamus Healy**

those valuable tickets when our patrons can once again attend our games. We are of course aware that crowd restrictions attending games may well be a factor in the immediate future but we are happy that our 'Flexible Ticket Package' will meet the challenge. 2020 will see an exciting end to the sporting year for our supporters with six teams bidding for glory in their respective competitions. Kerry Senior Hurlers face in Antrim in League Final and then compete in the Joe McDonagh Cup, the Final, of which, will be the curtain raiser to the 2020 All-Ireland Senior Hurling Final. Our U20 & Minor teams compete in the Munster Hurling Championship for the first time in a number of years.

On the football front our Seniors will complete the last two rounds on the Allianz League before facing Cork in the Munster Championship. While our U20s contest the S/Final of the All-Ireland Championship against Galway and our Minors play Cork in their first game in the Munster Championship. With that in mind we are delighted to announce that Kerry GAA will once again host a Golf Classic in Killarney Golf Club on Friday 2nd & 9th Oct 2020. We will confine the event to 50 teams in total over the two days and we hope to organise a similar event in Dublin at a date & venue to be confirmed. We ask you for your support and while a good day's golf is a given, we also are very confident that you will find our 'Flexible Ticket Package' even more appealing.

Entry fee for Team of Four is €1200 which includes:

- Golf for four in O'Mahonys Point Golf Course, Killarney (Time Sheet Start will apply)
- Attractive selection of team and individual prizes.
- Par 3 Competition where teams will pitch their skills against past & present Kerry players
- Food after golf in the clubhouse (in conjunction with Health & Safety guidelines)
- Kerry GAA 'Flexible Ticket Package' (see details below).

Your continued support for Kerry teams is greatly appreciated. We recognise the demands placed on people but we are also aware of the high expectations placed on us to ensure our players continue to excel on the playing fields. With your support we will deliver on those expectations.

Kerry GAA 'Flexible Ticket Package'is valid within a five-year period from 2021-2025 and enables the bearer to the following:

- Two Complimentary tickets for any All-Ireland Final Kerry Seniors are involved in
- The right to purchase two extra tickets for any:All-Ireland Final where the Kerry Senior Footballers are involved in or All-Ireland Final (Hurling or Football) or Munster Championship game. Due to current Government policy regarding attendances at games, the above package does not include the 2020 championship season.This most attractive Flexible Ticket Package is limited to a maximum of 50 teams over the two days. Queries & questions can be directed to Aileen Foley @ centreofexcellence.kerry@gaa.ie



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2020 LGFA Volunteer of the Year Awards

The Ladies Gaelic Football Association is pleased to announce details of the 2020 LGFA Volunteer of the Year awards.

Administrators, coaches and media are among those who will be honoured across ten categories, and the awards will be presented at Croke Park.

The scheme will once again recognise winners from 2020 in the following categories:

- Local Journalists of the year
- School Coach of the year
- Club coach of the year
- County/Provincial officer of the year
- Hall of fame award
- International Volunteer of the year
- · Lulu Carroll Award for Volunteer of the year
- PRO of the year
- Club Committee officer of the year
- Young Volunteer of the year Award

The Overall Volunteer of the Year will receive the Lulu Carroll award, named after the late Lulu Carroll, who was a 2001 All-Ireland senior medallist with Laois.

Lulu, who passed away in 2007, was a committed servant to Ladies Football at club and county levels, and one of the game's most popular and well-known figures.

Lulu, a former All-Star recipient, also won eight Leinster titles with Laois, along with six county senior titles and a provincial crown at club level with Timahoe. All winners will be chosen on receipt of applications by clicking on the link above for each relevant category and must be submitted by Friday, November 13.

Check out the following link for further information: https://ladiesgaelic.ie/the-lgfa/national-volunteer-awards/

Results & Fixtures

Munster Junior A Quarter Final - Sat 3rd October - 2pm

Kilrush -v- Dr. Crokes

Munster Intermediate Quarter Final - Sat 3rd

October - 2pm

Clonakility -v- Finuge/St Senans

Please see attached



A day of celebrations as recently crowned Dr. Crokes champions visited the Academy on Lewis Road on Saturday

Trophy World U14 Division 1B Co League Final Austin Stacks 6-12 -v- Ballymacelligott 1-06 Rose Hotel U16 County League Semifinal Kilcummin 7-15 -v- MKL Gaels 3-09 U12 County Finals

1 A

Fossa 5-04 -v- Cromane 4-03

2A

Rathmore 2-03 -v- ISG 0-05

2B

Legion 2-10 -v- MKL Gaels 3-04

4A

Kilcummin 3-04 -v- Southern Gaels B 3-02 4B

Dr Crokes 5-07 -v- Rathmore B 4-02 4C

Legion B 2-05 -v- MKL Gaels B 5-10 Rose Hotel U16 Co. Leagues

Div 1 Final

Southern Gaels 6-14 -v- ISG 7-06

Div 2 S/F

Abbeydorney 8-14 -v- Beale/Ballyduff 2-12 Cromane 2-04 -v- Chorca Dhuibhne 3-13 Trophy World U14 Co. League Final

Div 3 B

Killarney Legion 2-13 -v- Listowel emmets 1-04 Vincent Murphy Sports Minor County League semifinals

Div 1

Southern Gaels 5:24 v Rathmore 1-06 Cromane/Laune Rangers 5-12 v Chorca Dhuibhne - 6:06

Div 2

MKL Gaels 6-12 v Na Gaeil 3-06

Abbeydorney v Listowel Emmet's 6:45pm

Div 3

Scartaglin 4-21 v Firies 0-12

Dr Crokes 3-11 v Austin Stacks 1-05

Trophy World U14 County League Final

Div 3

Fossa 3-17 v Firies 6-07

Rose Hotel U16 County League Final

Div 4

Kilcummin 3-07 v Moyvane 6-13

Vincent Murphy Sports Minor County League

Semi Finals – 02/10/2020

Division 1

Southern Gaels -v- Cromane/Laune Rangers

Division 2

Abbeydorney -v- MKL Gaels

Division 4

Kerins O'Rahillys -v- Moyvane



Aherns brand ambassador David Clifford collecting the keys to a new Mazda CX-30 from Aherns Castleisland last Friday before this years county final. Also pictured with David are Pat Ahern, Dealer Principle and Barry Ryan, Sales Manager.



Winning takes talent.... to repeat takes character...

EAST KERRY SEAL THE DEAL FOR THE SECOND YEAR IN A ROW

County Final: East Kerry 2-15 East Kerry 0-9

As East Kerry celebrate back to back County Championship Final victories, **Jimmy O'Sullivan-Darcy** takes us through the 2020 County Football Championship Final

First Quarter

Ronan Buckley split the posts almost straight away and David Clifford made the second look easy. Liam Carey was already looking dangerous but his first attempt dropped short before a superb pass saw him pick out Gavan O'Grady, who was fouled and quickly converted. David Clifford won a free pointed by Darragh Roche. A great turnover by an impressive David Mangan saw Gavan O'Grady shoot, but it went wide. That was a developing pattern; both sides were creating chances but East Kerry were putting theirs over. An 8th Mid Kerry saw Ciarán Kennedy give Ronan Murphy a shot at goal -Shane Ryan was out very fast and it went wide. Paudie Clifford teed up Evan Cronin for a score; David Mangan had an attempt go wide. Dara Moynihan picked out Dan O'Donoghue for a goal chance but the east Kerry captain couldn't get power into the shot. Liam Carey, always a dangerous threat, won and converted a free but David Clifford set up Dara Moynihan for a rapid reply and then pointed himself. 0-6 to 0-3 on the scoreboard. Perhaps more ominously, 4-1 on the wide count.

Second Quarter

The water break broke East Kerry's growing momentum and Mid Kerry took advantage, Liam Carey pointing and adding a free won by Fiachra Clifford. David Clifford, however, hit a stupendous point in reply and Darragh Roche collected and converted a good mark - cleverly done by the Glenflesk sharpshooter. Both sides missed chances before a fantastic steal by artful dodger Pa Kilkenny set up David Roche for a point. Darran O'Sullivan hit the post, whereas Evan Cronin split them after a mark. Liam Carey won and pointed a free to close out the first half. Mid Kerry could be pleased to be trailing by just 0-9 to 0-7, especially after leaving so many chances behind them (the wide count was the same as the first quarter.)

Third Quarter

Mid Kerry missed two chances – Gavan won a free that Liam would usually convert but didn't and Fiachra had an effort fall short. Boom! East Kerry lowered the hammer. Dara Moynihan did well to get his pass off to David Clifford....and suddenly the ball was in the net. It was that fast, that unlikely, that brilliant. Nor did Mid Kerry get any chance to recover; two minutes later Paudie Clifford time his pass to Darragh



An elated East Kerry Team with the cup. PICTURE: ANNE HOLLAND



Dan ODonoghue with the cup. **PICTURE: ANNE HOLLAND**

Roche to perfection and Darragh doesn't miss those chances; 2-9 to 0-7. Mid Kerry were managing to win ball but couldn't make it count. Esat Kerry could – Evan Cronin pointed, Darragh Roche added another after great work by Shane Cronin, and Dara Moynihan added another before the break. East Kerry had just scored 2-3 without reply from 6 shots.

Fourth Quarter

Look, players have to try and blot out reality

and concentrate on the game at hand, but everybody knew that this one wasn't coming back. David Clifford notched another beauty. Gavan O'Grady won another free converted by Carey and added a point himself, but Brian O'Donoghue pointed almost with his first touch and Ronan Buckley closed it out.

East Kerry: Shane Ryan, Niall Donohue, Jack Sherwood, Chris O'Donoghue, Shane Cronin, Dan O'Donoghue, Paul Murphy, Mark Ryan, Ronan Buckley (0-2), Dara Moynihan (0-2), Paudie Clifford, Brendan O'Keeffe, David Clifford (1-4), Darragh Roche, 1-3, 1f, 1m), Evan Cronin (0-3, 1m). Subs Michael Foley (for Brendan O'Keeffe, 48 mins), Daniel O'Brien (for Mark Ryan, 48 mins), Jeff O'Donoghue (for Evan Cronin, 55 mins), Brian O'Donoghue 0-1 (for Shane Cronin, 55 mins), Pádraig Doyle (for Dara Moynihan, 57 mins).

Mid Kerry: Stephen Cahillane, David Mangan, Pa Wrenn, Mike Breen, Peter Crowley, Pa Kilkenny, Jack Brosnan, Colin McGiullicuddy, Ronan Murphy, David Roche (0-1), Fiachra Clifford, Ciarán Kennedy (0-1, 1f), Gavan O'Grady (0-1), Liam Carey (0-6, 4f), Darran O'Sullivan. Subs Caolim Teahan (for Fiachra Clifford, 39 mins), Jack O'Connor (for Ciaran Kennedy, 44 mins), Cathal Moriarty (for Gavan O'Grady, 48 mins), Gavin Horan (for Jack Brosnan, 48 mins), Seán O'Brien (for David Roche, 51 mins)

Referee: Paul Hayes (Kerins O'Rahillys)



Man of the Match

David Clifford (East Kerry)

He's no stranger to this kind of award, and he showed why. David was the game's top scorer with 1-4 from play. There are very few players in the country, let alone Kerry, who could have scored that goal. Quite honestly, to just turn and let fly like that, with that kind of power, straight into the top corner? For that matter, take another look at his third point (unfortunately, it would be a first look for many supporters due to technical issues). It's worth seeing. When you are surrounded by three defenders, all intent on closing you down, modern football dictates that you recycle the ball. David just takes one sidestep and kicks the ball (almost no backlift, a difficult skill and almost impossible to block down) straight between the posts. That's one of the best points I have ever seen.

Dara Moynihan and Ronan Buckley were immense all through for East Kerry, while I thought Pa Kilkenny absolutely heroic for Mid Kerry, but man of the match? There couldn't be any debate.

Tactical Match

Jerry O'Sullivan got everything right. It's a truism of poker that you can be dealt a perfect hand but reap little reward if you can't play it right; that's true in team sports as well. Like Mick O'Dwyer back in the day, people could look at the panel depth and say that any manager could have led them to All Irelands. Nonsense – who do you think picked the panel and kept relentlessly driving them on in the first place? I have heard Jerry pay tribute to a great background team, wonderful support from the East Kerry executive, and the solid foundations in juvenile coaching within the cubs.

