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## FROM THE EDITOR

From a preview of the Kerry V Clare game to the Mayor of Kerry's whistle stop tour of the county, we have a busy magazine for you this week. Bishop Bill Murphy is celebrating his Diamond Jubilee, Cllr. Marie Moloney is set to take over the chain of office of Mayor of Killarney and a young schoolboy has the perfect record.

We have some amazing offers from our loyal advertisers as we continue to help businesses who have been affected by COVID-19 with our reduced prices.

While there is an air of uncertainty around the reopening of facilities on July 5th, we need to continue to follow government guidelines to ensure that the virus is contained and that we can get back to a much more normal way of life.

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# CLLR. MARIE MOLONEY SET TO TAKE THE CHAINS

*The new Cathaoirleach of the Killarney Municipal District, Marie Moloney is due to be elected today, Friday, June 25th. The Labour Party councillor will take over the chains from Cllr. Brendan Cronin following an arrangement made between four of the seven Killarney councillors following the 2019 election.*

Cllr. Moloney is a hugely experienced politician having previously been elected to the Seanad. She was elected to Kerry County Council in 2009 and following her term as a Senator returned to local politics in 2019.

Cllr. Marie Moloney is set to be elected at the first in-person meeting at Killarney House, commencing at 2.00pm today.

"It will be a great honour to be elected as Cathaoirleach of Killarney Municipal District", Cllr. Moloney told Killarney Outlook.

"These are difficult times but hopefully as more and more people get vaccinated, we can get



back to some bit of normality and will see businesses opening up and visitors and locals can once again enjoy what our town has to offer", she added.

"I look forward to being, to the best of my ability, a good ambassador for our beautiful town and the rest of our Municipal District which is steeped in culture and history. As Cathaoirleach for the whole of the Municipal District, I intend to make sure that all areas are visited and would like to visit local schools to discuss what being Cathaoirleach means and answer any question the student might have. I am aware that the Killarney Town Twinning Association has been working hard to encourage visiting groups to Killarney and have a number lined up for next year and I look forward to meeting them and welcoming them to Killarney". Cllr. Moloney said. Cllr. Marie Moloney is set to be elected at the first in-person meeting at Killarney House, commencing at 2.00pm today.

## BISHOP BILL MURPHY CELEBRATES HIS DIAMOND JUBILEE



Bishop Bill Murphy celebrated his Diamond Jubilee, 60th year of Priesthood this past week. Ordained in June 1961.

Bishop Murphy was born in Annaghmore, Killarney and received his education at Ratheen National School and St Brendan's College, Killarney. He studied for the priesthood at St Patrick's College, Maynooth, and was ordained a priest in 1961.

For six years, he taught at St Colman's College, Newry. He then went on to study catechetics at Lumen Vitae, Brussels, and Fordham University, New York, where he earned an MA in religious

education in 1969. He was Kerry diocesan advisor for religious education in primary schools in 1970, and then spent three years at the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome, earning a doctorate in divinity (DD) in 1973.

For the next five years he worked with the Primary Catechetical Commission preparing the Children of God series, the primary catechetical program.

Bishop Murphy taught theology in the Institute for Religious Education, Mount Oliver, Dundalk, for a year before returning to Kerry in 1979 as diocesan director of religious education in post-primary schools and co-ordinator of adult religious education in the diocese.

He was the first director of the John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney, becoming Curate of Killarney Parish in 1987 and administrator in 1988. Upon the death of Bishop Diarmaid Ó Súilleabháin in August 1994 he was appointed administrator of the diocese of Kerry, and was elevated to bishop in 1995.



Former Bishop of Kerry, Dr. Bill Murphy, who celebrated his Diamond Jubilee this week pictured concelebrating mass with Fr Niall Howard assisted by Cathedral Sacristan for over 50 years Tadhg Fleming at St Mary's Cathedral, Killarney, behind closed doors during restrictions.

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On his final week of office Mayor of Kerry, Patrick Scarteen O'Connor took a tour around businesses in the county and in this week's Killarney Outlook, we feature some of the ones that Cllr. O'Connor and his wife Barrister Katie O'Connell visited in Killarney.

"Both hospitality and retail have had a dreadful time of the past 18 months and we wanted to call to wish them the best on the gradual reopening", the Cathaoirleach told Killarney Outlook.

"There was a great buzz around the town of Killarney and we received a great welcome from the businesses", he added.

"We are all looking forward to the full reopening of businesses over the coming weeks", he said.

"It was great to see the most vulnerable, who have now been vaccinated now being able to get out and about again, shopping and dining out", Patrick added.

# WHISTLESTOP TOUR OF KILLARNEY for Mayor and First Lady on final week of office



Mayor of Kerry Patrick Scarteen O'Connor and his wife Katie O'Connell pictured visiting businesses who have reopened.



Colm Foley welcomes the Mayor.



Eileen O'Callaghan pictured with The Mayor outside The Failte Hotel.



Grainne from Who's 4 Shoes welcomes the Mayor and Katie O'Connell.



A warm welcome for the couple when they visit the Killarney Park Hotel.



Patrick O'Connor Scarteen pictured with Tom from The Flesk Restaurant.



Bernie O'Brien pictured with Patrick outside Dan's.



Mrs. O'Shea from Jack C's pictured with Patrick and Katie.



Sean Murphy welcomes Patrick O'Connor Scarteen as customers enjoy outdoor dining on College Street.



The Mayor bumps into former councillors John Joe Culloty and John Sheehan when visiting Denis at O'Neills on Plunkett Street.



The Mayor stopped off at The Royal on his tour of businesses.

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**A** new ultramarathon run held in the Reeks District proved to be a huge success over the weekend with 73 runners coming to Killorglin for the all-new Killorglin 12 to 12 race.

Billed as the 'longest day in the Irish running calendar', the Killorglin 12 to 12 took place from noon to midnight with runners taking on a 6.5km loop set in the gorgeous countryside around the town and against the backdrop of Carrauntoohil, Ireland's highest mountain with the aim being to complete as many laps as possible in the allowed time.

First place in the men's race went to Mark O'Mahony who completed 19 laps (123.5km) in 11 hours and 40 minutes, holding off Ed Payne who completed the same amount of laps in the longer time of 11:54. Third place saw Tomas De Faoite clock up 18 laps in 11:30. Aisling Devitt triumphed in the women's race completing 15 laps (97.5km) in 11:04, followed by Catherine Guthrie (13 laps in 09:52) and Catherine O'Neill (7 laps in 7:58).

A relay version of the race was won by the Glenageenty Loopers/Kilflynn Runners who completed 22 laps (143km) in 11:41

A parallel six-hour race also took place from 6pm to midnight with runners fighting it out in the shorter format. Aoife Mundowwon the overall race post an astonishing 10 laps (65km) in 5:38, while Mark Quigley took first place in the men's race after completing 9 laps (58.5km) in 5:35,

The race, organised by the team behind the highly popular Kerry Way Ultra saw a host of supporters in camper vans and cars set up 'aid stations' for their runners in the heart of Killorglin creating a fun atmosphere in one of the first major races to take place since Covid-19 regulations were relaxed. Throughout the race appropriate social distancing measures were taken by organisers, runners and crew.

# NEW 12-HOUR ULTRAMARATHON IN REEKS DISTRICT A HUGE SUCCESS



Race Director Eileen Daly of the Kerry Way Ultra said: "We're pleased to say that the first hosting of the Killorglin 12 to 12 proved to be a great success. Well done to all the runners who took part, pushing themselves to the limit both physically and mentally. Timed races provide particular challenges thanks to the looped course and all participants tested themselves to extreme levels.

We hope the Killorglin 12 to 12 will become a fixture on the Irish ultrarunning calendar and have plans to potentially extend its reach in

2022." Chair of the Reeks District Jens Bachem said: "The Killorglin 12 to 12 saw runners at the top of their game take on this challenging loop format set in beautiful scenery under the watchful eye of Carrauntoohil. We look forward to welcoming the race as an annual event in Killorglin and are excited to see the race grow in future years."

To find out more, see the Kerry Way Ultra website. Full results for the race can be seen at <https://www.sportsplits.com/races/killorglin-12hr-2021>.



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These funded places are spread over 28 courses in a broad range of disciplines including Cloud Computing, Data Science and Analytics, Quantity Surveying and Culinary Skills, Pharmacy Management, Circular Economy as well as in Sustainable Agriculture, Automation & Control, Supply Chain Management, Manufacturing Practices & Systems, Information Design & Development, Building Information Modelling (BIM) with Revit, Leadership and Transformational Change and Automotive Operations.

Michael Loftus, Vice President for External Affairs at MTU stated "MTU is fully committed to the development of graduates who have the skills, positive attitude and overall ability required by industry. While this focus has always been centrally important to our work, it is now more vital than ever that we work to support industry at a time of unprecedented challenge associated with the COVID-19 pandemic. This funding will enable us to reskill and upskill those seeking



employment, as well as those who are currently in employment, at their time of greatest need. MTU is committed to industry engagement and our partnerships with enterprises and representative groups, such as the South-West Regional Skills Forum, ensure that our courses are current and relevant. The work-based learning approach which has been designed into these courses will maximise the employability of the graduates."

Brid Mc Elligott, Vice President for Development, Research and External Engagement at MTU, said: "The Springboard+ initiative offers free, or subsidised, part-time courses leading to qualifications that are in demand by employers. Many courses focus on future-proofing the skills of people already in employment, particularly in roles that may be impacted by digitalisation. To date MTU has worked with over 6,000

Springboard+ students, resulting in many graduates now pursuing rewarding careers. All courses selected for funding under Springboard+ 2021 are in areas of identified skills needs."

Springboard+ courses are free for people who are unemployed, those who were previously self-employed and returners to the workforce. Courses at NFQ Level 6 are also free for those in employment. For employed participants on courses NFQ level 7 – 9, 90% of the course fee is funded by the Government, with participants required to contribute just 10% of the fee.

Staff will be available over the coming weeks to advise potential students looking at a return to education. Further information on course availability, eligibility criteria and the application process is available by visiting [www.springboardcourses.ie](http://www.springboardcourses.ie).

## Kerry artist's new exhibition

### in Crawford Art Gallery's takes a wry look at the art world

In the exhibition **I have made a place**, visual artist Laura Fitzgerald from Inch, creates a place – a smallholding – to examine ideas of art and art practice. In a time of scarcity and Brexit, the artist probes the difficult task of being an artist through drawings, sounds, video, and a story that conjures a restless figure who is obsessed with cutting turf.

"**I have made a place** comprises new large-scale scroll drawings, video works, and striking bale forms – sculptural drawings and sound installations from which competing voices emerge and invite the visitor to listen, look, and perhaps have a bit of a laugh", Laura Fitzgerald said. The exhibition is the third exhibition in Crawford Art Gallery's artist-directed programme, which aims to platform the development of an artist's career, support their current research interests, and connect with audiences through a collaboration with the Gallery, its site, and collections.

Laura Fitzgerald's **I have made a place** also features in the Cork Midsummer Festival 2021.





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# APPEAL FOR PEOPLE TO PARK LEGALLY AT BEACHES



**An Garda Síochána, Kerry County Council and the HSE are appealing for motorists to park legally and responsibly when visiting public beaches and amenity areas.**

Last week there were parking issues at beaches and amenity areas throughout Kerry in which vehicles were blocked in and roadways obstructed.

In many instances this has caused huge inconvenience to people and can create a dangerous situation when emergency vehicles cannot have access to areas.

Assistant Commissioner Michael Finn said "After all being cooped up in our homes for so long, it is only natural that we are all going to head for our beaches and tourist spots.

"However, last weekend we had a lot of issues

with parking. We must all park our cars legally and safely. Parking irresponsibly can force wheelchair users and people pushing buggies onto the road; which puts them in harm's way.

"An Garda Síochána will be policing our beaches and amenity area to ensure people are parking legally. On the spot fines will be issued in relation to any illegal and dangerous parking."

Cathaoirleach of Kerry County Council, Cllr Patrick Connor Scarteen has asked members of the public to park safely and sensibly when enjoying the parks and beaches around the County over the weekend.

With more visitors coming to Kerry to enjoy the fantastic scenery, Blue Flag beaches and amenities on offer, the Cathaoirleach has pointed to the necessity to keep access clear.

"We are delighted that people feel comfortable that they can safely visit Kerry, and it is a testament to the hard work and our Safe Destination Programme, which is promoting Kerry as a safe destination," he said.

"However, at all times, it is critical for people

to park properly and ensure that emergency services have clear access to our beaches, parks and public places. We look forward to enjoying our days out with family and friends, but if something should happen that requires a 999 call, it is vital that the emergency services can have speedy access to deal with these events."

The Cathaoirleach also asked that everybody enjoying the outdoors bring their rubbish home with them. "We have a clean, green county, and our beaches and outdoor areas are the envy of many counties. We are looking to keep it that way and everybody can play their part by taking their litter home."

Dr Anne Sheahan said "This weekend, I remind people to continue to look after their health and the health of people around them. Remember to keep a distance from others where possible, and to wear a face mask in crowded settings (both indoors and outdoors). We all need to remember that we are seeing evidence that the new variants of Covid-19 are even more contagious, and we have seen cases transmitted outdoors."

## MUCH WORK TO BE DONE BY IRISH WATER IN KERRY

- Cllr. Cahill



Fianna Fáil Councillor, Michael Cahill has called on Kerry County Council to request Irish Water to provide a detailed report on its Investment Programme for Kerry for the period of our County Development Plan out to 2028 and indicate where development may be constrained due to water or wastewater infrastructure deficiencies.

"Given the continuing rise in population and the hopefully, imminent return of our tourism season, the commencement of major tourism

projects such as the South Kerry Greenway, that will dramatically increase the numbers of visitors to our County, the provision of 100% efficient sewerage systems must be a top priority" stated Councillor Cahill.

"The announcement by Irish Water that a new Wastewater Treatment plant is to be provided in Fenit and an upgrade to Knightstown Wastewater Treatment plant is to go ahead as part of the Small Towns and Villages Growth Programme is very welcome progress, but



there is a long road ahead of us" said the Rossbeigh based Councillor. "I have regularly raised the poor state of Sewerage Schemes around the county, including Glenbeigh which is at capacity for a

number of years and is now Number 1 on the Small Towns and Villages Growth Programme Priority List following the green light been given to Fenit for a new Treatment plant at yesterday's County Council meeting. I am now confident that following my continuous representations on behalf of the residents of Glenbeigh, that the long wait is almost over. Others that I have lobbied for are Kenmare, Beaufort, Cromane, Boolteens, Kells, Portmagee and Caherdaniel, some with inadequate capacity, some with no treatment system at all" stated Councillor Cahill. "There is much work to be done by Irish Water to tackle the crisis that exists, not only in our Sewerage Schemes, but also in the state of our water pipe network and the unacceptable frequency of bursts and interruptions to water supply throughout Beaufort, Listry and many more parts of our county" said the Fianna Fáil man.

"Further progress must be achieved if we are to provide a modern water and wastewater service and put an end to these 3rd World backward facilities" added an angry Councillor Cahill.

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# MTU'S EXCITING NEW HOME ECONOMICS & BUSINESS DEGREE MAY BE INCLUDED ON A CAO 'CHANGE OF MIND' FORM BY 1ST JULY



By Billy Ryle

**The Leaving Cert exam is almost over but there is still an important task to be done by third level aspirants. Applicants to the Central Applications Office (CAO) should now turn their attention to the 'Change of Mind' facility which allows them to register a change of course choices online by 5.15pm on Thursday, 1st July.**

Not all CAO applications avail of the change of mind facility. Many are happy with the course choices submitted by 1st February. Many others will have done further course research or may have changed their minds about their earlier choices. Whatever your reason for submitting a change of mind form, make sure you know exactly what you are applying for. Don't list any courses which you haven't researched. Don't apply for any course that you won't accept. Don't apply for a course in which you have no interest. If you decide to submit a change of mind form, work on your choices before going online. Start from scratch and prepare a new list of courses. Open your CAO account via the 'My Application' facility. Click on 'Change Level 8 Course Choices' and/or 'Change Level 7/6 Course Choices.' Then use the 'New Courses' list to enter your new course choices. Every choice is important so fill in all ten choices in each list.

Check the entry requirements for each course you intend putting on the change of mind form. Don't list any course which has been cancelled, but you may include any new courses which were announced after the 2021 CAO Handbook was published. All of this information is easily accessible on the CAO website, [www.cao.ie](http://www.cao.ie). Kerry's CAO applicants will be interested to know that Munster Technological University (MTU) &



University College Cork (UCC) recently launched a new five-year course in Home Economics & Business to counteract a critical shortage of home economics teachers. There will be 32 places in the three-year BA (Hons) in Home Economics & Business at MTU's Bishopstown Campus. Graduates of the BA (Hons) course, who achieve a minimum of 2nd Hons. Grade 2, will automatically be offered a place in the two-year Professional Master of Education (PME) post-primary at UCC. Graduates of the combined programme (BA, PME) will meet all Teaching Council requirements to teach both Home Economics and Business in Irish second-level schools.

Currently, St Angela's, Sligo is the only college providing teacher education in Home Economics. The new MTU degree course will be very attractive to Kerry's CAO applicants who have listed St. Angela's on their CAO course choices or who would have liked to do so, but

didn't because of Sligo's distance from Kerry. Tourism, hospitality and catering are the life blood of Kerry's economy so the proximity of this new professional course is a major boost for the region. The new MTU course, CR930, may be included on a CAO 'Change of Mind' form by the 1st July.

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

If you make changes to your course choices online, an acknowledgement will be sent to your email address. Check that your courses have been updated by using the 'My Application' facility. You may change your course choices free of charge as often as you wish up to the closing date. The final change of mind form that you submit is the one that will count for your CAO offers later in the year.

After the 1st July you can make no further changes to your CAO application form. So, avail of the remaining days to ensure that you submit a change of mind form that truly contains your course interests.

