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EDITOR'S NOTE



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ith news that we are to bask in glorious sunshine in the coming week, the town of Killarney is looking it's best.

We have lots of local news and photographs for you in this weeks Killarney Outlook, along with some fantastic deals from our advertisers.

In a week that saw the Royal couple come to town, a local school made it onto the national stage at the JEP Showcase in the RDS.

Liebherr held their annual golf classic, the County Fleadh Cheoil is taking place this weekend in Milltown and local actress Lily MacMonagle scooped Best Actress Award at the AIMS at the weekend. Enjoy our magazine this week, and make sure you get out and about and enjoy all that Killarney has to offer.

Aisling Crosbie Editor

Charity Ball for Louise



There will be a black tie Dinner and Ball Charity Night held on Saturday 30th June at the Killarney Oaks Hotel in association with the Louise Lynch Rehabilitation Fund. Louise, from Radrinagh, Spa, sustained massive injuries when the car in which she was a passenger was involved in a collision in Badajoz, Spain, on February 24 last. Louise, who had been teaching in Spain for the past year, was with two friends returning from a day trip when

the accident happened. Louise has been making a good recovery and is now able to walk up and down the corridor at the hospital. Before opting to work in Spain, Louise, daughter of Seamus and Nora Lynch, graduated with a degree in Business and Spanish from UCC and is a former pupil of Tiernabou National School and St Brigid's Presentation Secondary School in Killarney. Funds raised from the event will go towards Louise's rehabilitation. Local businesses have donated fantastic items which will be auctioned and raffled off on the night.

There will be live music and lots of great spot prizes to be won and all for a great cause. The drinks reception will start from 7pm, dinner at 7:30pm and the auction will commence at 8pm. Tickets are €50 and you will be automatically entered into the raffle with the purchase of a ticket. An online GoFundMe account, under the name Louise Lynch Hospital Fund, has been set up to help the family with the huge medical expenses involved, including travel and accommodation costs in Spain. Any donation, however small, would be greatly appreciated and pledges can be made online on the GoFundMe account.

New Home for Fionn Mac Cumhail on Brewery Lane

A stunning mural created by Killarney Artist Tina Reed has been completed on Brewery Lane in Killarney.

The Mural depicts Fionn Mac Cumhail - the legendary Irish warrior/hunter who led his band of Irish warriors known as the Fianna, was known to have roamed the mountains and lakes of Killarney. Well known Artist Tina Reed, inspired by the warrior and the beauty of Killarney National Park, was commissioned by Killarney Looking Good working group, to paint the fables and heroic tales of Fionn at Brewery Lane, which is located beside the International Hotel.

The Magnificent mural was unveiled on Monday evening with members of the group including Donal Mangan, Padruig O'Sullivan, Cllr Michael Gleeson, Eileen O'Donoghue, Killarney Municipal District Officer, Kathleen Foley and Yvonne Quill, Chairperson, Killarney Tidy Towns.



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LORETO TAKE COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS AWARD AT JEP SHOWCASE AT RDS

More than 3,500 Primary School Pupils participated in Ireland's first Junior Entrepreneur Showcase with Scoil Bhride Loreto NS winning the Community Champions Award.

Run by 10 to 12 year olds, the primary school businesses that took part in the project around the country turned over more than €220,000 with a profit of €140,000.

Ireland's leading entrepreneurs including Bobby Kerr, John Brennan, Alison Cowzer, Brian Lee, Peaches Kemp, Niall McGarry and Paul Galvin among others were on hand to support #JEPKidsinBiz at the RDS and mingled with the children.

The JEP programme was co-founded by Jerry Kennelly who spoke at the RDS on the day.

There was huge delight when Loreto Pupils were announced as winners of the "Community Champions Award" for their "Tick Kit" Project.

"Winning a national prize is a huge achievement and this is a proud day for Loreto. Great credit is due to 5th and 6th class and their teacher Mr. Looney for all their hard work with the Junior Entrepreneur Programme", Principal, Mary O'Sullivan told the Killarney Outlook. The whole process was a wonderful experience for the children in how to develop a business – empowering young people to turn ideas into reality.

The idea originated when 6th class pupil Ali O'Donoghue was bitten by a tick and discovered what little information was available to treat tick bites. She and her class mates researched the topic and came up with the idea of the Tick Kit.

The Junior Entrepreneur is all about working as a team and this was a great team effort. Every child in 5th and 6th class was involved in making the Tick Kits and was well able to explain the product and sell it.

The Tick Kit will also ensure that everyone is more aware of what a tick is; how to remove it safely and also teach others while, as entrepreneurs, hopefully making a profit.

It will be useful on walks, runs and days out. It can be used by people and on pets and cost only €8 per Tick Kit

The Tick Kit comes in a small plastic container and it contains:

- 2 tick twisters
- 2 circle plasters
- 2 anti-septic wipes
- A pair a rubber gloves



Faha National School pupils pictured at the RDS for the JEP Showcase.

• Instructions on the inside of the lid
"From an early stage we saw huge potential in the idea as being of benefit to the community and as a future fundraiser for the school.

-The children made a presentation to the Muckross Community Association public meeting on Lyme Disease. People were very interested to note that the correct way to remove a tick safely is to use a tick twister.

We were very proud of our pupils who were well able to handle media interviews, queries and sales on their stand. There were nine awards and it was a huge achievement for Loreto to scoop the "Community Champions Award.

"We would like to thank David Rea, producer of Celtic Steps who visited the children and gave them great advice about setting up a business, our secretary Margaret, our SNA Noreen and our parents who also gave great help and support. It has been a great learning experience for the children in how to develop a business. They have shown initiative and learned skills of teamwork and co-operation", Mrs. O'Sullivan added. Looking to the future we are very grateful to parents who have come on board to market the Tick Kit. It will be for sale locally with profits going to the school.

Mucky pup, clean it up!



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Launch of the 233rd Killarney Regatta Takes Place



The launch of the 233rd Killarney Regatta was held in the Killarney Avenue Hotel on Monday 18th June last.

One of the highlights of the Killarney calendar, Sunday July 1st is the date for your diary and the event will be held at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club.

Racing begins at 9.30 am and all ages will compete from the 6 Killarney clubs, Fossa, Workmen, Muckcross, Flesk Valley, St. Brendans and Commercials.

There will be lots of onshore entertainment with music, dancing, and children's entertainment.

All clubs will have their contestants for the Regatta Queen competition present and the Mens Crew from Flesk Valley of the years 1981 – 1985 will be honoured.

The Annual Regatta Dance and presentation of prizes will be held on Tuesday 3rd at 9.00 pm in the Killarney Oaks Hotel. Tickets can be purchased on the door on the night.



Flesk Valley winning team 1981-1985, pictured at the launch of the Killarney Regatta at the Killarney Avenue Hotel. Front Row L-R Jim Fleming, Breda Fleming (representing Michael Fleming), John O'Leary (President), Eileen Fleming (representing Michael Fleming) & Fiona Carroll (representing Sean Carroll). Back Row L-R Pat Tangney, John Courtney (representing Denis & Donal Courtney), Jon Fleming (representing Patrick Fleming), Freddie Murphy, Marie Fleming (representing Patrick Fleming), Pat O'Donoghue, Kieran O'Callaghan & Danny Lucey.

PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



Front Row L-R Ann Tangney (Ass Secretary), Conor Griffin (Secretary), John O'Leary (President), Paddy Cronin (Chairman), Raymond Coffey (Vice President) & Jillian O'Neill (Registrar). Back Row L-R John Fleming, Kathy Brosnan, Nicola O'Donoghue, Pat O'Donoghue, Angela Nagle, Pat Talbot, Ciara Fleming, Alan Lyne, Christina O'Grady, Fiona Whelton & Karen Uí Churtáin. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

FR GEORGE HAYES CELEBRATES HIS SILVER JUBILEE

Parish Priest of Glenflesk, Fr. George Hayes celebrated his Silver Jubilee on Saturday 16th June 2018. To mark the occasion, Mass was celebrated with refreshments after in the Glenflesk Community Hall. Fr. Hayes has spent the past two years as Parish Priest of Glenflesk and has been hugely welcomed by the Parish. Originally from Listowel in North Kerry. Fr. George's Journey since his Ordination has taken him on many paths, Fr George was ordained on 13th June 1993 and his journey since has been varied. He worked in St. John's Parish,

Tralee, Killarney Parish and Kilgarvan Parish. His studies took him to Rome, California and Jerusalem. Fr George worked as Diocesan Secretary to Bishop Bill Murphy for 11 years in Killarney He then returned to Rome and took up the position of Vice Rector of the Irish College in Rome where he spent 4 years The Irish College is a hugely popular venue for Irish couples to hold their wedding ceremonies. Fr George is also a Canon Lawyer. In 2016 Fr George took up the position of Parish Priest here in Glenflesk.





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Saving lives on the agenda at the KDYS

The KDYS played host to Pat McNeely's Drive 4 Life Programme this week as Killarney Youthreach students took part in an eye opening and hard hitting driver safety workshop in the KDYS Youth Centre on Monday. Students underwent an intensive one days training on the devastating impact of speed, drink driving and careless driving on our roads. Pat McNeely from Bayside Services, Achill, County Mayo made the long journey to Kerry to deliver

his life-saving workshop. John Adams, Killarney Youthreach Co-ordinator commented: "We were delighted to host the 'Drive 4 Life' Programme once again this year. I have no doubt it has saved lives, as it makes us all think about driving behaviours. Our young people were delighted to take part." John added, "We also play host to the Road Safety Authority on June 28th to reinforce the message to our young people that they are invaluable to us. We need to do all

we can to protect them."

Killarney Youthreach is currently recruiting students for their 2018/2019 educational programme starting in September. If you are aged 15 to 20 and would you like a second chance at education, Killarney Youthreach may be right for you. Please call into the KDYS Youth Centre or ring 064 6631748 to find out more. Killarney Youthreach was set up in 2001 as part of the Kerry Youthreach Programme – a partnership programme between the KDYS (Kerry Diocesan Youth Service) and the Kerry Education and Training Board, in order to meet the needs of young people from Killarney and South Kerry, who have left school early. This full-time educational programme is based in the KDYS Youth Centre and offers a range of QQI subjects allowing students to progress on to further education, training and employment. A small training allowance is on offer as well as a chance to avail of professional counselling.

Significant Opportunities for Rural Communities in Sustainable Energy Initiatives

There are significant environmental and economic opportunities available for rural communities through engaging in the development of project in the sustainable energy sector. This was the key message being delivered during the EU organised Sustainable Energy Week conference held recently in Brussels. The event also highlighted the movement taking place at an EU level towards empowering citizens across the region to become involved in the renewable energy sector.

Many speakers from across Europe made presentations as to how communities, both large and small, were able to derive significant benefits from undertaking projects using new sustainable energy technologies in areas such as heating and energy generation. Some showcased how islands of the coast of Scotland were able to become self-sufficient from an energy point of view through developing a number of different generating projects such as wind and hydro. Other communities showcased



Sean Kelly - Sean de Buitléar at EU Sustainable Energy Week Brussels.

that through working with local farmers, communities were able to develop heating systems to heat all of their homes and community buildings at a fraction of the cost of normal heating methods.

Attending the event as part of the INTERREG "ECCO" (Energy Community Co-Operatives) project in which they are a partner, South Kerry Development

Partnership's Seán de Buitléar said that the moves being made at an EU level to enable community participation in the renewable energy market have significant potential to be exploited for the benefit of communities in South Kerry.

"There is clearly a change in understanding at both EU and indeed a national level that if targets are to be met in terms of the amounts of renewable energy being generated and the required reductions in CO2 emission levels are to be met, then communities will be front and centre in terms of delivering these goals" Seán said. We hope to enable the communities of South Kerry to be at the forefront of this initiative through the ECCO project, he added.

Munster MEP Seán Kelly, who is the lead negThe ECCO project in South Kerry is supported by FEXCO, Kerry Group, The Department of Community & Rural Development and the Department of Climate Action.

Fr. Dan Celebrates Golden Jubilee

Fr. Dan Riordan pictured at St. Stephen and John Church, Castleisland on Wednesday where he celebrate mass on the occasion of his Golden Jubilee.

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The Ring of Kerry Cycle takes place on Saturday July 7th. For more information on how to volunteer log onto More information on: www.oneof17.com Photo shows former Kerry footballer

Colm Gooch Cooper with Danny, Johnny, Maura and Michael Healy-Rae giving a final push to support the Buy A Bus campaign in association with the Ring of Kerry Cycle which take place on July 7th.

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THE PRINCE OF WALES & THE ROME ESCAPE LINE

During the recent visit to Killarney House & Gardens by The Prince of Wales and The Duchess of Cornwall, Prince Charles met briefly with members of the Hugh O'Flaherty Memorial Committee.

To mark the Royal Visit and the 75th Anniversary of the creation of the WW2 Rome Escape Line by Killarney native Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty, the Memorial Society presented the Prince with a boxed first edition copy of Major Sam Derry's book "The Rome Escape Line".

As a brief background to the book's story, Memorial Society Chairman Jerry O'Grady brought Prince Charles through an album of images of the main characters from the time and from Nazi occupied Rome. These included an April 1945 copy of the London Gazette announcement by his grandfather King George VI, that Monsignor Hugh J O'Flaherty was being awarded a CBE (Commander of the British Empire), for his services to the Forces in Italy.

"The Prince was delighted to accept this special edition of Sam Derry's book and had a particular interest in the involvement of Sir D'Arcy Osborne, the then British Ambassador to the Holy See, saying that he had been a friend of his mother, Queen Elizabeth. He was also aware of the part played in this incredible story by Gestapo Chief Col. Herbert Kappler and quickly identified his image within the



Jerry O'Grady showing Prince Charles photos of Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty and Major Sam Derry.

album", Jerry O'Grady told the Killarney Outlook.

"We were hoping that it might have been possible for the Prince and Duchess to pay a short visit to the nearby Hugh O'Flaherty Memorial, but Garda security considerations ruled this out. However, we did show him some images of the Memorial and we were delighted to

have had the opportunity to share our story with Prince Charles and introduce him to the Monsignor's niece Pearl Dineen", he added.

Plans are being prepared to hold a special commemoration on June 4th, 2019 to mark the 75th Anniversary of the Liberation of Rome and the effective winding up of The Rome Escape Line.

Annual River Bank/Lake Shore Clean Up Proposed



At the June 2018 monthly meeting of Kerry County Council, Councillor Michael Gleeson proposed the following Notice of Motion:

"In view of the ongoing outstanding success of the County Clean-Up Day, that Kerry County Council would examine the feasibility of promoting and coordinating an annual River Bank/Lake Shore Clean-Up Day".

Kerry County Council replied that they will examine, in conjunction with the Local Authorities Water and Communities Office (LAWCO), the possibility of arranging and promoting such an annual event subject to available staffing and funding resources being made available. The LAWCO office is charged with assisting and facilitating implementation of the various aspects of the recently published Second Cycle River Basin Management plan which seeks to improve and enhance the public's recognition of the importance of our rivers, lakes and estuarine waters and to mobilise community action for the protection and enhancement of these water courses. Councillor Gleeson very much welcomed the response and hopes that the resources will be made available.

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Here's looking at you Dad...

Photographer Don MacMonagle captures the moment his daughter Lily is announced as Best Actress at the AIMS awards.
PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE

OVER 1,400 members of Musical Societies across the country gathered at the INEC on Saturday night last for the AIMS Awards and it was a local girl, Lily MacMonagle who scooped Best Actress. We are so proud of Lily MacMonagle who won the best actress award in the 2018 Association of Irish Musicals Awards held at The INEC at the weekend. Lily delivered a powerful performance as Charity Hope Valentine in Sweet Charity which was staged to packed audiences last March", a spokesperson for

Killarney Musical Society told the Killarney Outlook. Lily was not alone in her nomination as Rory Ward who played Oscar was runner up for best supporting actor and Amano Miura was awarded runner up for best supporting actress. The Association of Irish Musical Societies were presented by MC Fergal D'arcy. All in all it was a fantastic night and as the sun rose musical societies celebrating could still be heard as the AIMS Awards ended on a high note.

LILY SCOOPS BEST ACTRESS AWARD AT THE AIMS



Lily MacMonagle, Killarney Musical Society, winner of the 'Best Actress' award for her role as 'Charity' and Rory Ward, Runner-up in Best Supporting Actor in Sweet Charity with colleagues, Padraig Creedon, Irene Hurley, Niamh O'Carroll, Sheree Murphy, Caoimhe Lynch, Killian Collins, Director, Odran Downey, Jessica Murphy and Harriett McGuigan at the AIMS annual Musical Society awards in the INEC, Killarney at the weekend.



Resurfacing of Coolcorcoran Junction announced

Cllr. John Sheahan has welcomed the resurfacing of the Coolcorcoran Junction. The Junction had become very dangerous as a result of an underground water leak that has been repaired by Irish Water, however it left the road surface of the Coolcorcoran Junction in a dangerous stage of repair. "Having received many complaints on the condition of the junction, I am delighted to announce that the road is now scheduled for re-surfacing with works to be carried out in the coming weeks. Work will also be carried out on the Kilcummin Junction on the Tralee road at the same time.

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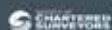
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Price: €280,000 BER E1



Reconnecting

A unique cultural celebration of the Summer Solstice at the iconic 6,000 year-old Killaclohane Portal Tomb near Milltown was a special highlight of this year's County Fleadh Cheoil which takes place in the mid-Kerry town this weekend. The organisers held an open-air celebration at tomb, Kerry's oldest manmade structure and oldest burial site, last night, 21st June, the longest day of the year, against the majestic backdrop of Dingle Bay and the Sliabh Mish Mountains. Dingle Druid, Juli Ní Mhaoileoin, centre, with Urs Wenk, Dance Drum Ireland, Joan Greene, Singer, Aoibhe Horan, Harpist and Poet Eileen Sheehan.

PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

With our past...

Helen Claims Gold in World Championships



Helen Twomey from Glenflesk who holds the World Record in her category for the Deadlift.

A Glenflesk woman has claimed three medals in the World Powerlifting Championships recently held in Calgary, Canada.

Helen Twomey won a Gold medal in the Deadlift event, a Bronze in the Bench-press competition and a Bronze in the overall Championship. Helen also squatted a personal best of 130Kg.

Helen aged 50 trains in Peak Performance in Killarney where she is coached by Coach Bobby Enright. She only took up powerlifting three years ago at age 47 when she retired from competitive Inter-county Badminton. She now competes within the World Powerlifting Federation which is the highest level in competitive Dryg Free powerlifting.

Helen currently holds the World Record in her category for the Deadlift. She deadlifted 185Kg in this year's Irish Powerlifting Federation Nationals Competition.

Helen also represented and medaled for Ireland in the European Championships in Sweden in March of this year.




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Huge turnout for Annual Kerry Parents and Friends Charity Golf Classic



The Bank of Ireland team who won first prize in the Liebherr Golf Classic at the weekend.



Taking a breather at the Liebherr Golf Classic, Teame A.L.E (Abnormal Load Engineering), pictured at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club for the Liebherr Golf Classic.



Team Graepels, supporting the Liebherr Golf Classic at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club L-R Donal Scannell, Tony O'Connor, Brendan Wilson & Maurice Foley.



Enjoying the Liebherr Golf Classic at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club on Friday were Team JMAC L-R Jim Morris, Teddy O'Sullivan, John & Peter McEnery.

