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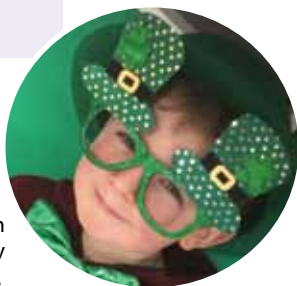


an O'Connell returned home for the first time in eight months to lead his club in the St. Patrick's Day Parade, the annual Hospice Walk will take place on Good Friday and Cathaoirleach of Kerry County Council, Cllr. John Sheahan enjoyed an action packed trip to the Big Apple. Oliver Callan pulled out all the stops to entertain everyone at the Mayor's Shindig and Joanne O'Riordan was in town to honour Legion GAA Club members at their awards night. We have a bumper picture parade for you from St. Patrick's Day in Killarney, all the latest from the GAA scene and of course lots of fantastic offers from our Advertisers. All this and so much more in this week's Killarney Outlook - Out first every Friday.

Aisling Crosbie
Editor

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All the action from the St Patrick's Day Parade in Killarney ...



Walk in memory of Vivien and Sheila



PICTURED AT THE LAUNCH OF THE KERRY HOSPICE WALK ARE FRONT: PAT DOOLAN, NOREEN COLLINS L - R CATHERINE O'REILLY, PATRICIA BARRETT, TOMAS KELLIHER, CATHAL WALSH, DERMOT O'REILLY, KAY SPILLANE. PICTURE: MARIE LYNE KELLY

The Killarney Branch of the Kerry Hospice will hold the annual fundraising walk in memory of Vivien O' Shea and Sheila McGillycuddy on Good Friday 30th March.

Registration is at 10am at Garden Restaurant, Muckcross House. Walk commences at 10.30am. There is a choice of two walks:

1. From Garden Restaurant via Dinis Cottage and section of Torc Trail and return to Garden Restaurant. [8km approx.].
2. From Garden Restaurant to Brickeen Bridge and return. [6km

approx.]. There is no registration fee, however there will be a bucket collection on the day. Tickets will be on sale for spot prizes. Complementary tea/coffee on return.

"We are hoping for a nice dry day. Bring along the family and enjoy a leisurely walk through our lovely National Park while supporting a worthy charity." said PRO., Cathal Walshe told the Killarney Outlook. Suitable footwear is advisable in the interests of Health & Safety, especially along the section of Torc Trail.

Ian enjoys first weekend at home since August

Brave Killarney teenager Ian O'Connell received a standing ovation from the dignitaries on the viewing stand at this year's St. Patrick's Day Parade in Killarney on his first weekend home since his horrific accident last August. Receiving huge applause from the thousands lining the route, Ian led the Spa GAA Club group pushed by his best friend Michael Horgan. The inspirational teenager from Pinewood Estate suffered life changing injuries in a cycling accident in Killarney National Park in August of last year and has been in hospital since in Dublin.

Ian is now receiving treatment at the National Rehabilitation Treatment Centre in Dublin and hopes to return home in the coming months.

Ian made a stop off at his GAA Club house in Spa to meet club members, friends and team mates who have fundraised tirelessly for him in the past eight months. The Ian O'Connell Benefit Fund



IAN WITH HIS PARENTS MICK AND NORA ALONG WITH SEAN KELLY MEP AT SPA CLUBHOUSE ON THURSDAY LAST. SEAN IS THE PATRON OF A FAA GOLF CLASSIC FUNDRAISER AND HAS NOMINATED IAN AS ONE OF THE RECIPIENTS FOR THIS YEAR.

was organised by Spa GAA club and numerous other sporting and voluntary organisations, including anglers and golfers, on both sides of the Kerry/Cork border, also became actively involved. The St Brendan's College student is a juvenile footballer with Spa GAA club, a hurler with Dr Crokes and also plays with Killarney Celtic



IAN PICTURED WITH HIS CLASS MATES AND PRINCIPAL SEAN COFFEY AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE LAST WEEK. PICTURES: ANNE HOLLAND.

soccer club and this year he was made Captain of the Spa Minor Football team.

The club were astounded at the level of support that they received from all over the GAA community and beyond. Initially they hoped to raise €20,000 but they have exceeded all expectations and have raised over €135,000 so far. A lot of the money was collected through a special lotto fundraiser by the Spa club. Funds have been

transferred to a trust fund to be administered by three trustees on behalf of the club.

Funds are continuing to come in and a bank account has been set up at AIB, Main St, Killarney:
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READY FOR ACTION: CLLR JOHN SHEAHAN PICTURED AT YONKERS FIRE HOUSE



Cathaoirleach of Kerry County Council, Cllr John Sheahan, has concluded a very successful visit to New York as part of the St Patrick's Day Parade celebrations. On Saturday, he joined the Mayor of New York, Bill de Blasio, for an early morning reception at his official residence, Gracie Mansion. Among the other invited guests were the Taoiseach Leo Varadkar and current Rose of Tralee Jennifer Byrne. Later he joined Kerry Patriotic and Benevolent Association President, Frank O'Keefe, in leading the 1,500 strong Kerry Association down Fifth Avenue in the annual St Patrick's Day Parade. On Friday (March 16th) the Mayor laid a wreath in remembrance of the

almost 3,000 victims of the World Trade Center and 9/11 attacks at the memorial site in New York. The inscription on the wreath reads: 'In Remembrance. From the People of County Kerry, Ireland.' One in six of those who died were either Irish born or of Irish descent. Mayor Sheahan and his wife Mairead, were welcomed by Jerry Leary, senior security supervisor at the Memorial, and given a guided tour of the 9/11 museum. The \$3 billion Memorial and Museum were built at Ground Zero by Navillus, the construction company headed up by Donal O'Sullivan from Ballinskelligs. The Mayor also met current members of the New York Fire Department of Kerry heritage. Queens Battalion

Chief Stephen Sullivan, whose family comes from Cromane and Beaufort, recalled how a delay in getting to The Bronx Fire House that morning probably saved his life. All his colleagues in the Brooklyn Unit perished when trying to evacuate people from the South Tower when it collapsed on them. On Monday (March 18th), the Mayor visited the Yonkers Fire House and the Kerry Hall, headquarters of the Kerry Association. He also had engagements with Tourism Ireland, IDA Ireland and the Consul General of Ireland, Mr Ciarán Madden, in Ireland House. The Mayor was accompanied by Kerry County Council Tourism Officer, Mr John Griffin.



MAYOR JOHN SHEAHAN LAYS WREATH AT SEPTEMBER 11 MEMORIAL



MAYOR JOHN SHEAHAN AND HIS WIFE MAIREAD PICTURED WITH NEW YORK MAYOR BILL DI BLASIO

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SPECIAL MERIT AWARD FOR ST PATRICKS DAY PARADE COMMITTEE REPRESENTED BY TOMMY GALVIN



Killarney Legion GAA Club held their annual awards night last Sunday in the Plaza Hotel. The club, founded in 1929, hosts the awards night as a chance for them to recognise those that have served above and beyond. This year, Legion honoured Seanie Culloty as club person of the year and indeed his contribution from his playing days to his leadership of their Saturday morning academy has been a vital part of the growth and development of their juvenile

section. The Senior Player of the Year award was presented to Shaun Keane, who has been without doubt one of their most consistent and dedicated performers. The Junior Player prize deservedly went to the tireless Aidan Slattery. Young player of the year went to Cian Gammell who had such a brilliant year and took winners medals with the Sem and a stellar showing with the All Ireland winning Kerry minors. While the ladies were represented on the night by Kiah Doona who has been

an outstanding player right from her early juvenile days. A special award went to their St. Patricks Day group who have been innovative and hard working for the past number of years. Winners medals were also presented to the senior Ladies and the senior men who went up to Div.1 as unbeaten champions. All well deserved for their efforts. Guest of honour on Sunday night was Joanne O' Riordan who is an honorary life member of the club.

Callan steals the show at Mayor's Charity Shindig



LINDA GORDON AND MAYOR NIAL KELLEHER WITH THE REPLICA MCCARTHY AND SAM MAGUIRE CUPS. PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE



JOAN WALSH, GNEEVEGUILLA, VAL MOYNIHAN, RATHMORE AND CAROL LUCISM RATHMORE. PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE



AMY HORGAN, TALBOT HOTELS AND SEAN CORCORAN. PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE

Comedian Oliver Callan left no stone unturned to entertain the guests at the Mayor's Charity Shindig which was held in the INEC on Sunday night. Michael D Higgins, Bill Clinton, Barack Obama, Donald Trump and a host of Irish politicians all made a fleeting appearance as the guest star had the audience in tears of laughter at the social event. Cathaoirleach of the Killarney Municipal Area, Cllr. Niall Kelleher decided to revive the tradition of holding a mayor's fundraising ball on March 18 given its immediate proximity to

the St Patrick's Day celebrations, it was named Mayor's Charity Shindig. All funds raised on the evening will be divided between the Kerry Parents and Friends Buy a Bus Campaign and the Social Action Group in Rathmore with Mayor Kelleher anxious to help both very worthy causes. "As Mayor of Killarney, I am delighted to be in a position to organise an event that will help good causes", Mayor Kelleher said. The gala event, was a key part of this year's St Patrick's Weekend Festival and included

a pre-dinner drinks reception, a sumptuous banquet, after-dinner entertainment and dancing until the early hours. There were a number of auctions on the night including a rugby ball signed by the Grand Slam winners which was bought by Diarmuid Cronin from the Killarney District and Motor Club for €1,050, a day at the Dail which went to Philip O'Connor and a new Gold signed Kerry Jersey which was bought by Johnny Maguire from Bricin Restaurant.



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with Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures/ Lucasfilm Ltd™ and Tourism Ireland and timed for the week that Star Wars actor Mark Hamill took part in the St Patrick's Festival as International Guest of Honour. The group of high profile media from the US, Canada, UK, Australia, France, Belgium and the Netherlands, have a combined reach of over 28 million. The TV and print journalists write for some of the world's

leading newspapers and included staff from the Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures, Entertainment Tonight online, Dish Nation/FOX affiliates. In addition, representatives from MTV.com and LadBible.com two of the UK's largest online entertainment companies with 12 million viewers got to explore our Galaxy and Skellig Michael, where Star Wars was filmed.



THE GROUP IS PICTURED ON COOMEENOLE BEACH, SLEA HEAD IN WEST KERRY OVERLOOKING THE BLASKET ISLANDS WHERE THEY RECORDED NEW MATERIAL FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE NEXT MOVIE.



New Garda initiative introduced in Killarney

A new initiative aimed at creating more awareness around crime and enhancing the personal safety of vulnerable people within the community is being delivered in Kerry for the first time. Killarney Gardaí Michael Milner and Diane Collins will deliver the Streetwise Programme over an eight week period. The Streetwise Programme was launched at the Kerry Parents and Friends Centre in Killarney last Friday and will provide vulnerable learners with greater

understanding about crime awareness which in turn enhances the personal safety of individuals involved. The training will be lead by these two Killarney based Gardaí and will help break down barriers between Gardaí and members of the community. A range of topics will be covered including the role of An Garda Síochána, increased vigilance in both the home and when out in the community and how to access emergency services. It would also teach the consequences of vandalism

and social media abuse.

"The programme will foster a greater awareness around responsibility of attitudes to alcohol and the legal consequence of substance abuse", Garda Michael Milner told the Killarney Outlook.

At the end of the eight week course Gardaí will detail the participants on the first hand happenings and runnings of a Garda Station. All participants will receive a certificate on completion of the course.



PHOTOGRAPHED AT THE KERRY PARENT'S & FRIENDS BUILDING WHERE LOCAL GARDAÍ WERE LAUNCHING 'STREETWISE'; ARE GARDA FLOR MURPHY, MICHAEL O'DONOGHUE, GARDA MICHAEL MILLNER, GERARD HORGAN, MAJELLA O'SULLIVAN, JAMES O'BRIEN, GARDA DERMOT O'CONNELL & BAN GARDA DIANE COLLINS. PHOTOGRAPH BY SALLY MACMONAGLE.



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Curtain closed on another amazing production



The final curtain has closed on the 33rd production for Killarney Musical Society. This year's production was Sweet Charity and took place last week in the INEC.

The show followed the romantic trials and tribulations of Charity Hope Valentine, played by Killarney local Lily MacMonagle.

"With so much hard work from our dedicated cast, who put in long rehearsals since last November, our back stage crew, front of house team and of course the committee who put in lots of work behind the scenes, costume, props & stage crew and all our volunteers that helped out the week of the show, all these members play a vital part in the success of the show, we

appreciate your input, help and dedication to Killarney Musical Society", Killarney Musical Society PRO Irene Hurley told the Killarney Outlook.

"We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our patrons and sponsors for their continued financial support, this support is vital to the success of the society and we are truly grateful, our main sponsor again this year was Independent Irish Health Foods Ltd, thank you for your support, it is very much appreciated.

"We look forward to another fantastic show for 2019, work will commence again in the Autumn", she added.

Support Local this Spring at the Manor West Food and Craft Fair



With Easter just around the corner, Manor West Shopping Centre and Retail Park is celebrating with some of Kerry's finest food producers and craftspeople at its Spring Food and Craft Fair, which is taking place on 31st March from 11am to 5pm.

The fair tells the story of Kerry's vibrant food and craft scene by showcasing the wealth of artisan producers whose thriving businesses celebrate all the county has to offer. The Manor West fairs have proven to be hugely popular and for the first fair in the New Year, Manor West welcomes families and friends to come along and enjoy the wonderful atmosphere as they support their local community.

A diverse mix of local entrepreneurs will be exhibiting their products

throughout the day, with delicious locally-made produce on offer, as well as beautiful handmade creations for those looking for unique gifts and treats.

Speaking about the Spring Fair, Melanie Harty from Harty's Foods said, "I've been involved in several of the Manor West Fairs and it has always been a fantastic event. We really appreciate the support that Derek and all the Manor West team give to small businesses like ourselves, who are looking to showcase their products and interact with customers in the locality. There is always such a great buzz on the day and it's something that I am very proud to be a part of."

The fair promises to be a fun day out for all the family with an Easter Egg hunt, balloon modellers, face

painters, fun Easter characters as well as Tony the Magician. Radio Kerry will be there throughout the day to chat with the producers and craftspeople, as well as playing great music and taking requests from visitors to the centre who will have an opportunity to win special spot prizes!

Looking forward to the fair, Derek Rusk, Centre Manager, said, "We are lucky in Kerry to have such fantastic food and crafts produced locally, and here at Manor West we are passionate about supporting these artisan producers in any way we can. We are thrilled with the response we have received to the fairs so far and we hope that everyone will come along to the Spring Fair to show their support as they enjoy a wonderful day out with their family this Easter."





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The exhibition was launched yesterday evening, 22nd March 2018 at 7pm by Keith Woodard a renowned local photographer based in High Street, Killarney.

Photography is an art form that requires a lot of mental thought to be put into every shot, but it's also about creativity and individual style. This Exhibition will show the diverse range of styles of our members, who are all fuelled by a common goal, a desire to take better photographs. Photographers see the world in ways that are unique, interesting and different and we want to share this view through our photography. This event titled 'The Story Behind The Photograph' also give a brief background about the image on exhibit which helps tell a more in-depth story about the photo.

The club meets every second Thursday at the Heights Hotel, Killarney at 7.30 pm. There is a very wide range of club activities, which include presentations, training and workshops, club competitions and outings. These outings are the life and soul of the club and are great fun, we travel far and wide in search of the perfect shot. New members are always welcome.

"We wish to thank Killarney Library for hosting this Exhibition and the staff of Killarney Library for their co-operation while planning, organising and setting up this event", a spokesperson for the club told the Killarney Outlook.

For further details contact Killarney Camera Club at:-

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Charlies takes the title in the Battle of the Greens



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Red Fox Inn Tractor run raises €13,000



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A tractor run at the Red Fox Inn has raised an amazing €13,000 and on Sunday 18th March last, cheques were presented to the Irish Cancer Society and St Mary Of The Angles Beaufort. The monies were collected during a charity Tractor Run from the Red Fox in February, where over 150

tractors turned out on the day in remembrance of John Teahan from Cromane, a true gentleman to all that knew him. John was sadly taken by cancer in 2017, leaving his wife Jenny and Daughter Cloe, brother Brendan and Sister Kay. The total collected was a massive €13,000 and was made up of monies collected

from the tractor run, and kind donations from local businesses and individuals. The money was divided equally between the two causes, receiving €6500 each.

The cheques were received by Johns wife Jenny on behalf of the Cancer Society and Jack Fitzpatrick for Mary Of The Angles.

Family fun day at Pony Tales



A family fun day is set to take place at Pony Tales Stables in Faha, Killarney on 25th March starting at 11am.

The day is being held in memory of Pam Horsley, a member of the family that own and run the stables.

Pam spent many years at Pony Tales Stables and was also an avid fundraiser for the RNLI.

There will be showjumping competitions going on for our riders that take lessons with us as well as lots and lots of other things going on for everyone else too, even if they have never ridden a horse. There will be an Easter-egg hunt at approx. 2pm, fun

and games for everyone throughout the day, a bouncy castle, a bake sale, pony rides for the little ones and lots more.

"There will be something for everyone on the day from prospective showjumpers to people who are thinking of taking up the sport or perhaps returning to it as well as people who just want a day out for all the family", a spokesperson for Pony Tales told the Killarney Outlook.

"Pam passed away recently and we want to honour her memory on this day by raising as much as we can for the Valentia branch of the RNLI", they added.

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As always, Kennedy's are all set to present their famous annual family day out "The Original Easter Egg Hunt" on Saturday, Sunday and Monday over the Easter Weekend. Bring your kids along to enjoy the All Weather Indoor Adventure Centre and maybe even see the Easter Bunny himself. But don't forget to bring your Picnic and Camera! For more information contact Kennedy's at 087-2310983, email kennedysfarm@eircom.net or visit their website at www.kennedyspetfarm.com.



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Kilcummin NS celebrate Seachtain Na Gaeilge



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FRONT, LEFT TO RIGHT: LUKE O'SULLIVAN, MICHAEL HEALY, JOE O'CONNOR. BACK, LEFT TO RIGHT: SEÁN COX, MICHAEL O'CONNOR, SÍOFRA RANGLES, RONAN O'CONNOR

The children of Kilcummin National School never need an excuse for a good Céilí and to end their great week celebrating Seachtain Na Gaeilge, they took to the Schoolyard to for one monster Céilí with everyone taking part. The school, which took an active part in Seachtain Na Gaeilge also, held their very popular Lá Glas in which pupils took clear advantage of their freedom to waer green for the day with Irish

rugby and soccer jerseys to the fore as well as some very funky green glasses and hats. While each student embraced, their Irish writing skills by taking part in a Scríobh Leabhar book writing initiative, which saw them, write and illustrate stories as Gaeilge. Principal Gillian Sheehan told the Killarney Outlook "the week proved very popular in the school and there was great excitement

with the Céilí with all the students taking an active part. Next month Kilcummin National School will host their designer fashion show as part of a fundraiser to complete the flooring on their new Hall. The event will take place at the Great Southern Hotel on April 19th sees a number of well known fashion designers showcase their new Spring offerings. Tickets are available from the school.