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## CAO TIMELINE

- ◆ 1st July: closing date at 17.15 for submitting a change of mind form
- ◆ 7th July: Round A offers at 10.00 to certain non-standard categories of applicants
- ◆ 13th July: Accept Round A offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 22nd July: Exceptional closing date (17.15) for late applications from those in 3rd level
- ◆ 5th August: Round O offers at 10.00 to certain non-standard categories of applicants
- ◆ 10th August: Accept Round O offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 3rd September: 2021 Leaving Cert results issued
- ◆ 7th September: Round 1 offers online at 14.00; also issued by e-mail and SMS text
- ◆ 8th September: CAO Available Places facility opens at 12.00
- ◆ 13th September: Accept Round 1 offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 20th September: Round 2 offers online at 10.00
- ◆ 22nd September: Accept Round 2 offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 28th September: Round 3 offers online at 10.00; also issued by e-mail and SMS text
- ◆ 30th September: Accept Round 3 offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 5th October: Round 4 offers online at 10.00; also issued by e-mail and SMS text
- ◆ 7th October: Accept Round 4 offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 12th October: Round 5 offers online at 10.00; also issued by e-mail and SMS text
- ◆ 14th October: Accept Round 5 offers by 15.00 on this date
- ◆ 14th October: CAO offer season ends



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| <b>CREATIVE ARTS</b> |   |            |            |
| 313884               | Animation                               | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313885               | Art, Craft & Design (Portfolio)         | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307140               | Art, Craft & Design (Portfolio)         | 13/9/2021  | Listowel   |
| 308299               | Tattoo Artistry                         | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313879               | Music Performance                       | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 325192               | <b>NEW</b> Media Graduate Internship    | 14/6/2021  | Monavalley |
| 300916               | Broadcast Production Skills             | 13/9/2021  | Monavalley |
| 300819               | Digital Media Production Skills         | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |
| 313342               | Digital Journalism & Radio Broadcasting | 22/11/2021 | Monavalley |
| 313327               | Introduction to Radio Broadcasting      | 13/9/2021  | Monavalley |
| 307351               | Journalism                              | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313880               | Multimedia with Graphic Design          | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313882               | Computer Game Design & Development      | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313878               | Music Technology                        | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307100               | Photography                             | 13/9/2021  | Listowel   |

#### HAIR AND BEAUTY

|        |                |            |            |
|--------|----------------|------------|------------|
| 307176 | Beauty Therapy | 11/10/2021 | Clash Rd   |
| 307124 | Hairdressing   | 13/9/2021  | Listowel   |
| 307220 | Hairdressing   | 13/9/2021  | Monavalley |

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| <b>BUSINESS, ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE</b> |  |            |            |
| 313257                                      | Payroll & Bookkeeping - Manual and Computerised        | 21/6/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313254                                      | Payroll & Bookkeeping - Manual and Computerised        | 8/11/2021  | Killarney  |
| 303565                                      | Accounting Technicians of Ireland Certificate (Year 1) | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |
| 307228                                      | Accounting Technicians of Ireland Certificate (Year 2) | 13/9/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313414                                      | Reception & Clerical Skills                            | 22/11/2021 | Monavalley |
| 308307                                      | Office Management                                      | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 325430                                      | Office Management                                      | 13/9/2021  | Killarney  |
| 307139                                      | Medical Administration                                 | 13/9/2021  | Listowel   |
| 313295                                      | Medical Administration                                 | 13/9/2021  | Monavalley |
| 325429                                      | Office Administration                                  | 13/9/2021  | Killarney  |
| 307355                                      | Office Administration                                  | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307138                                      | Office Administration                                  | 13/9/2021  | Listowel   |
| 307353                                      | Legal Administration                                   | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307345                                      | Business Studies                                       | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307112                                      | Business with Marketing/Administration                 | 13/9/2021  | Listowel   |
| 307388                                      | Pre-University Law                                     | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307392                                      | Pre-Garda Studies                                      | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |

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### COMPUTING & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES

|        |  |            |            |
|--------|--|------------|------------|
| 326145 | IT Support Fundamentals                      | 31/5/2021  | Monavalley |
| 327151 | <b>NEW</b> Cybersecurity                     | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |
| 307224 | IT Support Technician                        | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |
| 307408 | Software Development                         | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313187 | Diploma in Software Development (Full Stack) | 11/10/2021 | Monavalley |
| 326091 | <b>NEW</b> Software Development (Level 6)    | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |

### CONSTRUCTION & BUILT ENVIRONMENT

|        |   |            |            |
|--------|---|------------|------------|
| 307181 | Construction Groundwork Skills                          | 4/10/2021  | Monavalley |
| 307191 | Construction Groundwork Skills                          | 15/11/2021 | Monavalley |
| 301238 | Traditional Stonewall & Construction                    | 21/6/2021  | Monavalley |
| 325241 | Civils for Fibre Installation                           | 18/10/2021 | Monavalley |
| 313881 | Carpentry and Construction Studies (Pre-Apprenticeship) | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |

### EDUCATION AND CHILDCARE

|        |   |           |          |
|--------|---|-----------|----------|
| 316571 | Early Childhood Care & Education          | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |
| 307097 | Early Childhood Care & Education          | 13/9/2021 | Listowel |
| 313875 | Advanced Early Childhood Care & Education | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |
| 307121 | Advanced Early Childhood Care & Education | 13/9/2021 | Listowel |
| 318710 | Special Needs/Personal Assistant          | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |
| 313876 | Special Needs Awareness & Assisting       | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |
| 307118 | Special Needs Awareness & Assisting       | 13/9/2021 | Listowel |
| 318704 | Pre-Teaching & Education Studies          | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |

### SPECIAL INTEREST

|        |                                      |            |         |
|--------|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|
| 315566 | Ecology & Practical Fieldwork Skills | 15/11/2021 | Outdoor |
|--------|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|

### ENGINEERING

|        |  |            |            |
|--------|--|------------|------------|
| 303566 | CAD - Computer Aided Drafting and Design | 30/8/2021  | Monavalley |
| 300821 | Marine Engineering                       | 18/10/2021 | Monavalley |
| 313886 | Engineering and Electronic Technology    | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 301684 | Welding Intermediate                     | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |
| 307205 | Welding - Coded Pipe                     | 14/2/2022  | Monavalley |

### TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND CULINARY ARTS

|        |                        |            |            |
|--------|------------------------|------------|------------|
| 308301 | Professional Cookery   | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313887 | Hotel and Catering     | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 313249 | Inland Angling Guiding | 8/11/2021  | Monavalley |
| 300823 | Marine Angling Guiding | 8/11/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313347 | Regional Tour Guiding  | 11/10/2021 | Monavalley |
| 313307 | National Tour Guiding  | 18/10/2021 | Monavalley |



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### HEALTHCARE AND SOCIAL SCIENCE

|        |  |           |            |
|--------|--|-----------|------------|
| 325529 | <b>NEW</b> Dental Care Assistant                         | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 307091 | Healthcare Support                                       | 13/9/2021 | Listowel   |
| 307148 | Healthcare Support                                       | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 307148 | Healthcare Support                                       | 9/8/2021  | Monavalley |
| 307223 | Healthcare Support                                       | 9/8/2021  | Monavalley |
| 307144 | Social Health and Community Studies - Healthcare Support | 13/9/2021 | Listowel   |
| 327182 | Pharmacy Sales Assistant                                 | 7/3/2022  | Monavalley |
| 307115 | Applied Social Studies                                   | 13/9/2021 | Listowel   |
| 307158 | Applied Social Studies                                   | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 307159 | Advanced Social Studies                                  | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 307151 | Nursing Studies with Maternity Care Skills               | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 307078 | Nursing Studies  | 13/9/2021 | Listowel   |
| 307152 | Nursing Studies  | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 308302 | Physiotherapy Assistant Studies                          | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd   |
| 307157 | Pre-Emergency Care Studies                               | 13/9/2021 | Denny St   |
| 307143 | Pre-University Arts                                      | 13/9/2021 | Listowel   |

### RENEWABLE TECHNOLOGIES, TRANSMISSION & DISTRIBUTION

|        |                               |            |            |
|--------|-------------------------------|------------|------------|
| 313207 | Fibre Installation Technician | 19/7/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313312 | Overhead Lines Operative      | 18/10/2021 | Monavalley |
| 307227 | Wind Turbine Maintenance      | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |

### SCIENCE AND NUTRITION

|        |                       |           |          |
|--------|-----------------------|-----------|----------|
| 313883 | Applied Science       | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |
| 313877 | Animal Care Assistant | 13/9/2021 | Clash Rd |
| 307087 | Animal Care Assistant | 13/9/2021 | Listowel |

### SPORTS, PHYSICAL THERAPY AND COACHING

|        |  |            |            |
|--------|--|------------|------------|
| 313416 | Surf Instructor and Beach Lifeguard      | 15/11/2021 | Monavalley |
| 307225 | Outdoor Activity Instructor              | 26/7/2021  | Outdoor    |
| 307226 | Advanced Outdoor Activity Instructor     | 19/7/2021  | Outdoor    |
| 325934 | <b>NEW</b> Scuba Diving Instructor       | 23/8/2021  | Outdoor    |
| 307422 | <b>NEW</b> Sports, Exercise and Coaching | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307414 | Sports and PE Pre-Teaching               | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |
| 307385 | Personal Training and Nutrition          | 13/9/2021  | Clash Rd   |

### TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS

|        |                         |            |            |
|--------|-------------------------|------------|------------|
| 307230 | Bus Driving - D Licence | 23/8/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313175 | Bus Driving - D Licence | 22/11/2021 | Monavalley |
| 313222 | HGV - Rigid             | 4/10/2021  | Monavalley |
| 307229 | HGV - Artic             | 14/6/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313228 | HGV - Artic             | 11/10/2021 | Monavalley |

### PATHWAY PROGRAMMES

|        |  |            |            |
|--------|--|------------|------------|
| 310812 | Deciding Your Future                         | 6/9/2021   | Monavalley |
| 307246 | Deciding Your Future                         | 8/11/2021  | Monavalley |
| 313212 | Food Preparation and Cooking (Culinary Arts) | May 2022   | Monavalley |
| 313213 | Food Preparation & Cooking (Culinary Arts)   | 22/11/2021 | Dingle     |
| 313193 | ICDL   | 12/7/2021  | Monavalley |
| 314044 | ICDL   | 8/11/2021  | Monavalley |

# TESTING TIMES FOR BEAUFORT RESIDENTS

**B**eaufort and the countryside surrounding it, is facing a number of very testing problems at the moment and needs to receive the full support of both Local and Central Government, if solutions are to be found to the satisfaction of the people living there, according to local Fianna Fáil Councillor, Michael Cahill.

"The continuing interruptions to the water supply has to be top of the list of disasters that need to be dealt with now, but there are other long standing issues in Beaufort that must be tackled" stated Councillor Cahill.

"The local graveyard is (a) close to maximum capacity, meaning additional land for burial ground purposes must be found very soon if burials are not to take place outside of the parish and (b) subject to flooding" said the Rossbeigh based Councillor.

"Sewerage systems in Beaufort are far from adequate and in fact there are health issues arising. The situation in Coolmagort Avenue should not have to be tolerated by the residents living there and something has to be done to solve this problem shortly. Added to this, there is no Children's Playground in Beaufort for the

many young families living in the Parish to avail of. I will be specifically raising the ongoing water outages and the unacceptable sewerage scheme situation in Beaufort with Senior Officials in Irish Water at next Monday's Monthly meeting of Kerry County Council. Continued efforts are being made by Kerry County Council to source lands for a Burial Ground in Beaufort" added Councillor Cahill.

The Fianna Fail Councillor recently met with community representatives in Beaufort and assured them of his continued support.

## Kerry County Council launches Local Property Tax Public Consultation

Kerry County Council has opened a period of public consultation in relation to next year's Local Property Tax and is inviting submissions from the public, up to 5pm on Friday, July 2nd, 2021.

The Finance (Local Property Tax) Act, 2012 (As Amended) provides that Elected Members of a local authority may vary the basic rate of the

Local Property Tax by a percentage known as the local adjustment factor within the range of +/- 15%.

Members will meet in July to consider this local adjustment factor. Ahead of this, Kerry County Council are inviting written submissions from the public, specifically covering the potential effects of varying the basic rate of LPT on

business, individuals and Council services. Further information is available on the Kerry County Council website, [www.kerrycoco.ie](http://www.kerrycoco.ie) Submissions must be received by 5pm on Fri 2nd July and sent to Finance Department, Kerry County, Council, Áras an Chontae, Tralee or by email to [lptcon@kerrycoco.ie](mailto:lptcon@kerrycoco.ie)



Killarney Municipal District, Cllr John O'Donoghue takes over the mantle from his uncle Cllr Michael Gleeson. John is pictured in the Council Chambers in Tralee.  
PHOTO: DOMNICK WALSH

## JOHN TAKES UP HIS COUNCIL SEAT

On Monday last, John O' Donoghue became a member of Kerry County Council. His co-option took place during the regular monthly meeting. Speaking on his social media account this week, Cllr. Michael Gleeson who retired recently wished John well as he sets out to represent his party, Kerry Independent Alliance and more importantly to work on behalf of the people of the Killarney Municipal District and of the entire wonderful Kingdom of Ciarraí

Guímid gach rath ar John agus ar a chuid oibre ar mhaithe le'n ár gContae fíor-álainn , ar san sinne go léir atá ag maireachtaint ann agus dár ndóigh ar mhaithe leo siúd go leir a thagann ar chuairt chugainn. Beir Bua's Bean-nacht, John.

## Govt must stop prevaricating and roll out rapid antigen Covid 19 testing - Kelleher

"The Government must stop prevaricating and urgently roll out rapid antigen testing as part of its overall response to the Covid 19 pandemic," said Fianna Fáil MEP, Billy Kelleher.

Kelleher was commenting following the publication of a HSE study produced by their Covid-19 antigen testing working group in recent days. "I cannot for the life of me understand the hostility towards rapid antigen testing by NPHET, and by extension the Government. No one, I believe, is claiming that this form of testing is more accurate or better than PCR testing.

"It is however useful in certain contexts. Those opposed to rapid antigen testing claim that some people with Covid may be missed when using this form of test.

"However, we need to look at the overall picture. What is the likelihood that any of these people would have received a PCR test in the first place? Every Covid 19 case detected is a positive.

"Sadly, it seems that NPHET take the glass is half empty view when it comes to rapid antigen testing.

"It's high time that the Government made a decision on rolling out antigen testing in certain contexts such as high volume events, congregated settings, or the aviation sector for example.

"Ireland is an outlier when it comes to this diagnostic tool. Are NPHET really saying that they know better than their public health colleagues in other EU member states?

"I will say it again: every Covid 19 case detected is a positive. If the choice is not testing a group of people, or testing using rapid antigen tests and potentially missing 1 in 5, it's a no-brainer. Rapid antigen testing must be part of the solution and the Irish Government and NPHET must catch up with the rest of the world," concluded Kelleher.

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# Culture Night in Kerry

## Call out to arts groups and artists

*Culture Night is fast approaching!*

The Arts Office at Kerry County Council has begun work on the Culture Night 2021 programme. Culture Night 2021 is on Friday, 17th September.

A wide range of artistic and cultural events are welcome to take part. Culture Night is a national event that aims to bring arts and culture to a wider audience, encouraging more participation and engagement.

"We are looking for local cultural and artistic groups, artists, facilitators and practitioners to get in touch with proposals for what they would like to do on Culture Night. Hopefully this year in-person events can go ahead," explains Kate Kennelly, Arts Officer with Kerry County Council. "Online events are very welcome as well, as they allow people from all over the county to easily access Culture Night in a safe way."

Culture Night is funded by Kerry County Council and the Arts Council and supported by Creative Ireland Kerry. Events must be free and take place on the evening of Friday 17th September. For more information email [arts@kerrycoco.ie](mailto:arts@kerrycoco.ie) or phone 066 7183541



*Mink exhibition at Anam Arts and Cultural Centre Killarney, by Mieke Vanmechelen in September 2020.*

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There is always a Kerry connection....

## MAUREEN CHANGES THE COURSE OF WORLD HISTORY

**Maureen Sweeney, who originally hales from Knockanore, County Kerry, was given a special US House of Representatives honour in Belmullet this week, for the role she played in changing the course of world history with her weather reports**

Maureen read an advert in the paper in 1942, for a job - at Blacksod Post Office, where her husband to be Ted Sweeney was Lighthouse Keeper. After a two and half day journey from Kerry, she took up her post as Post Mistress. She met the love of her life Ted and after a time was "roped into sending out the weather reports". They were both unaware of the importance of their hourly weather reports from Blacksod. As she says "we were the only weather station with the particular report that meant a cold front had crossed the north-west coast of Ireland, with heavy rain and gail force 7 winds which would be over the English Channel by the 5th June, which was the original date of the Normandy Invasion and would have proved disastrous". a break in the weather was predicted by Blacksod on the 6th June. Even when her husband Ted was asked to 'check and repeat' his report, three times, to London,



they both discounted its importance, Maureen continues "Of course General Eisenhower was demanding, clear skies, full moon and a low tide at dawn, as if you could get that by ordering it" Ted and Maureen's weather report which

delayed D-Day for 24 hours proved critical to the success of the Normandy Landings. Otherwise it would have changed the course of world history forever.

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# JAMIE HAS THE PERFECT RECORD

**W**hen Jamie Cronin started in Junior Infants in Shrone N.S. on the 28th August 2013 little did anyone think that he would never miss a day from school.

From the day Jamie started school he showed remarkable dedication to his education and it is a fantastic achievement to have achieved full attendance from his first day of school to the last.

"It takes a little bit of luck to have been able to attend every day. Absences can be unavoidable for some people but it takes real determination to attend every day. Jamie, the son of son of Seamus and Marianne Cronin has been here in spite of orange weather warnings, severe snow days, the aftermath of All - Ireland finals and even during a global pandemic." said Mr Coakley his class teacher.

"The every present Jamie has been as reliable as the rising sun. Jamie has been an excellent student during his time here with us in Shrone N.S. and we wish him and all our 6th class pupils every success over the coming years." said Mrs Murphy Principal.

When Jamie was asked about his favourite memory of his school days he said that the day that stood out for him was the day that Shrone N.S. won the East Kerry Football Final for the first time in 22 years. He said that it was an incredible day. He also said that he was a little lonely because he was leaving and that it had been a wonderful 8 years and that it's a place that he will never forget. Congratulations Jamie!



