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In like a lion..... the beginning of March has certainly lived up to its reputation as the town is battered by wind and rain. St. Patrick's Day is very much on everyone's mind with the announcement of both the mascots and the marshals for the festival. St. Brendan's pulled an amazing performance out of the bag to defeat CBS The Green in the Corn Ui Mhuiri Final on Saturday last and Cartell.ie have announced a three year rally sponsorship deal. Anthony Morris and his family are back home from the US after treatment for Chronic Lyme Disease, Glenflesk ag Rith just keep running and Killarney has benefited to the tune of €244,000 from the Kerry County Council Community Fund. All this and so much more in this week's Killarney Outlook. Out first every Friday.

*Aisling Crosbie,  
Editor.*

## SHEILA MAC COFFEE MORNING RAISES A MASSIVE €7,735



PICTURED AT THE DROMHALL HOTEL FOR THE COFFEE MORNING IN MEMORY OF SHEILA (MAC) KELLIHER WERE L-R SHEILA'S SON RYAN, DARRAGH LYNE, SHEILA'S SON STEPHEN, SEAN O'SULLIVAN & MARK DONNELLAN. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

A staggering €7735 was raised at the first of three fundraisers in memory of Sheila Mac Kelliher last week. The Killarney mother-of-two, whose first anniversary occurred on January 31st, passed away after a brave battle with illness. Sheila's family, her husband Tomas Kelliher and sons Stephen and Ryan, along with Sheila's family have expressed their gratitude to everyone who attended the event. The first of these events was a coffee morning held in the Dromhall Hotel last week which raised a staggering €7735. A fantastic achievement for all those involved. The next event will be a golf classic, which will take place at O'Mahony's Point, in Killarney Golf and Fishing Club. This event will take place across two days - Thursday,

May 4th and Friday, May 5th and an estimated 320 big hearted golfers are set to take part. Finally, three walks have also been organised for Friday, May 5th. The 3km, 5km and 10km routes will take walkers through the beautiful Knockreer Estate. Registrations for both walks will take place at Killarney Golf Club on the day of the event. Kerry Hospice Foundation funds a wide range of palliative care services throughout Kerry with the care provided by a specialist team and their mission is to enable people with life-threatening illnesses to live to their full potential. For further information on the upcoming events contact Vincent on 087 2461599, Maurice on 087 6863269 or Tomas on 087 2589194.

## KEEPING UP WITH THE GOBNAITS FOR ST PATRICK'S DAY

Killarney has always had a cosmopolitan feel and in keeping with our inclusiveness and great welcoming tradition, the theme of the St. Patrick's Festival Cill Airne 2017 parade is Diversity, variety in every culture and tradition. As Festival chairperson, Annmarie Kennelly, explained "Showcasing our variety of sports, activities, clubs, musicians, dancers and everyone in our community is what the St. Patrick's Day Parade has always been about." The Festival are calling on all local Businesses and communities to play their part. Along with the regular festivities, the festival committee are running the annual "Best Shop Window Display". Lynes of High Street took the accolade in 2016. The greening of the town is a big part of St. Patrick's Festival and the committee are encouraging businesses and communities to light up green for this coming St. Patrick's Festival weekend. This year 'the Gobnaits' - the unofficial mascots for the festival will be out in force, encouraging anyone with 'notions' about themselves to cop on! The 'Carry on' of the Gobnaits - Kate O'Leary, Emer Corridan, Annmarie Kennelly, and Julie McGowan, can be followed on the dedicated St. Patrick's Festival Facebook Page, here at the Killarney Outlook will definitely be following their hilarious antics around town in the lead-up to the big parade.



KEEPING UP WITH THE GOBNAITS... INTRODUCING 'THE GOBNAITS' - FROM LEFT, KATE O'LEARY (GOBNAIT A), EMER CORRIDAN, (GOBNAIT B) ANNMARIE KENNELLY, (GOBNAIT C) AND JULIE MCGOWAN (GOBNAIT D) THIS YEARS UNOFFICIAL MASCOTS FOR ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL CILL AIRNE. THEY ARRIVED TO KILLARNEY TO ANNOUNCE DETAILS OF ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL CILL AIRNE 2017 AND BECAUSE KILLARNEY HAS ALWAYS HAD THAT GLOBAL FEELING, A VERY TOPICAL THEME FOR ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL 2017 PARADE IS "DIVERSITY"- VARIETY IN EVERY CULTURE AND TRADITION. YOU CAN FOLLOW THE GOBNAITS AND THEIR 'NOTIONS' ON THE DEDICATED ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL FACEBOOK PAGE AND GENERAL MEDIA OUTLETS. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

St. Patrick's Festival Killarney Committee want to stress the importance of volunteers in the community and the Diversity of the work they do. The community is invited to take part by helping out your local club or organisation.

"Make new friends. Enjoy the Craic. Be proud to be Irish, Get your green on and come out on the 17th to celebrate our Diversity, our Community and how lucky we are to be from this unique and wonderful country."

## CARTELL.IE SIGNS NEW THREE-YEAR RALLY SPONSORSHIP DEAL

Cartell.ie announced today that it is to continue as title sponsor of the International Rally of the Lakes in Killarney for the next three years. The vehicle history and data expert has been the title sponsor of the big event since 2010

and it will continue that agreement in 2017, 2018 and 2019. This rally, now its 38th year, is run by the Killarney and District Motor Club on the May Bank Holiday weekend and it is one of the highlights of the Irish motor sport calendar.

The community event is worth an estimated €10 million to the local economy every year and it attracts well in excess of 20,000 people to the town.



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# "A TEAM" RETURN HOME AFTER ANTHONY'S US TREATMENT

**"I am not telling you it is going to be easy, I am telling you it is going to be worth it"** was the mantra that got Anthony Morris through nine months of horrendous treatment for chronic lymes disease in America.

This week, a happy and "freakishly well" Anthony was back at his family home in Pinewood Estate where he invited Killarney Outlook editor Aisling Crosbie and photographer Marie Carroll O'Sullivan for tea and a chat.

The Killarney man and former Kerry footballer has spent the last 9 months in a private clinic in America undergoing antibiotic treatment for chronic Lyme Disease.

Anthony was accompanied by his partner Margaret McCormack and their daughter Roisin during his stay in America – a visit that was funded by numerous events, mostly organised by Anthony's brother Jim.

"I was very sick when we arrived in Arlington in Virginia and my biggest concern was that we lived in a very safe place, a well policed area as Margaret would be going out and about on her own with Roisin", Anthony told the Killarney Outlook.

"We were very lucky as Roisin got into a very good school – the schools in Arlington are excellent as Northern Virginia have some of the highest tax rates with all the government offices in the vicinity – which means that the public schools are really good" Margaret said. The move was a big change for Roisin (9) who was a pupil of Lissivigeen National School before her move to the States – she had to learn lock down drills and earthquake drills but took it all in her stride and settled in quickly and made new friends.

Roisin joined a local soccer team, Arlington Strikers and Margaret soon became a soccer mom. "I was a defender with the team as I have a long kick that I learned when I played with Dr. Crokes" Roisin said.

Twice a week and on Saturdays– the family would take a taxi and Anthony would go to training with Roisin even though he was suffering the side effects of his heavy course of treatment.

"Before I knew it I was helping out the dads in charge at the sideline – and even though I was exhausted, it was great to get out and see Roisin train", Anthony said.

Anthony went through a rigorous course of intravenous and oral antibiotics for nine months at the Jemsek Speciality Clinic in Washington DC and the plan going forward is that he will continue on oral medication, have a phone consultation every three months and attend the clinic once a year.

Much to the delight of the couple, who are both Civil Engineers, Anthony has exceeded expectations in terms of how well he has responded to treatment and every day is feeling better and getting stronger.

"I didn't walk unaided for the whole nine months and there was sometimes when I was in bed I would wouldn't be able to move my arms or legs and Margaret would come in and shake me to see if I was okay – I was horrendously sick



ANTHONY MORRIS (SEATED CENTRE RIGHT), PICTURED AT HIS HOME IN PINWOOD, WITH L-R HIS MUM SHEILA, DAD JIM, DAUGHTER ROISIN WITH SOFTY THE TIGER AND HIS WIFE MARGARET, ON HIS RETURN HOME FROM INTENSE TREATMENT IN THE USA FOR LYME DISEASE. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN

“, Anthony said.

"Every medicine he took had side effects so if you are taking aggressive IV medication you are going to have aggressive side effects" Margaret added.

Margaret has been trained by the clinic to administer IV medication and all the funding raised here in Killarney went towards the costs of the medical costs.

"We were absolutely amazed by all the fundraisers and by all the work that Jim did. He would keep us up to speed through facebook.

"I would be lying down, concentrating on breathing and staying alive, and then Margaret would show me all the pictures of the fundraising, and I used to think wouldn't I love to be there – the craic the lads are having" , Anthony said.

The whole time the family spent in Arlington was centered on Anthony, making sure he was taking his medication and resting and eating.

Lyme bacteria is surrounded by a hard shell and Anthony had to take certain medication to break down the shell to get to the bacteria – this was called the "kill week" and then the second week is called the "scrub week" and according to Anthony he was literally counting down the hours until it was over.

One week alone he took 40 IV's which took over 50 hours to administrator.

"After each protocol I would start coming around – and sick as I would be I would try to do something with Roisin – it would kill me afterwards but it was very important for me to spend time with her as she has never seen me well in her 9 years.

Doctors were always looking for blue sky days – these were days when Anthony would feel a little better. They knew if he got two in a row, that treatment was working.

"Lyme disease is like a cork screw – it targets weak areas – especially areas where you would have sports injuries or things like that" Anthony added.

"The last two protocols were the same and the first one nearly killed me – they were very hard on the system. I used to watch TV shows to distract me while the IV's were going in"

"When I finished my last round, the following day I couldn't stand, on day two I could barely walk, day three I was coming around and then on the fourth day – bang – 6am I woke right up and I was fresh as a daisy. I got up, made breakfast and walked Roisin to school. I felt so good, I was looking around for some fella to kick a ball with – I had no pain – no nothing. I saw a bike and said to myself – I am going to take this for a spin and I hopped up on it and did a short cycle around the block." Anthony said beaming.

"I just couldn't believe it as for the past nine years I spent my time being told that all the symptoms were in my head – I didn't trust it. I was freakishly well".

When they attended the clinic before they left for Killarney, Anthony and Margaret were told that he had been hit with everything they had – and everytime he hit the milestone – he came back and took it every single time – "we never saw someone so determined and bloodyminded to beat this thing" Dr. Jensen said to the couple which they named the "A Team".

Just before they left Arlington, the couple donated all their furniture from their apartment, which they had bought second hand to three families from Honduras who had recently moved to the area.





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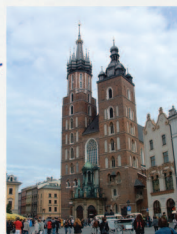
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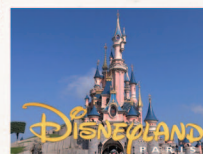
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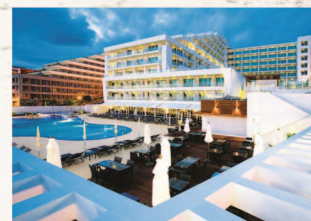
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Aherns Pharmacy has partnered with sensitive skincare expert, La Roche-Posay, to celebrate Skin Health Month [1st-31st March, 2017].

This is an exciting new initiative, which aims to educate the public about the importance of good skin health. As part of the campaign, Aherns Pharmacy are inviting the you to call in-store for a free, personalised skin consultation from one of their specially trained dermo-advisers, Maureen Murphy & Lorraine Dower. Maureen & Lorraine will identify fragile, dry, acne-prone and allergic skin conditions and make recommendations for your personal skincare regime tailored to soothe, treat and manage your skin.

Dan Ahern commented: "We are excited to be partnering with La Roche-Posay for Skin Health Month to help our valued customers keep in good skin health. We remain committed to offering our skincare expertise to help customers find the right solution."

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## RALLY DRIVERS ANNOUNCED AS PATRICK'S DAY GRAND MARSHALS



THE GRAND MARSHALS OF THIS YEAR'S ST PATRICK'S DAYS PARADE ARE INTERNATIONAL RALLY DRIVERS PAUL NAGLE, CURRENT WORLD RALLY CAR CO-DRIVER WITH THE CITROEN WORLD RALLY TEAM, (3RD LEFT) GER CONWAY (1ST LEFT) ROB DUGGAN, (4TH LEFT) AND NOEL O'SULLIVAN JNR. ALSO INCLUDED IN THE PICTURE IS ANNAMARIE KENNELLY, CHAIRPERSON ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL CILL AIRNE, AND PAUL O'NEILL, PRESIDENT KILLARNEY CHAMBER OF TOURISM AND COMMERCE. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

International Rally drivers Paul Nagle, Rob Duggan, Ger Conway and Noel O'Sullivan jnr. have been announced as the grand marshals of this year's St Patricks day parade.

Killarney native, Paul Nagle is the current

World Rally Car Co-Driver with the Citroen World Rally Team, he drives with Northern Irish man Kris Meeke. Following a very successful 2015 where they won in Argentina and came second in the UK rally, 2016 saw podium wins

at Rally Portugal and Rally Finland. Ger Conway and Rob Duggan won the 2016 British Junior Championship for Vauxhall UK, they also drove for this team on the World Championship round at Wales Rally GB and finished off the year by taking the modified win at our home rally, the Killarney Historic stages. Previously Ger and Rob secured the Billy Coleman award for the best up and coming rally drivers and in 2013 Rob became Irish National Junior Champion and in 2015 Northern Irish Junior Champion. In 2017 Ger and Rob are competing in the World Junior Championship, starting in April in Corsica and then taking in rounds in Sardinia, Poland, Finland, Germany and Spain.

"All this wouldn't be possible without our sponsors, family and supporters. Some of our long supporting sponsors are, Rentokil Initial Ireland, O Sullivan's bike shop Killarney, Eagers newsagents Killarney and Mike Moriarty's Centra Farranfore" Noel O'Sullivan jnr is Co-Driver to Jon Armstrong from Fermanagh. In 2016 they won the Drive D Mac Fiesta Trophy which is held over 5 rounds of the WRC. This competition aims to introduce the best up and coming young drivers to the challenges of a world championship event. We are sure to hear more from these World champions in the coming years and look forward to seeing them on St Patrick's Day.

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BRENDAN CRONIN

Funding for almost 80 projects in the Killarney Municipal District has been awarded from the Kerry Community Fund

Kerry County Council have awarded €169,500 to the Killarney Municipal Area from this year's allocation of Kerry Community Funding which sees 79 of the 104 applicants within the area receive amounts between €100 up to €60,000 for individual projects.

A further €50,000 has been set aside for projects and initiatives deemed to have the potential for co-funding with other sources such as the Leader Programme and which have a wider strategic aim.

In addition, €24,500 is being provided for projects and events which have been funded on an annual basis in recent years such as

Christmas lighting in a number of areas and projects and events which were historically supported financially by Killarney Town Council.

At a special meeting of the Municipal Authority that was held at the Killarney Library on Wednesday, Killarney Municipal District Mayor Brendan Cronin welcomed the funding and went to say "This is one of those days, that it's great to be able to say to people we are giving you something back. I know the amounts range and vary as do the projects but it's all a help to each of them and it will enhance and support these groups in some small way"

Of the 79 approved projects, €109,000 went to the Killarney Area and that news was welcomed by Cllr Michael Gleeson, who said the money

"was a recognition of the great work that small community groups do and every often it was the small amount that helped local people achieve great things within the community"

Cllr Niall Kelleher also welcomed the money that was coming into the area but felt it was important for people to know that not all councillors were behind the setting up of the fund in the first place. "This is great news for small groups but if some had their way, the fund would not exist and none of these groups would have got funding."

Among those to benefit are 6th Kerry Scout Group Killarney; Ballydribeen Residents Association; Ballyspillane Community & Family Resource Ltd; Christmas in Killarney; Commercial Rowing Club; DeafHear; KDYS Killarney; Kilcoolaght Residents Association; Killarney & District Canine Club; Killarney Bike Fest; Killarney Celtic Football Club; Killarney Chamber of Tourism & Commerce; Killarney Chess Club; Killarney Looking Good; Killarney Men's Shed; Killarney Municipal District Strategic Twinning Committee; Killarney Musical Society; Killarney Town Twinning Association; Killarney Valley Classic & Vintage; Killarney Youth Cycling Club; Lissivigeen Community Alert; Lissivigeen Community Alert; Purple Flag Working Group Killarney; South West Counselling Centre CLG; Spraoi Chiarrai; St. Patrick's Festival Killarney; St. Paul's Basketball Club; Stephen Lyne Foundation; The Gathering Festival Ireland; Workmen's Rowing Club.

## GLENFLESK AG RITH KEEP RUNNING FOR THE BUS



JIMMY DEENIHAN WHO LAUNCHED THE GLENFLESK FUN RUN FOR KERRY/CORK LINK BUS AT AN RIOCHT RACE TRACK ON SATURDAY WERE MEMBERS OF GLENFLESK COMMUNITY WERE IN ATTENDANCE PHOTO JOE HANLEY

The Glenflesk ag Rith jogging group are gearing up for their second Run for the Bus event, a family day, on Sunday 2nd April from 12 noon to 2:30 pm at An Riocht AC Grounds, Castleisland. Proceeds from the event will go to Kerry/Cork Health Link Bus. There will be a kids 1k/2k starting at 12 noon and a 5k/10k walk or run from 1:00pm-2:30pm. Spot prizes, music and refreshments will be available. The suggested donation is €10 per adult and €5 per child, or €20 per family (two adults and two children). The Kerry/Cork Health Link bus takes cancer patients to and from Cork five days a week to receive treatment and follow-up appointments. Glenflesk Ag Rith's last event was a great success and showed the huge community spirit of local people with over 600 registering on the day. Funding for the Health Link Bus comes entirely from sponsorship and fundraising events as no Government or HSE funding is received, so it is vital that the Kerry/Cork Health Link Bus gets support from the community. Everyone is welcome to the event and they would greatly appreciate your support for this vital resource.

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## MOTORCYCLE TREASURE HUNT FOR HEART OF KILLARNEY



MEMBERS OF KILLARNEY BIKERS & FRIENDS PICTURED AT THE GOLDEN NUGGET PUB ON COMPLETING THE CHARITY RING OF KERRY "TREASURE HUNT" ORGANISED BY THE CLUB TO RAISE FUNDS FOR KILLARNEY CARDIAC RESPONSE UNIT TO ERECT A DEFIBRILLATOR PHONE BOX AT THE POPULAR PUB IN FOSSA. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

**BY: CAOIMHE SPILLANE**

Despite last Sunday's weather being fairly indecisive to say the least, it didn't dampen the spirits of Killarney Bikers and friends who staged a Charity Motorcycle Treasure Hunt in aid of the Heart of Killarney newest project. The aim of the event was to raise funds to install a Defibrillator Phone Box

in Fossa and to fund Community CPR Training. The treasure hunt set off from The Golden Nugget in Fossa, where participants registered to enter the hunt which took in a 52 mile route. Later in the evening there was a prize giving for the Treasure Hunt and a fund raising draw in the Nugget. Congratulations to the overall prize winners. First place with all

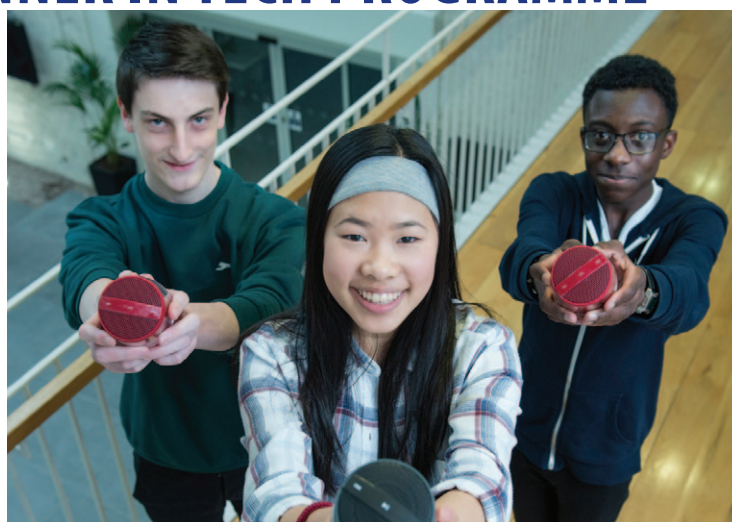
questions correct: 20/20 were Paul O'Shea and Pat O'Sullivan, who won the Monster Hamper and vouchers. Second Place with 19/20 went to Betty Doody, Mike Doody and Mary Falvey who won a 4 ball in Killarney Golf Club. There were seven joint third placers with a score of 18/20 - Sebastian Ernst, Bubbles, Tom Coffey, Martin Brosnan, Alex Nakhte, Mike

Gallagher and Mossie O'Leary – who went away with vouchers and prizes from various local businesses. Prizes included: a Carry Out, Off Licence Prosecco Presentation box with voucher, a Killeen House voucher, a Beaufort Golf Club 4 ball voucher, a Foley's Inver voucher, The Smokehouse voucher, a Cafe Tapas voucher, a Castlerosse voucher, INEC tickets, and a bottle of Jameson. Killarney Bikers and Friends would like to thank all participants for getting involved and supporting a great cause and thanks to the generous support from the prize sponsors. They have surpassed the target and a Heart of Killarney AED Phone Box will be in place in Fossa in the coming weeks. Surplus funds will be nominated locally. Organizers would like to say a big thank you to everyone who made the effort to take part on the day as your support is much appreciated and a very special thanks also to Michael, Danny and Maura Healy-Rae for taking part. Well done to the organizers who provided a day filled with lots of fun for a worthy cause.