The 32nd Annual Kerry Parents and Friends Charity Golf Classic assisted by Liebherr Container Cranes Ltd was held on O' Mahonys Point, at Killarney Golf Club on Friday 15th June 2018.

62 teams participating (53 of them organised by Liebherr) The weather played a major part on the day, which made the running of the event so much easier. Everyone was in good form and enjoying the beauty that was surrounding them, the craic and banter amongst themselves while keeping the competitive streak still running fast in their veins.

People travelled from various parts of Ireland, and UK as well as fantastic local support entered teams in this year's classic.

Liebherr receive sponsorship from their various suppliers from all over Ireland and all over the world, (from China, Germany, Italy, UK etc etc). Sponsorship is also received from various companies who for one reason or another who cannot attend on the day but still would like to make a contribution to this worth cause.

Each team of 4 get a goody bag going out (this year they get Backpack, Chocolate and Minerals)

It is great to see some people come back year after year and tell everyone how much they look forward and enjoy the golf classic, some people use it as an annual get together for friends and this makes you realise that it is a great benefit to all involved.

The prize giving took place in the clubhouse at Killarney Golf Club at 8pm.

Mr Pat O' Leary, MD of Liebherr Container Cranes Ltd, spoke about how happy Liebherr Container Cranes are to be involved with the Kerry Parents and Friends Association. He mentioned Mr. Klaus Nolke who was very involved for many years in this Golf Classic. He was delighted that Liebherr Container Cranes were able to put 53 teams out in the classic and raise €52,000 for the charity. He congratulated Laura Furlong on her tireless work and effort in making sure everything was organised and ran smoothly on behalf of Liebherr. He congratulated all the prize winners and he also congratulated Killarney Golf Club on celebrating 125 years this year.

CEO of the Kerry Parents and Friends Marie Linehan spoke at the prize giving and mentioned that the support the Kerry Parents and Friends received from the golf classic will make a huge difference to the lives of many. She mentioned that this golf classic is the charity's main fundraiser. The people they support want better lives, they want to live as we live and be accepted as equals in society. They just need a little extra help and the financial support from the golf classic is making that happen. She thanked Liebherr Container Cranes Ltd, their suppliers and Liebherr' MD Mr. Pat O' Leary for his continued dedicated support for the past 27 years.

Marie thanked McCarthy's Par, Geraldine and David Clifford who provided a truly scrumptious meal for everyone. It was a thoroughly mouth-watering for everyone.

Marie also thanked Declan and his volunteers at the hospitality tent at the 11th hole who kept the golfers refreshed throughout their round, Michael F. O'Connor for looking after the course signs, Dermot Doyle for looking after the score cards, Denis & Mary Cronin for organising the prizes, the ball spotters, and MC Tony Darmody for all his work.

Marie thanked Laura Furlong for all her help and organisation from Liebherr Container Cranes and Patricia McNamara from KPFA for organising on behalf of KPFA. She described the two ladies as the Dream Team.

This year's classic was won by Bank of Ireland with a tremendous score of 104 points, the winning team consisted of Frank Shaw, Sean Brosnan, Shane Enright and Liam Sheedy.

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Killarney Valley Classic & Vintage Club Launch of Land Rover 90 Charity Restoration Project



Dermot Healy pictured at the launch.

The official launch of the restored 1989 Land Rover 90 by The Killarney Valley Classic & Vintage took place recently at Dermot Healy Motors Killarney giving the Land Rover a whole new lease of life, all in the name of charity.

Following the success of the club's Massey Fergusson 135 Tractor which was fully restored for charity last year, the club took on a bigger challenge of an old Land Rover 90 which happens to coincide with Land Rover celebrating their 70th anniversary this year.

The club sourced the old Land Rover through a friend of the club in Cork with the vehicle being off the road since 2002 and with only 82,000 miles on the clock. The vehicle was in good condition except for the bulk head which had a serious rust issue with the chassis and other components well maintained but the club decided to do a full complete dismantle last November when the project began including the full galvanising of the chassis and to give it a modern look, the club adding a sump guard, winch, roof rack, awning, LED lights and a full body spray was carried out to make it a dream machine. Club Chairman, James Looney estimated that it took over 300 hours of



Killarney Valley Classic & Vintage Club members, pictured at Dermot Healy Motors with their restored 1989 Freelander with thanks to their sponsors. The Freelander will be raffled on 17th November where proceeds will go to Down Syndrome Kerry & Recovery Haven Kerry. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

voluntary time to complete the restoration which would not have been possible to complete without the huge support of the club members, sponsors and supporters through all walks of life. James added "The project was a great social event for our committee and club members and would like to sincerely thank everyone who got involved with the project."

Benefitting this year from the

proceeds are Down Syndrome Kerry and Recovery Haven Cancer Support Group. Tickets cost €10 each and are available online at www.killarneyvintage.com, directly from both charities and from various outlets. The Land Rover will be at different events throughout the County over the summer months with the draw taking place on the 17th November next. Any queries, please contact club secretary on 087-3381842.

Killarney Youthreach Students Celebrate Success At Awards Evening

Students from Killarney Youthreach were awarded with their QQI Certificates for their efforts in the classroom this past academic year.

Based in the KDYS Youth Centre, Fairhill, Killarney Killarney Youthreach is a programme for young people aged 15 to 20 who have left school early and who are looking for a second chance of gaining qualifications. It was set up in 2001 as part of the Kerry Youthreach Programme – a partnership programme between the KDYS (Kerry Diocesan Youth Service) and the Kerry Education Training Board, in order to meet the needs of young people from the Killarney Area, who have left school early. The full-time educational programme is based in the KDYS Youth Centre and offers a range of QQI subjects and personal development opportunities allowing students to progress on to further education, training and employment. John Adams, Youthreach Co-ordinator commented: "It is great to see young people receiving

awards for their efforts. Our students have come so far and really exceeded all expectations this past year. I want to thank their parents and guardians as well as my professional staff team. I also want to thank the KDYS and Kerry ETB for their support. It is important tonight to acknowledge these young people who have decided to return to education in order to better themselves and their futures."



Pictured at the Dromhall Hotel for the Youthreach Awards & Graduation Celebrations were the class of 2018 with their teachers. Front Row L-R Arleno O'Regan, Amy Mason, Helen O'Sullivan, Nadine Rider & Skye Crowley. Back Row L-R Anthony Feely, Majella Hegarty, Connor Marchi, Omid Kazn, Faun Schutz, John Crowley, Linda Murphy, Marie Cronin, John Adams, Liz Williams & Tim O'Donoghue.

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KILLARNEY TOWN TALK



CAOIMHE SPILLANE

The weather forecast says we are in for a scorcher of a week. Here's hoping because there are lots of events and activities happening in Killarney this week (many of them outdoors!) To find out what's happening in Killarney, look no further than the Town Talk Page. The page is a great way to celebrate the town and support local events. If you have any news you would like to share, an event you would like to promote or an interesting story about Killarney you can contact towntalk@outlookmags.com

WALKING FESTIVAL

The Killarney Walking Festival takes place this weekend, Saturday 23 and Sunday 24 June. Base camp is Kate Kearney's Cottage. The festival comprises of a two day walking programme with hikes, treks and hill walks to suit all interests and fitness abilities. The choice of walking trails on offer cover a range of walking abilities from the challenge of The Reeks and Carruntuohill to ambling through the National Park. All walks are

led by experienced walk leaders who are there to ensure that the correct routes are followed and carry all necessary equipment for the safety of the group. They have a great wealth of knowledge about the mountains and hills as well as providing interesting information on the beautiful scenic landscape. There will also be a Summer Solstice dinner on the Saturday night at 7.30 pm. The evening consists of dinner, traditional music and talk with local historian Tomas O'Sullivan followed by music. Excellent food with choices of traditional dishes. Traditional entertainment with songs, musicians playing guitar and other stringed instruments including fiddle, mandola, Irish bouzouki, banjo and bodhrán, Irish accordion, uilleann pipes, low whistle and tin whistle. For more information see www.killarneywalkingfestival.ie

SPRAOI CHIARRAÍ

Spraoi Chiarraí, the Irish Traditional Music, Song & Dance, Storytelling, performance collective, will be performing a free concert this Saturday, June 23rd at St. Mary's Church of Ireland, Killarney at 8pm. Featuring the O'Lúasa family, Maighread NíLúasa (Button Accordion) and sister Cairtriona NíLúasa (Fiddle) of Coolea Ballvourney, will entertain for an hour. They will be joined by Spraoi Chiarraí Producer/Director Tim O'Shea (Guitar/Vocals/Bodhrán).

KILLARNEY PHOTOGRAPHER FEATURED ON TV3

Killarney Outlook photographer Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan of The Little Memory Gallery, had one of her photographs featured on "The Elaine Show" recently.

The photo was printed on a cushion that Michelle O'Connor who works in Who's 4 Shoes on High Street had made as a Father's Day gift for her husband, John Cronin. Michelle and John who works in Ahern's garage are parents to baby Fiadh. The cushion was shown as part of a segment on gift ideas for Father's Day, the products listed are all available here in Killarney from Tim and Pat at Moriarty's Photostore on New Street.

FAIRY TRAIL

Family Fairy Trail Fairy trail and unicorn rides will take place in Lickeen Woods, Glencar, on Friday, June 22 from 5pm - 8pm. All are welcome to the family fairy trail event to help raise money for the maintenance of Lickeen football field. Come and enjoy the enchanted forest fairy trail, there will be unicorn rides, a fancy dress competition for boys and girls, penalty shootout, face painting, bubbles, raffles, pop corn, teas, coffees and cakes and much more very close to this. Call 0877445094 for more directions.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Micheál Devlin who has been awarded a scholarship to a leading US college. Micheál, a talented soccer player, will become the first ever Irish player to play for Georgetown College in Kentucky after scouts had spotted him in action. Micheál plays with Killarney Celtic.

IA IRELAND

Public Meeting on Sunday 24th of June at the Great Southern Hotel from 1pm to 4pm, for people with all stoma types, with a view to establish a stoma support group. Enquiries: Helen 085 8182549. Free Entry.



ORAN BARRETT, PICTURED ON HIS GRADUATION DAY FROM MUCKROSS COMMUNITY PLAYSCHOOL WITH HIS SISTER ELLA. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



ELAINE CROWLEY PICTURED WITH THE CUSHION FEATURING DAD JOHN AND BABY FIADH.

ART IN KILLARNEY

You may have spotted the beautiful carved deer at the junction of New Road and Port Road. It's not the only work of art to pop up in Killarney, a mural of Fionn Mac Cumhaill and a red deer with the lakes of Killarney, has been painted on the wall at Brewery Lane as part of Killarney Tidy Towns initiative. Killarney artist Tina Reed was commissioned by Killarney Looking Good working group to paint the mural at Brewery Lane (beside the International Hotel). It is lovely to see the mural brighten up the lane. Tina draws inspiration from Killarney National Park and the mountains and lakes of Kerry and West Cork, particularly near her home in the Clydagh Valley, just outside Killarney.

ROYAL VISIT

The royal visit last week by the Prince of Wales and the Duchess of Cornwall was a tremendous success. Not only did they see the sights of Killarney, they got to view a very special piece of jewellery on their visit – and they were presented with another piece to bring back to Buckingham Palace! Charles and Camilla were shown a brooch which was presented to Queen Victoria – the Prince's great-great-great grandmother on her visit to Killarney in 1861. They also viewed the guest book with Queen Victoria's signature. The Duchess was presented with a gift of a fuchsia pendant and earrings, designed by local goldsmith Brian de Staic.

CONGRATULATIONS

The Association of Irish Musical Societies (AIMS) held their annual awards ceremony at the INEC in Killarney last Saturday night. Huge congratulations to Lily McMonagle who won the award for Best actress for her portrayal of Charity in Killarney Musical Society's production of "Sweet Charity". Over 130 musical societies, throughout the whole of Ireland, are members of AIMS. Lily, daughter of Don and Mary Susan MacMonagle, put in a fantastic performance at the INEC in March. Lily's co-stars, Amano Miura, who played Nickie, and Rory Ward, who played Oscar Lindquist, were also nominated for best actress/actor in a supporting role. Already looking forward to next year's production!

54321 CHALLENGE

The 54321 challenge is about multiple teams of 5 people over 4 days, 3 cycles, 2 mountains for 1 cause which is to raise much needed funds for a number of local charities. The Challenge will take place from Thursday 6th to Sunday 9th of



PICTURED AT THE FAHÁ SCHOOL FUN RUN AT THE CASTLEROSSE HOTEL FOR REGISTRATION WERE BACK ROW L-R URSULA FLYNN, BREDA NUGENT, MARTINA HORAN, KAY FITZGERALD, AISLING SCHRAEWER & CHRIS HORAN. FRONT ROW L-R TRACEY BREEN, KATE GOSNEY & TRACY EGAR. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

September 2018 inclusive and will include the following.

Day 1 (Thursday 6th) – Cycle the Ring of Kerry.
Day 2 (Friday 7th) – Climb Carrantuohill.
Day 3 (Saturday 8th) – Cycle from Killarney to the foot of Mount Brandon and then climb Mt Brandon
Day 4 (Sunday 9th) – Cycle from Dingle to Killarney. The Challenge is now entering its Sixth year and has raised €95,000 to date, in the first two years it was undertaken by one team of five people and the third year saw three teams take to the roads and mountains and last two years saw 5 teams of 5 people take part in this epic challenge to raise much needed money to support three Kerry Charities which are the Skellig Stars (Group of children and adult athletes with special needs), Sera Husky (Animal Rescue) and Grow (World Community Mental Health Movement in Ireland).

The organisers would be very grateful for any contribution to this worthwhile cause. You can Donate by visiting the individual Charities Facebook pages for online donation information by Direct Debit to Ulster Bank, Killarney. Sort code 98-58-86 Account No. 10824507, or if you know any of the participants you can contact them directly with a donation. Please see more about the challenge and the people taking part and to donate find them on Facebook

KILLARNEY 4TH JULY CELEBRATIONS

Killarney's annual 4th of July festival is set to be a fantastic celebration of all things USA! Now in its 5th year, the festival aims to bring a great buzz to the town for locals and tourists alike. Festivities on Wednesday July 4th include The Big Parade, An out-door cinema, choir singing, a street party, swing dancing, and lots more fun for both young and old. The celebrations will start at 3pm with the raising of the American flag at the Town Hall by the Mayor of Killarney & Chamber President. Following that the town will transformed into a carnival atmosphere of fun

and entertainment. Street BBQs, Brass bands, Cheerleaders, Disney characters will be on hand to keep everyone entertained from 3pm – 7pm. The Big parade which will commence at 7pm from the outlet centre Car park, and this will bring the streets of Killarney to life. Following the big parade there will be a screening of "Dirty Dancing" in an outdoor screen on the grounds of Killarney House. This is a Free Ticket event and places must be booked online and it is an alcohol free event. And of course the spectacular fireworks display will round off the evening at 11.15 pm

HEARTBEAT

International Life & Body Coach Astrid Longhurst will be talking to HeartBeat this month. She will show how changing your mindset can change your life. How to break free from those fears that are holding you back. She will also be talking about her latest book "Romancing Your Body" and the benefits of this in your life. Astrid will speak at the Serenity Centre, St. Anne's Road, Killarney on Monday June 25th at 8pm. ALL ARE WELCOME.



VINNIE LACKE WHO WON GOLD AS GOAL KEEPER IN DIVISION 3 SOCCER AT THE SPECIAL OLYMPICS IN ABBOTSTOWN AT THE WEEKEND. VINNIE IS A HUGE SOCCER FAN. HE IS A MEMBER OF KERRY STARS WHO TRAIN AT KILLARNEY CELTIC AND WORKS AT TESCO KILLARNEY PARK.

EDUCATION OUTLOOK

You have until 5.15pm on 1st July to avail of the CAO "Change of Mind" facility



(By Billy Ryle)

With the state exams concluding tomorrow, Friday, the thoughts of exhausted candidates are turning to holidays, travel or summer jobs. But there is still one important task to be undertaken. Applicants to the Central Applications Office (CAO) must now turn their attention to the "Change of Mind" facility which affords then an opportunity to register a change of course choices online by 5.15pm on Sunday, 1st July.

Not all applications to CAO avail of the change of mind facility as many applicants are happy with the course choices they submitted by 1st February. On the other hand, you might have done further course research or you might have changed your mind about your earlier choices. Whatever your reason for submitting a change of mind form, make sure you know exactly what you are applying for. Don't list any courses which you haven't researched. Don't apply for any course that you won't accept. Never apply for a course in which you have no interest just because your friends are applying for it.

If you decide to submit a change of mind form, work on your choices before going online. Don't tinker with your original list while online as it's very easy to make a mistake. Start from scratch and prepare a new list of courses. Then open your CAO account via the "My Application" facility. Click on "Add Level 8 Course Choices" and/or "Add Level 7/6 Course Choices." Then use the "New Courses" list to enter your new course choices. Every choice is important so fill up all ten choices in each category.

Check the minimum and special requirements for each course you intend putting on the change of mind form. Don't enter a restricted application course for the first time on a change

of mind form as it won't be considered. Restricted application courses are those for which assessment procedures such as audition, aptitude test or portfolio submission have already taken place. The one exception to this rule is a restricted course which shares the exact same assessment procedures as a restricted course you have applied for by 1st February. Don't list any course which has been cancelled, but you may include any new courses which were announced after the 2018 CAO Handbook was published. All of this information is easily accessible on the CAO website, www.cao.ie.

The two course categories – Level 8 (Honours Bachelor Degrees) and Level 7/6 (Ordinary Bachelor Degrees/Higher Certificates) are totally separate for the purpose of submitting a change of mind form. You may change one category and leave the second category unchanged or you may change both. On the other hand, you may decide to stick with the choices you submitted by 1st February last.

If you make changes to your course choices online, an acknowledgement will be sent to your email address. Check that your courses have been updated by using the "My Application" facility. You may change your course choices free of charge as often as you wish up to the closing date. The final change of mind form that you submit is the one that will count for your CAO offers in August, so check online by 5.15pm on 1st July to make sure that all is in order.

After the 1st July you can make no further changes to your CAO application form. So avail of the remaining nine days to give some serious thought to your course choices. With the state exams done and dusted, you can give your undivided attention to submitting a "change of

mind" form that truly contains your course interests. It will be time well spent if you achieve your course of choice when the college offers are issued in August.

Next week, in the final article of the current series, I'll comment on the accommodation crisis and the soaring cost of college.

Checklist

- ✓ You have until 5.15pm on 1st July to avail of the CAO "Change of Mind" facility
- ✓ Not all applications to CAO avail of the change of mind facility
- ✓ Don't list any courses which you haven't researched.
- ✓ Don't apply for any course which you know that you won't accept
- ✓ Never apply for a course in which you haven't the slightest interest
- ✓ Work on your new list of course choices before going online
- ✓ Check the requirements for the courses you are including on the change of mind form
- ✓ The two course categories are separate from each other on a change of mind form
- ✓ The remaining days provide you with a valuable window of opportunity
- ✓ After the 1st July you can make no further changes to your CAO application form
- ✓ Leaving Cert exam results will be available on Wed., 15th August
- ✓ Junior Cert exam results will be available in mid-September
- ✓ Round One of CAO college offers will be available on Mon., 20th August
- ✓ The reply date for acceptance of Round One offers is 5.15pm on Fri., 24th August.

Billy Ryle is a Career Guidance Counsellor and freelance writer.