When the bell rings on June 25th 2021 Jamie Cronin will have achieved his goal and he will have fulfilled his dream of achieving full attendance whilst he was in primary school.

## Summer Stars for Children



Children are invited to join the adventure and to enjoy the fun and pleasure of reading and writing over the summer.

Summer Stars is the public library national summer reading programme for primary school children which will run until 31st August. Summer Stars is non-competitive

and every child who reads even one book/ eBook is regarded as having completed the programme – and it's all completely free! Entry cards and sign-up are available at Killarney Library.

While current restrictions mean that the usual programme of holding events in libraries cannot be delivered, we have still planned lots of exciting ways to join the fun throughout the Summer.

Firstly, weekly competitions are taking place over the summer with book tokens for each weekly winner. Competitions include trivia questions to colouring competitions, redesigning a book cover to solving literary brain teasers.

Finally, free online workshops are also taking place on 1st July (Superhero Flyers) and 27th July (Jovial Juggling) but need to be booked in advance through the Kerry Library website ([www.kerrylibrary.ie](http://www.kerrylibrary.ie))



## PLEA TO FIND MISSING RING

On Monday last, June 21st, Killarney woman, Ann Divine collected her engagement ring from a local jewellers after getting it cleaned. Unfortunately while she was walking on Main Street just along by Reidys, EBS Building Society and Wilde Cafe Main Street Killarney, she lost the ring.

"The ring is of huge sentimental value as dad passed away in January, so it's her whole world" her daughter Catherine told Killarney Outlook.

"All the shops on Main Street and new street have been given our name and number, along with the guards", Catherine added.

Ann lost the ring, a little after 9.30 am and describes it as a gold ring with 3 diamonds on top.

*Ann's missing ring is similar to this.*





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## FOUNDER WEEKEND AND PRE-ACCELERATOR COMES TO KERRY IN JULY



Ollie Kirwan, Founder.

**NDRC Founder Weekend and Pre-Accelerator launch to help early stage startups** The number of new startups in Ireland is up 8% vs last year (CRIFVision-net)

**Pre-Accelerator Alumni include Kerry companies Hotfoot and Graphite Note**

RDI Hub in Killorglin, Co. Kerry is hosting the next NDRC Founder Weekend and Pre-Accelerator programme to deliver early stage startup support and get founders one step closer to the €100K Accelerator Programme.

The aim of Founder Weekend and Pre-Accelerator is to help founders succeed on their journey through coaching and mentoring, with a founder-first approach delivered by international experts. The number of new startups in Ireland is up 8% vs last year and as we edge ever closer to an island of entrepreneurs early stage supports are in demand

RDI Hub member Taxamo, which

was just acquired by Vertex, Inc. for approximately \$200 million, will be supporting Founder Weekend. John McCarthy, Founder of Taxamo, will be speaking at the event and the company will also provide expert mentors. McCarthy said, "We are delighted to support RDI Hub on NDRC Founder Weekend and help early stage start-ups become the next Taxamo." Founder Weekend is a fun, welcoming event open to everyone who wants to immerse themselves in their local startup community, develop their idea with expert mentors, and even find a co-founder. Teams have 48 hours to turn a concept to reality through the presentation of a polished pitch. With plenty of spot prizes Founder Weekend is a mini-festival of early stage entrepreneurship. Applications are now open at Niall Larkin, the programme manager in the RDI Hub and seasoned founder himself said "This is the BEST thing you can do to make rapid progress with your start-

up idea. There is nothing like getting 2 days of focused feedback to knock your start-up idea into shape and refine how you present it to the world.

Two Kerry startups beat stiff competition to secure places on the NDRC Pre-Accelerator following Founder Weekend sports tracking app Hotfoot and Graphite Note which brings the power of machine learning to your data analysis without writing a single line of code.

"As a start up it can be difficult in your journey feeling like you are alone. The support and camaraderie within the Pre-accelerator programme are brilliant, the continued direction throughout the various stages of support is excellent and really eliminates unnecessary risk in your journey".

The Founder weekend will take place 3rd and 4th July dates for the next Founder Meeting. For more information contact: reidin.oconnor@rdihub.com

## SLIMMING THROUGH LOCKDOWN



Hayley before and after her Slimming World journey.

When the pandemic hit our shores, it had a devastating effect on everybody's lives in different ways. And as a Slimming World Consultant it got tough!

Hayley Carter, who has groups in both Killorglin and Killarney, had to shut her groups entirely when Covid started, meaning she was unable to see and support her members on the weight loss journey.

But 2 weeks of being shut was enough for her and she pledged to be there no matter what despite the groups and classes not physically open

"It has been a very tough year as a Slimming World Consultant, but even tougher if you are a Slimmer or wanting to improve your health through a change of lifestyle due to the pandemic" says Hayley

"Losing weight alone is so very hard. Its not as simple as eat less move more. You need more. You need support, understanding and at times empathy. And that is what my Slimming World groups bring to my members.

So as we had to close our physical groups, we were able to continue helping members, and most importantly guiding and supporting them in a virtual world.

I set up my classes via Zoom and met several times a week with my members. Members were able to then get help, share ideas, talk about the

delicious and gorgeous food they are enjoying while losing weight, celebrate their weight loss milestones and staying in touch with their friends made in group.

Despite Covid, my members have been able to shed the lbs and stones and I'm so very proud to be part of that with them."

Hayley is now preparing to reopen her groups fully again, with classes coming back again too all with covid safety precautions in place making the groups a safe environment for existing and new members coming in

"I can't wait to be back in group and running the classes again!

Although it's been fantastic I was able to still be there for my members during covid, its not the same as being in real life group. Its such a safe and friendly environment for the community and to share my knowledge about eating well, activity and create healthier habits that will stick for life, is my passion. I can't wait to welcome many more!

Hayley has been a Slimming World consultant in both the UK and Ireland for over 7 years.

She has lost 6 stone with Slimming World and loves the freedom and flexibility the Slimming World plan brings. For more information on joining either of Hayleys Group then contact her on 0877036975 or through her social media

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# Tribute to Noreen Cronin

## From Tureencahill Community Group



**We often hear people say that life is for living and how true that was in the case of the late Noreen Cronin. She lived every minute and enjoyed her time in this world. She brought an energy and vitality to anything she was involved in—be that home life, work or committees.**

It was with great sadness that we, her neighbours and friends, learned of Noreen's passing on March 29th 2021 after a long illness bravely and courageously borne. Too short a life but the length of years is not what's important. Noreen crowded so much into that short life.

Noreen was born on 13-04-1965 to Jeremiah and Nora (Falvey) O'Connor from Ballinahulla. She attended Ballydesmond N.S. Boherbue Comprehensive School, UL and College of Art. One of her many talents was that of artist, evidence of which can be seen in Tureencahill Community Centre. She painted a most eye-catching scene from Jack and the Beanstalk on the old school blackboards. While this was always much admired it has now taken on a greater importance for us.

America beckoned and Noreen headed across the Atlantic in her early 20s. New York was her base. She enjoyed life and spent about 11 years there before returning home. She already knew Donal Cronin from Tureencahill and they went on to marry in December 29th 2000. Family life was complete as two beloved sons, Jerry and John, were born to Noreen and Donal. They are the apple of her eye and she doted on them. Noreen worked in many restaurants including The Cooperage, Foley's, Bob's Bar and Murphy Brown's.

Cooking was a huge interest of Noreen's. She was a marvellous cook and could rustle up a delicious meal at short notice and with few ingredients. Nature and outdoor life featured in her everyday life. Walking was one of her hobbies and she walked practically every day even through her illness. She had her own routes including the Renasup ring and around the GAA pitch usually with her walking buddy Joan Collins, at times Jackie Hickey and with a few other walking enthusiasts.

Noreen was an accomplished athlete and ran with Gneeveguilla Athletic Club. She held an All-Ireland medal, some Munsters and a few others.

Community was important to her and she became a member of Tureencahill Community Group. She was a dedicated committee member, attending meetings, providing opinion, helping out at events, providing refreshments and hand writing and painting

our advertising signs for events. We will miss her funny and bubbly presence.

While her many talents and gifts were important nothing could compare with her love of GAA... except of course Donal, Jerry and John. She attended all games especially juvenile games when her sons were playing. Apart from GAA the boys also played soccer, basketball and handball. John took part in Irish dancing as well. Noreen was devoted to her boys and that love manifested itself when she acted as chauffeur and travelled far and wide supporting and encouraging them. She was a familiar sight on the sideline taking note of everything and was vocal in issuing instructions. As with all aspects of her life Noreen brought an energy and enthusiasm to her club Gneeveguilla. She became Child Welfare Officer of the club in 2015 and served for 3 years. She was later nominated by Gneeveguilla to the East Kerry Board and became Children's Officer in 2019. In his tribute to Noreen, Johnny Brosnan, Chairman of East Kerry Board said "...I must say Noreen was one of the most organised and nicest individuals I have ever worked with throughout the years". High praise indeed.

We've heard of super subs but Noreen could qualify as super supporter of Kerry Football. One last achievement that gave her great pleasure and pride was that she was able to cast her vote for Paul Murphy for Kerry Captain. Noreen's funeral Mass was a celebration of her life and provided us, with glimpses of a bright, bubbly, loving and caring lady. She had a smile and a laugh for everyone whatever the occasion. Numerous guards of honour lined the route from her home in Tureencahill through Gneeveguilla village to the Church.

We celebrate her life and extend our heartfelt sympathy to Donal, Jerry, John and to the O'Connor and Cronin families.

*Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam dílis.*



*Noreen's artwork which she painted on the blackboard in Tureencahill Community Centre.*



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## OATMEAL COOKIES WITH VANILLA ICE-CREAM

### Ingredients

75g plain flour or wholemeal flour  
75g porridge  
50g caster sugar  
1 tbsp baking powder  
2 tbsp milk  
1 tbsp golden syrup  
75g butter  
1 tub of vanilla muckcross Creamery ice-cream

### Method

1. Pre heat the oven at 160°fan, line a baking tray with parchment paper
2. Sift in the flour in a bowl, next add in the porridge, sugar and the baking powder and mix together
3. Melt the butter, milk. And golden syrup in a sauce pan or in a microwave and stir to mix together.
4. Add to the dry ingredients mix until the liquid covers all the oat mixture and is fully combined.
5. Spoon onto a baking tray and shape into round balls leaving a space between them as during baking they will spread.
6. Place in the oven to bake for 10 to 15 minutes or until golden brown, when baked leave to cool for 5 minutes before removing from the tray
7. Spoon some ice-cream on to the cookie and place another cookie on top.

If you make the cheesecake tag me on Instagram and I will share your bakes. @theskinny.baker



## Vegan Shares

with Killarney Outlook



## COURGETTE AND RED PEPPER PASTA BAKE

### Ingredients

1 tbsp olive oil  
2 large courgettes grated  
3 red peppers roasted and de skinned  
1 onion chopped  
6 cloves of garlic crushed  
1 can chopped tomatoes  
300g macaroni pasta  
1 teaspoon Italian Herbs  
½ teaspoon chilli flakes  
½ a cup of violife vegan cheese grated  
1 cup of breadcrumbs  
Few sprigs of parsley chopped  
Salt and pepper to season

### Method

Put a large pot of water on the boil with a pinch of salt and a splash of oil add your pasta and cook for about 8 -10 minutes. Strain and set aside until needed. In a large frying pan put in your oil and fry your onions for 5 minutes, add your garlic, Italian herbs, salt and pepper and chilli flakes stir and fry for another minute or so. Add the grated courgette and fry on a low heat for about 5 minutes. Meanwhile blitz the roasted red peppers and the tinned tomatoes together until smooth. Add these to the pan with the courgette mix and simmer for about 15 minutes. At this point stir in the already cooked pasta. Mix well and fry for another 2-3 minutes. Add these into an oven dish and top it with the grated violife and the breadcrumbs. Bake in the oven on high heat for about 8-10 minutes or until golden brown. Serve and garnish with fresh parsley. This dish is so tasty and easy to make well worth a go.



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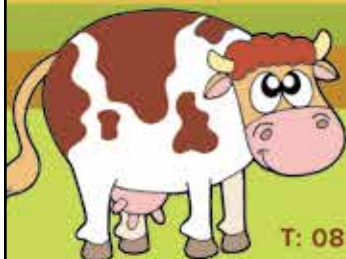
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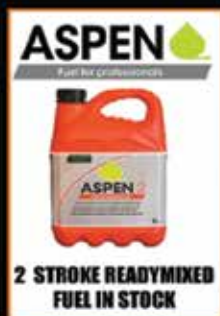
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Make sure you check tyres regularly – for condition and pressures – and increase pressures to suit extra loads, as advised in your handbook.

Check caravan tyres too, and replace those that show any signs of cracking in the sidewall or tread grooves.

### **Overheating**

High temperatures can aggravate cooling system problems too. It's important to check the coolant and cooling system regularly to avoid overheating.

### **Glare**

Dazzle from the sun causes lots of accidents but you can reduce the effect by keeping your windscreen nice and clean, and by replacing worn or damaged windscreen wipers. Read our top tips on how to wash a car.

It pays to keep a clean pair of sunglasses in your car year-round but avoid lenses that darken in strong sunlight.

### **Driving tired**

If you feel tired, stop and take a short nap (up to 15 minutes) or drink two cups of strong coffee.

It's best to avoid getting tired in the first place if you can. Try these tips:

Include a 20-minute break in journeys of more than three hours.

On longer trips, take a break every couple of hours.

Take several short (at least 20 minutes) stops rather than one long one.

Don't drink alcohol or eat a heavy meal before driving.

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#### Creating a Win/Win

What seems to be clear is that more and more people are looking at living their life in a more connected and heart centered way. This means that we consciously stop living in the old ways of trying to push, struggle, change other people, judge and force things to happen. And, instead, we begin to live (and work) more from a place of connection, heart-based communication, intention and allowing. These may seem like more passive qualities; however, they are powerful because they all take less of our energy to manifest. For example, trying to force someone to do something takes a huge amount of struggle, upset and negative energy, whereas looking at ways in which we can connect and communicate differently and understanding what the intention is behind the action means we move with more ease. In essence, we create a win/win for both parties.

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A common theme I see amongst those with high stress levels is a lack of results when trying to change their body. Stress holds us back from being the best that we can be. In a very similar way to poor sleep, it can put the brakes on progress, even if training and nutrition are spot-on. Of course, we all suffer stress at some point in our lives. We are involved in regular stressful life situations, including exhausting work schedules.

Stress is a burden on the body, and if it becomes chronically elevated and prolonged, we can end up massively fatigued and run down. That's when it can put a halt to any body composition changes. What we don't always realise is the potential damage stress is doing to the inside of our bodies and how it affects our health. How can I personalise this habit?

Assess the stressful areas of your life. Family, friends, career and money issues can all be stressful issues at times, and it's important to manage these as much as possible. Find the root cause(s) of stress and then put a simple daily habit into place to reduce, manage or eliminate them. I highly recommend practicing the art of daily meditation for this habit. It is one of the most effective ways at reducing overall daily stress levels.

Other habits could be taking more regular breaks at work, or getting more exercise in daily, or socialising more with friends and family.

Remember to relax, laugh, sleep, as these reduce stress levels in the body. Reduce the main stressors in your lifestyle and remember not to take life too seriously all the time.

More tips on this next week...



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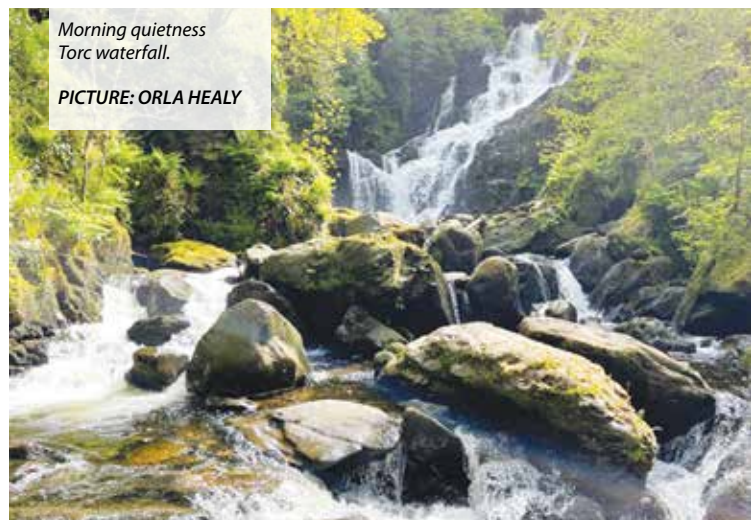
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## &gt;KILCUMMIN GAA

## FIXTURES

U-20 Kilcummin and Rathmore are combined for this league and our first game is away to Austin Stacks on Saturday at 4pm.

## CREDIT UNION CO LEAGUE DIV 1

John Mitchells 0-12 Kilcummin 0-11. We lost out by the narrowest of margins in a game which we feel we should have won. Despite some good passages of play from our players, Mitchel's used their prowess and superior physicality to eke out a valuable win. Our next game is away to Dingle in two weeks. Team B Kealy, Oscar O'Connor, Kevin McSweeney, Donal Maher, James Nagle,

Chris O'Leary, Padraig Nagle, Colm Kelleher, Kieran Murphy, Philip O'Leary, Gary O'Leary, Noel Duggan, Mikey O'Shea, John McCarthy, Kevin McCarthy.

## CO LEAGUE DIV 6 B

Kilcummin 0-10 Tuosist 2-20. Tuosist played some great football in beating our very young B team on Sunday last in Kilcummin but the experience will benefit the lads in their future games. Keith O'Leary, Richie O'Connor, Mikey O'Shea and Colm Kelleher stood out but all of the team tried hard throughout. Keith O'Leary (0-2 F), Cian Murphy, Daniel O'Leary (0-2), Jamie O'Donoghue, Sean Moynihan, Lorcan O'Connor, Andy Lowin, Colm Kelleher, Philip O'Leary, (0-1) Paul Moynihan, Mikey O'Shea, Adam O'Sullivan, Darren Lehane, (0-2F) Richie O'Connor, (0-3F) Micheal Sweeney, Subs Dylan Murphy, John Devane.