Dancer in Residence Catherine Young brings exciting new work to Kerry

Catherine Young's new dance piece State of Exception will be performed at Siamsa Tíre Tralee, this weekend, on Sunday March 25th at 8pm.

The piece received a standing ovation at its premiere performance recently at Backstage Theatre, Longford recently.

Catherine has been working in Kerry for many years with dance professionals, community groups, schools and most recently with refugees and asylum seekers. Her dance piece Welcoming the Stranger in 2016 was very successful at Féile Fáilte on Banna Strand and as part

of Culture Night at Siamsa Tíre. Welcoming the Stranger went on to open the Ramallah Contemporary Dance Festival in Palestine in 2017 with performances in both Ramallah and Jerusalem.

Inspired by these experiences of making work with refugees, asylum seekers and her journey to the Middle East, Catherine's new work State of Exception takes us right to the heart of the necessity to reach across, connect and to find a home in the common that binds us all. This powerful new dance features a cast of outstanding Irish and international performers, who delve into the world

of 'the other' to try to tear down the borders that divide.

Catherine's work is supported by the Arts Council, Siamsa Tíre - National Folk Theatre of Ireland, Project Arts Centre, Dublin City Council, Backstage Theatre, Shawbrook, Longford County Council, Kerry County Council, Dance Limerick, Dance Ireland, and Firkin Crane.

Catherine will be working in Kerry again from April as Dancer in Residence, funded by the Arts Council and Kerry County Council and now also supported by the Trustees of Muckross and Creative Ireland.



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Killarney receives €8,550 in Arts Awards from Kerry County Council



YOUTH CHORAL PERFORMANCE KILLARNEY 2017.

Awards to the value of €8,550 were awarded to recipients in the Killarney Municipal Area by Kerry County Council under the 2018 Arts Grants and Bursaries Scheme.

The application process was managed by the Arts Office at Kerry County Council and co-ordinated by Arts Officer, Kate Kennelly, adjudicated on by an expert panel. "Applications were of a very high calibre, across art forms and reflect a great level of artistic vibrancy across the county", Kate stated. "The grant is always heavily subscribed to with very strong applications from each

corner of the county'.

In Killarney Municipal District awards were made to the value of €8,550. Recipients include: Handed Down Series & World Fiddle day (€2,000), Spraoi Chiarraí Free Summer Concert Series 2018 (€500), Tureencahill Summerschool (€400), Classical Music Competition 2018 (€350), Kerry Drama Festival & Ivy Leaf Arts Centre (€1,000), Killarney Mountain Festival (€200), Mike Kenny Arts & Music Weekend (€300), Egle Saladziute & St. Patrick's Parade, Killarney (€300). The Eamon Kelly Bursary was awarded to two recipients Dennis Earlie (€1,000) and Fiona O'Connor (€500). An Artist

in Schools Bursary was awarded to Scoil Mhuire agus Naomh Treasa in Currow (€1,000).

In recommending the arts funding awards, the Mayor of Kerry Councillor John Sheahan stated "These awards support good practice and standards in the arts and help to communicate the very real appreciation of the hard work and dedication of practitioners all over the County. The Elected Members of Kerry County Council know that the arts help keep areas vibrant and are delighted to be able to reward artistic endeavour and the very vital role that it plays in the county's cultural development".

Victoria wins "Recycle Right" initiative



EDEL LYNCH, KWD, SEAN MURPHY, KWD DIRECTOR, TEACHERS OLWYN TRANT, BREDA COURTNEY-MURPHY, IVANA KARAIANOVA, (VICTORIA'S MUM), FRANCES ARTHUR, TEACHER, MARIE WEST-LAKE, TEACHER, ANDY O'SULLIVAN, TEACHER. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

Victoria Karaivanova, a pupil at Holy Cross Primary School, Killarney is the winner of the KWD Recycling "Recycle Right" initiative, winning an Apple iPad and a field trip for her class to view the new state of the art recycling facility at their Head Quarters. Pupils in Kerry were tasked with building their own 'Kenny' the KWD truck. The goal of this initiative is to further educate young people on the importance of recycling. This new drive is for 3rd and 4th class primary school students in particular as it is in line

with the school's current curriculum strand, A Sense of Place – Strand Environmental Awareness. Their aim is to enable students and teachers to understand the role of recycling and how to dispose of their waste and recycling correctly and responsibly. The overall objective is to enable students to champion best practice when it comes to recycling so they can transfer this knowledge to home and also influence greater recycling within their schools.

Kilcummin Hospice Walk

The annual Good Friday Hospice walk will leave the Recreation Hall Kilcummin at 10.30am on Friday 30th. There will be a choice of two walks, 8km or 4km. The route is child/buggy friendly. All participants

will be entered for a free draw and spot prizes. Refreshments will be provided in the hall after the walk. The proceeds of the walk will be donated to the recently opened Palliative Care 15 bed unit in Kerry

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Budding Killarney artists bring colour to art competition

Two young artists from Killarney are among 490 students from across Ireland who entered this year's Texaco Children's Art Competition.

Adjudicator Seán Kissane is pictured during judging of entries in this year's competition, the results of which will be announced mid-April and in his hand is an entry by 8-year old Amélie Counihan, from Lissivigeen National School, Killarney, entitled 'These Are A Few Of My Favourite Cups' and another by 12-year old Molly Jenkinson, from Holy Cross Mercy, Killarney, entitled 'Part Of The Twelve Pins In Connemara'.

Some 490 students from the county are amongst those from all parts of Ireland who are taking part in the Competition – the 64th year of the event.

Prizes will be presented at a ceremony that takes place in Dublin in May.

ADJUDICATOR SEÁN KISSANE PICTURED DURING JUDGING OF ENTRIES IN THIS YEAR'S COMPETITION, THE RESULTS OF WHICH WILL BE ANNOUNCED MID-APRIL.



CEIST Leadership Conference 2018

On the 13th of March 2018, 3 Senior Student Council members, Aileen Healy, Rebecca Walsh & Áine O'Connor were chosen to represent the school at the annual CEIST Leadership conference accompanied by Ms. Brosnan in St. Patrick's College in DCU Dublin.

We departed from Killarney at 06:30am and arrived in Dublin at 09:30. From the station we got a taxi to the college. We were welcomed by members of CEIST and were given a light breakfast before we proceeded into the conference hall where we were given a very warm welcome by the Archbishop of Dublin Mr Diarmuid Martin. He opened the conference with a beautiful prayer. The Chairperson of the WMOF (World Meeting of Families) then gave a very interesting speech about the work of the WMOF. He encouraged students to volunteer at this particular event which takes place in Dublin in August, which we are considering doing as it would be a great opportunity.

We were divided into 5 different groups/rooms, each group being assigned a different coloured wristband. All the students introduced themselves. Various schools made presentations about the work they do in their schools.

This gave us an insight into the different clubs and groups they have in their schools.

After lunch we headed to the Chaplin where we were privileged to listen to Philip Mulryne tell his story about how he was a very successful soccer player playing for Manchester United and had everything he could ever dream of having things such as lots of money, a fancy car, nice clothes etc. but it just did not make him happy so he decided to give it up and start a new career, he then decided to give up his Ferrari along with all his nice things and become a priest. He was ordained 6 months ago and he now loves his career and what he does. Hearing his story was one of the highlights of our day as it was a truly moving and inspiring story which thought us to always do what makes us happy and anything is possible once you work hard enough.

The conference finished at roughly 3pm so we then got a taxi to the station and awaited our train home, we arrived in Killarney at 20:20.

Overall we thoroughly enjoyed the day and learnt lots of new lessons and are very grateful that we got such a wonderful opportunity.

By Áine O'Connor
LCA1



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CAOIMHE SPILLANE

Spring is officially here despite the weather, March is coming to a close and we are looking at an early Easter this year, Easter Sunday takes place on April 1st! If you are out and about or looking for something to do, look no further than the Town Talk page, where you can find

out about lots of events happening in the town, something for everyone! 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

GOOD FRIDAY HOSPICE WALK

The annual Good Friday Hospice walk will leave the recreation Hall Kilcummin at 10:30am on Friday 30th March. There will be a choice of two walks 4km or 8km, the route is child/buggy friendly. All participants will be entered into a free draw and spot prizes will and refreshments will be provided in the recreation hall after the walk. The proceeds of the walk will be donated to the recently opened palliative care, 15 bed unit, in Kerry General Hospital. Last years walk raised €2197, donations accepted on the day. All welcome, please support.

NIGHT AT THE OSKARS

The Night at the Oskars will be staged in the INEC on Thursday, March 29th with proceeds going to Kilcummin and Glenflesk GAA Clubs. The audience will get to enjoy the premieres of seven short films, starring over 80 local actors from the two parishes. The three judges tasked with deciding the stand-out films and performances on the night are actor Barry Keoghan who starred in the blockbuster Dunkirk, Kerry Film Festival's Artist Director, Maeve McGrath, and local actor and director, Donal Courtney. Tickets are €25 and are on sale at several venues, including the INEC Box Office.

Tickets can also be purchased at Kilcummin Post Office, O'Brien's, Glenflesk, Who's for Shoes, High Street and Variety Sounds, College Street, Killarney.

EASTER CAMP

There will be an Easter Camp at Killarney National Park Education Centre from Tuesday 3rd April - 6th April from 9.30am- 3pm. Suitable for 7-12 year olds. Fun filled days in Killarney National Park this Easter. Activities are educational, active, child-centred and have an environmental theme. Learn about the mammals of the park, minibeast hunting, nature arts and crafts, exploring and shelter building. There will be lots of games. All their staff are Garda vetted and have outdoor first aid. To book please email knpeducationcentre@eircom.net. The cost is €105 for the week and sibling discounts apply.

RECYCLING WORKSHOP

The Killarney Looking Good Committee have organised the attached workshop on Recycling which will take place in the Killarney Library on Tuesday, 27th March 2018 at 6.30pm. This workshop is open to the public and is free of charge.

MUSIC AWARDS IN KILLARNEY

The inaugural Irish Post Music Awards will be launched this summer with top music acts from Ireland coming to the INEC on June 7th. The event is supported by IMRO, and 10 of the country's top acts will perform on the INEC stage for a night of music with awards in nine categories, including best country, best folk and best pop/rock while a lifetime achievement award will also be revealed on the evening. There will also be awards for best singer-songwriter, best album and best single a best Indy award and an award for outstanding contribution to TV and radio. The live 90-minute show will also be broadcast on TG4.

LADIES NIGHT

A Ladies Night will be held in Faha Court Bar and Restaurant on Friday 13th April at 8pm, in Aid of Kerry Cancer Support Services. Save the date, more details to follow.

DIABETES COURSE

Living With Type 2 Diabetes? 6 week course, 2 ½ hours run by HSE Dietitians. Call 087 673 4035, next course begins early April.



DAVID JONES, KILLARNEY AND LILIAN COSTA, BRAZIL WHO WERE MARRIED RECENTLY. PHOTOGRAPH BY SALLY MACMONAGLE.

GLENEAGLE CONCERT BAND ANNUAL CHARITY CONCERT

Gleneagle Concert Band Annual Charity Concert will take place in the The Gleneagle Hotel on Sunday March 25 at 7.30pm. The Cobh Confraternity band will be guest artists this year. Each band will perform a selection of pieces individually before coming together at the end of the concert for an amazing massed band performance featuring over 100 musicians on stage. All proceeds from this concert will be allocated to South Kerry MS Association, Kerry Cancer Support Group, Enable Ireland Kerry Children Services and the Band Music Education Youth Programme. Tickets are priced at €12 for adults and €9 for children/OAPs and are available from the INEC ticket office, band members, the South Kerry MS Association, Kerry Cancer Support Group, Enable Ireland Kerry Children Services and on the door of the night of the concert. The concert will cater for all musical tastes and will include military marches, classical music, jazz numbers, film music, and vocal hits. Anyone wishing to join the Gleneagle Concert Band (including past members and adults with previous musical experience) or enrolling in music lessons in the Gleneagle School of Music should contact the band at 087 2229513.

STRICKEEN CHARITY EVENT

The annual Strickeen Mountain Charity Climb, will take place on Saturday 24th March. Registration at Kate Kearney's at 10.30am, contact Mary on 087-2227188. The walk, which will see climbers heading to the Gap of Dunloe, will be in aid of the Kerry Hospice Foundation and more specifically, the Tralee, Killarney and Killorglin St Josephs Home Palliative Care Units. The charity event was cancelled earlier this month due to the weather.

SUGAR BOMBING FOR EASTER? – LISTEN TO CIARA FIRST!

Ciara McGowan Dietician with the HSE will be talking to HeartBeat about the dangers of too much sugar intake. She will talk about healthy diets for your Heart and also for Diabetics. Avoiding an Easter Sugar Spree does not have to be all doom and gloom with lots of healthy and tasteful alternative options now available on the



STACEY BARTLETT CELEBRATED HER 30TH BIRTHDAY LAST WEEKEND IN THE KILLARNEY AVENUE HOTEL WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. PHOTOGRAPH BY SALLY MACMONAGLE.

market. Ciara will be at the Serenity Centre, St. Anne's Road, Killarney on Monday March 26th. at 8pm. All are welcome to this free event.

LEAD AND SUCCEED ROADSHOW

Anationwide roadshow for female entrepreneurs will be coming to the Great Southern Hotel on Thursday April 26th. Enterprise Ireland and Network Ireland's Lead and Succeed Fuelling Ambition Roadshow aims to encourage, support and drive the ambition of female entrepreneurs nationally by showcasing thriving Irish business women and entrepreneurs. There will be a leadership masterclass and pitch competition at the event.

FIANNA FAIL MEETING

The Fianna Fail Killarney Central Cumann annual general meeting will take place on Monday 26th March in Scotts Hotel at 9pm sharp.

John Brassil TD will be in attendance along with other elected representatives. New members always welcome.

Current officers:

Honorary Patron: Betty Crosbie

Honorary President: Kathleen Mc Carthy.

Chairperson: Moss Harmon

Secretary: Sheila Dickson Treasurer: Tony Kenny

THE BUMP ROOM

The Bump Room will be running a pregnancy class led by chartered physiotherapist Ailish Mangan. This pregnancy class is a mix of Pilates, yoga, aerobics, strength and conditioning and is tailored to the specific exercise needs of pregnant women, to challenge and support the client as their bodies change. The Bump Room

already run classes in Cork, Limerick, Galway, Clare, Dublin and Tipperary, and have proven to be extremely popular. Ailish will give practical information and tips, and will be available for questions at the end of the session. Classes start on Tuesday, April 10 in Killarney Sports and Leisure Centre, with limited spaces available. For further information see thebumproom.ie and The Bump Room on Facebook.

ALL TVVINS CONCERT

All Tvvins are playing in the INEC on Saturday 31st March at 9pm. When Conor Adams and Lar Kaye formed All Tvvins, their shared goal was to headline Dublin's 1600-capacity Olympia Theatre – and that was achieved when they sold-out the venue last autumn, just weeks after their debut album 'IIVV' crashed into the Irish album charts at #2. They were shortlisted for Album of the Year at the Choice Music Prize earlier this year symbolically closed the 'IIVV' chapter of their career. They have toured Europe, played SXSW, shared stages with Arcade Fire, Foals and Pixies; performed at the 2FM Xmas Ball in front of 15,000 people; amassed over 10 million spotify streams. Their first new track to be introduced to the world was "Alone Together" featuring James Vincent McMorrow was released last year. Tickets: €25.00. Strictly over 18's

THE LEGEND OF LUKE KELLY

The Legend of Luke Kelly show is coming to the INEC Acoustic Club on Friday, March 23rd. Celebrating the memory and music of a true Irish musical legend, his music is widely regarded as one of Ireland's cultural treasures. . Show starts at 9pm and tickets cost €20

Liebherr announces details of Engineering Scholarships

Liebherr Container Cranes in Killarney are inviting applications for the 2018 Engineering Scholarship Programme.

The Liebherr Engineering Scholarship Programme will provide a unique opportunity for Leaving Certificate and 1st year college students to gain a 3rd level qualification, in an engineering course of their choice, from the following engineering disciplines: electrical, mechanical, structural, automation or mechatronics. Interested candidates should apply by email to gradrecruit.lcc@liebherr.com before 1st June 2018. Applicants should include a CV detailing Leaving Certificate/Junior Certificate/college projects and/or results and a cover letter explaining why they have chosen engineering as a career path. In the case of leaving certificate applicants, a copy of their completed CAO form showing their choice of engineering course should be included. Successful applicants will

benefit from an all course fees paid programme for their selected college. The additional benefit of being able to complete work experience during summer vacation and college placements throughout the course terms, will also be part of the learning experience. Upon completion, a graduate role in the company is assured.

Liebherr will hold an Engineering Scholarship open evening on Thursday March 22nd from 5:30 pm to provide information to interested students, parents and teachers. Liebherr engineers from a variety of disciplines will be available on the evening to provide practical advice to students regarding engineering as a career choice, and to show examples of their daily work. Those who wish to attend the open evening should register before 11 am on Tuesday 20th March by sending an email to gradrecruit.lcc@liebherr.com.



Above: Charlie McCarthy, Technical Director at Liebherr Container Cranes with the 2017 winners of Liebherr Engineering Scholarships Simon Renardson, Darragh O'Connell and Brian Friel.



Pinergy appoints Brian Mangan

Pinergy, the award winning smart energy supplier, has announced the appointment of Brian Mangan as Corporate Sales Manager for Kerry and the Mid-West region.

Pinergy provides smart energy solutions that are ideally suited to businesses, landlords, property managers and the agricultural sector.

Brian's role in the region will also build on the strategic partnership that Pinergy has built with Munster Rugby, a relationship that goes back to 2014 and today sees Pinergy as the official energy partner to Munster Rugby, powering both Thomond Park in Limerick and Irish Independent Park in Cork.

Speaking about his appointment, Tipperary native, Enda Gunnell, CEO of Pinergy said, "One of Brian's key responsibilities within this new role will be to further develop the Pinergy brand in the Mid-West region, building its reputation as an energy provider of choice among businesses and households that want to manage, monitor and take control of their energy requirements and costs."



IFAC appoint Head of Food & AgriBusiness

IFAC, a top 10 professional services provider with 30 offices nationwide, are delighted to announce the appointment of David Leydon as Head of Food & AgriBusiness. David will lead the Food & AgriBusiness team and provide a range of professional services to the sector. The Tralee branch of IFAC has served farmers and SME's in the Tralee area since 1980. Partner in the Tralee branch, Michael

Brosnan, said, "David comes with a wealth of experience having spent the last 11 years in the Irish Farmers Journal, most recently in the role of Commercial Director. As the largest supplier of professional services to farmers in the Tralee area we are now very ambitious to build on our existing footprint in the food and agribusiness sector. We believe there is a great opportunity to provide critical services to this sector in key areas of tax, financial accounting and auditing".