6th Class at Faha National School pictured in the RDS for the JEP Showcase. Under the guidance of their teacher Anne Marie Knightly, the class produced a Healthy Eating Book by kids for kids.



The Faha National School Stand at the JEP Showcase at the RDS on Monday.



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Your chance to Spin the Ring for the KDYS



People from the business community, sporting groups and community organisations will complete as much, or as little of the 180km distance of the Ring of Kerry as they wish! Pictured at the launch this week are from left, Cathal Walsh, ROK, Paul o'Neill, Chairman, Killarney Chamber of Tourism and Commerce, Tim O'Donoghue, KDYS, Shane O'Dea, KDYS, Amy Mason, KDYS, Tom Crolwey and Sam Ireland from Spin Street, Scott's Street, Killarney. **PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE**

Two days before the Ring of Kerry Charity Cycle, on July 5th, people will have the opportunity to take part in a unique, fun event all across the county.

The event is part of the KDYS Building Futures campaign and will take place in Killarney, Tralee, Listowel, Kenmare, Castleisland, Dingle, Cahersiveen and

Killorglin.

People from the business community, sporting groups and community organisations will complete as much, or as little of the 180km distance of the Ring of Kerry as they wish!

The event is being proudly sponsored by Spin Street (Kerry's first boutique spin studios) and also by the Killarney

Chamber of Commerce.

Anyone who would like to participate in or support Spin the Ring can contact KDYS through their facebook page or by ringing 0868411297.

Mr Tim O Donoghue, KDYS CEO said, "We support young people in over 50 communities across Kerry. We are asking everybody to get behind Spin the Ring so that we help even more young people. People can help by signing up to cycle or Spin or by sponsoring a "Spinner" on the day. We would also like to say a huge thank you to Paul and everyone in Killarney Chamber for all their help and support, and to Tom and Sam at Spin Street for sponsoring the event. It shows what can be achieved when communities work together".

KDYS has an exciting vision for young people in Kerry. A future where all young people can realise their potential, a future where young people can learn the skills needed for their lives today, and to ensure a healthy and successful future.

The range of supports provided by KDYS to young people focus on helping young people with; active and healthy living, personal development, arts and creativity, eating well and nutrition, helping transition from primary to secondary school, mentoring, preparing for the workplace of tomorrow, team building and leadership, mental and spiritual wellbeing, being resilient and dealing with anxiety, digital and online safety, learning skills for future employment.

DAY OF CREATIVITY FOR KIDS IN KERRY

Cruinniú na nÓg programme at Killarney Library will celebrate youthful creativity 6th June 2018. Cruinniú na nÓg is taking place all over Ireland on Saturday June 23rd next. As the national day of creativity for children and young people, the programme in Kerry will enthuse young people of all ages and families throughout the day and everyone is welcome. Organised by Creative Ireland Kerry, all events are free and the full county programme is available on www.creativeireland.ie/cruinniú.

From 2.00 to 3.30pm Adventures In Science takes place at Killarney Library. It encourages young people to think out loud and discover science concepts at their fingertips. Advance booking is through killarney@kerrylibrary.ie and 064 6632655.



Cruinniú na nÓg, which celebrates and encourages children and young people's participation in culture and creativity is taking place all over Ireland on Saturday June 23rd next. As the national day of creativity for children and young people, the programme in Kerry with free events from 11.00 to 5.00pm in the towns of Listowel, Tralee and Killarney, Dingle, Sliabh Luachra, Milltown, Brosna, Cahersiveen, Killorglin, and Kenmare. Pupils from Ardfer National School, rehearsing their dance movements with Kerry County Council Dance Artist Maria Svensson were Elsa Lawlor and Louise Lane in Ardfer Cathedral ahead of Saturday's main event. **PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN**

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NEW ROLE FOR KILLARNEY STAR JESSIE

Killarney actress, Jessie Buckley, will take to the stage at Kenwood House in London, tonight Friday 22nd June, as a special guest of country music star Kris Kristofferson who is hosting an exclusive birthday show. Jessie will be performing songs in character, from her new movie *Wild Rose*, giving fans the first glimpse of the music and her character. In the movie, Jessie stars as Rose-Lynn Harlan, a young singer from Glasgow, Scotland who dreams of making it as a country artist in Nashville, Tennessee following her release from jail.

Wild Rose was originally titled *Country Music*. Jessie stars alongside Julie Walters, who plays Rose-Lynn's mum, and Sophie Okonedo, who champions Rose-Lynn, her cleaner's, dreams. Presenter Bob Harris, known for his country show on BBC Radio 2, will also appear in the film. The comedy-drama will showcase country music from both sides



of the Atlantic, with Rose-Lynn's band led by U.K. folk star Neill McColl. The soundtrack, which will be released on Island Records later this year, features a range of classic and modern country music and includes an original song by Caitlyn Smith, actress Mary Steenburgen and Kate York. The concert, will also feature Rufus Wainwright, and will mark the first time that Jessie will perform the original songs to a concert audience. *Wild Rose* will be released later this year.



Pictured at the new defibrillator and phone box in Lissivigeen are: Edwina Duggan, Leo O Connor, Rena Casey, Denis Russell, Mike Mc Auliffe, Catherine Duggan, Linda Dennehy O' Sullivan, Kitty O'Sullivan, Christy Lehane and Danny Cahill.

Lissivigeen welcomes Community Defibrillator

The community of Lissivigeen has welcomed the recent installation of a defibrillator outside Lissivigeen school. The placement of the phone box defibrillator has been achieved by the combined efforts of the school, the Parents Association and Lissivigeen Community Alert.

The school provided the defibrillator and wanted it to be available for both the school and the local community. The Parents Association coordinated the fundraising to raise the money for the phone box to house the defibrillator outside the school. Lissivigeen Community Alert provided manpower to help with our flag day in Killarney town. The Killarney First Responders provided excellent First Aid and Defibrillator training for the school staff, the parents association and members of the Community Alert. The Defibrillator and Phone Box were put in place outside Lissivigeen school in May and this project is a good example of what can be achieved when different groups within the community work together. "Ni heart go cur le cheile."

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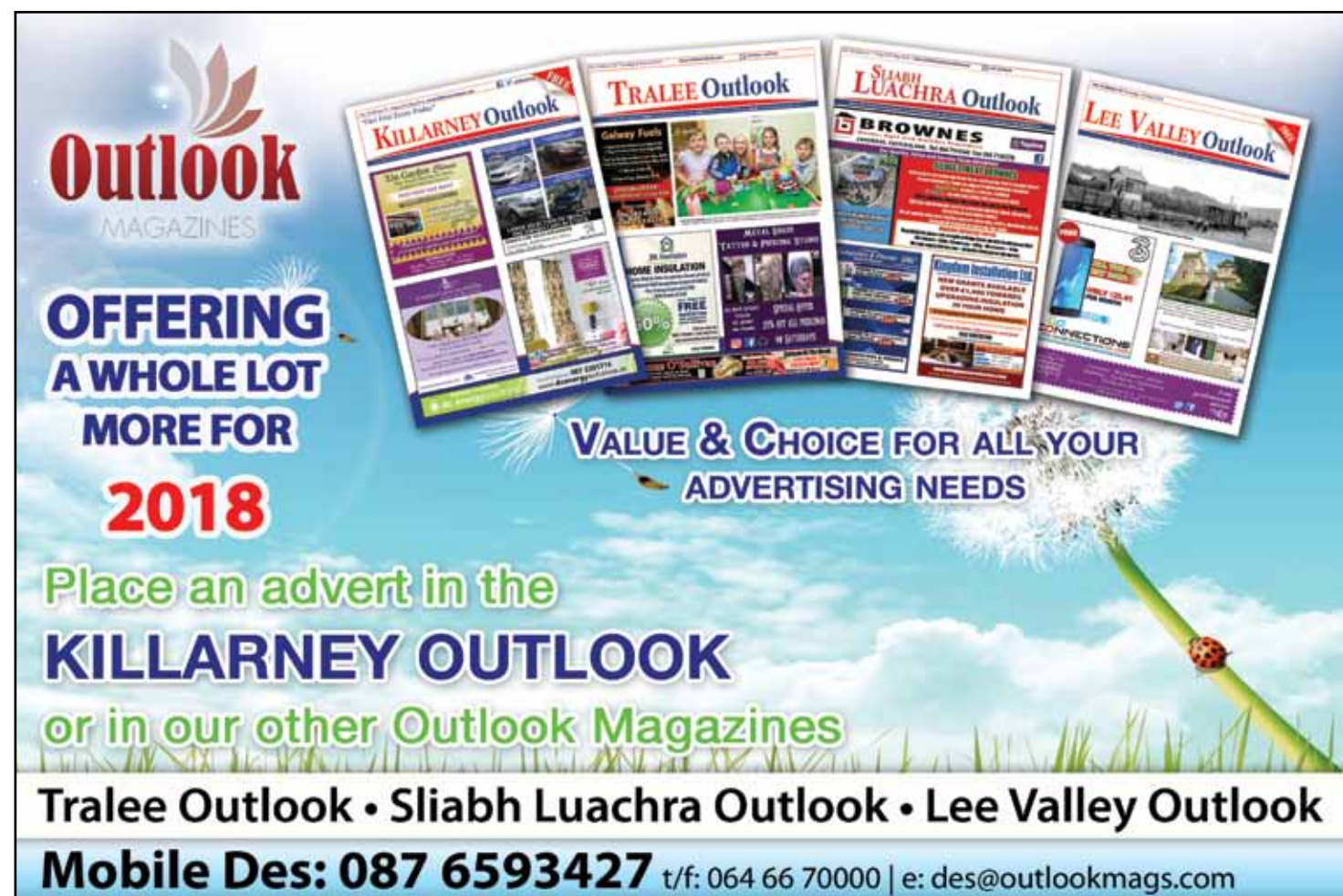
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KILLARNEY ROLLS OUT THE RED CARPET FOR THE ROYAL VISIT

The Prince of Wales and the Duchess of Cornwall finished their four day Irish trip in style at a garden party in the grounds of Killarney House.

Earlier in the day the Royal couple visited Derrynane and Tralee.

They walked on Derrynane Stand before moving on to Derrynane House, the home of the 19th Century Campaigner for Irish Rights, Daniel O'Connell.

From there they headed to Siamsa Tire in Tralee where they were treated to traditional Irish music and art at the National Folk Theatre in Tralee where Prince Charles was presented with a piece of slate from Valeitia Island, the same slate was used on the roof of the Palace of West Minister while Her Royal Highness was presented with jewellery featuring the fuschia, a flower which is native to Kerry, designed by Jeweller Brian de Staic. From there the cavalcade headed to Killarney where they were greeted by hundreds of fans on the approach roads.

They visited Muckross House, following in the footsteps of Prince Charles' Great Great Grandmother Queen Victoria and met with the Trustees.

They took a trip to the Traditional Farms and the Old School House where local children sang for the couple.

The visit culminated with the Royal Couple being presented with the Order of Innisfallen award which recognises the enormous contribution of the British people to the economic well-being of Killarney, the premier tourist town in Ireland, down through the generations.

"Being inducted to the Order of Innisfallen is the greatest gift Killarney can give to you and I know that it is something that you will appreciate, just as we appreciate your presence here today which is a wonderful boost for our town", Cathaoirleach Niall Kelleher said.

"At last I got a chance to see Kerry," Prince Charles said, as he finished up the British royal couple's tour of Ireland in Killarney".



His Royal Highness Charles Prince of Wales and his wife Camilla Duchess of Cornwall, visiting Muckross House, Killarney, on Friday, where they visited Quills House, on Muckross Traditional Farms, Queen Victoria stayed at Muckross House in 1861.

PICTURES: VALERIE. O'SULLIVAN



The Royal Couple meeting Mairead Furnane, Kerry Hospice, at Killarney House.



Margaret Cahill, President Skál meeting Prince Charles.



Pa Murhill, Muckross Jarvey chatting with Duchess of Cornwall Camilla, outside Muckross House.



The Royal Couple are given a demonstration of the Traditional Uilleann Pipes at Quills Farmhouse, at Muckross Traditional Farms.



THE ROYAL VISIT

By Nicky Barry

*You can't bate a royal visit, to get the place ship-shape,
Every niche is tidied up, and there's the smell of paint.
The buckled, rusty railings, have all been replaced,
And guys are painting lamp-posts, and old decrepit gates.
It appears Charles and Camilla, are on their way here,
Following in the footsteps of Queen Victoria.
She came here in August, eighteen sixty one,*

*And ever since, a visit to Killarney, is something to be done.
Charles' mammy came to Ireland, seven years ago,
And headed down the road to Cork, where they put on a show.
She learnt the cupla focal, and dazzled Mary McAleese,
Above in Dublin Castle, at a Presidential feast.*

*Charles has had his sorrows, but survived them all somehow,
Now he's back in clover, through happy Harry's marriage vows.
He really is a decent chap, disposed to organic ways,
And Muckross will be pristine, and sparkling on the day.
I hope he takes a trip, on a Killarney jaunting car,*

*For pictures will go round the world, of both these royal stars.
You couldn't buy this publicity, from an eccentric prince,
Who's doing his bit for Kerry, despite that damned Brexit!*



The Prince of Wales is introduced to Declan McCarthy, at Muckross Traditional Farms.



The Royal Couple are given a demonstration of Straw making by Pat Broderick at Muckross Traditional Farms.



The Duchess of Cornwall is introduced to Members of the Counties Tidy Towns Groups, Cllr Jimmy Moloney, Yvonne Quill, Eileen O'Donoghue, Eileen O'Connor.



Prince Charles and the Duchess sign the Visitors book at Muckross House with Minister For Arts Heritage and the Gaeltacht Affairs, Josepha Madigan T.D. and Chairperson Muckross House Trustees Geraldine Rosney. They were also shown the Visitors book signed by Queen Victoria, they met with Muckross House Trustees, and presented with books.



The Prince of Wales meets with Mike Lenihan and staff at Muckross Traditional Farms.



The Prince of Wales meets Junior Minister for Arts Heritage and Gaeltacht Affairs Brendan Griffin TD.



The Prince met with Bishop of Kerry, Ray Browne, Former Bishop of Kerry, Bill Murphy, and Guardian of the Friary, Fr Liam McCarthy.



The Duchess meets with Organic Farmer Kate Carmody.



The Royal Couple meeting guests at Killarney House.



Geraldine Rosney, escorts the Duchess of Cornwall to awaiting jaunting car.



Pictured boarding the boat at Ross Castle for the annual mass on Innisfallen Island were L-R Brid Fleming, Carmel O'Leary & Gretta Fitzgerald.
 PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



Pictured at Ross Castle aboard the boat to the annual mass on Innisfallen Island were L-R Andrew Fitzgerald, Michael Finnegan & Rory McClintock.
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Launching the 1989 Freelander at Dermot Healy Motors which was recently restored by Killarney Valley Classic & Vintage Club together with their sponsors to raise funds for Downsyndrome Kerry & Recovery Haven Kerry were Back Row - Denis Cronin (Downsyndrome Kerry) with his daughter Niamh and Siobhan MacSweeney (Recovery Haven Kerry) with her daughter Aoife. Front Row David Clifford (Kerry Senior Footballer) & Tom Leslie (PRO Killarney Valley Vintage & Classic Club).
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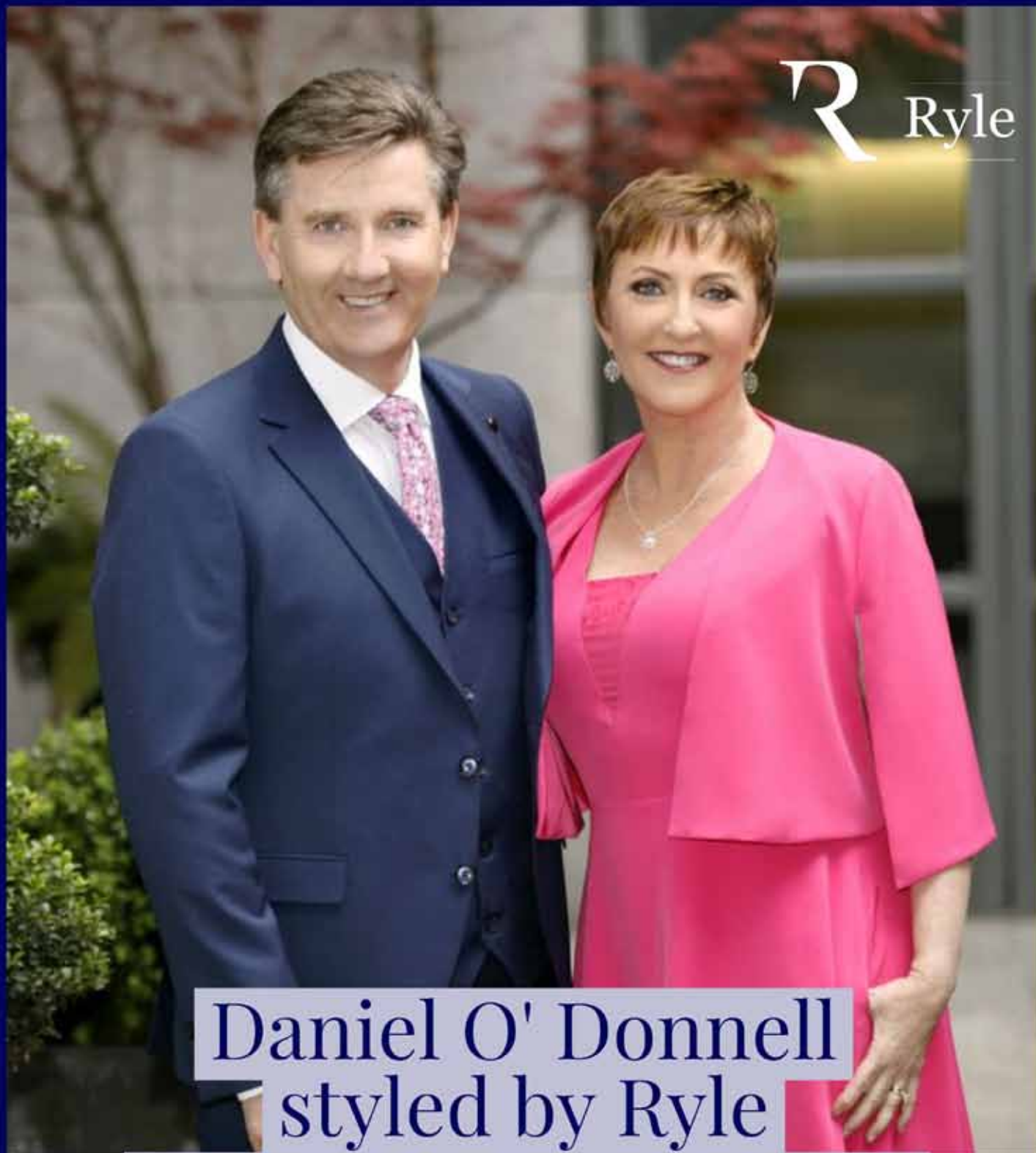
Pictured at Ross Castle waiting to board the boat for the annual mass on Innisfallen Island were L-R Claire Gallivan, Tessie Kelliher, Marie O'Brien, Nora Hallissey, Rhona Buckley & Mary F O'Connor. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



On their way to Innisfallen Island for the mass that takes place there annually were L-R Fr Paddy O'Donoghue, Gerry O'Donoghue, Charlie Fleming, Fr Kieran O'Brien & Claire Forde.
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David Pigott with family and friends who celebrated his 70th at Sheahans Bar Fires on Sat 16th June



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Are you getting the best deal ON CAR FINANCE?