## KILLARNEY STUDENT A WINNER IN TECH PROGRAMME

Transition Year (TY) student Shane Trant, from St. Brendan's College Killarney has been announced as one of the winning graduates in the TechnoDen innovation competition as part of the first HighTechElec programme. HighTechElec is a free, immersive TY work experience programme for students considering a career in STEM - science, technology, engineering and math. The programme gives students a real insight into high-tech careers in science and engineering and has already seen 21 students from 13 schools across Munster participate in the first part of the 2017 programme. This includes a week of physics, electronics and technology based workshops,

lectures, career talks, and industry placement, culminating in TechnoDen. The TechnoDen competition was held in the Tyndall National Institute, where groups of 2-4 students made a short presentation to a panel of judges – about a new idea for a product or service – based on the technology they encountered during their week. There were seven teams that competed in the first round of TechnoDen this year, and the competition was very tight. Shane was part of the winning team named 'Flow' along with other students from Colaiste an Spioraí Naoimh, Cork and Presentation Secondary School, Mitchelstown. The HighTechElec programme runs



PICTURED ARE THE WINNERS OF THE TECHNO DEN COMPETITION WITH THEIR PRIZE, A JAMBOX SPEAKER. SHANE TRANT ST. BRENDAN'S COLLEGE KILLARNEY, GRACE ROCHE PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL MIDDLETON AND JOEL ABRAHAM COLAISTE AN SPIORAID NAOIMH PHOTO: GERARD MCCARTHY

## DIOCESE OF KERRY PRESENTS A SERIES OF LENTEN TALKS



The diocese of Kerry has prepared a series of key speakers and events happening all over the diocese marking Lent, which began on Wednesday March the 1st. Guests from Fr Peter McVerry to Richard Moore will be present at various venues across the diocese – there will be two talks in Killarney the first taking place

on Friday March 10th at 7.30 pm, Fr Séamus O' Connell will be giving a talk entitled 'Hearing, Happening, Hoping, Food for Deeper Living' from the Gospels at John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney. Fr. Seamus O'Connell is a priest of the Diocese of Kerry and is presently Professor of New Testament studies in St. Patrick's

College, Maynooth. There will also be a talk on Tuesday March 28th at 8 pm, Br. Richard Hendricks will be giving a talk entitled 'Keep Lent Mindfully' at the Killarney Heights Hotel. Br. Richard Hendricks is a Capuchin and has worked to bring the insights of the Christian Contemplative tradition to greater awareness of people over the past

20 years. He has created many youth and leader programs with the Sanctuary Mindfulness and Spirituality Centre, Dublin. There will be other talks in the diocese for more information and details of speakers, venues and events see [www.dioceseofkerry.ie](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie).





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# LISSIVIGEEN'S LOLLIPOP LADY RETIRES AFTER 28 YEARS



LOLLIPOP LADY, ANN O'LEARY, RETIRES AFTER 28 YEARS OF ASSISTING CHILDREN SAFELY ACROSS THE ROAD AT LISSIVIGEEN NS. L-R ORLAITH FORDE, BROOKE KEOGH, CLODAGH O'SULLIVAN & AOIBHINN O'SULLIVAN WITH LOLLIPOP LADY ANN O'LEARY. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN

After 28 years on the job, Lissavigeen National School's lollipop lady, Ann O'Leary, has hung up her stick for the last time. Ann has helped schoolchildren for over 28 years, joining the school in 1989 after taking over from the previous lollipop lady. "It is a wonderful school to work for" she said. Every morning, Ann who lives in Coolcaslagh, would stop traffic so students at the school could safely cross the road in all weathers. Rain, hail or shine she used to cycle down to the school to make sure the children were safe on the very busy road. Ann is delighted to be retiring as she won't miss the cold winter mornings! A very diligent and hard-working woman, Ann

has decided to hang up her high vis jacket and her lollipop stick for good but will still be there in the evenings to make sure the school is spic and span. The Parents Association of Lissavigeen school held a surprise party for her last week with all the children, where she received little gifts, cards and flowers. Ann is very happy to finish on a high note "I'd like to thank the school, the parents and especially the children who were always very good and did what they were told" She enjoyed meeting all the children over the years. And it seems the feeling is mutual, as one parent stated "The kids truly love her out there."

## THE HEALY-RAE WORLD TOUR OF KERRY

'The Rise and Rise of the Healy Raes' is a new play written by Killarney based storyteller and actor Ray O'Sullivan. The play is split into two acts and tells the hilarious and sometimes poignant story of bachelor brothers Densey and PJ Doona who appear time-locked in a life of loneliness and celibacy in their small family farm in Kerry. It's the first time the remarkable story of Healy-Rae politics has been crafted into a dramatic production for stage. Written by Ray O'Sullivan, it's the Cork native's first full-length play. O'Sullivan, who also stars in the play, has earned a reputation as an original and talented storyteller, seanchaí and actor. "The story of the Healy-Raes is one which has been told in many ways over the years, but this is the first time it's being played out on stage. In many ways, it was a drama waiting to unfold," he said. The work is in rehearsals at present and is being directed by Kerry's Eye journalist and playwright, Aidan O'Connor. Aidan, the writer/director of the hit drama 'Patrick' which had a phenomenal run in Kerry last year, said "Ray O'Sullivan has shown tremendous bravery in tackling such a well-known yet gigantic movement as the Healy-Raes. What he has done is pen a very funny and moving piece of work that Kerry audiences will thoroughly enjoy." The play's world tour of Kerry runs for six nights at six different venues across Kerry, opening at Beaufort Community Centre



A NEW PLAY WRITTEN BY KILLARNEY STORYTELLER AND ACTOR RAY O'SULLIVAN. 'THE RISE AND RISE OF THE HEALY-RAES' IS THE HILARIOUS AND SOMETIMES POIGNANT STORY OF BACHELOR BROTHERS DENSEY AND PJ DOONA WHO APPEAR TIME-LOCKED IN A LIFE OF LONELINESS AND CELIBACY IN THEIR SMALL FAMILY FARM IN KERRY. STARRING, CATHY O'SULLIVAN, ANNMARIE NELLIGAN AND RAY O'SULLIVAN (PLAYWRIGHT). THE PLAY IS DIRECTED BY AIDAN O'CONNOR. THE FIRST PERFORMANCE WILL BE BEAUFORT COMMUNITY HALL, SATURDAY MARCH 11TH @ 8.00PM. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

on March 11th, it will come to the INEC Acoustic club on Thursday 13th April at 8pm and will be finishing at St John's Theatre in Listowel on April 20th. For more information about

dates and venues contact Aidan O'Connor 087 1221759. Tickets will be available at the door on the night.

## CORK CITY VISIT KICKS OFF BIGGEST WEEK FOR CELTIC

This Monday March 6th see a Cork City FC selection take on Killarney Celtic in a glamour friendly at Celtic Park with a 7pm kick off. The two clubs have built up a very good friendship over the years and have played a number of friendly matches. The nearest Airtricity Premier League of Ireland Club has also been a big supporter of our Football For All with our players taking part in half time games at Turners Cross. It has been a good start to the season for John Cauldfield's men who,

like Killarney Celtic, already have a trophy in the cabinet as they won the Presidents Cup for the second time beating Dundalk in the pre season game. The Cork City selection will contain a number of regulars plus some fringe players and u19's and the game will be great workout for Celtic ahead of the Janesboro game.

### FAI JUNIOR CUP LAST 8

All eyes will then turn to the FAI Junior Cup clash when Celtic welcome top Limerick side Janesboro from Limerick to town on Saturday

March 12th. There is a very big crowd expected for this game and it is also the chosen game by Aviva who will host their coverage of the quarter finals from the club. Patrons are asked to come early to the game and work with the stewards on the way in and out of the game as Celtic Park is in a residential area and the club appreciates the support of its neighbours on these big nights. These are hugely exciting times for Killarney Celtic so let's hope the journey continues.



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## TOURISTS NAME RING OF KERRY AS BEST ATTRACTION IN KERRY



Europcar Ireland have revealed findings of 2016 Europcar Tourism Index and it shows the Ring of Kerry has come out on top. Research was conducted among more than 6,000 tourists last year, who named the Ring of Kerry as

the best attraction in Co Kerry. More than one third of tourists visited Ireland for the first time in 2016, but over half have holidayed in Ireland more than once. The best tourist attraction in Kerry is the Ring of Kerry according to over a third (36%) of tourists. The Ring of Kerry topped the Dingle Peninsula and Killarney National Park, which came in second and third place respectively. The top three European countries tourists hail from are ranked as the UK (23%), Germany (5%) and France (4%). Outside of Europe, a large number of tourists (17%) are visiting from the US, with 6% from Australia. According to the research, word of the Wild Atlantic Way and its beauty is widespread in other countries with 51% of tourists having heard of the region before their visit. Almost two thirds (65%) drive

part of the Wild Atlantic Way during their time in Ireland and most (62%) were so impressed with their experience that they would like to return. Results show that tasting Guinness is high on to-do lists among tourists, with more than three quarters (77%) tasting it during their trip and 43% enjoy traditional Irish stew before returning home. It seems staycations are becoming more popular as 18% of Irish car renters organised a staycation in Ireland. Cork and Kerry were the most popular regions for 32% of staycationers to visit. Overall 2016 has been another positive year for the tourism sector with an increase of 11.6% in overseas visitors to Ireland for the first ten months of 2016, with that being said 2017 looks set to be another great year for tourism in Kerry.

## CELTIC STEPS CONCERT IN AID OF THE IRISH PILGRIMAGE TRUST

Every year on Easter Sunday, almost 500 children and young people with special needs travel to Lourdes for a week with The Irish Pilgrimage Trust. Each group undertakes to raise the fare for the children and young people in their care while all carers pay their own fare. The highlights of the week include the Irish and international Masses full of music and colour, visiting the Grotto as well as taking a day trip to the beach or to Gavarnie where they can take a trip on a cable car. It is a fantastic experience for the children and young people as they enjoy the social aspect, going into a coffee shop and relaxing or joining in a sing song. Each group must raise €14,500 in order for this wonderful trip to happen. The money raised sends children and young people with special needs to Lourdes and also provides a break or

form of respite for carers and parents. As part of their fundraising efforts, Group 305 of The Irish Pilgrimage Trust are hosting a charity concert. A great night's entertainment is in store as Celtic Steps will present a spectacular night, featuring Ireland's top traditional Irish musicians, dancers and singers. The Celtic Steps charity concert will take place in the Killarney Race Course on Friday 10th March at 8:30pm. Doors will open at 7:30pm. An adult ticket is €20, child's ticket is €10 and a family ticket is €50. Tickets are available from O'Sullivan's, Haven Pharmacy, Killorglin, Mulvihill's Pharmacy, Killorglin and Kennelly's Pharmacy, the Reeks & New Street, Killarney. Alternatively, phone 086 8238767 to secure your ticket. See Facebook for more information. A fantastic night of entertainment for a worthy cause.



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## EVERYONE INVITED TO TAKE TINY STEPS FOR PREEMIE BABIES



PICTURED AT THE LAUNCH ARE: EILEEN CREEDON; ABBY AND SEAMUS O'LEARY AND TWINS; ABIMAY AND GERARD; AND DAUGHTER; MONICA

Kerry parents are being invited to put on their walking shoes for premature babies with the launch of a very special walk to raise funds for the Neonatal Unit at Cork University Maternity Hospital (CUMH). Abby and Seamus O'Leary from Ballymakeera, Co Cork, who have family in Kilgarvan, last week celebrated the first birthday of their twins, Abimay and Gerard, who have had a difficult year after being born

Gerard would not survive, a decision was taken to induce Abby at just 28 weeks. "It was such a traumatic and difficult time. We didn't know what would happen," recalls Abby. Following their birth, the twins were rushed to the neonatal unit at Cork University Hospital. The twins, who both suffered from heart conditions and underdeveloped lungs, remained in the

at just 28 weeks. The family are hosting a walk at the Top of Coom on March 19th to say thanks for all the support they received since the birth of the twins and to say a special thanks to the Neonatal Unit at CUMH. The twins were born over three months early and weighed only 1lb 11oz and 2lb 6oz. Due to complications with the pregnancy and fears that baby

unit for almost three months before they came home. During that time Abby and her husband, Seamus, who also have a 14-year old daughter, Monica, spent every moment with the them. Last week the twins, who have since both had heart surgery, celebrated their first birthday and are looking forward to a bright future. Having seen first-hand the care at the neonatal unit the couple now want to give back to say thanks for all the help they received. They have launched "Tiny Steps for Premie Babies" which is a 5k and 10k fun run at the Top of Coom pub on Sunday, March 19th at 12pm. There are two routes – a 5k and 10k both starting at the Top of Coom Bar and crossing the border from Kerry into Cork. The start and finish line will be at the Top of Coom where refreshments will be served afterwards. The neonatal unit at CUMH is used by Cork and Kerry parents. The event is open to walkers, joggers and runners and even babies in buggies. It is hoped that everyone will come out and take "tiny steps" for premature babies. Registration is €20 for adults, €10 for 10-18 year olds and U10 are free unless they would like a T-shirt for which the entry fee is €10. More details can be found on the Facebook event page Tiny Steps for Premie Babies.



## MONEY MATTERS.....

By Dermot Cronin,  
**Financial Advisor**



### WHEN CAN YOU ACCESS YOUR PENSION & WHAT ARE YOUR OPTIONS WHEN YOU WANT TO RETIRE?

Many pensions can be accessed from age 60, a lot of the rules depend on whether you are an employee or self employed. If you are coming close to retirement you are probably wondering what options you have when you want to get access to your pension. It depends on what type of pension you have but generally there are four options:

**Tax Free Cash :** Most people will be entitled to a tax free lump sum, the amount varies however generally you will get at least 25% of the value of your pension in a tax free cash lump sum.

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

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

**To discuss this or any other financial matter you can contact Dermot Cronin QFA APA (Pensions, Investments, Loans, Life Assurance) at 0646622775 or dermotcroninifa@gmail.com**

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## PROPERTY OUTLOOK THROUGH THE KEYHOLE....

A PICTORIAL LOOK AT KILLARNEY PROPERTIES ON THE MARKET



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**Agent:** ● DNG Ted Healy ● 11 New Street ● Tel: 064 6639000 ● E-mail: [tedhealy@dng.ie](mailto:tedhealy@dng.ie) [www.dng.ie](http://www.dng.ie)

**Starting Price:** €495,000

Auctioneers who would like to feature on "Through the Keyhole" contact Des on **087-6593427**.



## KILLARNEY UMBRELLA HAS YOU COVERED

A novel idea is set to turn into a lucrative business for two Kerry ladies.

Irish Keepsakes produce quality umbrellas with images of Ireland printed on every second panel.

Geraldine Fleming from Killarney and Catherine McGillicuddy from Killorglin both worked in the Tourism industry and saw an opening for a quality umbrella.

"We get over 200 days of rain a year in Ireland" Geraldine told the Killarney Outlook, "and with nearly 7 million visitors to the country every year - the umbrellas are both practical to use for the tourists while on holidays and also as a souvenir to take home with them".

The Killarney Umbrella has already made its way to the States when the Irish Keepsakes

Model, Michelle Fleming brought one of them to New York when she was there on a recent trip.

"Michelle was approached by so many Irish-Americans while she was in New York - all wanting to know where they could purchase the umbrellas - the possibilities are endless" Catherine said.

The girls have had a fantastic reaction to their quality product and their umbrellas will be stocked in all good gift shops in Killarney.

They are available on line, in shops and can be personalised to add a company logo if so required. If you would like more information you can contact [info@irishkeepsakes.com](mailto:info@irishkeepsakes.com) - [www.irishkeepsakes.com](http://www.irishkeepsakes.com) or telephone 087-2449340/0872640373.



CATHERINE MCGILICUDDY AND GERALDINE FLEMING  
PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE

## REVOLUTION E CONFERENCE WILL KEEP KERRY AHEAD



KEYNOTE SPEAKER DANIEL E. CRAIG FROM VANCOUVER CANADA

International, national and local speakers have been assembled to deliver an informative programme together with an interactive agenda to enable Businesses across Kerry to stay ahead of digital developments and ebusiness solutions. The conference, Revolution E, which will be held in The Rose Hotel on March 10th, comprises of a morning conference with 5 speakers who will discuss and investigate digital solutions while meeting the challenges of managing their company's online reputation. The conference is designed to suit all business owners and managers, and both male & female delegates are welcome. The evening programme will host a choice of two sessions: Trip Advisor Masterclass or 3hr SEO Workshop.

Trip Advisor Consultant and International Online Reputation Management expert, Daniel E. Craig from Vancouver Canada has been confirmed as the keynote speaker for this year's KBN conference. Daniel will discuss "Online Reputation Management" during the

morning conference and in the afternoon will host a Trip Advisor Master class, covering issues such as Whipping your TripAdvisor page into shape, understanding TripAdvisor's algorithm and climbing the rankings, tips, tools and techniques for making the most of TripAdvisor and responding to reviews and tracking performance. Daniel has been keynote speaker at Preferred Hotels & Resorts' Annual Conference in Hong Kong, the International Hotel, Motel & Restaurant Show in New York, Congreso Internacional de la Hotelaria in Cartagena, Colombia, and has been engaged for three years running at "Buy Tourism Online" in Florence, Italy. Daniel's Trip Advisor Masterclass is internationally acclaimed and KBN Chairperson Liz Maher says, "We are very honoured that Daniel has accepted our offer to speak at the conference. Our county plays host to some of the finest Hotels, Restaurants, B&B's, Bars and Bistro's and our hospitality is widely acclaimed. This particular sector has vigorously embraced technology as a means to carving global recognition for tourism in Kerry and this vibrant industry is keen to investigate new innovative solutions and discover tips and tools to enhance their use of existing technology to drive their revenue streams".

The renowned global expert will be joined by Guest Speaker, Professor Theo Lynn. Dr Theo Lynn is Professor of Digital Business and the Associate Dean of Industry Engagement & Innovation at DCU Business School. Professor Lynn specializes in the role of digital technologies in transforming business processes and he is the Principal Investigator of the Irish Centre for Cloud Computing and



DR THEO LYNN DCU.

Commerce, an EI/IDA funded Cloud Computing Technology Centre. Keynote speaker and Guest Speaker are joined by Jean Philippe Pierre former Senior Digital Sales Manager for IBM along with Francis Moriarty of PSC, will kick off the conference by providing a brief introduction into the additional VAT issues which business owners encounter when they sell online, while also drawing our attention to MOSS (Mini Online Shop System).

Clio O'Gara will facilitate the mid-morning panel session and in the afternoon, prior to the Trip Advisor Masterclass will cover the topic of automated solutions for the hospitality sector. Breda O'Dwyer, External Services Manager at the ITT said "It's a privilege to perform MC at this event and the conference sees the beginning of Business Month which is held during the month of March on an annual basis. Tickets cost €75 and are available online at: <https://revolutione.eventbrite.ie> For further information [www.kbn.ie](http://www.kbn.ie) or email: [kerrybusinesswomen@gmail.com](mailto:kerrybusinesswomen@gmail.com)

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## PROPERTIES OF THE WEEK

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### KILGARVAN VILLAGE Guide Price €40,000

Renovation project – 4 Bedroom detached property (1,200 sq ft) with garden shed to the rear of the property. Oil Range. Double glazed windows. 11km to Kenmare / 31km to Killarney

REF 978 **BER G**



### 3 CHURCHTOWN PARK, BEAUFORT Guide Price €425,000

Superb large 4 Bedroom Detached property with double garage & tarmac driveway standing on circa 0.66 acre site. Oil fired central heating, floored attic & stira stairs, south facing patio area, spectacular mountain views.

Ref 981 **BER C2**



### KNOCKNAGREE VILLAGE Guide Price €75,000

Excellent investment opportunity - Detached property currently converted into 3 self-contained apartments (two bedroom duplex, two bedroom ground floor & one bedroom first floor) Electric heating.

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# Killarney

## TOWN TALK



STUART CRICHTON, SCOTLAND AND KELLY MURPHY, TRALEE ROAD, KILLARNEY PICTURED WITH THEIR DAUGHTER ESTELLE AT HER CHRISTENING AT ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL RECENTLY. THE COUPLE WERE JOINED BY A LARGE CONTINGENT FROM SCOTLAND AND BY THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.



CAOIMHE SPILLANE.

March has finally arrived! Time to put a spring in your step and shake off the winter cobwebs. Check in with Killarney Town Talk and have a peak at what is happening in town. If you have any news you would like to share you can contact

us at [towntalk@outlookmags.com](mailto:towntalk@outlookmags.com)

### ASSOCIATION OF GARDA SERGEANTS & INSPECTORS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The 39th annual Delegate conference of Garda Sergeants will take place in Killarney this April. This is a prestigious conference and will bring valuable business to the town over the course of three or four days. 130 delegates from around the country will attend the conference. These delegates represent over 2100 Sergeants and Inspectors from across branches network. The conference is also attended by up to 40 federal delegates from around Europe, senior Garda and Department of Justice managements and representatives from other representative associations within the Garda organisation and the Defence Forces. The official opening is scheduled for 5.00pm on Monday 10th April. If you or your company wish to exhibit a stand at this conference please contact Alan at head office on 01 8303166 or [info@agsi.ie](mailto:info@agsi.ie). Please mark your email; 2017 exhibition in the subject line.

### LOCAL ALBUM LAUNCH

Local musician, Sam White, is launching his first solo album, upstairs in Courtneys Bar in Killarney. Sam is a very talented musician who had played in bands such as The Small Hours and Sin lad. His new venture is a solo CD - Who's Blues. We can look forward to a night of old blues and original material with Sam White and the Who's Blues band in Courtneys Bar, Thursday, March 16th at 9:30 pm

### K-FEST LOOKING FOR SUBMISSIONS

Visual arts submissions are being accepted for K-Fest Music & the Arts, which takes place in Killorglin, from the 2nd to the 5th of June. The event is now in its fifth consecutive year and is a celebration for new and emerging artists and musical talents. The event affords new and emerging artists from Ireland and beyond the ability to showcase their work to nearly 10,000 eventgoers, providing opportunities for patronage, partnerships, and community building with fellow artists and local residents. The closing date for submissions is midnight on the 31st of March and more information can be found at [kfest.ie](http://kfest.ie)

### CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

Please support IHCPT Church gate Collection on Saturday and Sundays 4th/5th March. The Irish Pilgrimage Trust is a registered Charity in Ireland for past 40 years. The Trust travels on pilgrimage and on holiday to Lourdes with young people with special needs from all over Ireland.