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Written by: John Moriarty

## GLNFLESK

## &gt;LOTTO

No winner of Glenflesk Lotto which took place on Monday 14/6/2021 in Glenflesk Hall. Jackpot €4,200, Numbers : 7, 10, 11, 20  
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## &gt;COUNTY LEAGUE RD 2

## Churchill 0 – 13 Glenflesk 0 – 11 (Saturday 19th June)

Churchill were the victors after overcoming Glenflesk in a tight battle that went down to the last few minutes, with Ivan Parkers nine point haul crucial in the victory. It was Glenflesk who opened the scoring. Darragh Roche brilliantly judging the wind to point a free from the acutest of angles. Parker pointed a free to level up as the game started at a fierce pace. Ian Roche escaped the massed Churchill to kick a fine individual effort that just crept inside the post before Darragh Roche and Parker exchanged frees to leave Glenflesk two points ahead at the water break, after an intense start.

Roche then scored another superb point from an impossible angle, finishing expertly after evading Sean Donlons attempted shoulder, and then bursting through 2 more Churchill tacklers. Donlon responded by kicking his side's first score from play, as the game remained delicately poised, with the visitors 5 – 4 up at the break.

Sub Sean Doherty pointed for Glenflesk early in the second half, after being set up by Emmitt Finnan. Churchill were winning a lot of the physical battles at this stage, and a monster free from Parker set them up for a run of points that gave them the lead for the first time. Parker's point after taking a mark, put them 8 – 7 up as the ref paused the game again.

It was getting fractious out there now, with the whistle playing a prominent role in proceedings. With Roche now moved closer to the goal, quick ball in allowed him a rare one on one opportunity, which he took to point with his left foot. Two more Parker points, including a stunning one from wide out, and a score from Killian Fitzgerald gave the home side a three point cushion. It was Fitzgeralds last act as he received a second booking soon after the kickoff, leaving his side down to 14. Donlon then got his second score of the day before Roche added his eighth. Then there was controversy when Liam O'Donnell pointed after catching a mark. Earlier it seemed the ball had crossed the line, which would have meant a line ball to Glenflesk. It wasn't given so the score stood. Eoghan O'Brien's save late on was the last chance for Glenflesk, and even though Tommy Bowler's pointed the rebound, time had beaten them, as the final whistle went straight afterwards.

An eventful evening ends in a disappointing defeat. Glenflesk did not play

with the same pace and accuracy as last week, and Churchill won a lot of the 50 – 50 ball's. The defense was pretty solid, with both corner back's playing well. The team now heads to Listowel to face Emmetts in a couple of weeks' time. A reaction will be needed after tonight's setback.

(Report by Michael Healy)

## &gt;COUNTY LEAGUE DIV 6A

## Glenflesk B 2 – 14 Legion B 0 – 9 (Sunday 20th June)

Two superbly created first half goals helped Glenflesk B power past Legion in Division 6A of the County League, and stay top of the table after two rounds. A free from Sean Doherty gave Glenflesk an early lead. Legion replied with a free of their own, before Glenflesk started to get joy with the long diagonal ball into Kevin Bowler. Bowler, who scored a hat trick last week against Rathmore, had a shot that just went over the bar, and he was involved in the opening goal. His hand pass beyond the goalie allowed Danny Lucey to pop the ball into the empty net. Legion scored back to back points, and only a brilliant block from Peter Cronin denied them a goal. Sean Doherty then ghosted beyond Legion defenders before rifling the ball into the roof of the net. Legion were unlucky to be denied by the post just before halftime. Glenflesk would go in leading by 2 – 6 to 0 – 4 at the break. Legion opened the second half with two quick points to reduce the deficit to 6. David O'Donoghue got a settling score, which added to points to Bowler and Doherty, helped Glenflesk pull away. Legion battled hard but could make no inroads against Glenflesk's defense, as the blocking and tackling closed down every available avenue. Corner back Cronin even had time to come forward the length of the field to kick a great point in the final few minutes.

Two impressive wins to start the League campaign by the B team. As mentioned earlier, there was at least four block downs in the first half as the Legion forwards were suffocated. The kick outs were accurate, and the midfield was dominant. The quality of ball into the forwards was mostly, of a very high standard. Gneeveguilla B are next at home in two weeks' time. Players are performing well and will relish their next outing.

## &gt;FIXTURES

## County League U20 - Saturday 26th June @4pm Home to Castleisland Desmonds U15 Co. League

Rd. 4. Wednesday 30th June @7pm Home v Castleisland Desmonds

Rd 5. Wednesday 7th July @7pm. Away V GB/GC/CM

U13 County League

Rd. 3. 27th June @ 6pm. Away v Kilcummin

Rd 4. 4th July @6pm. Home v Na Gael

Rd 5 11th July @6pm. Away v Castleisland Desmonds

Written by: Seamus Healy



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## ➤SUICIDE AWARENESS

A Clothes Bank in Aid of Suicide Awareness in Aid of Suicide Awareness is now Installed in the Creamery yard Rathmore. All Clothes accepted. Anyone in need of support call Mary on 087-3162257 For Suicide Awareness

## ➤CONGRATULATIONS

to Margaret Collins, knocknaloman rathmore Director of Nursing in St. Joseph's Community Hospital, Millstreet on her retirement & of wonderfully dedicated service and served in killarney community Hospital As early years.

## ➤GNEEVEGUILLA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL AND GNEEVEGUILLA BASKETBALL CLUB

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Cahill this week's jackpot winner of €308. Congrats pat this week's jackpot winner was €308. Well done. Guaranteed winner every week, go to our Facebook page to find out how and where you can play. REMEMBER if YOU are not in you can't win <https://www.facebook.com/gneeveguilla> a/Draw takes place every Friday evening @8:30 pm on Facebook live

## ➤RATHMORE LADIES FOOTBALL

National Ladies Football League Final Croke Park on this Saturday 26th At 5pm best of luck to Kerry team & management especially all players from Rathmore (capt.) Aishling Desmond Danielle O'Leary, Laoise Coughlan, Sarah Murphy & Katie Buckley. And also to Kerry senior players in Munster senior championship this Saturday at Fitzgerald stadium at 5pm. Against Clare (capt) Paul Murphy & Shane Ryan & Kerry management

## ➤KERRY COUNTY COUNCIL

Has had the Tender published for Works at Gortdarrig Bridge in Shrone, this bridge has been closed and at was inconvenience to locals as a result. The tender closes in 7th July and that it will allow for the appointment of a Contractor in early July and get the works underway.

## ➤RATHMORE GAA

Astro Turf Now open for bookings. Groups must not exceed 15 people. Covid sanitizing and contact tracing applies to groups. Contact Noreen on 087 1144100

## ➤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,

By Michael O' Mahony

## SPA JUVENILE GIRLS ON A DAY OUT IN KILLARNEY NATIONAL PARK ON SATURDAY





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## SPA

### ➤UPCOMING FIXTURES

Sunday June 27th U14 Girls Spa v BYE  
 Sunday June 27th U13 Co League Spa v Currow (away, 6pm)  
 Monday June 28th Minor EK League Spa v Gneeveguilla (away, 7.30pm)  
 Tuesday June 29th East Kerry Junior League Spa v Kilcummin (home, 7.30pm)  
 Wednesday June 30th U15 Co League Spa v Milltown/Castlemaine (away, 7pm)  
 Thursday July 1st U11 Go Games Spa v Legion (home, 6.30pm)  
 Best of luck to all teams and managements. Reminder that a maximum of 100 spectators allowed attend games.

### ➤EAST KERRY MINOR LEAGUE

The East Kerry Minor League begins on Monday June 28th and Spa are in Division 3 with Currow, Gneeveguilla and Cordal/Scartaglin. Fixtures as follows: June 28th Spa v Gneeveguilla (away, 7.30pm); July 5th Spa v Cordal/Scartaglin (home, 7.30pm); July 12th Spa v Currow (away, 7.30pm)

### ➤CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to John O'Donoghue who takes his seat on the Council this week, following Cllr Michael Gleeson retiring from his position.

### ➤KERRY LADIES NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE FINAL

Wishing the very best of luck to the Kerry Ladies this Saturday June 26th in the National Football League Division 2 Final against Meath. The game is on in Croke Park at 5pm and best of luck to the team and management, with special mention to our Spa members Niamh Kearney and Cassandra Buckley.

### ➤MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIP

The Kerry senior team play Clare this Saturday night at 7.30pm in the Munster Football Championship quarter final. Best of luck to all, especially Spa players Dara Moynihan and Liam Kearney.

### ➤CO LEAGUE RD2 DIVISION 1A SPA 2-10 AUSTIN STACKS 1-13

Spa hosted Austin Stacks on Saturday evening in Rd 2 of the Co League and this is certainly one that can be described as a game of two halves. Although Stacks had worked up a comfortable 12-point lead during the first half, a spirited second half comeback from Spa made for a frantic final few minutes. Spa will be away to John Mitchels on July 3rd/4th in the next round.

### ➤CO LEAGUE RD2 DIVISION 6C SPA 0-10 DESMONDS 3-11

Our senior B team travelled to Castleisland on Sunday afternoon. Three first half goals had Spa chasing the game all through, and at the break we were trailing by 0-6 to 3-4. Desmonds never relinquished their lead and won out well in the end. Our B team will be home to Dingle B on the weekend of July 3rd/4th in the next round of the league.

### ➤MINOR CO LEAGUE SPA 3-9 ST SENANS 3-6

Our minors welcomed St Senans last week and the sides were closely matched throughout. At the half time break the visitors were leading by 3-3 to 2-4 but a solid second half edged Spa in front and they held on to win by three points.

### ➤U15 CO LEAGUE SPA 5-8 ARDFERT 3-10

Our U15's made the tough trip to Ardfert Wednesday evening for a very entertaining encounter with two strong teams. Thanks to our hosts for a very enjoyable and sporting game. Our lads keep answering the questioned

being asked of them while missing some key players, next up for the U15's is our first home game of the season against Listowel Emmets.

### ➤U14 GIRLS SPA 4-10 CURROW 7-7

Spa U14 girls were away to Currow this week. Spa were slow to start and unfortunately were 5 goals down very early on in the game. Eventually Ciara O'Donoghue got the opening score for Spa and that seemed to settle them a bit. The second quarter was a much more even affair and Spa shone in the second half with much needed goals from Angelina Kenny and Lara O'Neill and showed incredible spirit to eventually bring Spa back to within one goal down with a minute to go the game ended with Currow as the victors. Currow 7-7 to Spa 4-10. Scorers for Spa were Angelina Kenny (2-1) Lara O'Neill (2-0) Saoirse Moriarty (0-7) Ciara O'Donoghue (0-2). Spa have a bye next week.

### ➤JUVENILE GIRLS ENJOY A DAY OUT IN THE NATIONAL PARK

Our u8 u10 and U12 girls had a wonderful day out in our beautiful Killarney on Saturday. Started the morning with a boat trip on the lakes, followed by a walk through the national park and ended with a picnic. Thanks to all the coaches especially Johnny Brosnan who organised this event. By all accounts everyone had a great time. Well done to all involved. Meanwhile, U16 coach Susan Waters along with Claire Tangney took Spa u16 girls on a day to remember. Setting off at 10am from Ross Castle they thoroughly enjoyed the beautiful boat trip up through the lakes getting all the local history from boatman Donal Jnr of Gap of Dunloe Traditional Boat Tours. Next a quick pit stop at Lord Brandons Cottage to refuel with hot chocolates and chats (having bumped into loads of Spa members). The girls struck off on their 14km hike from Lord Brandons, up the Old Kenmare Road and down Torc waterfall... finishing up back at Ross Castle with pizza. It was a great day and Susan was so proud of how the girls represented Spa Club on the day.

### ➤SPA LOTTO RESULTS 14 06 21

Numbers drawn: 1, 8, 14, 16. No winner and €50 Lucky Dips go to Tina Aherne, Helen McKenna, Paudie O'Sullivan Darcy and Con Doolan. Next week's JACKPOT is €5,200. Tickets on sale online on spagaa.com or from Dalys Supervalu, Killarney Hardware, Centra Muckross Rd, Spa clubhouse or from usual sellers. Thank you to everyone for your continued support for our club lotto.

### ➤JUVENILE TRAINING

Juvenile training continues each week. Spa GAA is open to everyone in Killarney parish and new members are always welcome. Contact the coaches or Coiste na nÓg Secretary Denise on 0871385612 or spacoistenanog@gmail.com with any queries.

### ➤SPA MERCHANDISE SHOP

The Spa GAA merchandise shop (top of the stairs in reception) will be open on Saturday mornings from 10am - 11am. Any queries on gear for adults or juveniles please contact Mathilda on 087 6487356.

### ➤ITEMS FOR NOTES

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

Written by: Deirdre O'Sullivan-Darcy



How're doing..... Curious Cows.....Photo: Orla Healy



Students from Raheen NS Headford, pictured on their Graduation. Back left to right is Oscar Lovett, Conor Warren, Dylan Bowler, Patrick Mullane, Anna Roche and Lily Ann Reen. Front row left to right, Adam Hobbs, Sean O Sullivan, Caoimhe Cronin and Sarah Warren.



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## LISTRY

## ➤LISTRY JUVENILES RESULTS

Week ending Sunday June 30th

Wed June 16th. U15 Lee Strand County League Div 1.

An Ghaeltacht 2.13 Keel/Listry 1.09

Friday June 18th. U15 Lee Strand County League Div 9.

Keel/Listry 0.04 Austin Stacks 6.16

Sunday June 20th. U13 Lee Strand County League Div 9

Keel/ Listry 3.08 Austin Stacks 3.03

U13 Lee Strand County League Div 1

Keel/Listry 4.20 Austin Stacks 2.08

## ➤LISTRY JUVENILE FIXTURES

Sunday June 27th

U13 Lee Strand County League Div 9 - Keel/ Listry V Firies in Farranfore at

5.30pm. U13 Lee Strand County League Div 1

Keel/Listry V Firies in Farranfore at 7pm.

Best of luck to all players and mentors.

## ➤WEEKLY LOTTO RESULTS

June 20th Draw

Winning numbers : 1,9,11,26 Jackpot €5,000 not won.

€100- Helena Scannell, Coolroe €50 x 2 - A. Howe, Rockfield. Fern Kelliher,

Ballyfinnane. €25 x 2 - Martina Scannell, Milltown. Mike McCarthy c/o P.

Ahern. Next Sunday 27th June €5,150.

## ➤CO SENIOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION 2B ROUND 2

Listry Senior meet Gneeveguilla on Sunday last 20th June. Gneeveguilla

0.11 Listry 0.09. Best of Luck to the Senior Team in the round 3 against Bal-

lymacelligott on July 3rd/4th in Listry Gaa Grounds.

County League Div 2B.

## ➤MUNSTER FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Best of Luck to Peter Keane and The Kerry Team next Saturday, June 26th in

Fitzgerald Stadium against Clare.

## ➤LISTRY V GNEEVEGUILLA

- Listry Sun June 20th - Gneeveguilla won this county league Div 2B game
- played in Listry on Sunday on the score line Gneeveguilla 0-11, listry 0-09.
- This was a very entertaining game where the difference between the
- teams was Patrick O'Riordan the Gneeveguilla goalkeeper who made
- some great saves to keep his team in the game. Gneeveguilla raced into an
- early lead with John O'Leary kicking 3 points from frees inside the first ten
- minutes. Listry gradually got into the game and points from Sean Lehane
- (2) and Ruairi Murphy had the teams level by the first water break. After the
- break Listry, through Anthony Kennedy and Sean O'Sullivan moved ahead
- before two pointed frees from John O'Leary again brought the sides level.
- Aaron McCarthy and Shane Crowley swapped points as did Paul O'Leary
- and Anthony Kennedy to leave the half time score Listry 0-07 Gneeveguilla
- 0-07. Both teams found it hard to add to their score and both sides had
- wides at this time. It took until the 12 minute of the second half for the
- next score which came from Shane O'Sullivan for Gneeveguilla. Ruairi
- Murphy replied for listry before the second water break. John O Leary for
- the visitors and Anthony Kennedy again swapped points before Shane O
- Sullivan and John O Leary put Gneeveguilla in front by two nearing the
- final whistle. Listry tried hard to equalize but could not get through the
- visitors defence which left Gneeveguilla winners 0-11 to 0-09.

## ➤LOTTO

- Please support your club and community by playing weekly. Due to
- restrictions online play would be appreciated. Please play online at
- <https://clubforce.com/search-clubs/?search-term=Listry> or download the
- clubforce app and play from the comfort of your own home.
- Tickets can also be purchased from O'Sullivan, Beaufort Bridge, Faha
- Court, Listry Community Centre. Yearly tickets available from club officers.
- Discounts on multiples. We thank you for your support in the coming
- weeks and months.

Written by: Anne Sugrue O'Brien



U17 Keel/Listry team.



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## BEAUFORT

### ➤GOLF CLASSIC

Beaufort GAA Club annual Golf Classic will be held on Friday, 16th July in Beaufort Golf Club. It is again sponsored by MF Decorating Ltd. It is a 3-person team event. Entry fee is €180 per team and tee box sponsorship is €50. To book a tee time or tee box, please contact Colm at 087 6737414.

### ➤MEMBERSHIP

Beaufort GAA membership is still available. Please contact Patie at 087 2515311 for Club and gym membership and Sue 086 2632219 for Ladies membership.

### ➤RESULTS

#### SENIOR MEN

Our senior men took on Kenmare at home in round 2 of the county league on Saturday evening last. Kenmare opened the scoring straight away, going two points up, until Liam Carey got the first Beaufort point after 9 minutes. Further points from Ciarán and Fergal left the score at the first water break 0-3 each. Beaufort went on a great run after the water break with three unanswered points from Padraig Doona and Fergal Hallissey, but Kenmare brought the game back level for half time on a score line of 0-6 each. After half time, the game was very evenly matched again and after some great scores from Liam, Ciarán and Fergal, Beaufort led 0-11 to 0-9 until a goal for Kenmare just before the water break put them ahead by a point. The last quarter was a very low scoring affair with just one further point coming from Kenmare. The game finished on a scoreline of 1-10 to 0-11 in favour of Kenmare. Both Mark Neary and Ethan Coffey played very well in defence, which is a great sign of our up and coming younger players.