In all honesty,m though, Peter O'Sullivan didn't get anything wrong either. I'm not sure if I would have sacrificed Mike Breen's powerful forays from the half back line in order to man-mark David

Clifford. It didn't curb the threat and switching Peter Crowley onto him....well, that didn't curb him either, but what could have? Mid Kerry did well in midfield. Shane Ryan was pumping kickouts long into the area for much of the first half and Mid Kerry were winning quite a few of those, while Stephen Cahillane was able to go short. Mid Kerry's problem was up front. Gavan O'Grady found space against Chris O'Donoghue a couple of times early on, but was very obviously hampered by injury and his influence completely disappeared once O'Donoghue attached the clamps. With Mid Kerry's half back desperately fighting fires out the field, Darran O'Sullivan was the main back-up for the outstanding Liam Carey, but didn't have the same scoring threat. Personally I would have brought in Jack O'Connor much earlier, he's young but a prodigious talent, but those are very easy calls to make from the stand, tougher on the sideline. The East Kerry defence combined well, worked hard, and were sticky and tight with tackling technique; they were the platform for victorey.

Talking Points

I'll make this quick, because I won't be thanked for either, but they are the two big pointing points in the aftermath and they do need to be addressed. One is the streaming service. I was very, very lucky to be there (we'll call it the kindness of nonstrangers). Those who couldn't be there (and while I do think more people can be accommodated at outdoor sports games with safe social distancing, we all need to acknowledge that the risk has increased hugely) had to rely on a streaming service which didn't work. The Irish Examiner provided Cork's championship games for free and perfectly. Kerry paid money to outside companies who failed to do so, and moreover the problems with their service had been flagged well before this game. They got this one wrong; hopefully refunds will be forthcoming and a lesson will be learned.

The second thing is the make-up of East Kerry.



There is no point in making any decision until we know who is promoted to senior this year injury-hit Spa winning the Intermediate would at least delay the conversation, but it needs to be had, especially with Kilcummin dropping down from senior. Two in a row Bishop Moynihans isn't a worry in itself, but allied to five in row at minor and four on the trot in U21/U20? Neither Dublin in recent years or Kerry in their heyday were dominating like this. Players like Marc Kelliher, Dan Murphy, Darragh Rahilly, Patrick Darcy not even getting a minute of action? Remember, John Mark Foley and Donal Down O'Sullivan would have been eligible for East Kerry as well. The issue for me is the players who aren't getting games. Young players like Dan McCarthy, Jack O'Connor, Sean O'Brien, Paul O'Shea, and Paul Walsh have absolutely lit up this championship. How much playing time would they have got with East Kerry this year?



DR. CROKES

DR. O'DONOGHUE CUP Q/F

Dr. Crokes 2-15 Legion 0-18 This was a good contest in Direen on Sunday last were we managed to edge out a victory over town rivals. Our opponents were quick out of the block and had the opening score in the first minute with a J. O'Donoghue point quickly equalised with a Miceal Burns 45, C. Keane inched Legion ahead with a point, 3 Burns points in succession gave us the advantage 0-04 to 0-02 after 12minutes P. McCarthy narrowed the gap until Chris Doncel and Captain Gavin White inched us further ahead, O'Donoghue narrowed the gap points from Brian Looney & David Shaw saw us lead 0-09 to 0-04 after 23minutes. Burns & O'Donoghue exchanged minors and further Brian Looney point gave us 0-10 0-05 lead as we entered injury time but 3 points from our opponents narrowed the gap, Burns closed the proceedings with a further point to leave the half time score 0-11 to 0-08.

On the resumption J. Lyne and Kieran O`Leary exchanged minors 3 Legion points in quick succession brought parity 0-12 apiece.

Michael Potts with a goal followed by minors by Shaw & White pushed us 5 points ahead D. Lyne got one back for the opposition at this stage scores were at a premium Legion with 3 points narrowed the gap 1-14 to 0-16 entering the final 5 minutes, Kieran O'Leary and O'Donoghue swapped minors. In the 29th minute Miceal Burns waltzed through their defense to give us a 4point advantage entering injury time.

Tempers were getting frayed with too many stoppages' but our resolute defense stood firm to close out the game and qualify for s/f.

Team Shane Murphy, David Naughton, Mike Moloney, Fionn Fitzgerald, John Payne, Gavin White © Michael Potts, Johnny Buckley Mark O'Shea, Brian Looney Miceal Burns Cillian Fitzgerald Cris Doncel Kieran O'Leary David Shaw.

LADIES Our u12 girls finished their 2020 campaign with a victory in the final of Group 4B of the Southern league against Rathmore B on Tuesday evening last on a score-line of Dr Crokes 5-7 Rathmore B 4-2.

These young ladies have worked so hard this year to improve their skills and this is a well deserved win.

Many thanks to Catherine & Padraig for looking after the team so well and also to Senior players Ava, Siobhán & Rheanne who also assisted with coaching the girls during the year.

Our Minor team secured a good win against Austin Stacks in the semi-final of Div 3 of the county league on Friday evening last on a score-line of 3-11 to 1-5. Scartaglin will be our opponents in the Final.

Best of luck to our Senior ladies who travel to Clare on Saturday next to take on Kilrush in the Munster Junior A Quarter Final.

LOTTO draw took place on Monday Sept. 28th numbers drawn were 5 7 12 27 Jackpot not won €5,900 1Patron matched 3 numbers. receive €.400 Joe Curran C/o Brian O`Callaghan Jackpot for draw on October 4th will be €6,200 We are calling on all members to support our weekly lotto as this represents one of the main



Killarney Legion Girls U12 Green team who captured the South Kerry League Div2b final last Tuesday evening v MKL Gaels A team on a scoreline of 2-10 to 3-04. Back row (L TO R): Liadan Coleman, Grace O Shea, Megan Sheahan, Jenna Coffey, Eva Spellman, Kiera Moynihan, Roisin McAuliffe, Laura Healy, Ali Bowler. Front Row (L TO R): Kate Forde, Grace Cox, Kate O Toole, Darcy Louise Tagney, Zoe Counihan, Clodagh Flanagan, Eva O Shea.



Legion U-14 Girls Champions.

sources of revenue for the club. With activity likely to recommence on the fields over the next few weeks we need people's support to maintain our facilities in Lewis's Road. 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

When you click on the link it brings you to the Clubforce Main page. From here click Club name Dr. Crokes Gaa. This brings you to another page that you again put in Dr. Crokes, which in turn brings you to the Dr. Crokes home page. From here click lotto and the rest follows on. Alternatively download the Clubforce app,

EAST KERRYGAA NEWS

By Michael O'Mahony

EAST KERRY 2 - 15 MID KERRY 0 - 9

Two brilliant goals at the start of the second half set East Kerry on the road to back to back County Championship's as they proved far too strong for a below par Mid Kerry team under the lights of Austin Stack Park this evening.

It was East Kerry who got into their stride quickest, with midfielder Ronan Buckley charging through the middle to open the scoring in the first minute. David Clifford opened his account for the final soon after as East Kerry were moving the ball quickly into their dangerous full forward line. Mid Kerry first score arrived from a free from Ciaran Kennedy. Darragh Roche pointed a free soon afterwards before Liam Carey, who was Mid Kerry's chief score getter, curled over a lovely score with his right foot. Evan Cronin then joined his fellow inside line in scoring after linking well with Roche, and after two more classy points from Clifford, one with the left, one with the right, East Kerry would lead by three at the first water break.

Carey continued to take the fight to East Kerry, also showing his ambidexterity with a left foot and then a right foot score to reduce the deficit to the minimum. East Kerry then scored back to back points, from Roche and Cronin, who both took advantage of the advanced mark rule and split the posts with great accuracy.

Wing forward David Roche then pointed for Mid Kerry as they were finding some headway when running at the East Kerry defense. This meant East Kerry would lead by two, with the outcome very much in doubt as half time arrived.

Mid Kerry would have been happy enough with their first half efforts. They may have missed some scoring opportunities but they were still very much in contention. East Kerry though would take the game away from them though in a devastating ten minute spell. Firstly Dara Moynihan did well to get the ball to David Clifford twenty yards out from goal. There was a simple point on but Clifford had other ideas. He dropped the ball on his right foot and smashed it into the top right hand corner of the net, past Stephen Cahillane's despairing dive. It may be the best goal ever witnessed in a County Final. Like all great sides East Kerry went in for the kill. A high ball dropped in space and Paudie Clifford was first onto it. Darragh Roche ghosted in behind and Clifford timed his pass excellently to leave Roche one on one with Cahillane. There was only ever going to be one result. Roche finding the bottom corner and East Kerry had made their break for home. Cronin and Roche followed up with two more points, and almost out of nowhere, East Kerry had an eleven point lead at the second water

Mid Kerry's long wait for a second half score was finally ended when Carey scored his sixth point of the night from a free before sub Brian O Donoghue brilliantly pointed for East Kerry. Industrious corner forward Gavan O'Grady got his first score of the night for the green and reds, before Buckley followed up his first minute point, with a last minute score as East Kerry retained their crown.

All that was left was for Captain Dan O Donoghue to climb the steps and collect the Bishop Movnihan Cup for the second time. This was a clinical performance, with high quality defending and brilliance in the forwards. The full forward line accounted for two ten of the overall total and only four wide's were registered over the sixty minutes. For Mid Kerry, they just couldn't reach the levels of their semi final victory. They have had a good year though and will be back. It was East Kerry's night though. Congratulations to all involved and it is a privilege to see such a special team in action. 1 Shane Cronin 2 Chris O Donoghue 3 Jack Sherwood 4 Niall Donoghue 5 Shane Cronin 6 Dan O Donoghue 7 Paul Murphy 8 Mark Ryan 9 Ronan Buckley 0 - 2 10 Dara Moynihan 0 - 2 11 Paudie Clifford 12 Brendan O Keeffe 13 David Clifford 1 - 4 14 Darragh Roche 1 - 3 15 Evan Cronin 0 - 3

EAST KERRY SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP DR O'DONOGHUE CUP QUARTER FINAL DR CROKES 2-15 (21) LEGION -18

Played sunday Direen on sunday last, last years winner Legion blow out of O'Donoghue cup in very entertainment game in sunshine in great conditionins Dr crokes run out winners advance to semi Final

Legion tired hard but Dr crokes held out half time score Dr crokes -011 Legion -08



Pictured is johnny Brosan chairman of East kerry GAA Board preanted to Dr Crokes Michael Burns man of match free membership of Aquilla club Gleneagle Hotel.

Legion scorers james O'Donoghue -05

Jamie O'Sullivan -01

Conor Keane -05

Daragh Lyne -02

Eoin O'Sullivan -02

Peter Maccarthy -03

Dr crokes scorers

man of match Micheal Burns 1-06

Michael Pops 1-01

Gavin white -02

kieran O'Leary -02

Chris Doncel -02

Brian Looney -02.

EAST KERRY INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP FR GAVIN CUP SPONSORED BY AQUILLA CLUB

SEMI FINAL - KILGARVAN 0-11 CORDAL 0-18

Both teams lined out in Kilgarvan on a near perfect day for football. Cordal playing with the wind in the first half scored the first two points from frees by Sean Brosnan before Philip O'Connor scored from play. Kilgarvan's Gearoid Fennessy put the home side on the score board with a point from play. A further couple of points from Cordal's Sean Brosan and two points for Kilgarvan from frees by Daniel Casey made it 0-03 to 0-05 at the first water break. Daniel Casey scored a point from play and the next four points were Cordal's , 2 from frees by Jason Cronin and one each for Cordal's midfield duo Brian Reidy and Philip O'Connor to put Cordal 0-09 to 0-04 at half time.

Cordal pointed another free after the break before Kilgarvan's Connie Cremin and John Mark Foley scored fine points for Kilgarvan, another Philip O'Connor free and points from Kilgarvan's Gearoid Fennessy and Ronan Foley made it 0-11 to 0-08 at the second water break. Cordal finished out the last quarter scoring a further 6 points 3 from frees whilst Kilgarvan scored 3 points 1 from frees. Cordal winning out on a scoreline of 0-18 to 0-11.