### FRIENDS OF MAUREEN

There will be a coffee morning held in the Kerry Way on Saturday 4th March from 10.30am to 1.00pm. Everyone is welcome. There are some great prizes to be won including the star prize of a hamper. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Donations can be given to the following Credit Union details : Killarney Credit Union-BIC:KIROIE21IBAN : IE81KIRO99219319086211 A/C NUMBER 60169. Rathmore Credit Union-BIC : RDRNIE21IBAN IE65RDRN99106300229745 A/C NUMBER 14087. You can also put your donation in an envelope and drop it into: Denis O'Briens shop in Glenflesk, Spillanes Bar, Headford, Tadhg O'Donoghue's Shop Barraduff

### KILLARNEY MUSICAL SOCIETY

With only three weeks to go until the Opening Night of Killarney Musical Society's production of "Me and My Girl" rehearsals are gathering pace. The cast are now practicing four days a week to perfect what promises to be a fantastic show. Excitement is building as they begin to put the finishing touches to scenes, finalise costumes and props and practice the high-energy choreography. However, the most important thing they need now is...YOU! Don't forget tickets can be purchased by calling the INEC Box Office on 064 66 71555. Tickets are priced at €20 for Adults, €15 for Students and OAP and €50 for a family ticket. Also, final date for submission of Patronage is Thursday March 9th, a very special thanks to all those who have supported the society so far. Your generosity is what makes this possible and your support is very much appreciated. You can find out more about the show on Facebook.

### FOSSA COMMUNITY GAMES

Congratulations to all the children who represented Fossa in the Community games art finals in Listowel last weekend. The Fossa winners were Mary McKenna 4th U8, Catriona McKenna 1st U10, Emmett Daly 4th U10 and Shea Weldon 4th U14. Philip Lyons came highly commended. This is Catriona McKenna's third year winning Gold in the county final and she will represent Kerry in the All Ireland finals in the summer, we wish her the best of luck. Good luck to all those representing Fossa in Swimming this Sunday in the Tralee Sports complex.



ELENA DAWSON, FORMER STUDENT OF ST BRIGID'S PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL, KILLARNEY, RECEIVING HER ENTRANCE EXHIBITION AWARD FROM VICE PROVOST PROFESSOR CHRIS MORAH, TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN.





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### LISTRY CROSS, FAHA, KILLARNEY

A restored farmhouse on c. 4 acres. The house has an extension to the back and has an exquisite finish and lay-out. There are a number of very attractive and useful stone buildings on the property

**PRICE REGION €400,000.**



### KNOCKKEENDUBH, KILLARNEY

A delightful charming bungalow less than 2 miles from Killarney town. 6 Bedrooms, 5 ensuite. The entire property is in pristine cond. Lawns and garden have some beautiful features with low maintenance.

**P.O.A.**



### TRALEE ROAD, KILLARNEY (less than 2 miles from Killarney town centre.)

A magnificent property on approx. 3.75 acres comprising of three separate buildings.

**A.** The main house which may require some decoration consists of approx. 3,500 sq. ft. with the ground floor divided into 2 expansive lounges, (one with its own private bar) library, diningroom, kitchen, utility, large double bedroom, ensuite. There are 8 upstairs bedrooms, 2 ensuite. Various configurations are possible upstairs without much difficulty. **B.** The detached single storey dwelling contains 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen and lounge, with independent oil fired C/H. **C.** The timber build sauna, Jacuzzi and gym has oil fired C/H. A great opportunity for someone wanting to get involved in the ever expanding tourism trade, (on the side of the main road.) It offers many possibilities for extra income with rental accommodation in such short supply.

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**WANTED IN KILLARNEY TOWN OR WALKING DISTANCE TO TOWN CENTRE.**

**LARGE HOUSE, ANY CONDITION, CASH BUYER.**

**8 ACRES OF DEVELOPMENT LAND ONLY A FEW MINS. WALK TO KILLORGLIN TOWN CENTRE. ZONED RESIDENTIAL. DRY, LEVEL, ROADSIDE, SCENIC PROPERTY WITH GREAT POTENTIAL.**

**KILLARNEY** Large, detached, dormer type house on c.3/4 acre. Requires refurbishing, extremely private, walking distance to town.

**KILLARNEY 1 MILE** Beautiful, new, stone fronted detached 2 storey, on large private site in a very small private development of detached large spectacular homes. This house is finished to "builders finish" and contains 6 bedrooms all ensuite with various lounges etc. Approx 3,000 sq. ft.

**TRALEE ROAD, KILLARNEY** less than 3 miles from town. Large 9 bedroom detached, with detached 3 bed single storey dwelling (own oil c/h etc.) and also a detached timber built sauna, Jacuzzi and gym with oil c/h. This entire property stands on approx. 3.475 acres. A very special property with enormous potential.

**LISTRY/FAHA, KILLARNEY** Exceptional property. Modernised, totally renewed stone built farmhouse on 4 acres of excellent land with 2 stone built charming outbuildings/dwellings. Professionally designed gardens. Offering the perfect blend of the old and the new with great style and character. Much sought after location. B.E.R. pending. P.O.A.

**KILCUMMIN OR FIRIES** area, semi or detached house wanted for cash buyer.

**COCKHILL, KILCUMMIN,** Killarney. Detached, 2 storey dwelling on c.22 acres of mixed land. (c.6 acres under forestry). Extremely scenic location. House may be sold separately. Great value.

**KILLORGLIN** Town centre shop premises to let.

**WANTED** (due to recent completed sales) Semi-detached house in Killarney. Cash client. Immediate decision.

**BARLEYMOUNT, KILLARNEY** 6.5 acres approx. of rough land.

**BARLEYMOUNT, KILLARNEY** 1.75 acres approx. field with spectacular views

**SPA/KILLARNEY** 1 acre site, subject to planning, dry elevated, great location

**ROCKFIELD, FAHA.** Delightful 3 bed two storey (At the old school).

Very attractively priced.

**KILLORGLIN TOWN** 2 bed apartment, both ensuite, Very modern design, purpose built in a private, gated town centre location.

**FARM WANTED.** GOOD QUALITY LAND. 50 ACRES OR MORE. CLOSE TO KILLARNEY OR WITHIN 7 OR 8 MILES FROM KILLARNEY TOWN. TOP PRICE PAID FOR SUITABLE PROPERTY.

**WANTED** Properties, houses, farms commercial etc. in all areas, for a growing list of genuine buyers.

**MILLTOWN VILLAGE** Commercial street front property. Great location. Good investment opportunity. Price region €125,000.

**CARAGH LAKE/GLENCAR/KILLORGLIN** area old 2 storey farmhouse on c. 2.5 acres. Very scenic tranquil setting in this very desirable location.

**WAREHOUSE TO LET** close to Killorglin town, v. modern building..

**KILLORGLIN, GOLF COURSE ROAD** Delightful 2 bed detached bungalow, as new, superb location.

**KILLORGLIN TOWN CENTRE** Licenced premises. Great location with extensive street frontage. Large building with "spacious Beer Garden." Needs some upgrading but has huge potential for food, entertainment etc. Attractively priced.

**BEAUFORT, KILLARNEY,** on the Main Ring of Kerry road, stunning 8 bed (all ensuite) B&B. Extensive frontage along the river Laune, with fishing rights. Panoramic views.

**CAPPAGANEEN, BEAUFORT, KILLARNEY** Old house on 4.75 acres approx. Extremely scenic and private.

**DOOKS, GLENBEIGH.** Beautiful, detached bungalow with spectacular views. Very private with electric gates and many special features. Close to Dooks golf club. **KENMARE "ASHGROVE"** delightful, detached 3 bed bungalow. (Fairy Lawn) Close to The Sheenfalls Hotel. Restorative, restful scenic setting.

**CASTLEISLAND/KNOCKNAGOSHEL/CRAG CAVES** area Large, detached, 4 bed modern bungalow. In excellent condition with great views. Price region €185,000.

## FARMS/LAND

**BALLYFINNANE, FIRIES, KILLARNEY. 9 ACRES APPROX. IN ONE FIELD. BOUNDED BY A RIVER ON ONE SIDE AND FRONTING THE PUBLIC ROAD.**

**c.10 acres** with good sheds, extremely scenic. Artgalvin, Headford area. 5mls from Killarney.

**FIRIES AREA, KILLARNEY.** Country mansion on 39 acres approx of top quality land all in excellent condition.

**DEVELOPEMENT LAND** 8 acres approx. zoned residential, only minutes walk to Killorglin town centre. (Sunhill area.) Dry, elevated property.

## SITES

**LOUGHGUITTANE, MUCKROSS,** Killarney, 1 acre site subject to planning permission, €50,000

**AGHADOE** Site roadside, approx 1 mile from town 1/2 acre selling subject to planning.

**BEAUFORT AREA** Elevated, scenic site c. 1/2 acre.

**COOLIES, MUCKROSS, KILLARNEY** c. 1 acre, private scenic location.

**ROSSBEIGH, GLENBEIGH** Site with full planning for dormer, no residency clause.

**KILLORGLIN 1 MILE** 3/4 acre site. On the main Killarney/Ring of Kerry road. Dry, elevated and scenic. On the main sewer and with all services.

**FAHA, KILLARNEY,** c. 1/2 acre, dry, roadside, great location, bargain.

**TIRNABOUL/SPA KILLARNEY** C. 3/4 acre site. Dry, level and roadside. Close to Spa G.A.A. grounds and community facilities.

**MILLTOWN, KILLARNEY.** SITE WITH FULL PLANNING FOR APPROX. 2,000 SQ. FT DETACHED, 2 STOREY, in a small private, exclusive development. (Ballyoughtra Heights) Beside the new schools, shops etc.

**SITE AT COOLICK,** Kilcummin. 1/2 acre or more if required.

**SITE AT ARDLAHAS,** Beaufort c. 0.8 acre.



# Killarney

## TOWN TALK



ENJOYING THE BRAINS OF KERRY TABLE QUIZ TO HELP ANTHONY MORRIS FIGHT LYME DISEASE WERE L-R MIRIAM MURPHY, JESSICA MURPHY, SYLVESTER MURPHY & GERALDINE ASHE. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

### KERRY HOSPICE AGM

Killarney Branch Kerry Hospice Foundation AGM will be held on Thursday 9th March, 2017 at 8pm at The Killarney Heights Hotel. New members are most welcome. If you would like to get involved in the running of the branch they would be delighted to see you on the night.

### FRIARY CONCERT

An evening of Irish and inspirational orchestral, vocal and choral music will take place on Sunday 5th March at the Franciscan Friary 7.30pm. Performed by the Scotia Ensemble with choir and students from Mercy Secondary School Mounthawk, Tralee.

### YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO TAIZÉ

The diocese will travel to Taizé, France, one of the world's most important sites of Christian pilgrimage, with a special welcome for young people, with a group of 25 young adults (18 - 30) on Sunday, June 25th and return on Sunday July 2nd. €400, Contact Tomás Kenny on 086 3683778 [tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie)

### STRICKEEN ANNUAL MOUNTAIN CHARITY CLIMB

The Strickeen Mountain, annual charity climb will take place on Saturday March 4th. Proceeds go to Kerry Hospice and the Oncology Unit in Tralee. Registration will take place at Kate Kearney's Cottage from 10:30-11am. Walkers are advised to wear appropriate climbing gear. There will be refreshments in Kate Kearney's after the walk and donations are welcomed on the day. There will also be an evening of entertainment, music by the Breen's, finger food

and a raffle, tickets are €5.00 at the door.

### FUNDRAISING DANCE

In aid of Kerry/Cork health link bus, Sunday March 5th, River Island Hotel, Castleisland 2- 6 pm cost €10. Ph: 086 3273908.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Liebherr Container Cranes on the company's third All-Ireland Senior Inter-Firm title in a row after an epic battle with Intel of Kildare in Fossa GAA Club last weekend.

### ALL IRELAND CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TIME CHANGE

For those travelling to the big event in Croke Park on St Patrick's Day, the throw-in time for the All-Ireland Club Championship final between Dr Crokes of Killarney and Derry's Slaughtneil won't be until 5.00pm, it has been confirmed. The later throw-in time may cause some inconvenience for those travelling from Killarney for the day as it will be close to 7 o'clock by the time they will be leaving Croke Park to make the journey home. But I am sure they won't mind if they are celebrating a win!

### FILM SCREENING IN KILLARNEY CINEMA

There will be a screening of the film 'Dead Along the Way' in Killarney Cinema on Wednesday, March 7th at 8:30pm. This is the acclaimed first feature from Kerry director Maurice O'Carroll. The film tells the story of two wedding videographers who find themselves unexpectedly dealing with a dead body, overly-enthusiastic Gardaí, fertility treatment, a

vengeful gangster and an imminent wedding. This Tarantino style crime/comedy has won rave reviews, it opened the Cork Indie Festival, was selected for the Galway Film Fleadh won Best Picture at the Underground Film Festival in Dublin and will soon be screened at the Chicago Irish Film Festival. The film features a great cast including Tralee actor Tom Lawlor (real life father of Tom Vaughan-Lawlor, 'Nidge' in Love/Hate). A Question and Answer session with the Director, Producers and some cast members will follow the screening.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Ten contestants from Phoenix Fitness, Grosvenor Court, Killarney, entered the national final of the World Drug-Free Powerlifting Federation Championships held in Monaghan, recently. Seven of the contestants, qualified for the World Drug-Free Powerlifting Federation Championships, which will take place later this year in Antwerp, Belgium. Big congratulations go to Sandra Evans, Melanie Aranda, Shinann O'Sullivan, Niamh O'Carroll, Derina Kelliher, Diane Horgan, Ella Grzybowska, Hazel Galvin and Orlaith O'Driscoll.

### DONATE WITH TESCO BLUE TOKENS

To date, Tesco stores and customers across Kerry have supported over 175 local projects donating over €50,000. For the next eight weeks shoppers at Tesco's stores can use their blue token to support a wide range of local projects. Shoppers in Tesco Killarney will be supporting Kilcummin defibrillator group, Flares Gymnastic Club and Cedar Galaxy soccer club. While shoppers in Tesco Killarney Park will be supporting Holy cross Mercy school-sunshine room, Beaufort defibrillator group and Beaufort special needs project Home From Home. Tesco customers can simply fill out a nomination form in store and every 8 weeks, three local causes will be selected for the Tesco Community Fund. And at the end of each phase, blue token votes are counted and up to €1,000 is shared proportionally between the three local causes. Further information and criteria for entry is available on [www.tesco.ie/communityfund](http://www.tesco.ie/communityfund).

### REMINDER LAUNCH OF KERRY DAFFODIL DAY 2017

The Kerry Daffodil Day will launch at a coffee morning in the Killarney Towers Hotel today, March 3rd at 10:30am. Daffodil Day takes place on March 24th 2017 and plays a significant role in supporting the Irish Cancer Society's vital services for cancer patients and their families in Kerry and nationwide, 2017 marks the 30th anniversary of Daffodil Day and the Irish Cancer Society needs to raise over €3m to provide care, information and support to people affected by cancer. The local Daffodil Day committee are appealing to the public to volunteer to sell daffodils on March 24th and to donate to support people affected by cancer. Speakers include: Michael Healy Rae, TD and Mark Mellett, Head of Fundraising, Irish Cancer Society.





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## RATHMORE SCHOOL GOES ORANGE FOR A DAY



MEMBERS OF THE AMBER TEAM FROM SCOIL PHOBAIL SLIABH LUACHRA WHO ORGANISED THE SCHOOLS GO ORANGE EVENT IN THEIR SCHOOL, RAISING €500 FOR THE CYCLE AGAINST SUICIDE AWARENESS CAMPAIGN.



PRIZE WINNERS: AISLING BROSAN, FAHAD MIAH, CIAN SHEEHAN AND JACK HORGAN WITH GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR NIAMH DWYER.

Students and teachers from Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra, Rathmore turned their school orange for mental health awareness as part of Cycle Against Suicide's #SchoolsGoOrange day recently. Simultaneously hundreds of schools around the island of Ireland glowed orange to spread the message that "It's OK not to feel OK; and it's absolutely OK to ask for help".

The aim of #SchoolsGoOrange was to drive mental health awareness and promote help-seeking behaviour in second level schools across all 32 counties. Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra, Rathmore hosted a non-uniform day with an orange theme. Students and teachers were encouraged to wear some item of orange clothing made a donation to the Cycle Against Suicide awareness campaign. For those without a splash of orange, painted faces were the order of the day. €500 was raised. Keyrings

with the Cycle Against Suicide logo and slogan were made by Transition Year students and presented to all staff and students. The day marked the end of a 30 day mental health challenge by Transition years which involved them spreading positive mental health messages over the intercom to reach the entire school community.

As part of the buildup to the day, the #SchoolsGoOrange selfie campaign caused well-known Irish faces from Joe Duffy to Nadia Forde, and from Gerry Adams to Dustin The Turkey to 'Go Orange' on social media, helping to highlight the vital work being done in schools to raise mental health awareness.

Participation in #SchoolsGoOrange part-fulfils the requirement for the prestigious award of Cycle Against Suicide Ambassador School, which Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra is hoping

to receive at the end of this school year. "It was terrific to take part in the #SchoolsGoOrange day", said Niamh Dwyer, guidance counsellor at Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra. "It's great to have our students involved in a movement, where they are the centre of discussing and promoting how our mental health and wellbeing, just like our physical health, needs to be cared for and nurtured." "It was inspiring to see the hard work the student members of our Amber Team put in for our non-uniform day to spread the message, 'It's OK not to feel OK; and it's absolutely OK to ask for help in our school'", Niamh Dwyer told the Killarney Outlook.

For more information on this, the 2017 Cycle Against Suicide or the Cycle Against Suicide Schools Programmes, check out [www.cycleagainsuicide.com](http://www.cycleagainsuicide.com), search Cycle Against Suicide on Facebook, or @CAsuicide on Twitter.

## ARE YOU UP FOR THE TWO LAKES CHALLENGE?



The Two Lakes Challenge, now in its fourth year, has earned its place on the cycling calendar. Offering three routes, the cycle caters for cyclists of all levels of ability, interest & enthusiasm. The 40km & 60km routes meander around Lough Acoose and Caragh Lake, offering breathtaking scenery along the journey. Both of these routes are fully serviced with food and water stops, and we also have bike maintenance on patrol. The 12km cycle offers students U-16 and families the opportunity to participate in a leisurely cycle in a safe &

friendly environment. Refreshments are served at Killorglin Community College upon return from ones morning activity. This is one cycle that should not be missed!

As the evenings get longer we are all looking back at those New Years' Resolutions to get more active. Well, here is your chance. Killorglin Community College annual fundraising cycle will take place on Saturday 11th March at 9:30am. The college plans to further invest in its already high-tech ICT infrastructure to ensure that they remain the pioneers of ICT in education. All of this costs money which is not included in the annual department of education budget so their Parents' Council have rallied the troops to put on another fantastic cycle event again this year. The school received an ICT grant this year from the Department of Education but it is so small, it will not even cover the cost of replacement hardware that has reached 'end of life'.

Whether you are a pro cyclist, a novice, a granny or a toddler, there is a route on this cycle for you and your family. There are three routes to choose from. The 60Km & 40Km routes circle the scenic Caragh Lake, pass through Blackstones Bridge, Lough Acoose and then

on to Glencuttane or Beaufort before arriving back at the Community College for some well deserved complimentary refreshments.

The 12Km route is a nice one for the younger members of the family which heads towards Glounaguillagh National School before turning back to the Community College via Groyne Cross and Ardmoniel.

This is a great family fun day out while also taking in some of our finest scenery. The exercise is just a pleasant bonus! We had great support last year and are expecting large numbers again this year. I did the 40Km myself last year and it inspired me to go on to do the Ring Of Kerry cycle in July. we will have an expert on hand on the day to offer advice to anyone who would like to use this cycle as the start of their ROK training programme." - Donal O Reilly, Deputy Principal Killorglin Community College and event director told the Killarney Outlook.

"We are very grateful to Killorglin Cycling Club and all of our sponsors who once again have given us unconditional support in all areas. We look forward to welcoming everyone on Saturday 11th March at 9:30 for what is sure to be another successful event", he added.





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Health to deal with this crisis. Life will never be the same without Dad. He deserved so much more, another 15 to 20 years of his life. We feel that he should have received a kidney two years ago when he was able. It took me, his son, to offer to check if I was a possible match. I was. But Dad would not let me suffer. I wanted to give him a kidney. I wanted to keep my Dad alive.

Denis Breen

Hazelwood Drive, Killarney

This is the devastating story of many families in Ireland. It is vital that people carry donor cards. The more people who pledge to donate their kidneys after their death, the more people stand to benefit. By choosing to carry a kidney donor card you could help to make sure life goes on for many others.

A Chara,

## Shameful waste of quality timber in Killarney National Park

While Council's squander thousands of euro's of tax payers money on poorly designed and badly constructed street furniture for towns and villages across the county, thousands of euro's worth of quality timber lies rotting in Killarney National Park.

We fully recognise and appreciate the importance of leaving 'tree litter' and some 'fallen' trees/branches to rot for biological reasons in our forests and woodlands, however, it is totally unnecessary and wasteful to leave high-grade, quality hard/softwood trunks like oak, yew, scot's pine and beech to rot when it could be converted into usable timber for local construction/craft needs. Imported street furniture made from tropical timber costing thousands of euros have been removed from the streets of Killarney in recent weeks by Kerry County Council staff. A number of imported tree planters as well as some street seating made from tropical timber of dubious origin have been taken in for "refurbishment".