#### ➤U14 GIRLS

Our U14s girls had a brilliant win over Beale in Beaufort on Sunday. The girls have now had two great victories and will face Kerins O Rahillys in Tralee next Sunday 27th at 6pm.

#### ➤U15 BOYS

Beaufort u15 boys were at-home for their second round county league match against St Senan's on Wednesday evening. After a bright opening quarter by Beaufort, St Senan's gradually came back into the match and by half time the sides were level at 1.03 each. However, similar to their

first round match, Beaufort were outplayed in the 2nd half and only managed to add 4 additional points to their first half tally. In the end St Senan's ran out easy winners with final score of Beaufort 1.07 St Senan's 4.11

#### ➤U12 GIRLS

Fantastic team performance by our U12 girls tonight, winning on a score line of 4-10 to 4-05! Our forwards kicked some brilliant scores to keep us ahead on the scoreboard, while our defence remained strong & battled to block & put pressure on every ball to keep it away from our goals. The 2 midfielders worked tirelessly to help out both.

#### ➤U16 GIRLS

Beaufort U16s started their League campaign with a point win over a fine Glenflesk team in Beaufort Tuesday evening. Being the first game of the season the girls played well and were unlucky with score chances that went abegging. Aoibhinn Coffey made her debut in goals and found her team mates with each kick out and clearance. Our back were outstanding throughout though Glenflesk led at half-time 2-3 to 0-4. The 2nd half saw Glenflesk add another point before the home sides forwards and midfield got their passes to stick and hit a purple patch scoring 2-1. Another point stretched Glenflesk lead but 1-1 in the final minutes saw Beaufort win by a point. Well done to this fine panel of girls, 25 in all. Final score Beaufort 3-5 to 2-7.

#### ➤BEAUFORT JUNIORS

Hard luck to our Junior team who had a great game against Rathmore on Sunday which resulted in a narrow defeat by 2 points on a scoreline of 3-13 to 3-11. It was a very entertaining match from the beginning and they put in a very strong performance but we're unlucky not to get the upper hand.

#### ➤MINOR BOYS

Our Minor boys had a brilliant win last Monday night in Beaufort. They put in a great team performance and will now face St Michael's Filemore in round 3 of the county league.

*Written by: Clodhna Coffey*



*Beaufort Senior Men during a minute of silence in memory of Mike Falvey before their county league game on Saturday night v Kenmare.*



*Killarney House and Gardens. staff member Martin Crowley dead heading roses at Killarney House. The variety of rose is Rosa Wild Edric. PHOTO CREDIT TO KILLARNEY HOUSE AND GARDENS.*



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## KEEL GAA CLUB

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### COUNTY LEAGUE

Our seniors travelled to Listowel on Saturday evening for round 2 of the Credit Union County Senior Football League Division 3A decider. The final score was Keel 0-10 Listowel Emmets 0-13. Round 3 of the County League will take place on the weekend of the 3rd/4th of July and Keel will be at home to St. Pats Blennerville. Day and time TBC.

### MID-KERRY LEAGUE

Keel will play Beaufort on Saturday the 26th in Beaufort to finish last years Mid Kerry League campaign. This league was not completed due to the pandemic. Time to be confirmed. Best of luck to the team and their management.

### MID-KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE

Our B team will play An Ghaeltacht in the Mid Kerry Junior League on Tuesday evening in Keel at 7:45. Best of luck to the team and their management.

### UNDER 17

Keel/Listry Under 17s had a good win against a strong Ballyduff team on Monday last. The final score was Keel/Listry 1-10, Ballyduff 0-10. Keel/Listry are away to Annascaul/Lispole/Dingle at 7.30pm in Lispole on Monday.

### UNDER 15

Keel/Listry under 15A played An Ghaeltacht last Wednesday in Gallarus and though the game was in the mix with 5 minutes to go, An Ghaeltacht finished strongly and came away with the win. Keel/Listry U15B played a strong Austin Stacks team on Friday evening. Keel/Listry U15A team play St Michaels Foilmore on Wednesday evening at 7pm in Listry. Keel/Listry U15B team have a bye this week.

### UNDER 13

Both blue and green teams were home to Austin stacks on Sunday evening. The blue team who played in Division 9 kept up their 100% record with a 3:08 to 3:03 win. While the green team who played in Division 1 had a 4:20 to 2:08 win. Both teams travel to Firies in round 3 next Sunday for 5:30pm and 7pm kick offs. Best of luck to both teams and their coaches.

### UNDER 11

Keel under 11's had the long journey back to An Ghaeltacht last Thursday. Both teams played very well and came away with the victories. Training continues Tuesday at 6:30pm. Our U11s play their next game against Fossa Thursday the 24th at Keel GAA pitch at 6:30pm. Best of luck to all players and their coaches.

### UNDER 9

Our U9s had their first games of the year against Cromane this morning. Over 30 players showed their skills in Keel. Well done to all the girls and boys and their coaches. We would like to thank Cromane for some great games. Training continues Friday at 6.15 in Keel.

### UNDER 7S AND UNDER 5S

Both the U7s and U5s trained in beautiful sunshine on Sunday morning. Training continues Sunday from 10:15 - 11:15. Please

ensure the health questionnaire is completed on [www.foireann.ie](http://www.foireann.ie) before training.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to former Keel player Liam Sheehan and his teammates from the Éire Óg club in Cork who won the County Senior A Football Championship on Saturday evening. Well done Liam.

### LADIES FOOTBALL

Best of luck to Ciara Murphy, Caoimhe Evans, Mairead Lehane and Ella Teahan who line out with the Kerry Ladies this weekend in the Lidl Ladies Division 2 Final in Croke Park. Best of luck to the team and their management.

## FOSSA GAA CLUB

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### KERRY

Best of luck to the Kerry senior players and management especially Fossa's Paudie and David Clifford in their Munster championship match against Clare this Saturday evening. Also to the Kerry ladies this Saturday especially Anna Clifford in the ladies national league final against Meath.

### U8 GIRLS

U8 Fossa Girls hosted MKL Gaels in a series of challenge games. A great session by all thanks to all the coaches.

### MINORS

Laune Rangers 1-22, Fossa 2-6.  
A hard fought contest against a very good Killorglin side.

### U11 BOYS

Well done to fossa u11 boys who travelled to Dingle to play Dingle in the Mike Breen / David Clifford group of u11 matches.

Both teams from Fossa and Dingle put up a splendid display of skill and football. Fantastic competitive football from both camps. Many thanks to the mentors and the parents for their support.

### U13 BOYS

Lee strand County League  
Churchill 4-10, Fossa 4-6.

Fossa U13 A were away to Churchill for their first game out. Fossa were slow to get into the game, finishing the first half trailing 3-7 to 3-2. Fossa stepped it up after the break, and came very close to snatching something out of the game. U13 B team played Kilcummin at home to Fossa. Despite their best efforts, Kilcummin proved much stronger on the night.

### U15 BOYS

Lee Strand County league Fossa U-15's hosted Renard /St. Mary's in our second game in Division 5B of the County League. Our guests quickly raced in to a 1-3 to 0-1 lead before Fossa had settled into the game. Gradually though Fossa begun to settle helped by three well converted goals and by half time Fossa were six points in the lead. Renard/St Marys continued to challenge Fossa all over the field, particularly their midfield and half forward line, however the Fossa boys stood firm and while the game was never comfortable, Fossa ran out 5-16 to

3-8 winners. Next up for Fossa is a real challenge against table topping John Mitchells on June 23rd (next Wednesday) at 7pm in Fossa.

Cian Myers, Darragh Kavanagh, Ryan Brady, Mark Keñnelly, Karl James O'Neill, Roan Daly, Ted O German, Jack Cronin, Cathal Breen, David Butler, Tadhg Kissane O Sullivan, Ronan Bennett Sean Dennehy. Billy O Sullivan Jake Ryan, Daithi Kissane O Sullivan, William Lyons.

### SENIOR MEN

#### COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION 4

Knocknagoshel 1-12 Fossa 1-13:  
Knocknagoshel lead 1-4, 0-3 at the first water Break and 1-7, 0-7 at half time.

A Fintan Coffey got goal in 12th minute of the second half put Fossa 1-10 to 1-08 ahead at the second half water Break. Knocknagoshel came back at Fossa and with Full time approaching led 1-12 to 1-11. But Tadhg O'Shea converted two late frees to give Fossa the win, great displays by Fintan Coffey, Emmett O Shea, Matt Rennie and Dan O'Keefe saw us throw. Fintan Coffey 1-1 Tadhg O'Shea 0-4, Cian O shea 0-2, Emmett O'Shea 0-3, Mark Dennehy, Dan O'Keefe and Harry Buckley 0-1 each.

County League Division 6:

Fossa B 0-14 Dingle B 0-09

Fossa lead at the first water Break 0-6 0-2

Half time 9-3 Second water break 9-7

Full time Fossa 0-14, Dingle 0-9

Lorcan Daly 0-5, Jack Clifford 0-4, Donald O'Sullivan 0-2. Darren Cronin, Mike Cronin and Gary Cronin 0-1 each. First win for our B team well done to players and management.

### LOTTO

11,12,14,24 €40 WINNERS

JOHN MCCARTHY, AGHALEEMORE FOSSA; PAUL MCENTAGGART, FIRIES; EILEEN HICKEY DUBLIN, C/O ML CUNNINGHAM; FIONN NAUGHTON, CURRAGH AGHADOE; FIONN NAUGHTON, CURRAGH AGHADOE.

Next weeks jackpot is €3,300.00. Tickets on sale from Foleys Spar Fossa, The golden nugget bar and usual sellers thanks for the support.

### CONDOLENCE

The club would like to pass on our condolences to the family of Breda Sugrue (nee Clifford) of Tylough Kielduff Tralee, late of Castle Cove, aunt of our chairman Dermot. May she rest in peace.

## DR CROKES GAA CLUB

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### SENIOR FOOTBALL DIV. 1

In Group A Dingle saw off the strong challenge of a Dr Crokes side (0-18 to 1-12). Crokes lost Brian Looney in the opening half but former underage star Jordan Kiely was unerring for the Crokes scoring eight points and boosted by an early Mikey Casey goal. Dingle led 0-10 to 1-4 at half time But Dingle with Mikey Geaney pulling the strings were always in the driving seat and with the games tied at 1-9 to 0-12 with Fionn Fitzgerald getting the equalizer and again the game was in the balance 1-11 to 0-14 with ten minutes left.

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But Dingle dug deep and points from Conor Geaney (2), Matthew Flaherty and a forty five from keeper Gavin H Curran saw Dingle across the winning line.

## DR. CROKES B 2-07 CASTLEISLAND 6-11

Desmonds got off to a perfect start against a sleepy Dr. Crokes defense with 2 goals in the opening 3 minutes from Tommy Lynch & Adam O'Donoghue Crokes opened their account in the 5th minute with a Chris brady free followed by another minor by Bryan O'Shea Desmond's followed with another goal in the 7th minute. Crokes goals from Padraic looney and mark Cooper coming up to half time but o'donoghue found he net again to leave halftime score 4-06 to 2-04 in favour of visitors.

On the resumption Cian O'Connor scored a 5th goal in the 5th minute to make the result inevitable and a further goal from Adam O'Donoghue in the 27th minute concluded the scoring.

## DR CROKES C 0-10

## MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE B 0-09

It was great to see Jack Lynch, Erin Moloney, Mark Clifford, Ronan Coffey and Conor Harrington make their senior club debuts in this tightly fought contest with Milltown/Castlemaine. Crokes led by 4 points at half time with the highlight of the half being a first ever point by fullback Mark Egan. In the 2nd half the rotating subs option was well used by management with Tom Rohan making some astute calls on the sideline. Crokes then led by 5 points at the 2nd waterbreak. However they had to withstand a late fightback by Milltown/Castlemaine in the final quarter to hold on for the one point victory. It is now 2 wins from 2 for this team and hopefully they can keep this momentum going to make a push for promotion.

## ACADEMY

Academy: We had a fun filled day on Saturday. Normal training was replaced with a range of fun activities. By common consent everyone had a blast and I think all who attended went home tired but happy. Thanks to all who helped but a special worth to Kevin Smith who put so much into it.. Regular activity returns next Saturday for boys and girls aged between 4 and 11. All welcome from the Killarney parish/area. Hurling 10 to 10.45. Football 10.45 until 12. Please update health status before attendance

**U9:** Go games kick off next week. Please check update from coaches and next week at the academy

## U11

Our two teams black and amber started their Kerry Co League Division 1 the Gavin White/ Adrian Spillane league against our perennial Black and Amber rivals from Tralee, Austin Stacks. Its always a great test for any Crokes player to pit themselves against this famed club. Our lads were well able for the task. Their hard work over the last few weeks was evident. Two great games ensued with nothing between the side. A great start to the season and thanks to Austin Stacks for some great games. We will meet again.

## U13

Our U13s started their league campaign with a home win against Glenflesk. This side had some injury problems in the run up to the game but

overcame that to earn a good win. Their hard training gave them a good reward. Keep it going lads. Thanks to a sporting Glenflesk team.

**U15** The U15 squad had a mixed week. The first team went down to Churchill in an away game and the second string had a good win against Kilcummin. Still all to play for.

## U7 HURLERS

Our U7 hurlers went to Rathmore for some challenge games. They performed heroically but most of all had great fun. Its great to see them grow in the sport and they are really improving.

## U9 HURLERS

Our U9 hurlers hosed Rathmore in the go games format. Its great to see such an increase in our numbers in this group. We had three games on the evening with some evenly matched teams. Well done to the coaches and great thanks to Rathmore for the games and their help on the night. We look forward to more games in this group.

## REFEREES

We are still looking to recruit referees of all ages. If you have training or experience we are looking to talk to you or if you want to start out we will help with training etc. Please contact Diarmuid 0868339389

## LGFA

Our U16 girls started their Div 2 County League campaign at home last Tuesday evening. In what was a damp evening, the girls lifted the spirits of the parents & supporters in attendance with a great team performance coming out on top on a scoreline of 9-7 to 3-1. Well done to management team of Brendan Connors, Teresa Cahillane & Jason Stack and to the entire panel of girls. Next up is a trip to Gallarus on Tuesday evening where the girls will take on a combined team of Corca Dhuibhne/Castlegregory. Best of luck girls.

## U12S

Our U12 took the short journey to neighbours Killarney Legion on Tuesday evening where our girls took on the Legion "White" team in Div 4 South of the County League. Despite battling hard, our girls were finally beaten by 2 points on a scoreline of 1-5 to 2-0. Managers Padraig O'Shea, Rheanne O'Shea & Siobhan Burns take their charges to Kenmare this Wednesday evening to take on the home side. Best of luck girls.

## U14S

Our U14s took the long road to Waterville on Sunday last, where they took on Southern Gaels B in Div 5 of the County League. The girls got off to a great start with opening goals from Sarah Cooper, Siofra Randles & Keva McCarthy. Travelling with just 15 players, our girls kept the tempo up throughout, which was difficult when Southern Gaels began to introduce members of their extensive panel in the second half. A super finish saw our girls hold out on a scoreline of 7-8 to 5-8. Well done to coaches Catherine Keogh, Alan McCorrian & Danny Cooper and our super girls. Sending our very best wishes to Kayleigh Cronin and the Kerry Senior ladies who play in the Lidl National League Div2 Final v Meath on Saturday next, 26 June in Croke Park. Throw-in is at 5pm and live coverage will be broadcast by Radio Kerry.

## MEMBERSHIP ONLINE MEMBERSHIP IS NOW DUE

All memberships are now due, all players & coaches will have to have paid before return to play from today as only registered members can enter the playing pitches all registration is online

## LOTTO

draw took place on Monday June 21st Numbers drawn 10 13 19 21 Six patrons matched 3 numbers Tony O'Leary c/o Larry, Colm Foley, Pat Buckley Hawthorn, Liz Kenneally c/o Pat, Theresa Sheehan c/o Padraigh O'Shea, Joan Devane c/o Ml. O'Leary Mary Courtney c/o Ml. O'Leary each receive €60. Jackpot for draw on June 28th will be €5,600. We are calling on all members to support our weekly lotto as this represents one of the main sources of revenue for the club. With activity likely to recommence on the fields over the next few weeks we need people's support to maintain our facilities in Lewis Road. We have made a number of alterations to make things easier for members to play the easiest one being to play it online.

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## MAJOR CHALLENGE

we had another magnificent entry for our popular Challenge on US Open after a titanic battle Sheila Galvin came out on top. Result 1st €1,000 Sheila Galvin, 2nd €300 Fidget Spinners, 3rd €200 Martin Byrnes, 4th €100 John Ennis, 5th €100 Des O'Connor, 6th €100 Best of All, 7th €100 Miriam & Tim Dennehy, Best Card one player missing cut Wayne McDonald. We will be holding final Challenge on Open Championship beginning on 15th -18th July. Best Wishes to Club Vice-President Fr. Paddy O'Donoghue who is recovering from a recent procedure.

## EAST KERRY GAA NEWS

*By Michael O'Mahony*

## EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE 2021

First named team is at home

### Group 1

Second Round – Tuesday 29th June, Time 7.30pm

Rathmore V Legion

Dr.Crokes B V Gneeveguilla

### Group 2

First named team is at home

Second Round – wednesday 30th June, Time: 7.30pm

Firies V Dr Crokes C

Second Round Tuesday 29th June

Spa V Kilcummin

Group 3 – 13/15 a side

First named team is at home

Second Round – Tuesday 29th June,

Time: 7.30pm

Scartaglin V Cordal

Listry V Currow

Kilcummin v Firies to Friday 25th June

Time 7.30pm.