This was a great open game of football, both



teams playing some lovely football and getting some fine points on the board.

Kilgarvan: Flor O'Donoghue, Michael O'Sullivan, Keith Harrington, Gary Randles, Sean Casey, Jack Foley, Phoenix Randles, John Mark Foley (0-01), Gearoid Fennessy (0-03, 0-01f), Conor Shorthall, Richard O'Sullivan, Connie Cremin (0-01)Darragh O'Brien, Daniel Casey (0-04, 0-02f), Ronan Foley (0-02), Dion Murphy. Management: Mickey Foley, Pat Twomey, John Foley, Flor O'Brien

Cordal: Sean Og O Ciardubhain, Gary O Leary, Joe Sheehy, Jamie Cahill, TJ OConnor, Johnny O Connor, Padraig Brosnan, Brian Reidy, Philip O'Connor, Kieran Enright, Jason Cronin, Donal McCarthy, Sean Brosnan, Sean Walsh, Michael Flynn subs: Nathan O'Rourke, Billy Cronin, Eamon Nolan, Mark O'Donoghue, John Brosnan, Cathal O'Donoghue, Eamon John O'Donoghue, Daniel Kearney, Flor Griffin, Sean O'Connell, Oisin Nolan, Jonathan O'Donnell, Kieran O'Donoghue, Padraig O'Connell, Kevin Walsh. Management: Michael Cahill, Kevin O'Connor Referee: Tom Moriarty Legion

CONGRATULATIONS

to the East Kerry Senior Team and managerment sponsored by shire wining the 2020 county senior football Championship and congratulations also to man of match David Cifford - Capt Dan O'Donoghue

Final score East Kerry 2-15 mid Kerry0-9 wonderful achievement for East Kerry in winning back to back county Championship.

We wish to thanks following people who donated to our playlers Fund

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EAST KERRY EAST KERRY INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP FR GAVIN CUP FINAL SPONSORED BY QUILLA CLUB

Sunday 4th October 2020 at 2:00pm venue to be confirmed

Extra Time if necessary and Winner on the day, in all above games

East Kerry Senior Championship Dr. O'Donoghue Cup 2020

First Round

First team named is at home

Glenflesk V Firies – Saturday 3rd October at 4:00pm

Listry V Kenmare – Sunday 4th October at 12:00pm

Rathmore V Gneeveguilla – Fixture TBC CONDOLENCES

to Tommy & johnny Doyle former kerry footballers & Annasual GAA & extended family on death of they mother margaret Doyle (nownes) Rip camp and also to Bingo & johnny Driscoll camp & extended family on death of their father former kerry footballer Gene Driscoll RIP camp AR DHEIS DE GO RATH A ANAM.



MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE NEWS

SYMPATHY

We extend our condolences to the Tyther Family, Kilderry and their extended families on the death of James Tyther who died recently. We also extend our sympathies to the Stephens

We also extend our sympathies to the Stephens Family, Kilderry on the death of Elizabeth Stephens-May James and Elizabeth Rest in Peace.

DRIVE IN BINGO

This Sunday,October 4th 2020

€3,000 DRIVE IN BINGO: Just a few days to go! Our club, in conjunction with Nagle Rice Community Pitch, is hosting a Drive in Bingo on this Sunday October 4th in the grounds of The Mart Car Park. €15 for a Single Book and Jackpot Sheet or €20 for a Double Book and Jackpot Sheet. We sincerely appreciate the management and committee of Mid Kerry Mart, Milltown for facilitating this. It is going to be a great afternoon so make sure you have your biros to the ready to mark off those winning numbers! It's getting very near so please spread the word!!

SENIOR COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Commiserations to the Mid Kerry Panel and management team following their defeat by East Kerry on Saturday evening last. As a management team and panel, no doubt you all put in a huge effort into training and playing over the past few weeks. It is a wonderful achievement to reach a County Final and as we all know there can be only one winner. Heartiest congratulations to East Kerry on a tremendous victory. We wish you all the best going forward. LOTTO MATCH 3 PRIZE-WINNERS

We had no jackpot winner on Friday last but we did have 2 very happy Match 3 prize winners who each won €100.

Congratulations to Darina and Linus Burke and Darragh Foley, Milltown.

Numbers drawn were 5, 16, 19 and the bonus was 29. Next draw on Friday October 9 Th in the clubhouse. Jackpot will be €12,600 with €200 for a Match 3. Sincere thanks as always for all your support.

UNDER 16'S

Maith thú to our Milltown/Castlemaine U16's on Saturday afternoon in their final game of the year.... a fantastic win with a nail biting finish against a good Kenmare side!. Sincere thanks to their coaching team of David Heasman, Stephen Roche, Mike Burke and Cathal Moriarty who put in a tremendous effort into training sessions and games over the past few months. We also appreciate the support of everyone who has helped out throughout the year-Covid supervisors, those providing updates and photos from games and all the parents of our players who travelled to various venues supporting the players and management. Thank you also to our Coiste Na nÓg sponsors-Foleys Spar, Milltown and to Listry GAA for the use of their facilities.

LEGION GAA

RESULTS
DR ODONOGHUE CUP 1/4 FINALS
Killarney Legion 0-18
Dr Crokes 2-15



Pictured is Cordal team who Defeated Kilgarvan in East Kerry Fr Gavin Cup semi final.



defending when required. Final score legion 2-13 listowel 1-4. Well done girls.

U-12 GIRLS COUNTY LEAGUE

Both our U12 girls team took to the field this week in Direen in their respective Co League finals. MKL Gaels provided the opposition in both games. On what was a terrible evening for football all 4 teams turned in fantastic performances. In the 'Green' team's match, Our girls got a grip on the game early doors but the girls from mid Kerry bounced back and led at the water break. Not to be out done the legion girls stormed out for the 2nd quarter and took the game by the scruff of the neck. Some fine flowing play resulted in some great moves and some very accurate free taking kept the the scoreboard ticking over. The third quarter saw the legion girls pull away but once again the Mkl girls got a foothold and mounted a comeback. The deficit was reduced to 3 points as the game approached the end. Mkl came looking for the goal to tie the game in the dying moments but some resolute defending kept them at bay. The legion girls came out on top after a very entertaining and sporting game on a scoreline of 2-10 to 3-04.

Our young u12 'white' team took to the field for their final match of the season this evening. We were pitted against the girls of MKL Gaels

who we welcomed to Direen. The fine weather

night. Well done to all 4 teams who braved the elements and provided great entertainment for all the soaking wet supporters.

U-7/8/9'S BOYS

It was a very busy week for our young legionaries this evening saw our boys from u7/8/9/10 welcome Laune Rangers GAA to Direen. On our main pitch our u10 boys entertained with two very competitive games. On a wet windy night, conditions were difficult but it didn't deter either side as both teams put on a fine display. Well done to all involved. Not to be outdone the u7 and u8 boys also togged out on the nearby HSE field and played some Fantastic stuff. A cold Windy evening for these young legs but they all were super. Well done to both sets of players. Thanks so much to the players and coaches of Laune Rangers for visiting Direen.

JUVENILE ACADEMY

The Juvenile Academy continues every Saturday morning. All Safe Return to Play protocols in place. See you Saturday 10:30am, new members welcome.

CLUB MERCHANDISE

The club shop is open every Saturday morning at 10:30am-11:30am, New stock available in all sizes.

LEGION RESULTS

3-18-19-27 bonus 2



Match 3's.

Derry Pyne, Ballydowney

Bridie O'Neill, Oak Hill Cait Cronin.

Indiyah Murphy, c/o Grandad Mike

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Jackpot €6000 plus bonus €10,000

Draw Murphy's Bar @9pm.

SPA GAA CLUB

1) The Intermediate Hurling Cup visits Spa with Dr Crokes hurlers and Spa members Michael Horgan and Rory Waters. Here they are with the Spa juvenile girls coaches Emma Daly, Susan O Sullivan, Rory Waters, Michael Horgan, Claire Tangney and Tomás Daly. Photos by Anne Holland.

2) Spa players celebrate their Kerry Co Championship win with East Kerry at the weekend. Front L-R: Eoin Fitzgerald, Mike Foley, Dara Moynihan, Evan Cronin. Back L-R Mike McCarthy, Liam Kearney, David Spillane, Dan O'Donoghue, Shane Cronin. Photos by Anne Holland.

INTERMEDIATE OUARTER FINAL

Spa play Laune Rangers this Saturday October 3rd at 7pm in Austin Stack Park Tralee in the Intermediate Club Championship Quarter Final. Best of luck to our senior team and management. The game will be streamed live on Kerry GAA.

CO CHÁMPIONS

East Kerry defeated Mid Kerry on Saturday night in the Kerry Co Championship Final by 2-15 to 0-9, and team captain and Spa defender Dan O'Donoghue brought the Bishop Moynihan Cup back to East Kerry for a second year in a row! Huge congratulations to the team and management that includes Spa members Mike Foley, Dara Moynihan, Shane Cronin, Liam Kearney, Mike McCarthy, David Spillane, Evan Cronin, Eoin Fitzgerald, Dan O'Donoghue (team captain), Sean Cronin (selector) and Joey McCarthy as well as Arthur Fitzgerald and Ruth Allen from our senior team management.

U14 GIRLS

Our Spa U14 Girls played ISG (Inbhear Scéine Gaels) recently in a challenge game. Although they didn't enter a team for this year's U14 league, the girls played excellent. Susan, Emma, Claire Tomás and Rory have continued to train the girls every week and their skills have improved immensely. Their next game is Sunday September 27th at 5pm against Finuge/St Senans.

U14 BOYS

Our U-14 Boys 2020 season came to a close last Saturday afternoon with a Division 1B home tie versus Laune Rangers. The pitch was in immaculate condition, the weather was fabulous, and our boys turned up tuned in and ready for the occasion, but alas things just didn't work out for us on the day. Missing our inspirational captain Shane O'Sullivan who couldn't play on the day, coupled with an early injury to our centre back Cian Russell (who I am glad to say has recovered well from same) really stretched the ability of this small squad.

The boys fought hard but this Laune Rangers team is a fantastic squad of players and they were just too strong for us on the day and



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won out handy in the end. The boys can be extremely proud of their efforts for the Blue & Gold this year. We met in total 50 times (which is no mean feat given the coronavirus restrictions imposed early on), played 10 games with notable wins versus Legion and Rathmore (Phase 1 of County League, Kilcummin and Kenmare (Phase 2 of County League) and friendlies v Beaufort and Keel/Listry.

We lost to Kilcummin away (Phase 1 of County League) and lost away to Keel/Listry by the slightest of margins (Phase 2 of County League), so 7 wins and 3 losses is the summation of results for 2020.

We have a small squad of 19 players and each of them played their part in representing the club at the highest level they can play at being U-14 Division 1 football.

It was a strange year for everyone, we trained doing core work in the gym last November, broke for Christmas, back in January, broke in March due to coronavirus and back in late June again until last Saturday. Whilst the breaks were unsettling, it didn't deter the enthusiasm of the lads and for that we must commend them.

Whilst we break again now until further notice, the management team of Adrian, Mike F, Denis and Mike would like to take the opportunity to thank the boys and their parents for all their efforts this year. To the families, stay safe, to the boys, keep kicking ball and exercise whilst we break and make sure to keep supporting (albeit maybe remotely) East Kerry this weekend and our seniors thereafter in their Intermediate competition. Adrian, Mike F, Denis & Mike .

UVENILE TRAINING

Every Saturday the Academy welcomes BOYS & GIRLS from ages 3 to 10 in the ABC, U6, U8 and U10 groups. The Academy starts at 10am each Saturday and new members are always welcome! If you would like any additional information or for any queries on juvenile training times, please contact our Coiste na nOg Secretary Andrew on 0871385612.

BUSY SATURDAY MORNINGS IN SPA

Saturday morning between 10am – 11am are busy at the Spa club:

*Juvenile Academy for Boys & Girls from ages 3-10 outdoors on the 3 playing pitches. New members always welcome and any queries



contact our Coiste na nÓg Secretary Andrew on 087 1385612

*Spa Merchandise Shop will be open at the top of the stairs with a full range of club gear for both adults and juveniles! Any queries contact Mathilda on 087 6487356

*Spa Lotto tickets on sale in front of the clubhouse - €2 each, 3 for €5 or Annual Ticket for €100. This Monday's Spa GAA Jackpot is €5,600! (Tickets also available online on spagaa. com)

U10 BOYS

Spa u10 boys welcomed Ballymac to Spa in the beautiful sunshine on Sunday evening. Two strong teams lined out with every member getting plenty of game time. This improves the skill and confidence of each player with each outing. Well done to all the players, parents and coaches.