Thinking of buying a new car in the coming months? Then you've no doubt heard about Personal Contract Plans or PCPs. These car finance agreements have been getting a lot of attention – and not always for the right reasons. The Competition and Consumer Protection Commission (CCPC) recently released the first public analysis of PCPs in Ireland. The report found that a third of new car purchases in Ireland are now financed by PCP agreements.

In 2016, a significant €805 million was extended to consumers in PCP finance – a considerable increase of 65% on 2015. The CCPC says however that because of the complexity of these agreements, there is a concern that consumers do not fully understand how they work. In particular, they say there is a doubt that consumers are fully aware of the balloon payments at the end of a PCP agreement. The CCPC is of the view that further protection is needed in Ireland for consumers availing of these agreements.*

Speaking about this, Helen Courtney Power, Business Development Officer of Killarney Credit Union said "For many, headline rates on PCP agreements can at first look more attractive, but these can easily distract from the range of additional charges and a good deal of inflexibility. Essentially PCPs are lease schemes. The buyer has in effect, hired the car for a particular period of time



Helen Courtney Power, Business Development Officer of Killarney Credit Union.

while they make payments. At the end of the agreement, they will have to make a balloon payment in order to own the car. With a traditional car loan, the person simply borrows the money to pay for a car, which they own immediately. They can also sell the car on at any time they wish, should they need to, whereas they do not have this option with a PCP"

There is further detail in the 'small print' of a PCP agreement which consumers should be aware of. They will, for example, need to be conscious of the mileage they are clocking up, because the balloon payment at the end of the

agreement will have been calculated with their annual mileage in mind. If on the other hand a consumer takes out a car loan before purchasing a car, they are effectively going as a cash buyer to the car dealer and are in a far better position to negotiate a deal.

Helen continued "At Killarney Credit Union we offer a car loan with an APR rate of 7.8%** which is typically approved within 24 hours. There are no hidden fees or administration charges with our loan, and we are always happy to work with our members to arrange repayments in a way that best suits their individual circumstances. We would really encourage anyone thinking of buying a new or used car in the coming weeks to contact us at Killarney Credit Union before making any decisions. We are happy to see all our members, no matter how long it has been, and of course we are always happy to chat to anyone who has never been a credit union member."

*CCPC; Personal Contract Plans – The Irish Market. March 2018

** For a €7,000, 5 year variable interest rate loan with 60 monthly repayments of €140.00, an interest Rate of 7.49%, a representative APR of 7.8%, the total amount payable by the member is €8,413. Information correct as at 13/06/18

Mind Out Microbes – Free Event invites you to an adventure at the OutletCentre

The first ever World Microbiome Day will be celebrated at Killarney Outlet Centre from 11am -4pm on Wednesday June 27th next.

All are welcome at this free event where members of the public are invited to explore Alimentary Adventures, walk through inflatable gut and learn about microbes (e.g. bacteria, viruses, fungi) in all different environments with hands-on experiments and exhibits from UCC's Environmental Research Institute, Dingle Ocean World Aquarium, Diabetes Ireland, Recovery Haven Tralee, the Cultured Food Company, Holo Organics and more.

World Microbiome Day has been developed by APC Microbiome Ireland to encourage public dialogue on the critical importance of microbes (bacteria, viruses, fungi) to human, animal and environmental health. The theme of the inaugural World Microbiome Day is "Mind our Microbes".



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FOCUS ON HERBS

Most herbs are very easy to grow. They can be grown in the garden in vegetable beds or raised beds or in containers like a window box on a window sill.

There are a lot of different types of herbs but the most commonly grown herbs for culinary use are the basil and dill which are annuals and have to be sown every year.

Parsley and Chervil, which are biennials and last for two years while herbs like fennel, mint, tarragon are perennials.

If you want to grow mint make sure you plant it in a container and not in the ground as it is a very invasive herb.

Even if you are not using your herbs for culinary use, it is important to pick them regularly otherwise they tend to go to seed very quickly.

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SLOW DOWN, TO GET MORE DONE

Yes we need to give it our all when we work out and move as fast and as hard as we can but we also need to concentrate, think about what we are doing and make sure we are doing it right. We are all guilty of thinking about 10 other things when we arrive at our workouts or exercise class. Problem solving and juggling a million things in our heads, but what I try and do is get the person to leave the "stuff" at the door and they can pick it up after and take up where they left off. Being "present" in the session or class is a form of meditation. And escapism from our body lives and can be very beneficial for your head space. Slowing down, breathing, and getting deep into that squat or push up is going to benefit you far greater than flying around doing loads of short shallow reps, hardly breathing and risking feeling light headed and defeated after the class and probably more stressed out as you have increased the heart rate more without releasing the breath. The body will identify this short shallow burst of exercise with no breathing as a stressor response and will go into fight or flight as a result.

You can still bang out a few burpees and mountain climbers while breathing, getting Deep. And pushing your body to the max. But remember to breath and visualise all the stress being let go and release and thinking only about the exercise in hand rather than a long "to do" list after.

"Slow down and get more done" is this week's workout theme. Quality over quantity and you may actually surprise yourself at how many reps you can bang out. Try this method out in your next workout and reap the rewards. You will not only get stronger but you will look and feel much better.

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RUN KILLARNEY | 28th July 2018

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Run Killarney latest news with Chris Grayson, experienced marathon runner and pacemaker

Route Information We are very lucky in Killarney to have the natural resource of Killarney National Park on our door step, what better place to run? The routes for this year's Gleneagle Run Killarney utilise the beauty and tranquillity of the lakes and woodland.

With 2 stunning routes to suit all levels of fitness there is something for everyone. The 10K and half marathon routes have been designed to be as flat as possible or downhill in some places to get you the fastest times, you might even be celebrating a PB at the after party!!

10k: Starts on the Muckcross Road finishes in the Gleneagle Hotel

Half Marathon: Starts at Molls Gap and finishes in the Gleneagle Hotel (competitors are bused to Molls Gap in the morning).

Full route details and map profiles are available on www.runkillarney.com

Advice on running gear

Running shoes are the most important item you'll buy so it's vital to pick the right pair. Forces on the feet can be one and a half times our body weight when walking and two to three times when running. It is crucial that your shoes fit correctly to prevent many foot conditions, alignment problems and possibly major injury.

The right fit

Only you can tell if your shoes fit properly. If they aren't comfortable, don't buy them! Don't plan on shoes stretching with wear, because feet spread with age. Have your feet measured every time you buy shoes. Both feet should be measured as they are often different sizes. Go shoe shopping in the late afternoon and always buy shoes for the biggest foot. Most sports shops will offer good advice regarding running shoes so don't be afraid to ask!! Size depends on shoe brand and also the many different type of type of shoe. For example there are really lightweight shoes to shoes with more cushioning to help with support. I wear Adidas and always have to buy a half size bigger as they a smaller fitting. The internet is a great place to get information too on this topic.

Perfect pair

To ensure that you are wearing the correct pair of runners, it is important to have your gait analysed. All good sports shops offer video and gait analysis.

Replace old runners

Running shoes should be replaced every 300 to 500 miles. Wear and tear in runners may not be not always be evident at a quick glimpse but turn them over and inspect the outer sole. All wear will be visible and can be a good indicator that a trip to the sports shop is inevitable.

PLACES ARE FILLING UP FAST MAKE SURE TO REGISTER ONLINE

WWW.RUNKILLARNEY.COM

or register by calling into O'Sullivan's Outdoor Shop, Killarney.





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CELEBRATE THE SUMMER

This week marks the longest day of the year – the summer solstice or midsummers day. (June 21st) It's a time when everything is coming into fullness and abundance. A time to celebrate and drink in the added hours of light that are available to us. The term "Solstice" is derived from the Latin words for "sun standing still." It refers to a point at which the sun's visual trajectory north or south across the horizon comes to a halt.

In terms of promoting your own well-being, health and vitality you can use this abundant energy in the most positive of ways.

Here are three great life-affirming tips to make the most of the summer and addition of more light.

1. Take a space for reflection and write down all your achievements and honour who you are right now and who you are becoming. Notice all of the ways in which you have grown this year, right down to the smallest detail. It's so easy to dismiss the ways in which we've changed and flourished. Even getting out of bed on a day you just wanted to stay and hibernate is a wonderful achievement – so honour ALL of the things you have done.
2. Make a wish and plant your dreams. Write down on a piece of paper what you would most like to manifest and grow in your life. Plant the paper in the soil and take a moment to visualize your dreams taking root and beginning to grow into all that you desire. Symbolic actions like this are very powerful in helping your mind focus on what you want.
3. Take some sacred space and sit out in nature. Watch a sunset, or gather with friends around a bonfire and enjoy each other's company. Or, you may like to light a candle and just spend some time alone with your own thoughts, wishes and summer dreams.

I am running an energy medicine healing circle on Wednesday June 27 at the Killarney Court hotel at 7.30pm to 9.00pm. The cost is 15.00. Spaces are limited so please let me know asap if you would like to book a place.

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RATHMORE/GNEEVEGUILLA NEWS

by Michael O'Mahony

RATHMORE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Free Defibrillator & CPR Course as a result of funding from Gary O'Leary Memorial Walk there are a limited number of places available for this 4 hours Certificate Course.

Course to run in July in Rathmore contact by ph. or text Denis 087-6245071 or Brian 087-25336808.

Retirement Night for our Principal of Holy Family National School, Rathmore Diarmuid McCarthy, in Teach Iosagain, Rathmore on this Friday 22nd June at 8pm. All welcome.

RATHMORE SOCIAL ACTION GROUP

Dance Night In Teach Iosagain this Sunday 24th June 8.30pm to 10.30pm Music: Seamus Healy Adm: €10.

KNOCKNAGREE GAA CLUB:

Lotto: No's drawn: 6.10.19.24. Winner! congratulations to Liz & Danny Healy, Carraganes, Ballydesmond won €15,100.

Jackpot Seller's Prize €50: Mary Moynihan.

Tureencahill Community Centre are hosting their Annual Summer B-B-Q on Sunday 1st July @1pm with top Chef Denis Doody & Neily O'Connor for entertainment. Tickets now on sale contact 087 9824821 & 087 0576107.

Cullen Feis, Feis Laitiarain on. this Sunday June 24th . Competitions 12 noon (Ceol, Amhránaíocht, Teangan, Rince Seite). Sports 3 p.m., Entertainment 3:45 p.m., - Music, Dancing, Singing, featuring All Ireland Winners.

GNEEVEGUILLA BASKETBALL CLUB;

Fundraising Family Fun walk supporting Ronan Collins strating at club bar this sunday june 24th at 4pm. Regristions followed by B-B-Q go to Fundraising Family Fun Walk. This is a celebration for Ronan Collins as after a lot of hard work over the last number of years he has been selected as one of the final 12 players in the country to represent Ireland. This is a huge achievement for Ronan, his family and his coaches. The proceeds from the walk will be given to Ronan as a token towards his trips abroad over the Summer which the players fund themselves. Please support and let's come together as a community to support Ronan as well as having some fun.

MUNSTER SÉNIOR & MINOR CHAMPOINSHIP FINAL

Best of luck Paul Murphy Rathmore & all kerry senior player & Managerment and Dan Murphy, Dara Rahilly, David Dineen, Rathmore & Owen Fitzgerald Gneeveguilla & all kerry Minor players this saturday in paric ui piamhi. minors at 4.30pm. & senior 7pm.

DYLAN CROWLEY TOURNAMENT will take place from 10am on June 30th. At Gneeveguilla GAA Pitch.

KERRY LADIES FOOTBALL

Best of Luck to team and management, special mention to Laoise Coughlan, Sarah Murphy, Aislinn Desmond, Aoife Callaghan, Brid Ryan and Sinead Warren representing Rathmore LGFA Venue for the TG4 Munster Senior Championship Final are as follows:

Saturday, June 23rd

TG4 Munster Senior Championship Final



DJ Jules Hall Weakley (centre), MC for the Faha NS Fun Run at the Castlerosse Hotel with Back Row L-R Ryan Whelan, Mia Griffin, Aoibhe Horan and Abbie O'Sullivan. Front row: Patrick and Joe Horan. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN.**

Cork v Kerry

Cork Institute of Technology (2pm)

Replay date if required: Saturday, June 30th

MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP FIXTURES

East kerry v Mid kerry

venue: Beaufort at 7om. on Tuesday June 26th.

best of luck to all local players & all player and Managerment

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 sunday 6pm.

WEDDING BELLS Congratulations and best wishes to Maria Brosnan, Rathbeg Rathmore and John Alan O'Brien, Carriaglaire Co, Cork who were wed on saturday last.

To Denis Reen Station Road Rathmore and Baraduff manager of Glenflesk Senior Football team who tied the knot with Rachelle O'Reilly and to Daniel Daly Gneeveguilla who married Sarah O'Mahony Killarney on Friday last. We wish them all happy long life together.

SLIABH LUACHRA COMHALTAS

Fleadh cheoil Chiarraí takes place from Wednesday 20th to Sunday 24th June in Milltown. We wish all Sliabh Luachra members competing in the various competitions the very best of luck. For entertainment information and timetables .please visit kerrycomhaltas.ie. Go n-éirí on bóthar libh.

RATHMORE GAA & LADIES

FOOTBALL FAMILY FUN DAY this sunday

June 24th at Gaa ground Ratheg Rathmore fun starts at 2pm to 4 30pm. for further information contact Emma 087-9004101. or Tim 087-9048081,

FOSSA NOTES

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 4, 16, 20, 26. There was no jackpot winner and the consolation winners were Kieran Coffey, Aghadoe, Adam Hancock, Killorglin, Noel Maher, 15 Glenview Drive Woodlawn, Zara Kennedy, Aughacurren and Danny Bowe. Next weeks jackpot will be €4,200.

SENIORS

Fossa had a hugely important win over Tarbert on Sunday in the county league. It's never easy to win away from home and this game was no exception. The first half was closely contested with very little between the teams at any stage, Tarbert opened the scoring but Paudie Clifford kept Fossa in touch with two points from play, then in the 8th minute Paudie won a Tarbert kick out and took off on one of those mazy runs before cracking the ball to the corner of the net for an absolutely brilliant goal. Tarbert fought back to take the lead again but scores from Tadhg O'Shea and a fantastic long range point by Fintan Coffey left the sides all square at the break, Fossa 1-05, Tarbert 0-08. Fossa started the second half very well and aided

by the wind they built up a three point lead with some great scores from Tadhg O'Shea and Donald O'Sullivan. Tarbert wouldn't go away and kicked a few scores of their own, the exchanges were tough and uncompromising at this stage but Fossa held their discipline and in the last fifteen minutes of the game they really stepped up to the mark. Fintan Coffey, Paudie Clifford and Cian O'Shea won some serious ball around the middle of the field, Lorcan Daly played brilliantly at centre forward, Mark Dennehy and Kevin O'Sullivan stopped anything coming through the middle and Fossa kicked on with some brilliant points from Fintan Coffey, Lorcan Daly, Donald O'Sullivan and Tadhg O'Shea to seal a great win on a score of 1-14 to 0-12. This was a gutsy performance with every player giving their all, even though we lost Anthony Wharton to injury before half time, Paddy Sheehan slotted into full back and Mark Donnellan came on to do a good job, Brian Walsh came on and made a big impact when legs were tiring towards the end so overall it was a good day out and the result was very important in regard to our chances of gaining promotion at the end of the year.

KILLARNEY LIBRARY

On Saturday June 23rd to celebrate youthful creativity and as part of the "Cruinniú na nÓG" programme Adventures In Science takes place at Killarney Library from 2.00 to 3.30pm. This will encourage young people to think out loud and discover science concepts at their fingertips. Advance booking is through killarney@kerrylibrary.ie and 064 6632655. This is a free event.

ENROLLMENT

Two Mile Community National School are currently enrolling for all classes for September 2018. Contact 064 6633018 or email principal@twomilecns.ie

SYMPATHY

Fossa GAA Club extends its deepest sympathy to the O'Brien family of Lackabane on the death of their mother, Bridget O'Brien Harvey. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hAnam.

LISTRY NOTES

LISTRY SOCIAL COMMITTEE: We wish to advise Seniors in the Listry / Milltown Parish and surrounding areas that we are organising a day trip to Fota Wildlife Park on Tuesday June 26th- Bus leaving Listry Community Centre at 10am approx. Anybody wishing to travel on this trip should contact any of the following Committee members immediately- Mary 0872187204, Breda 0877442694 or Joan 0867944494 to book a seat. The small bus will start collecting at approx. 8.40 am that morning in Milltown and follow the usual route. We look forward to meeting you all again on the day.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK.

A bus will leave Beaufort Village v Listry/ Milltown for Knock on Sunday July 15th. Details from 087 6798129 or 087 7442694



Fybough NS celebrating the news that they have just been awarded their first Health Promoting Flag and received it last week from Health Promotion Officer Máire O Leary.

KILCUMMIN NEWS

KILCUMMIN

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A Bake Sale will take place on Saturday June 30th in the Recreational Hall after 7.30pm Mass and a Bake Sale/Coffee Morning will take place in the Recreational Hall on Sunday July 1st from 9.30am until 12.30pm. Baking supplied by local home bakers. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

CEMETERY MASSES

Holy Cross Cemetery on Wednesday 4th July; Old Kilcummin Cemetery on Wednesday 1st August. Kindly spread the word.

ART EXHIBITION

An art exhibition entitled 'A retrospective of work by Martin Bell representing 24 years of my art' continues at Killarney Library until Saturday 30th June during library hours. Free admission.

KILCUMMIN DRAFT PLAN

A draft plan for Kilcummin Village and Environs can now be downloaded on the Kerry County Council Website by going to kerrycoco.ie - click on the link 'draft Killarney MD LAP 2018 - 2024'. Alternatively copies are available from the Rural Development Office at €2.00.

KILCUMMIN LOOKING GOOD

A big thank you to all the people who have made such a big effort in cleaning up their areas. Bags are still available from the Rural Dev. Office. The adjudicators from the tidy towns competition will be visiting Kilcummin in the next month so we would encourage everybody to make a big effort in cleaning and tidying up the area. Bags, when full, can be returned to the Rural Dev. Office. If you are unable to do so, please contact the Rural Dev. Office or Kilcummin Looking Good. Míle Buíochas.

KILCUMMIN GAA CONGRATULATIONS

To Sean O'Leary Mastergeeha who made his debut as substitute with Kerry U 20,s in their victory over Limerick last Friday and now face Waterford this Friday at 7.30 in Austin Stack Park.

KERRY U-17'S

Best wishes to Captain Paul O'Shea, Finnegan

Cross and Keith O'Leary Cockhill who are part of the Kerry U-17's and to Kevin McCarthy (Kerry Senior) who will represent their club and county in Pairc Ui Chaoimh on this Saturday. Best wishes to James Foley in his role as Minor selector. Also best of luck to Kieran Murphy who is part of the Kerry Junior set up.

SENIOR FOOTBALL CREDIT UNION CO LEAGUE RD 7.

Kilcummin 3-14 Listowel 2-2. Despite trailing by two points at half time our lads went on to control the second half and ran out convincing winners in the end. Kelvin Teahan scored a fine goal in the first half and Oscar O'Connor became a "super Sub" when he came on late in the game to get two fine goals. Donal Maher, Kevin Gorman, Chris O'Leary and Kelvin Teahan showed well on this occasion.