Group 3 – 13/15 a slide

Cordal V Listry Friday June 25th Time 7.30pm

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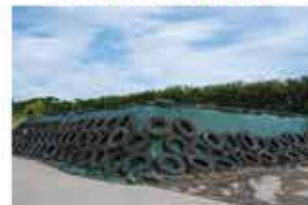


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## U17 EAST REGION LEAGUE

Division one  
Dr. Crokes.Fossa, Kilcummin, Glenflesk.  
Round one Dr.Crokes V Fossa  
Kilcummin V Glenflesk  
Round Two Glenflesk V Dr.Crokes  
Fossa V Kilcummin Round Three  
Fossa V Glenflesk Kilcummin V Dr.Crokes.  
Division Two  
Legion, Kenmare, Keel/Listry, Furies & Rathmore  
Round one Legion V Kenmare  
Keel/Listry V Furies  
Rathmore bye  
Round Two Rathmore V Legion  
Kenmare V Keel/Listry  
Furies Bye  
Round Three Furies V Legion  
Rathmore V Kenmare  
Keel/Listry Bye  
Round Four Legion V Keel/Listry  
Furies V Rathmore  
Kenmare Bye  
Round Five Kenmare V Furies  
Keel/Listry V Rathmore  
Legion Bye  
Division 3 13/15 a side  
Cordal/Scartaglin, Currow, Gneevegullia & Spa  
Round one Cordal/Scartaglin V Currow,  
Gneevegullia V Spa  
Round Two Spa V Cordal/Scartaglin,  
Currow V Gneevegullia.  
Round Three Currow V Spa  
Cordal/Scartaglin V Gneevegullia.  
Competition to be played on Monday nights  
at 7.30pm commencing on June 28th and  
continuing on all Monday nights in July. Finals  
be played at latest Aug 2nd.  
No postponements. Any game changed will  
have to be played before next round.  
Top two teams contest the finals in each division.

## CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILIES

### ON RECENT DEATHS

Junior Murphy RIP Cahirciveen Uncle to Peter Keane Kerry senior manager & Tom Keane. treasurer of Kerry Co Board.

## MUNSTER SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Kerry vs clare Fitzgerald staduim Killarney this saturday 5pm. Best luck to Kerry team & managerment & Kerry capt Paul Murphy & all Players & managerment from East Region National Ladies Football League Final Croke Park on Saturday 26th. At 5pm best of luck to Kerry team & managerment especially all players from east region & (capt,) Aishing Desmond.

## LEGION GAA NOTES

### LEGION GOLF SOCIETY

We are organizing a number of Golf Outings over the coming weeks starting with Lackabane Wednesday 30th June, 2 person scrabble between 6 & 7pm. €10 for non members & €5 for members. All welcome please contact Tommy Galvin +353 (86) 317 1312 or Dinny Murphy (086) 823 4853.

### SPONSORSHIP

As the local economy begins to re-open, we want to say "Thank You" to all the generous

sponsors that support Killarney Legion. Now is the time for all of us to support those businesses that support our club. We have an ongoing weekly campaign on all social Media outlets. #SupportLocal #KillarneyLocals.

## U-15 A&B BOYS COUNTY LEAGUE

Legion under 15A & B teams played a double header in the county league Div 1B and Div 9A. The A team won on a scoreline of 8-14 v 6-10. The B team lost on a score line of 6-12 v 3-8. Fantastic two games by a great bunch of young lads, well done to the players and management, Thanks to all at Milltown GAA for hosting us and a special mention to the referee from South Kerry who did an outstanding job.

## U-14 GIRLS COUNTY LEAGUE

Our u14 girls continued their co league campaign this eve making the short trip to our neighbours in Kilcummin. In what was a great sporting contest, Kilcummin started the better striking for an early goal and led by a point at the water break. The legion girls then got a grip of the game and took the lead with some fine scores. An unfortunate clash of heads towards the end of the first half saw Legion's Lauren Carey have to depart the game early. Legion led at the break 2-5 to 1-0. Our girls continued their good form in the 2nd half with some well worked scores. To their credit the girls from Kilcummin never gave in and popped over some well taken points. By the final whistle all 21 Legion girls saw game time as they ran out winners on a scoreline of 3-10 to 1-03. Thanks to Kilcummin for hosting us. We wish Lauren Carey the best following her injury.

## U-12 GIRLS

The u12 'white' team were in South Kerry league action this evening. Our neighbours Dr. Crokes made the short trip up the road to a drizzly Dieren for the Div 4 fixture. The home side opened the scoring in a very close first quarter. After the water break, the visitors raised the green flag twice in quick succession to gain the upper hand at half time. The girls in green and white tacked on some nice score early in the second half to close the gap. Both sides traded scores in a very tight 3rd quarter leaving it all to play for in the closing stages. In the end, the hosts did enough to claim the points by the narrowest of margins. Well done to all the players in action this evening. Supporters were treated to an exciting game with both teams giving it their all to the end. Our U12 Green team had their first outing in the South Kerry league Div 3. The girls headed west to take on MKL Gaels in Keel. Due to a jersey colour clash, our Green team became a white team! On a lovely evening for football, both sides got down to business straight away and kept the scoreboard ticking over. At half time, just one score separates the sides in a keenly contested game. Despite facing into the breeze in the second half, the Legion girls managed to build up a lead heading into the second half water break. The hosts responded in kind but the visitors had done enough to close out the game and claim the points. Well done to all the players on display and thanks to MKL for hosting us at Keel this evening.

## WELL DONE

Well done to Aine Devlin who has been selected as Vice Captain for the Kerry U-16 Ladies

Camogie team. Fantastic news well down Aine from everyone here at Killarney Legion, Super news.

## BALLYHAR-FIRIES GAA CLUB

### COISTE NA NOG

In association with Moriarty's Centra, Farranfore, academy Football Training continues on the pitch in Farranfore with Boys U5, U7 & U9 and Girls U6, U8 & U10 on Saturday from 10.30 to 11.30. Hurling Academy for boys and girls continues on Sunday for U5, U7 & U9 from 11am to 12pm.

### LOTTO

Lotto results from Monday 21st June  
Numbers drawn were: 1, 16, 23, 27  
No jackpot winner  
5x€30 Sean O'Shea, Keelties  
Michael Daly, Coolbane  
Larry Keane, c/o Bridie  
Pharmacy syndicate, c/o Bridie  
Ruairi Egan, Abbeydorney, c/o Jerome  
Next weeks jackpot €5000  
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### FIXTURES

Mens East Kerry Junior League way vs Kilcummin Friday at 19.30 - U11 Hurling Go Games home vs Abbeydorney Saturday at 17.00  
Mens Div 4 County League Sunday away vs Waterville at 15.30 - U14 Girls away vs Austin Stacks Sunday at 16.00  
U13 Boys home vs Keel/Listry Sunday at 17.30 & 19.00 - Note that all HSE Guidelines are to be followed at all times at games.

### RESULTS

Minor Boys Furies 4-17 Finuge/Beale 0-9  
Minor Boys Furies 1-16 Ballymac 4-11  
U12 Girls Furies 10-16 Souther Gaels B 2-07  
U14 Girls Furies 5-05 Southern Gaels A 9-15  
U16 Girls Furies 5-09 Laune Rangers 5-09  
U13 Boys Div 1 (Blue) Furies 3-09 Laune Rangers 3-07 - U13 Boys Div 9 (White) Furies 5-13 Laune Rangers 5-13  
U15 Boys Furies 5-09 Na Gaeil 5-12  
Under 7, 9 & 11 hurlers played Kenmare in the go games. U13 Hurlers Furies 3-06 Kilgarvan 2-05  
U15 Hurlers Furies 3-14 Abbeydorney 1-06  
Men Div 4 County League Furies 1-14 Tarbert 0-13  
Mens Div 6 County League Furies 2-12 Na Gaeil 0-14.

## SENIOR COUNTY LEAGUE DIV 4A - RD 2

Tarbert travelled to Farranfore for Rd 2 of Division 4 of the County League vs Furies. In a very competitive first half Furies lead by the minimum at half time, 8 points to 7. Tarbert opened the scoring with a free from the accurate Ger o Sullivan at full forward.

Firies replied a minute later with a point from corner forward Connal Murphy. It was point for point for the rest of the quarter with firies getting the last point before the water break from Mike Daly following a good turnover from Con o Mahoney. After the resumption Firies controlled the game and went into a 3 point lead with points from Donnacha o Sullivan (2) and Mike Daly. But just before that small whistle, that man again at full forward for tarbert Gerald o Sullivan scored two points to leave the half time score Firies 0-08 Tarbert 0-07. And it was the same man who brought the game level after 3 mins of the resumption.in a low scoring quarter in the 35 minute following a good Firies turn over in the full forward line Connal Murphy scored a point and then just at the water break Connal scored the third of his four points of the night to leave the score at the 2nd water break Firies 0-10 Tarbert 0-08. Firies again stretched the lead to 3 following a second point from Captain Niall

Donohue. But tarbert replied again from the full forward a minute later. Then Mike Daly for firies and Danny Stack from Tarbert traded points to leave the score 12 to 10 after 53 minutes played. 4 minutes later Cillian langan reduced the margin to the minimum with a very good free. Then a decisive moment in the game came in the 58 minute when former Kerry star Shane Enright came up the field from centre back and hit the crossbar for 14 meters. But the shot rebounded out for tarbert to get the equalizer. In injury time firies got two further points from Donnacha and Connal with tarbert getting one in reply to leave the score 14 pts to 13 in favour of Firies after 63 minutes played. Then Tarbert went all out attack to get the equalizer but some great defending by Firies Turned over the ball and Firies ran the full length of the pitch and the ball was finished to the back of the net by corner back Brian o Leary. Final score Firies 1-14 Tarbert 0-13. A great win for the Firies team and thanks

very much to our new Senior A Team sponsor Garvey SuperValu Castleisland.

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## MASSIVE BOOST TO FIRIES GAA



Seamus O'Connor, Manager of Garvey's SuperValu of Castleisland took great delight in presenting the club with their new array of jerseys. Seamus, originally from Ballyhar, was a former member of Firies GAA Club.

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Seamus O'Connor; Manager of Garvey's SuperValu of Castleisland took great delight in presenting the club with their new array of jerseys today. Seamus, originally from Ballyhar, remembered his days as a juvenile player and recalls the sheer dedication of members, past and present, which has now resulted in Firies Football, Hurling and Ladies Football Club presenting as one of the largest growing clubs in East Kerry. Seamus applauded their hard work and continued to wish the team well in their efforts for the season ahead.

Tom Kelliher; Chairman, along with Kevin Cronin; Club Secretary, Tim Clifford; Club Finance and Senior Football Manager; Tim Foley resounded their appreciation and anticipate that this newly formed partnership will grow from strength to strength.

Killarney Rugby Club U18 boys who played Killorglin in the West Munster Youth Tag competition last weekend at Aghadoe.





# CREDIT UNION COUNTY SENIOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE 2021

## SATURDAY/SUNDAY JUNE 19/20TH

COMPILED BY COORDINATOR FOR DIVISION 5 "A" AND 5 "B". DIVISION 6 "A" AND 6 "B" AND 6 "C" JACK HENNESSY

### DIVISION 5 "A" ROUND 2

Kilgarvan 3-15 2-13 Laune Rangers "B"

Kilgarvan's Sean Casey opened the scoring with a fine point, this was followed by a point from Laune Rangers. A brace of points from Kilgarvan Richard O'Sullivan, Ronan Foley and Jack Foley put it 0-04 to 0-01 with 10 minutes played. Laune Ranges Jack Healy got the next score. Corey Murphy pointed a free before the water break. Laune Ranges Mike Frank Russell opened the scoring after the break with a free. This quickly followed by a Ronan Foley point and a super Ronan Foley goal to make it 1-06 to 0-03 after 22 minutes. Laune Rangers Mark Clifford and Kilgarvan's Corey Murphy exchanged points. A further point by Kilgarvan's Richard O'Sullivan before Laune Rangers Callum Russell, Mike Frank Russell and two from Cian O'Shea made it Kilgarvan 1-08 to 0-08 at half time.

The third quarter was a well contested by both teams. Great link up play by the Kilgarvan players with Dion Murphy giving super ball into the full forward line which led to a point for his brother Corey Murphy. Laune Ranges levelled the match with a goal to make it 1.09 all with 20 minutes left to play. Points from Laune Rangers Colm O'Shea and Cian O'Shea put them ahead before a well taken Ronan Foley free and point from his brother Jack put the score level again. Laune Ranges burst down the field and got a goal. Kilgarvan replied by a goal from Ronan Foley to make it 2-11 all at the water break. The last quarter was played at blistering pace Corey Murphy scored a point and was heading for goal before being fouled and won a penalty. Ronan Foley made no mistake and crashed the ball into the back of the net to make his hat trick of goals. Laune Rangers Gavin O'Shea and Mike Frank Russell added 2 points for the visitors and further points from Kilgarvan's Glynn Egan and Kieran O'Sullivan finished out the scoring for Kilgarvan to come out winners on a final score of Kilgarvan 3-15 Laune Rangers B 2-13.

Team: Paul Gleeson, Eoin O'Shea, Gary Randles, Michael O'Sullivan, Shane O'Sullivan, Keith Harrington, Phoenix Randles, Richard O'Sullivan (0-02), Jack Foley (0-02), Sean Casey (0-01), Kieran O'Sullivan (0-01), Glyn Egan (0-02), Corey Murphy (0-04, 0-01f), Ronan Foley (3-03, 1 P-0-01f), Dion Murphy. Subs John Mark Foley for Michael O'Sullivan 40', Tadgh O'Donoghue, Sean Godfrey, Pdraigh Dillon, Darragh O'Brien, Flor O'Sullivan. Mentors: Mickey Foley, Pat Twomey, John Foley, Flor O'Brien.

Ballyduff 2-10 0-14 St Michaels  
Foilmore

St Michael s Foilmore were visitors to Ballyduff on Sunday in Div 5 b of the Credit Union sponsored Co League St MLS were first to score and at the first water break it 0-3 apiece Eanna oConnor from placed balls Kevin Goulding and Jack o Sullivan on the mark Kevin Goulding netted for the home side and was pulled down for a penalty which was excellently converted by goalkeeper Kevin o Connor Ballyduff led at the break 2-5 to 0-8 Ballyduff had the assistance of a slight breeze in the second period Darragh Goulding from a free and his brother Kevin from frees brought his total for the game to 1-8 S Scanlon and Eanna oConnor kept St MLS in touch but Ballyduff were ahead by two points when Ref Gerdie o Carroll blew the final whistle.

Austin Stacks "B" 2-11 3-6 Moyvane

This tightly-fought game ebbed and flowed during the course of the hour with no more than four points separating the sides at different times and the sides level on five different occasions. Moyvane's Liam Greany opened the scoring inside the 4th minute with a Shane Carroll free leveling matters after six minutes for Stacks. The first goal of the game came from Moyvane's Michael Kissane in the 9th minute. Then in 18th minute it was Stacks turn to goal with Cian Purcell on target to give them the lead for the first time. However Moyvane were back in the lead at half time (2-4 to 1-6) when their full forward, Michael Fogarty got their 2nd goal in the 27th minute.

Stacks then dominated the opening stages of the second half scoring 1-3 to 0-1 during this period to leave them four points ahead at the second water break (2-9 to 2-5). Then a goal and a point by Moyvane saw the sides level again after 50 minutes but in the closing minutes of the game two pointed frees by Stacks Shane Carroll saw the home side victorious to add to their big win back in Killorglin last Sunday.

Scorers:

Austin Stacks: Shane Carroll (0-6 – four frees), Cian Purcell (1-1), Rory Forbes (1-0), Conor Myers (0-2) and Daniel O'Rourke and Gearóid Sheehan (0-1 each).

Moyvane: Michael Kissane (1-1), Darragh Mulvihill (1-1), Liam Greany (0-4 – one free) and Michael Fogarty 1-0).

In round 3 in a fortnights time both teams are away from home – Stacks travel to Kilgarvan while Moyvane make an even longer journey to play St. Michaels/Foilmore.

### DIVISION 5 "B" ROUND 2

Ballylongford 0-8 0-12 Asdee

Asdee continued their dominance of arch rivals and fellow parishioners Ballylongford at O Rahilly Park in this local derby that failed to rise to any great heights especially in the opening half. Both teams squandered plenty scoring opportunities as the visitors were by far the better team in the opening 30mts or so and led at the break by 0-6 to 0-2. Joe McCarthy was Ballys scorer while Darragh Keane, Paul O Carroll and Darren Russell shared for the visitors. On resumption the tempo of the game rose considerably with both teams rising to the occasion. By the 10mt only 3pts separated the sides; 0-8 to 0-5 with substitutes Kieran Kelly for Asdee and Paddy O'Neill and Michael Holly for Bally who chipped a neat point excelling. Again Asdee were keeping their noses in front with Keane, Tydings and O Carroll very much to the fore. Brothers Ciarain and Matt O Connor kept their side of the bargain with pts but Matt of the Match Eoin Tydings made sure of victory with late points.

A minutes silence was observed prior to this game as a mark of respect to the late Michael O Connor and Eddie Anthony Walsh who were former Officer of the St Marys, Asdee G A A Club.

Sneem/Derrynane 0-7 1-13 Cromane

Cromane travelled to Sneem last evening for their second county league of the year.

They started the stronger side in Sneem and led by 1-6 to 0-1 after 15 minutes, the goal coming from Darren Houlihan. Sneem-Derrynane dominated after the water break with Connor O'Brien slipping over 2 frees and narrowed the gap to five points at the break, 1-7 to 0-5.

Cromane regained dominance at the start of the second half to stretch their lead out to eight (1-11 to 0-6) with 15 minutes left. The Cromane men held the whip-hand for the rest of the match closing out 1-13 to 0-7 winners.

Once again, their defence did well as a unit with a second clean sheet.

Kerins O Rahillys 1-6 0-17 "B" Cordal

Cordal playing away were always in full control of this game and led 10pts to 1-2 at half time with the goal for Rahillys coming from a penalty early on; Sean Walsh, Bernie Reidy, Paul O Connor and Mike Flynn got among the scorers for Cordal with Sean O Connell impressing at number 6 for the winners.

**DIVISION 6 "A" ROUND 2***John Mitchels "B" 2-16 1-7 Gneeveguilla***Glenflesk B 2 – 14 Legion B 0 – 9**

Two superbly created first half goals helped Glenflesk B power past Legion in Division 6A of the County League, and stay top of the table after two rounds.