U16 CO LEAGUE ROUND 3

Spa u16's played their last home game of phase 2 of the county league against Gneeveguilla on Monday evening the 21st of September. The boys started brightly with a well taken penalty by Timmy Moynihan. Further goals by Luke O'Neill, Rian O'Neill & Donagh gave us a 5 point lead at half time. Unfortunately, in the second half the boys could not keep up the intensity of the first half & lost out by 2 points. The boys have given everything & more for the coaches this year.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING CUP VISITS SPA

The Kerry Intermediate Hurling Championship trophy visited Spa last night after Dr Crokes won the Intermediate Final last Sunday. Spa U12/U14 Girls coach Rory Waters and Spa player Michael 'Hoggie' Horgan were members of the Dr Crokes hurling team that defeated Tralee Parnells in the final last weekend. They had the honour of bringing the cup to their home club and proudly show it to the juvenile players and fellow coaches Emma Daly, Susan Waters, Claire Tangney and Tomas Daly. Although Spa is a football stonghold, both Rory and Hoggie are dual players and under GAA guidelines are able to play hurling with a different club. The other

two times Dr Crokes won the Intermediate Final, in 1999 and 2001, they also had two Spa players with their team that time, Seanie Morris and Brian O'Sullivan Darcy. Well done lads!

SPA LOTTO RESULTS 28/09/20

Numbers drawn 5, 20, 24, 26. No winner and Lucky Dips receive €50 each to Marese Kearnye, John & Noreen Doolan, Mike Mangan and Aoibheann O'Leary. Our weekly Spa GAA Club Lotto continues every Monday night at the clubhouse and the JACKPOT prize is currently at €5,600! Tickets are €2 each, 3 tickets for €5 or €100 for an Annual Ticket and there are 3 ways to purchase: 1) ONLINE on our club website www.spagaa.com 2) At the SATURDAY JUVENILE ACADEMY in Spa from 10am-11am every Saturday or 3) from Club TICKET SELLERS who distribute tickets each week.

Many Spa lotto annual tickets will become due for renewal in the next few weeks. Their duration was, of course, extended to compensate for weeks missed when lotto was suspended. Please check with your usual seller or ring Jim Gleeson at 087 6340581. Thank you all for your continued support.

SPA MERCHANDISE SHOP

Spa Merchandise Shop is open every Saturday morning from 10am – 11am. Any enquiries contact Mathilda on 0876487356.

ITEMS FOR NOTES

Any items for the club notes please contact Deirdre at pro.spa.kerry@gaa.ie or 0851216359 before 8pm on Sundays.

BALLYHAR-FIRIES GAA

COISTE NA NOG

Academy Training has now concluded for 2020 for U6 and U8 boys and girls & U10 boys on Saturday Morning. It has been a shortened year but there has been a great turnout again this year. Many thank must go out to all the parents, Coaches, Covid Officers and especially all the players for their co-operation with all the covid procedures. Congrats to all the U10 who have

graduated from the academy up to U12 and for the rest, see ye all in 2021!!!

COVID 19 RETURN TO PLAY

The GAA Health Questionnaire must be filled out by all players (adult) and parents of players (Juvenile) prior to the first training session that you attend. The link is below. Please print or take a screenshot when complete.

https://returntoplay.gaa.ie/

LOTTO

Lotto results from Monday 28th No's Drawn 10, 18, 19 & 25 No Winner.

€30 euro winners James McCarthy, Mounthenry, Firies Katie Brosnan, Swinemount Dan Joe Quinlan, Gearha Stephen Prendergast, c/o Aherns . Stevie Flynn, Firies The draw will take place on Monday 5th October for this weeks Jackpot of €3,200 Keep an eye on our social media for results. Thanks to everyone who purchased a ticket and don't forget to get one for next week!! Get your lotto tickets from all the usual sellers, Club Officers, from any of the shops and business in the parish or online via the Firies page on Clubforce. Thanks you all for your continued support.

EAST KERRY GAA

Congrats to the Firies Members involved with the East Kerry team and management who won the Senior Football County Championship final for a send year in a row on Saturday evening. Also congrats to Jack Sherwood who was named on the team of the championship at full back and was also named player of the championship.

HURLING

Training continues in Farranfore on Thursdays from 7 to 8pm for U6 to U14. All new boys and girls are more than welcome to join, all hurling gear provided for newcomers.

RESULTS

U14 Girls Div 3 County Final Fossa 3-17 Firies 6-07

FIXTURES

Seniors Away Vs Glenflesk in Dr O'Donoghue Cup Saturday 3rd at 16.00.



Joan
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ROSS GC, KILLARNEY - GENTS CLUB

RESILITS

On Sept 26th & 27th we held a Single Stableford Competition and the winners were:

- 1... Ryan Scott (17) 42
- 2... Gianfranco Ghidini (13) 39
- 3... Kevin O'Callaghan (9) 39
- 4.... Virginius Joniakitis (14) 35

FIXTURE

Our next competition will be on Oct 10th/11th. Best of luck to the Killarney Race Company on their upcoming October Racing Festival on Oct 4th and 5th

KILLARNEY GOLF & FISHING CLUB - LADIES

Results from Sunday 27th of September Stableford Competition on Mahony's sponsored by Paul and Sheila Cotters Tea Shop

1st Josephine O'Sullivan (21) 40pts 2nd: Annette McNeice (22) 40pts (B9)

BG: Mary Sheehy (3) 40pts 4th: Amy Arthur (7) 39pts 5th Patricia Walsh (38) 39pts 6th: Cara Fuller (37) 39pts 7th: Corrina Griffin (2) 38pts (B9) 8th: Mary O'Rourke (23) 38pts B9)

Next weeks competition is Stableford on Killeen kindly sponsored by Mark Heinemann.

DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB NEWS

SUNDAY DRAWS

Fourball Betterball- First Nett: Noel Moynihan & Betty O'Brien 39½, Gross: John McGrath & Sean O'Brien 47, Second Nett: John McGrath & Betty O'Brien 40.

CLUB STROKEPLAY

In association with Charlie Foleys Bar, scheduled for this Sunday morning October 4th. Further details will be announced here the time.



The Dr. Crokes GAA Club US Open Golf Challenge prediction competition first prize of €1,000 was won by Mike and Dan Dwyer. Seated in front are Vincent Casey (competition coordinator) and Mike Dwyer (overall winner). Standing from left are Malachy Walsh (Treasurer), Frank and Hannah Herlihy (Camp Renegades, third prize), PJ Lawlor (second prize) and Ed Stack (Treasurer). The next Dr Crokes Golf Challenge competition will be the Masters Tournament in November.

MEMBERS ONLY

Currently open to members only. Members are asked to text or leave a voicemail on the club phone 087 7823138 with their names, time and date of play as soon as possible after each round (this is for contact tracing purposes).

KILLARNEY GOLF & FISHING CLUB - MENS

Results of the Mens' Club sponsored singles stableford competition held on the Killeen course on the 26th & 27th.

1st Laurence Byrnes 42pts(16)

2nd Peter Mcenery 41pts(05)

3rd Ryan Kelliher 41pts(03)

4th Gerard Walsh 39pts(13)

5th Greg Lanigan 39pts(06)

6th Shane O'Sullivan 38pts(07)

7th Adrian Brennan 38pts(11)
Category 1 Paul Murphy 37pts(06)
Category 2 Harry O'Neill 36pts(10)
Category 3 Paul O'Donoghue 38pts(17)
Category 4 Alan Goggin 37pts(19)
Congratulations to Peter McEnery and Michae

Congratulations to Peter McEnery and Michael Maher for their holes in one on the 10th and 6th hole respectively.

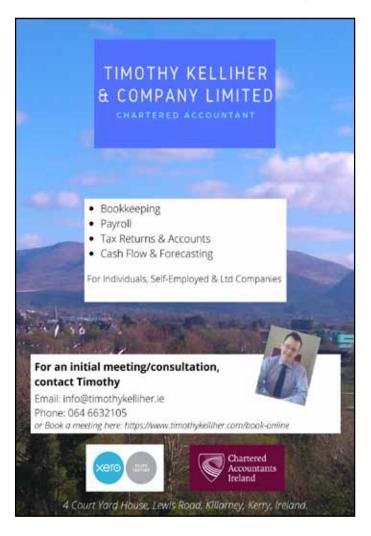
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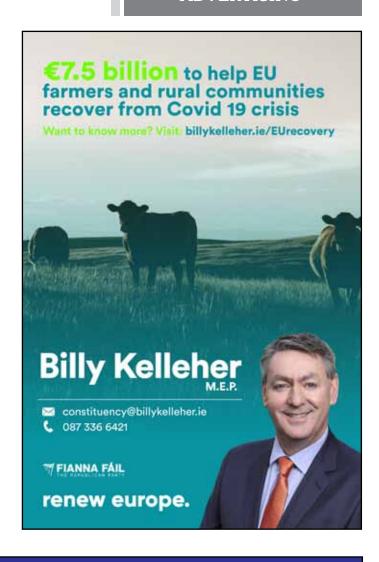
RESULTS

Competitions played on 25th Sept. 18 Hole Stableford 1st on countback Marie O'Brien 30 pts (31); 2nd Margaret Lane 30 pts (31); 3rd Una Moroney 28 pts (25). 9 hole Stableford 1st Anne O'Connor 17 pts; 2nd Helen Healy 13 pts.



The Downey family (centre) pictured with Mayor Brendan Courtney outside the Fáilte Hotel with some of the Prize Winners of the recent golf classic at Beaufort GC to help raise funds after the recent & tragic passing of their Mum Joanne Downey. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN







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LOTTO

No winner of our lotto draw 25/9/2020, numbers drawn were 9, 12, 27 & 30. Sellers prize winner Tom Joe O' Donoghue, €50 y/t prize to Aiden O' Sullivan Stagmount, €50 to Tim Collins The Village, €40 each to Kate O' Connor Lisheen, Malachy Scannell Clonkeen & Mary O' Donoghue Upper Coom. Bonus not won, numbers drawn were 1, 5, 12 & 27. Next week's jackpot €12,600 plus €1,000 bonus.

MUCKROSS ROWING CLUB

IRISH OFFSHORE ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Last weekend, nine of our members took on the top offshore rowers in Ireland at the Offshore Rowing Championships held in Portmagee. Muckross RC was represented in three events. Well done to our two Mens Quads who raced in separate heats on Saturday. The crew of Roger Harty, PJ Walsh, Sean Real and Noel Kelleher were coxed by John Beazley and placed 7th of 8. John again coxed the crew of Brendan O'Neill, Marko Tot, Tim O'Shea and Jeremy Kenny in the second heat with the crew finishing second to Templenoe to qualify for Sunday's final. An unintended late dash to the start line for the final saw the Muckross boat lag an explosive lead taken by favourites Myross, Wicklow and the following pack. Over the 4km course, Muckross did rein in two crews from Callinafercy and Arklow to finish 7th overall with Myross the winners. Marko Tot also raced in the heats of the Mens Solo, placing 5th. He later teamed up with Sheila Clavin of St. Michael's RC Limerick in the Mixed Double, with another 5th place finish in the straight final of that event. Overall a very successful outing. A special word of thanks to John Beazley for coxing and towing the boat

KILLARNEY RFC NEWS

SENIORS

A huge Congrats to our Seniors who travelled to Listowel last Sunday to take on the home side in the McGillycuddy Cup final, winning 40-12 on the day. A fantastic start to the season. Well done to Captain Damien O'Carroll's charges, coaches and team management. Commiserations to Listowel but the future looks very good for the reformed senior side. Training continues every Tuesday and Thursday, new players always welcome.