David Leydon, commented, "IFAC are a very progressive professional services firm and I'm delighted to be joining to help grow their food and agribusiness portfolio. With deep roots in the sector and significant expertise in professional services ifac are in an ideal position to add real value to progressive food and agribusiness companies".



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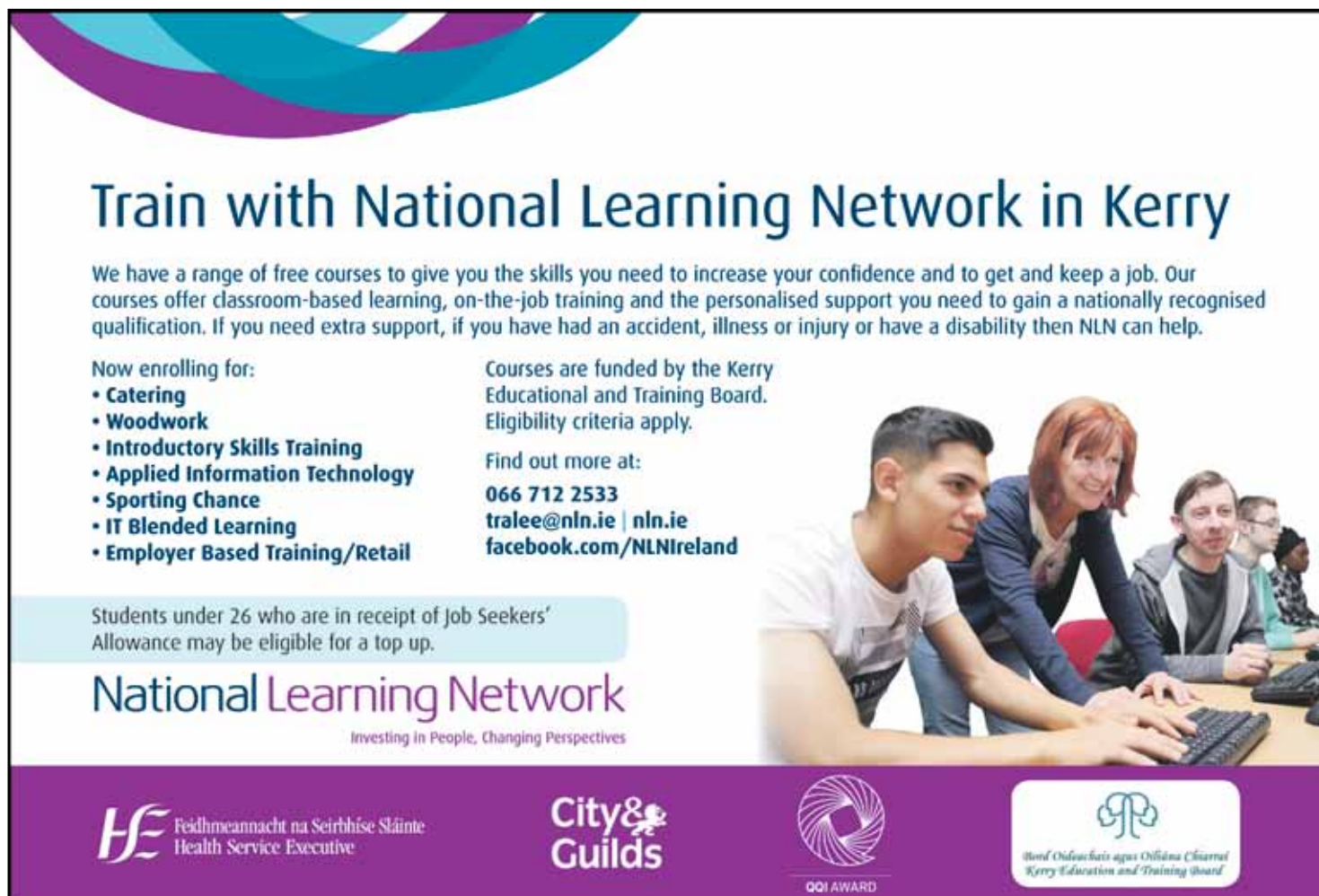
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WHEN IRISH EYES ARE SMILING....ORAN BARRETT PICTURED ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY



SISTER ACT - ONE OF THE GROUPS TAKING PART IN THE OSKARS AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



PAUL O'NEILL, NIAL KELLEHER & YVONNE QUILL PICTURED AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



IN GOOD SPIRITS...GARDA STEPHANIE TREYVAUD, ENCOUNTERS ZOMBIE MAN AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON...PHOTO:VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



FLOWER POWER...RAHEEN NATIONAL SCHOOL, AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON...PHOTO:VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



ALL SMILES AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE...MINION & FR TED & FR JACK. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



SARAH O'SHEA, BELLVIEW WOODS CRECHE, IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON...PHOTO:VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

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ROSIE HEALY, GLENFLESK GAA CLUB, AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON...PHOTO:VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



OSCAR JUMPING OUT OF HIS BIN AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON .PHOTO:VALERIE O'SULLIVAN.



RAHEEN COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP RABBIT WAVING AT THE CROWD AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY. BY SEAN CRONIN



MAYOR JOHN SHEAHAN AND HIS WIFE MAIREAD PICTURED WITH HIS COUSIN AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE



BRAVEHEART... IAN O'CONNELL, WITH SPA GAA CLUB, IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. .PHOTO:VALERIE O'SULLIVAN.



SOUTH KERRY PLOUGHING TRACTOR - ONE OF THE MANY FLOATS IN THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN

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LEWIS O'CONNOR, ENJOYING THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. THE THEME OF THIS YEARS PARADE WAS 'KILLARNEY YOU'RE LOOKING GOOD' CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF NATIONAL TIDY TOWNS AWARDS. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



JOANNE LILLY & DARAGH O'DONOGHUE GLENFLESK ENJOYING THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



MIRIAM & MIA RYAN FRIES ENJOYING THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



ST PATRICK SUCKING A LOLLIPOP... BARRADUFF NATIONAL SCHOOL, AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



'PAUL GALVIN' LOOKALIKE WITH HIS FASHION MODELS FROM LEGION GAA CLUB AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON... PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



KILCUMMIN FLOAT AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



GREEN AND GOLD FOR FIONA CROWLEY STAGE SCHOOL, IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON... PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

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ROYAL SALUTE.....SOLDIERS & DEV AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN KILLARNEY. PHOTO BY SEAN CRONIN



ABBIE O'LEARY AND ROBBIE FENNESSY, BELLVIEW WOODS CRECHE, IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



WILLIAM WHARTON, IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON... PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



DUTY CALLS... SARGEANT DERMOT O'CONNELL, WITH HIS WIFE MARIA NÍ CHEALLAIGH AND CHILDREN, ANNIE AND HANNAH O'CONNELL AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON.



FAMILY PHOTO... HEIDI, ROBYN, DENIS PIO AND AILISH MORIARTY, MARK DOONAN, DOONAN, OONAGH MCCARTHY, DAN DOONAN, AMY O'CONNOR, GRACE O'CONNOR, DONNACHA O'CONNOR, NIAMH O'CONNOR, LILIAN AND ANDREW MCCARTHY, ENJOYING THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON.



YOUR BEST SMILES... MEMBERS OF LEGION GAA CLUB, AT THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON.



DRIVING MS QUILL... DERMOT HEALY, DRIVING GRAND MARSHAL YVONNE QUILL IN STYLE, IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

RATHMORE /GNEEVEGUILLA

NEWS by Michael O'Mahony

30 YEAR SCHOOL REUNION IN RATHMORE

The class of 1987- come celebrate 30 years since leaving school! On Saturday April 14th, 7pm At: The International Hotel Killarney! Please RSVP to ruthnboys@gmail.com Phone-0061 409580013.

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Weekly winners Bridget Buckley and Mary Moynihan. New members welcome Mondays @ 7.30pm or Wednesday @ 11.30 am. For further information 085-1741551.

SYMPATHY

To the families of Hanna Mary Lucey (nee O'Connor) Bounard Gneeveguilla Bridie O'Donoghue (nee O'Donoghue) Kiquane Headford

May they both rest in place

WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to Shane Dillane, Quarry cross Gneeveguilla and Catherine Morris, Knockragh Killarney who were married recently. We wish them both a happy long life together.

RATHMORE SOCIAL ACTION GROUP

A packed Evening of Music & Song in Teach losagain Sunday 8th April. Time: 8pm Sharp

SCHEME VACANCIES

Rathmore Community Council is recruiting new participants for Rural Social Scheme 19.5 hours per week. Applicants must be in receipt of a relevant Social Welfare Payment for 12 months or more. You must be 21 years or older to apply. For further information on these positions please contact Brian Kelly 087 2536808, or any member of Rathmore Community Council Clean Up of Months Bags will be available from Nora at The Washbasket.

TRACTOR RUN Sunday 25th March in aid of children with Autism attending St. Francis Special School. Registration at Tureencahill Community Centre. Registration at 12 noon. Commencing at 1pm. For details phone Siobhan Daly 0879249918. Madeleine Murphy 0879817310.

PARISH CAMINO PILGRIMAGE 2018

For those who have already booked and those who still wish to join, there will be a short meeting in Rathmore Presbytery on this Friday March 23rd at 8pm. A deposit of €200 will be payable before March 30th we will be walking the final part of the Portuguese route from Tui to Santiago. Outbound flight: Monday May 28th Dublin to Santiago, leaving Dublin at 17.45pm Return flight June arriving Dublin 22.55pm

SCOIL POBAIL SLAIBH LUACHRA BASKETBALL 3 IN ROW

The boys put on a top class display of their basketball skills in a thrilling final V SMGS Blarney in the National Basketball Arena on Monday winning 61-55. Well done to Ronan Collins who was awarded the Golden Ball for his MVP performance in the final.

The boys came home to a hero's welcome with bonfires blazing their route home.

Welcome home speeches were in the school



PIC 6 SECRETARY OF KERRY ASSOCIATION MARY DALY FROM RATHMORE AND HER HUSBAND JOHN FROM KILLARNEY WITH THE MAYOR AND MAIREAD SHEAHAN AT THE NYC PARADE.

gym given by Jim Hughes of Rathmore Ravens Basketball Club, followed by Mr Kerins, School Principal and then team Captain James Darmody. Coach Cormac Collins of Gneeveguilla Basketball Club brought proceedings in the hall to a conclusion, ending his speech by thanking the superb supporters who's voices rang loud and clear in Tallaght earlier in the day.

The team and their supporters did a lap of honour up to Gneeveguilla where another bonfire blazed for the boys. congratulations on there in row.

KNOCKNAGREE ALL-IRELAND VICTORY SOCIAL

in the Gleneagle on Saturday March 24th. Tickets on sale .

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GAA BITES

Fixtures county League Div1Rd 2. this sunday in Rathbeg Rathmore play Glenbeigh/Glencar, at 3pm. Sunday County League Div 4 Rd 2.*Gneeveguilla play Cromane in cromane, 3pm.

Div5.Rd2

Rathmore vs Moyvane in Rathbeg at 1-30pm Sunday

*Result

East Kerry super League sponsored by FrankDorgan safeguard security

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APPLICATIONS INVITED STEWARDS IN FITZGERALD STADIUM

Applications are invited for voluntary stewards in Fitzgerald Stadium.

Applicants should be over 18 years of age. Full training will be provided. Contact John Lenihan at 087- 776 3500 or Dermot O Connor Runai of East Kerry GAA 087-6958610.

NOTES

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

LISTRY NOTES

LISTRY SOCIAL COMMITTEE

We wish to remind Seniors in the Listry / Milltown and surrounding areas that the next Social day will be held on Tuesday 27th March 2018 in Dromhall.. The usual Bus service will operate on the day and will start collecting passengers at approx 10.45am and the other bus leave Community Centre at 12noon. We look forward to meeting you all again

VOTES OF SYMPATHY

At recent meeting of Listry Community Council a vote of sympathy was passed to the bereaved family relatives and friends of JOHN JOE (SEAN) GRIFFIN

Rosnacartan More, Faha, Killarney, Kerry

DENIS COURTNEY

Rockfield, Faha, Killarney, Kerry

JOHNNY SUGRUE

LISSIVANE WEST, Milltown, Kerry

MARY KELLY (née LENIHAN)

BALLYVIRANE, Milltown, Kerry

DANIEL (DANNY) O'SULLIVAN

Dromin, Milltown, Kerry

Gabriel MURPHY

Riverside and Assumpta Place, Foxford, Mayo.

GEORGETTE PAULUS

Listry Cross, Listry, Kerry / Dingle, Kerry

May their souls rest in peace.

LISTRY COMMUNITY COUNCIL;

In response to recent suggestions Listry Community Council CLG is hosting a public meeting in the Community Centre on Tuesday 10th April at 8pm to discuss a Children's Playground in Faha and the setting up of a Tidy Towns Committee for Faha, Listry and

surrounding areas. Everyone welcome. Please come along and have your say.

MILLTOWN COMHALTAS RAMBLING HOUSE

Milltown Listry Comhaltas are hosting a Rambling House in Faha Court at 8pm on Friday, March 30th. All singers, dancers, musicians and story tellers welcome for an excellent night of trad. See you all there!

BEAUFORT NOTES

LOTTO

Lotto results of Sunday, 18th March for jackpot of €2,800.

Numbers drawn: 6,13,18,21. No jackpot winner. Consolation Prizes €80 Eileen O'Hagan, Shanaclon €50 Prionsias McCurtáin, Coolmagort, Amy Foley, Kilgobnet, Jamie Johnson, Gap of Dunloe. Next draw for a jackpot of €3,000 will be in Beaufort Bar on Sunday, 1st April.

FIXTURES

Beaufort senior men away to Cromane, Wednesday, 21st in John Mitchels pitch at 8.15pm, round 3 of the Mid Kerry League. Senior men away to Dr Crokes, Sunday, 25th at 2pm in round 2 of the County League.

CHILD WELFARE

Child Welfare Course will be held in Beaufort GAA Clubrooms on Thursday, 19th April starting at 7pm. It is mandatory for all coaches, referees and anybody working with children to do this course. It is open to everybody and is free. For booking, please contact Mary 086 0640065 or Jackie 087 2363054

RESULTS

Beaufort Senior Ladies were narrowly defeated by Rathmore in Rd 2 of the County League last Sunday. A great performance in blizzard like conditions. Beaufort 2-07 Rathmore 2-08.

FOSSA NOTES

'Come along to a music and singing session for young musicians and singers in Fossa GAA Clubhouse, Fossa on Saturday 24th March 5 - 6pm. This is very much a fun session where the emphasis is on playing music and singing for enjoyment. All ages and abilities. Adult musicians wishing to help are welcome. Further details Tim 087 2413116 or Eileen 087 6284053. We would also like to thank all those who took part in and those who came along to our annual Fossa Rambling House on Saturday 10th March 2018. It was a great success and this night of music, song, dance and storytelling was very much enjoyed by all. A special thanks also to the management and George and staff of the Innisfallen Hotel for their hospitality.

SPA NOTES

COISTE NA NÓG

ABC/U6 Boys & Girls Saturday 10:00-11:00
U8 Boys Saturday 11:00-12:00
U10 Boys & U12 Girls Wednesday 18:00-19:00
U12 Boys Fridays 18:30-20:00
U14 Boys Tuesdays 18:00-19:00
U16 Boys Wednesday 18:20-19:30
U16 Girls Wednesday 6-7 and Friday 6-7



SOME OF OUR KILCUMMIN COMHALTAS MEMBERS ADDED GREATLY TO THE ST. PATRICKS DAY MASS IN KILCUMMIN THIS MORNING. MANY THANKS TO ALL OUR DANCERS AND ALSO TO OUR MUSICIANS WHO PARTICIPATED.

EAST KERRY SENIOR LEAGUE

Spa 1-14 Cordal 0-7

Spa had a comfortable win over a young Cordal team.

Team and scorers. James Devane, Eoghan Cronin, Hugh O'Donoghue, Brian Devane, Shane Lynch, Eoin Fitzgerald, David Spillane 0-3, Shane Cronin, Corey Doyle, Shane Fenton, 0-1, Ryan O'Carroll 1-1, Mike McCarthy 0-2, Conor Stack, Niall McCarthy 0-7, Paul Cahill. Subs: John Falvey, Mikey Moynihan, Darren O'Connor, Brendan Lynch

UPCOMING FIXTURES

Senior Co League: Spa v An Ghaeltacht (in Gallarus) on Sunday March 25th @ 2pm

Minor Co League back games: Spa v Beale (in Spa) on Saturday March 24th @ 4pm and Spa v Annascaul/Lispole (away) on Friday April 20th

Intermediate Championship Group 4 Rd1:

Spa v Gneeveguilla (in Kilcummin) on Sunday April 1st at 2.30pm

U12 Girls 27th March @6pm Spa v Rathmore away

U14 Girls 25th March Cromane/Spa v Abbeydorney in Spa @5pm

U14 Boys 28th March Spa v John Mitchells Away @6.30pm

U16 Girls 29th March Spa/Cromane v Abbeydorney away

ST PATRICK'S PARADE

Our local hero and very brave Ian O'Connell returned home for the first time to Killarney on 15th March after his accident last August. There was a welcome home ceremony for Ian in Spa on Friday 16th March with family and friends. Ian goes back to the National Rehabilitation Centre in Drogheda on Monday and hopes to be back home in April. Ian was our grand marshall for Spa this St Patrick's in Killarney. Many thanks to the organising committee of the parade. Lily of Killarney, Mary T Moynihan,



PICTURED AT THE NIALL KELLEHER'S MAYOR'S SHINDIG' IN THE INEC, KILLARNEY AT THE WEEKEND WERE, ITA KERINS, SCARTAGLIN AND CATHERINE HALLORAN. PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE

Tiernaboul National School students, John Joe Culloty and everyone who marched under the Spa Banner.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn in the Killarney Heights were 1,4,5,9. There was one jackpot winner. Congratulations to Marian Cussen, Tiernaboul. Well done to ticket seller Johnny Cronin. Next week's jackpot in the Oaks will be €3,000.

REGISTRATION

The deadline for club registration is March 31st - membership will NOT be accepted after this date. Registration is available online via www.spagaa.com or the registrars are at the clubhouse every Friday night from 7.30-8.30pm. Any queries please contact Secretary on 0876332773.