Considering this furniture is only in situ for less than a year it is totally unacceptable that the Council should continue to purchase such poorly designed and poorly made items and at such exorbitant cost. "Opportunities to produce good quality street furniture made from locally-sourced timber should be given to suitably qualified local small and medium enterprises (SME's) as a means of supporting local jobs as a matter of urgency", according to Just Forests founder, Tom Roche. Roche goes on to say that, "it is not good enough that thousands of euros of quality timber lies rotting in our National Park." Ireland has the largest per-capita usage of tropical timber in the EU. It is used in places that is totally unnecessary when Irish-grown timber would do the same job and provide much needed economic incentive for local timber sawmills. Towards the end of January 2017, An Taoiseach, Enda Kenny TD, and the Minister for Arts, Heritage, Regional, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs, Heather Humphreys TD, launched 'Realising our Rural Potential: The Action Plan for Rural Development. According to Minister Humphreys, who also happens to

have responsibility for the National Parks and Wildlife Service, "The plan places a focus on creating sustainable rural communities. This means we will implement strategies which will support and empower citizens in local towns, villages and their environs to build on their strengths."

Just Forests are now calling on Minister Humphreys and the National Parks and Wildlife Service to collect all fallen trees into a stockpile and hold an annual auction where local sawmills can bid on the logs. The income from such activity will help generate funds to pay professional contractors to eradicate the rhododendron and deal with this major ecological catastrophe taking place under our noses. The Plan contains a number of actions which if implemented will support sustainable communities through enterprise and employment opportunities, rural tourism and recreation as well as fostering a sense of culture, connectivity and creativity in rural communities.

Tom Roche, Just Forests, Muckross, Killarney, Co Kerry

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## FEELS LIKE HOME

The Scotia Ensemble is Kerry's only resident professional orchestra and is made up of professional musicians from around the County who have played in orchestras all over the world. As the first part of its 2017 season, the orchestra has teamed up with the award winning choir and students from Mercy Secondary School Mounthawk Tralee, and celtic soprano, Caitriona O'Sullivan, to perform a series of concerts featuring songs from Irish classical composers and from traditional music, together with some inspirational music, to entertain audiences in venues in Tralee, Killarney, Dingle and Kenmare.

Since the foundation of the Mercy Secondary School Mounthawk in 2001, there has been a concerted effort to build on the tradition of music from the two previous schools and to establish it as a school where Arts Education is given prominence and is a significant part of the learning experience for students. Mercy Mounthawk is the only school in Tralee with music and choir on the timetable as examination subjects. The school choir has grown from around 30 members to a current membership of 60 and they have performed at the CEIST and JMB national conferences as well as placing at the Cork Choral Festival Competition. Caitriona O'Sullivan, is a Tralee native who holds first class honours degrees



and master's degrees in music, and specialises in Irish traditional music. Not only does she teach at Mercy Mounthawk, where she is also the co-director of the choir, she is a professional soprano who has performed in venues all over the world. She has also had chart success as a singer-songwriter and has appeared on television and radio nationwide and has been a judge on "Glor Tire" on TG4 for 13 years.

The choir and students, together with Caitriona O'Sullivan will be accompanied by the Scotia Ensemble in beautiful arrangements of Irish and Inspirational music such as Feels Like Home, Raglan Road, The Parting Glass and

many more. The concerts take place on the following dates:-

- (i) Mercy Secondary School Mounthawk, Tralee, Saturday 4th March 2017
  - (ii) The Friary, Killarney, Sunday 5th March 2017;
  - (iii) St James Church, Dingle, Saturday 11th March 2017;
  - (iv) St Patricks Church, Kenmare, Sunday 12th March 2017
- Tickets can be obtained from the school by calling 066 710 2550 or from the orchestra at [scotiaensemble@gmail.com](mailto:scotiaensemble@gmail.com). More details on the orchestra's facebook page:- [www.facebook.com/scotiaensemble](http://www.facebook.com/scotiaensemble)







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## An Ráth Mhór RATHMORE

### RATHMORE/GNEEVEGUILLA NEWS by Michael O'Mahony CHILDREN OF RATHMORE PARISH

Present Cinderella at Rathmore community centre Saturday 4th March 2017 at 7.30pm. & Sunday 5th March 2017 at 3.00pm. Admission - Adult €10. Children £5. In Aid of Friends of the Children of Chernobyl Rathmore Branch For further details & tickets contact Lorrane (086)3481464 or Mag: (087) 9498344. All proceeds to children's of ChChernobyl Rathmore Branch.

#### WISHES

Congratulations to Duhallow Scór na bPaistí champion 2017 - Seán O'keeffe Lisheen Gneeveguilla.

**RATHMORE COMMUNITY CENTRE** Annual 45 Card Drive- Continue every Wednesday night of lent 9pm. All welcome

**RATHMORE COMMUNITY COUNCIL** church gate collection held last weekend total amount collected € 772.60 . Thanks to all who bared the bad weather who help out with collections thanks who supported And generous is appreciated

**SYMPATHY** To family and friends of Thomas Daly Kilquane Headford & Sr Florence ( Sheila ) O' Sullivan Drishane House Millstreet and Rathmore, May they rest in peace

**RATHMORE COMMUNITY COUNCIL** At our recent meeting the following topics were discussed: St. Patrick's Day Parade, fundraising, refurbishing an Oifig, Community Support Fund 2017. GP service. Planting. Rathmore Town survey. Rathmore Community Council Dr. Christine Walsh-McCarthy will hold a surgery at the rear of St. Joseph's Day Care Centre on Monday's, Tuesday's and Thursday's. For appointment please contact 029 70124. If you would like to contact the HSE with a (comment /compliment/ complaint) on a HSE service, e.g. difficulty getting an appointment, delays, good service, community and primary care - You can do so in person, over the phone, online, by email yoursay@hse.ie or by letter to complaints officer in section your complaint is in. <http://www.hse.ie/eng/services/feedback/> Locall 1890424555.

#### RATHMORE & DISTRICT CREDIT UNION.

Credit Union Art Competition Winners: Congratulations to Hannah Wright, Orla O'Donoghue and Eoin Herlihy who represented Rathmore & District Credit Union at the Credit Union National Art Competition in Croke Park. Orla, Hannah and Eoin travelled with their families for a fantastic day out on Sunday for the National Credit Union Art Competition 2017 to showcase their great pictures. A great achievement and well done from everyone involved.

#### PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

Rathmore seventh Annual St Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday March 12th at 2pm no Street Trader please.

#### NOTES

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

#### BALLYDESMOND POST OFFICE

Danny Healy Rae TD and Cllr Maura Healy Rae are glad that the campaign to retain the Post Office in Ballydesmond Village has been resolved, this is welcome news for the people of this area and we want to thank all the local people on both sides of the border for putting in such an effort to ensure that this happened and we wish Seamus Kearney and his family all the best with this new venture.

### FOSSA NOTES

#### LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 4, 7, 15, 27. There was no jackpot winner and the €40 consolation prize winners were Margo Griffin, Barleymount, Anthony

O' Carroll, 3 Ross Road, Geraldine Bowler, Annaghmore East, Teddy O'Sullivan, Crohane and Frankie Hallissey, Beaufort. Next weeks jackpot will be €13,650. Tickets are on sale at The Golden Nuggett Bar, The Castlerosse Leisure Centre, The Travel Inn, The Old Killarney Inn, Foley's Spar Shop, The Laurels Bar and Committee members.

#### SENIORS

The seniors next outing is away to Spa on Sunday 5th March at 2pm.

#### MINORS

The Minor team are away to Beaufort in Round 2 of the County League on Saturday, 4th March at 4pm. All support welcome.

#### MEMBERSHIP

Club membership is now due. Family membership, which includes both parents and all their children up to minor age, stays at €60.00 for 2017, adult remains at €30.00, while youth/student is €15.00. A player is not insured to play or train if not registered. Registrar Gene Moriarty will take up membership at Lotto on Sunday night. There will also be a Juvenile Registration day held on Sunday, March 12th.

#### FOSSA/TWO MILE COMHALTAS

A Parish Céilí is being held at Fossa Community Centre this Saturday 4th March @ 8.30pm hosted by Fossa Comhaltas Ceoltoirí, in conjunction with the Fossa Parish Mission.

Sult na nOg, Kerry Comhaltas set dancing competition, is being held at the Fossa Community Centre on Sunday 5th March between 10am and 4pm.

#### KILLARNEY LIBRARY

A Spanish-English Conversation Exchange will take place from 6.30pm - 7.30pm on the second Thursday of every month at Killarney Library. The first meeting is on Thursday 9th February. Free admission. All welcome.

#### FOSSA NOTES

If anybody has any item they would like included in the notes, please email information to John O'Neill at [pro.fossa.kerry@gaa.ie](mailto:pro.fossa.kerry@gaa.ie). Please forward information before Sunday at 11am.

### BEAUFORT NOTES

#### SHROVETIDE

Great merriment was the order of the day come Shrove Tuesday ... with pancake tossing and fun and games round the fireside in days of yore. Of course the theme was that of weddings and matchmakers busy since the Epiphany to get people hitched and matched before the moratorium on nuptials in times of Lent. Of course Skellig was exempt and these prohibitions didn't apply. So all roads lent their way to the island and another symbolic tradition was that of 'going on the 'Skelligs' after school for those of you old enough to remember ... would be frowned upon these days !!!

An interesting tale from Knocknagoshelwent ... that on the morning of the wedding the bride travelled to the church on horseback flanked by her father and a relative. The young men in the wedding party would race their horses furiously and the person that would get to the church gate ahead of the rest would get a bottle of liquor ... known as 'the race for the bottle'. Any archive material to Thomas O'Sullivan 0879807122

### LISTRY NOTES

#### CLUB MEETING

Next club meeting Thursday March 2nd at 21.00 at the clubrooms, all members please attend.

#### LOTTO RESULTS DRAW

Numbers drawn 1, 7, 10, 20, . Jackpot not won, €100 - Damien, Michelle and Joseph Clifford. €50 x 2 - Susan Stephens Kilderry. Charlie Coakley Faha. €25 x 2 Ellen Allman Rockfield. Emmett Kennedy Ballymalis. Draw Entrant: John Joe and Breda Tangney. Jackpot next week €5,150

#### SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy to The Sugrue Family, Lahard on the recent death of Philomema (Phyllis) Sugrue. May she rest in peace.

#### ALL IRELAND JUNIOR CLUB

Congratulations to Glenbeigh/Glencar who won the All Ireland Junior Club Football Championship against Tyrone side The Rock in Crokes Park.

#### LISTRY COISTE NA NOG 2017

U8 football training every Sunday Milltown Community Hall at 11 am.

U10 training every Sunday at 12am in Milltown Community Hall.

U12 training every Thursday night at 7/8pm in Milltown Community Hall.



**WEDDING BELLS:** Congratulations to Anthony Sweeney, Lahard who recently got married to Leila Kattia Odum in New York.

## KILCUMMIN NEWS

### KILCUMMIN DEFIBRILLATOR GROUP

Training dates will be shortly announced, so please keep an eye out for these. Tesco are kindly giving Kilcummin Defibrillator group the Community Fund Project (Blue disks) available at the Tesco till for the next number of weeks from Monday 20th February 2017. Please support. As Kilcummin Defibrillator Group are continuously trying to raise more awareness and locate more defibrillators around the parish, donations are always being accepted, - these can be handed to a committee member or there is a donation box at our local Post Office.

### FIRST CONFESSION

First Penance for the Children making their First Holy Communion this year will be on Wednesday 5th April at 7.30pm in Kilcummin Church.

### COFFEE MORNING

Coffee Morning in aid of Maureen Kelliher: Sat March 4th 10.30am - 1pm at The Kerry Way. Supporting Maureen in her struggle against the degenerative disease Multiple Sclerosis.

### INFORMATION MEETING

South Kerry Development Partnership CLG 37A High St. Killarney 064 6636572/087 6187629 are holding a meeting on 'New opportunities for farmers' information meeting on Thursday 2nd March.

### PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

Parent and Toddler Group Mondays 10.30am - 12.30pm in the Recreational Hall. All welcome. For further information please contact Maureen on 087-2883479.

### COMHALTAS

Best of luck to our musicians, singers and dancers who are taking part in the County Final of Sult na nOg next weekend. Full programme is available on [www.kerrycomhaltas.ie](http://www.kerrycomhaltas.ie)

### GROUP MUSIC

The group music classes is now up and running with a great attendance in each class. Our thanks to all parents and children for their co-operation and a special thanks to our tutor Brendan. For further details contact Irene at 064-6643357.

### KILCUMMIN GAA

#### SENIOR FOOTBALL EAST KERRY LEAGUE

Kilcummin 1-17 v Dr Crokes 3-5. Our seniors had a good win over Dr Crokes on Sunday last leaving them with a remaining game against Rathmore to decide who reaches the final. Daniel Moynihan got our goal in the first half and Noel Duggan was scorer in chief throughout.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Kevin McCarthy on his impressive debut with the Kerry Seniors on Sunday last in Fitzgerald Stadium against Monaghan.

### GAA AWARDS NIGHT

Awards night takes place on March 10th in the Klub for Male and Female recipients.

### KILCUMMIN GAA LOTTO

There was no winner on Sunday Feb 26th 2017. Numbers drawn were 18, 22, 24, 25. Consolation prizes were €100 Eddie & Patricia O'Brien, Kilcummin. €60 Sadie Collins, Lacka, Ballydesmond. €60 Timmy O'Sullivan. €30 Caryn Hennelly, Florel, Park, N.Y. €30 Trish Dillon. Next Draw Sunday, March 12th 2017. Jackpot now €3,500.

## GLENFLESK NOTES

### GLENFLESK SENIORS (SPONSORED BY THE KERRYWAY & O'BRIENS QUICKPICK)

FIXTURE; The Seniors have a bye this weekend in the East Kerry super league, they continue their super league campaign away to Spa on the Weekend of March 11th/12th.

### GLENFLESK MINORS

Our Minor team play their second game of the Co. League away to An Gaelteacht this Saturday March 4th at 4pm.

### ST BRENDANS

Congratulations to Christopher O Donoghue, Oran O Donoghue, Mark Kelliher and Sean Doherty on winning the Corn Ui Mhuire with St



L-R EILEEN KELLIHER & MARIE HEALY ENJOYING THE SOROPTIMIST PANCAKE MORNING IN AID OF 'HOME FROM HOME' BALLYDOWNY ON TUESDAY MORNING AT THE KILLARNEY AVENUE HOTEL. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

Brendans last Saturday.

### ANOTHER ALL IRELAND FOR LIEBHERR

Congratulations to Gavin Kelly on winning another Inter Firm All Ireland with Liebherr last Saturday.

### GLENFLESK LOTTO:

No winner of the lotto which took place in The Corner Bar on 27/2/2017. Jackpot €4,200. Numbers were 6, 15, 18, 21.

### GLENFLESK GAA MEMBERSHIP

2017 membership fees are now due for payment. See Facebook for details of fees due for 2017. Registration forms are available via email. Please send your email address to [registrar.glenfleskgaa@gmail.com](mailto:registrar.glenfleskgaa@gmail.com) and registration forms will be mailed to you.

### GLENFLESK SCOR NA NOG

Our figure dancers and Ballad Group won in the County Final on Sunday in Senior Scor and now go on to the Munster final on April 8th. Well done also to Sarah Finnan who competed for Glenflesk in the solo singing. Huge congrats to all as Glenflesk were also awarded the shield for best overall club in the County on the night. Dancing in the figure dancing were Aine and Mary O Sullivan, Rose and Orla Kelliher, Kate Logan, Aoife Cronin, Katelynn O Keffe and Juliette O Shea. Singing in the Ballad Group were Mairead and Roisin Kelleher, Ellen Cronin, Jennifer Murphy and Denis O Sullivan. Well done all.

### FRIENDS OF MAUREEN KELLIHER

Coffee morning to be held in the Kerry Way on Saturday 4th March from 10.30am to 1.00pm. Everyone welcome. Some great prizes to be won including our star prize of a hamper. Your support would be greatly appreciated

### BARRADUFF CARDIAC RESPONSE UNIT

Barraduff Cardiac Response Unit are very happy to announce that we are now Live to assist The National Ambulance Service covering a 6KM radius from Headford Post Office.

### RAHEEN N.S.

Enrollment forms for 2017/2018 now available from Raheen NS or for download at [www.raheenns.com](http://www.raheenns.com). For further details contact the school on 064-7754447. Congratulations to Jackie Courtney who had the winning lotto no. 24 on Saturday the 18th of February.

### GLENFLESK COMHALTAS NEWS

Set dancing classes continue on Wednesdays 5.30pm to 6.30pm in St. Agatha's Community Centre. Music classes continue on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm. New members always welcome. For more details contact Margaret Creedon.087 2766390. Fleadh Chiarrai will be held 17th to 21st May 2017. Best of luck to all our competitors in Sult na nOG

### RATHMORE PANTOMINE

The children of Rathmore Parish Present Cinderella at Rathmore Community Centre Saturday 4th March 2017 at 7.30pm. & Sunday 5th March 2017 at 3.00pm.

Admission - Adult €10. Children £5.

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**CONTACT:** We welcome items of local interest. Please contact PRO Paudie on 087 7692220 or [pro.glenflesk.kerry@gaa.ie](mailto:pro.glenflesk.kerry@gaa.ie).



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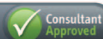
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Extract from: [www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/fs380/en/](http://www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/fs380/en/)

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**Saturday Mornings GIRLS**  
U6,U8,U10,U12  
10am - 11am

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## KILLORGLIN GOLF CLUB.

**LADIES RESULTS:** 12 Hole re-entry Stableford sponsored by Ex Officio Anne Kenny Foley: 1. Eleanor Dowd (23/15) 23 pts. 2. Angela Enright (24/16) 22 pts. (B2). 3. Mary Murphy Garvey (32/21) 22 pts.

Silver Swans 12 Hole Stableford: 1. Mary Murphy Garvey (32/21) 28 pts. 2. Christina O'Sullivan (27/18) 21 pts. 3. Betty Griffin (35/23)

**15 PTS. (B3).**

**FIXTURE:** 12 Hole re-entry sponsored by Handicap Secretary Coral Kiely is now in progress and continues until further notice. Spring League: The top 4 Teams after the 1st round: 1. Blue Team 96 pts. 2. Snowdrop Team 91 pts. Tulip Team 89 pts. 4. Azalea Team 88 pts. 2nd round of 12 Hole Stableford must be completed by Saturday 18th March.

## ROSS GC, KILLARNEY

### GENTS CLUB

#### FIXTURES:-

On Saturday March 4th & Sunday March 5th we will hold the first round of MD O'Shea Spring League with an 18 hole single stableford competition which will be sponsored by the International Hotel. The timesheet is now available in the clubhouse so please add your name to it immediately.

## BEAUFORT GC

**RESULTS:** 26/02 No Golf

#### FIXTURES:

Thurs March 2nd Open Seniors 10am  
Sat/Sun 4/5 March 1st Round Spring Lge.  
Sponsored by Cahillane Butchers  
Fri 9th March - Quix nite 8pm - team of 4 €40- to support the ladies/Mar's Club.



PRESIDENT GEAROID KEATING (RIGHT) PICTURED WITH INCOMING CAPTAINS, MICHAEL LYNCH (LEFT) & LADY CAPTAIN MARY O'SHEA (CENTRE) AT THE CAPTAINS DRIVE, BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

## DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB

Paul O'Sullivan Memorial Scramble: Unfortunately last Sunday's scheduled event in Castleisland had to be called off due to the heavy wind and rain. It will be scheduled again for a different date in due course.

Sunday Competition: Our Sunday Competitions resume this Sunday with draws at 9.15am and 11.15am. Entry €4 per draw and €7 for both draws. Open to club members aged 15 or over. Membership Collection: Our Club Registrar

Sean Kelly will be available for membership collection this Saturday. Contact Sean on 0860508686 to arrange payment of same.

Website Redesign: As previously mentioned our website is currently undergoing an overhaul. Any member with any suggestions about same is welcome and can be e-mailed to Sean Kelly at his address sean--kellie@yahoo.co.uk

Congratulations: To St Brendans College on retaining the Corn Ui Mhuirí last Saturday especially the man who had double cause for celebration on the day with his 18th birthday party, Mark Harnett!

# KILLARNEY SOCCER

## KERRY

## SCHOOLBOY/GIRL SOCCER

**PARK 13'S 3RD TEAM INTO REGIONAL FINALS: SKECHERS 13'S REGIONAL SEMI-FINAL:**

St Brendan's 4-0 Charleville

#### CUP RESULTS:

John Murphy 12's Cup:  
Tralee Dynamos 0-4 Killorglin A  
John Joe Naughton 13's Cup:  
Inter Kenmare 4-1 Listowel Celtic C  
Tralee Dynamos 6-3 Iveragh United  
Park B 8-0 Killarney Athletic B  
Castleisland 4-5 Ballyheigue

#### HEALY FAMILY 15'S CUP:

Killarney Celtic A 6-0 St Bernards

#### TUCKER KELLY 16'S CUP:

Park A 3-0 Ballyhar Dynamos  
Asdee 1-6 Listowel Celtic B  
Killarney Celtic 3-1 Mastergeeha  
Listowel Celtic A 1-2 Killorglin

#### LEAGUE RESULTS:

Moriarty's Centra 11's Premier:  
Park A 9-2 Camp Juniors  
Castleisland 2-6 Killarney Celtic A  
Mastergeeha 4-4 Listowel Celtic A

#### 11 DIVISION 1:

LB Rovers 3-0 Inter Kenmare Tralee Dynamos  
1-4 Iveragh United MEK 4-1 Ballyhar Dynamos

#### 11 DIVISION 2:

Park B 8-3 Camp Juniors  
Castleisland B 0-3 Killarney Celtic B  
Mastergeeha B 1-6 Listowel Celtic B

#### JK SPORTS 12'S PREMIER

Mastergeeha 2-2 Park A  
12 Premier Girls  
Killarney Celtic 2-1 Listowel Celtic  
Daly's Supervalu 13 Premier:  
Killarney Athletic A 1-4 Killorglin A

#### 13 DIVISION 1:

Mastergeeha 2-3 Ballyhar

#### 13 DIVISION 2:

Killorglin B 0-3 Ballyheigue

#### 13 DIVISION 3:

LB Rovers 1-4 Fenit  
Foundation Sports 14's

#### 14 GIRLS PREMIER:

Mastergeeha 7-0 Killorglin

#### 14 DIVISION 1:

Inter Kenmare 6-1 Park B  
Killarney Plaza 15 Division 1:  
Ballyheigue 2-3 Killorglin  
Park B 0-3 Camp Jr

#### DIVISION 2:

Rattoo Rovers 3-0 Killarney Celtic B Park C 0-8  
Castleisland Tralee Trophy World 16's :

#### GIRLS PREMIER:

Listowel Celtic 3-0 Killarney Celtic

#### REPORTS:

**PARK 13'S THE 3RD TEAM INTO 11'S GRADING LEAGUE GETS UNDERWAY:**

The SFAI have sanctioned a grading competition at 11's level in order to prepare the young players for their first season of competitive football next season.