U16 GIRLS CREATE HISTORY

Our U16's girls traveled to rugby powerhouse Shannon RFC for their first ever game. A friendly, the quality of rugby on display was fantastic and the large travelling crowd really enjoyed the match, with our girls registering their first ever win in a pulsating match. Coaches Jenna



Muckross RC Mens Quad at the Irish Offshore Rowing Championships held in Portmagee last Saturday and Sunday, 26-27 September. I-r: Brendan O'Neill, Marko Tot, Jeremy Kenny, Tim O'Shea. Front: John Beazley (cox).



Killarney Rugby Club U16 girls who travelled to Shannon for their first ever game, and won! Players along with coaches Liam Murphy, Jenna Moynihan and Josh Whelan.

Moynihan, Liam Murphy and Josh Whelan are very proud of their charges and will have plenty to work on ahead of the league which kicks off in a few weeks. Next up we host Clonakilty at home on Sunday in another challenge game. Well done everyone.

MINIS

Our Minis continue every Saturday for boys and girls (aged 5 - 11) between 10am and 12, with a staggered start time for each age group. Check out our facebook page for more or give Minis Coordinator Liam Murphy a shout on 087-4145662.

RESULTS

U14 Boys Black 22 - 7 Killorglin U 14 Boys Red 20 - 5 Listowel U16 Boys 3 - 0 Castleisland U16 Girls Win V Shannon away U18.5 Killarney 15 - 3 Killorglin Seniors Killarney 40 - 12 Listowel

FIXTURES

U14 Boys red V Chorca Dhuibhne Away, Sat @ 12:30pm

U14 Boys Black V Abbeyfeale Home, Sun @ 11am

U16 boys V Chorca Dhuibhne home, Sat @ 12:30pm

U18 V Abbeyfeale Away, Sat @ 1pm

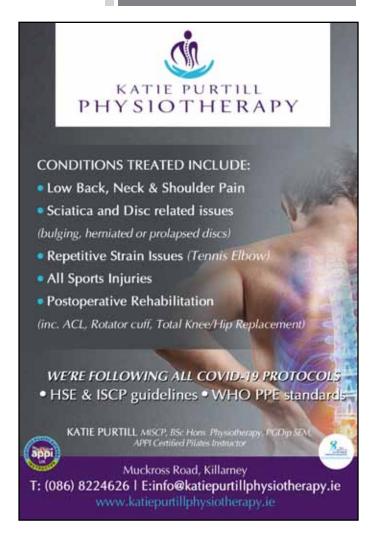
U14 Girls and U16 Girls V Clonakilty, Sunday @1pm.



Be Responsible - Be Safe









DANNY HEALY-RAE TD

> CIIr MAURA **HEALY-RAE**



WEEKLY CLINIC ON: SATURDAY AT SCOTT'S HOTEL, KILLARNEY AT 11AM

(Social distancing and contact tracing in place)

We are available to meet constituents at any time. Give us a ring to arrange a suitable time and place.

BUSES TO BELFAST FOR CATARACT PROCEDURE ARE BACK

We are now taking names for the next bus.

PLEASE CONTACT

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Email: danny.healyrae@oireachtas.ie | johnnyhealyrae@gmail.com maurahealyrae@gmail.com

FOSSA NEWS

FOSSA SENIORS

We wish our senior team and management the very best of luck as all roads lead to Fitzgerald Stadium this Saturday as we play our Premier Junior Semi-final at 3.00pm against Gneeveguilla ticket only but the game is been live streamed.

EAST KERRY

Football Championship 2020:

East Kerry 2-15 v 0-9 Mid Kerry Congratulations to the East Kerry GAA Senior team and management in retaining the Bishop Moynihan cup especially to Paudie & Man of the Match David Clifford 1-4.

FOSSA U14 GIRLS

Fossa 3-17 Firies 6-7

We were behind 1-2 to 0-2 at the 1st water break. Fossa gained control after the break and lead by 2 points for a brief period before Firies scored 2 goals to lead by 4 at half time Firies 3-4 Fossa 0-9. Fossa never gave up hope and with a few minutes remaining they got on top again they drew level close to the end of the game and then in the final minute Elizabeth Coffey kept her cool and scored a free to win the game for Fossa. A superb team effort and never say die attitude saw the girls get over the line.

We will need a while to recover from this game. What an unbelievable come back by our gallant U14 girls to win their Div 3A County League Final. Anne O'Shaughnessy, Grace O'Meara, Caitlin O'Donoghue, Shauna Myers, Rose Cahillane, Elizabeth O'Shea, Sarah Coffey, Seodhla Colleran, Lucy O'Sullivan (0-5) Elizabeth Coffey (2-8) Rachel Wallace(0-1) Ellen Leech, Ruby Gaffey (0-1), Katie O'Driscoll (0-2) Aoibhe Coughlan,Leah Griffin, Anna Whyte, Aoife O'Keeffe, Molly Collins(0-1), Brooke Lynch, Emily Buckley, Lily O'Shaughnessy,Clodagh Clancy, Emily Breen, Kate McCann, Ella Warren. — at Fossa Gaa.

FOSSA U12 GIRLS

U12 Fossa v Cromane Div 1 South Kerry League. Fossa 5-04 Cromane 4-03

Fossa U12 Girls finished top of the Division 1 League after defeating Cromane in the A final last Tuesday in front enthusiastic socially



Fossa Under 14 Girls.



Fossa Under 12 Girls.

distanced parents the girls pulled off the most important win of all to bring an end to this very strange but perfect season. Our girls gave us all a positive reason to remember Summer 2020 - out on top Division 1 South Kerry County champions ... a 2nd consecutive Division 1 title at this age - well done to all 22 of our girls. **LOTTO**

No's Drawn, 4,5,20,28

€40 WINNERS MARIAM O'CONNOR, 9 THE OAK COURTYARD BALLYDOWNY; MARIE FARRELL,

CROHANE FOSSA; SHEILA MURPHY, THE GROVE AGHADOE; CALLUM MYERS, 2 MILE SCHOOL;SEAN KELLY, BALLYDOWNY.

Next weeks lotto €9150.00

Draw takes place every Sunday night in the Golden Nugget Bar, Restaurant and off-licence. PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR LOTTO.

BEAUFORT NEWS

LOTTO

Beaufort GAA Club lotto will begin shortly and is appealing for new lotto sellers.

If you can help, please contact the Club or any lotto seller for more information.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership is still open. Please contact Patie 087 2515311 for membership information. Hopefully the gym will open shortly if we stay in Phase 2 restrictions.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Patrick Crehan, Beaufort U21 and Senior player who was a member of Dr Crokes team which won the 2020 Kerry Intermediate Hurling final last Sunday.

MID KERRY

Hard luck to the Mid Kerry team and management in the county final, especially to our strong Beaufort contingent, Liam Carey, Ronan Murphy, Mike Breen, Ciarán Kennedy, Nathan Breen, Sean O'Brien, Jack O'Connor, Sean Kelliher, Sean Coffey and selector Kevin

Written by Cliona Coffey

O'Brien. **FIXTURES**

Good luck to Beaufort senior men and management who will play Glenbeigh/Glencar on Sunday, 4th October at 1.30pm in Fitzgerald Stadium, Killarney in the County Intermediate football quarter final. Extra time and winner on the day.

IF YOU HAVE A STORY... Contact Aisling on: 086 0400 958





Damien McCarthy Assoc. CIPD 086 - 1936752

HR ADVICE? SOME EMPLOYERS QUESTIONS ANSWERED

BY DAMIEN MCCARTHY ASSOC CIPD

Q. Do I have to provide a reference? There is no obligation on the employer to give a reference for a departing, or departed, employee. If the employer does give a reference, though, it should be accurate and not misleading.

Q. Can I impose an electronic clocking system? Yes, but it is helpful if your staff handbook made reference to changes such as how time may be recorded in future.

Q. Is a smoke break an entitlement? No, there is no legal entitlement to a smoke break. The entitlements to rest breaks, for smokers and non smokers, are the same.

Q. Who pays the legal fees for WRC? If a claim is brought to the WRC (Workplace Relations Commission) both parties pay their own legal expenses/fees.

Q. How many sick days must I allow my staff? This depends on the contracts of employment. If the contract does not allow any sick days there is no legal entitlement to be entitled to paid sick days.

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Written by: John Moriarty Email: info@kilcumminparish.com

BOG WALK

Walk Brochures are available at the Rural Development Office. Following recent feedback from walkers, we would very much appreciate if the following was observed by all; (1) Bring your rubbish home with you and help keep this environment clean. (2) Keep your dog(s) on a lead when you come in contact with fellow walkers.

This is a beautiful amenity in our Parish, and we should all strive to make it a clean and friendly place to enjoy.

CLOTHES COLLECTION

Anabla N.S. will have a used clothes collection on Thursday 15th October. Clothes can be dropped at the school from Wednesday 14th October. Any donations would be greatly appreciated.

SPIRITUAL WELLNESS ADVENTURE TOURS

Spiritual Wellness Adventure Tours taking in Killarney through the Dingle Peninsula. Our aim is to enter into the prayer life of the early monks as they wrapped themselves in the beauty of God's creation, our common home. Through music, song and story we connect with these early spiritual masters in the Irish cradle of Christianity. Accompanied by: Deacon Thady O'Connor. Please ring Evelyn for more details on 087-9365383.

MASTERGEEHA FC LOTTO

Fri 25th Sept 2020. Jackpot €4,200. Numbers drawn were 1.6.8.12. There was no winner, Consolation prizes €50 James Nagle, Mastergeeha, Kilcummin. €50 Neil & Michael Brosnan, Milleen, Kilcummin. €50 James Foley,Coolnagarrahy, Kilcummin. €50 Denis Walsh, Milleen, Kilcummin. Next draw Fri. 2nd October Jackpot €4,400. Our club lotto generates important revenue to help run the club and maintain the club grounds. We are asking people to please support our club lotto at this time. As well as buying tickets from our great team of ticket sellers, you can also but from https://mastergeeha.com/lotto

U12'S/U13'S GIRLS TEAM

We have strong interest in forming a girls team this season. Girls born in 2008 and 2009 are welcome to come and try it out with your friends, call 086 409 8405 for details.

ACADEMY

U6 TO U10 ACADEMY TRAINING ON SATURDAY U-6(2015) & U-7(2014) - 9:45am to 10:45am U-8(2013) & U-9(2012) - 11am to 12 noon U10(2011) - 12:15pm to 1:15pm Great morning had by all last Saturday!

PRE-ORDER CLUB MERCHANDISE FOR CHRISTMAS

Due to the uncertain time we are in, please contact us on 087-2776560 to pre-order any club merchandise (1/4 Zips, Hoodies, T-Shirts, Jackets, Shorts, Socks, tracksuits) for Christmas. **CONGRATULATIONS**

U-13 Division 1 Play-off Final. Mastergeeha FC 3 – 1 Iveragh

Congratulations to our U-13 team in winning the League final against Iveragh on Saturday. Congratulations to our hard working team and management team.



Captain Darragh O'Keefe accepting the Trophy on behaving of the Mastergeeha U-13 Team

RESULTS DIVISION 1

MASTERGEEHA FC 0 – 6 INTER KENMARE. U-16 PREMIER

Killarney Celtic 0 – 2 Mastergeeha FC. The season kicked off with an away fixture to our near neighbours on Thursday evening. Captain David O'Leary, vice captain Eoghan Kelly, Keelan O'Shea, Darragh O'Connell and James William's kept the desire to play through the bad conditions throughout the game.

As the game grew longer our resilience grew stronger and it paid off when Sean Doolan capitalized from pressure on their defence. A tidy finish from just outside the box wrapped up the 3 points. Scorers: Eoghan Kelly & Sean Doolan. Man of the Match: Adam Murphy

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC 1-3 MASTERGEEHA

Our U12 Premier team made the short trip to Killarney Athletic for round 2 of the league. The boys quickly took control but couldn't find the net. However, on 20 mins, a sweeping move started by the returning Conor Finnegan saw a Jack Murphy Liam O'Mahony 1-2 result in a corner. That delivery saw some penalty box ping-pong before Michael O'Riordan pounced to put us up 1-0 and we kept that lead to half time.

The 2nd half saw us again apply early pressure but Athletic made it 1-1. However, our boys showed great resolve and after Daniel Buckley met a Conn Deally free kick with a header that crashed off the crossbar, Jack Murphy was first to react and toe-poked home for us to retake the lead. We continued to dominate possession and made it 3-1 when Roan Guerin scored from the penalty spot after he himself had been upended in the box.

