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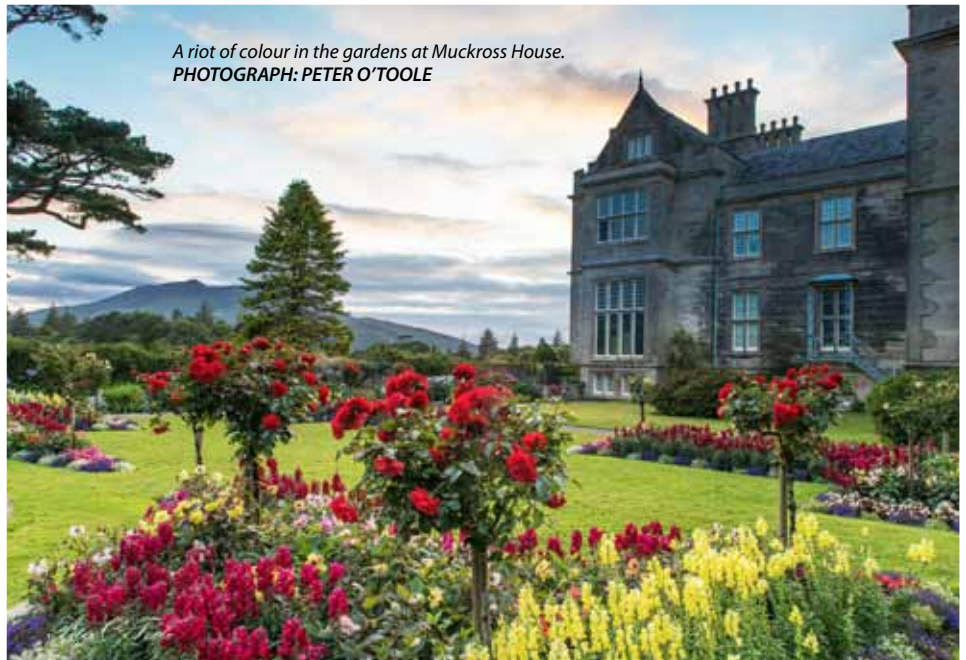
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Aisling Crosbie,
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CLIMBING CARRAUNTOOHIL FOR KENYA

Usually during the summer months Killarney volunteers led by Eddie Sheehy and members of his family would be in Kenya working with the Kenya Education Project.

But like many plans this could not happen due to Covid-19. Instead of the usual fundraisers like the annual coffee morning, this year Katie O'Connell and James Greene have decided to climb Ireland's highest mountain Carrauntoohil on the 22nd August 2020 instead.

The volunteers have set up a gofundme page and are looking for donations to help the children in Embulbul, Nairobi, Kenya.

"We are devastated that we cannot return to Embulbul this year for Kenya Education Project (K.E.P) Summer Camp 2020", Katie said, "But we are hoping to get a great response to our fundraiser - climbing Carrauntoohil", she added.

The Kenya Project is based in the village of Embulbul in Kenya and is a slum village with a high rate of unemployment with the average daily income being only €2.50.

Most families struggle daily and single parenthood is a feature of the area where education is a struggle.

The Kenya Education Project was set up by Eddie Sheehy and his late wife Carmella along with their family and to date have made a huge difference to the life of people living there.

There is a newly built primary and secondary school in the village and these are managed by the Christian Brothers.

The charity also supports a village feeding programme and also supports students in further education and training.

One of the most popular pastimes in the village is the soccer academy called The Young Talents where coaches train boys and girls who wear gear donated from many clubs and schools in Killarney.

If you would like to donate please go to gofundme - The Kenya Education Project- Fundraiser Hike



Katie O'Connell and James Greene pictured helping with litter picking in Kenya last Summer.



Katie O'Connell pictured with members of The Young Talents, the local soccer club in Embulbul.

Shock and sadness at the passing of Harry Bartlett



There was an air of shock and sadness in Killarney this week when news broke of the sudden death of Harry Bartlett. Harry, who had recently celebrated his 60th birthday was known throughout the county in GAA circles. Tributes from Dr. Crokes GAA Club and Killarney Celtic have been paid to Harry's family, along with many tributes from clubs in Kerry.

On their social media outlets, Dr Crokes announced the sudden passing of Harry who had a long and proud association with the club where he served as a player, manager and very competent Chair.

On Wednesday evening before an Under 16 girls game in Fossa, Dr. Crokes along with the Fossa contingent & referee held a minutes silence for the Dr. Crokes stalwart. Killarney Celtic also passed on their sincere sympathies to Anne and the extended Bartlett family on this very sad loss. Harry is survived by his wife Ann and family, Christina, Sandra, John and Chloe, grandchildren, Leah, Hannah, James, Jack and Harry and the extended Bartlett Family. Harry's funeral will take place, following Government guidelines on Monday morning at St. Mary's Cathedral.



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

Fr. Liam makes the “*Trip to Tipp*”

At the Friary Killarney, I sat in what had recently become a confessional room, redesigned during Covid19, with a perspex screen making my informal visit to the very popular Fr Liam McCarthy, mask free and as normal as it could be in the current climate.

Fr Liam McCarthy is making the ‘Trip to Tipp’ once again and will be sadly missed in the Kingdom. The ‘chapter’ for a Franciscan Friar is three years at any one post and boy has Fr Liam been on the move since he was ordained in Rome in 1964. “I had always wanted to work for the Missions Marie and I knew I would get there one day” Fr Liam told me. I was most impressed with Fr Liam’s love of his faith and his ability to speak so well. I wondered how it was possible to retain various quotations from the bible and quote accordingly when there was such a vast amount to remember? “Recitals make an impression on me Marie. It is easy to remember something when it is beautiful. The power of the imagination combined with the heart. Once it warms your heart, it creates an image”. Fr Liam recited ‘Daffodils’ in it’s entirety for me. I then understood.

Fr Liam McCarthy is no stranger to the airwaves and has worked within two communities with his own show on Clare FM & Wexford Local Radio. To surmise after being ordained he began working with the Ministry at Athlone Friary for 1 year before spending 6 years in 1966 at Rossnowlagh in Donegal, a training centre for brothers in the order. “Br Pat Lynch will arrive in Killarney as a new guardian, between 10th-14th August, the period in which we will all make our chapter changes. I am proud to say he was a postulant in Rossnowlagh” Fr Liam told me. “In 1972 I returned to Athlone for 6 years before arriving in beautiful Killarney for one year in 1978. My first appointment in Clonmel Co. Tipperary was in 1979 and I remained there for 2 years before heading off for Wexford and this is where I stayed for three years and I was lucky to have had the opportunity to work with Wexford Local Radio. I then headed up north to the Docklands in Belfast where St Josephs had just opened and did a 9 year stint there. In 1993 I was appointed a position in Rome at St Isadors College in Rome for 6 years before returning to Ireland to Ennis”. Here Fr Liam hosted his own radio show “Songs at Twilight, mixing the decks with Clare FM. “I found it fascinating. I took requests between the music and I began and finished each evening with the famous composer Strauss ‘Roses from the South’. In 2001 my dream had come true to work for the missions Marie. I always wanted



to be a missionary. I was advised to visit for three weeks to see if it was for me and it was. There was such poverty and I recall a lady in a tent asking me to please return and that I did. I worked for 12 years in Zimbabwe, Africa at a formation house for men joining the order and I taught Latin at the college in Harare. I regularly celebrated mass at Mutemwa at a people settlement of post leprosy. I loved to say mass there. They adored the singing and the music especially. Marie, I must give you a book about the life of John Bradburne which is available to buy at the Friary Shop. You would love it”.

Three pages in, I couldn’t keep up with Fr Liam and his detailed CV. “In 2013 I wasn’t feeling well. I was returning to Ireland for a holiday and was treated at St Vincent’s Hospital for cancer which I recovered from without chemotherapy. I asked the Doctor what should I do about returning to Africa. He replied ‘we don’t tell people what to do, we tell them how they are’. Wise words. I didn’t know what to do. My good friend Fr Eustace McSweeney told me I had done my bit and to stay in Ireland to be closer to family so I arrived mid chapter to Galway for 1 year, after which I spent 3 years at Multyfarnham near Mullingar for 3 years”. Finally in 2017 Fr Liam returned to Killarney where an Inter provision novitiate was being set up which meant that potential brothers would come from outside of Ireland to join the Friars. From our chat I soon realised that throughout Fr Liam Lynch’s career he had been recognised as inspirational and a teacher by his superiors. And just like that, he is on the move again for Clonmel in the coming weeks, leaving behind many positions and not just the obvious.

Fr Liam McCarthy was on The Board at Muckorss House, the leader of the Kilgarvan Prayer Group and a Board Member of South West Counselling services but most impressive to me was his ability to adapt to change. “COVID19 was particularly difficult Marie. My work is within my community but I couldn’t even go around the wards to visit those who were ill”. With the help of Anne Marie O’Leary at the Friary Office and her husband Derek, Fr Liam opened up a Facebook account called ‘Killarney Franciscans’ saying mass over Facebook Live four times a week. “It was hugely fulfilling Marie”. The masses are ongoing once a week on Saturdays at 12 noon now that the Friary has reopened. “I then had a brainwave Marie. I remembered Fr Leo Clifford (RIP), a Killarney man, broadcasting meditation hour in years gone by. With Fr Vincent doing the filming and myself the other side of the lens we now do a Facebook Live called ‘Moments from the Friary Garden’.

So while Fr Liam McCarthy makes a welcomed return to Clonmel, we are not at a complete loss, as for the foreseeable future, we will be lucky enough to see his friendly face on Facebook Live, as he continues his half hour meditation on the popular Facebook site Killarney Franciscans. I left the confessional room thinking to myself, I do hope his name sake stays put where it belongs in Tipperary! Thank you for having me Fr Liam McCarthy.

Picture Marie Carroll O’Sullivan for Gogglevox with the Killarney Outlook



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WOMEN ON THE WATER

TO EXPLORE OUR WATERWAYS

As we enjoy the reopening of our County, Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership, is delighted to announce a new programme designed for women, Kerry's Explore Our Waterways – Women on the Water.

Jimmy Deenihan, Chairperson of Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership stated "Kerry's abundant Waterways provide an ideal environment for people to get outside and get active", which is a key objective of the Sports partnership for this initiative.

"The objective is to create a pathway to introduce women to the outdoors and to promote our abundance of waterways for sport and recreational purposes. An element of fun and social engagement will be implemented into the programme and should participants choose there is a progression pathway created into the Kerry Canoe Club, Killorglin", as expressed by the club chairperson, Brian O'Flaherty

With this in mind, Kerry's Women on the Water programme was devised by Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership in conjunction with Kerry Canoe Club, Killorglin, inviting women to join us for a beginner based Kayaking programme, suitable for women without any prior experience on the water. The programme will take place Friday evenings, from 7-9pm commencing on Friday 28th of August



Pictured at the launch of Women on the Water in Killorglin are (from left): Colette Lawlor, Canoeing Ireland, Mary McGrath, Kerry Canoe Club, Killorglin and Jimmy Deenihan, Kerry Recreation & Sports Partnership with members of the Canoe Club.

PICTURE: PAULINE DENNIGAN

for 5 weeks. Patrice Diggin, Community Sports Development Officer with Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership believes this to be "a fantastic opportunity for all women who would like to meet new people and get active while being outdoors in nature and on the water.

For further details on this programme and

to sign up please go to Kerry Recreation and Sports Partnership's social media pages on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram or contact info@kerryrecreationandsports.ie or 066-7184776.

This programme will be held in line with HSE guidelines and Sport Ireland requirements on Covid-19 protocols.



A brand new road finisher paver has been purchased by Kerry County Council at a cost of €280,000.

The new unit will assist in the rollout of the annual Roads Programme across the county and was in operation in the past week on the Listowel to Ballylongford road.

The paver is a strategic item of plant for Kerry County Council providing a modern reliable road paver to assist in the upgrading of the roads network.

The Roads, Transportation and Marine Unit of Kerry County Council is responsible for the improvement and maintenance of national, regional, local and urban roads. Kerry County Council depends on national government for the greater part of its funding to carry out improvements to the road network.

The Council received a total allocation of €41.559m from Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) and the Department of Transport, Tourism & Sport (DTTAS) in 2019, but also contributed €3.9m of funding from the Council's own resources.

The 2019 allocation enabled 80km of road pavement overlays to be completed and allowed for improvement works to 202km of the non-national road network. Kerry County Council is committed to deliver quality services and infrastructure for the betterment of the county and ensure all critical infrastructure is resilient, regularly inspected and maintained.



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

Midnight tick tocks... a move to Coventry and a busy mom... **Marie meets The Nolan's**

Working as a Resilience Nurse in the Advance Pediatric Home Care for the last three years and ongoing through out the pandemic that is Covid 19, Deirdre Nolan wakes at intervals regularly after long night shifts to the tune of various tick tock renditions and the sweet voice of her daughter Victoria Nolan "She has a beautiful voice Marie but trying to sleep after a night shift is difficult at the best of times, not to mind listening to 'Renegade' amongst many others and the sun beaming through the curtains".

Hats off to anyone who does nights, I couldn't do it, no way. I have previously heard Victoria Nolan sing at the Killarney Voice Works performances. Melodious, I must say!! Deirdre continued "I work with complex and palliative kids in their homes. The hours can vary depending on the child's needs. Every family is allotted hours depending on their circumstances and capabilities e.g. children who are on ventilators would have full night care".

The Nolan residence is a pet friendly premises with three dogs Charlie, Gi Gi & Hector and two cats Terence & Rosie (who as been renamed Pudsie resulting lockdown). Deirdre mopped as we chatted in preparation for an intimate gathering to mark her twins (L-R Victoria & Katelyn) 18th Birthday. The Nolan Sisters (I was dying to type that) are the one age attending Killarney Community College but Victoria chose to do Transition Year so while she doesn't have the uncertainty of Leaving Cert etc, Katelyn does and she's taking it all in her stride. No Leaving Cert, no graduation, no results til September and no debs!! The sixth year and sixth class students are the ones I feel for the most resulting Covid19. Believe it or not I remember the ends of both of those chapters way back in the day. "Plan B, well, plan A is in place already Marie" Katelyn told me. I was intrigued. Continue Katelyn please. "I have been part of Killarney Scorchers for most of my life and it has always been the dream to drive it



to the next level. My cheer colleague Daragh Begley & I have an apartment secured in Coventry so I am leaving in the coming weeks to join Coventry, Dynamite Cheer in London and I can't wait" Katelyn said. Oh how cool. I was excited for her but wondered how Dee & Victoria felt about the big move? "There are flights daily from Dublin & every second day from Kerry and we have Skype, Zoom, House Party, Snapchat, FaceTime to name but a few. All we have to do now is get her a job to finance her passion to cheer" Deirdre joked. Victoria is studying for her L.C.A at Killarney Community College and had abdominal reconstructive surgery at the end of January 2020 so was advised to stay away from school until after Easter which unfortunately didn't happen. "I went in for one exam" Victoria told me "but I had to semi cocoon throughout the initial stages of the pandemic because of my asthma but I was 100% cocooning after my surgery which was thankfully a success". Victoria said.

"Time has gone by so quickly Marie. They're 18 just like that! It's been a rollercoaster of emotions, hospitals, arguments, achievements and in general, fun. We're the best of friends the three of us" Dee added. "And we really appreciate Mom" Katelyn told me. "And everything that she does for us. She got us to 18 and she works so hard so we want for nothing". Put it this way Victoria added "She now has the luxury of staying at home with her feet up, allowing us to include a bottle of wine in the weekly shopping list now doesn't she?". We all laughed. The absolute novelty of it. Oh to be 18 again! Happy 18th Birthday ladies and thank you for having me, The Nolan Sisters & Deirdre. 'Cheerio' Katelyn and best of luck at Dynamite Cheer.

Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan for Gogglevox with the Killarney Outlook

MINISTER WELCOMES FUNDING

Minister for Education and Kerry TD Norma Foley has welcomed the announcement from the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government of funding totalling over €2 million for Kerry County Council for the 2020 Housing Adaptation Grant for Older People and People with a Disability living in private houses. The increased funding continues to support

home adaptations for older people, people with a disability and people with mobility issues. It will enable older people and people with disabilities to remain living independently in their own homes for longer should they wish and will also facilitate early return from hospital.

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Statement by President Higgins on the death of John Hume

"All of those who sought and worked for peace on our island of Ireland, and in the hearts of all, will have been deeply saddened by the passing of John Hume, Nobel Peace Laureate and Statesman.

John Hume, through his words, his astute diplomacy and willingness to listen to what was often difficult to accept but was the view of the 'Other', transformed and remodelled politics in Ireland, and the search for peace, with a personal bravery and leadership informed by a steadfast belief in the principles and values of genuine democracy.

John's deep commitment to these values and his practical demonstration of tolerance and

social justice, oftentimes in the face of strong opposition and tangible threats to his person and his family, asserted the fundamental principles of democracy. He and those others who helped usher in a discourse that enabled a new era of civil rights and responsive government that few would have thought possible, have placed generations in their debt, have been a source of hope.

That his efforts were recognised through the awarding of the 1998 Nobel Peace Prize brought great joy not only to his people in Derry, his colleagues in politics, particularly in the SDLP, but to a wider global set of colleagues and fellow advocates for peace abroad who held him in the greatest esteem and admiration.

Mar Uachtarán na hÉireann, as President of Ireland, may I say how deeply grateful we all should be that we had such a person as John

Hume to create a light of hope in the most difficult of times.

It was Seamus Mallon, that other great statesman and courageous peace seeker and builder, who observed: "Inside was a man who had something big to do. There is a greatness about his political life in what he did and what he helped to do. I would put him in the same breath as Parnell and Daniel O Connell."

We are grieving in this difficult year 2020 for two great apostles and seekers of peace.

Whatever the loss to all on this island, to his family his loss is greatest. To his wife Pat, his children, and all those who loved him, Sabina and I send our deepest sympathy.

Siochán siorraí le a anam.



John Hume R.I.P.

**Book of Condolence
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**Online Book of Condolences
open for John Hume**

The Cathaoirleach of Kerry County Council, Cllr Patrick Connor Scarteen has opened an online Book of Condolences for the late Nobel laureate and peacemaker, John Hume.

Cllr Connor-Scarteen said that John Hume made an immense contribution to peace on the island of Ireland and that he was pleased to afford the people of Kerry the opportunity to express their sympathies and share their messages on Mr Hume at this sad time.

The online Book of Condolences can be accessed via the Kerry County Council website, www.kerrycoco.ie.

STATEMENT FROM FORMER MAYOR OF KILLARNEY SEAN COUNIHAN ON THE PASSING OF JOHN HUME



I was honoured with my colleagues and as Mayor of Killarney to have the honour and privilege on behalf of the people of Killarney to welcome and give civic reception to John Hume as and his wife Pat. John was in the region doing various promotion of his vision for peace on this island.