KILCUMMIN GAA LOTTO

There was no winner on Sunday 17th June, 2018. Numbers drawn were 10,13,23,25 Consolation prizes were €100 Billy Doolan, Rathanane, Kilcummin. €60 Susan & Katie O'Neill, Mastergeeha. €60 Darren O'Sullivan C/O Jer Coffey. €30 Tom Cahill, Cockhill. €30 Adam O'Sullivan, Knocklebede, Kilcummin. Next Draw Sunday, 1st July 2018. Jackpot now €12,000.

MASTERGEEHA FC FAI SUMMER CAMP

Places for the FAI summer camp which will be hosted in Kilbrean Park from July 2nd - July 6th can now be booked through the FAI summer schools website. Please book early to avoid disappointment at <https://camps.fai.ie/> summer-soccer-schools/

MASTERGEEHA FC LOTTO

There was no winner on Friday 15th June, 2018. Numbers drawn were 1,10,15,20 Consolation prizes were €100 Eileen O'Connor, Kilcummin. €30 Mary O'Donoghue, Lacca, Kilcummin. €30 Noel O'Sullivan, Lyreatough Kilcummin. €30 Lino, C/O, Bertie. Jackpot now €7,800.

GLENFLESK NOTES

GLENFLESK SENIORS (SPONSERED BY O'BRIENS TOPOIL AND THE KERRYWAY)

Our Senior team play Ardferd in Rd 7 of the

Co. League this Sunday June 24th at 2pm at Barraduff Community Field.

GLENFLESK JUNIORS (SPONSERED BY O'BRIENS TOPOIL AND THE KERRYWAY)

Our Junior team had a comfortable win in the East Kerry league away to Kilcummin last week leaving them with 2 wins from 2 and 1 win away from a final appearance.

FIXTURE; Our Juniors are away to John Mitchels this Friday June 22nd in Rd 4 of the Co. League.

KERRY U20S

Congratulations to Daniel O'Brien and the Kerry U20s on Reaching the Munster Championship semi final with a comfortable win over Limerick last week. The Semi final takes place this Friday June 22nd against Waterford in Austin Stack Park Tralee.

GLENFLESK LOTTO

No winner of the lotto which took place in John Duns on 18/06/17

Jackpot - €3,800

Numbers were 01 05 07 10

1. Jimmy O'Shea

(sellers prize) Jimmy O'Shea

2. Tim Murphy Headford

3. Mrs Larry Donovan Shronedraugh

4. Danny Moriarty SPXFLOW

The next draw will take place in Spillane Bar on 02/07/18 and the Jackpot is €4,000

GLENFLESK COMHALTAS

Best wishes to all our competitors who will take part in Fleadh Cheoil Chiarrai at the weekend in Milltown and to the organising committee.

Well done to all who took part in Lixnaw Feile Cheoil.

DANCE NIGHT AT THE TEACH IOSAGAIN

Music by Seamus Healy at the Teach Iosagain on June 24th from 8 30pm to 10 30pm in aid of the SAG. €10 entry, every one welcome

FR GEORGE HAYES SILVER JUBILEE

The Silver Jubilee of Fr George Hayes' Ordination was held on Saturday 16th June 2018. To mark the occasion, it was celebrated by Mass and refreshments after in the Glenflesk Community Hall. Fr. Hayes has spent the past two years as Parish Priest of Glenflesk and has been hugely welcomed by the Parish. Originally from Listowel in North Kerry. Fr. George's Journey since his Ordination has taken him on many paths, Fr George was ordained on 13th June 1993 and his journey since has been varied. He worked in St. John's Parish, Tralee, Killarney Parish and Kilgarvan Parish. His studies took him to Rome, California and Jerusalem. Fr George worked as Diocesan Secretary to Bishop Bill Murphy for 11 years in Killarney He then returned to Rome and took up the position of Vice Rector of the Irish College in Rome where he spent 4 years The Irish College is a hugely popular venue for Irish couples to hold their wedding ceremonies. Fr George is also a Canon Lawyer. In 2016 Fr George took up the position of Parish Priest here in Glenflesk.

MILLTOWN NEWS

MILLTOWN FIRST RESPONDERS MILLTOWN FIRST RESPONDERS ARE GOING LIVE FROM TODAY, FRIDAY 22ND JUNE 2018.

"We would like to thank all the businesses and local people who have donated over the last year and could not have got the group this far without them"

The group are always looking for new volunteers and anyone interested in joining can contact Damien Brown on 087 455 1895 or Michelle Bartlett on 087 979 3986.

We will be collecting in Milltown for the Fleadh Cheoil and all donations received are greatly appreciated.



The Milltown first responders team.

Killarney & District Motor Club - Donegal International Rally Report

The Joule sponsored Donegal International Rally took place last weekend in Letterkenny. The three day event received a maximum capacity entry in all categories of over 150 cars, there was a total of twenty special stages based around the foothills of Donegal, which included the famous classic stages such as Knockalla, Atlantic Drive and Fanad Head. Our KDMC competitors were there in force and didn't disappoint. Well what about this young man "Rob Duggan" an absolute sensation, finishing 3rd R5 car & 4th Overall, Rob has gained the respect of the whole Rallying community on this island. Having proven his pace and ability in the past driving both front & rear wheel drive, the step up to a four wheel drive R5 monster was sure going to be interesting. Duggan and navigator Ger Conway took on the best of the best over the 3 day event and didn't disappoint, following a brief test on Thursday in this unknown Ford Fiesta R5 machine, there was complete astonishment at the end of the first stage Friday when Duggan merged

as the Fastest R5 car overall. As the weekend progressed Rob set a number of Fastest R5 times, along with 2 Fastest overall stages times "absolutely incredible". The ever changing weather conditions were the biggest challenge for the crew as the lack of knowledge of the car and set up changes to be made in order to achieve the maximum handling of the car were unknown. The crew fought hard and were as high as 3rd overall and 2nd R5 car at one stage. They were stuck in the middle of a monumental R5 battle between brothers Sam & Josh Moffett from county Monaghan with mere seconds in it all way to the finish. This for sure was one of Rob's best results to date, huge credit must go to Ger on the notes also, there is no doubt that they had the "Drive of the Rally" KDMC are really proud of their achievement and hope we see them progress further. In the National section it was KDMC that were out the front also, Noel O'Sullivan from Muckcross was co-driving for top Donegal driver Kevin Gallagher in his unusual Darrian T90. The crew were involved in a



Robert Duggan & Ger Conway driving Ford Fiesta R5 pictured in action to finishing 4th overall Donegal International Rally.

huge battle all weekend for the lead of the National section. They finished runners up to Kildare's Ian Barrett in a similar Darrian. KDMC's Barry Meade was as expected front runner in the national section but a puncture dropped him well down the order on Friday, The crew then set out on a huge recovery drive and setting some blistering times along the way to climb back up to 9th Overall. In the extremely competitive Junior section KDMC's Derry Long and Declan Casey had

a brilliant drive. They competed in a Honda Civic and finished a very strong 6th overall and 3rd in class, this result now puts Derry into second place in the Junior Section of the Irish Tarmac Championship. This was the crews first visit to Donegal, achieving such a fantastic result and securing valuable championship points makes this result all that more credible. Congratulations & Well Done to all

SIGNS YOUR CAT MAY BE HIDING AN ILLNESS

If at any time you see the following signs or your cat just isn't acting himself, consider scheduling a check-up with your vet without delay.

*An increase in vocalization is one of the first signs many owners notice when their cat is ill. A cat may walk around meowing or yowling aimlessly at objects or at the air, or may seek you out and follow you, never stopping even if his needs are taken care of.

*If your cats start suddenly hiding they may want to hide themselves from the commotion of daily activities in order to reduce stress or not alert others to a visible injury or pain. Hiding behaviour may also be linked to stress or anxiety which can be addressed by your vet.

*Cats in pain may have a hunched back as they walk, or may protect their abdomens from being petted if they are experiencing stomach pains. They may also sit or lay more frequently to minimize use of a limb that does not feel well.

*A sudden change in your cat's personality can indicate that something isn't right. Your cat may suddenly become more aggressive towards you, striking out and biting or scratching when you attempt to do things that he loved previously or he may become clingy or more affectionate than usual due to not feeling well or in an attempt to tell you something is wrong.

*Cats experiencing pain from arthritis or illness may miss or stop using the litter box. Cats with digestive or internal pain may also have changes in how often they urinate, or may change stool consistency. Be sure to also bring in a sample of urine or stool to your vet if there are accidents occurring, as they can provide clues to what is causing your cat to feel ill.

THIS MAN IS TRAVELING TO ALL 50 US STATES MOWING LAWNS FOR PEOPLE IN NEED

Rodney Smith Jr. is on a mission to mow lawns for those in need in all 50 states. His goal isn't really about lawn care - it's about letting people know he cares about them.

Every time he visits a new state, he sends out the same Tweet: "If you know of anyone who is elderly, disabled, a single mother or a veteran who needs their lawn mower let me know. It's free."

Mr. Smith is the founder of Raising Men Lawn Care Service, a lawn care nonprofit he launched in his hometown of Huntsville, Alabama. It helps young people give back to their communities. The youth in the programme visit people in need and help them with their garden work. They mow people's lawns, shovel snow, rake leaves and more -- free of charge.

Then he came up with "The 50 Yard Challenge", which challenged youth across the country to mow 50 lawns for people in need. They join by posting a photo of themselves on social media with a sign that says they accept the 50 Yard Challenge, and then they get to work.



DID YOU KNOW?

Scientists have determined that the reason the 14,500-tonne Leaning Tower of Pisa, the freestanding bell tower of the cathedral of the Italian city of Pisa has managed to stay standing is the very same thing that caused it to lean in the first place. The tower is positioned between the Arno and Serchio rivers, making the ground loose and soft, being composed of silt, clay, fine sand, and shells. It's all due to an effect called dynamic soil structure interaction (DSSI), which describes how stiff buildings supported by soft soil are cushioned against earth tremors, and prevented from experiencing the kind of vibrations that can cause the worst damage.

If the researchers' calculations are correct, then the Leaning Tower of Pisa actually has the world record DSSI effect.

Construction of the tower began in 1172, and by the time the third story was built in 1178, it was already starting to tilt. Construction was put on hold for about a hundred years due to warfare and the 55.86 metre (183.3 ft) tower was completed around the mid-1300s.

QUOTE

"Free love is too expensive"
- Bernadette Devlin

ON THIS DATE - JUNE 22ND

1904 - Chinese labourers arrived in South Africa following a severe labour shortage.

1910 - 1st airship with passengers took to the sky (German Zeppelin)

1921 - Paavo Nurmi (The Flying Finn) ran a world record 10,000m in 30:40.2. (Winner of nine gold and three silver medals from three Olympics (1920, 1924 and 1928) He also set 22 world records.

1932 - Eucharistic Congress in Dublin began.

1934 - Ferdinand Porsche of Germany began work on the first prototypes of The Peoples Car that was later renamed the Volkswagen Beetle.

1944 - President Franklin Roosevelt signed the GI Bill of Rights, guaranteeing unemployment benefits and money for college for all 2.2 million US war veterans. The cost to taxpayers of the GI Bill was about 5.5 billion dollars; it helped spur one of the greatest economic booms in American

history.

1962 - 1st test flight of a Hovercraft

1970 - Irish socialist, republican and Member of Parliament, Bernadette Devlin, lost her appeal against a 6-month prison sentence imposed for taking part in riots in Derry.

1970 - Voting age in the United States was lowered to 18 when President Richard Nixon signed the bill passed by Congress into law.

1976 - The Canadian House of Commons abolished capital punishment.

TWO PILOTS SPENT THEIR COMBINED LIFE SAVINGS ON A PLANE TO RESCUE MIGRANTS AT SEA

José Benavente and Benoit Micolon are the French altruists behind the volunteer rescue group Pilotes Volontaires. The two men launched the effort after they pooled their hard-earned money to purchase a \$150,000 plane to be used for rescuing migrants at sea.

José is no stranger to humanitarian efforts – for 25 years, he's worked for the Red Cross and witnessed the challenges faced by Syrian migrants. , Benoit who first met Mr. Benavente in 2006 when they were earning their pilots' licenses, became interested in the cause after his friend described the refugee crisis firsthand.

Every year, thousands of refugees pile into boats as a means of reaching safety in Europe. Unfortunately, many of those vessels don't make it to dry land. "It is very difficult to locate these small boats, sometimes carrying hundreds of people, and often the vessels ready to help them arrive too late," said the pilots. Our mission is to provide air support, thanks to our aircraft adapted to search at sea."The duo are now able to spot lifeboats from the air and direct rescue ships towards their location.

The industrious little plane is named "Hummingbird" after a Native American story about a hummingbird that attempts to stop a forest fire by scooping up drops of water with its beak and dropping it on the flames. When the other animals ask what the hummingbird is doing, it says: "I'm doing what I can."

KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB - LADIES

SUNDAY 17TH JUNE, 2018

V PAR COMPETITION

Kindly sponsored by Con & Anne O Leary The Laurels bar & restaurant

- 1st Louise Langan (10) +5 up
 2nd Ann Moynihan Rudden (6) +4 up
 BG Kelly Brotherton (0) -1 down
 3rd Mary Chute (25) +4 up
 4th Siobhan Brosnan (9) +1 up
 5th Noreen O Callaghan (14) All Square

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Congratulations to all the winners.

Next week 24th June, competition will be on Mahonys Point and is kindly sponsored by Calor Gas, the format will be a singles stroke competition.

Don't forget to sign up on for our 125 Club Mixed & BBQ on 30th June the time sheet will be open on BRS Monday 18th June at 6pm



L-R Mark Kennedy, Seanie Kelliher, Pat Mahony & Denis O'Shea pictured at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club for the Liebherr Golf Classic. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

KILLARNEY GOLF AND FISHING CLUB MEN'S CLUB

The Club recently hosted our Junior and Intermediate Scratch Cups, The winner of the Junior Scratch Cup was Killarney Member Jason Arthur, who went around our Killeen Course in a very creditable 75 Gross.

Full Results of both Competitions are as Follows, Junior Scratch Cup, 1st Jason Arthur(5) 75, 2nd Ross Williams(4) Fota Island, 75, 3rd Matthew Leacy(5) 77, best nett Colm Cagney(8) 69. The Intermediate Scratch Cup for Handicaps 11 to 18 inclusive, 1st Eugene Cloonan, (Oughterard G.C.) 84, 2nd Stephen Cunningham (Blarney G.C.) 85, 3rd Ian Prendergast (Killarney) 85, best nett Donal Begley (Kanturk G.C.) 74. The Club Competition on Sunday the 10th of June was the Tralee exchange day played at sunsplashed Tralee, and the winner with 40 Pts. was Mike Howard. Full results were 1st Mike Howard(8) 40 Pts, 2nd Greg Lanigan(4) 39 Pts, 3rd Derry McCarthy, Club Captain(7) 38 Pts. 4th George Vass(4) 37 Pts, 5th Ian Cronin(6) 36 Pts, Cat.1 Eugene O'Sullivan(5) 35 Pts, Cat.2 Andrew Garnett(11) 36 Pts, Cat.3 James Lynch(12) 35 Pts, Cat.4 Jamie Lowe(20) 36 Pts. Standard Scratch was 33 Pts.

The Competition on Sunday 17th June was the Daly's Supervalu Sponsored singles Stableford Competition on Mahony's Point, and the winner with 40 Pts was Brian O'Leary with 40 Pts. Full results were 1st Brian O'Leary(19) 40 Pts, 2nd Rory O'Sullivan(14) 39 Pts, 3rd Gerard Walsh(13) 39 Pts, 4th Daniel Kiely(18) 39 Pts. 5th Ted Healy (12) 38 Pts, Best Gross Mark Tuite(5) 33 Pts.

Cat.2 Daniel O'Shea(10) 38 Pts, Cat.3 Marcus Treacy(16) 38 Pts, Cat.4 Liam O'Leary(18) 37 Pts. Standard Scratch was 36 Pts. White Tee markers winner was Bernard Collins(21) 37 Pts.

Men's Club Captain Derry McCarthy on behalf of the entire Club sends our sincere condolences to Club President Jack Buckley and to the rest of the Buckley Family on the passing of Jack's beloved mother Eilish Buckley,

And to Club Member Fergus Houlihan on the recent death of his mother Violet who had only recently celebrated Her 101st Birthday, a grand old age.

The Club Team playing in the All-Ireland Mixed Foursomes Competition were defeated in the 1st round by

Newcastle-West by the odd match out of 5 matches, results were Donal Gap O'Sullivan & N O'Callaghan lost 5/4, Donie Macsweeney & Amy Arthur won 3/2, Mark Tuite & Mary Cronin lost 2/1, Donal Considine & K. Brosnan Won 5/4, and Dermot Roche & Mary Geaney lost 3/2.

KILLORGLIN GOLF CLUB

LADIES: Open Day sponsored by FEXCO 18 Hole Stableford: 1. Joan Harmon (12) Dooks 40 pts. 2. Paula O'Sullivan (22) Tralee 40 pts. 3. Phil Anne Foley (35) 39 pts. Front 9: Marian O'Connor Castleisland 23pts. Back 9: Kathleen Cronin 21 pts. Nearest Pin on 10th: Noreen Coffey, Killarney. Longest Drive on 15th: Mary Garvey. Thanks to all who supported the Open Day and congratulations to all the winners.

FIXTURES: EXCHANGE DAY: The Castleisland Exchange day sponsored by Kerry Photo Stores is on Sunday 24th June. Time Sheet in Pro Shop.

AUSTRALIAN SPOONS: The qualifier for

the Australian Spoons starts Wednesday 20th June. Venue is Killorglin Members Golf Club on Wednesday 25th July. Format on Notice Board.

MEN'S SINGLES SPONSORED

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- 1st Alan Daly(9) 41pts
 2nd Moss Joy (14) 38pts
 3rd Denis Cronin(17) 37pts

ROSS GC, KILLARNEY GENTS CLUB

RESULTS :-

On June 16th/17th the Lady Captain - Mary McCarrick held her Lady Captain's Prize to the Gents Club.

The winners were

- 1st..... Virginijus Jonikaitis (14) 40pts
 2ndAlan Flynn (6) 35pts
 3rd.....Daniel Cronin (13) 34pts

FIXTURES:

Killarney Medal & Trophy Centre Club Matchplay Championship :- All players are requested to get their matches played as soon as possible.

Best of Luck to Lady Captain Mary McCarrick on her Lady Captain's Day next Saturday June 23rd.

BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB (LADIES BRANCH)

17th June - 3 Club Stableford - Sponsored by Royal Hotel Killarney and Hair Studio Killorglin
 1st Joan O'Sullivan (22) 32 pts

2nd Peggy O'Riordan (32) 31 pts

Fixtures: 23rd/24th June - Rumble Weekend (3



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Enjoying the Liebherr Golf Classic at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club were L-R Gerry Murphy, Kevin McNamara, Paul Collins & Paul Murphy of Rathmore Forklifts. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

Person Team) - Sponsored by Peggy O'Riordan Club Fundraiser - 6th August - Single Stableford open to ladies and gents - Entry Fee €30 - Ladies Prizes sponsored by Boyles Top Line, Killorglin - Gents Prizes sponsored by Dunloe Hotel. Ring Clubhouse on 064-6644440 to book a time.