MASTERGEEHA FC 2-3MEK

Our U12 B team were involved in a thriller v MEK B on Saturday afternoon. After falling behind to 2 early goals, the boys rolled up their sleeves and driven on by Neil Thompson and Sean

Herlihy, they halved the deficit before half time when Mark Fleming was first to react to a Jack Teahan free kick which had hit the crossbar.

The 2nd half saw both teams create further chances with Cianan Dennehy making a number of fine saves for Mastergeeha. The teams were level at 2-2 when Sean Fleming continued his goal-a-game form by beating the keeper at close range. As both teams sought a winner, Mastergeeha came close through good work from Cathal O'Keeffe and Cian Maher. However, MEK struck very late on for what would prove to be the winner.

MASTERGEEHA FC 3-8MEK

Our C team made their season debut at home v MEK C Saturday afternoon.

The boys were always up against with such a young side but they battled manfully and burst into an early 2-0 lead thanks to a brace of great goals from Alan O'Leary. With Cian O'Rourke keeping the opposition at bay, we held this lead to the 1st water break. Unfortunately, the 2nd quarter saw our inexperience show and despite heroic defending from Eoin Collins, we trailed 5-2 at the break. The 2nd half saw us defend manfully with Jack Doolan, Cian Kennedy and Evan Foley to the fore. While MEK hit the net on 3 further occasions we never gave up and Oran Lynch personified this when he surged clear for an excellent solo goal. Hard luck to the boys.

LOTTO

Mon 28th Sept. Jackpot €3,250. Numbers drawn were 6,9,14,21.There was no winner, consolation prizes went to €50 Kevin McCarthy, Dunrine, Tralee Rd, .€50 Diarmuid McCarthy, Inch, Kilcummin, €50 Patrick O'Leary, Knocklebede, Kilcummin, €50 Mary Brosnan , Tournonough. Next draw Mon 12th Oct 2020 Jackpot €3,500.

Killarney record impressive victory

Report by **Seamus Grealy** and photos by **Mary McCarthy**



illarney U18s successfully set out on their quest to retain the South West Munster U18 Cup with an impressive victory over nearest rivals Killorglin in sunsoaked Ballymalis on Sat 26th.

Killarney started strongly dominating possession and territory and working through controlled phases. Both sides converted early penalty opportunities kicked by Peter Walsh for Killarney and James Byrne for the home side. However the visitors ability to stretch the home defence and ramp up the pressure moving the ball wide eventually yielded first half tries for right wing Tomas Clifford, left wing Ronan Buckley and inside centre Dean Bradley Cronin. The Half time score was 20 to 3 in favour of Killarney.



Killarney were in no mood to relent after the break and following more excellent collective interplay and hard running Dean Bradley Cronin again crossed over the try line to put the fixture beyond doubt. Several scoring opportunities were squandered before a late scoring burst saw several forwards getting over the whitewash. A Padraig Talbot basketball hook pass put Brendy O Donoghue over to score against his own schoolmates. Number 8 John McCarthy broke from a scrum on half way and scorched away to touch down. With the last play of the game prop Rob Nealon crashed over for his first try for the club. Peter Walsh slotted 7 points with the boot.

Well done to both teams on providing a sporting and competive spectacle and everyone involved was delighted to get back on the playing field again after a long lay off. Killarney were led from the front on the day by an abrasive and dynamic forward unit. The front row were Rob Nealon, Brendy O Donoghue and captain Matt McAuliffe. Second row Adam McSweeney, Sam Casey, Evan Mannix and Darren Cronin. Back row Ozdenis Koyun, John McCarthy, Brendy O Donoghue and Shane Mc Allister.

The backline remained unusually fixed with Peter Walsh, Donnchadh Grealy, Ronan Buckley, Dean Bradley Cronin, James Kennelly, Tomas Clifford and Mark Sheahan all impressing with speed skill and clever interplay.

Killarney begin their Munster league campaign next weekend with an away fixture on Sat 3rd at 12 in Abbeyfeale. Good luck to all involved.

Seamus McCrough at Town Park

Success for Killarney in McGillycuddy Cup final



The final of the McGillycuddy Cup was hosted by Listowel RFC at Town Park on Sunday with the Killarney Senior side looking to bounce back from last week's loss against Killorglin - this time against Junior 2 opposition. Killarney got the game underway on an afternoon perfect for running rugby and enjoyed good early pressure from the off. Listowel were resilient in defence though and it took the full first quarter before Killarney were able to turn pressure into points. Good ball retention in midfield gave centre Mike Sheahan the chance to break the line, flying through the middle to touch down. And there

would be more to follow before half time with two more tries coming before the break, even with Killarney down to 14 men for 10 minutes. The first was down to excellent work from scrum half Mícheál Casey who put it on a plate for Paul O'Sullivan to go over from close range. O'Sullivan turned creator for the second, seemingly enjoying his shift at fly half, with good vision to ultimately release Brendan Fuller for the try. And he was able to convert his own try, remaining flawless from the tee to make it 21-0 at the break. It wasn't all plain sailing for Killarney though and it must be said that the J2 opponents stuck to their task

well throughout, showing good determination to cancel out an early try from Killarney ten minutes into the second half. This time it was John O'Connor's turn to round off a move straight off the training paddock as the backs made the most of clean lineout ball from a well placed penalty kick to touch. The last quarter of the game was in fact played with 14 men on each side for a period, with a red card for Killarney and a sin bin for the hosts. During those ten minutes, John O'Connor doubled his tally for the day, this time from open play through more good hands in the back line. With 15 men back on the pitch, Listowel pulled another try back making it 12-33 but in the end it proved too little too late with club captain Damo O'Carroll sealing the victory at the end.

Starting captain front rower Paul Moynihan accepted the cup, with kind words from both sides and whilst new and old faces all played their part in the win, both youngsters Ciarán O'Brien (former U18) and John O'Donoghue (whose sister plays for Killarney U16s) impressed on their Senior debuts.

RATHMORE | GNEEVEGUILLA NEWS

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SHARE THE BUCKET

The Gneeveguilla Community Development Council in association with the Gneeveguilla Basketball club had our weekly draw for our share the bucket on Friday evening 25 /9/2020. The jackpot was € 252...and our winner was Marie Kelleher. Guaranteed winner every week,go to our Facebook page to find out how and where you can play.

REMEMBER if YOU are not in you can't win. https://www.facebook.com/gneeveguilla/ Draw takes place every Friday eve @8:30 pm on Facebook live If you are interested in helping out in new projects for the community the Gneeveguilla Community Council would love to hear from you.

CONGRATULATIONS

to East kerry team & managerment & Board members on winning county championship for second year in row especally to rathmore playlers Shane Ryan, Paul Murphy, Brendan O'keeffe, Mark ryan, Brian Friel, Dan Murphy, Board PRO Michael O'Mahony, & Gneeveguilla players Padraig Doyle,PA Warren, & Board children Officer Noreen O'Connor Cronin.

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.

SICAP- BEGINNERS FORKLIFT TRAINING IN RATHMORE

IRD Duhallow is providing a providing a Forklift

Training Course in Mount Horgan, Rathmore. This course is designed to help trainees understand the various hazards associated with the operation of counterbalance forklift trucks and assesses their suitability to operate a forklift. Course Content: Demonstrate safe operating skills; Carry out an inspection of the forklift; Load and unload safely; Handle awkward loads; Use safe operating habits; Judge the stability of forklift trucks.

The training course takes place on 13th-15th of October from 8.15am-5.30pm. Spaces are limited so please contact Brighid-Ide Walsh on 029-60633 for further information.

LISTRY NEWS

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

Listry Gaa would like to send deepest sympathy to The Healy Family, friends and neighbours Rockfield, Faha on the recent death of Mary Redpath Healy RIP

BISHOP MOYNIHAN CUP

Congratulation's to East Kerry Team and Management on winning The Bishop Moynihan Cup last Saturday evening against Mid-Kerry, especially to two of our Senior players involved, Ronan Buckley and Anthony Kennedy.

U16 KEEL/LISTRY

Congratulations to U16 Keel/Listry team who won the Final playoff of the season against Duagh/Knocknagoshel/Brosna on Saturday last 26th in Brosna. Final Score: Keel/Listry 2.15 D/K/B 1.10. We would like to thanks Ger Foley and Willie Evans for their time and commitment, training the U16 Keel/Listry team. to the parents



East Kerry secretary Noel Kennedy with The Bishop Moyihan Cup and his son Anthony and Ronan Buckley from Listry.

Written by: Anne Sugrue O'Brien

who travelled to games and training sessions. Especially to the boys what a great bunch of lads.

U14 KEEL/LISTRY

Another fantastic win for our U14 Keel/Listry team in Listry on Friday evening 25th September against Churchill in the final playoffs of the season. Keel/Listry 5.15 Churchill 1.12. A big thanks to their trainers, Pat, Jason, David and Brian for supporting, commitment and coaching training the boys throughout the season.

GO FUND ME

Kerry Association London International is presently doing a fundraising event for Seamus O Brien Firies/Listry who had a life changing accident in 2018 which will be held on Walford from Sep 18th - 25th. Please donated by going on www.gofundme.com/f/kerryassociatonlondonassociation.

GLENFLESK NEWS

SENIOR COUNTY FINAL

East Kerry have won back to back County Championship Titles after beating Mid Kerry by 2 - 15 to 0- 9 in the Final played last Saturday in Austin Stack's Park.Glenflesk's players again did us proud over the sixty minutes. Chis O Donoghue was in as corner back and was brilliant at winning one on one duels and also found time to set up one of the scores. To be part of a defense that conceded such low totals in both the semi final and final is outstanding. Darragh Roche was once again in at full forward, and for the second year in a row he has a County final goal to his name after clinically finishing low to the corner of the net early in the second half. He also accounted for three more points to the total. Brian O Donoghue came on early in the second half and straight away scored a brilliant point. He got on the ball often and used it wisely. Dan O Brien came on at midfield and worked tirelessly to prevent Mid Kerry attempting any comeback. Jeff O Donoghue also came on and got involved



David Clifford gets treatment from Physiotherapist Ruth Allen in Austin Stack Park before the big match last Saturday. Picture: Seamus Healy

in the attack late on with his clever passing and dropping back to help the defense. Marc Kelliher, Patrick Darcy and Shane Courtney were also on the panel. Congratulations to all on this amazing achievement.

O DONOGHUE CUP

Written by: Seamus Healy

Best wishes to our senior team and management in the first round of the o Donoghue cup in Glenflesk on Saturday October 3rd against Firies at 4pm.

CLUB GEAR

We are delighted to announce that our Glenflesk GAA gear is now available on the O'Neills website. You can click on the 'Shop Now' button at the top of our Facebook page.We still have limited items available. You can contact Emma for more information on 085 754 7586.

CLUB LOTTO You can now play the Lotto online using the link below. Online entries close at 6pm on the day of the draw. https://play.clubforce.com/play_newa.asp?ll_id=2534#Anchor No winner of Glenflesk Lotto which took place tonight 28/9/2020 in Glenflesk Hall. Jackpot €3,600. Numbers: 2, 4, 21, 29. Next draw will take place in Glenflesk Hall on 12/10/2020. Jackpot will be €3,800.



JIMMY O'SULLIVAN-DARCY

takes a look at all things sport...

CYCLING TO GLORY

Sam Bennett made all the headlines this week after winning the green jersey (Overall points winner) in this year's Tour de France.