A free from Sean Doherty gave Glenflesk an early lead. Legion replied with a free of their own, before Glenflesk started to get joy with the long diagonal ball into Kevin Bowler. Bowler, who scored a hat trick last week against Rathmore, had a shot that just went over the bar, and he was involved in the opening goal. His hand pass beyond the goalie allowed Danny Lucey to pop the ball into the empty net. Legion scored back to back points, and only a brilliant block from Peter Cronin denied them a goal. Sean Doherty then ghosted beyond Legion defenders before rifling the ball into the roof of the net. Legion were unlucky to be denied by the post just before halftime. Glenflesk would go in leading by 2 – 6 to 0 – 4 at the break.

Legion opened the second half with two quick points to reduce the deficit to 6. David O Donoghue got a settling score, which added to points to Bowler and Doherty, helped Glenflesk pull away. Legion battled hard but could make no inroads against Glenflesk's defense, as the blocking and tackling closed down every available avenue. Corner back Cronin even had time to come forward the length of the field to kick a great point in the final few minutes.

Two impressive wins to start the League campaign by the B team. As mentioned earlier, there was at least four block downs in the first half as the Legion forwards were suffocated. The kick outs were accurate, and the midfield was dominant. The quality of ball into the forwards was mostly, of a very high standard. Gneeveguilla B are next at home in two weeks' time. Players are performing well and will relish their next outing.

Kenny Cronin, Peter Cronin, Gary O Donoghue, David O Connor, Ollie Favier, Eoin Moynihan, Michael Mullane, Donal O Sullivan, Alan McSweeney, David O Donoghue, Danny Lucey, Paudie Healy, Kevin Bowler, Steven O Donoghue, Sean Doherty, Dara Lynch, Josh Lyne, Gavin Kelly, Ivan Crowley, Cian Crowley, Jerry Kenned (Report by Michael Healy).

**Beaufort "B" 3-11 3-13 Rathmore "B"**

A cracker that went down to the wire with the visitors leading at the break 3-6 to 2-4

With their goals from David Devane (2) and John Hickey

**DIVISION 6 "B" ROUND 2***Dr Crokes "C" 0-10 0-9**Milltown/Castlemaine "B"*

It was great to see Jack Lynch, Erin Moloney, Mark Clifford, Ronan Coffey and Conor Harrington make their senior club debuts for Dr. Crokes "C"

In an end to the game that went right down to the wire with a late rally by Milltown/Castlemaine almost seeing them take out what would have been a great result having been five points behind heading into the last quarter at Lewes Road.

Both sides were level 0-2 to 0-2 at the first half water break. Dr Crokes kicked on in the second quarter and opened up a 0-7 to 0-3 lead at the half time interval as the home side were proving more efficient; with Milltown/Castlemaine not lacking in chances but finding it hard to convert.

First half scores for Milltown/Castlemaine by Craig Counihan, Derek Twiss and Eoin O'Brien.

The second half exchanges remained nip and tuck and by the water break on the 45th minute, trailed by 0-10 to 0-5. Despite a number of changes Milltown/Castlemaine finished strong and led by three fantastic points from midfielder Seamus O'Dowd and Adam Lenihan had seen the bare minimum between the sides heading towards the closing stages. Milltown/Castlemaine battled hard to find the equalising score but unfortunately couldn't dig it out and Dr Crokes ran out winners by the narrowest of margins. It is now 2 wins from 2 for this team and hopefully they can keep this momentum going to make a push for promotion.

**Kenmare Shamrocks "B" 0-19****3-6 Valentia Young Islanders**

Kenmare Shamrock "B" ran out dominant winners in a closely contested Division 6B match against Valentia Young Islanders played in Fr Breen Park, Kenmare. This match (with an earlier throw-in of 12.30 pm) was certainly a game of two halves with the away side hitting the back of the Kenmare net 3 times in the first half. These goals coming from the boots of Salvador Mattie, Ger O'Shea, and Fionan Falvey. Valentia went into the break with a 4 point lead.

Kenmare Shamrock started the second half very well and with well take points from Dylan O'Connor, Ben Crowley, Liam Palmer and 2 from Tom O'Sullivan moved into a one-point lead at the water break. Valentia drew level shortly after but up stepped our midfielder and Man of the Match Tom O'Sullivan who put Kenmare back in front. From there on the lead wasn't relinquished and we added 3 more scores without reply. The match ended with Kenmare 4 point winners.

Best for Kenmare: Tom O'Sullivan who finished with 7 point from play), David Cronin and Ben Crowley

Best for Valentia – Ger O'Shea and Fionan Falvey.

**Tuosist 2-20 Kilcummin B 0-10**

Tuosist gave an accomplished performance and display of fine scoring against a young Kilcummin team on Sunday in Kilcummin. Their full forward line scored a total of 2-12 from play with Mark Torpey and Colm Brosnan particularly efficient. Captain Tadgh Sugrue orchestrated the attacks and scored four points of his own in a game that also saw Flor O Sullivan exert huge influence. Kilcummin for their part tried hard throughout and Richie O Connor, Keith O Leary,, Mikey O Shea and Colm Kelleher can

be very happy with their contribution. Indeed they had a good number of goaling chances but Tuosist's Stevie O Sullivan denied them on each occasion. Half time saw Tuosist leading comfortably by 12 points 4 but second half goals by Colm Brosnan and Mark Torpey capped an excellent team performance of attacking and entertaining football.

**DIVISION 6 "C" ROUND 2***Na Gaeil "B" 0-14 2-12 Firies "B"*

Played in ideal conditions in Killeen Firies got off to a far better start, out scoring the home side 1 – 08 to 0 – 04 in the first period. Their centre field and forwards found their men in good space allowing Pat Browne 1 – 00, Conal Murphy 0 – 03, TJ Palmer 0 – 03 and Conor Henderson and B O'Rourke 0 – 01 each. For Na Gaeil Owen Sheehy, Cian Devine a free, Lorcan Seymore and Tadhg Reen got a point each. Half time score 1 – 08 to 0 – 04. Na Gaeil played much better in the second half outscoring Firies 0 – 10 to 1 – 04. Late in the game Na Gaeil were well in touch when Brian Burke got the second goal which really killed of the game. Palmer and Murphy got the points for Firies. Scorers for Na Gaeil were Chris Horan, Jimmy O'Sullivan, Cian Devine, Owen Sheehy. Jimmy O'Sullivan, Rory Murphy and Owen Sheehy played ell for the home side while TJ Palmer, Pat Browne and Brian Stack were prominent for Firies

**Desmonds "B" 3-11 0-10 Spa "B"**

Castleisland Desmonds were first on the scoreboard with a point by Kieran Brennan, who followed up soon after with a well taken goal. Spa replied with points from Oisin Walsh and James Falvey. Barry Lynch added another goal for Desmonds from the penalty spot. For the remainder of the half both teams exchanged some great scores. Michael Walsh hit the net for Desmonds just before the break. Half time score Desmonds 3-4, Spa 0-6

The first period of the second half was dominated by Spa who kicked over 3 unanswered points. Desmonds regrouped after the water break and took control of the game with some great scores from Mark Hickey, Fintan O'Sullivan and Sean Prendiville. Final Score Desmonds 3-11 Spa 0-10

**Fossa "B" 13pts 8pts Dingle "B"**

Dingle travelled very much understrength to Fossa where the home side were never in any doubt as to who the winner would be. However the West Kerry men gave it their and cannot be faulted for effort. Jack Griffin 19 years of age making his debut impressed..Fossa led at the first water break; 6pts to 2pts and half time 9pts to 3pts, Second water break 9pts to 7pts. Lorkan Daly, 5pts, Jack Clifford, 4pts, Donald Clifford 2pts, Darren Cronin and Mike Cronin 1pt each.

**GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB****LOTTO**

No winner of our lotto draw 18/06/2021, numbers drawn were 7, 8, 10 & 11. Sellers prize winner Paddy O' Keffe's Shop. €50 y/t to Shane Dillane Quarry cross, €50 to David Cronin Tureenamult, €40 to Ciara Horgan Lisbabe, Dan Cremin Quarry Cross, Eileen O' Donovan Tureencahill. Bonus not won numbers drawn were 4, 9, 11 & 17. Next weeks jackpot €20,000 plus €1,000 bonus. Please note €200 surplus prize every week until jackpot is won.

**LOTTO YEARLY TICKETS**

Thank you to all of you who have renewed your lotto tickets. Jackpot is now €20,000

**1 MILE SERIES**

Please note change in dates July 7th Cullen 8.00 pm, July 14th Barradubh 8.00 pm, July 21st Glenlara 8.00 pm, July 28th Gneeveguilla @ 8.00 pm with prize giving. Please note the races are confined to club area with ½ mile race for young children. More information next week.

**MUCKROSS ROWING CLUB****SUMMER CAMPS**

Summer is here, school is almost out for all and we are back on the lake. For all those interested in trying out the sport of rowing, the club will be running three 4-day summer camps. This is a great opportunity to try out rowing in a safe and fun environment, meet new friends and enjoy the surroundings of the National Park. There will be a mix of activities on the water and onshore and you can catch a video of highlights from last year's successful camps on our Facebook page. Camp 1 from Mon, June 28 to Thu, July 1; Camp 2 from Fri, July 2 to Mon, July 5 and Camp 3 from Tue, July 6 to Fri, July 9. Camps are suitable for those aged 12+ or completing 6th class in primary school. To book your place or for further details / enquiries, contact Marko Tot 085 8635797, email to muckcrossrowingclub.news@gmail.com or send us a message on Facebook.

**KILLARNEY VALLEY ATHLETIC**

The National Junior/U23 Championship took place over the weekend in Morton Stadium in Dublin. Killarney Valley AC was well represented on both days. Ciara Kennelly in the High Jump, Sarah Leahy, Melissa Ahern, Conor Gammell



*Dara Looney, Sam Griffin, Conor Gammell and Karl McCarthy competed in the Junior Men 4x100 relay and claimed the silver medal.*

in the 100m, Karl McCarthy in the 200m and 400m, Sam Griffin in the Long Jump and Dara Looney in the 200m and Long Jump. For some, this was their first national championship and are underage for the next few years, gaining excellent experience without county or munster championship to compete at first. Ciara Kennelly came 2nd in the U20 High Jump with a SB of 1.75. Sarah Leahy claimed a silver double in the 100m and 200m. Dara Looney, Sam Griffin, Conor Gammell and Karl McCarthy competed in the Junior Men 4x100 relay and claimed the silver medal.

Alison Butler competed in the 800m at the MTU Track Meet last Friday night and equalled her PB. Well done to all.

Email killarneyvalleyac@gmail.com for any queries. Please keep an eye on your emails and also check our facebook/instagram page for any updated information on training.

**KILLARNEY RFC NEWS****YOUTHS TAG COMPETITIONS**

The West Munster Youths Tag competition continued at the weekend with our U14, U16 and U18 boys in action in their respective semifinals. On Friday our U18 beat Killorglin,

while on Saturday our U16 beat Tralee away on Saturday. Our U14 had mixed fortunes against Tralee with Killarney Red winning their match and Killarney White losing their match.

**FIXTURES**

Next Friday our U18's host Tralee at Aghadoe at 7pm in the West Munster Final of the tag competition. Meanwhile, our U14 Red host Tralee Blue at Aghadoe on Saturday Morning and our U16 are away to Iveragh in their final. Best of luck to all our teams in their respective finals.

**GIRLS RUGBY**

Last weekend our U14 and U16 girls hosted Tralee RFC for two touch matches at Aghadoe. It was a fantastic way to finish up the season. Well done to all the girls and coaches!

**SENIOR PRESEASON**

Our senior section will hold a preseason 21/22 meeting on Thursday the 1st of July at Aghadoe at 8pm. The coach and management team for this season will include Brian O'Leary, Brian O'Sullivan, Brian Foley and John O'Connell. This is an important meeting and all are asked to attend if possible. Open to current players and also open to any aspiring rugby players. For details contact John on 086-8525116.

**GIVE IT A TRY PROGRAMME FOR GIRLS**

KRFC is also delighted to announce that we have been selected as a host club for this years Irish Rugby 'Give it a Try' programme aimed at getting girls aged between 6 and 14 to play rugby. The Give it a Try IRFU initiative is open to any girls who wish to try out rugby (no experience necessary) and will take place in July – keep an eye on our social media for more or contact Fiona on 087-2304689.

**MUNSTER RUGBY SUMMER CAMPS**

Don't forget to book your child's spot for this years Munster Rugby Summer Camps - spaces are booking up fast!! The summer camp which is open to boys and girls aged between 6 and 12 years of age will take place at our pitches in Aghadoe from Monday the 26th to Friday the 30th of July. The cost is €80 per child and each participant will receive an official Summer Camp Pack comprising an Adidas Summer Camp T-Shirt, Draw-String Bag and Mouth Guard. To book a spot on this years Summer Camp and to check out the terms and conditions etc, simply click Munster Rugby website.



*KRFC and Tralee girls who played at the weekend at Aghadoe.*

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## JIMMY O'SULLIVAN-DARCY

### takes a look at all things sport...



## GAA

### Kerry v Clare

*Saturday 26th June, 6.00pm,  
Fitzgerald Stadium*

I feel like a small boy again, clutching a ticket, telling the man at the gate that I'm about four years older than I actually am, preparing to board the rollercoaster. It was fun, exciting, and a little bit terrifying. Kind of like supporting Kerry in the All Ireland Championship.

This Saturday we take on Clare in the first round of the Munster Championship. Frankly, ever since the back door was introduced back in 2001, a Munster Championship without the Sam Maguire has felt like stuffing without turkey. It's grand, like, but it's no substitute for the real thing. That might not be fair. Our collective expectations of the Kerry team rarely help them. More often, it heaps unnecessary pressure on their shoulders. But it is real.

Tomorrow the rollercoaster begins with a knockout game against Clare in the Fitzgerald Stadium. And I don't know about the players, but that shock loss to Cork last year is still weighing on supporters' minds. Yes, we won half a league title, whatever that is, which indicates something. Our scoring was simply fantastic. If the All Stars were being picked right now, the Cliffords and Gavin White would be certainties. Foley, Diarmuid O'Connor, Sean O'Shea, and Dara Moynihan would be in the conversations.

### Clare

Clare are a good team, a genuinely good team. David Tubridy is the all-time top scorer in the National League. And he did most of that scoring on Clare teams that were mostly not as good as they are now. Eoin Cleary has been a revelation this year – another automatic All Star contender if they were chosen now. Keelan Sexton was a prodigy who has shown flashes of his potential. On the days when he clicks, he's lethal. Jamie Malone, Gavin Cooney, Piers Lillis, Darren O'Neill....these are rock solid footballers. You have guys like Conall Ó hAiniféin (a scion of the great Lispole family), Alan Sweeney and Joe McGann on the bench; most years players of that quality would be among the first names written on a Clare teamsheet. At the back you have players like Cillian Brennan, Cian O'Dea, Sean Collins....you'll earn anything you get off

them. Clare beat Laois and, memorably, Clare before losing to Cork by 1-18 to 0-22. Clare went into a promotion play/off; Cork went into a relegation play/off. Mayo won the promotion play-off by 2-22 to 2-18. That's the Mayo team who are rated just below Dublin and Kerry in the favourites list for the All Ireland. In four games this year Clare have scored a total of 6-76 and conceded 3-74.

The thing is, that's similar to Kerry in a way. They score a lot, but they have to because they also concede a lot. And against Kerry, what underdogs often do is rob their attacking Peter to shore up defensive Paul. That's a good way to keep the losing margin small....but you'll never overturn it that way. This year is knockout. There is no back door. Clare should, and I think will, go for it.

### 1992

They are always tough. They pretty much always run us close for 45 minutes before getting burned off late on (with no disrespect to Clare, I think the fact that we usually play them as we are winding down our heavy pre-championship training is a factor). Mention Clare to any Kerry football supporter and they'll instantly tell you about 1992 when Clare beat us. I was young that day, and I was absolutely stunned. Looking back, of course, the warning signs were there. Clare had won the Junior All Ireland a month before the game. They had beaten Limerick with a bit to spare – a Limerick side that had run us really close in the previous two years. No John Maughan team ever feared Kerry. Jack O'Shea was nearing the end (he should have finished earlier; in truth he was only an echo of his former greatness by then). Seamus Moynihan was a teenage prodigy but not yet the player he would become, he should have been replaced instead of Noel O'Mahony by Noel O'Leary. Ambrose O'Donovan was on the bench with an 'ankle injury' – he couldn't give the full commitment to training because of work.

Right from the start Clare were the hungrier team and not one bit afraid of a Kerry team that never rose to it. Just when Kerry did look like clicking into gear and quelling the uprising, Colm Clancy's goal was a hammer blow and Gerry Killeen's clinching insurance point was more of a final coup de grace than a fatal stab. After the game, Marty Morrissey (co-commentator with Pat Spillane) famously said "there won't be a cow milked in Clare tonight". I didn't know that as I was leaving the Gaelic Grounds and heading for the family car, but it was a good line. The thing is, I remember that game clearly. But none of these Clare players do. I doubt if it'll weigh heavily on any of the Kerry players either. None of them, on either side, were even born then.

Incidentally, the only other time that Clare beat

us in the opening round of the championship, Tom Spillane was full forward. Adrian and Killian's grandfather. It was 1949.

### My Prediction

Ah yeah. Neck on the line. I really think that this Clare team is as good and probably a little bit better than that great Clare team. But this Kerry team are a lot more settled than that Kerry team and in particular, a lot more potent. I know the safe thing would be to emphasize the danger that Clare pose and hedge the bets. After all, I felt absolutely confident that Kerry had more than enough in the bag to see off Cork last year and I got burned. But I still feel that Kerry did have all the tools they needed and just used them wrongly that day. I think mistakes were made, most especially in an overly defensive formation and an attacking plan from deep that Cork had prepared for, and I think lessons have been learnt from that. Learning lessons are no bad thing overall for any team.