Club Scramble every Wednesday -Meet at clubhouse at 5.45pm for 6.15 pm shotgun start.

KERRY PITCH & PUTT CLUB NEWS

THERE were two podium finishes for Kerry Pitch & Putt players on a very respectable weekend for the sport at the Munster Ladies and Gents Strokeplay Championships in Lakeside, Templemore Co Tipperary at the weekend. Deerpark's Damien Fleming would finish second in the Senior Gents event and was only one shot away from replicating his club-mate Derry McCarthy success in the same event at the same venue back in 1995. Fleming made the Top 10 playoff for the title after an opening 36 holes of 11 under par but he shot the best score of the Final 18 with eight under to move into the lead in the clubhouse on 19 under par. A birdie on the last hole by Parteen's Kieran Earls denied him a playoff for the title however as the Limerick man finished the tournament on 20 under to claim the title. Damien's Deerpark club-mate John McGrath finished ninth overall meanwhile after finishing the tournament on 13 under par. The previous day on Saturday Tralee's Lisa O'Connor finished

third in the Ladies Junior grade with a score of 124. Although she was 12 shots off the winning score posted by Sive Shelley from the host club she was three clear of her nearest challenger in winning the prize.

Another Tralee player in Padraig Hobbart had led the Intermediate Gents event on Saturday after 36 holes before his challenge slipped away in the closing holes as Kieran Fitzpatrick of Deerpark was another to qualify for the Intermediate Playoff at the weekend. Last Tuesday week in Castleisland saw the conclusion of a very successful Bob Casey Memorial Inter-Club Strokeplay tournament as it needed cumulative scoring over the four rounds played to separate Tralee, Castleisland and Listowel after they all tied on 35 points. Tralee's total of 941 strokes was 17 better than Castleisland who were a further four ahead of Listowel in finishing second. Tralee retained the title as a consequence of their narrow win as more than 70 players from five clubs in the County Board took part over the course of the tournament. The club also plays hosts to this weekend's action as their host their Annual Scratch Cup this weekend. The competition also serves as a trial for the Kerry Mens teams and we encourage all players in the county to support the event.

DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES

Munster Strokeplay: A marvellous performance by Damien Fleming in the Senior Gents grade

at Lakeside in Templemore on Sunday as he very nearly replicated Derry McCarthy's achievement of winning the 1995 competition at the same venue with a second place finish after his 19 under par score saw him finish one behind the winner, Limerick's Kieran Earls. John McGrath finished ninth overall with a score of 13 under par as Kieran Fitzpatrick also made the playoff for Saturday's Intermediate event. Sunday Competition: Singles Results: First Nett: Noel Moynihan 38, First Gross: Jason O'Brien 41, Second Nett: John Murphy 38, Second Gross: Robbie O'Brien Jnr 48, Third Nett: Aidan O'Keeffe 42.

Wednesday Competition: We had no competition last week due to the weather but they continue every Wednesday over the summer from 7pm. Entry €4 per player open to club members aged 15 or over.

Tralee Scratch Cup: Scheduled for this Sunday in Tralee with cards from 9am to 2pm we encourage all members to support this event which also serves as a trial for the Kerry team.

Competition Changes: At a Committee Meeting last week it was decided to make the following changes to club fixtures. The Danny Nolan Memorial and Club Mass scheduled for Friday June 22nd has been put back to a different date TBC in July as the Ricky Kelly Memorial will now move from its weekend in July to the weekend of September 15th/16th.

National U-16 Matchplay: A note to all our Juveniles that entry for this event has to be in by this Sunday, June 27th, to meet the national deadline for entries.



Deerpark Pitch & Putt Club's Damien Fleming pictured with his prize after finishing as Runner-Up at the Munster Senior Gents Strokeplay at Lakeside Pitch & Putt Club in Templemore, Co Tipperary last Sunday.



Garda Michael Milner leading the parade at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz on Wednesday. *PICTURES: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN*



Holy Family School Rathmore, the winning team at the Garda National School Football Blitz at Fitzgerald Stadium on Wednesday evening. *PICTURE: TATYANA MCGOUGH*



The Mon N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.



Tiernaboul N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.



The Mon N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.



Gaelscoil Faithleann N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.



St Oliver's N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.



Coolick N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.



Lissivigeen N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.

GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB

LOTTO: No winner of our lotto draw 15/06/2018, numbers drawn were 14, 21, 22 & 25. Sellers prize winner tom Joe O' Donoghue, €50 Y/T prize winner Derry Vaughan Ballydesmond, €50 to Paul O' Sullivan Scartyaglin, €40 each to PJ Kieran c/o Paps Bar, Jackie Sullivan Tureencahill & Mike Doyle Knocknagree. Bonus not won numbers drawn were 11, 13, 14 & 16. Next week's jackpot €9,800 plus €1,000 bonus.

MUNSTERS U14 – U19 CHAMPIONSHIP; Held in Waterford over the past weekend, we had Jack O' Leary, Jack Greaney & Saoirse Tompkins competing, all did well, no medals were won. Several of our athletes were missing due to state exams.

MUNSTER SENIOR & MASTERS: Omission from last weeks notes, Michelle knee won her first Munster medal when she was 3rd in 200m o35. New Munster records were also set by Catherine O' Sullivan and Paddy O' Donoghue.

U9 – U11 MUNSTER TRACK & FIELD: Held in Riocht, in the team events Paddy Hickey & Jack O' Riordan were 2nd in the turbo javelin, Chloe Lenihan & Sophia O'Shea were 4th in 300m, only missing out on 3rd place by narrowest of margins.

CYCLING NEWS

CONOR CRUISES TO ROUND 3 LEAGUE WIN:

Killarney Cycling Club's Conor Kissane continues to thrill fans with his performances in the Club of Kerry Road Race League. He produced another masterclass to win Round 3 hosted by the Sliabh Luachra Cycling Club.

He caught the groups that started well ahead of him on the handicap system and rode clear to take win – his second in the three rounds of the League to date.

Niall Hodges from O'Leary Stone Kanturk was second and John James Griffin from Tralee BC third.

Killarney dominated the underage races with Patrick Galvin, at u16's, Shane Galvin at u14's and Calum Steadman at u12's the winners of the various races on the night.

The next round of the Road Race League is on June 28th and will be jointly hosted by Tralee Lee Strand and Currow Cycling Clubs.

FARRANFORE MAINE VALLEY AC

The Munster Juvenile U14 to U19 Track & Field Championships were held over two action packed days in Waterford. Yet again all events were very competitive with some thrilling finishes. We had a good number of athletes competing in various Track & Field events. They collected 5 Individual medals in Field events and 2 in Track. Patrick Kearney did very well to win gold in the U15 Discus. Liath Lenihan was 3rd in the U16 High Jump. Conal Whelan was 2nd in the U16 Hammer. Aine O'Shea was 3rd in the U15 Discus. Siofra Foley was 3rd in the



Pictured at the Castlerosse Hotel for the Faha School Run were L-R Ethan Hewerdine, Darragh O'Neill, James Clifford and Killian Fitzgerald. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

U17 Javelin & 4th in the Discus and Hammer. Malachy Kirwan was 6th in the U15 Long Jump. Cian Spillane had a great weekend where he was 3rd in the U 15 800m and 2nd in the 1500m (4:40). Shauna McCarthy finished 5th in the U15 1500m (5:11). Natasha Myers reached the finals on the U16 200m and was 8th in the Long Jump. In races around the county, Arthur Fitzgerald & Marie McKenna competed in the Half Of The Head 10K. Arthur won the mens in a time of 36:26, with Marie winning the ladies category 42:01. On Sunday Darragh Casey & George McCarthy took part in the Munster Mountain Championship race over Mangerton in Killarney. Both did very well over the 9Km mountain trail with Darragh finishing in 6th place and George also finished in the top 10.

Congratulations to Aidan McCarthy who got married to Breda over the weekend. We wish them all the best into the future.

We would like to express our sincerest condolences on the passing of Michael O'Shea. Mike was a member of our club many years ago and was a team member of the 1962 team who won the County T&F Quill Cup. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

CLUB TRAINING:.

Training will come to an end after the County Community Games Finals on June 24th. We want to wish all our athletes the best of luck and see you back after the summer holidays. A special thanks to all our volunteers and coaches who gave their time to preparing our club members for competition. Your commitment to training has been reflected in your performances in competition in which we had a very successful Track & Field season. Tá buíochas agus taitneamh a bhaint as an tsamhraidh.

Juvenile training on Tuesday 6pm to 6:45pm at Farranfore GAA Grounds. This is for children born 2010 (7/8yrs) to 2004 (14yrs). €2 per session.

Secondary School & Senior training on Thursday will be at An Riocht Track, Castleisland from 7:45pm to 8:45pm. Last session will be June 21st. €2 club member, €4 non club member.

ATHLETIC'S FIXTURES

Sat 23rd - Sun 24th June: County Community

Games Athletics, Castleisland

Sat 23rd June: Tailteann Games T&F C'ships, Santry

Sun 24th June: National League - Round 1, Tullamore

Sat 30th June: National Junior & U/23 T&F Championships, Tullamore

Sun 1st July: National Juvenile U12 to U13 Field events, Tullamore

Sat 7th July: National "B" Juvenile T&F C'Ships, Tullamore

Sun 8th July: National League Round 2, Athlone IT

Sat 14th July: National Juvenile T&F C'Ships Day 1, Tullamore

Sun 15th July: National Juvenile T&F C'Ships Day 2, Tullamore

Sat 21st July: Munster Juvenile "B" T&F C'Ships

Sun 22nd July: National Juvenile T&F C'Ships Day 3, Tullamore

Please contact club secretary, Mary, 085-1909509 to register for competitions in advance See Kerry & Munster Athletics website for full fixture lists & timetable for events.

WORKMEN'S ROWING CLUB NOTES

TRAINING

Training as usual this weekend. 10am at the Boathouse and other times with texts from your coaches.

This weekend our scullers head for the National Rowing Centre in Iniscarra, for the annual Cork Regatta. We wish everyone the very best for this event, safe journey, and thank you to our boat haulers and handlers, our coaches and coxes and our organising committee.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Cork Regatta, this weekend, over 2km at National Rowing Centre, Iniscarra, Co. Cork.

Killarney Regatta, 1st July, O'Mahony's Point, Killarney Golf & Fishing Club.

Sneem Coastal Rowing, County Championship, Sunday 8th July.

Irish Rowing Championships 13th -15th July, National Rowing Centre.

Coupe de la Jeunesse, 27th-29th July, National Rowing Centre.

Sive One-Design Regatta, Saturday 28th July, Cahersiveen. Fenit Coastal Rowing, County Championship, 4th or 5th August, Fenit.

Castletownbere Gig Regatta, 6th August, Castletownbere. Junior World Championships, 8th-12th August, Czech Republic.

All-Ireland Coastal Rowing Champs, 17th-19th August, Wexford.

FUNDRAISING

Hot off the press!! Our Treasurer, Pauline, has informed me that the permits are granted and the following are the dates for our upcoming fundraisers- Saturday 7th July for the Street Collection and the 4th and 5th of August for our Church Gate Collections. Rotas will soon be up in the Clubhouse for members to book their slots.

BEST WISHES

We, at Workmen's extend our very best wishes for a speedy recovery to Laura Looney and our very dear friend, Kathleen Heffernan. We hope that you will both be back to full health, very soon. Also, a very Happy Birthday to Jakub Kunicki who turns eighteen this Thursday 28th June.

SPA MUCKROSS COMMUNITY GAMES

COUNTY ATHLETICS: Best of luck to everyone competing this weekend. Spa Muckross are No. 27, so head over to that area when you arrive, to collect your child's number. The number needs to be securely pinned on the top and bottom. If the finishing line judges can't see the area number crossing the line, it may jeopardise your child's placing.

U8s, and anyone participating in a relay must wear a number on the front and back.

U8 and U10 children need to wear a label stating their name and event (to enable accurate recording at the finish line).

U8 and U10 children are not permitted to wear spikes. An Ríocht have strict limits on the length of spikes allowed on the track.

All children participating in the opening parade Saturday need to be on the track ready to start at 9.50am. Failure to do so will result in delays in the programme.

There are roadworks taking place on a section of road between Farranfore and Castleisland. Diversions are in place, so allow extra time for travelling. Refer to Kerry County Council's website, and our Facebook page for full details. There is an entry fee each day: €10 Family, €4 adult, €2 child.

Have a great weekend. I know I say it every year, but, come prepared for all seasons over the two days. Pack a picnic and have fun!

KILLARNEY RFC NEWS

SPONSOR A SOD:

We launched our Sponsor a sod campaign last week at Aghadoe with the help of Ireland Women's captain Ciara Griffin to help with the continued development of the minis and main pitches at Aghadoe. Works are due to start



Alex Hennigan, Killarney Valley won the Munster U14 75mts Hurdles in a P.B time of 12.37 seconds last Saturday in Waterford.

in the first week of July as the contractors are currently working on the redevelopment at Musgrave Park in Cork.

We invite all our members, players, parents and supporters to sponsor a square meter virtual sod for €25 (or 5 for €100) and support this fundraiser. All sod sponsors will have their names listed on our website, will receive a personalized certificate and will have names listed on a special plaque in the clubhouse. Check out www.krfc.club/sponsor-a-sod for details or contact any committee member for details.

GOLF CLASSIC:

Our annual KRFC Golf Classic takes place at O'Mahony's Point, Killarney Golf and Fishing Club on the 13th of July next. Teams of 4 cost €250. Please support our Golf Classic and we will have great prizes on offer for Closest to the pin, longest drive and a hole in one competition. Check out our Facebook page for more.

MUCKROSS ROWING CLUB

KILLARNEY REGATTA

Just one week to go! The countdown is well and truly on to the 233rd staging of the Killarney Regatta on Sun 1 July. Our crews from Juvenile

to Senior and Veteran have been giving it their all in training over the past weeks and months and we look forward to another exciting day at O'Mahony's Point. Calling all our supporters, family and friends to don the yellow club colours and bring your loudest voice to the shore to cheer on all our crews. We wish Sarah Fleming the very best of luck as our representative in the Regatta Queen contest. Regatta Dance, presentation of prizes and Regatta Queen selection on Tue evening 3 July at the Killarney Oaks Hotel.

CARLOW REGATTA

Belated congratulations to our crews on their outstanding performances at the Carlow Regatta over the June Bank Holiday weekend. A terrific weekend for Muckross with ten race wins over the two-day event.

UPCOMING

Irish Championships, Fri-Sun 13-15 July, National Rowing Centre, Cork. The NRC will also play host to the Home International Regatta on Sat 21 July and the Coupe de la Jeunesse Regatta for European juniors kicking off on Fri 27 July.

KILLARNEY VALLEY ATHLETIC CLUB

Congratulations to all our athletes who competed in the Munster Juvenile T&F Championships last weekend in Waterford. On Day 1, Alex Hennigan won with ease the U14 75M Hurdles and he followed that with a bronze in the 200M. Ruth Courtney came 3rd in the U18 shot and followed that with a bronze in the U18 Triple Jump. Elizabeth Stack received gold in the U18 High Jump. Ciara received gold in the U17 High Jump with a championship best and followed that with a silver in the 200m. Well done to all!

We would like to wish our all athletes the very best of luck at Kerry Community Games in an Riocht track at the weekend. Please keep an eye on our Facebook page for up to date information.



Pictured at the Castlerosse Hotel grounds at the finish line of the Faha Fun Run were L-R Fiana Brosnan, Ellie Mai Nubent, Sarah Fitzgerald and Orla Walsh. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

KILLARNEY COMMUNITY GAMES

The Kerry Community Games County Athletic finals will be held on Saturday June 23rd and Sunday 24th June in the An Riocht track in Castleisland. The full programme for Saturday and Sunday is on the Killarney South community games Facebook page and please check this page to confirm what day and time your child is competing. It is also very important that all athletes in relay teams please attend to ensure that we can compete in as many relays as possible. The events will commence at 10am on Saturday morning. The first events on the

program are 200 mts on the track for boys and girls U10/U12 and on the grass heats for the boys and girls U8 60/80mts. We wish all the athletes from the area the best of luck and remember community games is about participation and making friends and memories.

Flesk Valley Rowing Club

A great night was had at the launch of the Killarney Regatta 2018, which saw the invincible Valley crews who won the five senior six races in a row between 1981-1985 honored and entered in to the Killarney Regatta hall of fame.

It was great to see, Kieran O Callaghan, Tommy Cronin, Pat O Donoghue, Denis Courtney, Donal Courtney, Danny Lucey, Pat Tagney, Freddy Murphy, Sean Carroll RIP, Patrick Fleming RIP and Michael Fleming RIP, recognized for their outstanding achievements. Those who have sadly passed throughout the years were remembered. It was a privilege to have Fiona Carroll, on behalf of her late husband Seanie, and Eileen Fleming, on behalf of her late husband Michael, as well as family members of the late Patrick Fleming present on this night of celebration. Valley Abú



At the 10th European Transplant & Dialysis Sports Championship Sardinia Stephen Byrne from Tralee was placed fourth in the 50-59 years age category narrowly missing out on a Bronze by just three seconds and achieving his personal best. The kidney transplant recipient said, "I have to thank my donor, I wouldn't be here without them. A big thanks to my club in Tralee, Born to Run and Tralee Park Run". Stephen works in the Department of Justice in Killarney.



Faha N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**



Barraduff N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC 7-A-SIDE TOURNAMENT

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC AFC 7-A-SIDE SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by Killarney Credit Union
Groups for Killarney Athletic 7-A-Side
Tournament Sponsored by Killarney Credit
Union. The draw took place in Scott's on
Wednesday last 13th June.

Group 1 Failte Bar Tatler Toffees Big Hitters
FC Cavemen Clothing Charlies Angels
Group 2 Speakeasy Failte Legends MD
O'Shea's Enter My Van Four Star Pizza
Group 3 Dennehy's Bar Michael Healy Rae
Team Mackey's Crew O'Riordan Sand
& Gravel Liam Lynch Skoda

Group 4 Liebherr The Lake Hotel Port River
Wanderers Tim Jones & Sons Dunboy
Fixtures for Week 1

Venue: Woodlawn

Monday 25th June

Pitch 1

6.45 Cavemen Clothing V Charlies Angels

7.10 Speakeasy v Failte Legends

7.35 Inter My Van V Four Star Pizza

8.00 Speakeasy V MD O'Sheas

Pitch 2

6.45 Michael Healy Rae Team V O'Riordan Sand
& Gravel

7.10 Liebherr V Port River Wanderers

7.35 Tatler Toffees V Charlies Angels

8.00 Liebherr V Dunboy

Tuesday 26th June

Pitch 1

6.45 Big Hitters FC V Cavemen Clothing

7.10 Failte Legends V MD O'Sheas

7.35 Tim Jones & Sons V Dunboy

8.00 Mackey's Crew V Liam Lynch Skoda

8.25 The Lake Hotel V Tim Jones & Sons

Wednesday 27th June

Pitch 1

6.45 Failte Bar V Tatler Toffees

7.10 Port River Wanderers V Tim Jones and Sons

7.35 Failte Bar V Big Hitters FC

Pitch 2

6.45 O'Riordan Sand & Gravel V Liam Lynch
Skoda

7.10 Michael Healy Rae Team V Mackey's Crew

7.35 Speakeasy v Inter My Van

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC AFC NOTES

RESULT

Greyhound Bar KO Cup Semi Final
Killarney Athletic 2 Killorglin AFC 1. Lucas Polak
and Shane Lynch scoring for Athletic.
Best of luck in the final of the Greyhound Bar
KO Cup. COYBIB

SENIOR FIXTURE

SUNDAY 24TH JUNE

Greyhound Bar KO Cup Final
Killarney Celtic v Killarney Athletic A.F.C. 2.00pm
Mounthawk Park. All Support welcome. COYBIB
Annual General Meeting Killarney Athletic A.F.C
Annual General Meeting to be held on
Wednesday 27th June 2018 at 8.30pm in Scott's
Hotel



Killarney Athletic draw took place in Scotts Hotel. Pictured are member of KillarneyAthletic with Emma Looney from Killarney Credit Union



O'Carroll Engineering Team who took part in the Liebherr Golf Classic at the weekend.