Bennett went into the Tour as the Irish National Champions let's be honest, that wasn't exactly going to cause trepidation among the big guns) and as a seasoned professional with Team Deceuninck-Quick-Step (no, I have no idea how to pronounce it). Bennett was actually born in Belgium, where his Waterford father played professional soccer, before the family moved back to Carrick-on-Suir, Sean Kelly's old stomping ground, when he was four. He was good enough to turn professional but his green jersey win was a surprise. Where the likes of Nicholas Roche and first cousin Dan Martin regularly made headlines in recent years, Sam was more steady than spectacular. Once he got the green jersey this year, he held onto it with grit, determination, solid tactics and (often under-rated but absolutely crucial in cycling) great team support. He always knew exactly what he needed to do and he did it. The green jersey winner (total points) gets E25,000 + E300 for each day he wore the jersey, compared to the cool quarter million for the yellow jersey

Cycling was always a big sport around Kerry. Gene Mangan won the Rás Taillteann in 1955 and was a national figure. Paudie Fitzgerald from Lispole in 1956. Dan Ahern from Ballymac came second numerous times but never actually won it. Of course, the most famous of them all was Mick Murphy. The Iron Man. He won the Rás Tailteann in 1958, and that brought the world's attention to him, but that wasn't what fascinated people so much. He was quite happily a throwback to a bygone era that probably wasn't real in the first place. He was like the Picts, the hardy race of small dark men who were supposedly ancestors of Cuchulainn as well. He drank cow's blood, lived by choice without electricity or running water, and lived life gloriously and to the full.

The legacy (cycling, not the blood-drinking, although I personally would be far more amused than offended) remains strong in Kerry. Last week saw Kerry's Road Race Championships take place in Sliabh Luachra and the East Kerry clubs really shone.

Senior County Road Race Champion 2020

1. Conor Kissane (Killarney BC) 2. Richard Maes (Strata/Velo Revolution) 3. John Brosnan (Killarney BC)

Junior County Road Race Champion 2020

1. Tom Moriarty (O'Leary Roadstone Kanturk)

2. Patrick Galvin (Killarney BC) 3. Aaron O'Donoghue (Killarney BC)



A2 1. John James Griffin (Tralee Manor West)
A3 1. Denis O'Connor (Sliabh Luachra CC) 2.
Jason Costello (Killorglin) 3. Vinny O'Leary (Tralee Manor West)

M40 1. Declan O'Carroll (Chain Gang) 2. Matt Moloney (Chain Gang)

M50 1. Brendan Brosnan (Abbeyfeale CC) 2. John Crowley (Killarney)

Team Prize Killarney – Conor Kissane/John Brosnan/Patrick Galvin

U16 Adam Linehan Killarney Dinny Murphy Sliabh Luachra

Louis Steadman Murphy Killarney

U16 Girls

Amy Fleming Sliabh Luachra

Donogh O'Connor Killarney 2. Eoin Hillard Sliabh Luachra 3. Darragh Dennehy Sliabh Luachra

U14 Girls

Kate Murphy Sliabh Luachra 2. Rebecca Sheehy O Leary Stone Kanturk 3. Shayna Daly Killarney *U12*

Conor Lynch Sliabh Luachra 2. Ciaran Dennehy Sliabh Luachra

U12 Girls

Abbeigh Dennehy Sliabh Luachra.

SNOOKER

It was also a good week for Irish snooker. Aaron Hill's father took him to a snooker hall for the first time to cheer him up after he had lost out in a soccer trial. It was like taking an unugly duckling to water. Last week the Cork teenager beat none other than six time World Champions

Ronnie O'Sullivan 5-4 at the European Masters, having fought back from 3-1 down. It was only his second win as a professional, having won the European U21 Championships last march as an amateur. It was a phenomenal achievement and deserved to be celebrated on its own merits. Certain snide journalists jumped on a stale old quote from Ronnie O'Sullivan about the lack of quality of young players coming through the ranks, but that was only crude attempts to add cheap theatre to what was a fantastic achievement. Ronnie himself, who has been through much tougher things in his life, was gracious in defeat, just as Hill was dignified in praise of his boyhood hero. Class on both sides.

It wasn't any one-off, either. Hill went on to see off Matthew Stevens 5-2 in the next round. He exited the competition at the hands of Yan Bingtau, but this is a name to keep an eye on.

EAST KERRY CHAMPIONSHIPS O'DONOGHUE CUP

Quarter-Final: Dr. Crokes 2-15 Killarney Legion 0-18

Last year Dr. Crokes surrendered their crown to Killarney Legion, but last weekend they regained it in style. This was an eagerly anticipated clash between the two giants and it matched expectations.

James O'Donoghue had Legion on the board quickly and Conor Kene kicked their second. They had already averted a goal chance, with Micheál Burns nailing the '45 and Burns, who was absolutely spectacular throughout, added three more in short order. Crokes led by 0-5 to 0-3 at the first break. Gavin White and James O'Donoghue traded points. Crokes always looked dangerous for a goal, with Brian Looney's shot skimming over rather than under the bar. Legion's Damien O'Sullivan and Cian Gammell were brilliant in defence while Danny Sheahan and Mark O'Shea shared an enthralling duel on the square. James O'Donoghue pointed again but David Shaw, Micheál Burns (f) and Brian Looney made it 0-10 to 0-5. Legion sparked to life, though, with Conor Keane (2f) and James O'Donoghue (f) trimming the gap. The effervescent Burns notched his sixth point to close out the first half.

Half-time Dr. Crokes 0-11 Killarney Legion 0-8 Jonathan Lyne scored a beauty to start the second half but Kieran O'Leary replied with a free. Legion sub Darragh Lyne was havinga massive impact and he fed Peter McCarthy for a point. Conor Keane forced Shane Murphy into a great save but notched a point and, after both sides left some chances behind them, he levelled matters at 0-12 apiece. Crokes response was immediate – they had been threatening a goal all day and it finally arrived when Dvid Shaw found Mikey Potts with a great pass. Shaw added a free after Johnny Buckley was fouled.

Four points clear and Gavin White made it five. Legion were going gently into no good night, though, and they battled back as indiscipline started to cost Crokes. Darragh and Jonathan Lyne swung over. James kicked two frees. Gavin O'Shea did well to feed Kieran O'Leary for a point. Man of the match Micheál Burns burst through for a cracking goal. Conor Keane had the final score, but it was too little and too late. Crokes march on.

Glenflesk v Firies, Saturday Oct. 3rd, 4.00pm, Glenflesk

Both sides have to curb their County title celebrations early! Home venue should give Glenflesk a slight advantage. The winners will meet Kilcummin in the quarter-finals.

Listry v Kenmare, Sunday, Oct. 4th, 12.00pm Listry

Kenmare's debut in the O'Donoghue Cup is an eagerly anticipated one and, even with their injury list (it will be interesting to see if county players line out) they will be strong favourites against Marc Ó Sé's side. The winners will meet the winners of Rathmore v Gneeveguilla in the quarter-finals.

Spa and Fossa will compete in the last quarterfinal.

FR. GALVIN CUP FINAL

Cordal v Scartaglen, Sunday, Oct 4th, 2.00pm The O'Donoghue Cup commemorates Dr. Paddy, a patriot and GAA legend in his relatively short life but, more importantly I think, a doctor who was well known to the poor who couldn't afford but needed him. His door and his heart were never closed.

The same is unquestionably true of Fr. James Galvin, late and beloved of Fossa Parish. Fr. Galvin was, perhaps ironically, an Austin Stacks man himself, but he was always gently supportive of teams that had less fame or resources but equal passion for the game and the community.

This year it's a real derby. Scart and Cordal, who are not only neighbours but played as one team underage, will go head to head for the title. Cordal, fresh off an 0-18 to 0-10 semifinal win over Kilgarvan, will be looking to the likes of Seán Óg Ó Ciardubháin, Joe Sheehy, Brian Reidy, Seán O'Connell, Sean Walsh, and of course Philip O'Connor. Scartaglen have the Horan twins, Shay Walsh, and Denis Lenihan. This should be a cracker.

KERRY CLUB TEAM OF THE YEAR

I'm always nervous about these. Somebody always feels left out, and there's always somebody to criticise. I'm going to ignore the All Stars pattern of basing everything on the last game and try to look at the overall picture (I can't even talk about the ESB All Ireland



Action from the O'Donoghue Cup Quarter Final Killarney Legion v Dr. Crokes.



Action from the O'Donoghue Cup Quarter Final Killarney Legion v Dr. Crokes.

Minor team selection in 2018 – lads, it was that chronic). It's always going to be subjective, and for that matter, a player who is brilliant on an under-performing team is at an instant disadvantage. Likewise, a forward on a blanket defense team hasn't had a fair chance to show his talents. Worst of all is injury – you all know as well as I do that Tony Brosnan was by far and away the best forward in the competition and would have been a lock (I strongly considered him anyway, such were his displays). Players like David Mangan, Jack Brosnan (another underrated quality defender for me), Ronan Buckley, Diarmuid O'Connor, Darragh Roche, Gavin White, Tom O'Sullivan, Dara o'Shea, Stephen

O'Brien, Paul O'Shea, Sean Óg Ó Ciardubháin... the list is endless. Look, this is only an opinion piece, but I encourage and support feedback. Just send your complaints to Donald Trump, 864511320, The White House (temporary residence) and I will get straight back to you.

Seán Óg Ó Ciardubháin – The most consistently under-rated keeper in Kerry

Dara Crowley – Constantly sought responsibility and made no mistakes against some big names

Jack Sherwood – Caught a real tartar in Liam Carey but showed great positional sense as well as power all throughout

Chris O'Donoghue – Just gets the nod ahead of Gaeltacht's Tom O'Sullivan, very sticky and dependable

Seán O'Leary – Kilcummin had no joy in either club or county, but he shone on the hard days **Mark Griffin** – Things didn't work out for South Kerry, but Griffin was immense

Pa Kilkenny – He has been whispered about as county standard regularly; now it's a shout

Jack Barry – Both Brendans midfielders were brilliant, Jack was a fraction more consistent for me

Ronan Murphy – very, very tough on Ronan Buckley, but Murphy was just that good

Micheál Burns – Put it this way; I've always rated him highly, and I've never seen him in this brilliant form

Paudie Clifford – I'm not even allowing debate; move on

Eddie Horan – I know he's a central player, but himself and Paudie can alternate. He's in.

David Clifford – He was quiet enough overall by his own standards, but I'm going by mere human standards...

Pádraig Lucey – James did the brilliant scoring, but for me, Pádraig was the linchpin of his team **Killian Spillane** – People talk about his human geneology, but there's shark DNA in there somewhere



KILLARNEY ATHLETIC

U14 PREMIER

Killarney Athletic (7)

Killarney Celtic (2)

Luke Doolan 2

Brìan O'Shea 2

Joey McCarthy 1

Liam Hennigan 1

Cillian Coffey 1

We welcomed our neighbours down to Woodlawn this evening for the local derby.

In a thrilling first half Celtic started the brighter and went ahead early on. Our boys responded with two quick fire goals but Celtic rallied and scored from a free kick for a deserved equaliser. A good move from the boys resulted in a penalty which we converted to leave the score 3-2 to us at half time.

Second half saw our boys take control of the game, creating plenty of chances. We were very clinical in front of goal when the chances were

A great result and performance overall, well done to all the players involved today.

Thanks to Celtic for a good sporting game.

PREMIER U12

Killarney Athletic (1)

Mastergeeha (3)

SCORER FOR THE BLUES.

Eanna Hennigan

Thanks To Mastergeeha for a Sporting Game.

U16 Div (1)

Killarney Athletic T(1)

(6)Killarney Celtic T(2)

Scorers for the Blues Tom Benson (3)

Neill O Carroll (1)

Noah Sexton (1)

Matthew Movnihan (1)

Thanks To Killarney Celtic For a Sporting Game We would Like To Wish Ryan Mc Carthy a speedy Recovery after Sustaning a Broken Arm in the Game.

Killarney Athletic U14 (T2) . (2)

MEK (7)

Scorers for the Blues

Ben Kelliher.

William Guillermo.

SCHOOLBOY/GIRL SOCCER

LEAGUE, NATIONAL LEAGUE AND GAYNOR GAMES PLAYED:

National League 13's Kerry 2-6 Cork City 15's Limerick 0-4 Kerry Gaynor Group 2 13's Cork City 1-0 Kerry

15's Cork City 6-1 Kerry

JK Sports 12's

PREMIER

Tralee Dynamos 4-6 Camp Juniors Killarney Athletic 1-3 Mastergeeha St Brendan's Park 4-2 Listowel Celtic **DIVISION 1**

Ballyheigue 1-9LB Rovers Inter Kenmare0 –1 Killorglin Iveragh United 4–0 Killarney Celtic



The Club would like to thank John and Eileen Hickey of Hickey Design For Sponsoring a Set of Jerseys for our U16's.