In the Premier Division Park A defeated Camp Juniors thanks to goals from Andrew Kerins, Justin O'Sullivan, Bruno Browy and Nathan Aherne. Killarney Celtic won away at Castleisland with their goals coming from Josh Bowler, Mark Daly, Ted O'Gorman, Mathew and Seamie Moynihan and Jason O'Reilly. Jack Joy scored twice for Castleisland.

**DRAW NOT IDEAL FOR EITHER SIDE IN 12 PREMIER:**

In the JK Sports 12 Premier Mastergeeha B and Park A shared the points in a 2-2 draw. Both sides in reality needed the full points.

#### KILLARNEY WIN CELTIC GIRLS BATTLE:

Killarney Celtic will be delighted to have





MEK UNITED UNDER 11 SQUAD WHO WERE IN ACTION AGAINST BALLYHAR ON SATURDAY

defeated Listowel Celtic, the loss saw them dropping their first points of the season. Listowel Celtic opened the scoring and led 1-0 at half time. Elizabeth Coffey equalised early in the second half and Aideen O'Brien scored a cracking winner for a free kick shortly afterwards. Killarney Celtic need strong defensive performances from Ava O'Neill and Shauna Myers to take the win.

### **KILLORGLIN CONTINUE TO LEAD THE WAY IN 13 PREMIER:**

Killorglin added another three points and continue to top the table in the Daly's Supervalu 13 Premier. They had goals from Adam Owens 2, Tom Whittleton and Jack O'Sullivan in a 4-1 win over Killarney Athletic. Hugh O'Malley got the goal for the Woodlawn side.

### **BALLYHAR WIN IN 13'S DIVISION 1:**

Ballyhar added three important points to their total in a hard fought 3-2 win over Mastergeeha. James Horan scored twice and Colin Callaghan once in the win with Oisín O'Leary and Mark O'Shea getting the goals for the Kilbreen side.

Ballyheigue go top of Division 2:

With Killarney Celtic B not playing Ballyheigue took full advantage to move 2 points ahead of them in 13's Division 2. Feilim O'Sullivan scored twice and Dylan Godley once in the win.

### **LEADERS WIN AGAIN IN DIVISION 3:**

An Eddie McCarthy hat trick and a goal from David Dineen saw leaders Fenit again, defeating LB Rovers 4-1. Jack Mallon scored the goal for LB Rovers. Mastergeeha Girls 2 from 2 in 14 Premier: Mastergeeha girls made it two wins from two in the Foundation Sports 14 Girls Premier. Anna Hennihgan was in unstoppable form hitting 5 with Leah Burke and Abbey O'Leary scoring one each. Emma Kissane was the best player for Killorglin on the day.

### **INTER UP TO 2ND IN 14 DIVISION 1:**

Inter Kenmare have moved into second place in the Foundation Sports 14's Division 1 after a 6-1 win over Park B. Corey Murphy hit a hat trick which were added to by goals from Kevin O'Shea, Tadgh O'Donoghue and Oisín Fox in the win.

### **CAMP JUNIORS TAKE THE LEAD IN 15'S DIVISION 1:**

Camp Juniors had a 3-0 mid-week win in the Killarney Plaza 15 Division 1 which sees them

take the lead in the Division. Cian O'Grady, Der Hickson and Caolin O'Connell scored for Camp Juniors. Killorglin were pushed all the way by Ballyheigue but got the three points they needed to close the gap on the two sides above them. A Gearoid Hassett hat trick was just enough to get them over the line in a 3-2 win with Conor O'Sullivan and Nathan Guerin replying for Ballyheigue. Rattoo and Castleisland continue to battle at the top of 15 Division 2: Rattoo Rovers lead the way in the 15's Division 2 and their latest three points came after a 3-0 win over Killarney Celtic B. Dylan Moriarty, Kevin Goulding – who did a David Beckham and scored from the half way line – and Evan McCarthy were the Rattoo scorers. Castleisland staying in touch with a win over Park C. Connie O'Connor, Adam Joy, Chris Roche, Hugo Turkiovic and Dylan Curtin got the Castleisland goals. Two from two for Listowel Celtic girls in the 16's: Listowel Celtic made it two wins from two in the Tralee Trophy World 16 Girls Premier after they got the points with a 3-0 win over Killarney Celtic.

## **Killarney Athletic Notes**

### **RESULTS**

#### **DENNY PREMIER A**

#### **KILLARNEY ATHLETIC 3-1 DINGLE BAY ROVERS**

Cracking game in Tralee wednesday night saw our A's gain a valuable 3 points over a quality dingle side, the game was much closer than score line suggests, Paudie Clifford the difference with 3 great goals, the whole team and subs played with a great attitude and we look forward to the rest of season with hope.

### **300 CLUB**

The January and February draws For the 300 Club draw were held in Scotts Hotel on Saturday night last with the winners as follows: January Winners €500.00 James Lyne €100.00 each to the following: Tony McSweeney Don O'Donoghue Olive O'Sullivan Darcy Dermot Pyne Matt O'Neill

### **FEBRUARY WINNERS**

€500.00 Siobhan Kissane €100.00 each to the following: Fr Kevin McNamara Eileen & Sean Hanrahan Triona O'Meara Derek Pyne David O'Mahony

It is still not too late to sign up for the 300 club draw with the club offering the reduced rate of €100 for the remaining 10 draws of the year. forms can be got from any committee member and we would ask all members to support.

### **CONGRATULATIONS:**

Well done to the Sem and Liebherr teams on their victories in their respective finals. Liebherr All Ireland interfirm champions and the Sem Munster Champions.

### **KILLARNEY ATHLETIC WEBSITE:**

Please check the website on [www.killarneyathletic.com](http://www.killarneyathletic.com) or facebook for match reports, club information and contact details.

### **CONTACT:**

If you have anything to add to the Killarney Athletic A.F.C Notes please contact Alan Daly on 085-1913244 or [aland15@live.ie](mailto:aland15@live.ie)

## **MASTERGEEHA FC**

### **U11**

Mastergeeha v Listowel. Mastergeeha played in a very competitive game with Listowel on Saturday. Kieran Nagle (2), John Hughes, Liam Moynihan and Aaron Buckley were the scorers for Mastergeeha in the day. All played well with John Hughes outstanding.

### **U12 PREMIER**

Mastergeeha 2 Park 2. In this close game the boys took a two goal lead with Alan O Sullivan and Lenihan. In the second Mastergeeha crated some chances with Sean Doolan and Jack O Donoghue going close.

### **U13**

Mastergeeha 2 Ballyhar 3. In this game the boys took the lead early on when Oisín O'Leary scored. After this Mastergeeha double their lead when Mark O'Shea finished well. Just before the break the visitors got a goal back. In the second Ballyhar scored two further goals however in the closing stages Mastergeeha pushed forward but could not get the equaliser they deserved.

### **U14 GIRLS**

Mastergeeha 5 Killorglin 0. The girls had a good win at home on Saturday afternoon. Anna Hannigan, Leah Burke and Abbey O Leary got the goals in a good team performance.

### **U16 CUP**

Killarney Celtic 3 Mastergeeha 1. Mastergeeha



exited this year's cup away to Celtic on Tuesday night. The home side took the lead early on but after this Mastergeeha defended well. In the second half Mastergeeha pushed forward and crated some chances with Dylan Murphy and Alan O'Sullivan going close. However against the run of play the home got a second goal on the break. In the closing stages Mastergeeha got a consolation goal. All tried their hardest and could not be faulted for effort.

## U17

Castleisland 5 Mastergeeha 2. On a heavy pitch away the boys battle hard but the stronger home side won out. The home side went two up before Mastergeeha got a goal back when Sipo O'Neill crossed for James Lynch to score. Just before the break Anthony Darmody had a good shot cleared off the line. In the second half Castleisland scored again before Mastergeeha got a goal back when Niall Daly finished well. After this Mastergeeha pushed forward but could not close the gap with Castleisland scoring further goals late on.

## SENIORS

Mastergeeha 2 Camp 1. In this tough game the seniors got a deserved three point at home on Sunday morning. Mastergeeha took the lead mid-way through the first half when Eoin Horan finished well after a good pass from Paul Moroney. However shortly after the visitors equalised. In the second half Mastergeeha took the lead when James Nagle crossed for Tommy O Sullivan to score. After this both sided created chances with Carlo, James Nagle and Chris Egan going closest for Mastergeeha.

## MASTERGEEHA FC LOTTO

There was no winner on Friday 24th February, 2017. Numbers drawn were 1, 12, 21, 23. Jackpot now €5,700.

## Killarney Celtic Notes

### CORK CITY VISIT KICKS OFF BIGGEST WEEK FOR CELTIC

This Monday March 6th see a Cork City FC selection take on Killarney Celtic in a glamour friendly at Celtic Park with a 7pm kick off.

The two clubs have built up a very good friendship over the years and have played a number of friendly matches. Our nearest Airticity Premier League of Ireland Club has also been a big supporter of our Football For All with our players taking part in half time games at Turners Cross. It has been a good start to the season for John Cauldfield's men who, like Killarney Celtic, already have a trophy in the cabinet as they won the Presidents Cup for the second time beating Dundalk in the pre season game. The Cork City selection will contain a number of regulars plus some fringe players and u19's and the game will be great workout for Celtic ahead of the Janesboro game.

### FAI JUNIOR CUP LAST 8;

All eyes will then turn to the FAI Junior Cup clash when Celtic welcome top Limerick side Janesboro from Limerick to town on Saturday March 12th.

There is a very big crowd expected for this game and it is also the chosen game by Aviva who will host their coverage of the quarter finals from the club.

Patrons are asked to come early to the game and work with the stewards on the way in and out of the game as Celtic Park is in a residential area and the club appreciates the support of its neighbours on these big nights.

These are hugely exciting times for Killarney Celtic so let's hope the journey continues.

## Grass Pitch Closed

## RESULTS

Denny Premier:

Castleisland 1

Killarney Celtic 0

Castleisland are always very strong opponents and proved it yet again, scoring the only goal of the game and keeping Celtic at bay from then on.

Denny Premier B: Classic 3 Killarney Celtic B 1

A great effort but Classic were the better side on the day.

U16 Girls: Listowel Celtic 3 Killarney Celtic 0

A great effort by the girls, but in fairness Listowel have set the standards in Kerry and showed why with the quality of this display.

U15 Kerry Cup: Killarney Celtic 5 St. Bernards 0 A thrilling display from the U15s, with James Darmody, Joe Rudden, Jack McCarthy, Terry Sparling, Neil O'Shea, and Ryan O'Grady all on the scoresheet.

U15 Div One: Rattoo Rovers 3 Killarney Celtic B 0 Celtic put up a great battle but in fairness to Rattoo, they had the patience, craft, and discipline to wear us down. A good test for both teams

U12 Girls: Killarney Celtic 2 Listowel Celtic 1

This was a hard-fought and high-quality game. Listowel led 1-0 at the break and things looked ominous but Killarney Celtic kept going and Elizabeth Coffey equalised before Aideen O'Brien with a superb long range free hit the winner minutes later. Ava O'Neill and Shauna Myers were outstanding in our backline.

U12 Premier: Killarney Celtic at home to Listowel Celtic, Saturday, tbc

U11: Castleisland 2 Killarney Celtic 6

Park B 0 Killarney Celtic B 3

Josh Bowler, Mark Daly, Ted O'Gorman, Matthew Moynihan, Seamie Moynihan, and Jason O'Reilly all hit the target but much more importantly, all of the players on all sides got game-time; that is the priority at this age group.

## FIXTURES

Denny Premier: Killarney Celtic at home to Killarney Athletic, Friday, 7.00pm

Denny Premier B: Killarney Celtic B at home to Ballymac Galaxy, Sunday, 3.30pm

Youths League: Killarney Celtic at home to Fenit Samphires, Saturday, 2.00pm

U16 Premier: Killarney Celtic away to St. Brendans Park, Saturday, 10.30am

U15 Premier: Killarney Celtic away to Listowel Celtic, Saturday, 2.00pm



PADRAIG O'DONOGHUE FROM FAHA HAD A GREAT NIGHT CELEBRATING HIS 11TH BIRTHDAY AT THE KINGDOM GREYHOUND STADIUM LAST FRIDAY NIGHT. PADRAIG IS PICTURED WITH NAOISHE, CAITRIONA, STEPHEN, CATHAL, LOUISE, PADRAIG & NORA O'DONOGHUE

U14 Premier: Killarney Celtic away to Camp Juniors, Saturday, 11.00am

U12 Premier: Killarney Celtic away to Inveragh, Saturday, 12.15pm

U12 Div One: Killarney Celtic B away to Inter Kenmare, Saturday, 11.00am

U12 Div Two: Killarney Celtic C away to Killorglin B, Saturday, 11.00am

U11 Premier: Killarney Celtic at home to Killorglin, Saturday, 10.30am

U11 Div Two: Killarney Celtic B at home to Killorglin B, Saturday, 10.30am

## PITCH BOOKINGS

Contact Mary Lyne 086-6485809 to book our All Weather full size pitch or training area.

If anyone has information for the notes contact Jimmy O'Sullivan Darcy 087 9633397 or jimmyosdarcy@gmail.com. Check out www.killarneyceltic.com for Killarney Celtic news, match reports, or photos.

## MEK United FC

### ACADEMY U6 TO U10

Academy Mini Blitz in Killorglin @ the Dragons Den Astro Pitch located next to the Intermediate School, Killorglin. Saturday the 4th of March 2017 the U7 and U8 @ 1.30 and U9 and U10 @ 2.30. Please wear shin guards and academy jerseys.

## REMINDER

Saturday the 4th of March is the closing date for the CORK CITY v DUNDALK on Saturday 25th March, Turners Cross, Co. Cork, Kick Off @ 5.30pm. The Committee have decided that if a player is to go on the trip, it is compulsory that at least one parent/guardian must accompany them. You can book through Pa on 087 7943220 or send a message via the FB page if you have any queries. Please let us know if you do not intend to travel on the club bus.

## U11

Well done to the U11 team who played Ballyhar Dynamos on Saturday the 25th of February. MEK United FC 4 Ballyhar 1, MEK Utd. F.C. goal scorers: Scott Carlton, Sean O'Brien, Cian Fleming and Cian Myers.

## U12

Fixture JK Sports U12 Div. 2

Saturday the 4th of March @ 12.15

Dingle Bay Rovers v MEK United FC





FAI Junior Cup

In association with



# Killarney Celtic FC v Janesboro FC

## FAI JUNIOR CUP QUARTER FINAL

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Celtic Park Kick Off 7pm

Admission: Adults €5 Kids €2



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Killarney Celtic v Cork City FC

Monday March 6<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm

Celtic Park



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# GAA CLUB CALL

Deadline: Monday 3pm Email : [editorial@outlookmags.com](mailto:editorial@outlookmags.com)



PICTURED AT THE RATHMORE GAA VICTORY BANQUET ON SATURDAY 25TH FEBRUARY ARE BACK L -R SHANE RYAN, MARK RYAN, BRIAN FRIEL, ALL IRELAND MINOR MEDAL WINNERS, JOHN MOYNIHAN 2016 PLAYER OF THE YEAR, DONAL MURPHY CHAIRMAN RATHMORE GAA. FRONT L - R MICHAEL O SULLIVAN ALL IRELAND MINOR MEDAL WINNER, DAVID SAUNDERS GUEST SPEAKER, TIM RYAN CHAIRMAN E.K.B. JOHN SANDERS ALL IRELAND MINOR MEDAL WINNER, CON MURPHY 2016 CLUB PERSON OF THE YEAR, MISSING FROM PHOTO IS JERRY MURPHY ALL IRELAND MINOR MEDAL WINNER. PICTURE TIMMY O LEARY.



FOLLOWING A VERY SUCCESSFUL "PINK NIGHT" FUNDRAISER WHICH WAS HELD IN THE KILCUMMIN GAA CLUB ON THE 6TH JANUARY, A CHEQUE OF €2105 WAS PRESENTED TO THE ONCOLOGY DAY TREATMENT UNIT AT UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL KERRY ON FRIDAY. PICTURED ARE MARIE LEHANE, MICHELLE DOOLAN ONCOLOGY UNIT, EILEEN O LEARY, MARIE BROSNAN, CARMEL O RIORDAN, ELAINE COFFEY, KATHLEEN RYAN.

## GNEEVEGUILLA GAA NEWS

### LOTTO NUMBERS 1,9,13,16

No Jackpot winner next weeks jackpot €10,000  
€40 Jack McCarthy Village

€40 Melissa O'Leary Rathmore

€40 Brian Cronin nRathmore

€30 Nora Hickey Readrinagh

€30 Trasa & Olivia C/o Dan O'Connor

€20 Marie O'Leary Yearly ticket

Win a trailer with by entering gneeveguilla gaa draw. Tickets €5 for one €20 for a book, tickets available from club members. Could all sold trailer tickets be returned to the club bar this Monday night. Membership now being collected at the club.

Any club member who is not receiving a club txt and wishes to do so please contact Mike 0871261046 Gneeveguilla Gaa would like to thank everyone for an enjoyable night at our social and thanks to everyone who helped prepare the hall for the night. Congratulations to Connor Herlihy who was named senior player of the year, Shane Crowley Junior player of the year and Corneilus Buckley Young player of the year.

## FIRIES COISTE NA NOG

### CLUB REGISTRATION

Firies Coiste na nÓg is delighted to announce our Club Registration for 2017 is scheduled for Sunday, 5th March from 3pm to 5pm in Pairc Eamonn, Farranfore. Firies Coiste na nÓg registration rates for 2017 are as follows; Juveniles are €20, Adults (Non-Playing) €35 and Family Rate is €80.

### CORN UÍ MHIURÍ

Our club would like to express our utmost acknowledgement and congratulations to St. Brendan's of Killarney who celebrated back to back victories in the Corn Uí Mhuirí final on Saturday, 25th February. No less than seven players hailed from Firies GAA club were apart of the triumphant Sem panel; Ciaran Flynn, Niall

Donohue (0-01), Donnacha O'Sullivan (0-7, 4 frees), Evan Cosgrave, Diarmuid Brosnan, Jake Flynn and Cian Callaghan, not forgetting Arthur Fitzgerald, who was a part of the management team. St. Brendans now progress to the semi-final stage of the Hogan Cup on 18th March.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to clubman Peter Cosgrave on his involvement in the Kerry Kennedy Cup U14 Soccer Team. On behalf of Firies Coiste na nÓg, we wish Peter well in his endeavors during the tournament.

## LEGION GAA NOTES

### JIGSAW (PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT/ WELLBEING SERVICE)

The club was delighted to host a meeting on the availability of the Jigsaw Kerry confidential mental health support service to young people from the ages 12 - 25 years. Easy to access it has become a valuable and relevant service that is Kerry based and user friendly. It is free to those who wish to use it and is based in Tralee with the voluntary staff coming from a variety of disciplines such as social work, psychology, mental health nursing and occupational therapy. They also operate out of Killarney one day a week. Contact can be made via phone or email and if the service is found to be beneficial the client can attend for a total of six sessions. As it is a voluntary agency the user has the right to stop at any time or change focus to whatever they deem a more pressing or important issue. Jigsaw stress however that they are not a crisis service and in these cases they advise people to attend their G.P. also those under 18 will have to have consent of a parent or legal guardian before attending. The club will distribute information leaflets to all in the coming weeks. The meeting was certainly an eye opener and credit to those involved who make such services available to the youth of our county. To contact Jigsaw - email - [Kerry@jigsaw.ie](mailto:Kerry@jigsaw.ie) Phone - 0667186785

Office - Unit A1, Edward Court, Tralee.

### THE SEM CHAMPIONS AGAIN

Well done to the Sem who made it title 22 as they comprehensively beat Tralee C.B.S. in the Corn Uí Mhuirí.

### YOGA

Starting on March 11th Yoga with Gloria will take place in the gym upstairs in the Clubhouse at the same time as our Academy. So why not kill 2 birds with the one stone and indulge in some exercise while the kids are having their own fun. Contact Gloria at [gloriakillarney@gmail.com](mailto:gloriakillarney@gmail.com) for bookings

### CONGRATULATIONS

Heartiest congratulations to Vivienne Carroll and Robert Doyle who got engaged recently. Vivienne is part of the Healy Insurance groups team who have a long and dedicated history with the Legion Club. Her dad Connie is making nice progress after his knee surgery and this will add to the feel good factor no doubt.

### LOTTO

Winning no's - 3,7,20,22. No winner. Lucky dips - (1) Tara Fleming (2) Brendan Keogh (3) Dan McAuliffe x 2 (5) Donal + Linda O Donoghue. Next weeks jackpot €6,100.