Motions & Nominations must be sent in by
12.00 midnight on 25th June 2018 to sec@
killarneyathletic.com. All new members
welcome. It is very important for all Parents and
Members to attend the AGM.

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC A.F.C. 7-A-SIDE SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by Killarney Credit Union
Application forms are available from the Beech
Road and Park Road branches of Killarney
Credit Union and at www.killarneyathletic.com.
The entry fee for Over 35s: €150; Ladies: €150
Under 10/12: €75 (Competition 15th & 16th
July) Under 14/16: €100.

The closing date for entry are Tuesday 19th
June – for Over 35, Friday 22nd June – for under
14/16 and Friday 6th July for under 10/12 to
Further information is available from www.
killarneyathletic.com.

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC GOLF CLASSIC

Killarney Athletic Golf Classic is to be held on
29th June in Mahony's Point. €400.00 for a team
of 4 and €100.00 for tee box. Big fundraiser for
the Astro Pitch. Contact Mike on (087) 222 6185
or email sec@killarneyathletic.com

CONTACT: If you have anything to add
to Killarney Athletic A.F.C. notes please
contact Mary McCarrick on 087 7750773 or
mccarrickmary@hotmail.com

KILLARNEY CELTIC NEWS

Our U10s and U11s took part in the Barnardos
tournament in Limerick last saturday. Both
teams played very well during the day. The

U10s finished runners up to the hosts Dynamic
Coaching and the U11s finished runners up in
the shield also to Dynamic Coaching.
Congrats to Micheal Devlin who will move to
Georgetown College Kentucky in the near
future.

Our A team will aim to complete the league
and cup double next sunday when they face
local rivals Killarney Athletic in the Greyhound
Bar Cup Final in Mounthawk Park. Kick Off is
2pm. All support needed. summer camps at
Killarney Celtic during July. Book now at www.
summersoccerschools.ie or call 1890 653 653.
For pitch bookings contact Mary on 086 648
5809.

CELTIC LOTTO

Numbers Drawn 7,9,12,21. No Jackpot winner.
3 match 3 receive €50. Next jackpot €5,400.

KERRY U12'S GIRLS IN GAYNOR FINALS

Kerry's u12 Girls will become the first side of
that age to take part in the Gaynor Cup finals
this Saturday. They are one of four teams that
have qualified from the 21 League that entered
and will now play two games as part of the 5
day Festival of Women's Football which starts
on Wednesday.

Kerry play the MGL (Dublin Metropolitan Girls
League) at 1pm with the winners meeting the
winners of the Sligo/Leitrim and Galway game
for the Gaynor 12's title. The two defeated
teams also play at 6pm for 3rd / 4th places.



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DR. CROKES GAA CLUB NEWS

COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION 1 - ROUND 7

Played in Lewis Road on Saturday 16th of June
Killarney Legion 1-11 Dr Crokes 0-19

In a game which was a shoot out from the start to finish with neither side employing sweepers we ran out in the end winners by five points.

We enjoyed territorial advantage in the first half and would have to be pleased of our score of twelve points at the interval. Our opponents with far less chances managed 1-3 in this first half. This left them six points in arrears but with everything to play for in the second half.

Legion were well on top in the first ten minutes of the second half, adding on three points without reply in this period. They were also denied a goal by our keeper Johnny O'Leary who made a great save in the 38th minute. We had three unanswered points in the next five minutes to leave us six points ahead again as we entered the last quarter. Both teams exchanged points on a few occasions in the last fifteen minutes. Our opponents did get the deficit down to four points at one stage but we had the last score, a point in injury time. This gave us victory by five points.

Both managements were probably happy enough with the displays of their team. I was happy that we had a good team display with outstanding individual displays by Johnny Buckley and Tony Brosnan. Our mentors might have been disappointed that we hardly created any goal scoring chances.

Team and Scorers: Johnny O'Leary, John Payne, Mike Moloney, Brian Fitzgerald, Shane Doolan, Jason Lyne, Alan O'Sullivan, Johnny Buckley 0-4, Eoin Brosnan, Billy Courtney 0-1 (free), Gavin O'Shea 0-1, Brian Looney 0-2, Tony Brosnan 0-8 (0-4 frees), Mark O'Shea, Jordan Kiely 0-3.

Subs: Michael Potts, David O'Leary, Paul Clarke.

DEVELOPMENT FUND

Dr Crokes Club are embarking on a fundraising initiative to help upgrade the current facilities of our grounds as it has been 12 years since serious work has been carried out. There are fantastic prizes to be won with the first prize a Nissan Pulsar Executive Class Car and second prize is a four night stay for two people in New York including flights. We have 10 prizes in total and the draw will take place on December 20th 2018. Tickets are €10 each or a book of 6 for €50. There will be an additional draw of €1000 for those who purchase a full book for €50. Tickets can be purchased in the Tatler Jack, Club members or Kerry Shop in Killarney Outlet Centre.



Gneeveguilla N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.

PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

LOTTO

Lotto 11, 12, 19, 24. Jackpot €11700 Not Won
Match 3 8 by €50. Next Draw Sunday 24th of June in Speakeasy. Jackpot €12000

GNEEVEGUILLA GAA NEWS

There was no winner of last weeks lotto numbers drawn were 2,5,19,26. Lucky dip winners were €40 Tadgh Collins Village, €40 Johnny Breen Petros, €40 Mary Cronin Goulane, €30 Jackie Lehane Rathmore, €30 Mikie c/o Tim Cronin, €20 Aileen and Norette Sheehan, next weeks jackpot €3,250, thanks for your continued support. Seniors beat St Michaels/Foilmore last weekend 0 10 to 0 08. Huge thanks to the large support that travelled to South Kerry. Dylan Crowley tournament will take place from 10am on June 30th.

LEGION GAA NEWS

CO.LEAGUE

Save for the middle 10 minutes of the first half this local derby was very competitive played in mild windy conditions in front of a fine crowd. Crokes raced into an early 3 points lead but this was soon erased when Conor Keane applied a neat finish to the net which was quickly followed by a Billy Maguire point. It was at this stage that Crokes hit a purple patch scoring 7 points before Finbarr Murphy steadied the ship with a fine point. A good finish to the half saw the deficit down to a manageable 6 points. With wind assistance we started the second half with purpose scoring 3 fast points and by the 3/4 stage the game was in the melting pot

with only 3 points between the sides. Try as they might we could not bridge the gap with Conor Keane thwarted by a fine save by the Crokes custodian and so the Crokes ran out 0-19 to 1-12 winners. Bearing in mind that as many as 10 players will be added to the panel come County Championship time it was a most competent performance by a depleted squad and with continued hard work by the panel and management on the training ground the 2 Championships in the Autumn can be looked forward to with anticipation. The next month sees some vital county league action with the immediate priority being a trip to Rathmore on the weekend of June 30th/July 1st.

E.K.JUNIOR LEAGUE KILLARNEY LEGION 2-20 SCARTAGLIN 0-4

Undoubtedly the Legion management would have preferred a sterner test but the juniors just had too much for a game Scartaglin side. With the advantage of two seniors players - Sean McCarthy and Alan Moriarty at midfield they had a solid backbone to the team. Allied to this the addition of a number of younger players - all showing up well - gave a nice balance to the side. Conor McCarthy and his namesake Stephen caught the eye and with the free ranging Micheál Devlin constantly driving at the Scart defence the scores came thick and fast. The same player is destined for the U.S.A. at the start of August as he takes up a scholarship in the prestigious Georgetown University. Such an opportunity would be hard to pass up but correspondingly a loss to the Legion. Still we wish him the very best of luck at this exciting time.

FÉILE BOYS

Many thanks to all those who so generously supported our fund raising bingo night in the Dromhall Hotel, great to see such a crowd in attendance.

CÚL CAMPS

It's nearly that time of year again when the highly successful G.A.A. Cúl Camps take place. The event has grown year on year and this year takes place from July 2nd - 6th Mon. - Friday, 10 a.m. - 2.30 p.m. Great value as there is a sliding scale for families with more than one child.

LOTTO

Winning numbers 13, 21, 25, 27

No winner. Match 3 winners

(1) John O Connor c/o Lenihans (2) Sean Mc Monagle c/o Randles garage (3) Darren/Olive c/o Lake hotel (4) James O Riordan c/o Country Pork (5) Sean Coyne c/o International Hotel. Next weeks jackpot €9,600, play online at www.legiongaa.com

LISTRY GAA CLUB NEWS

JUVENILE UPDATE.

Week ending Sunday June 17th.

Results for past week.

U12 County League.

Played Sunday 17th in Allman Park.

6A.

Listry 5.15

Sneem Derrynane 3.10

6B.

Listry 5.10

Sneem Derrynane 3.01.

U15 MUNSTER SUPER 10S.

Played in Mallow Complex on Sat June 16th.

Keel/Listry beat Kerins O Rahillys and Glanmire in the group. Lost by 2 pts to eventual winners Gaultier in the semi final.

LOTTO RESULTS: Numbers Drawn 1 3 16 23

€100 Geraldine Guilfoyle, Kilcummen

€50 x 2 Lily and Sean Clifford, Lahard

Billy McCarthy, Gneeveguilla.

€25 x 2 Mai Driscoll, Ballymalis

Patrick Broderick, Kilbonane

Draw Entrant; Dio Buckley, Rockfield

Next Sunday 24th Jackpot €6,200

CUL CAMP; Don't forget to register for Listry Cul camp July 2nd to 6th. Also you can register on the 1st morning at Listry pitch

BEAUFORT NEWS

LOTTO:

The next lotto draw for a jackpot of €4,200 will be in Galvin's Bar on Sunday, 24th June. Tickets available from usual sellers and online at www.beaufortgaclub.com

FIXTURES Under 14 Ladies replay against Ballymac, Wednesday, 20th at 6pm in Beaufort followed by Under 16 Boys County League round 1 game against Sneem, Derrynane, Templenoe Senior men home Templenoe, Friday 22nd at 7.30pm in round 8, Co League.



Ana Blath N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.

PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE NEWS

PUBLIC MEETING:

Milltown Castlemaine GAA Field Development.

A public meeting will take place on Monday July 2nd in Nagle Rice Community Centre (8.30 to 9.30). The GAA Club is central to our community here in Milltown and Castlemaine and we are looking forward to seeing as many people from our community at this meeting.

Under 12's: Our under 12's got back to their winning ways on Sunday evening last, with both teams having victories over Moyvane.

Well done to both panels and their management team.

They take on Dr. Crokes on Tuesday June 19th in Lewis Road, with a 6.30 throw in.

Special thanks to our Coiste Na nÓg sponsors- Norman Foley Spar and Burkes Butchers for their very generous support of our underage teams.

MILLTOWN CASTLEMAINE

VERSUS KENMARE SHAMROCKS:

Milltown Castlemaine played Kenmare Shamrocks in Kenmare on Saturday evening last, June 16th, in Round 7- Division 2, of the County League. Conditions were ideal with just a slight breeze that favoured the home side in the first half.

There were quite a few changes from the scheduled starting team for M/C. due to injuries and players not available for selection.

The visitors started the strongest with two quick points from Jonathan O Sullivan and Gavin Horan.

Paul O'Connor gave Kenmare their first score by way of a pointed free in the 3rd minute.

MC had their fair share of possession and so were next to score with a point by Jack McCarthy, quickly followed by another from Gavin Horan, who was to prove to be hugely influential over the remaining 50 minutes of play. Kenmare added their second point with Kevin O'Sullivan doing the honours for them.

Jack McCarthy replied swiftly with a well taken point. Paul O'Connor added 2 points from frees for Kenmare in the 12th and 13th minute. This reduced MC to the narrowest of leads after 15 minutes.

MC: 0/5, Kenmare: 0/04.

A foul on Jack McCarthy saw Jonathan O'Sullivan pop over the resultant free. However, Paul O'Connor cancelled it out with a well taken point in the 20th minute of play.

MC went on a scoring blitz between the 20th and 30th minute- scoring 1/06. The first of those came from Jack McCarthy who scored 1/02, along with a fisted point from Gavin Horan. Our keeper, Cormac Keane pulled off a super save in the 26th minute to deny Michael McCarty a goal. A tremendous turnover by Jeremiah Hayes led to some great play by Donal Dennehy, David Roche and Gavin Horan. This move culminated in a point from Jonathan O'Sullivan in the 27th minute. Kenmare's Tom O'Sullivan popped over a point for Kenmare in the next passage of play. In the 29th minute, a mark by Pa Wrenn led to a super ball into Jonathan O'Sullivan, who lobbed a high ball in towards the square and Jack McCarthy finished to the back of the net.

Mid fielder David Roche added a point just before half time, after it was saved off the line by the Kenmare keeper.

This left a score line of MC: 1/12, Kenmare Shamrocks: 0/07 at the short whistle.

The second half resumed with MC having the benefit of a light breeze.

Kenmare Shamrocks started the brighter in the second half- scoring a point in the very first run of play. The third minute saw Kenmare score a penalty- by way of Dylan O'Connor- as well as some slight assistance from the post. This brought the score difference to just four points. MC: 1/12, Kenmare Shamrocks: 1/08

Kenmare had much of the possession in the early stages of the 2nd half. Fortunately Stephen Roche and Jeremiah Hayes were both strong in defence- turning over much ball. Kenmare keeper Ray O'Shea denied MC's Jonathan O'

Sullivan a goal, with a super save on the line, in the 8 Th minute. MC powered on and added a point in the 12 Th minute, from Jonathan O Sullivan, having being fed some great ball by Gavin Horan and Gavin McKenna.

However, Kenmare responded immediately with a brilliantly taken goal by Dylan O'Connor- his second of the game.

This gave a score line of 1/13 to MC, 2/08 to Kenmare.

Donal Dennehy popped over a free to give his team a three point lead at the end of the first quarter of the second half.

Kenmare replied with a point from play by Ciarán O'Sullivan.

The turning point of the game came in the 19 Th minute- with a vital interception by Jeremiah Hayes. A well placed kick pass to Shane Murphy, who passed onto Jack McCarthy and then onto Jonathan O'Sullivan -who calmly palmed the ball past the Kenmare keeper, for MC's second goal of the game. This gave them back a more comfortable four point lead, in the 21st minute of the second half. Kenmare Shamrocks swiftly replied with a point from Kevin Price, which was their final score of the game.

MC introduced some of their bench, including Thady O'Sullivan and Eoin O' Mahony.

A mark by Gavin Horan, who played outstandingly throughout the game, breaking down the Kenmare defence on many occasions, passed off the ball to Jonathan O'Sullivan and the final move saw Jack McCarthy find the back of the net in the 24th minute. MC added three more points before the final whistle - Jonathan O'Sullivan in the 27 th minute, Jack McCarthy in the 28 th and the final one came from Craig Counihan in the dying seconds of the game.

A super performance all round- from our keeper Cormac who pulled off some fine saves, our defence of Damian, Ciarán and Stephen along with our half back line of Gavin McKenna, Pa Wrenn and Kieran O' Carroll all gave 100 %. Our mid field duo - David Roche and Donal Dennehy were a great combination, pushing forward all the time.

Alan Hickey started very well in the forwards but was unfortunately injured and his replacement Craig Counihan was solid in the half forward line with Gavin Horan and Jeremiah Hayes ably supporting him.

Our full forward line of Jack McCarthy, Shane Murphy and Jonathan O' Sullivan all put in a tremendous performance. Our players off the bench, Eoin O' Mahony and Thady O' Sullivan both played their part in a highly positive performance.

Well done to all involved- to Paul, Liam, John P and our chairman Podge for their work with the team.

GAELIC FOR MOTHERS AND OTHERS:

Our internal blitz for mother's and others is scheduled for the 1st July, time to be confirmed closer to date. What we are aiming for is family fun, get the kids making banners for the moms, supporting us for a change-with teas and coffees in the club rooms afterwards, If people are feeling generous to donate trays of



Jalopies to the Ready for Ian...members of Spa GAA Club, training hard in Killarney National Park for the 35th Annual Ring of Kerry Charity Cycle 2018 in aid of The Ian O'Connell Trust Fund. Cyclists will be supporting Ian's ongoing and lengthy rehabilitation programme. As the inspirational Killarney teenage says As Ian himself says "If you can't stand up, stand out!" Included are, Kathleen Gleeson, Tommy Kelleher, William Herlihy, Billy Morris, Johnny Cronin and Jim Gleeson. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

sandwiches, buns, cakes etc. for all to enjoy after the blitz, it would be very much appreciated. We will need lots of help on the day. Please message the Facebook page if you are free to help with anything.

SOME FIXTURES FOR THIS WEEK:

Junior County League: Group 3, Round 4:

Our juniors are at home to Ballydonoghue on Friday June 22nd with a 7.30 start.

Junior mid Kerry League: Round 5 -Tuesday June 19th: Milltown Castlemaine are at home to Glenbeigh with a 7.30 throw in.

Under 12 Lee Strand Round 3: Our A and B teams take on Legion at 6 p.m.

In the Central Region, Division 4, our own boys are away to Austin Stacks on Thursday June 21st at 7 p.m. and IN Division 2, they are at home to Ardferd on Monday June 25th with a 7 pm start. Senior County League: Sunday July 1st: Our seniors are at home to Austin Stacks with a 2 pm start.

Plenty of games on in the coming week. Please try to head along and give your support.

EAST KERRY GAA NEWS

by Michael O'Mahony PRO

RESULT EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE DIVISION 1.

Rathmore 2.17 (23)

Gneeveguilla 1.11 (14)

East Kerry junior League Division 1.

Gneeveguilla scored a goal, through Conlon O'Leary fourteen minutes into the second half to go within one point of Rathmore, 1.10 to 1.09 in this round two Junior league fixture in a sunny Ráthbeg on Tuesday evening. However the home team responded quickly to out score their neighbors by one goal seven points to two points to leave nine points between the

teams at the finish. The second goal by the busy midfielder Tadhg Mahony in the twenty first minute put an end to the game as a contest.

Rathmore started brightly and the dominant half forward Pdraig Cronin got the first Rathmore goal in the sixth minute to gain the initial advantage. Gneeveguilla kicked four points without reply from the twelfth to the fifteenth minute. Conlon O'Leary and Jack Cremin were prominent for the visitors. The evergreen Michael Anthony Kelliher was a busy from frees and play helping himself to four points in the first half for Rathmore. The half time score was 1.06 to 0.08 with the home team in front.

Anthony Darmody kicked four points for the winners in the second half and Pdraig Cronin moved to the full forward position to press home the advantage kicking a further two points. Both teams ran the sub bench as Rathmore ran out easy winners to take the two points on offer.

KILLARNEY LEGION 2-20

(26) SCARTAGLIN 0-4

EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE DIVISION 2.