We arranged a Civic Reception

in the Town Hall with the help of Town clerk Carmel Brosnan to honour John Hume a visionary peace maker community activist. John had an understanding that working class people were by in large the majority of people that were losing their lives John Hume as Jim Larkin did before him and as leader of the SDLP brought about a realisation that working people needed to be represented and understood on both sides of the community.

John Hume believed in Social justice and peace and I on behalf of the people of Killarney and in the presence of our town council was happy to bestow a civic reception to one of Ireland's greatest Patriots rest in peace



Pictured at the Civic Reception for John and Pat Hume in Killarney Town Council were front from left: Mayor Sean Counihan, Pat Hume, John Hume, Carmel Brosnan, Town Clerk, Cllr. Sheila Dickson. Back row: Cllr Pat F. O'Connor, Cllr Michael Gleeson, Cllr. Sheila Casey, Cllr. Maurice O'Donoghue, Cllr. Sean Grady, Cllr. Donal Grady and Town Manager, Michael O'Leary.

Following a request from John Hume's family, President Higgins and Sabina lit a "candle for peace" at Áras an Uachtaráin. Tar éis iarratas a fháil ó theaghlach John Hume, las an tUachtarán Uí hUiginn agus Sabina, tráthnóna inniu, "coinneal ar son suíochán" in Áras an Uachtaráin.





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

Loving the Tourism Industry and the buzz that goes with... **Marie meets Catriona White**

managed to meet up with a very busy Catriona White, Deputy Manager at the International Hotel, on her day off after having lunch with her work colleague Ann Mangan who had recently celebrated her 60th birthday.

Since the arrival of their new alfresco dining, Kenmare place has become a hub or activity seating 40 guests preferable with sunshine on the menu. "We're absolutely delighted with it Marie and the feedback has been overwhelming. It's all Irish people on staycation. I think it was a choice of buy a new couch and renovate your home for the Irish or staycation at some of Ireland's finest hotels. In these times I think with the new outdoor area available in the current climate, people prefer to be outdoors. There has been so much change with our Covid19 training and new regulations but we've all adapted and we're doing well. I could never have envisaged we'd be full to capacity with private guests as our old norm would have been half coach tours half private guests. Long may it last". Catriona White has been working at the International Hotel now for 24 years but here's what you may not have known. Prior to this Catriona worked the evening shift at the Three Lakes Hotel on reception whilst running her own boutique "Pretty Woman" at the Innisfallen Mall with her good friend Evelyn O'Sullivan at the age of 21! "Once I began working at the International hotel I got the bug Marie. I love the Tourism Industry and the buzz that goes with it. After three years on reception I progressed to Management under Mr & Mrs Coyne. The hustle & bustle of the summer months is a contrast to the annual renovations & interior design projects in the winter. There are no two days the same and I love that. Mr & Mrs Coyne were fabulous people to work for and always gave me opportunities and trusted my flair for design and style at the hotel having visited my home on the Tralee Road for a cup of tea one evening. Between Terence Mulcahy (previous long standing Manager), the help of Ailish & Louise at Hal-Lou furnishing & my the trust from Mr & Mrs Coyne for me to throw my own stamp on it, I think we got it right" Catriona smiled.

"So have you had any celebrities staying at the International Hotel over your 24 Years Catriona?" I asked. "Every guest is a VIP to us Marie" Catriona laughed. "We've had Hugh Grant in for drinks, Golfer Christy O'Connor (a great friend of Mr Coyne who sadly passed in May 2016) and my favourite was Brendan Grace. Brendan stayed with us quite regularly. He was a gentleman and knew many of the staff by name. We enjoyed receiving hand



written cards & chocolates from Brendan after every visit" Catriona said.

"So Catriona what is your favourite thing about the International Hotel?" I asked, she's always smiling and happy. Spending 8 hours per day at work, I wondered after 24 years how one could be still so enthusiastic about her work place "I work with a fantastic team Marie. A lot of the staff are here for years. It's Girl Power at the top everyday at the International Hotel with General Manager Tracy Coyne, and Duty Manager Les Brzozka keeps us grounded. I love Christmas at the International also, well, I love Christmas in general. My team & I spend a whole week putting together the decorations for the hotel. Our popular 20ft Christmas tree is assembled and we uniquely hand decorate each of our 35 garlands individually. Mrs Coyne with her three sisters would have previously looked after Christmas at the International Hotel so I learned from the best and was trusted to 'deliver' Marie." Catriona said. It truly is magical at the International at Christmas and I am eternally grateful to Catriona & The Coyne Family myself for allowing me to use the beautiful Christy O'Connor Suite as a Jack & Jill fundraiser Photography Studio each November. I could somewhat relate to Catriona when she said "I think the best feeling is seeing having families come to us for special occasions like christenings and returning for their children's communions, confirmations and only last week we had a wedding anniversary for a couple who

got married at the International Hotel some years ago". I am a firm believer that you are only as good as your last job so if the product is good, of course you will be happy to return. "We love the tourists season Marie but we do love our local customers."

"So Catriona while you've been pretty much at the International right through Covid19 lockdown with your magic wand renovating and up styling the hotel with Tracy and maintaining the website, how have the boys managed at home?" I asked. Catriona has two sons Sean (12) & Brian (11) and with her hubbie John and gorgeous chocolate labrador Buddy. "They're great boys and well able to fend for themselves. I somewhat enjoyed lockdown and having them all at home too. The boys might well tell you different Marie. Sean & John are two peas in a pod when it comes to cars and Brian is a huge sports fanatic. Since the reopening of the hotel my Mom Eileen has been wonderful in helping John & I out with the boys. Thanks Mum".

Enter Duty Manager Les with my cup of tea accompanied by a huge slice of home made baileys cheesecake. There goes my earlier power walk!!! Tomorrow is a new day. The cheesecake was delish!! It just dawned on me, these two took part in the Irish Cancer Society's 'Strictly Come Dancing' and Catriona was in the very first one at the INEC. "What an experience Marie. I was so out of my comfort zone but I knew it was a once off opportunity and if I didn't push myself to do it, I would regret it. I made the best friends and it was definitely one of the best experiences of my life". Catriona White is a social butterfly so I can only imagine how she is missing events like the Killarney Races, fashion shows and nights out with her gal pals and her three sisters Elaine, Caragh & Anna. "I always loved the races Marie" Catriona told me and was runner up as Best Dressed Lady for the August 2019. "My Dad, John Moloney, worked at the race course so I was always there with him. The highlight was Ladies Day and I'd be on my tippy toes peeping in over the hedge excited to see the style and glamour. I remember thinking to myself, I can't wait to be old enough to wear high heels and lipstick and parade around that ring too". We finished our tea and went upstairs to the balcony which over looks Kenmare Place to take a quick snap shot of Catriona before I left. What a beautiful view and what a great model too!! Thanks for having me at the beautiful International Hotels for some Gogglevox chats Catriona White.

Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan for Gogglevox with the Killarney Outlook

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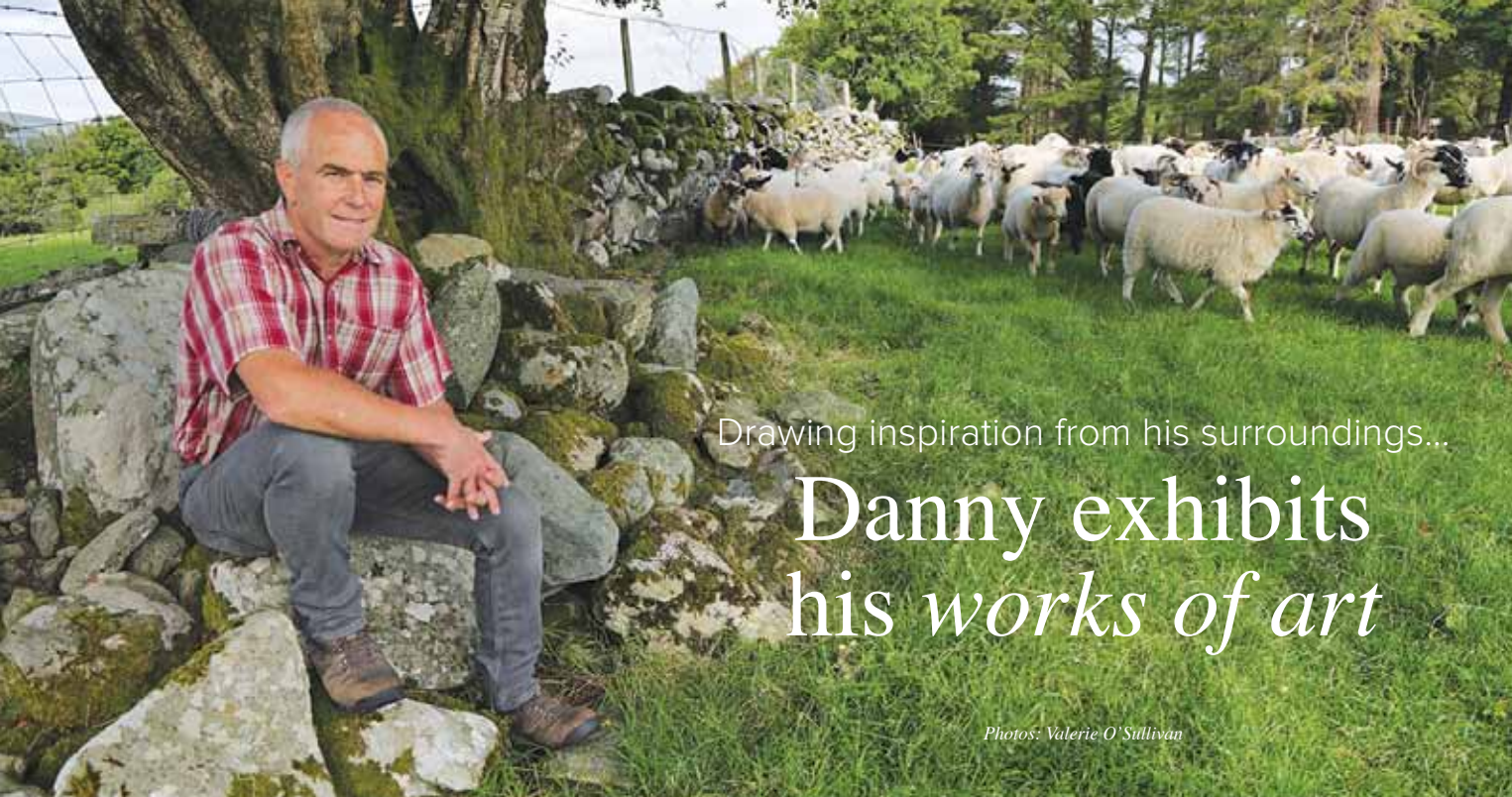
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Drawing inspiration from his surroundings...

Danny exhibits his works of art

Photos: Valerie O'Sullivan

Killarney artist, Danny Lyne is exhibiting his works of art at Bricin Craft Shop and Restaurant for the month of August.

The Muckcross native draws his inspiration for his latest exhibition of paintings from the sheep and native Red Deer roaming on nearby Mangerton Mountain.

Danny grew up on the shores of Muckcross Lake in Killarney, where he lived during his childhood at Torc Cottages in the National Park. Danny is a self-taught artist, painting since he was a child at primary school level, where he was lucky enough to encounter an artistic teacher who, on recognising his talent, introduced him to mixing colours and obtained for him his very first set of artist quality paints. Growing up in the National Park had a huge influence on the development of Danny's work.

"The subtleties of the varying light and changing seasons impressed upon the textures of the natural world fascinate me. The cycles of nature, like the return of salmon every year and the seasonally changing behaviour of the deer in the woods and mountains are a constant



source of inspiration". Today, Danny continues to live and work in his beloved Killarney, at the foot of Mangerton mountain. "The medium of oil paints lends itself beautifully to his constant compulsion to capture the varying temperatures of colour in the patterns and nuances of nature". Being self-taught, Danny's technique is fluid, and this helps him to respond naturally to what

he sees. Danny has won a number of awards, and his works hang in numerous countries throughout the world. His painting continues to evolve in response to his continued fascination with the visual world. The exhibition continues in Bricin craft shop and restaurant for the entire month of August. Danny's website is www.dannylyneart.com

EYES DOWN - St. Paul's host drive-in bingo

St Paul's Basketball Club, Killarney, will host a special Drive-In-Bingo in the new Liebherr Carpark at Lackabane, Fossa, on Sunday August 16th at 7pm. Drive-in Bingo is an exciting alternative to a regular bingo night session whilst adhering strictly to government regulations and public health guidelines on social distancing.

Top cash prizes up to €3,500 will be available to win while great fun is guaranteed as you stay safe and comfortable inside your car with your family or friends. Interested bingo players can turn up on the night, drive in to the carpark, turn off their engines and buy a bingo book and follow the game instructions and the the calling of the numbers. Well



known Killarney personality Cllr Niall 'Botty' O'Callaghan will be the official Bingo number caller on the night and will keep everyone entertained and amused calling out the bingo nicknames such as 'Stairway to heaven', 'Jump and jive', 'Knock at the door' and 'Clickety click'.

Stewards and volunteers will be available to assist with any queries and give out winning cash prizes. Car parking will be also be assisted by club stewards and Covid-19 regulations will be in place while hand sanitiser will also be available.

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Part of an elite club, Les Clefs-d'Or - PC learned from the best



I'm not in the minority when I say I just love visiting the Killarney Park Hotel.

Recently awarded Tripadvisor's No.1 Luxury Hotel in Ireland & 2nd Overall Hotel of the Year. "It's a huge achievement for us Marie especially being in competition with other amazing luxury hotels throughout Ireland, a lot of which are in Killarney & Kerry" PC said. "We have a great team here at the hotel and enthusiasm, direction, comes from the top down. Janet, Padraig, Marcus & Niamh have a fantastic attitude to hospitality making every guest at the Killarney Park Hotel feel like the hotel is their home throughout their stay". I finished washing my hands and sanitising at the newly appointed sink just inside the front door at the concierge desk "Your Les Clefs-d'Or pins are bright as a button PC" I noticed them sparkle and thought I wonder if his wife Maura might have given them the once over in lieu of my visit with my zoom lens. Known locally as PC, Padraig Casey, is the Guest Relations Manager

at the Killarney Park Hotel and has a CV as long as your arm within the hospitality sector in Killarney.

Back to the Les Clef-d'Or pins which you can see on each of the lapels of Padraig's jacket. Translated as The Society of the Golden Keys, founded in Paris and Ireland were represented as a founding member with 45 members throughout Ireland to date, these pins are a big deal. A most elite club and here are the hoops you must jump through to become a member "You have to be nominated first Marie and once accepted you must apply in writing to be further considered as a member. Once your application is accepted you are assessed by a mystery shopper. If you pass this test you become a provisional member and remain on probation for 12 months. After that you get your keys" Padraig told me. I'm not surprised those keys were shining brightly. What an honour to wear them. Padraig's achievement within the Clef-d'Or Society does not end there either. In 2019 Padraig Casey was awarded Concierge of the Year. I wondered how many hurdles there were to jump to achieve this prestigious award? "Firstly you must be nominated by a person within the Irish Hotels Federation followed by a mystery shopper to deem you worthy of the title. Following that a written test should be completed and an interview there after, with John Toner MBE of Hastings Hotels. I was thrilled Marie". It's this kind of attention to detail that has earned the Killarney Park Hotel its title of No.1 Luxury Hotel in Ireland. They just have it.

So let's have a quick run through of Padraig's CV prior to these wonderful achievements. "Both my parents worked at the Arbutus Hotel so I grew up in the hospitality sector from an early age. Hotel owner Pat Buckley (RIP) was my training. He took me everywhere. He showed me the ropes of all departments within the hotel and I've been pulling pints since the age of 10. In 1990 at the age of 13, I was grateful to Dermot O'Leary (RIP), owner of the famous Flesk Restaurant on Main Street, for giving me my first job as barman. I was the only teenager going back to school on a top of the range bicycle Marie".

Padraig has always been a great worker starting at the Flesk moving to Galway for one year but returning to his beloved Killarney working in McSorleys, The Failte, Ryans Hotel, The Muckross Park Hotel, McSweeney Arms Hotel,

The Aghadoe Heights Hotel before moving to the Killarney Park Hotel where he has been for the past 5 years. "For each establishment I worked in, the owners & managers were very proud of our town Killarney and it has filtered through our community. I've met so many stand out characters. I think in Killarney, hospitality is second nature to us all" Padraig added. The sole reason I never returned to Tipperary. The people of Killarney welcomed me and in turn, throughout my own hospitality stint, welcomed the tourists. We both agreed that while our hotels, restaurants & bars were closed during lockdown that we were never so lucky to be locked down in such a beautiful place. "All of our Irish guests are thrilled when they arrive in Killarney having been locked down elsewhere. The guests are exceptional and extremely COVID 19 aware. There are many sinks throughout the public areas of the hotel and disinfectant mats. Business I have to say is very good but we have limited capacity too." "So how did lockdown treat you PC"? "My entire household is involved in the hotel industry Marie, well almost. My wife Maura works at the Aghadoe Heights Hotel. Emer works at the Dromhall Hotel and Daniel is an apprentice carpenter. I was kept busy all the time with home improvements which included a fairy garden for our daughter Aoibheann (7) who can't wait to get back to Fiona Crowley Stage School and to see her friends at Lissivigeen NS. Once the 20K had lifted I was able to visit places like Valentia Island, Dingle Peninsula, The Kerry Cliffs etc so I touched base with many within the tourism sector that I am often on the phone to in normal times". I complimented Padraig on his suit which was fitting rather well. "I'm a stone and a half down since lockdown Marie" Padraig told me. My ears pricked and I sat up a little straighter. "Wow tell me your secret please PC"? I asked "I used to know so many of the 'off the beaten track' highways & byways so I decided to do a little more research for the guests post Covid19. My good friend Paudie Cronin & I began running instead of meeting for drinks and we're still going". Looking well Mr PC and thank you for having me at the beautiful Killarney Park Hotel.

Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan for Gogglevox with the Killarney Outlook

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No more false starts; **detailed climate mitigation plans needed ASAP** *MEP Kelleher*

Fianna Fáil MEP, Billy Kelleher has said that the new Irish Government should only use "climate mitigation plans based on detailed scientific fact with firm deliverability measures" as it seeks to set out how the country will meet its Paris Agreement commitments.

The Ireland South MEP who is a member of the Parliament's Environment Committee was commenting following a decision of the Irish Supreme Court to quash the last government's plan to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

"Wishful thinking without detailed plans are a disservice to the climate and to future generations. We need to grapple with the existential challenge of climate change, and our dependence on fossil fuels, head on.

"I am aware that government are currently

fleshing out their detailed plans on how to hit the annual 7% carbon emissions cut. These plans must include all available options open to a society and economy like our own. Nothing should be off the table.

"The world's best scientists and engineers are working on new solutions every day. The Irish Government must look at everything and decide what is best for Ireland. Above all else, they must be realistic and deliver us the carbon savings we desperately need.