## EAST KERRY NOTES

### SAFEGUARD SECURITY EAST KERRY SENIOR LEAGUE - ROUND 3 DIVISION 1A

Rathmore 3-12 Currow 2-10

Currow hosted Rathmore on Saturday in round 3 of the East Kerry Senior League, sponsored by Frank Doran Safeguard Security. Played on a very heavy pitch Rathmore raced into a 3 point lead with scores from Mark Reen and John Moynihan before Currow got off the mark with points from John Mc Mahon and Padraig O'Shea. Mark T Reen then scored a goal for the away side and Mark Reen add 3 further points to give Rathmore a 5 point lead. Currow then had their best spell of the match and ended the half strongly scoring 1-4 without reply, just





before the break. Timmy O'Leary notched up 1-1, John Mc Mahon 0-2 and Padraig O'Shea added points to level the match, 1-6 a piece. Rathmore responded with a point followed, on the stroke of half time, by a John Moynihan goal. Half time score Rathmore 2-7 Currow 1-6. Scores were harder to come by early in the second half. However, both sides found the net in the last quarter. John Moynihan scored his second goal of the day while John Mc Mahon scored a goal and point for Currow before Jack Scanlon completed the homes sides scoring with 2 late points. Rathmore came away with the league points on a full time score of Rathmore 3-12 Currow 2-10

## KILCUMMIN 1-17 DR CROKES 3-05

Dr Crokes travelled to Kilcummin on Sunday for round 3 in the East Kerry Senior league and it was Kilcummin who took the league points. The home side led by a single score at the break Kilcummin 1-06 Dr Crokes 1-03. In the second half, Kilcummin notched up 11 points while Dr Crokes recorded 4 scores, finding the net twice and scoring 2 points. The Dr Crokes goals were by Chris Doncel(2) and Mark O'Shea while Daniel Moynihan found the net for Kilcummin. Full time Kilcummin 1-17 Dr Crokes 3-5

## DIVISION 2

### CORDAL 1-9 SCARTAGLEN 1-09

In a local derby, Cordal hosted neighbours Scartaglen in Division 2 round 3 of the East Kerry Senior league on Sunday last. There were a scatter of points in the opening half and Cordal led by 3 points at the short whistle on a scoreline of Cordal 0-6 Scartaglen 0-3.

On resumption, Daniel Murphy found the Cordal net for an early Scartaglen goal and the sides notched up points. However, the home side pressed forward and Kieran O'Donoghue levelled the game finishing to the net for Cordal set up with a lovely pass from a free. Final Score: Cordal 1-09 Scartaglen 1-09.

### TEMPLENOE 2-10 FIRIES 1-12

In an entertaining and evenly balanced Division 2 game, Furies welcomed Templenoe to Farranfore on Sunday. Furies started the brighter and had a goal by Ed Kerrisk and 2 points on the score board before Templenoe opened their account. Templenoe then had a period of scoring dominance, notching up 6 points without reply. Furies responded and finished the half stronger to lead by 2 points at the break, Furies 1-6 Templenoe 0-7.

On the restart, Furies increased their lead with 5 unanswered points going into the last quarter. Templenoe replied with 2 points and when the game looked beyond them, the visitors hit 2 goals Teddy Doyle and Stephen O'Sullivan on target, to snatch the victory by the minimum. Final score: Templenoe 2-10 Furies 1-12.

## EAST KERRY SENIOR LEAGUE

The East Kerry Senior league, sponsored by Frank Doran Safeguard Security, reached round 3 last weekend. In division 1A Kilcummin retained their unbeaten record, having won 2 games and ending level against Killarney Legion. Gleflesk are unbeaten in Division 1B,

with 2 games played. Unfortunately, due to unplayable pitches, both games in Division 1B were called off. In Division 2 Templenoe and Furies are on equal league points. However, Templenoe have a game in hand, against Scartaglen, which is fixed for next Sunday.

East Kerry Scór na bPaistí

The East Kerry Scór na nÓg Finals, sponsored by Killarney Credit Union, take place in Killarney Racecourse Auditorium on Friday 3rd March, starting at 4pm.

## CONGRATULATIONS ST BRENDANS & LIEBHERR

Heartiest congratulations to St Brendans (The Sem) team and management on retaining the Corn Uí Mhuirí last Saturday. Congratulations also to Liebherr team and management on winning the All Ireland Inter Firm Final last Saturday.

## COFFEE MORNING

Friends of Muareen Kelliher, formerly of St Agatha's Glenflesk CLG Ladies Football section are running a Coffee morning in The Kerry Way, on Saturday next, 4th March starting at 10.30am.

## FIXTURES

East Kerry Senior League, Sponsored by Frank Doran Safeguard Security  
Sunday 5th February 2017

First named team has home venue

All games at 2pm

Round 4

Division 1A

Rathmore V Dr. Crokes

Legion V Currow

Kilcummin bye

Division 1B

Spa V Fossa

Gneeveguilla V Listry

Glenflesk bye

Division 2 – Round 2 Back game

Scartaglen V Templenoe

## SPA CLUB NOTES

### COISTE NA NÓG

### ABC NURSERY

Indoors in our fabulous hall Saturday mornings 11.30am to 12.15pm for the younger children/beginners. There is NO registration fee for the ABC Nursery, but can ALL parents complete a registration form),

**Spa u-6 boys:** (born 2011/2012): training resumes indoors next Saturday, 4th March, 11.30am-12.15pm with the ABC Nursery group. Once the weather is suitable, training will move outdoors.

**Spa u-8 boys:** (born 2009/2010) training resumes OUTDOORS from Saturday 4th March 11.30am-12.30pm. All boys must register. Forms available from trainers.

**Spa u-10 boys:** (born 2007/2008): training OUTDOORS this Saturday 11.30am-12.30pm. Please give trainer Adrian McCarthy your contact number for group texting. All boys must register.

**Spa u-12 boys:** training switched from Sundays to Wednesdays from 6-7pm, Training

this Wednesday the 1st of March 6-7pm in the hall. Please bring gum shields.

**Spa u-14 boys:** Training reverts to normal day/time (Fridays 6.30pm-7.30pm) from March 3rd onwards unless advised otherwise. All boys must register.

## LADIES FOOTBALL

**Spa u-6 & u-12 girls:**

Training will resume 10am-11am on Saturday 4th March. All girls training must register. Any u-12 girls wishing to play u-14 also, training is indoors 6pm-7pm Tuesday.

**Spa u-14 & u-16 girls:**

INDOOR training Tuesdays 6pm-7pm.

## UPCOMING FIXTURES

Sunday March 5th

East Kerry Super League rd 4

Spa v Fossa at 2pm

Senior Ladies League

Spa v. Causeway home at 12noon.

## CHILD PROTECTION WORKSHOP

Every coach/mentor/officer needs to attend this mandatory course Tuesday March 7th at 7pm sharp in Spa upstairs hall. County board Officer Bernie Reen will hold this workshop. As per guidelines in the GAA everyone must attend. Also everyone needs to be Garda Vetted online (EVetted). Anyone that hasn't done so MUST do so before this course. The club Child Protection Officer, Anne Holland will be in the clubhouse this Thursday March 2nd at 7.30pm-8.30pm to help anyone with this process. Any further queries please contact Anne on 085 7780883.

## SCHOOLS LINK

St Brendan's 2-20 CBS Tralee 0-11. The Sem team are once again Munster Champions bringing Corn Uí Mhuirí back to Killarney. Captain Dara Moynihan played his role with his usual unselfish play. Won valuable possession and delivered the ball with precision to the forward line. Great team work by all. Sem dominated the second half and pulled away after great scores from Billy Courtney, David Shaw and Donnacha O'Sullivan. Congrats to the management team and special mention to Niall McCarthy who came on to help his team mates retain the coveted cup.

**SCÓR NA BPAISTÍ:** Date for East Kerry - Friday 3rd March at 4.00pm in Killarney Racecourse. Best of luck to our young competitors:

Rince Foirne: Ellen Carroll, Aoibhe O'Donoghue, Roisín O'Sullivan, Grace O'Connor, Aoife O'Donoghue, Ciara O'Donoghue, Laura O'Carroll, Laura Fleming and Sinead Greene (sub)

Solo Singing: Laura Fleming

Music: Laura O'Carroll, Laura Fleming, Roisín O'Sullivan, Grace O'Connor, Dara Brosnan

Rince Seit: Siofra Brosnan, Jess O'Sullivan, Aine O'Sullivan, Ciara O'Donoghue, Dara Brosnan, Diarmuid O'Donovan, Oisín O'Sullivan and Colm O'Connor

## LOTTO

No winner Jackpot. Numbers drawn were 7,19,25,26.

Lucky dip winners: Laoise O'Sullivan, Tralee, Pat





O'Donoghue, Knockragh- Catherine Gleeson, Loretto Rd- Con Lynch, Dooneen. Next weeks draw will be in the Killarney Oaks Hotel for €4000.

## DR. CROKES GAA

### EAST KERRY SUPER LEAGUE - ROUND 3

Even though we suffered defeat by Kilcummin on a scoreline of 1-16 to 3-5, a lot of our young players are getting great experience out of this competition.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Glenbeigh/Glencar on winning All Ireland Junior Club Final. They have suffered defeat in Kerry in recent years but their mental strength brought them victory in the premier competition for junior players in the county.

Congratulations to St Brendan's College who won the Corn Ui Mhuiri Final against Tralee CBS played at the weekend and especially to the Dr Crokes contingent on the Team.

### INVITATION

Dr Crokes GAA Club invites the parents in the Killarney area and their boys and girls to the 2017 Registration open Day this Saturday 4th

of March . Boys and Girls aged 4 - 10 welcome.

Hurling 10am to 10.40am

Football 10.40am to 12 noon

### PROGRESSIVE 31

Progressive 31 is on every Wednesday night in the Crokes Clubhouse starting at 8pm.

Everyone welcome. Bring €5 and a partner.

### APPEAL FOR JUVENILE VOLUNTEERS

Interested in becoming a Referee - Please contact Ger Sugrue on 087-9928740

You must be a minimum of 17 years of age.

### LOTTO

Lotto 1, 8, 13, 24. Jackpot €4800. Winner Budge Grady C/O Larry. Next draw on Sunday 5th of March in Speakeasy. Jackpot €3000

## BEAUFORT GAA CLUB

**LOTTO:** The next draw for lotto jackpot of €3,800 will be in Kate Kearney's Cottage on Sunday, 05th March. Tickets are available from the usual sellers and premises. The Beaufort GAA Club Lotto is also available online at [www.beaufortgaclub.com](http://www.beaufortgaclub.com). Membership: Beaufort GAA Club membership for 2017 is now due and should be paid before 31st March. Over 18 to Senior Player €50. Family membership

€60. Individual Gym €60 and Gym Fob €10. For membership contact Patie 087-2515311.

**FIXTURES:** Beaufort Minors home to Fossa on Saturday, 04th March at 4pm in Round 2 of County League. Senior's scheduled to play Milltown/Castlemaire on Sunday, 05th March at 2pm in Round 4 of the Mid Kerry League.

Scor na bPáistí: Well done to all Scor participants who all finished first or second in Mid Kerry Scor. The Set Dancers and Sean Nós dancer, Sean Kissan, will compete in the County Semi-Finals on Sunday, 12th March. The quiz team will compete in the County Final on Sunday, 26th March. Our club participants are as follows - Rince Foirne: Emma Kissane, Ciara Cronin, Emily Kissane, Ella Doyle, Ellie O'Leary, Lucy Breen. Amhránaíocht Aonair: Ava O'Malley. Ceoil Uirlise: Emma Kissane, Ciara Cronin, Emily Kissane, Ella Doyle, Lucy Breen. Rince Seit: Roisín Farrell, Gráinne Clifford, Meadhbh Kissane, Rachel Lehane, Sinead Barrett, Kate Murphy, Aoibhinn Coffey, Emily Coleman. Rince ar an Sean Nós: Seán Kissane. Quiz: Emma Kissane, Emily Coleman, Roisín Farrell, Cormac O'Sullivan, Fionán O'Sullivan.

## THREE IN A ROW FOR LIEBHERR ALL-IRELAND SENIOR INTER-FIRM FINAL 2017

### Liebherr Container Cranes 3-7 INTEL 1-11

Liebherr Won their 3rd All-Ireland Senior Inter-Firm Final in a row after an epic battle with Intel of Kildare on Sat in Fossa GAA Grounds. Liebherr got the first score of the Game within a Min, after a brilliantly taken Goal by Jamie Doolan. Intel replied with a Pt on 3 mins before Anthony Kennedy replied with a Pt for Liebherr again on the 10th Min. A Goal for Liebherrs Donal Murphy on the 13th Min looked to have put Liebherr firmly in the driving seat. both Teams traded pts just before the Break with liebherr's 2 points coming from the Boot of Daniel O Shea

to leave liebherr ahead at halftime 2-5 to 0-4.

Intel Came out in the second half and added 3pts in quick succession but on the 40 Min a long Ball from Liebherr's Midfielder Kevin Gorman found Daniel O'Shea who fed Jamie Doolan who rounded his marker & slotted the ball to the back of the Intel net. Liebherr now led 3-5 to 0- 7 but would not score again until the 55min. Intel replied with another Pt on the 44min and on the 47min, Former Longford star Paul Barden had the ball in the Liebherr net. Intel added further pts on 47th & 50min to leave just 1pt between the sides. Liebherrs defence were finding it hard to prevent the wave of attacks

from Intel but A score from Jamie Doolan from All of 40 yards out with the outside of his right boot kept liebherr 2pts ahead going into the last 5mins. Intel replied again with a pt of their own on the 57min to leave just 1pt between the sides again. Intel missed a chance to level the score and when Liebherr Substitute Gavin Kelly kicked a great score on the 59min, It put liebherr 2pts ahead again. Liebherr held out in the closing few mins to put 4 All-Ireland Inter Firm Titles back to back, 3 Senior All Irelands and 1 Junior All-Ireland.



TEAM: COLIN MYERS (CAPT), DANNY WRENN, PADRAIG REIDY, MIKE JOE KELLEHER, AJ O'CONNOR, PADRAIG O'CONNOR, COLM KELLY, KEVIN GORMAN, DANIEL SULLIVAN, DONAL MURPHY (1-0), EGIN LAWLOR (0-1), MICHAEL SHAUGHNESSY, ANTHONY KENNEDY (0-1), DANIEL O'SHEA (0-2 (0-1F)), JAMIE DOOLAN (2-2) MICHAEL MCCARTHY FOR MICHAEL SHAUGHNESSY, EANNA REIDY FOR ANTHONY KENNEDY, GAVIN KELLY (0-1) FOR DONAL MURPHY CILLIAN O'CONNOR FOR COLM KELLY, DARRAGH TWOMEY, CONOR BREEN, DAVID O'MAHONY, KEITH CROWLEY, DANIEL DONOGHUE





## ST BRENDAN'S SUPERIOR SECOND HALF ENDS TRALEE'S RUN

### ST BRENDAN'S 2-20 TRALEE CBS 0-11

St Brendan's Killarney, with a clinical second half performance, easily retained their Corn Ui Mhuiri Munster Colleges SFC title to end Tralee CBS' brave title bid. Goals from Kerry minors David Shaw and Billy Courtney and a seven-point return from centre-forward Donnchadh O'Sullivan were the key ingredients as The Sem eased their way to yet another title, their 22nd provincial success. Tralee CBS, to their credit, stuck with their illustrious rivals throughout the first-half and were unlucky not to go in at the break on at least level terms, but the exertions of their three-game semi-final marathon against Colaiste Christ Ri eventually told as the Killarney College upped the gears in the second half. The Sem enjoyed a strong start to the third quarter during which period they scored 2-6, with goals from the outstanding David Shaw and Billy Courtney eventually turning the screw and by the 43rd minute, Tralee CBS' race was run as the Sem now had a commanding eleven-point lead. With wing-forward Sean Donnellan deployed in a sweeping role behind midfield, Tralee CBS more than held their own in the opening half and prompted by good work from Tommy Lynch, Kieran O'Dwyer, Mikey Kelliher, Michael Scanlon, Tom Hoare and midfielder Tomas O'Connor the Tralee school jumped into an early 0-3 to 0-1 lead. However, with Donnchadh

O'Sullivan directing operations from his centre-forward berth, the Killarney College scored four points in succession to move into a 0-7 to 0-3 lead. Tralee CBS, with Tom Hoare, Mikey Kelliher and Daire Keane adding points, cut the gap to one. The Green had a chance to level matters before half-time when they were awarded a free but Tom Hoare's kick drifted wide. The Sem's Donnchadh O'Sullivan made no mistake at the other end and pushed the Killarney College two clear at the break, 0-8 to 0-6. The early exchanges of the second half were even enough with both sides trading scores. Then in the 36th minute, the game took a decisive swing in favour of the defending champions when Kerry minor David Shaw played a lovely one-two with his Dr Crokes and Kerry team mate Michael Potts before billowing the net. The Sem now held a commanding six-point lead. Tralee CBS tried hard to rally but their rivals were motoring. Points followed from David Shaw, Donnchadh O'Sullivan and Jack Griffin before the Sem's second goal arrived in the 43rd minute. Again, it was very similar to the first goal as Billy Courtney played a one-two with Donnchadh O'Sullivan before sending a screamer to the top of the net. That was that as the Sem went through the motions for the rest of the match content to pick off points and in full knowledge that the Corn Ui Mhuiri

was destined for Killarney for a 22nd time. St Brendan's now move onto the All-Ireland series full of confidence and on this showing it will take a very good team to deny them back-to-back titles. They face either St Colman's Claremorris or St Attracta's Sligo who meet in the Connacht decider this weekend. Teams and Scorers St Brendan's Killarney: Robert Osborne, Lorcan McMonagle, Chris O'Donoghue, Sean O'Leary; Jack Griffin (0-2), Michael Potts, Niall Donohue (0-1); Billy Courtney (1-1), Cian Gammell (0-1); Dara Moynihan (0-1), Donnchadh O'Sullivan (0-7, 0-4f), Barry Keane (0-1); David Shaw (1-4), Mark O'Shea (0-2), Ciaran Flynn. Subs: Michael Devlin for Keane (44); Mark Hartnett for Flynn (44); Evan Cosgrave for Donohue (53); Mark Fitzgerald for Griffin (57), Niall McCarthy for O'Shea (57); Diarmuid Brosnan for McMonagle (58). Tralee CBS: Shane Foley; Brandon Paterson, Tommy Lynch, Jack Myers; John Walsh; Kieran Dwyer (0-1, free), Niall O'Mahony (0-1), Joe O'Connor, Tomas O'Connor (0-2); Sean Donnellan, Tom Hoare (0-1), Michael Scanlon, Daire Keane (0-1); Gearoid Fitzgerald, Michael Kelliher (0-4, 3 frees). Subs: Sean Quilter (0-1) for Donnellan (41), Aaron Roche for Scanlon (51), David Fitzmaurice (Austin Stacks) for Kelliher (54), Eoin Greaney for Joe O'Connor (57) and Sean Hamilton for Hoare (59) Referee: E Walsh (Kerry).



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MEMBERS OF KILLARNEY RFC WHO TRAVELLED TO THOMOND PARK FOR LAST WEEK'S MUNSTER GAME.

## GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB

**LOTTO:** Margaret Collins Knocknalommon was the winner of our lotto draw 24/02/2017, numbers drawn were 3, 5, 15 & 27. Bonus prize of €1,000 was also won by Andrew McCarthy Knockduragh, Headford. Numbers drawn were 1, 6, 7 & 13. Next week's jackpot €4,000 plus €1,000 bonus.

**MUNSTER INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS:** We had three athletes in Nenagh at the Munster Indoor's. Unfortunately Gary Cronin got brought down with the line in sight in his hurdles event. Aisling Byrne & Dylan Scannell both did P.B's in their shot events. We will be hearing more about these athletes as the season progresses.

**WINTER 5K SERIES:** The final leg of the winter 5K series was held in The demesne on Saturday last. No surprises with The Riocht pair of Tim O'Connor & Shona Heaslip dominating the race. Congratulations to all our winners and a special word to all our workers who assisted over the four weeks. The runners were high in their praises for the course and the event as a whole. Well done everybody and especially Nora Flynn who put in a massive effort year after year.

**INDOOR SPORT HALL EVENT:** At our indoor sports hall event held in Boherbue on Sunday last, we had a fine crowd with everyone enjoying themselves. Again a special word of thanks to all those who turned up for the event and to the helpers especially to Shelia O'Donoghue who excels herself at these events.

## RATHMORE GNEEVEGUILLA COMMUNITY GAMES

The County Art and Handwriting competition took place in Listowel last Saturday and we would like to thank all the children and families that travelled to Listowel for this very popular event: We had children in the handwriting competition in the morning and in the art

competition in the afternoon. Congratulations to our only winner of the day, Oisín O'Leary who won first prize and was presented with a gold medal in the U10 art competition. This was 'two in a row' for Oisín as he won the art U8 competition last year and represented our area in Athlone. This year Oisín will travel to Dublin in August for the All Ireland final. We wish him the very best of luck.

Our next competition is the County Swimming event being held this Sunday 5th March in Tralee sports complex.

The following children will compete and we wish the very best of luck on the day: Follow us on facebook for results and upcoming events; Michelle McCarthy - U10 backstroke.

Shauna McCarthy - U10 freestyle

Abby O'Leary - U10 freestyle

Maura O'Keeffe - U14 butterfly

Ross O'Leary - U14 backstroke

Donal Daly - U16 butterfly

Paudie O'Leary - U16 freestyle

## HANDBALL NEWS

### LONG TRIPS TO THE WALLS FOR KERRY HANDBALLERS:

Kerry's handball players face long journey's ahead of next weekends All Ireland 40x20 competitions. Glenbeigh's Dominic Lynch will take on Sean Devine from Antrim in the All Ireland 40x20 Masters A singles semi-finals. The duo will meet in Antrim this Sunday at 2pm.

In Kingscourt in Cavan in the All Ireland 40x20 under 14 singles Sean Quirke of Glenbeigh takes on Monaghan's Tiernan O'Rourke at 11am. This will be followed by the u17 40x20 All Ireland singles semi-final which sees Ballymac's Dara Keane meeting Tyrone's Caolan McCartan for a place in the decider.

Results: It was another good week for Glenbeigh's Dominic Lynch and John Joe Quirke as they qualified for the Munster 40X20 Over 35 Doubles A final. In the last 4 they defeated Cork's Tim Breen and Roger Casey 21-3, 21-1.

However there was no luck for the Glenbeigh pairing of John O'Sullivan and Brian MacCovv



OISIN O'LEARY REPRESENTING RATHMORE/GNEEVEGUILLA WHO WON GOLD IN THE U10 ART COMPETITION IN LISTOWEL ON SATURDAY.

as they lost out to Cork's Jamie O'Donnell and Tom McDonough 21-14, 21-15 in the semi-final of the Over 35B Munster Double.