Dingle Bay Rovers 0-2 Castleisland Division 2 South

Inter Kenmare B 2-0 Killorglin B

Killarney Celtic C 2-3 Ballyhar Dynamos

Mastergeeha B2 - 2 MEK B

Mastergeeha C 3-8 MEK C

Division 2 North

Listowel Celtic B 5-0 Park B

Listowel Celtic C 1-2 Park C

Castielsiand 2-1 Camp Juniors B

World of Tiles 13's

13's Division 1 2019-2020 Play-Off Final Mastergeeha 3-1 Iveragh United

Division 2

Killarney Celtic B 8-1 MEK Galaxy B

Ballyhar 6-0 Killorglin B

Slattery's Carpets and Blinds 14's Premier

Killarney Athletic 7–2 Killarney Celtic

Killorglin 2– 1Inter Kenmare

St Brendan's Park 0–2 Tralee Dynamos 14's Division 1 North

Camp Juniors A 6-0 Camp Juniors B

Dingle Bay Rovers5 - 3 Camp Juniors A

14 Division 1 South

Killorglin B2 -3 Ballyhar

MEK Galaxy 7-2 Killarney Athletic B

Mastergeeha B 0-6 Inter Kenmare B

Moriarty's Centra 15's

Division 2

Castleisland 3-5 Ballyhar

Tralee Trophy World 16's

PREMIER

Killorglin 1–4 Killarney Celtic 16's Division 1

Killarney Athletic A 2-0 Killarney Athletic B Killarney Athletic A 6-2 Killarney Celtic B Killorglin 6-2 Fenit

Dingle Bay Rovers 2–4 St Brendan's Park

NATIONAL LEAGUE UPDATE

The Kerry 13's were at home to Cork City who had won this Group before this game. The visitors took a 2-0 early lead but then Kerry fought back through a Shane Stack penalty and a Darragh Lynch goal to level matters. But credit to Cork they hit straight back and then with Kerry chasing he game ran out 6-2 winners.

The Kerry 15's have secured second place in their Group and wrapped up the first phase of the League with a 4-0 win at Limerick. All the goals came in the second half thanks to Jamie O'Shea 2, Oisin Breen and Alex Hennigan.

GAYNOR GROUP SERIES ENDS

In this unusual year for all sports it is great to see the Girls Gaynor Cup being played out to its conclusion. Kerry 13's and 15's finished their Group games away to one of the favourites for the overall competition Cork.

The 15's put in a great first half with Ciara Henderson scoring but Cork were 3-1 ahead at the break. In the second half both sides ran their benches and Cork's strength in depth showed as they won 6-1 with two of the goals coming from the penalty spot.

The Kerry 13's will take a huge amount of confidence into the next round of the Girls Gaynor competition. They went down to Group winner Cork 1-0 with the goal coming in the final moments of the game. The Kerry gave it all for the whole game and certainly deserved at least a point from their trip to Lakewood.

Both the Kerry 13's and 15's Gaynor Girls sides will know this week what their remaining games in the competition are.

MASTERGEEHA WIN 13 DIVISION 1 TITLE FROM LAST SEASON

The Kerry Schoolboys Girls League had many of its Divisions finished before the break but one that was not sorted was the 13's Division 1. Last Saturday Mastergeeha were crowned champions as the defeated Iveragh United 3-1 in the play-off final.

Two goals from Mathew Kennedy and one from Sean McAuliffe gave the Kilbrean side another title but they also needed a big game from keeper Bryan O'Leary. David Kennedy got the goal for Iveragh United.

Two home and one away win in 12's Premier In the JK Sports 12 Premier Camp Juniors made the short trip to Tralee a winning one as they defeated Dynamos 6-4. For Camp Juniors Killian Crean, Jack Doyle, Tom Griffin 2 and Tadgh O'Donoghue 2were the scorers while Calvin O'Sullivan 3 and Cody Sheehan were on the mark for Dynamos.

OUTLOOK SOCCER

Eanna Hennigan scored for Athletic in Woodlawn but goals from Michael O'Riordan, Ronan Guerin and Daniel Buckley gave Mastergeeha the three points.

Edison Jahiri, Jack Daly, Johnny Neilings and a goal deflected in from a Cayden Roche gave St Brendan's Park Green a 4-2 win over Listowel Celtic where the boys were tied 1-1 at the break.

4 GAMES PLAYED IN 12'S DIVISION 1

Goals from Odhran Buckley, Liam Lynch, Billy Moriarty, Brody Mulvihill and Sean Ross gave LB Rovers an impressive win over Ballyheigue in the North Kerry derby.

A goal in the first half by Sean Doherty was enough to give Killorglin all three points from their trip to Inter Kenmare.

Iveragh United were too strong at home to Killarney Celtic B and goals from Mathew O'Sullivan, Killian O'Connell, Kieran Dwyer 3, John Kavanagh and Jayden Corcoran gave them the win.

Castleisland when West and came home with the three points as the defeated Dingle Bay Rovers 2-0 with both goals from Tadgh McCarthy and Dylan Cahill coming in the second half

14 TEAMS IN ACTION IN 12'S DIVISION 2 **NORTH AND SOUTH**

In the 12's Division 2 North Eoin Tansley and Joseph Finn scored for the Park as they won 2-1 away to Listowel Celtic C. Listowel Celtic B were 5-0 home winners over the Park B and in an exciting game at Georgie O'Callaghan Park the home side Castleisland were 2-1 winners over Camp Juniors after the sides drawing 0-0 at the break. Adrian Walsh put Castleisland ahead but Camp Juniors equalised straight away through Ethan Chambers. With 3 minutes left Sam McCarthy got the Castleisland winner. Inter Kenmare B were 2-0 home winners over Killorglin B, who had a great performance from keeper Hugh O'Sullivan ,in the 12's Division 1 South.

Killarney Celtic C welcomed Ballyhar Dynamos to Celtic Park and the visitors took the win by the odd goal in 5. Lachlan Scannell and Lucas McGough scored for Celtic with 2 from Donnacha Lynch and Daniel Downes proving enough for Ballyhar.

MEK Galaxy B made the trip to Kilbrean Park and defeated Mastergeeha B 3-2. Mark Fleming and Sean Fleming scored for the home side with Danny McGrath 2 and Leo Allen scoring for the winners.

Both of these clubs have great numbers at this age group and they both have 3 games in the League. On this occasion MEK White were the stronger thanks to goals from Cillian O'Donoghue 3, Dara Whelton 2, Harry Murphy and Alan Adamczyk 2. Alan O'Leary 2 and Oran Lynch got the goals for Mastergeeha C.

MID-WEEK UNEVEN'S ACTION:

With the weather still perfect for mid-week football there was some action in the Uneven ages. In the Moriarty's Centra 13's Division 2 Killarney Celtic B defeated MEK Galaxy B. Goals for the home side came from Jack O'Grady,



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Jack O'Shea, Jack Culloty, Dara Horan, Mercin Gniewec, Michael McElligott and 2 from Luca Mosca. Leo Allen replied for MEK.

In the same Division Ballyhar Dynamos were home winner in Murt Scott Park over Killorglin B. Harry O'Connor, Eoin O'Mahony, Shane O'Loughlin and Tom Costello were all on the mark for the winning team.

In the Moriarty's Centra 15's Division 2 Castleisland were defeated at home by Ballyhar Dynamos. Ballyhar led 3-1 at the break and they had 4 goals from Aaron O'Sullivan and one from Robert Kelly while Jack Joy hit 2 and David McCarthy the other goal for Castleisland.

MID-WEEK DERBY STARTED THE ACTION IN **THE 14 PREMIER**

The Killarney derby on Thursday night started the action in the 14's Premier. Killarnev Athletic took the win in Woodlawn with Luke Doolan and Bryan O'Shea getting 2 each with Jerry McCarthy, Liam Hennigan and Cillian Coffey also scoring for Athletic. Colm Janet and Tom Purcell replied for Celtic.

On Saturday Killorglin defeated Inter Kenmare 2-1 thanks to goals from James Jones and Enna Murphy. Tralee Dynamos crossed the road to Christy Leahy Park and defeated the Park 2-0 with Nick Lacey and Christy Boy Burke the goal

ALL CAMP CLASH IN 14'S DIVISION 1 NORTH

Another club with great numbers in their underage set-up is Camp Juniors and their two sides in the 14's Division 1 met in mid-week. It was the A's who took the win with Mikey Moynihan, Darragh Murphy, Robert Keane, Mark Farrell, Dylan H arrington and Seamus O'Connor scoring.

Camp Juniors A were on the road on Saturday but they when down away to Dingle Bay Rovers. For the home side Jack Sheehy 2, Padraig Manning 2 and Liam McGearailt were the scorers while Darragh Murphy and Robert Keane 2 scored for Camp Juniors.

Late winner in 14 Division 1 South

Two goals from Dylan Counihan assisted by Robert O'Sullivan for Killorglin B were matched by two from Eoin Corbett and Harry O'Connor for Ballyhar in a cracking first half. There was only one goal in the second half but it was a vital one with Ballyhar's Eugene Danielle getting the winner.

MEK Galaaxy were winners at home to Killarney Athletic B. Jamie Vousden, Ryan Brady2, Patrick O'Neill 2, Joe Horan and Ryan Casey were on the MEK score sheet.

Alex Sheehan had a big day for Inter Kenmare in their game away to Mastergeeha B as he hit 4 goals. They were added to by goals from Guisseppe Doyle and Michael Carey in the win. Thursday night delight for Mastergeeha in 16's

Mastergeeha came to Celtic Park in the Tralee Trophy World 16 Premier and defeated the home side with the goals coming from Sean Doolan and Eoghan Kelly.

Killarney Celtic bounced back on Saturday as they won away in Killorglin with the goals coming from Robbie Harnett, Adrian Casey 2 and Josh Bowler. The game was tied at the break 1-1 with John Touhy scoring for Killorglin. Good week for Athletic A in Division 1

On Tuesday night it was the all Killarney Athletic clash of the A's and B's in the Tralee Trophy World 16 Premier. Oran O'Neill and Ryan McCarthy got the goals for the A's. And they won again on Saturday defeating Killarney Celtic B who had Alan Krajcouic and Cormac McCurtin on the score sheet.

Fenit won at Killorglin thanks to goals from Alex McGrath 3, Michael Tangney, Luke Casey and Donal Murphy. Darragh Crosby and Andrew Owens scored for Killorglin who did go 1-0 up. Max Kennedy and James Hoare scored for Dingle Bay Rovers in their home game over the Park but 2 each from Rodrigo Pinho and Thomas Durege gave the Tralee side the points.

KILLARNEY CELTIC

U16 PREMIER

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U16 DIV 1

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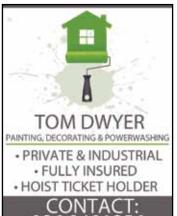
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Killarney Celtic C 2, Ballyhar 3 Lukas McGough, Lachlann Scannell Congrats to Luca Mosca 13B who made the KSGL Team of the Week.

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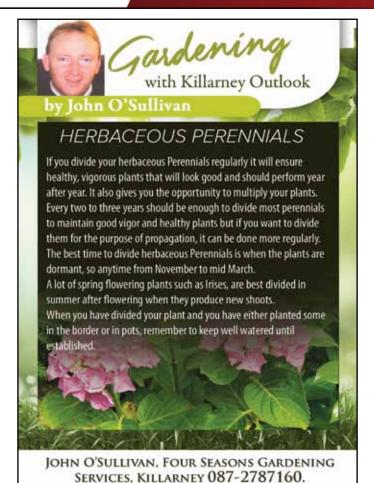
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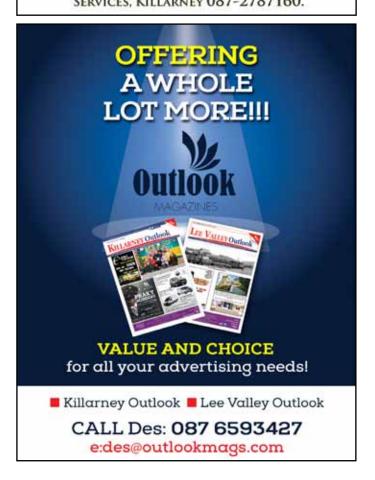
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Then in his merciful eyes it will become your favour not mine.

Amen.

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