GAELTACHT SCHOLARSHIPS

Final call for applications for the Gaeltacht Scholarships - please contact the Club Secretary on 087632773 if you wish to apply. (Limited places and only available to registered members)

SPA KILLARNEY HANDBALL

Spa Killarney Handball club meet every Friday night at the Spa Sports Hall from 7-9pm. The club is open to new members of all levels, male and female, over 18 and living in and near Kerry. Contact spakillarneyhandball@gmail.com or 0876332773 for information.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Tim Moriarty & Tom Moriarty who were the winners of the 31 Card Drive Championship of Kerry!

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Dr Crokes Health & Wellbeing Committee are inviting everyone to a talk with former Offaly footballer Niall McNamee on addiction "Looking at Addictions from a place of Understanding rather than Judgment – the pathway to recovery" on Wednesday March 21st at 8pm at the Dromhall Hotel.

KILCUMMIN NEWS

KILCUMMIN COMHALTAS NOTES

Fundraising

- County Fleadh Church gate collection on March 31st and April 1st
- April 7th
- Kilcummin Comhaltas are holding flag day on April 7th
- We will have Street Entertainment time for this to be confirmed
- April 15th

· Easter egg hunt in Paric an Phobail from 3.30pm to 4.00pm, with an Afternoon of Entertainment by Comhaltas in the Village Inn.

· Scoil Fonn 2018 will be held on Saturday 14th April 2018 in IT Tralee NORTH Campus.

· Scoil Fonn comprises of tutor led workshops on slow air playing on fiddle, flute/ whistle and Traditional singing, both English & Irish.

· Also on again this year, by popular demand, is the Slide and Polka workshop.

CCÉ County Board Meeting, The Meadowlands Hotel, Tralee

Monday 26th March 2018 at 8.00 p.m

UP COMING COMPETITIONS

· Spraoí Na nÓg 2018 Gleneagle Hotel, Killarney, On Sunday May 6th 2018

KILCUMMIN HOSPICE WALK

The annual Good Friday hospice walk will leave the Recreation Hall, Kilcummin at 10.30am on Friday 30th March. There will be a choice of two walks, 4km or 8km. The route is child/buggy friendly. All participants will be entered for a free draw & spot prizes. Refreshments will be provided in the Recreation Hall after the walk. The proceeds of the walk will be donated to the recently opened palliative care 15 bed unit in Kerry General Hospital. Last year's walk raised €2,197.00. Donations will be accepted on the day. Please support all welcome.

FASHION SHOW LAUNCH

A Designer Showcase will be held at the Great Southern Hotel, Killarney, hosted by the Norma O' Donoghue Model Agency, in association with Kilcummin NS/ Community Hall. This spectacular fashion show will be held on Thursday, 19th April. There will be a drinks reception at 7pm, followed by the Designer Fashion Show at 7.30pm. There will be a fabulous door prize, spot prizes and a prize for the Best Dressed Lady on the night. Tickets cost €25 and are available at Kilcummin NS (064 6643163), Scarlet, Royal Hotel, Currow Post Office, Kilcummin Post Office, Quill's Killarney and Kenmare Bay Hotel. Please refer to the Kilcummin NS Fundraiser page on facebook



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for further details. Funds raised will go towards the completion of the magnificent hall in Kilcummin.

KILLARNEY CAMERA CLUB

Killarney Camera Club members are holding an exhibition of their works at Killarney Library from Thursday 22nd March to Saturday 7th April during library opening hours. The exhibition will be officially launched by Keith Woodard on Thursday 22nd March at 7pm. Also, a free recycling workshop will take place at Killarney Library on Tuesday 27th March at 6.30pm. Free admission to both events.

GLENFLESK NOTES

GLENFLESK SENIORS

(SPONSERED BY O BRIENS TOPOIL AND THE KERRYWAY)

Our Senior team suffered their second loss of the season on Sunday last to Fossa in the East Kerry League and now look likely to miss out on a League final appearance. In a close fought encounter a late goal from Fossa tipped the tie in their favour. FT Glenflesk 0-14 Fossa 2-10.

We switch our attentions back to the Co. League next Sunday March 25th at 5pm in Barraduff Community field. After an opening round loss and a run of tough games coming up this game is of vital importance. All support welcomed.

GLENFLESK MINORS (SPONSERED BY O BRIENS TOPOIL AND THE KERRYWAY)

Our Minors earned a hard fought point in Cromane on the Bank holiday Monday.

FT Glenflesk 0-08 Glenbeigh/Glencar/Cromane 0-08.

GLENFLESK LOTTO

No winner of the lotto which took place in Spillanes Bar on 12/03/2018. Jackpot €5,400 Numbers were 3, 12, 14, 28.

1. Johnny Courtney (Yearly ticket)
2. Paul Sherry Brewsterfield
3. Niamh Moran Brewsterfield
4. Tim Herlihy Kilcummin
5. Stephen Lacey The next draw will take place in Corner Bar on 26/03/2018 and the Jackpot is €5,600

A NIGHT AT THE OSKARS

The two parishes of Kilcummin and Glenflesk are joining forces in a major fundraising event for our GAA clubs and are being kindly supported by main sponsor, KWD Recycling Tickets priced €25 go on sale on the 8th March from the following outlets: Kilcummin Post Office, O'Brien's Glenflesk, Variety Sounds, Who's 4 Shoes, INEC Box Office and members of the Organising Committee:

Derry Healy(087 2707899), Cathy Somers(087 2900476), Emma Looney(085 7547586), Mish O'Donoghue(087 4146901) Rosie Healy(087 2072512) –Glenflesk GAA

Formal wear is encouraged with prizes on the night for Best Dressed Male & Female

RAHEEN N.S.

Congratulations to Michael O'Keeffe who had the winning lotto no 30 on Saturday the 17th of March and to Norissa O'Donoghue who had the winning lotto no 34 on Saturday the 10th

BARRADUFF COMMUNITY FIELD

Barraduff Community Field 300 Club 2018 Family Membership and Grand Prize draw has been relaunched. Family membership of track and facility Great prizes of €500 and 4 prizes of €100 ever month for 12 months. This is very important fundraiser to meet ongoing running costs, servicing loan and ongoing necessary improvements such as Ball Stop nets, kitchen, flooring and perimeter lighting for better, safer and more secure facility for all. €100 secures your membership and in the drum for 12 monthly draws. We ask all individuals, groups and teams who have and continue to use our facility to support us and promote us through your social media pages.

Note Only fully paid up Members may use the Track from 1st April 2018, Tickets available from local businesses and any committee member or further enquirers to, Eamon 087 251 1691, William 087 773 0805, Tadhg 086 8373951

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 7. Try shopping for handy prepared veg alternatives if you are stuck for time eg. veg stir fry mix, or salad bowls. These are great ways of cutting preping times but might mean going on 2-3 separate shopping trips per weeks to buy fresh. I find Aldi has some great prepared veg alternatives (it even does spiralized courgette and carrots)
 8. Get home & start preping if needed. This is a great time to prep and freeze any smoothies you may have planned in your meal planner or batch cook some dinner or lunches or soups to save you time during the week.
 9. Freeze all those babies up, and put the feet up and enjoy that extra time during the week with your friends, family or exercising.
 10. Save yourself even more time by not spending any time waiting in the car for takeaways, or munching on a packed of biscuits at home at night! Use this time wisely for preparing, exercising or just relaxing.
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"We are addicted to our thoughts. We cannot change anything if we cannot change our thinking!"

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RORY COYNE O'GARA CELEBRATED HIS CONFIRMATION LAST WEEK AT THE KILLARNEY PARK HOTEL WITH HIS MOM, TANYA COYNE AND SIBLINGS, LUCY AND MAX. PHOTOGRAPH BY SALLY MACMONAGLE



MAYOR JOHN SHEAHAN, HIS WIFE MAIREAD AND CURRENT ROSE OF TRALEE JENNIFER BYRNE PICTURED IN NEW YORK FOR THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION.



COMEDIAN OLIVER CALLAN WITH CARMEL MCCARTHY AND MARY MCCARTHY, AT CLLR NIAL KELLEHER, MAYOR OF KILLARNEY, MAYOR'S CHARITY SHINDIG AT THE INEC, ON SUNDAY NIGHT. THIS YEARS FUNDRAISING WILL GO TO KERRY PARENTS AND FRIENDS, 'BUY A BUS' CAMPAIGN AND SOCIAL ACTION GROUP, RATHMORE. THE MC AND AFTER DINNER ENTERTAINMENT WAS BY COMEDIAN OLIVER CALLAN AND MUSIC BY THE KELTS. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



CAROL DEMPSEY, SUSAN HAYES, EMER BUCKLEY, MCKENZIE KEANE AND AOIFE GRIFFIN, AT CLLR NIAL KELLEHER, MAYOR OF KILLARNEY, MAYOR'S CHARITY SHINDIG AT THE INEC, ON SUNDAY NIGHT. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



SIOBHAN FAVIER, MARGUERITE MCCARTHY, DANIELLE FAVIER AND SINEAD FAVIER, AT CLLR NIAL KELLEHER, MAYOR OF KILLARNEY, MAYOR'S CHARITY SHINDIG AT THE INEC, ON SUNDAY NIGHT. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



KATE O'LEARY WITH CLLR JOHN JOE CULLOTY AND HIS WIFE MARY CULLOTY, AT CLLR NIAL KELLEHER, MAYOR OF KILLARNEY, MAYOR'S CHARITY SHINDIG AT THE INEC, ON SUNDAY NIGHT. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



JOHN O'MAHONY, WITH HIS WIFE GERALDINE AND DAUGHTER MOLLY O'MAHONY WITH COMEDIAN OLLIVER CALLAN, AT CLLR NIAL KELLEHER, MAYOR OF KILLARNEY, MAYOR'S CHARITY SHINDIG AT THE INEC, ON SUNDAY NIGHT. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

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BEAUFORD GOLF CLUB MEMBERS FRONT L-R SEAN COFFEY (CAPTAIN), AIDEEN RYAN LEE (LADY CAPTAIN) AND PAT QUILL (PRESIDENT OF BEAUFORD GOLF CLUB) WITH OTHER CLUB MEMBERS AT THE CAPTAINS DRIVE IN LAST SUNDAY.
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- GENTS CLUB - RESULTS

Last weekend we held the first round of the M D O'Shea Spring League with a single stableford competition sponsored by the International Hotel.

The winners were :-

- 1...Peter Wickham (10) 36 .
- 2... John Cuskelly (17) 35.
- 3... Sean Walsh (20) 33

FIXTURES

On Sat 24th and Sun 25th we will hold the second round of the Spring League with an SS competition kindly sponsored by Suttons/Corrib Oil.

The timesheet is now available in the clubhouse.

KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB - LADIES

Results for Sunday 18th March 2018 – Mixed team of 4

Stableford format

Very kindly sponsored by Keane's Jewellers, Killarney, Cork & Limerick

1st	Dermot Roche (13)	
	Mary Cronin (17)	
	Jer Linehan (16)	
	Sinead O Shea (17)	49 Points (back 9)
2nd	Alicia Burke (18)	
	Padraig Burke (20)	
	Louise Langan (15)	
	Brian Holden (12)	49 Points
3rd	Derry McCarthy (7)	
	Anne Courtney (28)	
	Jack Buckley (19)	
	Kathleen Healy (28)	48 Points
4th	Vincent Meade (19)	
	Nuala Meade (20)	
	Ailish Mulcahy (8)	
	Sean Casey (11)	45 Points

5th	John Clifford (18)	
	Irma Clifford (14)	
	Con Healy (11)	
	Anne O Leary (25)	44 Points

Next week's Competition for the Ladies is a single stableford format which will be held on Killeen and is kindly sponsored by The Sweater Shop Killarney.

KILLARNEY GOLF AND FISHING CLUB, MEN'S CLUB

Club Captain Derry McCarthy wants to remind all of those who intend in participating in next Sunday's Competition, particularly those with an 8.30 start, that the clocks have gone forward by one hour, so be sure to have yours set correctly. The Competition is the Club Foursomes

qualifier, and it is, once again, very kindly sponsored by Tim O'Donoghue and partners, of the

Killarney Brewery Company, Killarney Brewery have only come on board as one of our valued sponsors in the last few years when they took over the sponsorship from a previous sponsor, and we very much appreciate their support, as we do for all of our valued sponsors. The Competition will be played on Mahony's Point Course, and will be with two shotgun starts at 8.30 A.M. and 12.30 P.M. The current holders of the trophy are the father and son combination Of Donie and Alan MacSweeney who defeated Brian Holden and John O'Mahony in last year's Final, this Competition allows many partnerships who may be aspiring towards participating in one of our Club team selections to get on board some serious practice in good time.

DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB NEWS

St Patricks Weekend: Our three days of competitions over the extended weekend concluded on Monday and we were fortunate to have play on all three days.

Results: Saturday (Team of 3, 2 scores to count)

First Nett: Sean Kelly, Sean Ashe & Eileen Switzer 79 2/3, Second Nett: Jason O'Brien, Robbie O'Brien Snr & Sheila O'Donoghue 80 2/3.

Sunday (Fourball Betterball): First Nett: Jason O'Brien & Sean Ashe 37, Gross: Jason O'Brien & Eileen Switzer 45 and Second Nett: Sean Ashe & Noel Moynihan 40. Monday (Team of 3, 2 scores to count): Nett: Robbie O'Brien Jnr, Eileen Switzer & Noel Moynihan 77 1/3 Gross: Robbie O'Brien Snr, Sean Ashe & John O'Halloran 99.

Johnny Kelly Scramble: Our first big 36 hole competition takes place this Sunday with all names to be entered for the draw by 9.30am. Open to registered members of the club aged 15 or over, cost of entry is €10 per player with the format a Three Ball Scramble. Presentation of Prizes afterwards along with further presentations to some of U-16 players from matters last year.

Clubhouse: Please note that weather permitting the clubhouse will be open over the two weeks of the Easter School holidays beginning this Saturday March 24th until Sunday April 8th. Will be open from 10am-7pm (weekdays) and 10am-6pm (weekends) with exception of this Sunday March 24th and Sunday April 8th which will be from 1pm-6pm due to 36 hole club majors those Sunday mornings.

Sports Predictor: Just to let everyone know that we will be running our popular Sports Predictor fundraiser again this year. Sheets should be available for entry within the next month. More details in weeks ahead.



BEAUFORD GOLF CLUB CAPTAINS DRIVE IN LAST SUNDAY. PICTURED L-R SEAN COFFEY (CAPTAIN), AIDEEN RYAN LEE (LADY CAPTAIN) AND PAT QUILL (PRESIDENT OF BEAUFORD GOLF CLUB).
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ST PATRICK'S WEEKEND RESULTS AND KENNEDY CUP GROUPS

Subway 13's Inter League
 Limerick County 1-3 Kerry
 Development Game
 Limerick County 0-3 Kerry
 Skechers 14's National Cup ¼ Final
 Leicester Celtic 0-1 Park
 Tucker Kelly 16's Cup:
 Ballyhar 3-1 Camp Juniors
 JK Sports 12's
 12 Division 1A:
 Listowel Celtic A 2-1 Castleisland
 12 Division 1B
 Ballyhar A 0-0 Mastergeeha A
 12 Division 2A:
 Mastergeeha 3-0 MEK
 Killarney Athletic B 1-3 Camp Juniors
 12 Division 2B
 Listowel Celtic B 3-4 Killorglin C
 Ballyhar B 2-5 Park B
 Quills Woollen Mills 14 Premier:
 Killarney Athletic A 2-6 Listowel Celtic A
 Tralee Dynamos 0-7 Killorglin A
 14 Division 1
 Ballyhar 0-1 Mastergeeha
 Killorglin B 3-0 Inter Kenmare
 14 Division 2
 Killarney Athletic B 1-7 Fenit
 MEK 4-2 LB Rovers
 Quills Woollen Mills 14 Girls Premier
 Killarney Athletic 0-3 Inter Kenmare
 Tralee Trophy World 16 Premier
 Killarney Celtic A 3-0 Park
 16 Division 1
 Inter Kenmare 1-2 Rattoo Rovers
 Tucker Kelly 16's Cup:
 Ballyhar 3-1 Camp Juniors
 Dingle Bay Rovers 6-1 Castleisland
 Reports:

KERRY WINS AWAY IN THE SNOW

The Kerry 13's played their final Subway Group game on a snowy Charleville All Weather and defeated Limerick County 3-1. The goals came from Cormac Dillon and Alex Hennigan in the opening half and the win was wrapped up by a Sean Treyvaud goal in the second half. This leaves Kerry in second place in the Group on 10 points from their 5 games with a +5 goal difference. Limerick District has topped the Group on 11 points from their games and are through to the Provincial semi-finals. Kerry will now await the outcome of the North Tipperary v Limerick Desmond game with the Limerick side on 7 points from 4 games and on a +2 goal difference to see who progresses to the provincial last 4. Kerry also played the same opposition in a second game with the Development squad winning 3-0. Owen Crowley scored twice with Oisín McGinley getting the other goal. The Kerry u11 North players were in friendly action at Listowel Celtic with both Leagues bringing 3 teams to the games. All the players showed the skills they have developed at the ETP. The u11 South players will have their friendly in the coming weeks.

Leicester see of Park by narrowest of margins: St Brendan's Park made the long journey to Dublin to take on Leicester Celtic in the quarter final of the Skechers 14's National Cup. Both sides had chances in the first half but it was the Dublin side that got the all-important goal in the 20th minutes.

The Tralee boys threw everything at their hosts in the second half and hit the post twice and had two balls cleared off the line in a day where it just would not go in for them. In the end there was only the one goal in it as the Park's great run in the competition came to an end. Listowel Celtic go top of 12 Division 1A: Listowel Celtic's 2-1 win over Castleisland sees them go top of the JK Sports 12 Division 1A table and lead Killarney Celtic by 2 points. Jack O'Donoghue got the consolation goal for Castleisland.

CAMP JUNIORS GO TOP OF 12'S DIVISION 2A

A 3-1 win at Killarney Athletic sees Camp Juniors move to the top of the JK Sports 12 Division 2A. Their goals came from Fionn Dario and Paudie Fitzgerald in the first half but they needed keeper Carl Mitchels to be 3 in top form to keep Athletic at bay. Camp Juniors wrapped up the game in the second half when Callum O'Brien set up Dario for his second.

SCORELESS IN 12'S DIVISION 1B

Mastergeeha stay top of 12 Division 1 after a scoreless draw with Ballyhar who stay third. The Kilbreen side had keeper TJ Healy to thank for their point as he saved a penalty.

Killorglin C lead 12's Division 2 B:

All four sides in the 12's Division 1 B were in action and Killorglin C lead the way after a hard fought 4-3 win over Listowel Celtic B. Aaron Doyle hit three for the winners with Darragh Lynch getting the 4th while Mikey Foley and Luke O'Regan were on the mark for the North Kerry side.

Jake Keating and Michael O'Sullivan got the goals for Ballyhar but it wasn't enough to earn anything from the game as they went down 5-2 to the Park

KILLORGLIN GO JOINT TOP OF 14 PREMIER

Killorglin join the Park at the top of the Quills Woollen Mills 14 Premier after they proved to be too strong for Tralee Dynamos. Their goals came from Eoghan Hassett 3, Tom Whittleton 2, Ryan Diggan and Adam Owens. Best for Dynamos were Donagh Stephenson and Kieran Slattery.