## KILLARNEY SWIMMING CLUB NOTES

Congratulations to all our swimmers who took part in the Grade II gala in Askeaton on the 19th of February. There were some substantial improvements by our swimmers on their own "personal best" times for events and a very satisfactory collection of medals.

Under 11 Girls - Jocelyn Hickey was in medal-winning form, taking a bronze medal in the 200 Individual Medley.

Over 14 Girls - Maura O'Keeffe put in some very strong displays in Askeaton, winning a silver medal in both the 100 metres backstroke and the 200 metres Individual Medley. Meanwhile Marnie Horan also had her name in lights by winning a silver medal in the 100 metres butterfly.

Under 13 Boys - In this age group Killian Spillane stood out from the crowd to win a well-deserved bronze medal in the 200 metres Individual Medley, a very tough race.

Over 14 Boys - Once again, Michael Sweeney was a class act in the pool making the silver medal his own in the 200 metres Individual Medley.

Relays - Well done to our girls team in the under-14 Relay Race who took an incredible bronze in a savagely fought 200 metres freestyle, the fastest race of the day. It was a wonderful display of power by Maura O'Keeffe, Moya Noctor, Marnie Horan and Clodagh Carroll.

Thanks to our coach, Leontia Doody, who gave huge support and encouragement to all our swimmers on the day. Thanks also to all parents for travelling and taking part in the time-keeping.





## SPA MUCKROSS COMMUNITY GAMES

**ART & HANDWRITING:** The County competitions were held last Saturday and all our Spa Muckross children produced fantastic work. Medal winners in the handwriting competition were:

Jeremy Brosnan 2nd u10

Kiera Moynihan 2nd u10

Ali O'Donoghue 3rd u12. Another 2017 medal under Ali's belt, after her recent 1st place win in Judo. U13 BOYS FUTSAL: our team took part in the County finals in Milltown last Saturday. The boys had a 2-1 win against Duagh/Lyre in the semi-final. The final against Glenflesk went into extra time, but unfortunately for our lads, our near neighbours emerged as the winners on this occasion. It was an epic encounter! While the boys may have been disappointed with the final score of 3-1, they can be very proud of the silver medals they carried home that day. Team: Conaill Gallagher, Sam Benson, Oran Daly, Cian Lynch, Jack O'Sullivan, Luke O'Neill, Timothy Moynihan and Maidhcí Lynch. Huge thanks to coaches Con Lynch, Pat O'Neill and Tim O'Sullivan.

**GOLDEN VOLUNTEER AWARD:** None of the above would be happening without Christy Murray. Thousands of adults and young people have benefited from Christy Murray's hard work and vision since he co-founded Kerry Community Games in 1972. On behalf of them, Kerry Community Games have proudly nominated Christy for the National Community Games Golden Volunteer award. Please, everyone, vote for CHRISTY at [www.independent.ie/goldenvolunteer](http://www.independent.ie/goldenvolunteer). It only takes one minute of your time to show appreciation for 45 years of Christy's time.

## FIRIES COMMUNITY GAMES

Thank you to everyone who supported our recent church gate collection. Total amount raised was 462.33. This is very much appreciated.

Upcoming events for March are chess, mixed distance races, duathlon, gymnastics, indoor soccer for boys u13. Contact any member of Firies Community games for further details.

## BADMINTON NEWS

### COUNTY LEAGUE

Hard luck to the Division. 5 mixed team who lost 4-2 to Annascaul.

### KERRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to Sinead Galvin who won the Div. 2 singles and who was runner up with partner Niamh Flaherty (Moyvane) in Div. 1 Ladies Doubles. Well done to Niamh Hickey & Michelle Beazley (Kingdom) who were runners up in Div. 3 Ladies Doubles & Colm Hickey & Kumar Shankar who were runners up in Div. 5 Mens Doubles.



U13 SPA MUCKROSS COMMUNITY GAMES FUTSAL TEAM - RUNNERS UP IN THE COUNTY FINAL. TEAM: CONAILL GALLAGHER, SAM BENSON, ORAN DALY, CIAN LYNCH, JACK O'SULLIVAN, LUKE O'NEILL, TIMOTHY MOYNIHAN AND MAIDHCÍ LYNCH. COACHES CON LYNCH AND TIM O'SULLIVAN. MISSING FROM PHOTO COACH PAT O'NEILL.

## FLESK VALLEY ROWING CLUB

This Sunday 5th March, a registration day will take place at the Flesk Valley Boat House between 10am and 12pm for the coming year. Membership will be collected on this date by Wiebke McGuire and all members both underage and senior are asked to attend.

**SYMPATHY:** Deepest Sympathies to Debra Daly and Family on the recent passing of her father Thomas Daly, Kilquane, Headford. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam.

## MILLTOWN/LISTRY COMMUNITY GAMES

### ART/HANDWRITING

Both these Kerry comps were held in Listowel Convent last Saturday. Unfortunately we had no winners but congratulate our U10/12 Handwriting participants and our U8/ U10/12/14/16 Art participants for taking part in Kerry finals. A sincere thanks to parents for taking the children to Listowel to compete. All those who were placed from our own local competitions will receive their medals shortly.

### DRAUGHTS

Our 3 teams at U10/12/14 draughts teams competed in the Listowel CC last Sun Mar 26th. No success this year but well done to all the players who took part and to Pat O Sullivan for preparing them.

### FUTSAL SOCCER

We hosted the finals of the U13 boys futsal last Sat. in Nagle-Rice CC which went very well. We thank our local volunteers who set up the shop and helped out at it.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Best of luck to our five swimmers who are competition next Sunday 5th March in Tralee

Sport Complex. U8 and U10 competitors must register at 10am. Older age groups register as 12:30.

Chess training continues every Sun evening in Nagle-Rice CC at 5 pm. Kerry comp is on in Glenflesk Sun Mar 12th.

Any queries on any activity or event, please contact Paul 087-9232570 or Denis 087-9662332.

## KILLARNEY RFC NEWS:

### SENIORS:

Our seniors and the club as a whole were looking forward to the big match last weekend - the final of the Martin O'Sullivan Cup, which was set to take place at Tanner Park in Ballincollig last Sunday. However, Saturday evening the call came through that the pitch was unplayable and the match had to be postponed. However, the focus now turns to the Munster Junior League Division 3 play offs next weekend, which sees the lads take on Douglas/Carrigaline at Aghadoe next Sunday at 2pm. Best of luck to the lads. Let's get out and support the lads as they push for promotion.

### U18'S:

Our U18's travelled to Crosshaven for the final match of the season, in very difficult weather conditions. This was the quarter final of the U18 Bowl and unfortunately were beaten by a very strong Crosshaven side on the day. Killarney found it difficult to cope with the Atlantic gale which made it impossible to retain possession. It was a tough match but the lads can be proud of themselves for the hard work and huge commitment shown right across the season. Well done to Pat F. O'Connor, Denis Reen and Ger Maher for their hard work across the season also.





MUNSTER U19 INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP NENAGH LAST WEEKEND . 200M & 60M SILVER MEDALS FOR SARAH LEAHY OF KILLARNEY VALLEY AC

## YOUTHS:

Next weekend sees our U16's return to action. Our U16's are away to Charleville in the KCL Shield (kick off is 2pm), Best of luck to Tom Campbell's charges as they also take on Listowel the following weekend at Aghadoe.

## MINIS:

Last Friday night we brought our U8's players and girls players to Thomond Park to see Munster take on Scarlets in the PRO 12. Munster were looking to maintain their place at the top of the league, however Scarlets had other ideas. Almost 50 kids, coaches and parents watched Rassie's men go ahead with three tries in the first half and it really looked like Munster would easily win the game. However, 3 tries by the Scarlets in quick succession in the second half saw Munster lose 21-30. Everyone really enjoyed their trip and though it was late by time the bus rolled into Aghadoe, spirits were high and everyone had a trip to remember. Thanks to Minis Coordinator Liam Murphy for organising.

On Saturday, our minis travelled to Tralee RFC to take part in the latest round of the West Munster Blitz series. We played teams from Listowel and Kenmare as well as the hosts and fielded great numbers at all ages. Though the day was wet with a misty rain all around, the pitches were in good shape and some fantastic rugby was on display. Thanks to Tom Cronin and all the crew for organising and the hospitality on the day. Well done to everyone who took part. Training resumes next Saturday between 10:30am and 12.

## KILLARNEY COUGARS BASKETBALL CLUB

### JUVENILE NEWS U12 GIRLS DIV II

Killarney Cougars 26

Glenbeigh Falcons 21

A thrilling game at the Pres before a great attendance saw Cougars welcome the league leaders Falcons and despite a brilliant start by the Glenbeigh girls the Cougars came storming back to take the points.

Falcons lead by 6 points in the opening qtr with Grainne Sweeny and Naoise Burke impressing. Cougars had a much better second qtr and tied the game by half time with Edel Horgan and Olivia Gaffey impressing with some great scores. The sides went basket for basket in the third qtr with a great Mia Griffin basket inspiring Cougars to just edge ahead 16-14. Cougars defence was gradually getting on top as they began to make home advantage count as they added good scores on the fast break from Alison Butler and Aimee Coffey and despite good scores by Mary Kate Smith for the Falcons Cougars held on to the lead in a frantic finish in a very good contest with Cougars defence of Lucy O'Sullivan, Kate Sheahan and Edel Horgan impressing in the closing stages to secure the points for the Killarney side

### ACADEMY BOYS & GIRLS

After the short mid term break Cougars Academy boys and girls will be back in action on this Friday at the Parish Hall Girls from 5 pm and Boys U9 from 6 pm and Boys U10 from 6.30 pm.

### U12 BOYS COUNTY FINAL

Our U12 Boys will contest the Lee Strand Plate Final in Duagh on this Sunday March 5th against St Anne's. The boys are enjoying a good season and remain unbeaten in the league and have defeated Glenbeigh Falcons and St Pauls enroute to the final and we wish them well in their big game. Tip off in Duagh 1pm and we await the outcome of our girls U12 semi-final with hopes both our U12 teams would be involved on the day.

### SENIOR NEWS SENIOR MENS DIV II

Killarney Cougars 59

St Annes 56

A very competitive game at the Pres Gym saw Cougars securing the points against a youthful St Annes Farrenfore.

A great first qtr saw Cougars just ahead 20-19 with three pointers by Darren Gaffey and Alan Flynn getting Cougars off to a good start with Sean Keane, Thomas Murphy and Andrew O'Sullivan all on target with a couple of baskets each for the Farrenfore side.

A much slower game in the second qtr saw Cougars increase the lead by half time 31-27. With Cougars being able to dominate on the boards to maintain the lead with Tomas Armonas and Dan Doonan impressing and Darren Gaffey adding two three pointers to finish the third qtr as Cougars increased the lead to 49-41. The visitors came chasing the game in the final qtr and Con O'Mahony and Sean Keane added good baskets to get within a point entering the final minutes but their pressure also saw them into foul trouble which allowed to secure the win from the free throw line as time ran out for St Annes despite a great final qtr it wasn't enough as Cougars just held on. Best for Cougars Darren Gaffey, Tomas Armonas and Dan Doonan.

### SENIOR LADIES CUP FINAL

Our senior ladies will face St Marys in the Div 1 Cup Final on Saturday in Duagh at 7.30pm the ladies last meeting with the Castleisland side was a closely contested game in the league earlier this month and Cougars will have produced a similar performance to topple the Cup holders. The teams also met in the National Intermediate Cup in December so both sides will be very familiar with each other. We wish Coach Culloty and all the team the best of luck and all support would be appreciated on the night.

Further details on All Killarney Cougars Clubs training schedules and fixtures are all available on the website [www.killarneycougars.com](http://www.killarneycougars.com)

## MUCKROSS ROWING CLUB EVENTS

The St. Michael's Head Of the River, due to take place on Saturday last, fell victim to the aftermath of Storm Doris as wet and windy weather confined all activity last weekend to training on land. The event organisers are hoping to reschedule the St. Michael's time trial event for a date in March. Next weekend, the Kerry Head Of the River makes a return in Killorglin and the club will be competing in categories from Junior to Masters. With the tidal waters dictating matters, timing will take place from 3pm to 6.30pm on Saturday 11th March. This is a great local event for parents of junior members and we especially encourage family of our youngest rowers to come along and see all that is involved. The Offaly Head Of the River is set to take place on Saturday 25th March, before regatta season commences in April.

### MEMBERSHIP

Thanks to all our new and existing members who have returned completed membership forms and fees. All outstanding membership and Rowing Ireland subscription fees are to be returned as soon as possible to Jeremy Kenny, Mike Daly or to coaches.

### STAY CONNECTED

Find us on Facebook or follow us on Twitter @muckcrossrc for all the latest updates. Enquiries by phone or text to 087 448 2935 or email [muckcrossrowing@gmail.com](mailto:muckcrossrowing@gmail.com).





CONGRATS TO ALI O'DONOGHUE ON 3RD PLACE IN THE U12 COMMUNITY GAMES HANDWRITING COUNTY COMPETITION. ANOTHER 2017 MEDAL UNDER ALI'S BELT, AFTER HER 1ST PLACE WIN IN JUDO. PICTURED HERE WITH MARGARET CULLOTY, COUNTY SECRETARY.

## KILLARNEY VALLEY AC

**COMPETITION:** The Munster Juvenile indoors took place last weekend in Nenagh. Well done to all our athletes who competed. A special mention for Sam Griffin who came 6th in the U14 High Jump. Sam cleared 1.40 on his first attempt for a pb! Well done to him. Elizabeth Stack came home with a silver medal for her High Jump with a jump of 1.50 in the U17 category while Sarah Leahy came 2nd in the U19 60M and 200M. Congratulations!

The Gneeveguilla AC 5K road series finished last Saturday morning. Well done to Kvac member James Healy who finished 10th overall. Also John O'Leary came 1st in the O45 category while his son Darragh came 1st in the U16 category.

Best of Luck to all our athletes entered in the Kerry Juvenile Indoor Development Sports Hall Games on Saturday 11th March at 11am.

**MONDAYS:** Training continues on Mondays at 7pm with Circuit Training for athletes aged 12 and over only. Athletes must be registered. Please bring €2 each to cover the cost of the hall for the night and plenty of water.

**TUESDAYS:** High Jump is back on Tuesday evenings from 6-7pm in the Sem Gym for registered 11, 12 and 13 year olds. Athletes must be registered. Please bring €2 each to cover the cost of the hall for the night and plenty of water. Any enquiries to Brian Stack 0862506932

**WEDNESDAYS:** Jerry's Adult RunClub is back! Meeting on Wednesdays at 7pm on the New Road opposite entrance to Bishops Path. You must be a registered member with the club for 2017. Membership costs €35. Adults only group. Please wear a High Viz Jacket.

This was a huge success last year and some people ran the Killarney 10Mile after it and even a half marathon! Beginners more than welcome and no one gets left behind! Any enquiries to Jerry Griffin on 0876879186

**THURSDAYS:** Indoor training on Thursdays 6-7pm for the younger athletes aged 7 -11yrs. Training takes place in the Sem Gym. Athletes



KILLARNEY RFC U18'S WHO TOOK ON HIGHFIELD RECENTLY

must be registered or be turned away. Please bring €2 each to cover the cost of the hall for the night and plenty of water.

Registration costs €30 for under 19s and €35 for 19yrs and over. New members please bring a copy of your birthcert. Registration fee covers: club membership, insurance, affiliation to Athletics Ireland (without which we cannot get insurance), affiliation to Kerry Athletics and entry to any Munster/National Competitions. Anyone wishing to buy Kvac half zip tops, singlets or hats please contact Brid Stack 0872650720.

Enquiries: [killarneyvalleyac@gmail.com](mailto:killarneyvalleyac@gmail.com)  
Up to date news : <https://www.facebook.com/KillarneyValleyAC/>

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## FOSSA COMMUNITY GAMES NOTES

Well done to all the Children who represented Fossa in the Community games art finals in Listowel on Saturday afternoon.

These are the Fossa winners - Mary McKenna 4th U8, Catriona McKenna 1st U10, Emmett Daly 4th U10 and Shea Weldon 4th U14. Philip Lyons came highly commended but unfortunately no medal.

This is Catriona McKennas third year winning Gold in the county final and she will represent Kerry in the All Ireland finals in the summer hoping to add to her medal haul.

Thanks to Maria for doing so much work in coordinating Fossa Community Games art this year.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Best of luck to all those representing Fossa in Swimming this Sunday in the Tralee Sports complex. U8 and U10 will start at 10am and U12,14 and 16 will start at 12.30. Thanks again to Katherine for helping to organise the Swimming.

## WORKMEN'S ROWING CLUB NOTES

### TRAINING NEWS

Both Indoor and Outdoor training continue as usual as per coaches' texts. Our lakeshore training takes place on Saturday and Sunday

mornings at Reen Pier, Ross Castle, at 10 am.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Next on our Rowing calendar is the 'Kerry Head of the River' to be held at Killorglin Rowing Club next Saturday 11th March. We hope for good weather for this event as the recent storms have adversely affected time on the water of late.

### BIRTHDAYS

Belated birthday wishes to Karen O'Shea who celebrates her birthday last Sunday and we send also send birthday greetings this week to brothers David, Ryan and Dylan Bartlett... David who celebrated his on this Tuesday 28th , Ryan on Thursday 2nd March and Dylan on today, Friday 3rd March. That's one huge week of celebration for a great rowing family!! Also, the one and only Michael O'Donoghue will celebrate his birthday this coming Tuesday.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Well done to our seven U18 girls and boys who competed in the Regional Junior Trials and Assessments, two weeks ago, at the National Rowing Centre , Iniscarra. Our coaches had them well prepared for the 6km course and their performances over the two days were a credit to their coaches and to their own steely determination to achieve their highest performance levels. Congratulations to Ciara Browne, Ciara Moynihan, Siobhán Burns, Annie O'Donoghue, Dylan Bartlett, David Bartlett and Ruadhán Mac Curtáin on each of your individual performances over the two days. Many thanks to coaches Mickey Joe Burns and Hannah O'Donoghue, and to parents and extra supporters who helped in any way. Congratulations to Ciara B, Ciara M and Siobhán on your invitations to March Trials and Assessments and we all wish you the very best with these and your continued training.

Well done to our own Timmy Moynihan and Eileen, and their son Dara, as St. Brendan's won their 22nd Corn Ui Mhuiri Title last weekend.

**#lovekillarney**





## Kerry ETB Training Centre



Kerry ETB Training Centre is now recruiting for the following courses.

### Bus Driving - D Licence (ET07114) - Tralee.

This course provides participants with the skills and related knowledge in the rules of the road, driving a Large Public Service Vehicle (LPSV), customer service, documentation, first aid, manual handling, fire safety, digital tachograph, technical standards and work experience. Applicants must have a current full Class B Driving Licence and Class D Learner Permit. **Start Date:** 27<sup>th</sup> March 2017. **Duration:** 14 Weeks. **Certification:** Class D Driving Licence, RSA Driver Certificate of Professional Competence, QQI Level 5 Component Cert in Occupational First Aid and CILT - Digital Tachograph.

### Food & Beverage Service (ETS8741) - Killarney.

This course is an excellent starting point for anyone wishing to work front of house in the hospitality industry. Participants will gain the knowledge and practical skills to provide a timely, efficient and professional food and beverage service to customers. **Start Date:** 10<sup>th</sup> April 2017. **Duration:** 28 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Diploma in Food and Beverage Service Level 2.

### Retail Skills Health and Beauty (ETS95) - Tralee.

This course offers participants the opportunity to develop the knowledge, skills and competencies required to work in the retail sector, particularly in pharmacies and in health and beauty outlets. **Start Date:** 27<sup>th</sup> March 2017. **Duration:** 37 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 4 Major Award in Retail Skills.

### Wind Turbine Maintenance Technician (TR36R) - Tralee.

This course provides participants with the technical knowledge and skills to service and maintain large scale commercial wind turbines. Applicants must hold a National Craft Certificate or equivalent qualification in an electrical or mechanical trade and ideally have a number of years post apprenticeship experience. **Start Date:** 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2017. **Duration:** 36 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Electrical Power Engineering Wind Turbine Operations & Maintenance (2339-18/53) and a number of related H&S certs.

### Cisco on-line Blended Learning (ETL62) - Tralee.

This course focuses on network infrastructure. It covers switching, routing, wireless access, security and connectivity used in local and wide area networks. A combination of on-line learning and tutor led workshops are used to deliver it. Previous computer networking experience is required for this course. **Start Date:** 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2017. **Duration:** 15 weeks. **Certification:** Cisco Certified Network Associate Certification (CCNA).

### Photography Course (TR08585) - Tralee.

This is an introductory course for those wishing to pursue careers in the world of photography and digital imaging. It offers participants the opportunity to develop the knowledge and skills needed to generate a range of professional photographic content. **Start Date:** 10<sup>th</sup> April 2017. **Duration:** 16 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Award in Digit Photography.

### Traditional Stone Wall Construction (ET4R8) - Tralee.

This course offers participants the opportunity to develop the knowledge and skills required to build a variety of traditional stone walls. It's a hands-on course where participants learn the principles and techniques of stone working and dry stone wall construction using hand tools and locally sourced stone. **Start Date:** 10<sup>th</sup> April 2017. **Duration:** 32 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Special Purpose Award in Traditional Stone Wall Construction.

### Diploma in Hairdressing (TR08674) - Tralee

This course is the ideal starting point for a career in hairdressing. Participants will learn hairdressing theory and practice, gain salon experience and achieve a recognised qualification. **Start Date:** 8<sup>th</sup> May 2017. **Duration:** 32 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 2 Diploma in Ladies Hairdressing.

### Food Preparation and Cooking Course (ET20D) - Tralee.

This course is for people who wish to pursue careers in professional cookery. It covers the practical skills and underpinning knowledge of safety at work, food safety, menu planning, costing, and preparing, cooking and presenting a wide variety of dishes including healthy foods and special diets. **Start Dates:** 8<sup>th</sup> May 2017. **Duration:** 20 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 2 Diploma in Food Preparation and Cooking.