"False starts and badly developed plans only leave us open to greater climate risks and financial fines. Irish society gets the need to make the change to a low-carbon economy. Let's get detailed plans agreed and let's get to work. We don't have any more time to waste," concluded Kelleher.



Call for decision on the South Kerry Greenway

An Bórd Pleanála has been called upon to announce their decision on the granting of Planning Permission for The South Kerry Greenway. Councillor Michael Cahill said this week that the people of South Kerry deserve to be treated with respect and not be left hanging on through postponed announcement after postponed announcement.

"Nearly 10 months have passed now since the Oral Hearing commenced in Tralee and we all expected that the decision would have been known by now" said the Fianna Fáil Councillor.

"I understand that we had a change of Government and the interruption of the Covid-19 Pandemic, but this announcement is long past due" stated Councillor Cahill.

"The future plans of the majority of businesses in South Kerry depend on whether or not this project gets the go ahead. All stakeholders await the decision which will have such a major bearing on the livelihoods of generations to come and it should be delayed no longer" added the Rossbeigh based Councillor.

"A positive decision can be, as I've said before, a Gamechanger for all of South Kerry and beyond and I am very hopeful that is what the outcome will be" said Councillor Cahill.

CLIMATE CHANGE

A Kerry County Councillor has warned that significant investment is required in the county as we are suffering the debilitating affects of both Covid-19 and Climate Change. Fianna Fáil's Councillor Michael Cahill stated that while we, in Kerry, have been largely successful in restricting the spread of Covid-19, our local industries have been devastated by it, and the recent flooding shows we have a long way to go to combat Climate Change.

"Investment in flood and erosion defences in Kerry need to be stepped up big time if the likes of Kenmare, Sneem, Cromane, Dooks and Rossbeigh, etc, are to continue to be viable places in which to live and work" said Councillor Cahill.

"We need to rescue our lives and businesses following this outbreak

of disease but that will be pointless if we allow Climate Change to wreak even further havoc" said the Rossbeigh based Councillor.

"Both the threats posed by the Corona Virus and Climate Change need to be addressed of course, by changes in human behaviour but the immediate problems caused must be dealt with now and that will require significant Government/EU funding" said the Fianna Fáil man.



MINISTER FOLEY WELCOMES DECISION

Minister Norma Foley TD welcomes the decision to move families next week from the Skellig Star Direct Provision Centre. This will be followed by all residents in the coming weeks /months as alternative accommodation becomes available. This has been an anxious and difficult time for the residents of the Skellig Star since their arrival in mid March

at the Direct Provision Centre. I wish to acknowledge the support provided by the local community for the residents. This is the right decision for all concerned. I wish to thank Ministers Helen Mc Entee and Roderic O Gorman for their input.

Following the news that the pubs would not be opening on Monday next, **Deputy Danny Healy, TD issued the following statement.**

I am outraged as a Publican and as a TD representing the Publicans and Rural Ireland that pubs have not been given a chance to reopen their doors after almost 20 weeks, it is clear that there is no regard for Rural Pubs and the people in Rural Ireland who want to go to their local, It is legal for 10 people to gather in a private dwelling and that same number or less cannot now go into a public house, these are the ridiculous laws that the Government are forcing on the people of Rural Ireland.

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SOUTH KERRY REMEMBERS WEESHIE

The memory of the great Weeshie Fogarty will live long in the memory of many people in Kerry but one family in particular have decided to unveil a plaque in his honour.

Weeshie was well known for his work as a sports broadcaster for Radio Kerry where he hosted his own show called Terrace Talk on Monday evenings.

Last week, Brendan and Carmel Galvin from the Black Shop in Castlecove have honoured many people from South Kerry over the years on the wall across the road from The Black Shop which they own and run.

Among those who are also honoured on the wall is Eamon Fitzgerald, who was an olympion Hop, Step & Jump Champion from Castlecove and who also played for Kerry.

Weeshie's family were invited on the day for the unveiling of the plaque along with his friends, Christy and Geraldine Riordan from Caherciveen and Christy O'Connell, Chairman of the South Kerry Board who spoke at the unveiling.

Others who attended were Kathleen O'Sullivan, Con O'Shea, Louise Nolan, Jimmy O'Leary, Tommy Regan.

There were songs and stories, along with lots of tea and sandwiches as everyone there remembered with fondness the late great Weeshie Fogarty.



Kieran Fogarty, Louis Nolan, Joan Fogarty, Jimmy O Leary and Mary Regan pictured at the unveiling.



Great Legion men Jimmy O Leary, Louis Nolan and Tommy Regan.



Plaque unveiled to Weeshie Fogarty.



Brendan and Carmel Galvin pictured with Joan Fogarty after they unveiling a plaque for Weeshie Fogarty.



Kieran Fogarty, Louis Nolan, Joan Fogarty, Jimmy O Leary and Mary Regan pictured at the unveiling.



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By Billy Ryle

Leaving Cert calculated grades will be issued directly to candidates through the student portal on 7th September at 9.00am. Results will also be simultaneously issued to students' schools.

Normally, a candidate can apply through the appeal process to have scripts re-marked. Not so this year. While a candidate can submit an appeal from 14th September, the glaring anomaly this year is that the calculated grade cannot be appealed, only the paper trail which led to the grade awarded. The steps involved are:

- 1) a series of checks that the data was correctly entered at school level
- 2) a series of checks that the data was correctly transferred to the Department of Education and Skills (DES)
- 3) a review to establish that the data was correctly received and processed by the Department of Education and Skills.

What the Department of Education and Skills is playing-down and what candidates may not be aware of is that there is no facility this year to appeal the calculated grade awarded. This is a fundamental denial of a candidate's civil right to due process and a major departure from long established practice in the state exams. The fact that the State Examinations Commission (SEC) has withdrawn this year from the calculated grades process for legal reasons should not result in candidates being denied due process. The Department of Education and Skills must revisit the calculated grades appeal process to include a re-examination of the grade awarded. Last year for example, the Leaving Certificate

exams culminated in the issue of 395,117 grades to 56,071 candidates. A total of 9,049 candidates made applications to the State Examinations Commission for appeals against 16,965 grades leading to 2,916 upgrades. This meant that 17.2%, or 1 in every 6, of the grades appealed were upgraded. That is a very significant number.

Any candidate, who lodges an appeal this year, should be entitled to know if the mark submitted by her/his school has been reduced by the Department of Education and Skills. If so, on what grounds has it been reduced? The school has already undertaken three detailed steps in arriving at the mark before returning it to the Department of Education and Skills. That mark is the most accurate calculation available of the candidate's entitlement in the subject, as decided by those who are best placed to make it. Any attempt by the Department of Education and Skills to reduce the mark so that it complies with the 'normal curve' in abnormal times should take into consideration that the candidate is not an element of raw data but a young person with feelings, emotions, anxieties and dreams.

Let me give a very simple example to make my point. A H4 Grade, 60% but less than 70%, in Higher Level Irish is a minimum entry requirement for Primary Teaching. The school submits a mark of 61%, which fulfils the entry requirement. If, after a process of statistical standardisation based on previous years' results, the mark is reduced by the Department of Education and Skills to 59%, a H5 Grade, the candidate's ambition to become a Primary Teacher is cruelly dashed with no right to

appeal the grade.

On behalf of 61,000 Leaving Cert candidates, I am appealing to the Department of Education and Skills, in the immortal words of W B Yeats, to 'tread softly because you tread on my dreams.'

CHECKLIST

- ✓ Leaving Cert calculated grades will be issued to candidates on 7th Sept. at 9.00am
- ✓ Leaving Cert calculated grades will be simultaneously issued to students' schools
- ✓ A candidate can submit an appeal from 14th September to recheck the paper trail which led to the grade awarded
- ✓ In a major departure from standard practice, the calculated grade cannot be appealed
- ✓ In 2019, a total of 9,049 candidates lodged appeals against 16,965 grades
- ✓ 2,916 upgrades, 17.2%, or 1 in every 6, of the grades appealed were upgraded
- ✓ A candidate, who appeals this year, should be entitled to know if the mark submitted by her/his school has been reduced by the Department of Education and Skills
- ✓ A candidate, who appeals this year, should be entitled to know why the mark was reduced by the Department of Education and Skills
- ✓ A candidate's civil right to appeal a grade is a principle of natural justice
- ✓ A candidate is not an element of raw data but a young person with feelings, emotions, anxieties and dreams

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Tour de Munster *wheels into town this weekend*

Cyclists participating in the 20th annual Tour de Munster charity cycle will arrive in Killarney tomorrow, Saturday 8th August arriving in Aghadoe Heights from 3:45pm - 3:55pm and then wheeling down to Deenagh Lodge where they will take a break from 4 - 4.30pm before heading to Kenmare to finish stage 3 of the race.

Celebrating 20 years this August, the Tour will see cyclists travel 600km over four days across the six counties of Munster in order to raise vital funds and awareness for Munster's branches of Down Syndrome Ireland (DSI), as well as individual beneficiaries.

The Munster branches of Down Syndrome Ireland play a vital role in the lives of children and adults with Down syndrome in Munster, and funds are urgently required in order for the branches to continue providing their vital services. As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Munster branches of Down Syndrome Ireland have seen the majority of their vital fundraising events cancelled over the past number of months, and are now facing increased costs as they prepare to re-open their doors. Sean Kelly, who is a huge supporter of the event has once again joined the tour.



Picture ahead of this year's tour are Nichola Power and her daughters Caoimhe (front), Cliona (right) and Cara along with Paul Sheridan, Founder and Tour Organiser.
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Celebrations at The Lake Hotel



Celebrating at The Lake Hotel, Killarney are staff members Josh Harrison, Anthony Barber, Sheila O'Callaghan, Agnieszka Porucznik, Noel Enright, Katarzyna Iwanicka, Florian Lekndreaj, Ashley Dunlea after the hotel was voted Tripadvisor 6th Best Hotel in Ireland from a total of 950 hotels reviewed. The luxurious family run hotel was also recognised in 2 other categories, listed as the number 2 hotel in Ireland under the Romance category and are placed at number 11 in Ireland in the Service category. PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE

The Tripadvisor Travellers' Choice awards were announced last week and The Lake Hotel are thrilled to be awarded number 6 hotel in Ireland from a total of 950 hotels reviewed.

The luxurious family run hotel was also recognised in 2 other categories, listed as the number 2 hotel in Ireland under the Romance category and are placed at number 11 in

Ireland in the Service category. The top hotel lists are determined based on the quality and ratings of the millions of guest reviews and opinions shared on TripAdvisor.

Sales & Marketing Manager, Sheila O'Callaghan commented; "We would like to extend a heartfelt Thank You to our wonderful guests who have given such incredible feedback and a huge Congratulations to our colleagues for

their hard work and dedication in delivering a quality service. We are extremely proud of our team, to be recognised in 3 categories and among such great company is a real testament to their commitment."

The Lake Hotel was also listed as number 2 in Ireland in the Romance category. With breathtaking views and direct access to the Lakes of Killarney, the charming property is the perfect location for a romantic retreat. The hotel has been the chosen location for numerous proposals over the years and has a wide variety of romantic offerings on its doorstep. Whilst staying at The Lake, couples often take a boat trip across the lakes, enjoy a walk to the pier beside the 12th century McCarthy Mór castle ruins, relax and unwind in the outdoor hot tub, take a horse & carriage tour through Killarney National Park, visit the nearby Torc waterfall, and dine in the award winning Castlelough Restaurant. The Lake Hotel really is the perfect location for a romantic getaway.

The Lake Hotel offers an exquisite location and a unique experience for all its visitors. The four star, family owned property has been in the Huggard family name for over 100 years, a long tradition of warm Irish hospitality awaits. Surrounded by nature and yet, only 2kms from Killarney town centre, the hotel is perfectly located to explore all that the wonderful Killarney area has to offer. The Lake Hotel boasts 131 beautifully decorated bedrooms and all dining options are enveloped with views of Lough Lein and with a magnificent backdrop of mountains, islands, woodlands and the 12th century McCarty Mór castle ruins.

LET'S GET **KILLARNEY TRENDING** TONIGHT

As Killarney celebrity chef continues on his "Treyvaud Travels" on Virgin Media One tonight, (Friday 6th August) this week he is coming from Killarney. In the show, Paul Treyvaud travels around Ireland, bringing you to some iconic locations and Killarney is no different. From eating porridge on the grass in front of Muckross House to cooking up a storm on top of Cardiac Hill, Paul brings his unique style to our screens and in this week's show he is joined by some Killarney locals. On his travels, Paul meets up with some great characters

and cooks incredible dishes in stunning locations, along the cliffs and mountain tops.

In this week's show Paul meets Mike Tangney and enjoys the porridge that Paul cooked in the National Park in a horse and carriage. From flambeing his wild berries for his pancake dish in the woods, to enjoying a well deserved beer with Tim O'Donoghue from The Killarney Brewing Company.

So make sure you tune into Virgin Media One tonight, and tweet #TreyvaudTravels and #Killarney to get the town trending.



Treyvaud Travels Killarney County Kerry. Paul enjoying a well deserved beer with Tim from Killarney Brewery.



2 Treyvaud Travels Killarney County Kerry. Paul reaches the summit of Cardiac Hill to reveal it's stunning view.



Treyvaud Travels Killarney County Kerry. Paul Flambeing his wild berries for his pancake dish in the woods.



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Last weekend, Round 2 games were played in the Kerry Petroleum Club Championship. All the results and tables can be found on the Kerry GAA website. CCC met on Sunday night to set the fixtures for Round 3. For the Senior Club Championship, the top team in each Group qualifies for the Final. The lowest placed team in each Group will play in the relegation play-offs – subject to the following exemption – any team that qualifies for the Senior County Championship Final cannot be relegated. Where this occurs, the following shall apply – where only one of the lowest placed team in either Group qualifies for the Senior County Championship Final, the remaining lowest placed team in the other Group is relegated. Where the lowest placed team from both Groups qualify for the Senior County Championship Final, the third placed team in both groups play-off to decide who is relegated.

For the Intermediate, Junior Premier and Junior Championships, the top two teams in each Group are in the Quarter Finals. In terms of qualifying for the Quarter Finals of the Club Championship there is no advantage in finishing first or second in the Group. The Quarter Final draw is open and venues are neutral. The two teams that played in the same Group cannot meet in the Quarter

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In the Junior Championship the lowest placed team in each Group will play in the Novice Champion-

ship. The CCC may allow other Junior teams who have not qualified for the Quarter Finals to play in the Novice where a case for their inclusion can be justified.

In the event of teams finishing on equal points in the Group Stages of the Club Championships, the tie shall be decided by the following means and in the order specified:

- Where two Teams only are involved – the outcome of the meeting of the two Teams in the Group
- Score difference – subtracting the total Scores against from the total Scores for.
- Highest Total Score For

- Highest Total Goals For
- In the event that two teams or more finish with equal points, but have been affected by a disqualification, loss of game on a proven objection, retirement or walk over, the tie shall be decided as per Rule 6.21 (4) (d) (OG 2020).
- A Play-Off

LIVE-STREAM GAMES

This weekend Kerry GAA are live-streaming two more games. On Friday night the game is at 7pm between Kenmare Shamrocks and Dr Crokes. On Saturday the game is at 5pm between Killarney Legion and Austin Stacks. Both games can be purchased now on the Kerry GAA website for €5 per game. Our thanks to Templenoe and Dingle, both of whom had their grounds in immaculate condition for last weekend's live-streams.

KEANE'S SUPERVALU KILLORGLIN MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

The draw for Round 2 of the Minor Championship was made on Tuesday in the beautifully refurbished Keane's SuperValu store in Killorglin. These games are fixed for next Monday evening. Just like the Club Championship, these fixtures are all ticket and tickets are available through the Club or District.

The fixtures are as follows – Feale Rangers V East Kerry, South Kerry V West Kerry, St Brendans V Mid Kerry and Furies V Killarney Legion.

BEAUFORT GAA NOTES

Beaufort took on John Mitchels at home in Round 2 of the Intermediate Championship. Beaufort opened the scoring with a point from Liam Carey after 30 seconds and the game was very evenly matched up until the water break, with Beaufort's scores coming from Seán O'Brien, Jack O'Connor and Ciarán Kennedy, with John Mitchels leading by a point at the water break on a scoreline of 0-5 to 0-4. John Mitchels came out strong after the water break and scored three points without return, and while Beaufort had two frees, from Jack and Fergal, John Mitchels led at halftime on a scoreline of 0-9 to 0-6. Mitchels opened the scoring in the second half widening the gap, but this was short lived as a goal from Jack O'Connor and a point from Fergal Hallissey had the teams level 5 minutes into the second half. Mike Breen's black card put Beaufort at a disadvantage, but further points from Liam Carey, Fergal Hallissey and Ciarán Kennedy put Beaufort ahead by 1 just heading into the



water break on a scoreline of 1-10 to 0-12. An interception out the field and hard work by the Beaufort forwards led to a great goal for Sean O'Brien with 11 minutes to play. Beaufort took control of the game from then on, and while Mitchels scored some great points, Beaufort scores from Ciarán, Fergal and Mike ensured a victory for Beaufort on a scoreline of 2-13 to 0-16. They will now face St Mary's in Cahersveen next weekend

Beaufort team: Sean Coffey, Ger Hartnett, Sean

Kelliher, Ciaran O'Sullivan, Jonathan Kissane, Mike Breen, Liam Curran, Nathan Breen, Sean O'Brien, Ian McGillicuddy, Liam Carey, Fergal Hallissey, Jack O'Connor, Ciarán Kennedy, Padraig Doona.

Subs: James Reilly, Padraig O'Sullivan, Danny Healy.

U12

Congratulations to our U12 boys who had a great win over Laune Rangers last Sunday.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the Doyle family on the death of Pete, from all at Beaufort GAA. Pete was heavily involved in Beaufort GAA and those who knew him have very fond memories. RIP.

SYMPATHY is also extended to the Doyle family on the death of Denny. Denny was a great supporter of Beaufort and was in Croke Park last February for the All Ireland Junior Final. RIP.

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COISTE NA NOG

Training continues on to the pitch in Farranfore with U6 and U8 boys and girls & U10 boys on Saturday. All new player welcome. All players are reminded to bring their own water bottles. Parents are encouraged to drop and go. Remember No membership/No Health Questionnaire - No play. Thank all parents, coaches and players for their co-operation with covid procedures.

Please note that it is now mandatory that all players of all codes MUST pay €2 for training.

Firies U8 & U10 Boys welcomed Kilcummin on Sunday morning for an all East Kerry series of Go Games. Many thanks to the Firies and Kilcummin coaches for their direction and well done to all the boys on their fantastic performances.

U12 BOYS

Firies U12 boys completed their county league phase 1 group games at the weekend. The A and B teams were unbeaten in the campaign with victories over Milltown Castlemaire, Annascaul, Lispolie and Keel. Both teams played some excellent free flowing football in the process and now await phase 2 on 15th August. Well done both teams and thanks to parents for their support.