No fault of Scartaglin who tried hard but the score reflects the way the game worked out. The Legion had the benefit of several senior players especially at the crucial midfield area and allied to at least nine u21's the fitness levels told in a telling way. From the off the home side had a constant supply of good ball into the forwards and they duly converted most of their opportunities into scores. Scartaglin did get some joy from using the direct long ball into their full forward line but in truth there really wasn't enough of a consistent nature to do any real damage. As previously mentioned it wasn't for the lack of effort but the fact was that the Legion just had too many options available to them and eventually this told on the scoreboard.

EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE DIVISION 2.



Kilcummin 0-8 Glenflesk 1-22 (25) Glenflesk proved far too strong for the home team and ran out easy winners pulling up. They lead 1-14 to 0-4 at half time Stephen Lacey being the goal scorer. Paudie Rahilly, Donal O Sullivan and Padraig Murphy were outstanding for the winners while Kieran Fleming, Sean Moynihan and Kieran O Donoghue played well for Kilcummin

Result East Kerry junior League Division 1 Dr Crokes 2-6 {12} spa 2-6 {12}

EAST KERRY SENIOR LEAGUE

Division 1B Back Game

Dr. Crokes 0-19 Killarney Legion 1-11

Doubling with County League

GO GAMES BLITZ

Noreen Lynch tournament took place in Barraduff . The format of the competition was 9 aside games. Top two teams to meet in the final. Knockanes NS, Glenflesk NS, Raheen NS and Barraduff NS took part. All teams consisted of mixed players between 1st and 3rd class age groups. The standard of football was superb with great skill levels on display. Emmet Finan and Eoin Moynihan (Glenflesk) provided excellent assistance to Vince Cooper East Kerry/ Kenmare GDA on the day. Congratulations to Knockanes NS on defeating a gallant Raheen NS team in a close decider. All games were played in a sporting manner before a large attendance.

FIXTURES

East Kerry senior super League Division 1.sponsored by Frank Doran safeguard security

CURROW V GNEEVEGUILLA

Relegation Play-off (Sunday 24th June at 2pm)

Extra Time if necessary

EAST KERRY FR. GALVIN CUP

INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2018

sponsored by Aquila Club {Gleneagle Hotel}

Preliminary Round

Extra Time if necessary

First Team Named is at Home

Firies V Listry Sunday 24th June at 2pm

East Kerry junior League Final on Thursday 28th June

Dylan Crowley Tournament will take place from 10am on June 30th. At Gneeveguilla GAA Pitch, Munster senior & minor championship Best of luck to all players & management this Saturday evening in pairc Ui Chaoimh

East Kerry Board meeting Next meeting has been brought forward to this Monday 25th June at Killarney Heights Hotel at 9pm. All Delegates requested to attend,

County Minor Championship we wish all East Kerry teams the best of luck East Kerry, Dr Crokes, St Kierans that will be completeing in co, championship this Tuesday evening June 26th, Munster U 12 Blitzes 2018

See below details of the Munster U 12 Blitzes which take place over the Summer in the following Venues:

FOOTBALL

Fitzgerald Stadium Killarney

Pairc Ui Chaoimh, Cork

HURLING

Gaelic Grounds Limerick

Temple Stadium Thurles



Fossa N.S. pictured at Fitzgerald Stadium for the Garda National School Football Blitz.

PICTURE:MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

This is a great opportunity for young players to play in these Stadiums and I would encourage as many clubs as possible to take part.

If you club is interested in taking part then please contact Donal Daly donal.daly.gda.kerry@gaa.ie by email by Monday 25th June. As these are very popular days it is important that you register before the closing date if interested in taking part.

If you have any questions please give me a call.

MUNSTER COACHING & GAMES

U 12 COUNTY STADIUM BLITZ DAYS

Munster Coaching & Games are giving clubs an exciting opportunity to participate in a series of blitz days at County Stadia.

The blitzes are for fewer than 12 club teams and will be 11 a side with each club to bring 1 team. Each club will get the chance to play 3 games on the pitch against teams from other counties as well as a talk with a county player and a stadium tour. Clubs will play on one of the days. This initiative is in its 8th year and has been a very enjoyable day out for the clubs that have taken part in the past.

THE DATES FOR THE BLITZES ARE AS FOLLOWS

Football

July 17th/18th: Fitzgerald Stadium, Killarney (Football Blitzes)

August 8th/9th: Pairc Uri Chaoimh, Cork

Hurling

July 21st: Gaelic Grounds, Limerick

August 14th/15th/16th : Semple Stadium, Thurles. We would encourage all clubs to apply for participation in at least 1 venue as it is a great opportunity for young players to play in the same stadium as their idols. The games are about participation rather than winning and give coaches the opportunity to give all squad members a day to remember for the rest of their lives.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT TIMES ARE THE BLITZES RUN?

All events take place during the day. If clubs are signing up then they will need to ensure they have mentors available to travel in the morning/ early afternoon.

HOW LONG WILL THE EVENT TAKE?

Typically clubs would want to allow 3 hours from assigned arrival time as you have 1 hour playing time on the pitch and another hour allocated to the stadium tour/intercounty player meet and greet session.

ARE THE TEAMS GRADED?

Clubs are not graded officially but Munster will try to ensure that clubs of similar size are put in the same groups where possible. As it is a fun blitz, grading should not put you off entering.

HOW MANY PLAYERS ARE PERMITTED PER CLUB?

As games are 11 a side, clubs should not bring more than 24 players as otherwise, it will be very hard to get them all game time.

WHAT DO CLUBS NEED TO ORGANISE FOR THE DAY?

Before your allocated pitch time, have your starting teams picked in advance and a plan as to what subs are going in and when.

MID KERRY GAA

LEAGUE RD 4 RESULTS PLAYED ON TUES 12TH JUNE

Glenbeigh/Glencar 2-09 Laune Rangers 3-10

Cromane 1-06 Miltown/Castlemaine 2-12

Beaufort - bye

Rd 5 played last night with the Final fixed for Tues 3rd July at 7.30pm with extra time playable Senior League Final between Beaufort & Miltown/Castlemaine will be played on Sat 7th July at 7.30pm Venue to be confirmed with extra time playable

O'Sullivan Cup rd 1 Thurs 19th July both games 7.30pm with extra time playable

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KERRY GAA SCENE

REPORT BY LEONA TWISS, PRO

GREAT WIN FOR THE KERRY U20S

The U20s played Limerick in the Munster Quarter Final last Friday night in Newcastlewast and came away with a very comprehensive win over Limerick. Kerry scored 11 unanswered points in the first quarter with Limerick registering their first point in the 17th minute. The game finished Kerry 1-30 Limerick 5pts and Kerry had 9 different scorers on the night. Kerry have a home semi final where they meet Waterford in Tralee on Friday night at 7.30pm. We will be hoping for a big home support on the night

THE MUNSTER FINAL

The Kerry Senior football Team will face Cork in the Munster Final next Saturday June 23rd in Pairc Uí Chaoimh. The game is preceded by the Minor game which involves Kerry and Clare at 4.30pm. Tickets are now on sale at the following prices - Adult Stand Pre-Purchase: €35.00, Adult Terrace Pre-Purchase: €25.00, Juvenile Stand & Terrace: €5.00, Student/Senior's will receive €10.00 concession with valid ID at the designated stile prior to entry. Adult prices increase by €5.00 at midnight 22nd of June. Tickets are available for purchase in the Kerry GAA store Killarney, via gaa.ie/ tickets and in participating Centra and Supervalu Outlets.

Both the Kerry Senior and Minor Teams will be announced at 8pm on Friday, June 22nd on the Kerry GAA website.

The Kerry GAA Supporters Club will take coaches to the Munster Final in Cork on 23rd June. All seats must be booked by Thursday night

June 21st, the times are the following Listowel 12 O'Clock Tralee 12.30pm Killarney 1 O'Clock. Membership cards now available for 2018, all travelling must have a valid card to travel on coaches. For booking contact Donal O'Leary at 0647758099 John King 087 1305474 or Martin Leane 087 2452901

The strong advice for patrons is to arrive early, avail of the many parking offers available in Cork City Centre and near Páirc Uí Chaoimh. It is also strongly advised to use the various public transport options to get to the stadium. Some important points of note are:

- * There will be no parking at the stadium and its environs. Tow away will be in operation.
- * Residential estates near the stadium will be barriered off and stewards will be on duty.
- * Blackrock Hurling Club on Church Road, Cork Camogie Grounds on Castle Road and

Cork Constitution Rugby Club next to Páirc Uí Rinn are all providing parking for match patrons. All three are just a short walk from the stadium. * Bus Éireann will operate a shuttle bus service from Lapp's Quay to Monahan Road. The shuttle bus service will operate with a ten-minute frequency, commencing from Lapp's Quay at 15:30hrs and will operate



Kerry Manager Eamonn Fitzmaurice, pictured ahead of Saturday evening's Munster Final v Cork. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN.**

until final departure at 19:00hrs. The fares are €2.30 Adult Single and €1.30 Child Single. The shuttle bus does not operate post-match for health and safety reasons.

* Spectators will be subject to a bag search. Please do not bring backpacks or large bags

CREDIT UNION COUNTY LEAGUE

Last weekend we played Round 7 of the County Football League with a full fixture list across all five divisions. There are only four rounds of the league remaining so the battles for promotion and avoiding relegation have begun in earnest.

The Division 1 holders, Dr Crokes, lead the way with 13 points from seven games. They are closely followed by An Ghaeltacht on 11 points and fellow East Kerry side, Spa, with

10 points. Glenbeigh/Glenclar lie bottom of the table with just 3 points, Dingle and John Mitchels have 4 points. The promotion battle in Division 2 appears to rest between four clubs. - Castleisland Desmonds, Austin Stacks and Na Gaeil share top spot on 12 points and Intermediate champions, Kilcummin, are on 11 points. At the wrong end of the table Listowel Emmets and Currow with just 1 point each are already in serious relegation trouble while Ardferth have 3 points.

West Kerry side, Annascaul, lead the way in Division 3 with 13 points and that is two points clear of second placed, Brosna. St Senans, St Pat's and Dr Crokes share third spot with 8 points each. There is a very hot relegation battle in this division. Finuge are bottom with 2pts, Keel, Laune Rangers, and Lispolse have 4 points each. East Kerry side Gneeveguilla top Division 4 with 13 points closely followed by Firies on 12 points. Fossa and Tarbert are on 10 and 8 points respectively. The bottom two sides in this division - Cromane on 1 point and Ballylongford on 2 points - are really in the relegation danger area and will require a major change in fortunes to avoid the drop. Unbeaten Churchill lead the way in Division 5 Gr A with maximum points from seven games and that is four points clear of Valentia on 10 points. Duagh top Division 5 Group B with 12 points from 6 games followed by Ballyduff and Moyvane with 8 points.

INTER - FIRM AGM

The Inter-Firm board will be holding its AGM on Thursday June 21st in the Plaza Hotel Killarney at 9pm. The meeting is open to all interested organisations

who are entering or considering entering this year's championship or individual who may want further information on the competition.

FEILE SKILLS WINNERS

Best of luck to the Kerry Feile Skills winners who will be competing in the All Ireland Feile Skills Final on June 23rd in Dublin. The Kerry Hurling winner is Kelton Molloy from Lixnaw and the Football Winner is Gearoid Mulvihill representing Listowel Emmets.

KERRY GAA LOTTO

The numbers drawn were 10, 17, 22 and 27. The €50 lucky dips were won by Nora Nagle and Tim Sheahan Glenbeigh. Next Monday night's lucky dip prize is 2 tickets to see Michael Bublé in concert in Croke Park. Play online on the Kerry GAA website!



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The HRI is paid as a tax credit at 13.5% of the cost, effectively reducing the rate of VAT on qualifying work to zero. The qualifying work must cost at least €4,405 before VAT at 13.5% (€5,000 including VAT). The credit can be claimed up to a maximum of €30,000 (before VAT) of the total cost of works. The work must be carried out and paid for before 31 December 2018. However, this can be extended if you need planning permission. If this is the case, planning permission must be in place by 31 December 2018. You will then have until 31 March 2019 to complete the work.

To apply for the HRI, your contractor(s) must enter details of the work and payments on the HRI online system on revenue.ie. You should access the system to check that these details have been entered correctly. You claim the credit after the end of the tax year in which you have the work done. In general, the tax credit is applied over the two years following the year in which the work is carried out and paid for.

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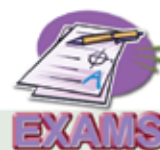
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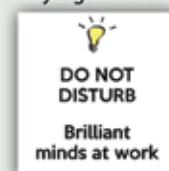


Well over half way through exams now it is essential to stay calm and keep positive. It is important to put your exams into perspective and remember that whilst the results will have a bearing on your future the results are not a measure of your worth. Be sure to continue eating a well-balanced diet, do some exercise and get sufficient sleep each night. If you are finding it difficult to cope or don't feel you have the necessary support, be sure to seek professional advice.

FOR PARENTS

It's important that your child knows that you are interested in their work. Tell them that they can only try their best and even if they don't do as well as they'd hoped, you still love them just as much. Whilst we're not suggesting bribery it's fine to provide small treats by way of encouragement – and be sure to celebrate the end of exams with a treat that everyone can look forward to, such as a meal out or a trip to the cinema.

Your sympathy and support is all important at this time – so recriminations about the past and 'I told you so' speeches will not be welcomed at this time. Professor Aidan Moran advises parents to "avoid doing post-mortems with your children after the exam – it's neither helpful nor accurate" (as students don't always remember what they wrote in an exam). He also states that "parents should praise their children for doing their best and for staying in the exam until it's over."



Continue to focus on the exams ahead reminding your teen that it's 'never too late, and a lot can be achieved in a short time'. Encourage them to continue trying and that it's worth 'having a go' and it will all be over soon.

Let them know that you love them unconditionally. Let them know that this time will pass and they will get through it. Let them know that no matter how the exams go, you will be there for them. Study in blocks of time which do not exceed your concentration span. For example, break up a study session into periods of about 50 minutes each. They also offer valuable advice to gain control over the exam situation as follows: "Ignore what other people do in the exam. Do not look around you in the exam-hall when the papers are handed out and do not pay any attention to students who request extra paper from the exam supervisors. Remember that it is the quality rather than quantity of the answer that attracts good marks. In any case, many "hand raisers" write on only one side of a page or perhaps skip every second line of their answer book. So, be selfish in an exam – ignore everyone else."

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Mon, Tues (Hour Long), Fri (2 Episodes)

The battle for Susie rages on as Toyah desperately tries to win Peter back. While Liz reels from a shock declaration, Johnny uses an accident to his advantage. Meanwhile, Daniel proposes to Sinead and Steve quickly follows suit and asks Tracy. Elsewhere, Ryan shares his suspicions about Kayla with Bethany.

EMMERDALE

Mon, Tues (Hour Long), Fri (1 Episode)

Johnny turns to Liz and they kiss while Alya and Carla go to war over the factory. Meanwhile, Eileen, Nicola and Zach bid farewell to the Street. Elsewhere, Peter confronts Eva.

EASTENDERS

Mon, Tues (1 Episode), Fri (2 Episodes)

High drama in the square as Kat returns and she's looking for answers while Martin and Stacey make a decision. Meanwhile, Carmel looks for a way to remember Shakil. Elsewhere, Masood tries to get one up on Ian.



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In loving Memory of

TADHG GALVIN

**Madam's Hill, Aghadoe, Killarney
who died 18th June 2017**

On this his 1st anniversary, Tadhg is sadly missed by his mother Joan, daughter Kirri King, brothers Ger & Mike, sister in law Eileen, nephew Mikie and all his extended family, neighbours and many friends.

As we lovingly remember Tadhg one year on we wish to express our gratitude to all our relatives and friends who called to the house and were there for us through those very dark days. To all those who sent Mass cards and floral tributes, who brought food and refreshments to the house many thanks to you all. For all those who travelled from near and far to be with us for the Rosary, removal, Mass and burial a sincere thank you to everyone.

The family would like to thank Dr Domhall Kavanagh, Dr N Johnson, Connie Doyle and the staff of Trant's Pharmacy who collectively did everything above and beyond the call of duty for Tadhg throughout his life.

To Jim Reilly and all Tadhg's dear friends in the Old Killarney Inn and OKI golf society we won't forget the wonderful guard of honour entering Fossa Church and sincere thanks to Jim and all his family in the OKI for the wonderful meal provided on the day of the funeral. Tadhg will be remembered there with fond memories of song, stories and laughter.

We would like to thank the following musicians who played so beautifully and respectfully in Fossa Church for the funeral Mass, Musicians Mike Galvin, Barry Lynch, Brendan O'Sullivan, Padraig Creedon, Willie Dowd, Tony Flaherty, Theresa Kavanagh, Donal Murphy, Niall Murphy and on vocals Aiden Moynihan, Tim O'Sullivan and Mike Galvin, and on sound Dan Callaghan.

Finally to Fr Tom Looney for making Tadhg's requiem Mass so special and to O'Shea's funeral directors for their professionalism and sensitivity throughout and the grave diggers for preparing Tadhg's final resting place and to the Gardai for their traffic management, a sincere thank you to you all.

As it is impossible to thank everyone individually please accept this acknowledgement as a token of our sincere and grateful appreciation. The Holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**First Anniversary Mass for Tadhg will
take place in Fossa Church at 7.30 pm
on July 13th 2018.**

4TH ANNIVERSARY



In Loving Memory of

AGNES LINEHAN (NEE REEN)

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Who died on 25th June 2014.**


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As time unfolds another year
out of our lives may be gone
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Maureen, Sean and Jerry.**



*For those who think of Agnes today
a little prayer to Jesus say.*

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A WORD OF VICTORY

Welcome back dear reader last week we saw how compassionate leadership sets the oppressed free. Everywhere Jesus went He lived the Kingdom of God. He showed compassion to the poor, the weak, the sick and the hurting but more than that, He healed them all! (Mathew 12:15) John the Baptist was a leader used by God in truth and compassion to turn people from sin. John had the spirit of Elijah, and he boldly proclaimed repentance from sin in preparation for the ministry of Messiah Jesus. The people then, like today, were passively doing their own thing, isolated from God in sin. John spoke straight to them and to the religious leaders. As individuals were convicted and repented of their sins, they came in droves to be baptised by him (Mathew 3:1-12). Baptism is an outward sign of a renewed life, made by one who has the capacity to understand what they are doing - a baby cannot make a decision to stop sinning and repent! Jesus Himself was baptised by John and, as He came up from the water, the Holy Spirit came upon Him and He began His ministry operating in the power of God. Then He went and proclaimed the Good News of the Kingdom of God and His love, and ministered healing to people who were living plagued and tormented by sickness, infirmity and lack - all works of the enemy (Acts 10:38). Sickness is a result of sin, and the Bible is clear that the wages of sin is death. When we hear God's Word and ask Jesus to be Lord and repent from our sins and the sins of our forefathers which are called iniquities (these are sins passed down from one generation to the next), healing comes - physically, emotionally - even financially. The sin of unforgiveness is a major cause of sickness. It kills the same as drinking poison, and subtly holds people in bondage. When someone hurts or offends you it's a natural reaction to feel anger and resentment, but holding on to it is a trick of the devil, as a bitter root takes hold because if we don't forgive the person and release their sin, hurts and torment and sickness will result. It's time to let it go and be healed friend!

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THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked you 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.

EMK

NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

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

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