Listowel Celtic are third and only two points behind the leaders after they defeated Killarney Athletic 6-2. Alex Hennigan and Sam Benson got the goals for Athletic.

MASTERGEEHA ENJOY VITAL WIN IN 14 DIVISION 1

Mark O'Shea scored the only goal of this 14's Division 1 clash As Mastergeeha took a vital win against League leaders Ballyhar. This leaves them 9 points behind but with 4 games in hand so the Kilbreen side are still favourites to take the title.

Killorglin B got their first three points of the season with a 3-0 win over Inter Kenmare.

Fenit go 6 clear in Division 2:

Fenit enjoyed a 7-1 win over Killarney Athletic B to move 6 points clear at the top of the table but they have played a game more than Castleisland in second. The amazing thing about this game is that Eddie McCarthy hit all seven goals for Fenit.

MEK moved level with LB Rovers in third after they defeated the North Kerry side 4-2. Eddie Moroney 2, Sam Griffin and Kevin Harant got the goals for the winners while Daniel Barrett and Jack Sheehy got the LB Rovers goals.

Inter make it 3 from 3 in 14 Girls Premier:

Inter Kenmare made it three wins from three as they extended their lead at the top of the Quills Woollen Mills 14 Girls Premier after a 3-0 win away to Killarney Athletic. Inter got off to the perfect start with Kiera O'Leary scoring inside two minutes when she refused to give up on what looked like a lost cause and powered home from close range.

The game remained tight thereafter with both defences doing well. But it was Inter that got the vital second goal just before the break. Chloe Cremins shot was well saved by the Athletic keeper but O'Leary was quickest to react and got her and her sides second goal.

Athletic threw everything at Inter to try and get one back but were caught late on when Grace Roberts White got in behind their defence and crossed for Orla O'Brien to score and wrap up the win. For an Athletic side that gave everything Laura O'Carroll and Sarah Neher were the best players on the day.

5 UP FOR CELTIC IN 16 PREMIER

Killarney Celtic are now on 5 wins from 5 games and top the Tralee Trophy World 16 Premier with their latest points coming thanks to a 3-0 win over Park.

RATTOO ROVERS NOW TOP 16 DIVISION 1

Goals from Nathan McGrath and Dylan Moroarty sees Rattoo Rovers move to the top of the 16's Division 1 after they defeated Inter Kenmare 2-1.

TUCKER KELLY 16'S CUP

Ballyhar and Dingle Bay Rovers have progressed in the Tucker Kelly 16's Cup with Camp Juniors and Castleisland going into the Shield. At Murt Scott Park the home side defeated Camp Juniors 3-1 with their goals coming from John Power, Craig Boyle O'Sullivan and Jason Brennan. Alan O'Leary replied for Camp. Dingle Bay Rovers had goals from Tomas O'Se 2, Dara O'Beaglaoich, Evan O'Se, Colm O'hEartain and Sean Laoithe in their 6-1 win over Castleisland.

Is first out of the hat a Kennedy Cup omen?

The draw for the 2018 SFAI Kennedy Cup Groups took place last weekend and Kerry were first out of the bowl containing the 8 number 1 seeds. This put Kerry into Group 1 and as the draw progressed the other teams, in order were, Cavan/Monaghan, Mayo and Roscommon. This means that Kerry's schedule for the opening two days of the tournament at UL sees their first game against Roscommon on June 11th. The following day they will face Mayo, the Trophy winner from last season, and then Cavan/Monaghan.

Should Kerry finish first or second in Group 1 they will play the respective team from Group 2- Clare, Limerick Desmond, Wexford and Wicklow. This will be on Wednesday June 13th with the Kennedy Cup running until Friday June 15th.

MARCH 23RD FIXTURES

Moriarty's Centra 11 Premier North / Division 1A North

Park A – Listowel Celtic A 11 Park B – Listowel Celtic B 12

LB Rovers – Camp Juniors 11.30 LB Rovers – Camp Juniors 11.30

Dingle Bay Rovers – Castleisland 12.45 Dingle Bay Rovers B – Castleisland B 1.45

Tralee Dynamos A – Fenit A 3.30 Tralee Dynamos B – Fenit B 4.30

11 Premier South / Division 1 A South

Iveragh United A – Killorglin A 11 Iveragh United B – Killorglin B 11

Killarney Celtic A – Inter Kenmare A 11 Killarney Celtic B – Inter Kenmare B 12

Mastergeeha A – Ballyhar A 2pm Mastergeeha B – Ballyhar B 3pm

11's Division 2:

Tralee Dynamos C – Inter Kenmare C 11

Killarney Athletic C – Park 1.45

Killorglin C – Killarney Celtic C 3.30

Tom Hayes 12's Cup Round 1

Inter Kenmare B – Park A 2.30

Daly's Supervalu 13 Premier

Mastergeeha A – Park A 10.30

Killorglin A – Iveragh United 11.45

Division 1

Camp Juniors – Killarney Celtic B 11

Inter Kenmare – Listowel Celtic 11.45

Division 2

Killarney Athletic B – Killorglin B 10.30

Fenit – MEK 3.30

Killarney Plaza 15 Premier

Mastergeeha – Killarney Celtic A 12

Killorglin A – Park A 1.15

Division 1

Killorglin B – Listowel Celtic 10

Killarney Athletic – Tralee Dynamos 12

Division 2

Ballyheigue – Listowel Celtic Girls 10.30

Dingle Bay Rovers – Park B 11am

KILLARNEY CELTIC NEWS

PREMIER A, KILLARNEY CELTIC 7, DINGLE BAY ROVERS 1

A power packed performance saw our A team gain another 3 points in the league last Friday night. Goals from Gary Keane, Wayne Sparling, Lee Downing, Danny Roche, Matt Keane, Peter McCarthy and Conor McCarthy enabled the team to preserve their unbeaten record in the league this season. Celtic return to the summit of the league. Next game is away to Fenit Samphires.

Many thanks to all involved in the preparation of the float for St Patrick's Day and also many thanks to those who marched with the club on the day. Photos from St Patrick's Day are now on our Facebook page.

For pitch bookings contact Mary on 086 6485809

Killarney Celtic is taking part in the Killarney Tidy Towns program and asks all connected



JUNIOR MEMBERS FROM KILLARNEY CELTIC IN THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. THE THEME OF THIS YEARS PARADE WAS 'KILLARNEY YOU'RE LOOKING GOOD' CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF NATIONAL TIDY TOWNS AWARDS. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

with the club to keep Killarney clean.

CELTIC LOTTO

Numbers Drawn 4,16,17,28. No Jackpot winner, 1 Match 3. Next Jackpot €2,800.

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC A.F.C. NOTES

FIXTURES 24TH MARCH 2018

Under 13 Division 2

Killarney Athletic B v Killorglin B 10.30am

Under 15 Division 1

Killarney Athletic v Tralee Dynamos 12.00 noon

Under 11 Division 2

Killarney Athletic C v St Brendan's Park 13.45pm

Under 17

St Brendan's Park v Killarney Athletic 2.00pm

Senior Fixtures

Sunday 25th March 2018

Denny Division 1 B

Killarney Athletic B v St Brendan's Park 11.30am

Results

JK Sports Under 12 Division 2 B

Killarney Athletic B 1 Camp 3

Under 14 Girls

Killarney Athletic 0 Inter Kenmare 3

Under 14 A

Killarney Athletic 2 Listowel Celtic 6. Alex

Hennigan and Sam Benson scoring for Athletic.

Darren Ryan and Matthew Horgan doing best.

Under 14 B

Killarney Athletic B 1 Fenit 7 Josh Clarke and

Cillian Courtney doing best

ST PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

A huge thanks to all the participants and mentors who took part in the St Patrick's Day Parade and thanks to MD O'Shea's for their lorry for the float.

Killarney Athletic Website: Please check the website on www.killarneyathletic.com or Facebook for match reports, club information and contact details.

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A YOUNG DANCER FROM THE O'LEARY SCHOOL OF DANCING ENJOYING THE 2018 KILLARNEY ST PATRICK'S FESTIVAL PARADE IN THE TOWN ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. THE THEME OF THIS YEARS PARADE WAS 'KILLARNEY YOU'RE LOOKING GOOD' CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF NATIONAL TIDY TOWNS AWARDS. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN

MASTERGEEHA FC

U14 DIV 1

Ballyhar 0 Mastergeeha 1. In a close game against the league leaders the boys took all three points. Mark O'Shea got the winning goal with all playing well especially Dara O'Callaghan at centre back.

FAI SOCCER SISTERS EASTER CAMP

FAI Soccer Sisters Easter Camp will be held at Mastergeeha Fc, Kilbrean Park on the 26th and 27th March 2018. Soccer camp for girls' age 6-14 years of age with a kit included. Camp Registration at www.soccersisters.ie for €30. All welcome

MASTERGEEHA FC LOTTO

There was no winner on Friday 16th March, 2018. Numbers drawn were 4, 20, 22, 27. Consolation prizes were €100 Maria & Ciara Curtin, c/o Bertie. €30 Ian Millis, c/o The Village Inn. €30 Daniel & Colm Casey, Dunrine, Kilcummin. €30 Tim Coffey, c/o Bertie. Jackpot now €5,200.

National League Cup Quarter Final

Off court events sour Lakers clash with Carlow



SCOTTS LAKERS ALWAYS RECEIVE HUGE HOME AND AWAY SUPPORT AS SHOWN IN THIS PICTURE BY EAMONN KEOGH



LESS THAN 30 PEOPLE ATTENDED THE GAME FOLLOWING THE LATE CHANGE OF VENUE.

**Scotts Lakers St Paul's 85
IT Carlow 89**

Despite losing a closely contested game, Scotts Lakers league cup quarter final clash with IT Carlow in Cork on Monday will be remembered for events that happened off the court in the lead up to this fixture.

As Division 1B winners Scotts Lakers had earned the right of home advantage against Carlow (fourth place in Division 1A) and this was fixed for Killarney Sports Centre on Sunday evening at 5.30 pm. However Carlow withdrew from fulfilling the fixture on Sunday morning claiming that adverse weather and snow conditions made it too difficult to travel. Basketball Ireland readily accepted their decision despite the fact that Dublin Lions travelled to Killorglin on the same day and the Carlow senior football team managed to make the journey to Belfast.

Under Basketball Ireland rules, when a League fixture is to be rescheduled, the home team must offer their opponents three alternative dates. With Killarney Sports Centre unavailable on Monday, Scotts Lakers offered Carlow several other options to play the match in Killarney this week. All options were rejected. When Carlow refused to accept the offers, Basketball Ireland fixed the match for Neptune Stadium Cork on Monday afternoon at 3.00pm. The governing body also stated that if Scotts Lakers refused to give up home advantage and play in Cork, the match would be awarded to Carlow. The Killarney side reluctantly agreed to play the match in Cork rather than give a walkover and having experience of the difficult appeals process in Basketball Ireland that rarely gives any satisfaction.

Within a matter of hours, Scotts Lakers had been stripped of home advantage and the opportunity of playing in front of an estimated crowd of 600 people in the final home game

of the season. The new scenario was playing in front of less than 30 people in an empty Neptune Stadium in a match that was fixed at short notice.

The game itself started brightly for Scotts Lakers and they led 15-11 at an early stage and were 27-20 in front at the end of the first quarter.

The Killarney side stayed in front to lead 45-40 at half time but Carlow enjoyed a productive third quarter to take the advantage, 59-62, at the end of the third quarter.

The Lakers trailed by 10 with 6.47 remaining but had a late rally to claw it back to 74-80 with 43 seconds left before narrowing it to just a single basket, 82-84, with 13 seconds left.

Carlow went six points clear again before a huge three-pointer from Antuan Bootle cut it to 85-88 with four seconds remaining. However it was too late and Carlow held on to win a match that will be remembered for all the wrong reasons.

In any sporting decider, a team can accept being beaten by the better team on the day and Carlow won the match to advance to the semi-final. Certain factors can go against teams and these are often accepted too as part of the game. Inconsistent and questionable refereeing decisions is under scrutiny in every sport. Referees have a thankless job and teams just accept the mistakes and hope that matters will even out over the course of a game or the season. Scotts Lakers didn't enjoy too many of the officials calls on Monday and the stats figures tell their own story. Carlow had a total of six fouls called against them in the entire 40 minutes compared to 19 fouls called against Scotts Lakers.

Unfortunately this is part of the game and referees can often be inconsistent. Last week, some observers would suggest that Scotts Lakers appeared to benefit from some questionable officials calls in the match against

Kilkenny in the final quarter. The foul count that night was 27 against Kilkenny and 20 on Lakers. To win any match, a team has to beat the opposition and hope that the foul count is favorable and consistent. Scotts Lakers may have come up short here and would accept that on any day but having to deal with frustrating decision making by Basketball Ireland officialdom just makes the situation so disheartening and demoralizing.

St. Paul's Basketball Club and Scotts Lakers will feel that their huge efforts to promote national league basketball deserve better. The biggest crowds at any national league venue have been at Killarney Sports Centre all season. Indeed the crowds have been consistently bigger than any superleague team apart from Tralee Warriors. The Killarney Sports Centre hosted a crowd of 950 people for a clash with Killorglin last October. This was a record crowd for a national league or superleague game in the history of Killarney basketball.

If the home game had gone ahead last Sunday or any other day this week, Scotts Lakers may not have brought in 950 again but an estimated crowd of 600 plus would have turned up for the knockout last home game of the season. Instead of playing before a crowd of 30 people in Cork, Scotts Lakers had earned the right of a home game and the opportunity to receive the national league shield in front of their own supporters. Nobody can control the weather but Basketball Ireland's decision making leaves a lot to be desired on this occasion.

Scotts Lakers St Paul's Killarney: Antuan Bootle 31, Dailian Mason 22, Dan Griffin 10, Mark Greene 8, Andrew Fitzgerald 6, Philip O'Connor 6, Dylan O'Sullivan 2.

IT Carlow: Jimmy Gordon 32, Kevin Donohoe 19, Alan O'Neill 19



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ALLIANZ NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

KERRY RETAIN TOP FLIGHT STATUS WITH MUCH NEEDED WIN

KERRY O'SHEA WAS AT AUSTIN STACK PARK TO SEE KERRY SECURE A MUCH NEEDED WIN AGAINST KILDARE

KERRY 0-19 KILDARE 0-14

Kerry retained their Division 1 status for another season when they picked up their third win of the Allianz League campaign at the expense of Cian O'Neill's Kildare at Austin Stack Park on Saturday evening.

On a bitterly cold March evening, the Kerry faithful who turned up were delighted with the win, which arrested a losing run of three games.

The retention of the Division 1 status was Eamonn Fitzmaurice's top priority for the league campaign but this win over the Lily Whites means Kildare will return to Division 2 for next season. Kildare certainly asked questions of Kerry and had some excellent players on view on the night, particularly full-forward and Man of the Match Daniel Flynn. The Johnstownbridge clubman finished the game with a personal haul of 0-6 all from play and each score was superbly crafted and executed.

A scoring run of seven consecutive points from the 17th minute to the 29th minutes of the first half all but secured victory for Kerry and left Kildare with a lot of ground to make up.

With Jack Barry, enjoying his best outing to date in the senior ranks and Barry O'Sullivan having the better of the midfield exchanges, Kerry moved the ball intelligently and picked off some great scores themselves.

It was noteworthy too that for the first time since April 2014, Kerry kept a clean sheet in league match which is a statistic that must please Eamonn Fitzmaurice, while all six forwards scored on the day.

Fitzmaurice too was very happy with the way his younger players continued to make progress during the League Campaign.

David Clifford once again turned in another outstanding performance, despite the fact that he was tightly marked. The Fossa teenager scored six points bringing his overall tally to 0-21 over the six league games. Clifford's sixth and final point is worth recalling as it was a thing to behold. With 66 minutes gone on the watch, the Fossa teenager plied Paul Murphy with a beautiful drop-kick pass. Murphy then



No Minor matter: FORMER KERRY MINOR WINNING CAPTAIN DAVID CLIFFORD WAS CERTAINLY AT HOME IN THE SENIOR RANKS LAST SATURDAY EVENING SCORING SIX POINTS AGAINST KILDARE. FILE PHOTO

found Clifford with the reverse kick and the Fossa teenager finished in kind with a superb score.

Daithi Casey, making his first start since 2014, impressed with a workmanlike performance and also contributed 0-2.

Paul Geaney showed glimpses of the form that won him an All Star last season and scored three fine points. Geaney passed a late fitness test and came through relatively unscathed. Kildare's cause was not helped when they lost centre-forward Keith Cribbin and Paddy Brophy to black cards while Cian O'Neill also replaced his two midfield starters, Kevin Feely and Tommy Moolick.

Kerry led 0-11 to 0-5 at half-time and despite getting one or two anxious moments from a game Kildare outfit in the second half never really looked like losing.

Kerry complete their League programme with a trip to Omagh to take on the old enemy Tyrone next Sunday while Kildare finish with a home game against Division One League finalists Galway next Sunday.

TEAMS AND SCORERS

KERRY: Shane Murphy (0-1, 0-1f); Brian

O'Beaglaoich, Jason Foley, Ronan Shanahan; Paul Murphy (0-1), Peter Crowley, Fionn Fitzgerald; Jack Barry, Barry O'Sullivan, Michael Burns (0-1), Daithi Casey (0-2), Kevin McCarthy (0-2); David Clifford (0-6, 0-4 frees), Paul Geaney (0-3, 1 free), Barry John Keane (0-2).

Subs: David Moran (0-1) for Barry O'Sullivan (46); Matthew Flaherty for Michael Burns (52); Adrian Spillane for Kevin McCarthy (58); Mark Griffin for Paul Geaney (60); Johnny Buckley for Barry John Keane (64); Tom O'Sullivan for Fionn Fitzgerald (67).

KILDARE: Mark Donnellan, Peter Kelly (0-1), David Hyland, Mick O'Grady (0-1), Johnny Byrne, Eoin Doyle, Kevin Flynn, Kevin Feely (0-1), Tommy Moolick (0-1), Fergal Conway, Keith Cribbin, Paddy Brophy (0-1), Ben McCormack (0-1) Daniel Flynn (0-6), Niall Kelly (0-1).

Subs: Paul Cribbin for Kevin Feely (28); David Slattery for Keith Cribbin (49); Fionn Dowling (0-1) for Tommy Moolick (49); Mark Sherry for Paddy Brophy (black card, 58); Cathal McNally for Ben McCormack (58); Jimmy Hyland for Fergal Conway (61).

Referee: David Coldrick (Meath).