COVID 19 RETURN TO PLAY

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

<https://returntoplay.gaa.ie/>

2020 MEMBERSHIP

2020 membership can now be renewed online. Follow the links on our social media accounts or search for Firies GAA via the "Find My Club" Button on www.clubforce.com or download the clubforce app. Alternatively, you can make contact with Club Secretary Kevin Cronin, Peter Costello, Paudie O'Sullivan Hurling or Fiona Walsh or any club officer/ Mentor or Member and they will be able to give you further details. All players must be registered before playing or training.

HURLING

Training continues in Farranfore on Thursdays from 7 to 8pm for U6 to U12. All new boys and girls are more than welcome to join, all hurling gear provided for newcomers.

JUNIOR PREMIER CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

GP 3 - RD 2:

Firies welcomed Finuge to Pairc Eamonn for Rd 2 of the Junior Premier Championship on Saturday evening. It was wet evening for football with a lot of missed chance by both sides. Firies made 4 changes from the team in the programme with Jack Sherwood, Sean Burke, Con O'Mahoney and Josh Flynn all coming in instead of Mike Daly, Jake Flynn, Padraig O'Mahoney and Shane Burke. Finuge got off to the quicker start and in between 2 wides kicked the opening point from the lively Shane Conway after 5 minutes. Two minutes later Firies opened their account from a Padraig De Brun point. In the 10th minute, Firies had a great goal chance but the ball went wide from a close range shot from Donnacha. A minute later, a long free driven into the square was fielded well by Darragh Shannahan and he made no mistake and drove it into the net. Finuge intercepted the resulting kick out and kicked nother point to



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lead 1-02 to 0-01. Both Finuge and Fries, added two further point each before the water break, the Firies scores coming from Aaron Flynn and another free from Donnacha. The left the score 1-04 to 0-03 in favour of Finuge after 16 mins. In the 18th minute, Firies had their second goal chance but again Donnacha was denied, this time the ball was deflected out for a 45. Finuge then kicked two wides in a row before Firies had their 3rd goal chance of the half. This time great credit must go to the Finuge goalkeeper, Martin Stackpoole who made a double ave from Jack Sherwood and Donnacha. Then in the 23rd minute, Jason Wallace took his teams second goal chance to leave the score 2-04 to 0-03. A minute later Finuge added another point. A very fit looking Finuge were dominating the middle third of the field and made it very difficult for Firies to direct any good ball into their tightly marked forwards. Firies another free from Donnacha, while Finuge added two further points, a free from Pat Corridan and a point from play for Shane Conway. This left the half time score Finuge 2-07 Firies 0-04. Firies got the forst score in the second half after a minute from Darragh Donohue but Finuge then got four unanswered points to lead 2-11 to 0-05 after 41 minutes of play. Sean Burke kicked a point in the 42nd minute but thus was cancelled out by a Shane Conway point a minute later. A further minute later, the commanding Pat Corridan at centre back for Finuge, kicked a great point to take their lead to 13 points. Just before the waterbreak, the lively Aaron Flynn kicked another great point to leave the score 2-13 to 0-07 in favour of Finuge. Firies made three changes at the water break with Mike Daly, Shane Burke and Dylan Callaghan all coming into the game. Firies did kick two quick point after the break from Aaron and a free from Donnacha to cut the deficit to 10 points. After this point Finuge retained possession for long periods which eventually resulted in a point in the 57th minute. Then with the last kick of the game, Firies got a

goal when a deflected shot from Padraig de Brun made it way inside the post.

Final score Finuge 2-14 Firies 1-09. Next up for Firies is an away fixture against Keel next Sunday at 2.30pm

Team: Trevor O'Shea, Josh Flynn, Diarmuid Brosnan, Brian O'Leary, Niall Donohue, Diarmuid O'Mahoney, Liam Brosnan, Patrick Daly, Con O Mahoney, Sean Burke, Jack Sherwood, Darragh Donohue, Aaron Flynn, Donnacha O'Sullivan, Padraig De Brun. Subs Used: Mike Daly, Dylan Callaghan, Shane Burke, Sean Cooper.

RESULTS

Junior Premier Club Championship Gp 3 - Rd 2
Finuge 2-14 Firies 1-09

U12 Hurling Firies 3-05 Kilgarvan 4-03

U14 Hurling Firies 2-09 South Kerry 0-05

FIXTURES

Junior Premier Club Championship Gp 3 - Rd 3 Vs
Keel Sunday 9th at 14.30 in Keel

U12 Hurling Friday 7th away Vs Rathmore at 7pm

U14 Hurling Sat 8th away Vs Rathmore at 5pm

KEEL GAA CLUB

SENIORS Kerry Petroleum County Junior Premier Club Football Championship, Group 3, Round 2.

Keel: 1-11(14) Listry: 1-12(15) in Listry.

It was Keel who travelled to Listry on Sunday for the round 2 encounter. It promised to be an exciting battle between the sides who were both looking for a victory from the decider.

Keel made two changes from the team named in the match programme. Dylan Prendergast started instead of Eoin O'Neill and Luke Flynn replaced Daniel Ashe. It was Listry who opened the scoring in the first minute with a point from play from their corner forward Barry Keane. Following the kick out from Stephen Cahillane the Keel mid-field of Thomas Ladden and Tommy Buckley worked the ball quickly up the field and supplied a great ball into Aaron Murphy who secured the forward mark and slotted this over. Ronan Buckley earned his side a free 30 metres from goal in the 3rd minute and he slotted this between the posts. Gary Sayers earned a free for Keel in the 5th minute and he kicked this one from 45 metres out off the left which curled back in towards the post in the last few seconds for a fantastic score. It was two points apiece after 4 minutes. Keel had the opportunity to go ahead in the 5th minute however, this tailed to the left and wide from the boot of Dylan Prendergast. Anthony Sweeney had his first opportunity at a shot in the 6th minute but, it sailed to the left of the post. In the 8th minute Keel went ahead for the first time in the game with a free from Aaron Murphy. Gary Sayers had another opportunity from a free 45 metres out on the side-line but unfortunately this did not have the accuracy as his previous effort. Ronan Buckley levelled the game in the 12th minute with a free straight in front of the goals from the 21-metre line. It was Keel who won the kick-out from Stephen Cahillane and Gary Sayers gave a direct ball into full forward Aaron Murphy who was subsequently fouled on the 21, and Sayers slotted this free over off the left. Just before the water break Keel gained possession and another long ball was given into Aaron Murphy who called for the forward mark.

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Aaron converted this before referee Eddie Barret called for the water break on the 16th minute. It was Keel 0-05, Listry 0-03. Listry started swiftly after the water break with a free from their corner forward Anthony Sweeney after Barry Keane was fouled by the Keel defence. Thomas Ladden won the kick out from Listry keeper Colm Counihan and it was Darragh Dowd who had the shot at goals. This shot drifted slightly to the left and wide of the post. Barry Keane added to his tally shortly afterwards with a point from play. The game was level again on the 23rd minute, 5 points apiece. The Keel defence did brilliantly to gain possession from the kick out. Sean Corcoran and Garret Prendiville brought the ball up the field before Thomas Ladden made a direct run through the middle before popping the ball off to Gary Sayers who added to his tally with a point from play. Keel had another chance to go two points ahead but the shot from Dylan Prendergast went to the right of the post. In the 25th minute Listry had a chance to go ahead with a goal chance from however, the Keel did well to bottle up the Listry attackers before Donal O'Neill threw his body on the line to stop the Listry chance. In the 28th minute the game was level again following a point from play from the Listry wing back Danny Wren. This was followed with a goal chance for Keel in the 29th minute from Luke Flynn which was blocked by the Listry defence. Dylan Prendergast collected the rebound which was blocked again by Listry. On the third attempt Gary Sayers slotted the ball over the bar. It was Barry Keane who finished the scoring in the first half with a point from play in additional time. The half time score was Keel 0-07, Listry 0-07. Both sets of spectators looked forward to the 2nd half of football after a very entertaining first half. Ronan Buckley opened the scoring in the 2nd half with a point from play after 2 minutes. Shortly after Gary Murphy won an excellent free just outside the 21 and Gary Sayers converted this. Keel made their first substitution of the game with James Nagle replacing Darragh O'Dowd. In the 5th minute a high ball was floated into Aaron Murphy from the boot of Gary Sayers. Murphy did well to secure the ball for a goal chance but unfortunately the Listry goalkeeper Colm Counihan threw his body on the ball and referee Eddie Barret awarded a free to the Listry side. In the 7th minute Anthony Sweeney kicked an excellent score from play for Listry which put them a point ahead. Listry gained possession from the kickout and were working it through their half back line when Gary Sayers turned over the ball. Luke Flynn made a direct run through the middle before being fouled on the 21 by the Listry defence. Aaron Murphy converted the point which levelled the game again. It was Keel 0-09, Listry 0-09. Keel added another to the scoreboard on the 12th minute with a point from play from Gary Sayers. Listry gained possession and began their attack. The ball was given into the dangerous Anthony Sweeney however, substitute James Nagle and corner back Gavin Evans worked extremely hard and they made a crucial turn over which was quickly moved down the field through Sean Corcoran, Gary Murphy and Gary Sayers which resulted in a free for Keel which Gary Sayers converted. It was Keel 0-11, Listry 0-09. In the 15th minute Listry were on



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attack again but Gavin Evans turned over the ball and Listry centre forward Ronan Buckley was sent to the sin-bin after a foul on centre back Shane Prendiville. From this free Keel worked the ball promptly up the field. Donal O'Neill made a super run from the Keel defence and spotted Gary Murphy on the opposite side of the square. With an excellent hand pass across the square Gary Murphy made no mistake and fisted the ball into the back of the Listry net. With 18th minutes gone it was Keel 1-11, Listry 0-09. The water break came at a good time for Marc O'Sé's side to re-evaluate their tactics and plan a comeback from 5 points down. Keel had a chance just after the water break however, the ball drifted wide from the boot of Aaron Murphy. In the 25-minute Listry opened up the Keel defence and it was the Keel/Listry minor captain Ruairi Murphy who made a direct run from the side-line and finished the ball in the back of the Keel net. It was Keel 1-11, Listry 1-09. Anthony Sweeney levelled the game for his side with a free in the 28th minute and a 45 in the 32nd minute of the 2nd half. Barry Keane kicked the winning point for Listry 3 minutes into injury time off the right boot. Keel worked hard to get the ball into a scoring position to level the game however it was too late, and Eddie Barret blew the full-time whistle. The full-time score was Keel: 1-11(14) Listry: 1-12(15)

This was a very entertaining contest and it was evident that both sides were eager to win. Keel will take on Furies next weekend at home in Keel. Keel: Stephen Cahillane, Gavin Evans, Donal O'Neill, Garret Prendiville, Luke Flynn, Shane Prendiville, Sean Corcoran, Thomas Ladden, Darragh O'Dowd, Gary Sayers, Aaron Cahillane, Gary Murphy, Dylan Prendergast, Aaron Murphy, Tommy Buckley

Subs used: James Nagle for Darragh O'Dowd, Eoin O'Neill for Luke Flynn, Daniel Ashe for Garret Prendiville

Management: Alfie Giles, Kieran Flynn, James Nagle, Paddy Hillard

Listry: Colm Counihan, Denis O'Leary, Billy O'Brien, Caolan Ryan, Danny Wren, Anthony Kennedy, John Foley, Jimmy O'Leary, Damian Clifford, Ruairi Murphy, Ronan Buckley, Sean Lehan, Anthony Sweeney, Aaron McCarthy, Barry Keane.

Subs used: Sean O'Sullivan for Aaron McCarthy,

Paul O'Donoghue for Sean Lehan Management: Marc O'Sé, Mike Broderick, Colman O'Shea.

TICKETS

Due to COVID-19 restrictions and GAA guidelines on match attendance there will be a limited number of tickets available to us for next weekend's game in Keel against Furies on Sunday the 9th at 2:30. It will be club members getting priority over non-members when it comes to ticket allocation. If you would like to attend the game, we ask that you contact the secretary Donal Ashe (087) 099 0847 or any club officer or message us on Facebook immediately to ensure your name is taken. It is extremely important to note that showing your interest in attending the match does not guarantee you a ticket for the game. This is due to the limited amount of tickets available. Please note any update regarding tickets will be posted on Facebook and Twitter.

U16 Keel/Listry took on Castlegregory on Monday evening the 27th in Keel at 7pm. It was the visitors who got off to a better start in the first half and managed to convert two goals chances. The half time score was Keel/Listry 0-08, Castlegregory 2-08. The second half was an exciting battle and both teams showed tremendous skill. Keel/Listry came out victorious on the scoreline of Keel/Listry 4-13, Castlegregory 3-13. Well done to the boys and their management. Keel/Listry will travel Annascaul/Lispole in Round 3 on Monday the 10th of August at 7pm.

U14 Congratulations to our U14s, Keel/Listry A who had a winning start on Wednesday last in their county league game against An Ghaeltacht. The final score was Keel/Listry 5-19, An Ghaeltacht 2-06. Well done to the boys and their coaches. In round 2, on Wednesday the 5th of August Keel/Listry A will travel to Castlegregory and Keel/Listry B will travel to Laune Rangers B. Both games will kick off at 7pm. Best of luck to both teams and their coaches. In round 3 on Wednesday the 12th of August Keel/Listry A will be at home to Milltown/Castlemaine and Keel/Listry B will be at home to Milltown/Castlemaine B. Both games will kick off at 7pm. Venues to be confirmed. This will be posted on social media.

U12 Keel U12's played host to a strong and fancied Furies team on Sunday evening. On a perfect evening for football a real display of

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heart and determination was shown by our lads. Getting off to a quick start was key to a very good showing. In the end we came up just shy, losing out on a score line of 5-13 to 5-19. This was a much improved performance with everyone raising their game. The fitness is coming on well, but we need to keep working. On the night we had a great performance in goals from Shea O'Sullivan with some fantastic saves and excellent kick outs. In the backs, Cathal Hickey put in a strong performance, Dylan O'Connor was his usual determined self with Bart Flynn tirelessly fighting for everything. In midfield Allyn O'Shea (Captain for the night) lead from the front with some great play and scoring 2-05. Brien Mangan as usual was everywhere, really driving the team on. Upfront Ryan Costello, just back from a long spin to Co. Down got back into the swing of things quickly and played a leading role on the night. Conor Flaherty in his first year with the U12's played his heart out and topped off a brilliant performance with a great goal. Erin Evans led the inside line with an excellent performance after been introduced. A tough loss to take on the night having run Firies so close, but very heartening to see such a strong performance. Many thanks to William Harmon for reffing the game as well. U12's are back training this Tuesday evening at 6.30pm with a second session planned for Thursday evening at 6.30pm.

U10 Training resumed on Thursday the 30th for our U10s. There was a great turn out from the children who were all eager and enthusiastic to return. Training will continue on Thursday from 6:30-7:30. Parents, please ensure the Covid-19 eLearning Module and the return to play health questionnaire are completed and responded through the Spond app. Coaches are asking parents and guardians to have their child/children at the pitch for 6:30 so training can begin promptly at 6:30. Don't forget your mouth guard and your own water with your name on it.

U8S AND U6S Great to be back at the field again! Lots of enthusiastic boys and girls showed off their skills as training returned on Sunday morning. Well done to everyone. It was lovely to see all the smiling faces back at Keel GAA. Thanks to all parents for ensuring all the return to play.ie

protocols were adhered to. Training continues on Sunday from 9:45 to 11am. Don't forget your mouth guard and your own water with your name on it.

CLUB LOTTO Thank you to everyone who supported the resumption of our club lotto last week. The draw took place on Sunday August 2nd live on Facebook. The numbers drawn were 1,5,12,18. There was no winner of the jackpot of €4,500. The €50 prizes go to Dónal Ashe, Gortnahulla and Eileen Murphy, Shanakeale. We appreciate your continued support of our club lotto. Tickets can be bought in Benson's Quikpick, Cronin's Circle K, Helen's XL, The Anvil Bar, Foley's Bar and from any of the club officers. Tickets cost €2 for 1 ticket, 3 tickets for €5.

CLUB GEAR A full list of club merchandise available and in stock has been posted on our social media. All other gear must be ordered privately online at O'Neills, Azzurri and TheGAAstore. Enquiries to PJ Ryan on 0872916238.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership of Keel GAA Club has reopened following the temporary shut down over the past months. There are various membership options to suit all circumstances and those wishing to avail of membership should contact Brian Prendergast 087 4554431. Due to the Covid 19 restrictions in place in relation to having limited numbers attending games it will be club members getting priority over non members when it comes to ticket allocation for the upcoming games. This ticket allocation system will remain in place until these current restrictions are lifted.

DR. CROKES

SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Dr. Crokes 1-10 Kerins O'Rahillys 0-11. On Saturday evening last in Dr. Crokes grounds we had a dour battle with the visitors from Tralee in this second round tie.

The visitors started the livelier and led 0-03 to 0-00 after nine minutes thanks to points from David Moran and Jack Savage 0-02 David Shaw opened our account in the 10th minute quickly followed by another minor from Tony Brosnan to narrow the gap. 2 Savage with a free on 17 stretched the visitors lead 3 Brosnan points levelled matters 0-04 apiece after 24 minutes and then came the decisive score when Chris Doncel finished to the net to put us 1-04 to 0-04. Further points by Miceal Burns and Shaw stretched our lead to four but Mullins and Savage narrowed the gap to two before the half-time break 1-06 to 0-07. On the resumption Brosnan & Savage exchanged minors Mullins & Savage with further points for the visitors levelled matters, Brosnan with an immediate response inched us ahead after 23 minutes. Moran levelled matters in the 26th but a masterstroke from Crokes management introducing the wily campaigner Kieran O'Leary who instantly inched us ahead and a late Brosnan point sealed the victory. In one last attack Goalkeeper Shane Murphy was called on to make a top class save from Gavin O'Brien.

We now play Kenmare (A) on Friday next 7pm with the winners qualify for final.

LIVE STREAMING

we would like to thank Kerry Co. Board CLG for given permission to stream last Saturdays game and to Sideline Eye for the providing the service.

Thank you to John C O'Shea Ed. McSweeney James Hurley Tatyana McGough James Fleming and Niall O'Callaghan for their input.

The reaction has been very positive especially from our diaspora with many thousand of views.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Dr. Crokes 3-17 Abbeydorney 1-09. We have a home q/f on August 17th @ 6pm.

LADIES our minors had a comprehensive victory over Beaufort on Friday last in the opening round of the Co. League. there was some superb football played against a side that defeated in last years final. Well done to U16 girls who made the step up to minor this season.

FIXTURES Tues, 4th Aug u12 girls at home to MKL Gaels B @ 6pm Wed, 5th Aug U16 girls at home to Fossa @ 7pm Friday, 7th Aug Minor girls at home to Scartaglin @ 7pm Sunday, 9th Aug U14 girls at home to Abbeydorney @ 7pm

Mon, 10 Aug Senior ladies at home to Laune Rangers @ 7pm.