**Visit us at Kerry ETB Further Education & Training Fair  
At the Brandon Hotel, Tralee  
On Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 from 10:00am to 6:00pm  
Free admission - All are welcome.**

To apply or get further information on any of the above courses please contact

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Monavalley Industrial Estate, Tralee, Tel. 066 7149600 | 066 7149638 | 066 7149676,

[www.kerryetbtrainingcentre.ie](http://www.kerryetbtrainingcentre.ie), E-mail: [training@kerryetbtrainingcentre.ie](mailto:training@kerryetbtrainingcentre.ie)



## Noelle's Retro Cafe



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or drop it into Noelles.

## ISLA GRANT IN CONCERT

at the INEC, Gleneagle Hotel, Killarney  
on Saturday March 4th 2017

Isla's interaction with her audience is second to none and the atmosphere at her 'Live' shows is a joy to behold and as always she will sing many of her hit songs and some from her new CD "I'm a Survivor".

Isla will be joined on stage by her genial husband Al who will make his popular contribution to the show featuring some of the all time Jim Reeves 'Hit Songs' and one of Ireland's finest musicians, Multi instrumentalist Glen Flynn who is an integral part of the Isla Grant sound.

Show begins at 8.30pm.

**Tickets available from the INEC Booking Office  
(064-667 1555)**



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## Things you need to know about tax if you're an **Airbnb** host in Ireland

### 1. Airbnb income does not qualify for rent-a-room relief

If you have any Airbnb income then you need to declare this to Revenue without exception as it doesn't qualify for rent-a-room relief. Revenue's guidelines on the subject confirm that providing accommodation to occasional visitors does not qualify for tax exemption and is subject to Income Tax (along with PRSI & USC) as a trade. It doesn't matter if you're an Irish resident or not - you still have to pay tax on income arising from all Irish properties rented out using Airbnb.

### 2. Allowable Expenses can reduce your tax liability

When filing your tax return, it's important to include any expenses you've incurred as these can reduce your tax bill. According to Revenue: 'expenses that have been incurred directly in the provision of the accommodation' can be deducted when calculating the taxable profits. Such expenses include: Cleaning, Food, Laundry, Commission to Airbnb, Additional insurance purchased, Electricity, Gas and Heating. In addition to the deductible expenses listed above you can also claim mortgage interest relief and wear and tear on household furniture & fittings. It's important to note that proportional amounts of utility costs can be considered i.e. the amounts of electricity and gas that are used as a result of your hosting activity.

### 3. Your Airbnb income should be declared annually

You can declare the income by filing an annual tax return - either a Form 11 or Form 12 - depending on your individual circumstances and other sources of income you may have.

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## Saint John of God Community Services Ltd, Kerry Services

Saint John of God Kerry Services provides a range of supports and services for adults and children with an intellectual disability throughout the Kerry region. Providing a person-centered approach to service delivery is central to how we support individuals in accordance with the Organisations Values and Ethos.

**If you are looking for a new, exciting challenge and an opportunity to make a difference in an individual's life, the following roles might be of interest:**

### Staff Nurses (Full Time Permanent Contracts)

**The successful candidate requires:**

- RNMH/RNID qualifications or other suitable nursing qualifications and be a Staff Nurse on the current register as maintained by An Bord Altranais.
- 1 – 2 years relevant experience of supporting people with an intellectual disability (An Advantage)
- Demonstrate excellent communication (both verbal and written), organizational skills, flexibility and commitment.
- Must have a full clean driver's licence for manual vehicles is essential, D licence would be an advantage.

### Social Care Workers (Full Time Permanent Contracts)

**The successful candidate requires:**

- Diploma in Social Care/Diploma in Applied Social Studies/Social Care
- 1- 2 years' experience working with individuals with an Intellectual Disability (Desirable)
- Flexible and excellent communication skills
- Initiative, motivation and enthusiasm
- Commitment to the development and delivery of a person centred programme.
- Experience of supporting people presenting with challenging behaviour.
- Must have a full clean driver's licence for manual vehicles is essential, D licence would be an advantage.

### Care Assistants (Full Time Permanent Contracts)

**The successful candidate requires:**

- Certificate in Healthcare Support at FETAC Level 5.
- The Care Assistant works as part of a multidisciplinary team to assist in the provision of health and social care for the individuals we support.
- He/She supports and assists in all activities of daily living in line with the needs and wishes of the individual as outlined in an agreed care plan.
- Acting as an advocate for residents and promoting social interaction with the community.
- Demonstrate excellent communication (both verbal and written), organisational skills, flexibility and commitment.
- Must have a full clean driver's licence for manual vehicles is essential, D licence would be an advantage.

Please forward a covering letter and CV (including written explanation for any gaps in employment), to: Human Resources Department, Saint John of God Kerry Services, Monavalley, Tralee, Co. Kerry or email to [sjogkerry.recruitment@sjog.ie](mailto:sjogkerry.recruitment@sjog.ie) before **5.00 pm on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2017**.

Applications will be short-listed based on the information supplied in the Curriculum Vitae and a panel may be formed from which future vacancies will be filled.

*Saint John of God Community Services Ltd is an equal opportunities employer*

**Hospitality – Compassion – Excellence – Justice – Respect**



## ISLA GRANT IN CONCERT IN KILLARNEY TOMORROW NIGHT

The 4th of March is a very special day for all Isla Grant fans as the Scottish singer / songwriter is making a welcome return to the INEC at the Gleneagle Hotel Complex on the Muckross Road for her only appearance in Kerry on her Irish tour this Spring. Isla's show will feature many of her own 'Hit' songs that she hasn't performed on stage recently plus some from her brand new CD "I'm A Survivor" and a few surprises that she hasn't recorded yet.

Isla's special guests on the night will be her husband Al who will oblige with at least one Jim Reeves Classic amongst his repertoire and multi-instrumentalist and singer Glen Flynn.

Doors open at 7.30. Show begins at 8.30 and if you do not have a pre-booked ticket please phone 064 66 71555 to make sure tickets are available before travelling.

## 10 WAYS ADOPTING A RESCUE PET WILL IMPROVE YOUR LIFE

If you've been thinking about inviting a new furry family member into the home, the options of where to find it usually come down to: a breeder, a rescue organisation or shelter, or waiting around until someone you know finds themselves with an unexpected litter at home. While breeders allow for a custom-tailored choice, that is about their only upside. They can vary from more-upstanding-than-most to downright abusive, but all breeders have one thing in common: for every breeder pet you buy, one rescue pet is denied the opportunity to live in a wonderful home.

Not only does rescuing an animal improve their lives—drastically!—but, it can also improve yours. Here are some reasons to consider bringing home a rescue furry friend that will make both you and your new addition live happily ever after.

1. So many pets come from sad and abusive situations—you will be her reminder there is good in the world!
2. Snuggles feel better when you know you are giving love to someone who was otherwise forgotten.
3. Knowing you are giving your little guy or girl a warm spot to rest, eat and play will make your heart soar.
4. Seeing a rescue pet figure out how to play or that he is allowed to cuddle up on a blanket, instead of the hard floor, is indescribable.
5. You will get to see why purebred does not mean superior. Mutts are awesome! And healthier as well, but if you really want to go for a purebred specific breed there are rescue organisations all over the country to oblige you.
6. You can breathe a sigh of relief knowing your money did not go toward an establishment with terrible and horrific living conditions for pets and you can rest easy knowing your money went to an organisation that truly cares about animals.
7. Taking home a sweetheart from a shelter frees up a spot for another pet who is otherwise completely homeless.
8. Seeing the signs that your new fur baby trusts you will make you feel like a superhero.
9. Sometimes rescue pets need more TLC than

others. This isn't a reason not to adopt—it's a reason to get excited about bonding with your pet on an even deeper level. The fact that you stick around during the hard times will mean the world to your little fluffball.

10. No matter what, your pet will love you—but there seems to be a special twinkle in a rescue pet's eye that seems to say "Thank you."

## LANDOWNERS

## IT IS NOW ILLEGAL TO BURN VEGETATION ON UNCULTIVATED GROUND

the burning of furze, ferns, heather or other vegetation on uncultivated land is illegal between March 1st and August 31st.

Farmers can be hit hard in the pocket as vegetation on land which is found to have been burned outside of the legal season can be considered ineligible for payment under Department schemes.

In addition to the safety issues, there are also severe penalties in place for those who cause damage to nesting and wildlife habitats as a result of burning, which extend to large fines and potential imprisonment.

The Air Pollution Act sets out certain restrictions around smoke and pollution which would affect those in proximity of the fires.

There are a number of obvious risks with burning, for example damage to homes, farm lands and setting fire to nearby valuable plantations of forestry. Potentially it can also endanger lives, with the added pressure on our already stretched emergency services.

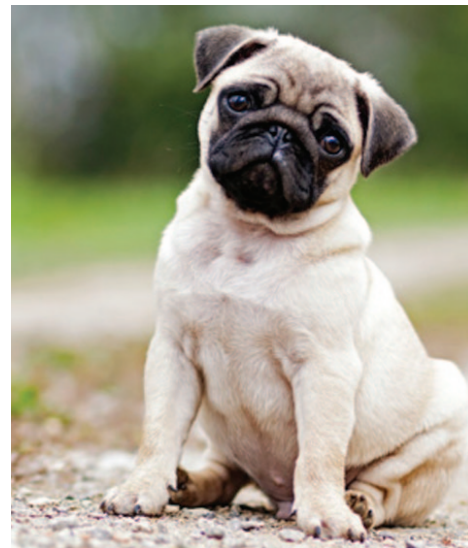
In the cases of fires started deliberately, where they cannot be associated with controlled burning such an action would be described as arson. The rigors of criminal law could apply including potentially lengthy imprisonment and severe financial penalties.

## SHROVE TUESDAY FELL ON FEBRUARY 28TH – AND YOU MIGHT LIKE TO KNOW A FEW OLD WEDDING TRADITIONS AND SUPERSTITIONS

The day immediately preceding Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent in the Christian churches of the West, is known in English as Shrove Tuesday. The day takes its name from "shriving"—the pre-Lenten confession and absolution of the faithful as a preparation for Lent that was common in the European Middle Ages. Feasting on foods initially prohibited during Lent, such as meat, eggs, and milk products, was integral to Shrove Tuesday observance.

Shrove Tuesday was also known as "Pancake Day" in England. After the Reformation, the Shriving Bell, which had hitherto called parishioners to be shriven, signalled the commencement of revelry and pancake-making. In parts of Wales children formerly collected pancake ingredients, while in the Isle of Man, pancake-making has apparently replaced the older custom of serving oatmeal and gravy for midday dinner and meat and pancakes in the evening.

In Scotland, beef was eaten on Shrove Tuesday (also called "Fastern's E'en") to ensure household prosperity. Oatmeal bannocks enriched with eggs and milk were baked, and, together with



the beef broth, were used in marriage divination by the inclusion of a ring to betoken marriage, or other items to indicate the rank or occupation of the future marriage partner. The identity of the beloved might be revealed in dreams induced by placing a bannock under the pillow.

In Ireland, Shrove Tuesday weddings were formerly popular, a custom connected to the canonical prohibition on the solemn celebration of the sacrament of matrimony during Lent.

\*According to Greek culture, sugar in the Brides glove will sweeten the union.

\*The English believe a spider found in a wedding dress means good luck, they also believe Wednesday the "best day" to marry, although Monday is for wealth and Tuesday is for health.

\*The groom carries the bride across the threshold to bravely protect her from evil spirits lurking below.

\*Rain on your wedding day is actually considered good luck, according to Hindu tradition.

\*For good luck, Egyptian women pinch the bride on her wedding day.

\*Middle Eastern brides paint henna on their hands and feet to protect themselves from the evil eye.

\*Peas are thrown at Czech newlyweds instead of rice or confetti.

\*A Swedish bride used put a silver coin from her father and a gold coin from her mother in each shoe to ensure that she'll never do without.

\*A Finnish bride traditionally went door-to-door collecting gifts in a pillowcase, accompanied by an older married man who represented long marriage.

\*In Holland, a pine tree was planted outside the newlyweds' home as a symbol of fertility and luck.

## QUOTE

"Children require guidance and sympathy far more than instruction" Anne Sullivan teacher and lifelong companion of Helen Keller.

## ON THIS DATE – MARCH 3RD

1873 - "Scottish Football Union" formed - the precursor of the Scottish Rugby Union.

1792 - Death of Robert Adam, Scottish architect, furniture and interior designer, possibly best known for his ornamental chimneypieces.

1837 - The city of Melbourne, Australia, was named.

1840 - Birth of Chief Joseph, the leader of the Wallowa Valley branch of the Nez Perce tribe, who led his people in a 1170-mile fighting



retreat trying to reach asylum in Canada after being evicted from their Oregon ancestral lands despite having made concessions in a signed treaty.

1854 - Australia's first telegraph line was opened.

1887 - Anne Sullivan arrived at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Keller to become the teacher of their blind and deaf 6-year-old daughter, Helen.

1921 - University of Toronto doctors Frederick Banting and Charles Best officially announces their team's discovery of insulin

1923 - Time magazine debuted, founded by Briton Hadden and Henry R. Luce.

1961 - USS Proteus arrives in the Holy Loch in Argyll, Scotland to set up the Polaris nuclear submarine base which remained in operation until June 1992.

2002 - Voters in Switzerland approved joining the United Nations, abandoning almost 200 years of formal neutrality.

## 7-YEAR-OLD APPLIED FOR JOB AT GOOGLE, GOT REPLY FROM CEO

Chloe Bridgewater is only be 7 years old and only recently became fascinated by technology and robotics but when her father Andy suggested that she apply for a job at the Silicon-valley company, saying employees also have special access to recreational slides and go-karts, Chloe sat down to write a heartfelt letter from her home in Hereford, England to Google CEO Sundar Pichai in California, ending the note by saying she has "only ever sent one other and that was to



finished with school. All the best to you and your family".  
I am sure Mr. Pichai is just as busy as any other CEO, yet he could take time to send a letter to a child, wouldn't it be wonderful if all employers took the trouble to ensure that every applicant for a job was told the outcome of their application as a matter of form – do they have any conception of the despair a person feels when they reply to numerous advertisements and their applications are not even acknowledged?

S h e was delighted to find that she had received a response from Sundar saying "Thank you so much for your letter. I'm glad that you like computer and robots, and hope that you will continue to learn about technology, I think if you keep working hard and following your dreams, you can accomplish everything you set your mind to – from working at Google to swimming in the Olympics. I look forward to receiving your job application when you are

Father Christmas".

## PICTURE PARADE

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EMER TWOMEY FROM MILLSTRETT, PLAYS THE FIDDLE WITH HER ONE YEAR OLD SON, DAVID ON HER KNEE, AT THE 18TH GATHERING TRADITIONAL FESTIVAL OF CONCERTS PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



JOE AND MONICA BEASANT, AT THE 18TH GATHERING TRADITIONAL FESTIVAL OF CONCERTS PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



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Amen.  
Say this prayer for three days and your favour will be granted. Never known to fail. Must promise publication of prayer. **X**

## PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY

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O Most Beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, Fruitful Vine, Splendour of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my Mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in this necessity. There are none, that can withstand your power. Oh Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times).  
Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands, three times. Thank you for your mercy to me and mine. This prayer must be said for three days and after that the request will be granted and the prayer must be published immediately. Thank you for favours received. **X**

## NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

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Jesus ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and the door shall be opened to you. Relying on these promises I come with confidence during the novena to beg of you the favours that I need (make request). From whom shall I ask, Lord Jesus, if not from you whose heart is an unfailing source of graces and merits. Most loving heart of my God I believe in your power, I believe in your knowledge, I believe in your personal love for me and therefore O Sacred Heart of Jesus I place all my trust in you. Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory. Say 3 times for 3 days and request will be granted, Never know to fail. Must publish. **G.T**

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## NOVENA TO ST. MARTHA

O ST. MARTHA, I resort to thee and to thy petition and faith I offer up to thee this light which I shall burn every Tuesday for nine Tuesdays. Comfort me in all my difficulties thro' the great favour thou didst enjoy when Our Saviour lodged in thy house. I beseech thee to have definite pity in regard to favour I ask (mention favour). Intercede for my family that we may always be provided for in all our necessities I ask thee St. Martha to overcome the dragon which thou didst cast at thy feet. One our Father and three Hail Marys, and a lighted candle very Tuesday and the above prayer made know with the intentions of spreading devotion to St. Martha. Never know to fail. **B.X.**

## NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

This prayer was recited every day by Padre Pio for all those who recommended themselves to his prayers:  
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rode out the storms,  
when the winds were gale force.  
Sat out the doldrums in patience  
and hope,  
working together, we learned  
how to cope.  
Life is an ocean and love is a boat  
In trouble waters that keeps us afloat,  
when we started the voyage  
there was just me and you,  
now gathered around us we  
have our own crew.

*Sadly missed by your wife Joan, son  
Jack and daughter Aine x*

*"YOU WILL NEVER WALK ALONE"*

## 1ST ANNIVERSARY



*In Loving Memory of*

### CON O'SULLIVAN

**Caherdean, Ballyhar  
Who died March 5th 2016  
RIP**

Sadly missed along lifes way  
Lovingly remembered everyday  
No longer in our life to share  
But in our hearts,  
you're always there.

*From your family*

## 5TH ANNIVERSARY



*In loving memory of a wonderful  
wife and mother*

### CHRISTINE SHEAHAN

**45 High Street, Killarney  
who passed away on the  
Who died on 2nd March 2012**

These special memories of you  
will always bring a smile,  
If only we could have you back  
just for a little while.  
Then we could sit and talk again,  
Just like we used to do.  
Mom you always meant so very much  
and always will do too.  
The fact you're no longer there  
will always cause us pain,  
But you're forever in our hearts  
until we meet again.

*Always loved and remembered by  
husband Peter and all the family*

## PRAYER TO ST. PADRE PIO

### PRAYER

O God, You gave Saint Pio of Pietrelcina,  
capuchin priest, the great privilege of  
participating in a unique way in the passion  
of Your Son, grant me through his intercession  
the grace of ..... which I ardently desire;  
and above all grant me the grace of living in  
conformity with the death of Jesus, to arrive  
at the glory of the resurrection. Glory be to  
the Father ...(three times)

**A.M**

## THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus in the past I have asked  
many favours. This time I ask you this special  
one, (mention favour).

Take it dear heart of Jesus and place it within  
your own broken heart where your Father  
sees it.

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

**Amen.**

Say this prayer for three days and your favour  
will be granted. Never know to fail. Must  
promise publication of prayer.

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**X**

## PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY

### NEVER KNOWN TO FAIL

O Most Beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, Fruitful  
Vine, Splendour of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the  
Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my  
necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me  
herein you are my Mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of  
God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech  
you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in  
this necessity. There are none, that can withstand  
your power. Oh Mary conceived without sin, pray for  
us who have recourse to thee (3 times).

Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands, three  
times. Thank you for your mercy to me and mine.  
This prayer must be said for three days and after  
that the request will be granted and the prayer  
must be published immediately. Thank you for  
favours received. **X**

## NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

You have said O'Divine  
Jesus ask and you shall receive, seek and you  
shall find, knock and the door shall be opened  
to you. Relying on these promises I come with  
confidence during the novena to beg of you the  
favours that I need (make request). From whom  
shall I ask, Lord Jesus, if not from you whose  
heart is an unfailing source of graces and merits.  
Most loving heart of my God I believe in your  
power, I believe in your knowledge, I believe in  
your personal love for me and therefore O Sacred  
Heart of Jesus I place all my trust in you. Our  
Father, Hail Mary and Glory. Say 3 times for 3  
days and request will be granted. Never know to  
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prayer and favour will be granted.

**JKOC**

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prayer and favour will be granted.

**A.M**

## NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

Sacred Heart, St Jude, St Anthony. And to all  
of the Saints for favours received. And thanks  
to the universe. **X**

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## GRATEFUL THANKS

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Divine Mercy  
St Faustina, St Expedite, St Padre Pio,  
Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Sacred Heart  
of Jesus, Our Lady of Lourdes for Health  
favours received.

## LETS PRAY TOGETHER INTO THE WORD

Let's Pray Together In The Word  
Galatians 6 (9) And let us not lose heart and grow  
weary and faint in acting nobly and doing right, for in  
due time and at the appointed season we shall reap,  
if we do not loosen and relax our courage and faint.  
Fill your mind with ways to bless people. Early in the  
morning when we wake up, think of a way you can  
bless somebody. It can be a surprise or something  
that will make that person happy. The Lord Jesus will  
lead us. Joy is the result of this action. Lord Jesus,  
please help us to know how to bless certain people, that  
you want blessed. Show us how to do this by your  
channel, the Holy Spirit. Let the person be amazed and  
surprised, and happy by this blessing.  
**Amen.**

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# INVITATION

**Open Day: Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> March 10am-12noon**

**LEWIS ROAD KILLARNEY**

Dr. Crokes GAA Club invites the Parents in the Killarney Area and their Boys and Girls to the **2017 Registration Open Day. Boys and Girls aged 4 to 10 welcome.**

**Hurling - 10:00 A.M. to 10:40 A.M. • Football - 10:40 A.M. to 12:00 Noon.**



Special warm welcome for Children from various Nationalities and Cultures new to Gaelic Games - join your friends and make new friends in the Dr. Crokes Club.

### On Registration:

Special invite to the popular Dr. Crokes Easter and Summer Camps and Cul Camps held in the Dr. Crokes Club annually.



### SCÓR

Participate in Irish Dancing & Music



### GIRLS' GAELIC:

Football is a great sport for girls to make friends and to stay fit and healthy. Experienced Ladies' Coaches add to the fun each Saturday.



### GAELIC FOOTBALL:

Learn the skills of the Game in a fun environment. Older Boys enjoy Blitzes and bus trips to away matches.



### HURLING:

Learn the skills of the fastest field sport in the world under the guidance of Gene Doherty and his team of Coaches.

**FUN!!! FUN!!! MAKE NEW FRIENDS! FUN!!! FUN!!!**



**FREE Registration for all Children U6**  
**Each training session for all is FREE OF CHARGE**  
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