Kerry Watch ABROAD

O'CONNOR IN LINE TO FEATURE FOR GEELONG IN AFL ROUND ONE

The 2015 All Ireland winning minor captain Dingle's O'Connor could see action for Geelong in their AFL season opener against Melbourne this Sunday morning (Irish time) after he was promoted

to the club's senior list.

The now 21-year-old joined the club as a rookie and was briefly promoted to the senior list last season when he made two AFL appearances during his debut

campaign.

O'Connor who joined Geelong in November 2016 following an underage career where he won All-Ireland minor football medals with Kerry in 2014 and 2015, along with

Hogan Cup titles with his school Pobal Scoil Chorca Dhuibhne.

He has impressed for the Cats during their 2018 pre-season games and will be hoping to add to his two senior appearances at the weekend.





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LEGION GAA

LÁ FÉILE PHÁDRAIG IONTACH

Many thanks to all those who helped, attended and supported our St. Patrick's Day parade entry. A great family day out the club has had a fine record in recent years and thanks mainly to the efforts of Stella Moloney and Tommy Galvin and their dedicated crew they weren't found wanting once again.

AWARDS NIGHT

Our annual awards night has become a most pleasant event when the club recognises those that have served above and beyond. This year we were delighted to honour Seanie Culloy as club person of the year and indeed his contribution from his playing days to his leadership of our Saturday morning academy has been a vital part of the growth and development of our juvenile section. Young player of the year goes to Cian Gammell who had such a brilliant year and took winners medals with the Sem and a stellar showing with the All Ireland winning Kerry minors. Junior player award deservedly went to the tireless Aiden Slattery while senior player went to Shaun Keane who has been without doubt one of our most consistent and dedicated performers. The ladies were represented on the night by Kiah Doona who has been an outstanding player right from her early juvenile days. A special award went to our St. Patrick's Day group who have been innovative, entertaining and so hard working for the past number of years. Winners medals were also presented to the senior Ladies and the senior men who went up to Div.1 as unbeaten champions. All well deserved for their efforts. It was an honour and privilege as usual for us to have Joanne O Riordan amongst us and we greatly value her as a lifelong member of the Legion Club. Many thanks to the Plaza Hotel for their facilities.

SENIOR LADIES

The senior ladies turned in what can only be described as a Lazarus type performance when they trailed Laune Rangers by 10 pts. at halftime but were denied by a last kick of the game point by the Rangers to share the points. A serious second half display saw them whittle the big gap gradually to lead by the minimum and while the win would have been very welcome after such an effort one couldn't begrudge the Laune Rangers a share of the spoils.

EAST KERRY LEAGUE

Killarney Legion 1-19 Rathmore 5-9

When you register 1-19 one would expect to win most games but when this is balanced with

the concession of 5 goals then victory becomes more problematic. So it proved as these two sides played out a highly entertaining high scoring game in difficult conditions. The pattern was set in the first half with the Legion hitting 11pts. but Rathmore netting twice to leave the halftime score 2-5 to 11pts. The second half again showed the homeside keeping the scoreboard ticking over but Rathmore punishing defensive slip ups with a further 3 goals. Conor Keane who was lively throughout got the Legion's goal from the penalty spot but Rathmore were to run out winners by a point leaving both sides taking both positives and negatives from their respective performances.

FIXTURES

Minors - Killarney Legion V Dr. Crokes, Friday 23rd. March in Derreen at 5.30 p.m.

Seniors, Co. League Div1. Killarney Legion V Templenoe, Sunday 25th. March Derreen at 2 p.m.

EAST KERRY GAA NEWS

By Michael O'Mahony PRO

15th March 2018 under lights in Spa

Spa 1-14 Cordal 0-7

Spa had a comfortable win over a young Cordal team.

Spa started very early with a Ryan O Carroll goal within seconds of the throw in.

David Spillane added another point widening the gap. It took Cordal 20 mins to score their first score from TJ O Connor. Philip O Connor scored their second with a free. Spa added another four points from Shane Fenton and Niall McCarthy, to bring half time score spa 1-5 Cordal 0-2.

Start Second half Spa were once again off to a great start with great points from the very impressive Niall McCarthy. David Spillane was very dangerous with his attacks further widening the gap. Mike McCarthy added to Spa's tally. Cordal scored two frees from the hardworking Philp O Connor and Brian Reidy. The lightning speedster, Ryan O Carroll caused havoc with Cordal's defence and scored another great point. Cordal scored another few great points but just wasn't their night. Spa were the stronger team and deserved their victory.

Killarney Legion 1-19 (22) Rathmore 5-8 (23) concession of 5 goals then victory becomes more problematic. So it proved as these two sides played. When you register 1-19 one would expect to win most games but when this is balanced with the out a highly entertaining high scoring game in difficult conditions. The

pattern was set in the first half with the Legion hitting 11pts. but Rathmore netting twice to leave the halftime score 2-5 to 11pts. The second half again showed the homeside keeping the scoreboard ticking over but Rathmore punishing defensive slip ups with a further 3 goals. Conor Keane who was lively throughout got the Legion's goal from the penalty spot but Rathmore were to run out winners by a point leaving both sides taking both positives and negatives from their respective performances. Fossa played Glenflesk in very cold conditions on Sunday in the East Kerry league. In spite of the weather this was a very good sporting game of quality football. Glenflesk opened the scoring with a Jeff O'Donoghue point, Paudie Clifford hit back with two points for Fossa. The teams were evenly matched and traded the lead on several occasions in this half, Lee O'Donoghue was the main scoring threat from Glenflesk as he was unerring with frees all day contributing four points in the first half. Glenflesk were ahead at the break, 0-08 to 0-07. The second half started slowly with both sides working hard but found scores hard to come by, Fossa equalised through points from Tadhg O'Shea and Donald O'Sullivan. In the 15th minute Fintan Coffey struck for a goal for Fossa to put them three points up. Glenflesk fought back and scores from Lee O'Donoghue (2 frees) and two scores from play by Dara Roche gave them the lead with 4 minutes remaining. Fossa weren't finished and a fantastic individual goal from Paudie Clifford followed by a free from Tadhg O'Shea gave Fossa a deserved win on a score of 2-10 to 0-14.

Dr Crokes 2-18 Kilcummin 0-9. In East Kerry Super League DIV1A

Colm Cooper in top form today and scored 2.05. Big games too by full forward line of Colm, Mark O Shea and Kieran O Leary. Paul Clarke dominated midfield. Half time score: Dr Crokes 1.10 Kilcummin 0.05 Kilcummin best served by Brendan Kealy, in goals Kevin O'Gorman, in midfield Sean O'Leary and William Maher in defence Kilcummin tired hard but Crokes proved too strong on day. Full time score. Dr Crokes 2.18 Kilcummin 0-9,

KERRY SOUTH U14

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COACHING ACADEMY

Kenmare District Board coaching academy will take place in Kenmare GAA club on Monday 26th and Thursday 29th March. The purpose of the academy is to prepare teams for school and county championship games. Vince Cooper East Kerry/Kenmare GDA and Brian Fitzgerald (ITT) will deliver the games based coaching sessions on the astro turf pitch. It is vital that all players are made aware of the event full attendance is expected. U13/U14 session at 10 am with U15/U16 session at 11 am. These coaching sessions are open to all club coaches in the Kenmare District Board.

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy; East Kerry Board would like to send deepest sympathy on recent death of John Griffin Faha member of Listry Gaa club. John was East Kerry Board Delegate and was officer within his club also served Referee in past Deepest sympathy to his wife Margaret, daughter Elizabeth, extended family and firends & Members of Listry GAA club and also sympathy to Kieran o'keeffe Rathmore Delegate to east Kerry Board & member of Competitions Control Committee on death of his mother in law Bridie O'Donoghue Kilquane Headford may both them rest in peace,

KERRY COACHING AND GAMES

Kerry Coaching and Games are planning to organize one day U 8 and U 10 Go Games Football Blitzes over the Easter Break in Tralee. The Blitzes are open to all clubs and will take place on the dates below in the afternoon (2-5pm). Clubs that are interested in taking part will be on the field for roughly an hour. U 8 Blitz on Wednesday 4th April- Games will be 7 a side Clubs may enter two teams if they wish. U 10 Blitz on Thursday 5th April .Games will 9 a side may enter two teams if they wish If you club is interested in entering one or both of these blitz days then please contact Vince cooper or email Vince.Cooper.gpo.kerry@gaa.ie

East Kerry GAA Board The next monthly Meeting this Tuesday 27th March at Killarney Height Hotel at 9.00pm. All Delegates requested to attend,

DR CROKES

East Kerry League - Round 3

Dr Crokes 2-18 Kilcummin 0-9 at Lewis Road

We remained unbeaten in the Senior League as a result of our good win over Kilcummin on Sunday last.

On a bitterly cold day our visitors started better and led 0-4 to 0-3 after ten minutes. By the end of the first quarter we had gone into a three point lead. We got well on top in the second quarter and went in at half time leading 1-9 to 0-5. The highlight of the half was a great goal in the 20th minute by Colm Cooper.

Kilcummin had a point at the start of the second half but four points without reply by us had us leading by ten points at the end of the third quarter. The visitors came into the game in the last quarter but we were always able to answer the scores they were getting with scores of our own.

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.

DR CROKES FAMILY WALKING GROUP

Thank you to everyone who participated in our weekly walks and we look forward to starting up again later in the year.

PROGRESSIVE 31

Progressive 31 has finished up and will resume again later in the year. A huge Thank You to Noreen Coffey, Bridie Cronin, Marion O'Doherty, Deborah Ann O'Shea, Frances O'Sullivan, Aoife Cronin, Mike O'Leary, Der Brosnan, Malachy Walsh, Mossie Harmon and Tom Prendergast.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Annual membership is now due and it is critical that all members and players pay /renew their membership before the 31st of March next. A strict "no pay/no play" policy will be enforced after this time.

SAVE THE DATE - SATURDAY APRIL 14TH, 2018

Join the Kerry County Clean-Up Team

We are inviting all our local GAA clubs to get involved in the Kerry County Clean-Up. The participation of our clubs will add greatly to the County Clean-up team. We are asking that clubs arrange a litter clean-up on Saturday April 14th in the locality where their club grounds are located. Last year, 5,000 volunteers county wide gathered 6,500 bags of litter on a single day in their own localities which left the county of Kerry looking spick and span. This years County Clean-up will take place on Saturday, April 14th. The Annual County Clean-Up is run with the support of Kerry Co. Council and KWD Recycling. To register your clubs participation in the County Clean-Up please register with KWD

by logging on to <http://www.countycleanup.com> or by e-mailing Angela on countycleanup@kwd.ie. Upon registration KWD Recycling will provide your club with bags and high visibility vest and they will also agree a date and location for pick-up of the collected litter.

DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

Deepest Sympathies to the family of Kevin O'Connor, Derrinagree, Co Cork - Uncle of Noreen Cooper and Frances O'Sullivan. RIP

LOTTO

Lotto 3, 17, 20, 24. Jackpot €7800 Not won Match 3 15 by €30. Next draw on Sunday March 25th in JC O'Shea. Jackpot €8100.

KILLARNEY CAMOGIE CLUB

In bitterly cold weather conditions, our U14 team took on Tralee Parnells in the first leg of the Feile B tournament in the superb Barraduff Community Field. Supporters shivered on the sideline whilst 34 girls battled it out on the pitch. Today, Killarney were the more dominant force with the score line finishing 5.2 to 0.0. Scorers for Killarney were Cliona, Sarah, Hannah, Anne and Kathryn. Excellent performance by all girls who got stuck in and fought for every ball. Keep working hard girls, one step closer to Feile 2018! Next game on Sunday 25th of March at 4pm in Caherslee, Tralee.

Team: Yasmin O'Brien, Heather Culloty, Geraldine Murphy (c), Keelyn O'Leary, Ilona Sheehan, Yen Leniston, Kathryn Ryan, Cliona Lynch, Tia McNabb, Anne Hickey, Hannah Ryan, Chloe McCarthy, Alannah Houlihan, Aine Devlin, Sarah Looney, Niamh Coughlan, Holly Adair.

Well done to everybody who turned out in bitterly cold conditions and marched in the St. Patricks Day parade. Training for U8's, U10's and U12's continues on Monday the 26th in Lisivigen astroturf from 5 to 6.

GNEEVEGUILLA GAA

There was no winner of last weeks lotto, numbers drawn 4,5,18,27. Lucky dip winners were €40 Stephen Reilly Castlemaine, €40 Sheila O Sullivan Rathmore, €40 Eugie O Leary Leam, €30 Michael G O Regan, €30 Neilus McCarthy Kilcummin, €20 Mary +Brian O Connor. Next weeks lotto is €13,000. Our seniors are away to Cromane next weekend in county league.

MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE NOTES

SCOR NA BPAISTI

Best of luck to our traditional music group-Pat Murphy, Liam O' Dowd, Padraig O' Sullivan, Gearoid Quirke and Donnachda O'Sullivan who will represent our club on this Friday night in the Mid Kerry Scor na bPaisti competiton, in the CYMS Hall, Killorglin at 7 p.m.

They have been mentored by fellow club member Sarah Leane over the past few weeks. Mile Buiochas Sarah.

EXAM STUDENTS

Best of luck to all those completing their oral/practical exams in the coming weeks.

LOTTO JACKPOT DRAW

Would you like to jet away to the sun at Easter time or go skiing down the slopes in Austria?

Then why not try your luck in our next lotto jackpot draw for €18,800. This draw will take place in The Plough Bar on this Friday night-March 23rd. Match 3 and you could win or share €200. We will also have our 6 consolation prizes on offer. So head out and buy that lucky lotto ticket-available from the usual sellers and local businesses. It could be you!

MID KERRY U21 FINAL -MATCH REPORT

Courtesy of Danny McClure-Asst. PRO

The above final got under way on St. Patrick's Day in Beaufort with the meeting of Milltown/Castlemaine (M/C) versus Glenbeigh/Glencar/Cromane (G/G/C) with a slight breeze blowing across the field and in cool conditions, getting colder as the afternoon progressed.

This rescheduled fixture began with a score from G/G/C's captain Darren Houlihan as he slotted over the first free of the afternoon. Some good pressure from M/C followed and it was rewarded after some great play with a fine score from the boot of Sean Hogan. This trend was to continue and after an attempted score came back off both posts, in the confusion that followed, Eoin O'Brien struck the ball goalwards which led to the first green flag of the afternoon. M/C now leading by 1-01 to 0-01.

Points were exchanged with some good forward movement from both sides, Daniel Griffin pointing for G/G/C and M/C forward Craig Counihan followed with a fine score. It was G/G/C's turn to ripple the back of the net shortly afterwards, this time from a penalty awarded after some last ditch defending resulted in a leg block- Darren Houlihan converting the chance to bring the sides level. M/C went on a scoring run of three unanswered points -with the first coming from the oppositions kick-out. Dylan O'Neill expertly picked up the ball from the ground at speed at knocked over a fine score.

This was followed by the first of two scores from Gavin McKenna. After knocking over his first- McKenna then won the ball back in midfield and played the ball forward. As the ball was returned to him, he struck a fine point from distance. This was to be the final score of the first half but M/C were to lose midfielder Padraig O'Reilly to a red card shortly afterwards. With the M/C defence proving resolute, the score stayed the same at Half Time.

M/C 1-05 V 1-02 Glenbeigh/Glencar/Cromane
The second half begun the same as the first with the sides exchanging scores. A Dylan O'Neill free putting M/C into a four point lead before being pegged back by a score from Liam Roche. G/G/C got another score back to bring the gap to two points through Caolim Teahan. Then came a pivotal moment in the second half- as only moments after collecting a fine catch underneath his own posts M/C's captain, David Roche, went down injured in the midfield. In a knock on from the same passage of play, M/C's Dylan O'Neill also appeared to



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take a knock. O'Neill was able to continue but Captain Roche was forced to leave the field of play with Kieran Griffin coming in to replace him. A score from G/G/C's Oisín O'Connor brought the teams within one score before the impressive Gavin McKenna widened the gap again to two. The next score was to change the game though as G/G/C's number eleven Daniel Griffin knocked in their second goal of the day. This was followed by a pointed free from Caolim Teahan to switch the game. It was now G/G/C leading by two points.

Unfortunately for M/C Dylan O'Neill was still feeling the effects of the earlier injury and had to be replaced. His replacement Michael Dennehy made an instant impact however, coming on to bring his team within a score. A point from Daniel Griffin extended G/G/C's lead to two once more and his side began to try and keep the ball just inside their oppositions half. M/C's defence was staying strong but a break away score was needed. As M/C went in search of the scores they needed, G/G/C broke and Oltan Heffernan found himself isolated. In a two minute spell of great excitement, Heffernan pulled off a fantastic last man block which lead eventually to his sides next opportunity at the opposite end of the field.

The ball was dropped in just short of the goal and it fell to M/C's Kieran Griffin. Just like his fellow replacement earlier, he converted his chance only this time raising the green flag and putting his side a point to the good with very little time left. With the clock ticking G/G/C searched for the equaliser and came up against once more a M/C side proving tough to break down. As each journey forward seemed to be the last, with virtually the final kick of the game, a free was awarded and converted by G/G/C's Darren Houlihan.

Extra-time would be needed to separate these two sides with the teams finishing level.

M/C 2-08 V 2-08 Glenbeigh/Glencar/Cromane
With the teams back to fifteen a side for the extra period, Dan Phelan entered the field of play for M/C. It was G/G/C however that would get the better of the first half of extra time with two scores the first coming from the impressive Caolim Teahan. Shortly after, a powerful strike from G/G/C's substitute Shane O'Neill struck the

crossbar and went over the bar to put his side three points ahead. M/C battled back and got a score through a Sean Hogan free as the teams turned round for the second half of extra time-with two points between them.

Milltown-Castlemaine introduced Aaron O'Brien as a replacement for Killian Kearns and they went in search of the scores to turn the game around once more. Sean Hogan got his second score in extra time to leave one point between the sides and in the remaining minutes his side tried hard for the equaliser-but it was not to be. G/G/C held on to claim victory on what was a hard fought game for both sides.

CLOSING DATE FOR REGISTRATION: MARCH 31ST 2018

Our club will hold one last opportunity for anybody who still needs to register with our club. This will be on this Thursday March 22nd (7-8) at the GAA Clubrooms.

All officers, players and mentors need to be registered for insurance purposes with Croke Park. Our registrar Karina Spring will be delighted to facilitate anybody who wishes to join our club. Membership must be paid before March 31st 2018. (Registrations after this date will not be issued with a registration card-something that is necessary to gain your free entry to home county league games)

APPROPRIATE FOOTBALL GEAR

Can all underage team managers, trainers/coaches please ensure that all players representing Milltown /Castlemaine are dressed in club colours (Green and White socks and togs.) This is to avoid any inconvenience prior to games.

We would also ask parents/guardians of players to inform their children of this County Board Rule.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

Well done to all the committee who organised such a fantastic parade. We are very fortunate to have our own parade here in Milltown. So much work goes into organising the parade and as a club we sincerely thank all those people who volunteered in any way. Thank you to those who walked with our club and to our members who were part of various other floats in the parade.