LOTTO draw took place on Monday August 3rd numbers drawn were 2 12 16 21 Jackpot not won 8 patrons matched 3 numbers and receive €50. Jackpot for draw on August 10th will be €5,600

We are calling on all members to support our weekly lotto as this represents one of the main sources of revenue for the club. With activity likely to recommence on the fields over the next few weeks we need people's support to maintain our facilities in Lewis's Road. We have made a number of alterations to make things easier for members to play the easiest one being to play it online by following the link below And follow instructions attached

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SCHOLARSHIP There are a series of postgraduate scholarships that might be of interest to players/members. These are for Masters programmes at the ITT, with some scholarships covering fees and a monthly stipend, others fees only. Those who enrol at the IT Tralee in academic year 20/21 will graduate from the Munster Technological University. INFO available on www.drcrokes.com.

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SYMPATHY to the relatives of Niamh McSweeney whose sons Fionn & Oisín are members of our Academy.

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EAST KERRY GAA

By Michael O'Mahony

CONDOLENCE

Sympathy to the family of Peter Galwey Castleisland & Currow was a very prominent Player with the Currow juvenile & Senior Gaa Teams in the Sixties & Seventies May He Rest In Peace.

COISTE CHONTAE CHIARRAI

Fixtures – Kerry Petroleum Club Championships
Note 1 - Number of points gained by each team after 2 Rounds indicated in brackets

Note 2 - Games shaded need to played at the same time/date.

Senior Club – Rd 3 = 1st named = Home Venue

Group 1 Fri Aug 7 @ 7pm

Kenmare Shamrocks (4) v (4) Dr Crokes (live stream) Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Kerins O Rahillys (0) v (0) Templenoe

Group 2 Sat Aug 8 @ 5pm

Killarney Legion (2) v (3) Austin Stacks (live stream)

Kilcummin (0) v (3) Dingle

*Venues subject to change to facilitate live streaming of games

INTERMEDIATE CLUB – RD 3 = 1ST NAMED = HOME VENUE

Group 1

Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

John Mitchels (2) v (4) An Ghaeltacht

St Marys (0) v (2) Beaufort

Group 2

Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Spa (4) v (4) Na Gaeil

Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

Currow (0) v (0) Glenflesk

Group 3

Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Ardfert (0) v (1) Rathmore

Desmonds (4) v (3) Laune Rgs

Group 4

Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

Milltown/C'maine (2) v (4) Glenbeigh/G'car (Killorglin) Waterville (0) v (2) Dromid

JUNIOR PREMIER CLUB – RD 3 = 1ST NAMED = HOME VENUE

Group 1 Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Gneeveguilla (3) v (4) Fossa

St Pats Blennerville (1) v (0) Ballyduff

Group 2 Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

Brosna (4) v (4) Ballymac

St Mls/F'more (0) v (0) Churchill

Group 3 Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

Keel (0) v (0) Furies

Finuge (4) v (4) Listry

Group 4 Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

Listowel Emmets (1) v (2) Ballydonoghue

St Senans (1) v (4) Skellig Rgs

Junior Club – Rd 3 (Neutral Venues)

Group 1 Sun Aug 9 @ 2.30pm

Duagh (4) v (4) Reenard Cromane

Moyvane (0) v (0) Asdee Ballylongford

Group 2 Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Valentia (0) v (2) Cordal Glenbeigh

Scartaglin (3) v (3) Beale Duagh

Group 3 Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Annascaul (4) v (2) Kilgarvan Ballymac

Knocknagoshel (2) v (0) Sneem/D'nane Beaufort

Group 4 Sat Aug 8 @ 7pm

Lispole (1) v (0) Cromane Furies

Tarbert (4) v (3) Castlegregory Churchill



Killarney Legion Senior Ladies who played v Moyvane in the Championship at the weekend.

MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE NEWS

MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Congratulations to Mid Kerry who defeated Laune Rangers on Sunday evening last on a scoreline of 2/22 to 2/12, in Round 1 of the Keane's SuperValu County Minor Football Championship in Killorglin. Well done in particular to club players Jack Teahan,, Anthony Kelliher, Conor Spillane, Cillian Burke, Liam Roche, Patrick O' Sullivan and Brendan Casey who were part of the panel. A fantastic victory for the team who are managed by our own senior player Cathal Moriarty. Best of luck in the next round.

Under 12's: Well Done to both of our U12 teams on who came out on top in two super games against Annascaul/Lispole. Our Green Team won a fantastic contest 5-19 v 5-13 and our White Team had an equally enthralling encounter coming out on top by a score of 5-16 v 5-14. Thank you to all the coaches, parents and players for a fantastic evening of football. Thanks also to our hosts on a lovely evening in Lispole along with our Coiste na nÓg sponsors Foleys Spar.

UNDER 10'S

Well done to our 2 U.10 teams who had great performances in Ballymac during the week. It's fantastic to see such great progress in your football skills and even more delightful to see you all having such fun!

Thanks so much to your wonderful coaches and to Ballymac for hosting our teams and giving us 2 sporting games.

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

"South Kerry men rise to the challenge at home and claim deserved victory"

County Intermediate Club Football Championship Group 4, Round 2: CLG Piersaigh na Dromoda 1-13 Milltown/Castlemaine 1-09. By Dara O'Connor

The scenic South of our wonderful county was the destination on Sunday last for Round 2 of the Intermediate Club Football Championship as Milltown/Castlemaine faced into their second clash against South Kerry opposition in the space of a week. In Round 1 these sides had contrasting fortunes with Milltown/Castlemaine beating Waterville whilst Dromid Pearses lost out to Glenbeigh/Glenear so both teams had different motivating factors coming into the contest with Milltown/Castlemaine looking to book a Quarter-

Final spot and Dromid Pearses looking to bounce back and keep their hopes of a top two finish intact. It was the South Kerry side, Dromid Pearses who came out of the blocks the quicker of the two sides and one would have to say dominated the opening quarter. Chris Farrelly (who would go on to score a crucial goal in the last kick of the opening half) with an early free settled the home side. Further scores from wing-back Padraig O'Sullivan, county player Graham O'Sullivan who turned in a brilliant performance and two Niall O'Shea frees in the 10th and 12th minutes seen Dromid lead 0-5 to 0-1 with a sole contribution from Cathal Moriarty from play on the turn in the 6th minute for the away side.

Jonathan O'Sullivan registered his first point of the afternoon for the visitors on 13 minutes from a 21 yard free to make it 0-5 to 0-2 but this was quickly responded to by the impressive Dylan O'Donoghue playing at centre-forward for Dromid who was causing plenty problems. O'Sullivan through another free had the gap back to three at 0-6 to 0-3 by the 20th minute.

David Roche did create a good goal opportunity shortly after but a brilliant save by Donal O'Sullivan kept the effort at bay.

Niall O'Shea, playing at full forward for Dromid and who contributed 0-6 in total exchanged scores from frees with O'Sullivan to keep the margin of the lead at a goal, now 0-7 to 0-4 but Milltown/Castlemaine were level within moments as after a Dromid defender handled a ball on the ground, a penalty was awarded, up stepped Cathal Moriarty and he finished exquisitely into the top corner to level matters at 1-4 to 0-7.

It looked like this would be the way both sides would retreat to the interval, level-pegging but Dromid Pearses didn't read that script and right on the cusp of the half time whistle, a free-flowing move down the stand side seen Chris Farrelly go on an overlap, collect a pass and stride through the Milltown/Castlemaine rearguard before finishing with aplomb to Cormac Leane's goals, giving a real shot in the arm to the home side going into the interval as they led 1-7 to 1-4. This would subsequently be a lead they wouldn't relinquish at any future stage of the contest.

Dromid started off where they left off as they fired over two of the opening three points of the second half with Niall O'Shea landing one from

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play and Dylan O'Donoghue exchanging scores with Milltown/Castlemaine's Jonathan O'Sullivan to leave the score at 1-9 to 1-5 in the South Kerry men's favour.

The away side threatened a recovery and when they landed three of the next four points, all from the boot of O'Sullivan (two frees, one from play) with a solitary reply from Caoimhin O'Leary for the hosts, the deficit was back at two, 1-10 to 1-8 after 45 minutes.

Ultimately, there would be no comeback however and Dromid put on the turbo heading into the last quarter to seal the victory.

Dominic O'Sullivan and two Niall O'Shea points (one from play and one from a free) seen the lead extend out to five, 1-13 to 1-8 as the clock ticked towards full time and there would be no way back from here despite Milltown/Castlemaine's best efforts. It could have been worse for the away side but for Jono O'Connor making a last ditch interception when Dromid were looking odds on to register another goal. Cathal Moriarty did put over a late score from a 14 yard free to leave the gap at four at full-time, 1-13 to 1-9 and it must be said Dromid were good value for the victory when one looks at the whole game and the performance levels of both sides.

Milltown/Castlemaine now move onto Round 3 next week against Mid Kerry side Glenbeigh/Glencar on Sunday next in JP O'Sullivan Park, Killorglin knowing they will probably require a win to progress further in this competition. Throw in is at 2.30. Go neiri go gheal libh!

M/C Team

Cormac Leane, Stephen Roche, Ciaran O'Connor, Jonathan O'Connor, Jeremiah Hayes, Pa Wren,

Gavin McKenna, Donal Dennehy, Brendan Delaney, Craig Counihan, David Roche, John Dennehy, Jerome Flynn, Cathal Moriarty (1-2), Jonathan O'Sullivan (0-7).

Subs Used:

Tadhg McCarthy, Kieran O'Carroll, Eoin O'Brien, Killian Kerins.

LEGION GAA CLUB

FIXTURES

Kerry Petroleum Club Championship

Killarney Legion v Austin Stacks @5pm

Saturday 8th @5pm (This game is being live streamed on Kerry Gaa)

RESULTS

Killarney Legion 0-11

Dingle 0-13

Killarney Legion travelled to Dingle in the hope of securing a valuable win before their final game versus Austin Stacks at home in Direen. Dingle for their part needed a win to keep them out of trouble and played accordingly. This was a frustrating game for the Legion with numerous turnovers proving costly, which benefitted Dingle to take and maintain the lead throughout the game. Despite the Legion's best efforts they couldn't get to grips with a tenacious Dingle side and couldn't reduce a two point margin as the final whistle blew.

DIV 2 LADIES V NA GAEL

The ladies had a tough opening game when they travelled to Na Gael, the home side was strengthened with the addition of Castlegregory players who together proved much too strong For our ladies. Defending as best we could , a

1-03 to 4-10 score line was a hard opening lesson. However much to the girls credit they will learn a lot from this defeat And will hopefully have a better outcome in the next game, away to the newly formed MKL Gaels (Miltown Keel Listry Combination) next Friday night with a 7.30pm throw in at the Listry pitch.

U-14 GIRLS COUNTY LEAGUE

Our u14 girls team got their league campaign off to a great start with a win Away in Listowel. A very close first half with lovely scores and great defending saw them a point ahead at half time. A couple of fast goals after the break saw the girls pull away from their opponents early in the second half. A combination of brilliant team play and the effects of lots of sprinting at training meant that the Legion girls were comfortable winners at the end. Thanks to Listowel Emmets for a very sporting game.

U-12 BOYS COUNTY LEAGUE

Well done to our U-12 Boys who fielded 3 teams again at the weekend. Great effort by the team management and all involved. The boys have gotten their campaign off to a great start defeating Dr Crokes, Spa & Cromane, Well down lads.

CONGRATS

Congratulations to Patrick Mannix & Deidre who got married at the weekend at the Killarney Oaks, Beat wishes from all at the Legion Club.

COMMUNITY FOCUS

LISTRY NEWS

Written by: Anne Sugrue O'Brien

LISTRY COMMUNITY COUNCIL CLG held it's Annual General Meeting on Thursday 30th July 2020 in Listry Community Centre. The attendance was small due to covid 19. Thanks to all that attended.

A big thanks to Manager and staff of firststeps and meals on wheels services with dealing with issues arised with covid 19 and Thanks to the staff Moriarty/Murphy Auditors and Accountants for their hard work.

The following officers were elected for coming year. Chairman Tony Darmody. Vice chairman Ted Scannell, Secretary Ursula Flynn, Treasurer Tracey Breen. Asst. Treasurer & PRO Cathriona Doody O Connor.

The O'Shea Award for outstanding service to our community was presented to Listry Meals On Wheels Service, for all volunteer drivers past and present, people prepare meals, Especially the great community response to ensuring that Meals on Wheels service could continue during lockdown. Cathriona Doody O'Connor received the Award on behalf of Meals On wheels Serice on the night.

VOTES OF SYMPATHY

Listry Community Council members a vote

sympathy was passed on to bereaved family, relatives and friends of Pat O Sullivan of Rockfield, William (Billy) O Shea of Milltown, Jamie Doyle of Culleney More. Peter Galwey of Castleisand. Jim Bradley. northern Ireland. Barry Clifford of Castlecove, Listry Community Council would especially like to sent conddolence to family and relatives of Brendan Tangney of Listry and Small Pat O Sullivan of Coolbane for all they done for community.

FIXTURES

Junior Premier Club Championship Round 3, Group 3 Listry V Fingue in Fingue on Sunday 9th at 2.30pm. Tickets only on admission.

Well done to a fantastic game to players and management in Listry on Sunday 2nd in Kerry Petroleum Junior Premier Club Championship against Keel. Listry 1.12 Keel 1.11

JUVENILES RESULTS AND FIXTURES

U16 Keel/Listry: Keel/Listry met Ballymacelligott in Keel last Monday evening 3rd August in a challenge match - Keel/Listry 2.11 Ballymac 1.08

Previously on 29th July they defeated Dingle/Castlegregory in Keel by one goal. Keel/Listry 4.13 Dingle/Castle 3.13

NEXT FIXTURE FOR U16S

Monday 10th August in Annascaul, in Phase1 Keel/Listry V Annascaul/Lispole at 7pm

U14

Keel/Listry had also a great week last week, they defeated An Gaeltach in Keel GAA Grounds by a scoreline of Keel/Listry 5.20 An Gaeltacht 2.06 on Wednesday 29th

Next Fixtures for U14s Wednesday 5th August at 7pm in Castlegregory.

Round 3 Wednesday 12th August at 7pm Keel/Listry V Milltown, C'maine in Keel.

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CUL CAMP

Well done to all 91 Juveniles who enjoy a week in our Kelloggs Cul Camp last week in Listry GAA gounds. They had an action packed and fun filled week of activity Also thanks to the coaches overseen the whole event.

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GLENFLESK NEWS

Written by: Seamus Healy

U16 CO. LEAGUE

Glenflesk 3 – 09 Laune Rangers 1 – 19

Glenflesk's under sixteens valiant effort just came up short against Laune Rangers in a highly entertaining game in Killorglin on Monday evening.

It was the home side who got the better start and raced into a one four to one point lead early as they moved the ball quickly into their dangerous full forward line. Glenflesk then settled down and a brilliant point from Dylan Roche plus scores from wing forward Brian O Connor and marauding corner back Evan Lucey, who scored from forty meters out, kept them in touch. From Jack O Donoghues pinpoint kick out, two quick passes found Luke Crowley to put over another long range effort. It was the Killorglin side who finished the half stronger though, and they held a comfortable half time lead.

Glenflesk needed an early goal to get back in the game and they got it when Roche outjumped the goalie to fist a three pointer soon after the restart. John Kelleher's rocket of a shot then barely cleared the crossbar as another goal so nearly arrived. The team in all white then reasserted their dominance with three of the next four points before there was another late surge from Glenflesk. Kelleher finished brilliantly from a tight angle off the ground as Glenflesk's tactic of sending high balls in near the goal proved fruitful. From another one of these missiles, Roche found a miniscule bit of space and blasted a shot that nearly burst the net with almost all the home defenders back on the goal line. It was to be the last score of the game as time elapsed soon after. A fine performance for the second week in a row from the under sixteen's. Laune Rangers are a very strong team at this level with some very clever footballers. They were under pressure here at the end to hold on as Glenflesk showed no signs of giving up. A win over Kilcummin in their final game will qualify the lads for a semifinal. On the evidence of the last two weeks that is imminently achievable.

Team Jack O Donoghue, Donal Murphy, Stephen Moynihan, Evan Lucey, Sean Guerin, Cian Lynch, Ignatius O Leary, Eoghan Kelly, Darragh O Connell, Luke Crowley, Brian O Connor, Darragh O Connor, Dylan Roche, Gearoid Healy, Liam O Donoghue, Jack Leader, Darragh McCormick.

INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP RD. 2

GLENFLESK 1 - 09 SPA 3 - 13

An early second half surge from Spa gave them victory over Glenflesk in round two of the Intermediate Championship in a game full of incident on Saturday evening.

After losing in the opening round to Na Gaeil it was Glenflesk who were quicker to get going in the opening stages. Moving the ball noticeably quicker than they had the previous week, they won three quick frees which were converted clinically by Darragh Roche. Spa eventually got on the scoreboard with a free by Michael O Donoghue. They then got the first goal of the game. David Spillane reacting quickest after his first shot had been blocked to blast a shot to the back of the net. This score gave Spa a one one to three points lead at the first water break.



Niall O'Mahony of Spa. PHOTO: SEAMUS HEALY

On the return to action there was a five minute period of frenzied drama. Firstly Spillane broke through to nab his second goal. He coolly dinked the ball into the top corner of the net. Glenflesk responded immediately. After Padraig Healy had done well to break down a long delivery, Darragh Roche latched on to the loose ball and smacked it past the despairing dive of James Devane to score his second brilliant goal within a week. There was to be no let up on the action. Spa surged forward within seconds and were awarded a penalty. Evan Cronin stepped forward to take it. He looked confident as he tried to place it in the corner. Marc Kelleher though, was not to be beaten. He dived brilliantly low to his left to push the ball away for a forty five. Roche added another free for Glenflesk before Dara Moynihans score just before the whistle gave the away side a two four to one five lead at the half way stage. At this juncture the match was there to be seized upon by either side. It was Spa who were to take control. From the throw in, Ciaran Spillane pointed within fifteen seconds. Evan Cronin, who had been so pivotal in Spa's O Donoghue Cup win over Glenflesk last year, then got his first score of the game with a classy shot with his left foot. With Glenflesk down to fourteen as Padraig Healy was black carded, Niall O Mahony, David Spilane, and center back Dan O Donoghue all added points as Spa were completely dominant and in control as the ball very rarely passed beyond their midfield. Dara Moynihan then added the goal to end any doubts about the result. He strode on to a loose ball and passed it into the net along the ground. As the second water break arrived Spa had pulled away to a three ten to one five lead.

Daniel O'Brien scored Glenflesk's first point of the half as they began to see more of the ball. Cronin and sub Conor Stack increased Spa's winning total before Jeff O Donoghue scored two points as time expired.

Spa now look good to progress to the quarter finals, have a good spread of scorers and are very

strong in the middle of the field. For Glenflesk, Currow await next weekend and they will hope to get their first win of the competition after facing off against two potential winners in the first two rounds.

Spa Team: James Devane, Eoin Fitzgerald, Brian Lynch, Shane Lynch, Shane Cronin, Dan O'Donoghue (0-1), Gary Vaughan, Liam Kearney, Ciaran Spillane (0-2), Niall O'Mahony (0-2), Michael O'Donoghue (0-1f), Dara Moynihan (1-2), Niall McCarthy (0-1), Evan Cronin (0-2), David Spillane (2-1). Subs: Eric O'Donoghue, Eoin Cronin, Mike McCarthy, Conor Stack (0-1), Cian Tobin

Glenflesk Team: Marc Kelleher, Gearoid O'Leary, Chris O'Donoghue, Shane Courtney, Kieran A O'Donoghue, Brian O'Donoghue, Denis O'Connor, Daniel O'Brien (0-1), Conor O'Donoghue, Padraig Healy, Ian Roche, Jeff O'Donoghue (0-2), Sean Doherty, Darragh Roche (1-6 (6f)), Patrick D'Arcy. Subs: Alan Murphy, Danny Lucey, Dara Fleming, Peter Cronin

U12 LEAGUE

Glenflesk under twelve's were unlucky to lose to their Gneeveguilla equivalent in a high scoring game in the County League on Sunday evening. Both teams got some great scores with Gneeveguilla's four goal start to the match proving decisive. Glenflesk youngsters battled hard, showing great spirit, and only for some great goalkeeping, could have got back to win. Well done to all involved in both of the games played this evening in front of a very well behaved crowd.

U14 COUNTY LEAGUE

Congratulations to our U14s who had a winning start last Friday evening in their county league game at home against Kenmare. Well done to both teams who played a very good game despite the conditions. The final score was Glenflesk 5-10 Kemare 1-5. Our u14s are away to Dr. Crokes on Wednesday 12 August at 7pm.

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On August 9th the Diocesan Justice Peace & Integrity of Creation Committee will bring you a feature programme on the issue of addiction, and how finding God and developing a spiritual life is key in overcoming addiction. This programme will air on 'Horizons' at 9am on Radio Kerry.

YOUTH 2000

Summer E- Festival 14th - 16th of August 2020 - Register for Free at www.youth2000.ie. Youth 2000 is a Catholic youth organisation that organises lively faith festivals, retreats, prayer groups and other events for young people aged 16-35 across the island of Ireland.

BUTTON ACCORDION CLASSES

Button Accordion classes with Conor Moriarty will commence on the week of August 10th in the Rural Development Office. These one to one classes are for all grades including beginners and will run under strict Covid 19 regulations. To book your time please contact Conor on 087-9698063 asap as places will be filled on a first come basis.

KILCUMMIN GAA SCÓR NA NÓG

Club members under the age of 17 years of age on January 1st 2021 who are interested in participating in the East Kerry Scór na nÓg Competitions; Figure Dancing, Solo Singing, Recitation, Instrumental Music, Ballad Group, Set Dancing and Table Quiz please contact Scór Officer Marie O'Leary on 087 4619954.

KERRY PETROLEUM SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Austin Stacks 2-5 Kilcummin 1-6. They say there is a thin line between defeat and victory and in this case it was the width of the crossbar. With Stacks leading by two points deep in injury time Kilcummin mounted one last desperate attack and after carrying the ball the full length of the field involving numerous players, Shane Mc Sweeney unleashed a rocket of a shot that smashed against the crossbar. As Padraigh O Sullivan blew the final whistle you would have to feel disappointed for the players who had given it their all in a waterlogged Connolly Pk as the result meant we finish bottom of the group and face a relegation battle between either Templenoe or Kerins O Rahillys later in the year. Stacks started much the better and lead by 1-2 to 0-1 after 15 minutes with Kilcummin struggling to get their hands on the ball. After the water break Kilcummin introduced Kevin McCarthy and his influence was very noticeable as we took control of the middle of the field

and by half time had drawn level courtesy of points from Noel Duggan, Kevin Gorman and Philip O Leary. The third quarter belonged to Kilcummin as we tagged on another point from a Noel Duggan free and when the same player was fouled when through on goal Paul O Shea dispatched the penalty with aplomb. However Stacks showed their resilience and finished much the stronger and following a goal by Shane O Callaghan made again by Kieran Donnelly, they ran out two point winners. Kilcummin's defence was outstanding on the night, none more so than Oscar O Connor who had a stormer well supported by the likes of Donal Maher, James Nagle and Sean O Leary. Team Brendan Kealy, Donal Maher, Kevin McSweeney, Paul O Riordan, Oscar O Connor, Sean O Leary, James Nagle, Kevin Gorman, Shane McSweeney, Danny Cronin, Philip O Leary, Gary O Leary, Noel Duggan, Eoin O Donovan, Paul O Shea. Subs used Kevin McCarthy, Matt Keane. Next game is against Dingle in two weeks time in Kilcummin.

GAA LOTTO

There was one winner of the Lotto Jackpot of €3200 on Sunday 3rd August. Congratulations to Pat Fleming, Clydine, Kilcummin. Numbers drawn were 3, 13, 18, 23. Next draw on Sunday 17th August. Jackpot €2,500.

RATHMORE | GNEEVEGUILLA NEWS

Written by: Michael O'Mahony | Email: momahony14@gmail.com

SHARE THE BUCKET

The Gneeveguilla Community Development Council in association with the Gneeveguilla Basketball club had our weekly draw for our share the bucket on Friday evening 31/7/2020. The jackpot was €353..and our winner was Kevin Moynihan. Guaranteed winner every week, go to our Facebook page to find out how and where you can play.

REMEMBER if YOU are not in you can't win <https://www.facebook.com/gneeveguilla/> Facebook takes place every Friday eve @8:30 pm on Facebook live

MASS

1. All volunteers, ushers, liturgical ministers etc. must wear a face covering at all times while in the Church.
2. All Parishioners must wear a face covering while attending Mass, unless you can't for medical reasons or children aged under 12.
3. All Priests and Ministers of the Eucharist are to wear a face covering during the distribution of Holy Communion and are also to ensure that their hands are sanitised.

NOTE

1. A contact log to be signed by the Priest, Sacristan, volunteers, ushers, liturgical ministers etc. for each Mass, Baptism, Funeral etc.

BOOKING SEAT AVAILABILITY FOR MASSES

- Bookings are now open for all Masses for month of August - No need to book seats for Masses on Tuesdays at 9.30am. We ask that family members for the Mass intention use the booking system. We ask that you make separate bookings for each household e.g. book two seats if there are two from household going and if you are booking for someone else or household, make a separate booking.
HOW TO MAKE A BOOKING?

Either online at www.rathmoreparish.ie or by phone - Phone the Parish Office during Office Hours 0647761669 or phone Janice (064)7758219 between 10am - 12noon on Wednesday and Thursday.

FIRST COMMUNION IN RATHMORE PARISH

Sun. 13th Sept. 10am & 12.30pm - Rathmore Church - Holy Family NS. Boys and Girls
Sun. 20th Sept. - Gneeveguilla 10am - Gneeveguilla N.S.

Sun. 20th Sept. - Rathmore 11.30am - Shrone, Hollymount & Meentogues N.S.

Sat. 26th Sept. - Knocknagree 10am - Knocknagree N.S.

All seats reserved for First Communicants, their parents and siblings only.

PLEASE NOTE: Change of Venue for Masses on

the following dates:

Thursday 10th and 17th September in Knocknagree at 7pm

Saturday 19th September in Rathmore at 7pm

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Rathmore Branch

LOCAL CONFIDENTIAL CONTACT: 087 3462332

TUREENCAHILL COMMUNITY GROUP

Hi everybody we hope ye are all keeping safe and well in these strange times that we now live in. We at tureencahill community centre what to open our doors to everybody obviously under hse guidelines. Even though our usual classes are suspended for now. We want to make the building available to everybody. So if there is anyone that wishes to use our fantastic facilities now is your chance. You might be finding it hard working from home. Poor broadband in your area. For college students in the coming weeks we are here to help. So please contact 085 1741551 or 087 9924821...If you think this might be of help you or anybody...Please spread the word...We look forward to seeing ye all in the near future stay safe

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

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SPA GAA

Written by: Deirdre O'Sullivan-Darcy

UPCOMING FIXTURES

*Saturday August 8th: Intermediate Championship Rd3 Spa v Na Gaeil (in Spa at 7pm)

*Monday August 10th: Ladies Co Championship Spa v Finuge/St Senans (in Spa)

*Wednesday August 12th: U14 League Spa V Kilcummin (in Kilcummin at 7pm)

*Friday August 14th: Junior Co League Spa v Beaufort (away)

*Saturday August 15th: Minor Co League Spa v Ardfer (in Spa at 4pm)

Fixtures will be updated regularly on the website calendar so please check for any changes to games.

INTERMEDIATE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RD2 SPA 3-13 GLENFLESK 1-9

Spa made the short journey to Glenflesk on Saturday evening and secured an extra two points ahead of the final round of the Intermediate group stages next weekend.

The home side were faster off the mark, with Darragh Roche putting three early points on the board, and keeper Marc Kelleher doing well to get a hand to Spa's first attempt on goal. Mike Stam O'Donoghue opened Spa's account in the 14th minute and a moment later David Spillane collected the rebound, after his first shot was blocked, and ran in towards goal to rattle the back of the Glenflesk net. By the water break, it was all to play for at 1-1 to 0-3.

Play started just as it had finished before the break, with David Spillane running through the Glenflesk defence yet again and netting his second goal. The celebrations were short-lived however, as a minute later Glenflesk's Padraig Healy broke down a high ball into the path of Darragh Roche whose shot finished in the back of the Spa net. Two minutes later and the ball was back at the other end again, but Dara Moynihan was fouled as he reached the small square, Marc Kelleher saving Evan Cronin's penalty shot. Darragh Roche added two more for Glenflesk but Spa responded well, a superb point from Niall McCarthy, Niall O'Mahony punching the ball over the crossbar and Liam Kearney fielding the ball in the middle and playing to Dara Moynihan who kicked straight between the posts. At the half time whistle, Spa held a narrow lead at 2-4 to 1-5.

Spa hit their purple patch in the third quarter, hitting an unanswered 1-7, although a black card saw Glenflesk reduced to 14 men early in

the half. Ciaran Spillane, Evan Cronin and Niall O'Mahony all added points within the first five minutes to extend the Spa advantage before Glenflesk were reduced to 14. David Spillane scored, followed by a great long range shot from Dan O'Donoghue. In the 10th minute, a hop ball scramble resulted in a loose ball rolling towards the Glenflesk goalmouth, which Dara Moynihan duly finished to the back of the net to make it 3-9 to 1-5. Dara Moynihan and Evan Cronin added more points either side of the water break before Daniel O'Brien was on target for Glenflesk's first score of the half after 21 minutes. Ciaran Spillane had a lovely shot curl just inside the post but Glenflesk were quickly attacking at the other end, Darragh Roche and Jeff O'Donoghue (2), and a final Spa point from Conor Stack, closing out the game. Final score Spa 3-13 Glenflesk 1-9

Spa Team: James Devane, Eoin Fitzgerald. Brian Lynch, Shane Lynch, Shane Cronin, Dan O'Donoghue (0-1), Gary Vaughan, Liam Kearney, Ciaran Spillane (0-2), Niall O'Mahony (0-2), Michael O'Donoghue (0-1f), Dara Moynihan (1-2), Niall McCarthy (0-1), Evan Cronin (0-2), David Spillane (2-1). Subs: Eric O'Donoghue, Eoin Cronin, Mike McCarthy, Conor Stack (0-1), Cian Tobin

Spa v Na Gaeil next Saturday August 8th in Spa at 7pm in Rd3 - Note in terms of qualifying for the quarter finals there is no advantage whether a team finishes first or second in their respective Group. The Quarter Final draw is open & venues for the Quarter Finals are neutral. The two teams that played in the same Group cannot meet in the Quarter Final.

U10 BOYS

Our U10 boys had their first fun game last Thursday in Spa against Beaufort. The talent is superb on both teams and great credit given to the dedicated coaches on the sideline. Plenty of football was played and the kids showcased their skills for all the parents and friends. Thanks to Beaufort for making the trip and enjoyable games.

U10 GIRLS

Our u10 girls played a fun game against Fossa in Spa last Tuesday night. This was very special for the girls as it's the first time they played together this year. They were excited for the opportunity to play against Fossa and they all played a blinder. Thanks to all the coaches from both teams, parents and especially the girls from Spa and Fossa.

U14 LEAGUE SPA V LEGION

It was very disappointing for our U14 boys when they couldn't fulfil their fixture against Legion as no referee showed up on Wednesday night. The boys were looking forward to their first game for 2020. Next up they are home to Rathmore on Wednesday August 5th at 7pm

U16 CO LEAGUE SPA V CURROW

Spa u16's played their second county league game away to Currow on Monday evening the 27th of July. The boys welcomed back Oran Daly & David O Sullivan from injury. The boys started brightly but a strong running Currow team began to take control. Spa stayed in the game & periods of the first half had opportunities to close the gap. Jack O Sullivan made a couple of fine saves.

The second half began with the boys working the ball into some scoring chances. A very well worked move was finished to the net by Aaron O Connor. The boys worked hard & showed glimpses of the quality that they can produce, unfortunately Currow ran out winners in the end.

SPA MERCHANDISE SHOP

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

JUVENILE TRAINING

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

SHARE THE POT

Last Friday's winner of our SHARE THE POT draw is Declan Kelliher who shares the pot of €250 with the club. Next draw is Friday August 7th and tickets are available on spagaa.com or contact our club officers to enter your name for you. Thank you to everyone who has supported our Spa GAA Share The Pot draw. **The usual Spa Lotto remains suspended for the foreseeable future and the expiry dates of annual tickets and online tickets will be extended to compensate for weeks when Lotto is not held.

ITEMS FOR NOTES

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

FOSSA NEWS

Written by: Shane Kelly

SENIORS

PREMIER JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP R2

FOSSA-0-13, ST.PATS BLENERVILLE 1-10:

HT Fossa 0-07 Pat's 1-04

Full Time Fossa 0-13 Pat's 1-07.

After a fantastic win last Saturday our senior team have qualified for the 1/4 finals of Premier Junior Championship congratulations to all the players, Adrian and management team, next up is a very tough trip to Gneeveguilla at 7pm this

Saturday. Team Colin Myers, Kevin McCarthy, Fintan Coffey, Eoin Talbot, Dan O Keeffe, Ruairi Doyle, Matt Rennie (capt), Cian O Shea, Brian Myers, Paddy Sheehan, Mark Dennehy, Tadhg O Shea, David Clifford, Emmett O Shea. Subs Cillian Finn, Anthony Wharton, Dan O Connell, Mike O Keeffe.

U14

Fossa had a very good win over Gneeveguilla in their first competitive game of the year

2-12 to 0-8 points.

LOTTO

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THIS WEEK'S BEEF COMES FROM CAHILLANES MEATS KILLORGLIN. THIS WEEK'S LAMB COMES FROM CAHILLANES MEATS KILLORGLIN.



JIMMY O'SULLIVAN-DARCY

takes a look at all things sport...

After a prolonged, enforced, uncomfortable, and unfortunately very necessary hiatus, things are settling back into a semblance of normality on the playing fields, even if there are less spectators than usual – and hopefully those can increase too very shortly.

Games are coming thick and fast, with mens, ladies, and minor teams all in action and juveniles of different grades out almost every night of the week now. No harm either; people were cooped up long enough and clubs have been very good about observing and enforcing safety protocols. Long may it continue for everybody involved.

KERRY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS ROUND TWO

Senior

Dingle 0-13 Killarney Legion 0-11

Killarney Legion could have guaranteed a semi-final berth here after that late victory over Kilcummin in the opening round, but Dingle had other ideas on their home ground. The absence of James O'Donoghue from the starting line-up was a big factor, but even more so was the astonishing influence of the Geaney clan. Dylan, Paul, and especially Conor were devastating in the full forward line, while Mikey and later Niall did well outside them. Legion relied heavily on Conor Keane for scores, while Dingle had a lot of shooters. Tom O'Sullivan opened the scoring, Conor Geaney (3), Paul (2), Dylan (2), Matthew Flaherty, and Tom again made it 0-10 to 0-5 at half-time. Conor Keane had 0-4, 3f for Legion, while Brian Kelly kicked a great '45. Key to Dingle's dominance in midfield was breaking ball away from Padraig Lucey, with Mikey Boyle impressing.

The second half was tighter, both sides adding a brace to their score. James O'Donoghue's introduction saw him kick two points to close the gap and a great Jamie O'Sullivan free trimmed it to just two points, but Legion just couldn't quite cancel it out. Legion will have to beat Austin Stacks next week in quite possibly the tie of the round.

Austin Stacks 2-5 Kilcummin 1-6

Kilcummin were in trouble early on as David Mannix kicked two frees and Kieran Donaghy set up Darragh O'Brien for a goal. However, they rallied superbly and Noel Duggan, Kevin O'Gorman, and Philip O'Leary brought it back to level, 0-5 to 1-2, at half-time. It got even better as Kilcummin's Paul O'Shea coolly slotted a penalty to put Kilcummin a goal in front. Scoring dried up a lot on both sides, only a point apiece, in the next fifteen minutes. With five minutes of normal time remaining and a goal still between them, it looked as if Kilcummin were going to take a superb win out of Connolly Park, but Stacks had other ideas. Joseph O'Connor scored



Conor O'Donoghue (Glenflesk) and Liam Kearney (Spa) PHOTO: SEAMUS HEALY

a good point. Disaster struck for Kilcummin when Kieran Donaghy grabbed a Brendan O'Sullivan long ball and laid off to Shane O'Callaghan for a vital goal. That put Austin Stacks back in front and Darragh O'Brien from a free sealed victory. Unfortunately, Kilcummin's chances of advancing in the championship are ended. They still need to lift themselves quickly and beat Dingle in the last game to avoid a repeat of last year's relegation battle.

Dr. Crokes 1-10 Kerins O'Rahillys 0-11

This was a tough battle, but Crokes were able to see off a determined Rahillys. Jack Savage and Tony Brosnan shared an exciting shooting duel – Tony Brosnan is again looking like the most dangerous forward in Kerry championship football. His was the final pass for Chris Doncel to rattle the Rahilly's net and that proved to be the crucial score. Crokes led by 1-6 to 0-7 at the break. David Moran, Jack Savage, and Karl Mullins pulled Rahillys back level but they could never quite get their noses in front. Wily campaigner Kieran O'Leary edged Crokes back in front when it was most needed and Tony Brosnan's late score seemed to have sealed it. It wasn't quite a done deal just yet, though, Shane Murphy had to be at his brilliant best to deny one last Rahillys attack.