KERRY GAA SCENE

REPORT BY LEONA TWISS, PRO

ALLIANZ LEAGUE

Kerry are safe in Division 1 for next year and have used this year's league campaign to 'try-out' a number of newer players so overall it has been a positive campaign. Our final game of the league is away to Tyrone next Sunday in Omagh at 3pm. Tickets are on sale in Centra, SuperValu and the Kerry GAA Store, Killarney. Admission is €15 for adults and for U16s admission is free and you can avail of the 20% discount if you purchase before midnight on Saturday.

As it stands after round 6, Kerry are in 5th place on 6 points. Dublin and Galway top the table with 11 points each, Monaghan and Tyrone are on 8 and 6 points respectively. Mayo, Donegal and Kildare are below Kerry and next weekend's game between Mayo and Donegal will determine who will be relegated to Division 2. The team to play Tyrone will be announced on Friday on the Kerry GAA website at 9pm.

CASTLEISLAND MART JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP PRELIMINARY ROUND

There were two preliminary games to be played last Sunday with the winners playing in the Junior championship and the losers going into the Novice championship but both games were conceded. As a result, Asdee will play in the Novice and Kilgarvan will play in the Junior Championship and Moyvane will go into the Junior and Knocknagoshel will go into the Novice Championship.

FIXTURES

The fixtures for Easter weekend for the Castleisland Mart Club Championship -

Senior Club - Group 1

Austin Stacks v Kerins O Rahillys in Austin Stack Park Sat March 31 @ 6.45pm

Sun April 1 @ 4pm Dr Crokes v An Ghaeltacht in Austin Stack Park

Senior Club - Group 2

Dingle v Rathmore in Austin Stack Park Sun April 1 @ 2.15pm

Sun April 1 @ 4pm Killarney Legion v Kenmare Shamrocks in Fitzgerald Stadium

Intermediate - Group 1

Kilcummin v Glenbeigh/G'car in Beaufort Sat March 31 @ 5.30pm

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Brosna v Milltown/C'maine in Castleisland

Intermediate - Group 2

Sat March 31 @ 5pm Ardfert v John Mitchels in Austin Stack Park

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm St Marys v Dromid in Waterville

Intermediate - Group 3

Sat March 31 @ 5.30pm Laune Rgs v Waterville in Caherciveen

Sat March 31 @ 5.30pm Glenflesk v Desmonds at Lewis Rd

Intermediate - Group 4 Sun April 1 @ 2.15pm Templenoe v Currow in Fitzgerald Stadium

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Spa v Gneeveguilla in Kil-

cummin

Junior Premier - Group 1 Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm

Firies v Beaufort in Milltown Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm

St Senans v Annascaul at Strand Rd

Junior Premier - Group 2

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Skellig Rgs v Listry in

Glenbeigh

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Ballydonoghue v Church-

ill in Finuge

Junior Premier - Group 3 Sat March 31 @

5.30pm Keel v Fossa in Killorglin

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm St Mls/F'more v St Pats in

Cromane

Junior Premier - Group 4 Sat March 31 @

5.30pm Na Gaeil v Emmets in Mountcoal

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Ballymac v Finuge at Con-

nolly Park

Junior Championship Group 1 - Rd 2 - 1st

named = home venue

Sat March 31 @ 5.30pm Tarbert v Scartaglin

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Sneem/D'nane v

Castlegregory

Junior Championship Group 2 - Rd 2 - 1st

named = home venue Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm

Kilgarvan v Cromane

Cordal v Lispole

Junior Championship Group 3 - Rd 2 - 1st

named = home venue

Sat March 31 @ 5.30pm Ballylongford v Beale

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Duagh v Tuosist

Junior Championship Group 4 - Rd 2 - 1st

named = home venue

Sun April 1 @ 2.30pm Valentia v Moyvane

Ballyduff v Renard

CREDIT UNION COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Round 2 of the Credit Union County Football Leagues go ahead next weekend. Round 1 saw wins in Division 1 for Spa, Beaufort, An Ghaeltacht, Kerins O'Rahillys and Killarney Legion, while Dr Crokes and Glenbeigh/Glencair shared the points. In Division 2, Ardfert, Kilcummin, Desmonds, Milltown/Castlemaine, Na Gaeil and Kenmare Shamrocks got off to a winning start. In Division 3 full points went to Keel, Waterville, Brosna, Annascaul, St Pats Blennerville and Dr Crokes. In Division 4, Beale, St Michaels/Foilmore, Fossa and Tarbert top the table with 2 points followed by Castlegregory, Gneeveguilla, Renard and Cromane on 1 point. In Division 5 Group A & B Scartaglin, Austin Stacks, Churchill, Asdee, Tuosist, Moyvane and Duagh are all on 2 points.

All home club PROs are asked to send a short, balanced match report to their coordinator after the game - the coordinators are as follows division 1 Eileen Clifford, Division 2 Eileen Casey, Division 3 Joan McGillycuddy and Division 5 Jack Hennessy. We are looking for a coordinator for division 4 but for meantime, reports are to be sent to pro.kerry@gaa.ie.

DATA PROTECTION LEGISLATION COURSE IN MALLOW

New Data Protection legislation, called the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), is coming into effect in May 2018. This legislation will have significant implications for GAA Clubs and it is important that all of us are aware of our responsibilities regarding data protection. In order to assist GAA Clubs to understand specifically what they must do to comply with the legislation, a number of Data Protection seminars are scheduled during March, one in each Province. The seminars will start at 7:00 PM and will last approximately 2.5 hours. Please note that the Seminars are a repeat of the one held in Croke Park at the end of last year - if you attended that session, you do not need to re-attend, but you are welcome to do so if you so wish. This Seminar is intended for Club officials who will be actively involved in the process of collecting, processing and storing information relating to members on an ongoing basis. This may be the club Registrar or the Secretary or another volunteer and it will vary from club to club. Please bring this event to the attention of the relevant person in your club.

The agenda will cover a range of topics and will specifically address the following: • An overview of Data Protection legislation • Specific changes arising from GDPR • Tools and supports available to help Clubs: • Data Protection Officer

The Munster seminar will be held on March 22nd in Mallow GAA Club, Cork at 7pm.

CÚL CAMPS

Kellogg's GAA Cúl Camps provide boys and girls - between the ages of 6 and 13 - with an action-packed and fun-filled week of activity during the summer holidays which revolves around maximising enjoyment and sustaining participant involvement in Gaelic Games. Activities are player-centred with a Games Based approach and a strong emphasis being placed on personal development and well-being. Activities are also organised in an age-appropriate manner with a view to: Optimise learning, Enhance friendships, Improve physical & psychological Well-being and Promote school and club links. The cost is €60 for the first child; €50 for the 2nd child; €40 for the 3rd and subsequent children. For children attending a second camp, without gear, the cost is €35.

GAELTACHT SCHOLARSHIPS AND SCÓR

The closing date for applying for a part funded scholarship to Coláiste Corca Dhuibhne is fast approaching. Any student aged between 12 and 17 and is a member of a GAA club in Kerry is eligible to apply - contact Christy Killeen Cultural Officer for further information.

Congratulations to the Fossa club who won a Munster Senior Scór title last week in instrumental music. They now go on to represent Kerry in the All Ireland final along with the Churchill quiz team.



MEMBERS OF KILCUMMIN GAA CLUB PICTURED AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE.



KILLARNEY CAMOGIE CLUB PICTURED AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE.

GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB LOTTO

No winner of our lotto draw 16/03/208, numbers drawn were 7, 10, 17 & 18. Sellers prize winner Karen O' Mahoney. €50 Y/T prize winner Mairead O' Neill Newmarket, €50 to Don Murphy Gneeveguilla, €40 each to Reen's Syndicate c/o Austin Murphy, Gerard Looney Knocknagree & Mike Dilworth Knocknagree. Bonus not won numbers drawn were 1, 7, 17 & 22. Next week's jackpot €7,200 plus €1,000 bonus.

NATIONAL INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Top marks this week goes to Shauna O'Brien on winning the National Indoor Championships 1500m in Athlone, not alone that she also set a championship best performance of 4.40 for the event. What a weekend for Shauna, she received Munster Sports Star award at a gala function in Ennis on Friday night. Danielle O'Riordan came 7th in U13 shot again putting in a personal best performance. We have more children out next weekend.

KERRY 5K ROAD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Kerry 5K road championships are on in Currow next Sunday.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Easter Monday the Jack O'Keeffe Juvenile Road races in Kiskeam and 4 mile road race.

FARRANFORE MAINE VALLEY AC

Darragh Casey finished in second place at the Killarney Mountain Festival 10Km National Park run with a time of 38:28. Maria McCarthy took part in the Kilshelan 10mile road race held in Tipperary. Maria was the first lady in a seasonal best time of 63:22.

Tralee Harriers AC hosted the Tralee Full / Half Marathon which incorporated a 5K & 10K on Sunday March 18th. It was a bitterly cold morning, but thankfully the snow did not arrive. Arthur Fitzgerald was second in the 5K race. Marie McKenna came home in a personal best time of 1hr 30mins, 4th lady and 1st in her age category for the Half Marathon. Julie Dean also achieved a personal best time of 3hrs 42mins for the full marathon, 4th lady and 2nd in her age category. Taking 37mins of here last

marathon.

Congratulations to Shauna McCarthy who has been selected to represent Ireland in the SIAB Schools Cross Country Championships. The Junior race will be held in Nottingham, England on March 24th where she will be competing against teams from England, Wales and Scotland. We wish her the very best of luck.

Also, best of luck to our three masters athletes; Jim O'Shea, Michael O'Connor and Jerome Foley who will be competing in the European Masters Indoor Championships at Madrid, Spain this week.

The County Roads Championships (Junior, Senior, Novice & Masters) will be held on Sunday 25th March in Currow. The 5K race will start at 11am with registration before race. We encourage as many of our athletes to come along and support.

Munster 4 Mile Road Championships on Monday 2nd April in Castlelyons, Co. Cork. Closing date for receipt of entries is midnight on Wednesday 28th March

CLUB TRAINING

Juvenile Indoor training every Tuesday from 6pm to 6:45pm at Farranfore Community Sports Hall. This is for children born 2010 (7/8yrs) to 2006 (12yrs). €2 per session. New comers always welcome.

Maria's Strength, Endurance & Flexibility Exercise Class every Tuesday from 7pm to 8pm in Farranfore Community Hall. €5 per session Secondary School & Senior training on every Thursday at 6:30pm in GAA grounds Farranfore. This is endurance / distance training. €2 club member, €4 non club member.

ATHLETIC'S FIXTURES

Sun 25th March: National Juvenile Indoor C'ships Day 3, AIT Arena

Sun 25th March: County 5K Road Race C'ships, Currow @ 11am

Mon 2nd April: Munster 4 Mile Road C'ships, Castlelyons, Co Cork @ 1pm

Mon 2nd April: Gneeveguilla AC - Jack O'Keeffe 4mile road race from Boherbuee to Kiskeam @2pm

Sat 7th April: National Juvenile Indoor C'ships Day 1, AIT Arena

Sun 8th April: Community Games U12 - U14 XC, Beaufort @ 11am

Sun 15th April: Gneeveguilla AC Open Juvenile Sports, Castleisland Track @1pm

Sat 21st April: Munster Junior & U/23 T&F & Juv

Pentathlon C'ships, Templemore

Sun 22nd April: An Ríocht Kingdom Come 10mile & 5K, Castleisland

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.

HANDBALL NEWS

28TH UP FOR LYNCH

Making the long trip to Kingscourt and facing a different opponent made no difference to Glenbeigh's Dominick Lynch as he won his 28th All Ireland title. The latest is the Masters A 40x20 title as Lynch beat Antrim's Ricky McCann 21-17, 21-5. McCann was nominated when his county-man Sean Devine had to pull out injured.

Unfortunately there was no double glory for Glenbeigh and Kerry as Jack O'Shea lost out in his Junior A Singles final to Wexford's Galen Riordan 21-9, 21-10.

Next weekend in the All Ireland 40x20 Masters A Doubles semi-final Dominick Lynch and John Joe Quirke will play Vinny Moran and Joe Dowling of Mayo. In the Junior A Doubles semi-final Jack O'Shea and Rory O'Connor will take on Denis Creaton and Sean Jennings from Roscommon.

Both games are on in Ballaghadreen Co Mayo on Saturday while on Sunday Lynch and O'Shea will team up to play Clare's Colin Creahan and Diarmuid Nash in the 40x20 All Ireland Senior Doubles quarter final. This game is on in Cappagh Co Limerick at 1pm.

KILLARNEY RFC NEWS

Last Saturday our minis took part in the St. Patrick's Day parade and had a fantastic time. Thanks to everyone who marched with us and the coaches and parents who marched with us also.

TABLE QUIZ:

Tonight our minis host a fundraising table quiz at the Killarney Oaks at 7:30pm and we would invite all minis, youths and their parents to attend and support the table quiz. A table of 4 adults costs €40 while a table of 4 children under 15 costs €20. A great night of fun is guaranteed with great prizes and a raffle will take place. for details contact our Minis Coordinator Liam Murphy on 087-4145662.

SAFETY FOR PERMIT HOLDERS

How learner drivers can ensure their driving experience is a safe and enjoyable one

SAFETY FOR PERMIT HOLDERS

To ensure your safety and that of other road users, learner drivers are bound by certain laws.

DRIVING ALONE:

You can't be alone in the vehicle when driving, regardless of how long you have been driving and how many learner permits you have held. And the person who's with you must hold a full driving licence for the category of vehicle you are driving for a continuous period of 2 years.

THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS TO THIS ARE WHEN YOU ARE:

Driving a work vehicle (eg, agricultural tractor or JCB), unless it has been adapted to carry a passenger, and the passenger holds a full driving licence for a work vehicle for a continuous period of 2 years.

Riding a motorcycle, if you obtained your first learner permit on or after the 6 December 2010 you need to carry a Certification of Satisfactory Completion with your permit in order to drive.

ACCOMPANYING OTHER LEARNERS:

You may not act as an accompanying driver, ie, holder of a full licence, for a person driving on a learner permit. The Certificate of Competency you receive on passing your driving test does not qualify – you must hold a full licence to be an accompanying driver for a continuous period of at least 2 years.

'L' PLATES:

Your vehicle must display an 'L' plate front and rear. The plate should consist of a red 'L' on a white background.

MOTORWAYS:

No driving on motorways even if you possess a certificate of competence.

TRAILERS:

If you hold a learner permit to drive vehicles of



categories B, C1, C, D1 or D you may not drive the vehicle when drawing a trailer.

PASSENGERS:

No passengers can be carried for payment or other reward.

VEHICLE SAFETY

Safe driving alone does not ensure road safety. The vehicle you are driving must also be fit to be on the road. In fact, it is a serious offence to drive an unsafe vehicle on a public road.

Laws exist to enforce vehicle standards. One of the most important of these is that your car, if more than four years old, must undergo a regular health-check called a National Car Test (NCT).

As a driver, it is your responsibility to ensure your vehicle is in good working order. You must ensure that the steering, brakes, front and rear lights, reflectors, rear view mirrors, safety belts, speedometer, tyres, windscreen wipers, horn and silencer are all checked regularly to ensure they are in good condition and working properly.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Not all of the following are legal requirements but they are all important to adhere to:

CHILDREN IN MOTOR VEHICLES

You must not leave young children on their

own in a motor vehicle, even if you are away for a short time. The children may face a number of hazards, such as:

A FIRE BREAKING OUT

Dehydration and heatstroke on a warm day (if all windows are closed)

Being trapped in electric windows, which could result in serious injury or death

ANIMALS IN MOTOR VEHICLES

You should never leave animals alone in vehicles. It is cruel and unsafe and can result in injury to the animal and/or damage to your vehicle.

USING A MOBILE PHONE

You must not drive a vehicle or ride a motorbike while using a handheld mobile phone. It is an offence that can result in your receiving up to four penalty points.

Cyclists should never use a mobile phone when cycling; pedestrians should be careful when using one.

IPODS ETC

Personal radios and MP3 players can be distracting and cause you to lose concentration while driving or crossing the road. Cyclists in particular should avoid these devices, as they, more than most, rely on their hearing while on the road.

BASIC CAR CHECKS

Here's a simple way to remember what to check.

RAIN OR SHINE, it pays to give the car a good check over every couple of weeks – you could prevent a breakdown and perhaps a large, unwelcome bill.

FUEL

Top up when you pass a filling station rather than delay looking for one until the fuel light comes on – particularly if you're driving in an unfamiliar area.

OIL

Cars can consume as much as a litre of oil every

1,000 miles. Check the oil level regularly (your handbook will show you how). Don't wait for the red oil pressure warning light to come on – engine damage may already have occurred by then.

LIGHTS

Clean all exterior lights regularly and check for blown bulbs and cracks in the lens.

ELECTRICS

Battery problems are the number one cause of breakdowns at any time of year. Renew an old, tired battery before it lets you down. Also make sure that your electric radiator cooling fan starts running when the engine gets hot – you can check this by running the engine with the car stationary.

WATER

Overheating is a common cause of breakdowns, especially in hotter weather. Check the coolant level regularly (the handbook will show you how) and if the level always seems low, check for leakages. Top up the windscreen washer fluid too.

RUBBER

Incorrectly inflated tyres are not only unsafe, they wear out faster and can increase fuel consumption by around 5%. If you're driving with extra passengers or luggage, remember to increase your tyre pressure accordingly (see your handbook).

EARTH HOUR IS THIS SATURDAY

Earth hour is all about helping to protect the planet and everyone doing their bit to reverse global warming. While the idea is partly about saving electricity during that crucial 'Earth Hour', it is actually more about the symbolism and getting people to be more wary about what they use.

To take part all you have to do is just switch off your lights and stop using electronic things like computers and iPads between 8.30 and 9.30pm on this Saturday, March 24th. Lights that are on for safety reasons and medical equipment, fridges and freezers obviously need to stay on.

CHANGE TO SUMMER TIME THIS WEEKEND

Ireland is in the Western European Time Zone, which is the same time as Greenwich Mean Time, so to make sure you don't oversleep or mess up your daily routine on Sunday, before you go to bed on this Saturday night or on Sunday, 25 March at 01:00am be sure to set the time forward by one hour on your clocks, watches and all other manually controlled timer devices.

Brighter evenings are wonderful to look forward to and lets hope we will get the dry, mild weather to enjoy them.

DANCE IN AID OF RECOVERY HAVEN

Well-known musician Noel Hartnett, his wife Sheila and their friends are inviting all music fans to come along to their 9th Annual Fund Raising Dance in aid of Recovery Haven Cancer Support House, Tralee to enjoy a night of music and dance with Patrick & Conor O'Sullivan and P.J. Murrihy on Tuesday March 27th. The venue is the Earl of Desmond Hotel, Tralee. Doors open at 9pm. Admission €10.

Not only will this be a wonderful night of entertainment but there will also be fantastic prizes to be won.

Recovery Haven offers a safe place to access free information, emotional support and practical help at whatever stage of cancer you are at - from diagnosis to post treatment - or caring for a loved one, with the full support and guidance of the Irish Cancer Society.

The central support service for Recovery Haven Kerry is based at 5 Haigs Terrace, Killierisk, Tralee, and they also provide two community outreach programmes in Killarney and Killorglin.

The Killarney Outreach Programme is held at the Reeks Gateway (opposite Lidl) from 10am - 2pm on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month and the Killorglin Outreach Programme is held in the Killorglin Community Care Centre, Market St. from 10.00am-2.00pm on the 2nd Thursday of each Month

If you would like further information on Recovery Haven or their Outreach Services please check out the website www.recoveryhavenkerry.com e-mail reception@recoveryhavenkerry.com or phone 066 719 2122.

RESCUED BY THE NAVY

An 18-month-old German Shepherd named Luna fell off a fishing boat in the Pacific Ocean, swam two miles to a nearby island used by the U.S. Navy for target practice, and is believed to



have survived there for five weeks by eating mice.

Luna was first reported missing the morning of February 10th, 2016 by her owner, Nick Hayworth, a fisherman who was out fishing near and island about 80 miles off the coast of San Diego.

"He told us Luna was a very powerful swimmer and that he was 90% sure she'd head for shore," said Sandy DeMunnik, public affairs officer for Naval Base Coronado. "So our staff searched the island, but with no luck. He stayed in the area for two more days to look for her, and after a week, we considered her lost at sea and presumed dead."

Over a month later, Luna showed up to greet Navy staffers arriving on the island for work. "They saw Luna just sitting on the side of the road, wagging her tail, it was a stunning sight for them as there are no domesticated animals on the island," Ms. DeMunnik explained.

Luna who was presented with a Navy "Dog Tag" engraved with the dates she was on the island was examined by a wildlife biologist at the San Diego Zoo who determined she was "perfectly healthy, other than being a little undernourished," Ms. DeMunnik concluded.

QUOTE

'Light is one of the greatest gifts of the Creator to man. While daylight surrounds us, cheerfulness reigns, anxieties press less heavily, and courage is bred for the struggle of life. Against our ever-besieging enemy disease, light and fresh air act as guards in our defence, and when the conflict is close, supply us with the most effective weapons with which to overcome the invader.' - William Willett.

ON THIS DATE - MARCH 23RD

1847 - Choctaw Indians collected money to donate to starving Irish Hunger victims of the Irish potato famine.

1893 - Birth in Dublin of Cedric Gibbons, designer of the Oscar statuette and winner of eleven Academy Awards himself.

1903 - Wright brothers obtained aeroplane patent.

1918 - Lithuania proclaimed independence.

1919 - Mussolini founded the Italian Fascist Movement, a model for far-right parties across Europe.

1929 - 1st telephone installed in the U.S. White House.

1942 - U.S. moved native-born of Japanese

ancestry into detention centres.

1945 - The Swallow Sidecar Company trading name for the company Walmsley & Lyons (Coventry) changed its name to Jaguar.

1950 - UN World Meteorological Organisation (WMO) whose mandate covers weather, climate and water resources was established.

1956 - The Islamic Republic of Pakistan became an independent republic.

WISDOM, THE WORLD'S OLDEST KNOWN WILD BIRD, IS A MOTHER AGAIN

Year after year, Wisdom, a Laysan albatross who is the oldest known banded bird in the world, has continued to surprise wildlife officials and her fans by reappearing at the Midway Atoll National Wildlife Refuge to meet up with her mate Akeakamai - and this year is no exception.

Wisdom was believed to be just five-years-old when she was first banded back in 1956 by biologist Chandler Robbins when Midway Atoll was an active U.S. Naval Air Station. In 2002 Mr. Robbins caught her again by chance and her story took off.

She has since outlived many of her mates and relatives whose lifespans are estimated to be between 12 and 40 years in the wild, Wisdom and her mate, Akeakamai, return each year to the Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument to nest and raise a single chick and she's also believed to have logged two to three million miles of flight time since 1956—or four to six round trips to the moon.

On December 13, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service confirmed the pair were incubating a new egg and this has since hatched out. It will be another few months before this little newcomer fledges, and the pair will continue taking turns caring for it until it's ready.

Wisdom is believed to have successfully raised as many as 36 chicks in her lifetime, with each one being precious to the survival of the Laysan albatross, who are listed as Near Threatened on the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species.

Today, the refuge, which is about 1,200 miles northwest of Hawaii, is home to the largest population of albatross on earth, including 73% of all Laysan albatross, 36% of all Black-footed albatross and endangered Short-tailed albatross.



Citizens Information

Know Your Rights: PARENTAL LEAVE

QUESTION

What is parental leave? Can both parents take it?

ANSWER

Each parent of an eligible child may take up to 18 weeks of unpaid parental leave from work. Leave can be taken no later than the child's eighth birthday. However, if your child has a disability or a long-term illness, you can take parental leave up to their 16th birthday. If you adopt a child between the ages of six and eight, you can take leave for that child up to two years after the date of the adoption order. (Your contract of employment may also provide for an extended age limit.)

You can take 18 weeks of leave per child in one continuous period or in two separate blocks of a minimum of six weeks. If taken in two separate blocks, there must be a gap of at least 10 weeks between the two periods of leave per child. However, if your employer agrees, you can separate parental leave into periods of days or even hours.

Taking parental leave does not affect your other employment rights. Apart from the loss of pay and pension contributions, your position remains as if no parental leave had been taken. This means, for example, that while on parental leave you will continue to accumulate your annual leave entitlement. While you are on parental leave, a public holiday that falls on a day when you would normally be working is added to your period of leave.

When you return to work after taking parental leave, you can ask for a change in your work pattern or working hours for a set period. Your employer must consider your request, but is not obliged to grant it.

Both parents have an equal entitlement to 18 weeks' parental leave each. Unless you and your partner work for the same employer, this leave is non-transferable; you can only claim your own parental leave entitlement of up to 18 weeks per child. However, if you both work for the same employer and your employer agrees, you may transfer up to 14 weeks of your parental leave entitlement to each other.

Further information is available from the Citizens Information Service below.

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

Information is also available online at citizensinformation.ie and from the Citizens Information Phone Service, 0761 07 4000.



SouthWest Counselling Centre

COPING WITH GRIEF



Whilst we may often think of grief resulting from the death of a loved one, any loss can cause grief. These losses may include divorce or the break up of a relationship, a miscarriage, loss of a pet, loss of our health, a job, a cherished dream, a friendship, financial security, or selling the family home.

Grieving is a highly individual and personal experience and the way in which we grieve can depend on many different elements. These include our personality, our life experiences, our faith, the nature of the loss, our resilience and coping style. Grief can be like a roller coaster – with ups and downs. Powerful feelings can come unexpectedly some more intense and longer lasting than others. Feelings can range from shock and disbelief, to guilt, sadness, anger, fear and frustration. Physical symptoms are also common such as weight loss/gain, insomnia, fatigue, nausea, aches and pains. Forgetfulness and poor concentration are also symptoms of grief. All of these feelings are perfectly normal and there is no right or wrong way to feel. Sometimes people can feel guilty about their anger – but it is okay to be angry.

It is important not to go through this alone and to talk and share your feelings. This may be with family and friends or you may prefer the support of a counsellor. Counselling can offer the space and time to talk through your feelings and overcome obstacles to your grieving. Allowing yourself time to experience your feelings is very important even if, at times, they are difficult. For many people their faith, prayer, meditation or going to church can be a great solace in times of loss. Support groups where you can share your sorrow with others who have experienced similar losses can be also be of tremendous help. It is vitally important that you take care of yourself when you are grieving. You are coming to terms with a major upheaval in your life so give yourself permission to take things a bit easier. Your energy may be low, so do not place too many demands on yourself and make sure you get enough rest and sleep. It is important to look after your physical health by eating healthily and getting some exercise each day. Don't rush things and put off making major decisions such as moving home or changing jobs for at least six months to a year.



SouthWest Counselling Centre Killarney. SouthWest Counselling Centre Killarney provides affordable professional counselling to children, adolescents adults and couples – both at its Killarney Centre (Lewis Road) and at Kenmare Family Centre. info@southwestcounselling.ie.

Kerry LifeLine provides FREE counselling and support to anyone feeling suicidal or bereaved through suicide.

info@kerrylifeline.com To make an appointment call 064 6636416/064 6636100

SouthWest Counselling Centre is a not-for-profit organization. All funds raised through fundraising go directly to service provision



Kerry ETB Training Centre



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

CAD - Computer Aided Design Course (ET115) - Tralee.

This course offers participants the opportunity to develop knowledge and skills in 2D and 3D computer aided design. Participants must have technical drawing and maths in the Leaving Certificate or equivalent. **Start Date:** 26th February 2018. **Duration:** 34 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 3 Awards in 2D and 3D Computer Aided Design.

ECDL (ETK79) - Tralee.

This course offers participants the opportunity to develop the computer skills needed to work in an office. It covers keyboard skills, computer essentials, online essentials, word processing, spreadsheets, databases, presentation software, and career planning & job seeking skills. **Start Date:** 26th February 2018. **Duration:** 18 weeks. **Certification:** ECDL Award, Level 1 Office Procedures Certificate and Typewriting Certificate.

Manual & Computerised Payroll and Bookkeeping (ET025) - Tralee & Killarney.

This course is for people who wish to develop a range of manual and computerised payroll and bookkeeping skills. **Start Date:** 26th March 2018 in Tralee and the 14th May 2018 in Killarney. **Duration:** 10 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Component Certificates in Manual and Computerised Bookkeeping and Payroll.

Traditional Stonewall & Landscape Gardening Construction (ET4R8) - Tralee.

This course provides participants with the knowledge and skills to build a range of stone walls and landscape gardening features. **Start Date:** 26th March 2018. **Duration:** 34 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Special Purpose Award in Traditional Stonewall Construction.

Deciding Your Future (ET980) - Tralee.

This course is for people who find themselves unemployed and uncertain on what to do next. It gives participants the opportunity to boost their confidence, interact with people who have similar concerns and put structure back in to their working day. It offers them the opportunity to devise a career development plan that suits their needs, develop the skills to implement the plan and work towards achieving it. **Start Date:** 26th March 2018. **Duration:** 11 weeks. **Certification:** N/A.

Construction Ground Work Skills (ET23462) - Tralee.

This course provides participants with the knowledge and skills to construct concrete slabs and paths and to lay kerbs, flags and pavements under various conditions. **Start Date:** 9th April 2018. **Duration:** 16 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 4 Award.

Digital Photography (ET08585) - Tralee.

This is an introductory course for those wishing to pursue careers in the world of photography and digital imaging. It offers participants the opportunity to develop the knowledge and skills needed to generate a range of professional photographic content. **Start Date:** 14th May 2018. **Duration:** 14 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Award in Digit Photography.

Fibre Installation Technician (ET08632) - Tralee

This course provides participants with the specialist knowledge and skills to install, fault find, repair and test fibre optic and copper communications networks. **Start Date:** 9th April 2018. **Duration:** 24 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 2 Award in Communications Cabling.

Food Preparation and Cooking (ET20D) - Tralee

This course is an excellent starting point for a career in professional cookery. Participants will gain the knowledge and skills to prepare, cook and present a wide variety of commodities and dishes to a professional standard. **Start Date:** 14th May 2018. **Duration:** 20 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 2 Diploma in Food Preparation and Cooking.

Heavy Goods Vehicle Driving Rigid (HGV) (ET394) - Tralee.

This programme provides participants with skills and related knowledge in the rules of the road, driving a heavy goods vehicle - rigid body, care and maintenance of the vehicle, loading and unloading the vehicle, customer care, and documentation. Applicants must be in possession of a current full Class B Driving Licence and a current Class C Learner Permit. **Start Date:** 21st May 2018. **Duration:** 10 Weeks. **Certification:** Class C Driving Licence, RSA Driver Certificate of Professional Competence, RTTB Counterbalance or Reach Forklift Truck Driving Certificate, and ADR Certification for Drivers.

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

Kerry ETB Training Centre

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HOW TAX CREDITS WORK

Tax is calculated as a percentage of your income. Your tax credits are deducted from this to give the amount of tax that you have to pay. A tax credit has the effect of reducing your tax by the amount of the credit.

Everyone is entitled to a personal tax credit. There are personal tax credits for single people, people who are married or in a civil partnership and people who are widowed or are surviving civil partners. If you are in employment, getting a pension or getting a taxable social welfare payment (such as Jobseeker's Benefit) you are also entitled to the Employee Tax Credit (formerly known as the PAYE tax credit) of €1,650.

RATES

This table sets out the main tax credits available in 2017 and 2018.

Tax credit	2017	2018
Single person	€1,650	€1,650
Married person or civil partner	€3,300	€3,300
Employee Tax Credit (formerly known as the PAYE tax credit)	€1,650	€1,650
Earned Income tax credit	€950	€1,150
Widowed person or surviving civil partner qualifying for Single Person Child Carer Credit	€1,650	€1,650
Widowed person or surviving civil partner (without dependent children)	€2,190	€2,190
Widowed Person or Surviving Civil Partner in year of bereavement	€3,300	€3,300
Single Person Child Carer Credit	€1,650	€1,650
Incapacitated Child Credit	€3,300	€3,300
Blind Tax Credit		
Single person	€1,650	€1,650
Married - one spouse or civil partner blind	€1,650	€1,650
Married - both spouses or civil partners blind	€3,300	€3,300
Widowed person or surviving civil partner with dependent child tax credit		n/a €3,600
Bereaved in 2017		€3,600
Bereaved in 2016	€3,600	€3,150
Bereaved in 2015	€3,150	€2,700
Bereaved in 2014	€2,700	€2,250
Bereaved in 2013	€2,250	€1,800
Bereaved in 2012	€1,800	n/a
Age tax credit		
Single, widowed or a surviving civil partner	€245	€245
Married or in a civil partnership	€490	€490
Dependent relative tax credit	€70	€70
Home carer tax credit	€1,100	€1,200

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There is also a wide range of flowering plants for shade. A good example is an Astilbe, an Astilbe has a good range of flower colours and foliage to choose from. An Astilbe has a good range of flower colours and foliage to choose from. Sometimes when an area is shaded, the ground can be quite dry – even in the winter time. A good plant for this would be a plant called Vinca Minor which is an evergreen flowering ground cover plant. But remember to water until established.

Next week I will be focusing on Grasses and Bamboos.

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ON THE BOX

It's all kicking off in the soaps this week as tragedy strikes in Fair City, a cliff-top showdown in Coronation Street and there's death drama in Eastenders.

EASTENDERS

One To Watch: Monday

Kats Back! And she's not dead. As the community turn on the Slaters, how will the family explain their actions?

CORONATION STREET

One To Watch: Friday


The downfall of Phelan has begun and next Fridays must see episode will see Eileen finally learning the truth. Expect high stakes as a shocking incident changes everything.

FAIR CITY

One To Watch: Thursday

Don't miss an action packed episode of Fair City next Thursday as terror grips the community leading to devastating consequences for all involved.

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A WORD OF VICTORY

Welcome back dear reader, are you facing insurmountable odds? Let me tell you that "with God nothing will be impossible" (Luke 1:37). The problem is many people are living not with God, but, without Him. Paul warned that in the last days before Jesus comes back there will be difficult times as people will be boastful and proud, scoffing at God, and with a whole lot of other negative attributes - putting on a show of godliness, but denying the power of God (2nd Timothy 3:1-7). Sound familiar? Jesus ministered to countless people in hopeless situations; for example, the woman with the issue of blood, and Jairus whose little daughter was dying both in Mark chapter 5. The woman had spent all her money on doctors and they could not help her. Jairus was a prominent church leader and knew all about God, but could not save his daughter. Neither money nor knowledge could help in either of these situations. But - they heard about Jesus and the miracles that He was doing! They humbled themselves and left behind the world's system that had not worked, came and cried to Jesus for help, and He answered them. The woman was healed of her dreadful condition as she reached out and touched the hem of His garment, and afterwards Jesus raised the little girl off her death bed. Interestingly, He told Jairus the girl's father, not to listen to the negative reports but to "only believe". This must have been a difficult thing to do - to block out the report that she had died, and keep his eyes focussed on Jesus and hope in his heart regardless. A while back, a woman phoned here for prayer for her son who had been critically injured in an accident and was lying in a coma in hospital with no hope of recovery. She received prayer in the name of Jesus and went and laid her hands on her son in faith against all odds. To cut a long story short, her son woke up. But then she was back on the line again with a further bad report that he was probably brain damaged, blind and unable to walk. She received more prayer and encouragement from Scriptures on healing. She went back and laid hands on him once more. He was completely healed and triumphed over every obstacle that the doctors had pronounced impossible to overcome. It's there for you too friend - God loves you so much. He has no favourites, and Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever, so "do not be afraid; only believe" (Acts 10:34-38; Hebrews 13:8; Mark 5:36). Contact www.wordofvictory.net for prayer. More next week...

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(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.

M.O.I

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A.F

NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

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

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

Amen.

Say this prayer three times for three days and your favour will be granted.

M.M

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D.B

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PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY

NEVER KNOWN TO FAIL

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

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

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND 1ST ANNIVERSARY



In Loving Memory of

**BRIDGET
(BRIDIE)
BURKE**

1st Anniversary 30th of March

The family of the late Bridie Burke would like to express our deepest gratitude and appreciation to all our neighbours and friends, and to all those who sympathised and supported us during this recent sad time. To those who called to the family home, to those who attended the funeral mass and burial, and to those who sent Mass cards and messages of condolence, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

Thanks to Fr Kevin Sullivan and to Deacon Connor Bradley who celebrated the funeral Mass, to Paud Donoghue and Thomas Sullivan for the beautiful music and to Flynn funeral directors for their thoughtful and professional handling of the funeral arrangements.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, please accept this acknowledgement as a token of our gratitude and appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice of Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Sadly missed by her husband Jackie, sons Gary, Niall and Sean, daughter Maria, daughters in law Jennifer and Mandy, and also Carla, son in law Paddy, and grandchildren Amelia, James, Charlotte, Ryan, Ellie Morgan, Jack and Rachel.

*Days and months go gently by,
But love and memories never die,
No longer in our lives to share,
But in our hearts you are always there.*

1st Anniversary Mass will be held at the family home in Faha, on Friday 23rd March at 7.30pm.



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Thomas & Niall.

Anniversary Mass will be held on Friday March 23rd
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Always remembered by your daughters Hannah & Mary and
your sons Brendan, Denis, Patrick & Andrew.

Anniversary Mass will be held on Saturday March 24th
in Kilcummin Church at 7.30pm.

1ST ANNIVERSARY



In Loving Memory of

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