Kenmare Shamrocks 3-6 Templenoe 1-11

This was always going to be a derby cracker and so it proved. Just like last week's game against Rahillys, Kenmare struck for two early goals, midfielders Kevin O'Sullivan and Fionan O'Sullivan on target. Again, however, they singularly failed to press on that lead while Templenoe had two players black carded. Killian Spillane, despite being very tightly marked, was the most dangerous forward on view, and once his brother Adrian rose high in the square to fist home, it was game on.

Half-time Kenmare Shamrocks 2-3 Templenoe

1-4. Sean O'Shea departed the second half early on another black card, during which time Killian notched three points on the trot. Paul O'Connor pointed two Kenmare frees before Killian and Sean O'Shea swapped scores to make it 2-6 to 1-8. Killian levelled matters, Stephen O'Sullivan put Templenoe in front, and Cian Hallissey coolly fisted over. Two points in front and time running out...Kenmare jhad to go for goal in injury time and got it, Sean O'Shea's fisting and Paul O'Connor volleying the loose ball into the back of the net. Heartbreak and elation...both teams ran the full gamut of emotions within seconds.

INTERMEDIATE

Spa 3-13 Glenflesk 1-9

Glenflesk's Darragh Roche was probably the best forward on view and he notched 0-3 (3f) straight away. Glenflesk keeper Marc Kelliher did make a brilliant save to deny Niall McCarthy before Mike Stam O'Donoghue got Spa off the mark. David Spillane cut in for a brilliant goal against the run of general play after being initially blocked and added an even better one minutes later. Darragh Roche struck a great goal at the other end to make it 2-1 to 1-3. Spa's Dara Moynihan won a penalty, but Kelliher again dived to knock away Evan Cronin's clinical strike. Darragh Roche drew Glenflesk level before Niall McCarthy and Niall O'Mahony, with Roche and Dara Moynihan closing out the first half scoring with Spa in front by 2-4 to 1-5.

It's unfortunately true to say that the second half was a procession. Spa took over completely, with Gary Vaughan, Liam Kearney, Ciaran Spillane, Niall O'Mahony, Evan Cronin, and livewire Dara Moynihan all doing damage. Spa picked off five points on the trot before Dara Moynihan swooped on a loose ball and volleyed it into the net. Daniel O'Brien got Glenflesk's first score of



Jeff O'Donoghue (Glenflesk) and Gary Vaughan (Spa) PHOTO: SEAMUS HEALY

the half with but Ciarán Spillane replied in kind. Darragh Roche took his personal tally to 1-6 and Jeff O'Donoghue kicked two late points, but Spa's Conor Stack closed off a convincing victory with the final point.

Currow 0-2 Na Gaeil 2-20

Na Gaeil entertained Currow in their round two Intermediate Championship group game in a damp Currow needed a win here and it was simply never going to happen – last year's All Ireland Junior champions look like serious intermediate contenders. Timmy O'Leary put Currow in front at the start but they were down by 1-9 to 0-1 at the break, Jamie Lowham with Na Gaeil's goal. Again Currow opened the second half scoring, Daniel O'Shea with a free, and again that was as good as it was going to get. A hard day at the office for Currow.

Rathmore 2-10 Castleisland Desmonds 2-14

There is no point in denying that one of these teams was widely tipped by pundits (including, I'll freely admit, yours truly) to top the group, and it wasn't Desmonds. In a similar fashion to their game last week against Laune rangers, Rathmore looked home and hosed early in the second half, only for Desmonds to re-jig and completely take over. Two goals by John Moynihan and points from Mark Reen, Brendan O'Keeffe, and Aidan O'Mahony had them in front by 2-7 to 0-4 early in the second half, but with Luka Brosnan, goalscorer Danny Hickey, and Cian W. O'Connor turning up the pressure, Desmonds wrestled full control and were full value for their win.

PREMIER JUNIOR

Group 1

Ballyduff 2-9 Gneeveguilla 2-12

Gneeveguilla needed a win here to give themselves a chance of qualifying and duly obliged in a great contest. Early goals by Conor Herlihy and Padraig O'Connor along with the accuracy of John O'Leary helped them into a 2-3 to 0-1 lead. A cracking goal by Padraig Boyle stemmed the tide somewhat, but Padraig Doyle, Con Buckley (2), John O'Leary, and

Padraig O'Connor helped Gneeveguilla into a commanding 2-8 to 1-3 half-time lead. O'Leary (2) and Shane O'Sullivan extended that lead. Ballyduff rallied with four points on the trot. Padraig O'Connor settled Gneeveguilla nerves with a good free and they held out in an exciting finish.

Fossa 0-13 St. Pats Blennerville 1-7

Another convincing win by Fossa against top quality opposition puts them in pole position in Group One. Fossa made a blistering start, David Clifford and the O'Shea brothers Tadhg and Emmet giving them a 0-4 to 0-1 lead. David's second point was a goal chance brilliantly tipped over by the keeper. Pats scored 1-2 to go in front but Emmet O'Shea replied. David Clifford and Emmet O'Shea exchanged points with Kieran Hurley and Luke Mulligan to leave St. Pats ahead by 1-5 to 0-7 at half-time. David Clifford blitzed three great points in a row (1f) at the start of the second half. David O'Callaghan replied with two (1f) but Emmet O'Shea (2) and David Clifford closed out the win.

Finuge 2-14 Furies 1-9

Furies had a goal chance whizz just wide of the post before Finuge moved the ball down the pitch, sent in a high free, and Jason Wallace rose highest to fist home. Furies had more goal chances, with both Donnchadh O'Sullivan and Jack Sherwood blocked down before they could pull the trigger. A second goal from Darragh Shanahan gave Furies a 2-7 to 1-4 lead at half-time. Finuge, with the Corridan brothers and Kerry hurler Shane Conway outstanding, largely controlled the middle third and stretched the lead to 2-13 to 0-7 by the three quarter water break. Furies did get in for a goal from the outstanding Padraig de Brún, but realistically it was too little, too late.

Listry 1-12 Keel 1-11

Barry Keane and Ronan Buckley (2f) swapped early points with Aaron Murphy (3, 1f) and Gary Sayers (2f) to leave Keel in front by 0-5 to 0-3. Anthony Sweeney and Barry Keane levelled matters before Gary Sayers and Danny Wrenn

exchanged scores. Gary Sayers pointed after Keel had two goal chances blocked but Barry Keane replied to leave it all square at the break. Buckley and Sayers were again on target before Aon Murphy was denied a goal chance. Anthony Sweeney and Aaron Murphy made it 0-9 apiece. Gary Sayers kicked two good scores before Gary Murphy fisted to the Listry net to put Keel ahead by 1-11 to 0-9. Marc Ó Sé's team remained calm and a cracking goal by young Ruairi Murphy cut the gap. Anthony Sweeney (1'45) scored two points to draw level before Barry Keane got the winner in injury time.

JUNIOR

Group 2

Cordal 0-9 Scartaglen 0-9

The next door neighbours fought out a brilliant duel. Eddie Horan for Scart and Philip O'Connor for Cordal were the key players in a tense first half that finished level, 0-5 apiece. Philip O'Connor (2) put Cordal in front but Shay Walsh (2) and Tom Forde gave Scart a one point advantage. Sean Walsh scored a super Cordal point but it looked like Shay Walsh had kicked a Cordal winner before Brian Reidy nailed a late free for a deserved draw.

Group 3

Kilgarvan 1-6 Knocknagoshel 1-10

Daniel Casey and Richard O'Sullivan made it a good start for Kilgarvan, but Edmond and James Walsh and a Shane O'Connell goal reversed the tide. Gearoid Fennessy pulled one back and the excellent John Mark Foley helped set up a Ronan Foley goal to leave Kilgarvan training by just 1-5 to 1-3 at half-time. Daniel Casey and Mark Foley kept Kilgarvan in it, but the Walsh brothers had too much scoring power in the finish.

COUNTY MINOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

This year's County Minor Championship, now a U17 format (I strongly disapprove, for the little the little that's worth, kicked off last Monday night. The competition is straight knock-out.

East Kerry 5-23 Kenmare District 0-7

Look, I know I'll make no friends by saying it, but East Kerry is just too big for only one team at this grade. Kenmare have four clubs, two of them struggling to field minor teams, to draw from. East Kerry have most of the Sem team that reached the U16.5 All Ireland Final (which should have been played), 2019 U16 County Champions Eogahn Ruadh, and most of the East Kerry side that they beat in the semi-final (Crokes, Legion, and Furies are on their own in the Minor Championship). This was never going to be a contest and so it proved. Cian Foley had 2-2, Tommy Bowler had 0-4, and so did Killian O'Sullivan....and that's just at half-time. Kenmare, a decent Kenmare side who had a great player in centre back Mark Casey and very impressive performances from Hugh Granville, Caleb Brosnan, Mark Torpey, and Corey Murphy, hadn't even looked like scoring. It was 2-12 to 0-0 at that stage, and it never got any better. Tommy Bowler scored a sumptuously audacious goal early in the second half, lobbing the keeper straight from a kick-out, and Luke Crowley and Aaron O'Shea



Darragh Roche (Glenflesk) and Eoin Fitzgerald (Spa) in action PHOTO: SEAMUS HEALY

scored late goals to finish it off. Kenmare did have scores on board by then, Torpey (0-4, 4f), Casey (0-3, 2f) and Murphy (1f) but East Kerry had added another 11 to their own tally.

I'm not blaming anyone for the circumstances of a mismatch like this happening; but I am really hoping that it gets looked at before next year.

East Kerry: William Casey, Padraic Talbot, Dara O'Callaghan, Cian Lynch, Rian Colleran, Andrew Moynihan, Michael Mullane, Paudie O'Leary (0-3), Killian O'Sullivan (0-4), Darren Cronin (0-1) Cian Foley (2-4, 1f), Micheál Keane, Tommy Bowler (1-4, 1f), Aaron O'Shea (1-3, 3f), Dylan Roche (0-1). Subs Luke Crowley 1-1 (for Dylan Roche, half-time), Kevin Bowler 0-2 (for Darren Cronin, half-time), Jack Clifford (for Tommy Bowler, 37 mins), Colm Kelliher (for Michael Mullane, 44 mins), Donncha Grealy (for Cian Lynch, 47 mins)

Feale Rangers 3-8 Dr. Crokes 2-10

This was the best game of the night, but very hard luck on a very young Dr. Crokes side who were lining out without two key players in Erin Moloney and Kerry minor panellist Harry Byrne. Man of the match Keltyn Molloy struck 2-5 for Feale Rangers, with Jack O'Keeffe scoring the other goal. Cian McMahon kicked 1-5 for a young Dr. Crokes side who were missing key players in Harry Byrne and Erin Moloney. but had very impressive performers in McMahon and Alex Hennigan up front, Liam Randles (0-3) in midfield, and Nathaniel Doncel in defence. Dr. Crokes actually led by a point late on, but Feale Rangers drew level before Darragh Conway superbly fielded a kick-out and fed Darragh Mulvihill for the winner. Crokes had two chances to draw level, the last one hitting the woodwork and spinning wide. Both goalkeepers, Kieran Mackessy for Feale Rangers and Shay O'Meara for Dr. Crokes, were excellent throughout. Defenders Jack McElligott and Sionnain O'Keeffe, midfielder Darragh Conway in midfield, and Keltyn Molloy and Ruairi O'Mahony stood out for Feale Rangers.

Unfortunately (and a bit ridiculously) that pretty

much finishes off the year for most of these Dr. Crokes footballers, and with no U18 grade next year, one wonders how many of them will be incentivised to keep playing the game.

Laune Rangers 2-12 Mid Kerry 2-22

Shannon Rangers 0-6 West Kerry 3-23

St. Brendans 4-8 St. Kierans 1-7

South Kerry 2-11 Austin Stacks 1-8

Killarney Legion and Firies had byes into the quarter-finals, which will be played next Monday night.

LADIES COUNTY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Senior

Rathmore 1-17 Na Gaeil 2-6

Megan O'Connor got Na Gaeil off to a good start with the 1st point of the game which was quickly replied by a point by Rathmore. Scores were shared by both teams before Rathmore scored a goal on 11 mins to leave the score 1.05 to 0.05 at the water break. Na Gaeil came back with goals from Jadyne Lucey and Megan O'Connor. With a half time score of 1.10 to 2.06 to Rathmore after a very close 1st half. Na Gaeil got off to a bad start for the 2nd half with a yellow leaving them with 14 players. Rathmore took full advantage scoring 5 unanswered points. Na Gaeil started to get back into the game and held good possession but good defending from Rathmore, especially the outstanding Aisling Desmond, saw them hold out for the win.

Intermediate

Kilcummin 2-15 Inbhearr Sceine Gaels 2-8

It was a good quality start to the Intermediate Championship in Kilcummin where the recently promoted Junior County Champions hosted a talented Inbhearr Sceine Gaels. Kilcummin just about had the majority of possession in the first half but failed to convert too many chances. At the interval Kilcummin led by a single point, 0-8 to 1-4. Kilcummin were more accurate in the second half but Inbhearr Sceine stayed in



Glenflesk's Kieran A. O'Donoghue PHOTO: SEAMUS HEALY

touch with them all the way until goals by Olwyn Evans and Deborak Murphy proved decisive. The Kenmare side pressed hard in the fourth quarter but couldn't convert enough scores to close the gap.

Castleisland Desmonds 5-14 -v- Spa 1-10

Desmonds made a better start but Spa's Saoirse Kelly won a penalty well converted by Niamh Kearney, whose accuracy was posing real problems for the visitors. However, Lorraine Scanlon and Cáit Lynch were giving Desmonds control in midfield, with Scanlon and Eda Mangan kicking some great scores. Julianne Twomey cut in for a fantastic goal and added another one towards the end of the first half. A minute later Paris McCarthy sliced through the defence to make it 3-9 to 1-4 at half-time, a real hammer blow for Spa. They never really recovered, with Ruth Cahill and Paris again adding further goals to Desmonds' tally as they ran out comfortable winners. Paris McCarthy had 2-2, Julianne Twomey 2-0, Ruth Cahill had 1-1, Lorraine Scanlon 0-6, 3f, Niamh Walsh 0-4, 2f, and Cáit Lynch and Gemma Kearney 0-1 each. For Spa Niamh Kearney had 1-5, 1-4f, Lynn Jones had 0-4, and Liadh Tobin 0-1.

Austin Stacks 4-17 Scartaglin 6-13

This was a whirlwind right from start to finish. A young Scartaglin had the three Dunlea sisters in top form, with Denise and Aoife outstanding in midfield and Amy scoring 1-1 in the forward line. Catherine O'Connor and Katie Sugrue shone in defence, while Jane Lawlor excelled in attack. They got absolutely nothing easy in front of a big and enthused crowd, though, with the evergreen Marina Barry and roving full forward Emma Ryan standing out for the black and amber. In the end Scartaglin managed to win a fascinating shootout.

MEK GALAXY FC NEWS

TRAINING TIMES: BOYS

U13's (2008's) – Every Monday - 4.30-6pm.

U14's (2007's) are back training this Tuesday 11th August from 6-7pm.

GIRLS

U13's (2008) – Every Monday 5.45-7pm

U15's (2006) – Every Wednesday 5.45-7pm

All training @ Lachabane Pitch, Fossa, at the moment. As always, new players are welcome. Other age groups will be restarting training over the coming weeks. More training news to follow.

KDL DENNY'S PREMIER A

TRALEE DYNAMOS 2 MEK GALAXY 0

Our Seniors A squad travelled to Tralee off the back of a defeat to relegation rival Fenit Samphires. As has been the case since the restart, the lads put in a strong display yet again. We pushed hard for the vital 3 points, but unfortunately on the 75th minute, the home team took the lead. Shane O'Sullivan pulled off a fantastic save, only for it to rebound to the oncoming Dynamo's player. While recovering from that, 2 minutes later, a debatable penalty was given against us, and handed the home team the vital 3 points. Our boys worked hard until the final whistle, Dynamo's soaking everything thrown at them. Yet again, the result didn't match the effort put in by all involved. Hard luck to Dara and the lads.

Best on the day: Tadhg Fleming, Hubert Dziedzic and Conor Murphy.

KDL DENNY'S DIVISION 2B:

CLANMAURICE UTD 0

MEK GALAXY 2

Our B's were looking to keep their good form going and stay at the top come the business end of the season. Similar to other teams at this point in the season, player availability was an issue today but the boys got the job done. The performance was quite solid throughout the 90 minutes. Eoghan Kennedy got first midway through 1st half and secured his brace right after the break. Thanks to the helper on the line and the few supporters tonight. On we march! Best on the day: Bogdan Pop, Oisin Walsh and Mike Griffin.

UPCOMING FIXTURES

Thursday 6th Aug

KDL Denny's Premier A

Killarney Athletic v MEK Galaxy (7pm @ Woodlawn)

SUNDAY 9TH AUG

KDL DENNY'S PREMIER A

MEK Galaxy v Classic Fc (11am @ Fossa)

DENNY'S DIVISION 2B

Lisard Wanderers v MEK Galaxy B (3pm @ Mounthawk Park)

20X20.IE

As part of our 20x20 club charter promise, we are hoping to start a senior women's recreational soccer team(s). It's a bit of fun, all abilities welcome and it's a great way to get back into soccer or try it for the first time. The forms are available on our facebook page or drop us a message for anymore information.

KEANE'S JEWELLERS MUNSTER

LEAGUE CHAMPIONS TROPHY

KILLARNEY CELTIC 1, RATHKEALE 0 AET

Matt Keane

For the 2nd time in the club's history Killarney Celtic captured the Munster League Champions Trophy. A goal from Matt Keane 2 mins into extra time was enough to seal victory over a gallant Rathkeale team.

Celtic went on the attack right from the kick off and almost created a clear cut chance. There were claims for a penalty in the 19th min when Wayne Sparling went down inside the box but the ref waved play on. 2 mins later Wayne Sparling was put through but the keeper narrowed the angle to avert the danger. In the 26th min Cathal O Shea cut in from the left side but shot over the bar. In the 35th min Wayne Sparling crossed from the right wing but the shot from Adam O'Rourke was blocked and cleared. Rathkeale came into the game more in the 2nd half and after Stephen McCarthy almost put Matt Keane in the clear, Rathkeale had chances in the 69th and 73rd mins. In the 90th min Jamie O Sullivan put Wayne Sparling away on the right and his cross was met by Stephen McCarthy who headed wide from a good position. Finally the breakthrough came in extra time. Liam Spillane got on to a Rathkeale clearance and found



Killarney Celtic captain John McDonagh accepting the Keane's Jewellers Munster League Champions Trophy.

Jamie O Sullivan who slipped the ball to Darragh Lowth whose cross from the right was headed home from close range by the in running Matt Keane. Well done to the management and team on a fine achievement.

DENNY PREMIER LEAGUE

Listowel Celtic 3, Killarney Celtic 4.

Cathal O Shea, Lee Downing, Matt Keane, Jamie O'Sullivan

DENNY PREMIER B

QPR 0 Killarney Celtic B 4

Terry Sparling (4),

DENNY YOUTHS LEAGUE

Killarney Athletic 3, Killarney Celtic 6

Padraic Looney, Dylan Callaghan, Neil O Shea, Terry Sparling(3).

DENNY U17 LEAGUE

Mastergeeha 2, Killarney Celtic 2

Joe Kelliher, Erin Moloney

Killarney Celtic 2, Killarney Athletic 0

Luke O'Neill. Killarney

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Michael Moynihan of Heineken presenting first prize in the Ladies Heineken competition to Carmel Fitzgerald with (left) Marguerita Mulcahy Club President, Anne Looney Lady Captain (back from left) prizewinners Liz Kelleher, Alicia Burke, Breda Duggan, Máire Geaney, June O'Brien and Annette McNeice at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club on Sunday.



Vince Casey (left) presenting first prize in the Vince Casey Life and Pensions Mixed Competition to winners Denis Cronin and Lisa Kerfoot with Marguerita Mulcahy Club President Anne Looney Lady Captain and (back left) Lorna O'Leary and Tim Healy 2nd at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club, Killarney recently.

MUCKCROSS ROWING CLUB

SUMMER CAMPS

The club is running week-long summer camps for beginner rowers during August for boys and girls aged 12+ interested in trying out rowing. Well done to everyone who took part in the first two camps over the last fortnight. The camps are running Mon-Fri from 10am to 2pm in line with COVID-19 safeguards and include water sessions for rowing, land-based activities and rowing related games. Further details are available on our Facebook page. Enquiries to Marko 085 8635797 / Shona 087 7839962 / Aine 087 1602603.

EVENT UPDATES

By this weekend, we will have the latest government guidelines regarding the public health measures which will be in place following next Monday, August 10 which is the current end date for the extended Phase 3 of the government roadmap. Subject to this guidance and specifically the limits on outdoor gatherings, Cork Marina Regatta is scheduled for Saturday next, August 15. Other provisional fixtures include the Irish Coastal Rowing Championships, National Rowing Centre (NRC), Saturday and Sunday, August 29-30. Festival of Rowing, Castleconnell, Saturday, September 5. Irish Rowing Championships, NRC, Saturday and Sunday, September 12-13. Irish Offshore Rowing Championships, Portmagee, Saturday, September 26.



The Murphy family, Mathew, Seamus, Orla & Aoife who came first in the family race at Sives Rowing Clubs Regatta.

GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB

LOTTO

No winner of our lotto draw 31/07/2020, numbers drawn were 16, 23, 26 & 30. Sellers prize winner Tom Joe O' Donoghue. €50 yearly ticket prize to Paudie Hickey Gneeveguilla, €50 to Pat Linehan Knockrour, €40 each to Gary Dineen Scartaglin, Timmy O' Connor Forge & Mary Houlihan c/o Mgt Hayes. Bonus not won, numbers drawn were 14, 22, 27 & 29. Next weeks jackpot €11,000 plus €1,000 bonus.

CALLINAFERCY ROWING CLUB

Callinafercy Rowing Club competed in Sives rowing clubs Regatta that was held in Caherciveen harbour. It's very successful regatta. Beautiful weather & calm water. Our crews brought home a total of 12 medals

Results

U14s girls 2nd
U18s girls 2nd
U16s boys 2nd
U14s mixed 1st
U16s girls 2nd
U21s girls 3rd
Senior men 1st (timber boat)
Senior ladies 2nd
Mixed vet 1st
U12s girls 2nd
U21s men 1st
Family Race 1st place. Well to to the Murphys. Mathew, Seamus, Orla & Aoife.

OUTLOOK GOLF



Geraldine Harrington Doran New Strands Hair Salon and Frank Doran Safeguard Security (left) presenting the first prize in their competition to winner Alicia Burke with Marguerita Mulcahy Club President and Anne Looney Lady Captain (back) prize winners Noreen O'Callaghan 2nd, Breda Duggan 3rd and Julie Leonard 4th at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club, Killarney on Sunday.



Anne O'Leary (front second from left) presenting first prize in the Laurels Killarney Ladies competition to Amy Arthur who accepted on behalf of Frances Arthur with Marguerita Mulcahy Club President, Anne Looney Lady Captain (back from left) prizewinners Jennifer O'Brien, Aine Martin and Alicia Burke at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club on Sunday.



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GENTS CLUB

RESULTS

On Aug 1st/2nd we held an 18 hole single stableford competition and the result was :-

- 1... Ivo O'Sullivan (14) 42
- 2....Aidan O Connor (11) 41 .
- 3...Denis Casey (19) 41

SCRAMBLE On Friday 24th we held a very successful 10 hole mixed scramble and this was well supported with a large turnout. Fixtures:-

ON FRIDAY AUGUST 7TH

The Ladies Club are organising a 10 hole mixed scramble and BBQ . The scramble will cost € 5 and the BBQ will cost € 10.

Please put your name on the Scramble Entry Sheet in the Clubhouse before 4pm on Friday and we will have a 6pm shotgun start.

On Saturday 8th / Sunday 9th--We will hold a stroke play competition and the timesheet is now available in the clubhouse. This will act as a qualifier for the Club Matchplay Championship and entry will cost € 10.

SYMPATHY

We offer our sympathy to John Joe Healy and the extended Healy Family of the recent death of his son, John C. R.I.P. .

ROSS GOLF CUB - LADIES

We are running a Mixed Scramble and BBQ on Friday 7 August, open to members and guests, 5.30 for 6pm start. Kindly sponsored by Torc Travel.

Ladies Open Day on Friday 14 August, all welcome and please ring Clubhouse for tee times on 064 66 31125. Kindly sponsored by the Killarney Race Company.

KERRY PITCH & PUTT CLUB NEWS

Plenty of action both inside and outside the county bounds this weekend as while Tralee played host to a successful staging of their Scratch Cup events on Monday, Deerpark's Damien Fleming was winning all before him in Cork on Saturday and Sunday.

Tralee first as over 95 players took part in their events in both Mens and Ladies competitions. The Bob Casey Memorial Senior event went to a first time winner in Eamonn Sheehy as only a week after finishing second to his Tralee club-mate Jason Cregan in the County Senior Strokeplay, Eamonn reversed the result in shooting a bogey free 16 under par to beat Jason by four shots as Barry Morrissey from the Bishopstown club in Cork was third on seven under. The Intermediate event came down to countback as both Listowel's Killian O'Gorman and County Junior Strokeplay winner the week before, Paul O'Shea, finished on 10 under par. Killian claimed the prize on a better Back 18 of five under as opposed to three under for Paul as Killian very nearly got a 'Hole-in-One' on the last. Third in the grade was the County Intermediate Strokeplay winner himself in Michael Conway on six

under par. In the Junior competition, Brian Moynihan led the way on nine under par, three clear of Listowel's Ger Guerin in second as David Murray from Bishopstown in Cork claimed third on two over par. The Ladies prizes saw Eleanor Walsh of Fermoy with the 0-10 category on three under par as Lisa O'Connor from the host club won the 11-18 category prize with a score of 121.

Across the county bounds Ireland's No 1 ranked Mens player Damien Fleming was making waves as he claimed two Scratch Cups in the space of two days in Cork.

He started off on Saturday with a score of 23 under par around Collins (host club to this year's National Gents Strokeplay Championships) as the National Matchplay holder followed up with a score of 21 under par the following day to win the St Annes Scratch Cup. He was 44 under par for the 72 holes he played at the weekend in both courses as the two wins send out a strong statement ahead of next month's scheduled national events.

This weekend the U16's of the county head for Hillview in Clonmel in Co Tipperary for the National U16 Matchplay Championship, Pitch & Putt Ireland's first National Championships since the easing of Covid-19 restrictions.

The Kerry County Board wishes all the county's participants the very best of luck.

Elsewhere the County Board wishes to confirm that the National Matchplay Qualifiers will take place in Castleisland on Friday evening August 21st at 6.30pm. This year's event is a 36 hole Strokeplay qualifier as opposed to actual Matchplay games.

Also clubs are reminded that entries for the National Strokeplays must be with National by next Wednesday, August 12th.

DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB NEWS

SUCCESS IN CORK

While we might not have had any prize winners at the Tralee Scratch Cup on Monday, our Club Chairman was sweeping all before him in Cork last Saturday and Sunday as he won two Scratch Cups in the space of two days. Damien Fleming started off by winning in Collins on Saturday with a score of 23 under par as he followed up on Sunday in St Annes with a score of 21 under to take the title there. In all Damien was 44 under par for the 72 holes he played both days.

SUNDAY COMPETITION

Great morning for John McGrath in a Two Ball Scramble but the real drama was in deciding Second Nett as it eventually came down to Back 15 in separating Sean O'Brien & Sean Ashe from Robbie O'Brien Jnr & Jason O'Connor! Results- First Nett: John McGrath & Betty O'Brien 34, Gross: John McGrath & John Murphy 41 and Second Nett: Sean Ashe & Sean O'Brien 36 1/2 (B15).

WEDNESDAY SCRAMBLE

We had to play this event last Thursday due to the inclement weather on the scheduled day. Winners of a Two Ball Scramble were Ger O'Connor & Tom Cronin with 36

Nett. Remember these events will run on Wednesdays during the months of August each evening @ 6.45pm. Open to all club members, entry €5 per player.

National U16 Matchplay: Our U16's head to Hillview in Clonmel for this event this weekend. Wishing them all the best of luck.

NATIONAL ADULT STROKEPLAY

Entries (€13) must be received and paid for in shop envelopes by this weekend to meet National deadline.

Club Matchplay: Entries (€10) must be received and paid for by Sunday evening in the clubhouse as well.

ENGAGEMENT

We were delighted to hear of the engagement of our Grounds Committee Chairman Aidan O'Donoghue and Caragh Neeson last week.

KILLARNEY GOLF CUB - MENS

RESULTS

of the Ladies' & Mens' Captain Charity event which was very kindly sponsored by The Victoria House Hotel and held on the Killeen course on the 1st & 2nd of August.

A huge thank you to everyone who generously supported the Charity weekend and for the very large turnout on both days.

1st. David Moloney (6), Brian Looney (4), Colm Cooper (16), Daragh O'Callaghan (16) - 94 pts
2nd. Jack Buckley (20), James Ormonde (8), Declan McCarthy (10), Derry McCarthy 96) - 94 pts

3rd. Pat O'Neill (17), Bryan English (17), Michael O'Shea (12), Tony Sugrue (20) - 92 pts
4th. Michael O'Donoghue (13), Muiris Healy (16), Darragh Kelly (17), John Kelliher (20) - 92 pts

5th. Robert Cussen (5), Sean Brosnan (8), Chris Collins (9), James Collins (12) - 91 pts
Best Ladies Team Prize - Sinead O'Shea (13), Eileen Fleming (16), Mary Moynihan (21), Mary Gorman (36) - 90 pts

JIMMY BRUEN

Congratulations to our Jimmy Bruen team who played Beaufort on Saturday and had a very impressive 50 result.

Killarney were away in three matches and home in two.

Finbarr O'Mahony & Cillian Courtney 2up

Declan Glavin & Peter O'Brien 4up

Harry O'Neill & Peter Mcenery 2up

Dermot Roche & Ewan Macindoe 2up

Michael O'Neill & Mark Tuite 5up

Commiserations to our Senior Cup team who played Tralee on Saturday in very tough conditions, with three away and two home games

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Answer

If you've been scammed, you have been tricked into parting with your money.

The scam can come in many forms. You may be sold fake tickets that don't exist. You may get a missed call from a scammer and when you phone back you could be paying a premium rate. You could get a bogus email pretending to be from your bank, trying to trick you into sharing your personal and financial information.

If you suspect you've been scammed you should act immediately:

- Stop all contact with the scammer
 - Do not send any more payments
 - If you paid by credit or debit card, tell your bank or card provider immediately
 - Report the incident to your local Garda station –scamming is a criminal matter
 - Gather any records you have about the scam (emails or other communications)
 - Protect your devices by resetting your passwords and update your anti-virus software
 - Report the incident to consumer protection agencies such as the CPCC, for advice and to help stop other people being caught in the same scam
- You may be able to get your money back depending on what happened and how you paid the scammer.

You may get your money back if you:

- Notice money has been taken from your account without your authorisation, and you contact your bank immediately. In most circumstances, your bank must refund you for an unauthorised payment.
- Bought something from a scammer with your debit card, credit card or PayPal. You can ask your bank or credit provider to reverse the transaction through a process known as a chargeback.

It's unlikely you will get your money back if you:

- Paid by bank transfer. It can be harder to get money back, but the sooner you contact your bank the better.
- Paid by money transfer services such as MoneyGram, PayPoint or Western Union.
- Paid by vouchers or gift card

To protect yourself in future, you should not share your personal information if you don't know who are dealing with. Trust your instinct and always ask yourself 'is it safe?'

You can read more about how to protect yourself from scams on citizensinformation.ie.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, you can find comprehensive integrated information online at citizensinformation.ie/covid19/ and you can get daily updates on what's changed on Twitter at @citizensinfo. You can also get information and advice from:

Know Your Rights has been compiled by Kerry Citizens Information Service which provides a free and confidential service to the public. Contact us in Tralee 0761 07 7860, Killarney 0761 07 7820, Listowel 0761 07 7840, Kenmare 0761 07 7810, Killorglin 0761 07 7830, Caherciveen 0761 07 7780

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by John O'Sullivan

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When planting up a container or window box with bulbs plant them at about three times their depth and about one bulb width apart and don't forget to water them especially when the foliage is on and they are growing.

When planting bulbs in the garden dig over the area well where you are planting and add some compost. Always plant your bulbs in groups of about six depending on the type of bulbs. If you would like to add some colour to some areas of the garden for spring and into summer, it would be advisable to grow your bulbs now in small pots and grow them on until early spring. You can then plant them in their pots in the areas you want and after flowering you can dig them up and keep them until next spring. A good dwarf daffodil for this is Tete-a-tete.

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ADDICTION AND THE FAMILY AIRS THIS SUNDAY

This Sunday, August 9th the Diocesan Justice Peace & Integrity of Creation Committee will bring you a feature programme on the issue of addiction, and how finding God and developing a spiritual life is key in overcoming addiction. This programme will air on 'Horizons' @ 9am on Radio Kerry.

This feature programme will examine the effects of addiction on our homes and loved ones and how finding God and developing a spiritual life is key in overcoming addiction.

Three speakers will share their experience, strength and hope from their unique perspective: Steven, aged 40, who overcame alcohol and cocaine addiction through the spirituality of the 12 steps; Eileen, who is older, learned how to find peace and cope with her husband's alcohol addiction through attending Al-Anon and turning to her faith for strength and guidance; Ger Lowe, Listowel Community Alcohol and Drug Worker on his experience of working with young people and their families to overcome substance misuse. The aim of the programme is to highlight a) this issue of addiction in our communities and b) the help and support available to those individuals and family members affected by alcohol and drug abuse.

There is Help Available and if you are an adult experiencing difficulties around your alcohol and drug use, contact:

Counselling & Advisory Services, Block F, Ground Floor, Edward Court, Edward Street, Tralee, Co. Kerry Tel: (066) 7184968

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If you are a young person experiencing difficulties, please go to:

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You can also contact Tralee Community Drugs Initiative @

<http://nekid.net/tralee-community-drugs-initiative/>

You can also join a 12 step fellowship and find support and solidarity by contacting:

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Alcoholics Anonymous

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A Word of Victory

Welcome back dear reader "which of you by worrying can add one cubit to his stature?" (**Matthew 6:27**). Last week we spoke of how fear is a magnet to the devil. Fear is the weapon he uses because he is full of fear himself at what his future will be (**Revelation 20:1-10**). He deploys demonic spirits of fear against believers to derail them off the track of faith. Faith attracts God (**Hebrews 11:1-6**). It ignites His Power on our behalf. But fear is of the devil and is the counterfeit of faith. Faith and fear cannot mix - like oil and water they repel one another.

Many truly sincere believers in Jesus have regressed in their faith during this covid crisis and feel utterly helpless because of the negative atmosphere. Every conversation, every news bulletin and social media topics are all consumed with magnifying the virus, prophesying doom....waves, spikes, lockdowns and devastation.

Listen friend, wash your hands and practice safety of course - but take a step back and see what is really going on here. Turn off the news and take time to refresh your soul and reap the peace of God (**Psalms 23**).

The devil is having a field day destroying people's hope and joy. Faith has been replaced by fear because fear is all that is being spoken of.

Where are God's people the church? What about prayer? I don't mean babbling repetitious learnt off prayers. Jesus warned us not to do that (**Matthew 6:5-15**). But real heartfelt prayer is taking Jesus' lead of honouring God, trusting and depending upon Him for everything and living a lifestyle of repentance.

Study God's Word and use it like Jesus did to defeat the devil's attacks (**Luke 4:1-13**). There is power in God's Word - the devil knows this which is why he removed it out of everyday life. If Jesus needed to resist the devil with the Scripture we need to do the same! Study and learn the Word and confess it aloud in faith. This is called spiritual warfare and it is a powerful weapon against the spirit of fear.

This is not living in denial - the virus may be a fact - but the Truth is God's Word. And the Truth always takes precedence over facts. Jesus said when we abide in His Word - that is know and understand what He did for us 'you shall know the truth (of Salvation) and the truth shall set you free' (**John 8:32**). Plead the blood of Jesus around yourself and your family and trust the Lord to keep you safe and watch your peace be restored in His Love. **Do not fear!**

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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. Publication of
prayer and favour will be granted.

B.B.

NOVENA PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH

O Saint Joseph, whose protection is so great, so
strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I
place in you all my interests and desires.

O Saint Joseph, assist me by your powerful
intercession and obtain for me from your
Divine Son all spiritual blessings through Jesus
Christ, Our Lord; so that having engaged here
below your heavenly power, I may offer my
thanksgiving and homage to the most loving
of Fathers.

O Saint Joseph, I never weary contemplating
you and Jesus asleep in your arms; I dare not
approach while He reposes near your heart.
Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for
me, and ask Him to return the Kiss when I draw
my dying breath. Amen

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

**From her loving daughter Tricia,
Richard and Grandson Timmy.**

NOVENA TO ST. ANTHONY

The Saint of Miracles O holy St. Anthony,
gentlest of saints, your love for God and
charity for your neighbour made you worthy
when on earth to possess miraculous powers.

Miracles waited on your world which you
were ever ready to speak for those in trouble
and anxiety. Encouraged by this thought I
implore of you to obtain for me my request...
(mention request). The answer to my prayer
may require a miracle. Even so, you are the
Saint of Miracles. O gentle and loving St.
Anthony, whose heart was ever full of human
sympathy, intercede for me and the gratitude
of my heart will ever be yours. Amen.

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. (Make request). 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 show
me herein you are my mother. Oh Mary conceived
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