The bottom line is that Kerry scored 13-80 in their four National League games and coughed up 5-45, 3-7 of that in 39 minutes against Dublin. Clare are good. But Kerry are a whole playing tier above them.

Kerry are a lot better, and I expect them to prove that. Especially in the Fitzgerald Stadium, where you have to go back to 1995 to Kerry's last defeat in their second favourite venue after Croke Park.

### Junior Murphy RIP



You can find giants all over Kerry in all walks of life if you know how to spot them. Kerry GAA has many such – and it has nothing to do with the medals that have been won. Technically, Junior Murphy never actually won an All Ireland medal on the field of play. In reality, though, he was responsible for the winning of many of them. He was St. Marys to the core and served many roles within the club throughout

his life, most recently as Club President. I don't think I ever attended any St. Marys game where Junior and his close friend Donal Marcus O'Neill weren't present, and it was always and ever a joy to meet them.

You simply couldn't meet more knowledgeable or nicer people. They both knew their football, of course – that goes without saying. Donal Marcus won practically every honour in the game and was Kerry's first choice goalkeeper. Junior won South Kerry minor and senior titles and Cork and Kerry County Championships as a player.

If St. Marys weren't playing, then they would attend another South Kerry game, and neither needed any introductions at any of them.

Junior was a teacher, a historian, a coach, a raconteur, a ceaseless worker for his community (which to his way of life encompassed all of humanity) and above all, a gentleman. It was Junior who coached the first ever South Kerry team that won the County Championship in 1955 – he himself always gave the credit to Killarney Legion and Kerry footballer Gerald O'Sullivan, who moved to Cahirsiveen to become manager of the Creamery and organised proper training for the team.

He became a referee when his own playing days ended (he gave far more back to the game and community than he ever got), himself and Mick O'Dwyer always had great banter about the time that he booked Mick O'Dwyer in a Waterville game.

He was already an officer by then – he had started as secretary and county board delegate in Cork for UCC while he was a student there. He coached the South Kerry team that won the first ever U16 County Championship, Coiste na Banban, in 1965. It preceded the founding of Bórd na nÓg in 1967 – Junior played a key role in that as well.

He was President of South Kerry Coiste na nÓg, having held various officer roles down through the years. He once told me that the two best young footballers he ever saw were Jack O'Shea (four times Footballer of the Year) and Fergus Clifford, David's uncle, the popular Spa and Listry footballer and Tralee CBS teacher, whose career was hampered by a severe injury in his first year as a Kerry minor.

Junior was a Kerry minor selector with Charlie Nelligan and helped guide Kerry to the 1994

Tom Markham Cup – he told me that the 1993 team was actually slightly better but were caught late on by Cork.

Jack and Fergus were two of the best young footballers that Junior (who saw them all) ever came across. The third? A young lad who came to his first ever training session with St. Marys GAA and was embarrassed because he didn't know how to tie the long laces of his brand new football boots, just like the ones his father used to wear for Kerry. Junior being Junior, he tied the young lads' laces for him privately before training. Junior didn't tell me that story. Maurice Fitzgerald did.

It says something about both of them. RIP, Junior, one of the few legends that I had the great privilege of knowing.

## LADIES FOOTBALL

### National League Division Two Final

*Kerry v Meath, Saturday, June 26th, 5.00pm, Croke Park*

A Kerry team back in Croke Park and I won't be at it. Oh well, it happens. Thankfully, it will be broadcast on TG4. Cork will play Dublin afterwards in the Division One Final, and that will be more than worth staying on to watch for those who can. Both games will be absolute crackers. If Kerry are widely considered to be the biggest threat to Dublin mens' dominance, then Cork are the most likely to end the Dublin ladies' reign. Whether they can actually get over the line against them is another question!

This will be a tough one, no question about that. Both sides have serious goalscorers. Kerry have scored 14-55 in their last four games, while Meath have scored 12-58.

Believe me, those are very big numbers. And as for the belief that ladies' footballers are less ruthless or pragmatic than their male counterparts in defence? Yeah, the 19th century just phoned, they want you to come back. Defensively Kerry have coughed up 8-42 and look, Meath will be checking that particular invitation to see if it has 'rsvp' written on it. You can argue that they themselves have coughed up 3-31, but 3-10 of that came against Kerry and 1-3 from Siofra O'Shea, who is absent through injury and a massive loss.

Meath have coughed up just 0-5, 0-8, and 0-8 in their other three games. Mind you, Megan O'Connell, Hannah O'Donoghue, and most

especially Louise Ní Muircheartaigh are capable of asking very hard questions of any defence. Midfield will be a real battleground – Kerry just about edged it through Lorraine Scanlon and Louise Galvin against Meath the last day, but Emma Duggan and of course Vikki Wall are a formidable pairing. This game looks like being a real thriller, and I think that ferocious extra-time battle against Monaghan will stand to Kerry when it comes down to the wire. I pretty much guarantee you it will most definitely come down to the wire!

## CAMOGIE

### Munster Junior Championship

*Kerry 0-16 Limerick 1-6*

Kerry made a very slow start here. Limerick carved out five scoring chances and missed them all before Enya Harrington put them in front. Patrice Diggin replied. Scores were few and far between in a first half where defences were very much on top, so a Limerick goal when Harrington tipped a long ball passed the keeper was disastrous.

The Treaty County led by 1-3 to 0-3 at half-time. However, Kerry steamed ahead early in the second half. Diggin, an injury doubt before the game and lining out in the unusual position of wing back, was at her brilliant best and finished with a whopping 12 points. She got great help from the likes of Jackie Horgan, Niamh Leen, Áine O'Connor, Amy O'Sullivan, and Kate Lynch – the Glenflesk girl was excellent beside Aoife Behan in midfield.

*Kerry v Cork Saturday June 26th, 7.15pm, Lixnaw*

That's right. Somebody, in their wisdom, decided to schedule a Kerry camogie game for the same time as Kerry are playing their opening championship match in Killarney. I'd really like to extend my congratulations to that genius. Look, I know that these schedules were prepared a good while back, but couldn't reason have prevailed here? Was moving the game to Sunday really all that big of a deal?

Cork beat Kerry by 2-14 to 0-5 on their last meeting, so I can't see us coming away with a win on this occasion. I would hope, though, that they give the Rebelettes a bit more of a test.

## HURLING

### Joe McDonagh Cup

*Kerry v Down, Saturday June 26th, 12.30pm, Austin Stack Park*

The omens are good for this one. Kerry played Down in Austin Stack as their very first game this year, the first round of the National League, and won it well by 4-18 to 0-19. What's more, that was a very injury-depleted Kerry team. In truth, the story of the game is simply told.



Kerry well on top, especially in defence....then we let Down right back into it, before pulling away again at the end. I know that Down will be more up to speed now, and Paul Sheehan

is a sharpshooter who will ruthlessly punish every opportunity, but the truth is that Fintan O'Connor has some real aces back in his hand – Jason Diggins, Shane Nolan, the O'Connor and Boyle brothers, and especially Shane Conway seem to be hitting peak form at the right time. We have gotten decent game time into our bench as well. Kerry will be up among the favourites for the McDonagh Cup overall (we lost the final to Antrim last year) and most certainly be hot favourites for this one.

## ATHLETICS

Great to see Kerry Athletics back in full swing. The Senior, Junior, and Masters Kerry Track and Field Championships will take place in An Riocht, Castleisland, on Wednesday, July 7th, commencing at 6.00pm. Field events will include discus, high jump, long jump, shot putt, and javelin in mens' and ladies', while track events will include 100m heats and finals, 3000m, 200m, 400m, and 800m finals. The Masters Finals will not include 400m or 800m races.

Last Saturday Limerick's Sarah Lavin followed Dervla O'Rourke into the history books by becoming the second Irish woman ever to break 13 seconds for the 100m hurdles. She took silver in the event at the World Athletics Continental Tour meeting at Madrid, coming home in 12.95 and pretty much guaranteeing herself an Olympic spot. Mark English also won silver in the 800m

## RUGBY

Ireland's Mens' Sevens team surprised everybody (and I'd say themselves, to be honest!) by winning the World Rugby Olympic Repechage in Monaco and qualifying for Tokyo. Nobody was more surprised than tournament favourites France, who went down 28-19 in the final. Anthony Eddy's team went unbeaten

over six games in two days. It was nice to see an Italian club win the Rainbow Cup. Italy give a lot to rugby, and get so little back in return. At international level, they are a bit too good for the second tier but a lot too bad for the first tier, if we're being honest. And on that honesty theme, part of the reason I'm happy about it is because it means the end of this year's Rainbow Cup Championship, as meaningless a competition as soccer's 'Nations Cup' nonsense. It's also a bit worrying. Treviso didn't win a single Pro14 match all season and weren't expected to. But they saw off South Africa's Bulls team easily on a 35-8 scoreline. Next season will see South Africa's Bulls, Stormers, Sharks, and the Lions joining a United Rugby Championship, which will replace the Pro14. Look, if Italian clubs are almost never beating other teams in the current championship, but hammer a South African team on meeting them, it should be raising questions about whether these guys can really compete at this level. I don't want to watch predictable one-sided games in any sport.

## GOLF

Leona Maguire is having her best season ever. She finished second in the LPGA Tour at Blythefield Country Club, pocketing her biggest ever payday, \$214,000, along the way.



It says a lot that she'll actually be disappointed by the result. Nelly Korda escaped a bunker for a birdie on the final hole, while Maguire three-putted. There was just two shots between them at the finish.

Jon Rahm became the first ever Spanish winner of the US Open, birdied the last two holes to leapfrog past Louis Oosthuizen and win by one shot. Speaking afterwards, Rahm mentioned the encouragement he got from Ryder Cup captain Padraig Harrington, who had phoned him after Rahm had tested positive for covid. Rahm won \$2,250,000. Rory McIlroy came seventh (with five others) for \$402,083. Things went awry for Shane Lowry, who finished a disappointing joint 65th and earned \$25,907.

## SOCCER

The Euros have been interesting enough in their own way, albeit overhyped as always. Not great quality, in fairness. 36 games to eliminate 8 teams is some of the hot favourites have been shown to be more limited than we (or at least I) thought. Some have surpassed their billing. Hungary's goal was besieged by France during their game, but it was Hungary who led for most of the game – it's very hard to break down a team who are willing to pack their own box, and France hadn't the guile or sharpness to brush them aside as expected. Germany are still, as always, reliably good –



their game with Portugal was easily the best game so far. Ronaldo really is a phenomenon, long established records are falling like skittles in front of him. England and Scotland was hilarious, but I think the same people who were building them up are now starting to knock them down – neither position is really justified. On home ground I still think at time of writing that England have a real chance – the likes of Kane have more in them. Far too much punditry these days seems to be about entertainment at the expense of information – Sky are just parodying themselves at this stage. Stop trying to generate headlines, people, and start observing and explaining them instead.



## CYCLING

Unfortunately Sam Bennett will be unable to defend his green jersey at this year's Tour de France, having to withdraw with injury. This is a huge disappointment for the Carrick-on-Suir native. Bennett's place in the Deceuninck-QuickStep team will be taken by sprinter Mark Cavendish from the Isle of Man.



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## KERRY SCHOOL/BOY SOCCER

### KSBGL SUMMER COMPETITIONS

#### CONTINUES AT PACE

In was another very busy week for the Kerry Schoolboys Girls Summer Competitions as clubs continue to chase places in the knockout sections of the Cup and Shield Competitions.

#### MID-WEEK ROUND-UP

#### BOYS MID-WEEK COMPETITIONS

##### 12'S BOYS

In the 12's Cup Camp Juniors had a good win away at Listowel Celtic thanks to goals from Killian Green 3, Tadhg O'Donoghue, Conor O'Donnell and Jack Cull. The Park saw off their neighbours Dynamos 4-2. For the home side Edison Jahiri hit a hat trick with Shane O'Donovan netting the fourth. Calvin O'Sullivan replied with both goals. Mastergeeha made the trio to Woodlawn and brought the three points back to Kilbrean Park. David O'Donoghue scored both for Athletic while goals from Roan Guerin, Brian McGuire, Conn Deally and Michael O'Riordan gave Mastergeeha the points.

Park B defeated Ballyheigue 5-2 in the Shield with the goals coming from Dylan Galloway, Rhys O'Connor, Dwane Conway, Seadhna O'Brien and Sean Og Connor. Shay Barrett and Sam Keane replied for Ballyheigue.

Also in the Shield LB Rovers won at Listowel Celtic thanks to a Liam Lynch hat-trick which was added to be goals from Odharn Buckley, Adam Adamcyk and Tadhg Clifford. Cian Slimon got the goal for Listowel Celtic B. Killarney Athletic B and MEK Orange drew 2-2. For the home side in Woodlawn Nikita Bizaskis and Jack Fleming got the goals. Mastergeeha B had goals from Sean Fleming 2, Cathal O'Keeffe 2, Mark Fleming and Sean Herlihy in their win over Ballyhar A whose goal came from Isaac Vickers. Inter Kenmare saw off Killarney Celtic at Celtic Park 2-0 thanks to goals from Aidan O'Sullivan and Ryan Healy. In the 12 Boys Plate Tralee Dynamos scored twice in each half without reply in a 4-2 home win over Camp Juniors. The Dynamos goals came from Marcus Conway 2, Erion Nigaz and Jude Lacey with Conor Flaherty and Ryan Fitzgerald replying for Camp. Listowel Celtic had goals from Michael O'Sullivan, Michael Carmody, Sean Mulvihill, Thomas Lynch and Liam Flaherty in their 5-3 win at home to Castleisland B. For the side from Georgie O'Callaghan Park Graham West hit a hat-trick.

Killorglin B and MEK White played out a cracking 4-4 draw. For the home side Oran Sheehan 2, Aidan Field and Bart Flynn got the Killorglin goals with Tadhg Clifford 2, Conor Hughes and Michael Griffin on the mark for MEK Galaxy.

Park C made the trip to LB Rovers B a winning one thanks to goals from Ellien Tomczah and Ike Echeme. Inter Kenmare B had a hat trick from Aidan Casey and one from Hayden O'Neill in their 4-2 win against Killarney Celtic.

##### 16'S BOYS

There was an unusual result in the Killarney derby with the 16's of Killarney Celtic and Killarney Athletic drawing 0-0.

Earlier in the week St Brendan's Park just got the better of Fenit 3-2. For the Park Rodrigo Pinho, Dylan Hobbert and Venus Jahiri hit the net with Billy Walsh getting both goals for Fenit.



Killarney Athletic U11's in Action in Woodlawn in the Cup and Shield.



Killarney Athletic U14 (T2).

#### GIRLS MID-WEEK COMPETITIONS 13'S GIRLS

In the 13's Girls goals from Liadh Forde and Jessica Leggate gave Killarney Celtic Green a 2-1 win in a close game at MEK Galaxy whose goal came from Avril Rooney

Inter Kenmare and Listowel Celtic played out a 9 goal thriller with the North Kerry girls just taking the win 5-4. Eodaoin Larkin had a great night hitting 4 goals for Listowel Celtic with Laura Falvey getting the other goal. For Inter Kenmare Grace O'Shea hit 2 with Phoebe O'Shea and Thien Doran getting one each.

##### 16'S GIRLS

There was another tight game in the 16's Girls with Inter Kenmare just getting the better of Killarney Celtic at Celtic Park 3-2. Saoirse Buckley from the penalty spot, Lucy Burton and Grace Foley got the goals for Inter with Clodagh McGorrian and Aine O'Sullivan scoring for Celtic.

Dingle Bay defeated Fenit 3-1 on Friday night thanks to goals from Ciara Kennedy, Emily Nic Gearailt and Ella Sheehy. Lilly Nowak got the goal for Fenit

#### SATURDAY SCORES AND REPORTS 12 BOYS

Castleisland 1-2 Killorglin A

14's Cup

Killarney Celtic A 0-3 Killarney Athletic A

Listowel Celtic A 4-1 LB Rovers A

Tralee Dynamos 2-2 Killorglin

St Brendan's Park A 2-2 Fenit A

14's Shield

Camp Juniors A 2-1 Ballyhar Dynamos

Killarney Athletic B 2-4 Mastergeeha B

MEK Galaxy 8-2 Killarney Celtic B

Killorglin B 2-2 Inter Kenmare

Tralee Dynamos 3-8 Mastergeeha A

Park B 6-2 Listowel Celtic

15's Inter Kenmare 1-4 Mastergeeha

16's Cup Killarney Celtic 4-0 Killorglin

16's Shield Inter Kenmare 4-2 MEK Galaxy

Girls 12's Park 2-1 Camp Juniors

Listowel Celtic 6-2 Mastergeeha

#### REPORTS

There was a full round off 11's fixtures with this age group ready to for their knock-out stages starting in mid-week. On Saturday amongst the clubs who sent out winning teams were Inter Kenmare, Camp Juniors, Listowel Celtic, LB Rovers, St Brendan's Park, MEK Galaxy, Mastergeeha, Ballyhar Dynamos and Tralee Dynamos.

##### 12'S BOYS

In the 12 Boys Killorglin A were 2-1 winners away at Castleisland in Georgie O'Callaghan Park. James Nolan got the home sides goal.

##### 14 BOYS CUP

In the 14 Boys Cup there were wins for Listowel Celtic A who beat LB Rovers A 4-1. The Celtic goals came from Kiegan Moloney, Tristian Barry and John Carmody who scored twice. Fionn Houlihan replied for LB Rovers.

Killarney Athletic won 3-0 at Celtic Park thanks to goals from Fionn Daly, Brian O'Shea and Craig Legette.

Tralee Dynamos and Killorglin drew 2-2 in Cahermoneen with Cormac Moriarty and Aaron Doyle on the mark for Killorglin who can thanks their keeper Harry Mangan for earning them a point. The Park and Fenit also ended 2-2 with the Park's goals coming from Brian Heaphy and Ciaran O'Connell.



# TOURISM RECOVERY AT STAKE IN FIGHT TO SAVE PRIVATE BUS AND COACH SECTOR

*Economic Report commissioned by the CTTC demonstrates targeted State supports are vital for coach tour operators survival*

**A** new report by economist Jim Power, commissioned by the Coach Tourism and Transport Council of Ireland (CTTC), the leading representative body for bus and coach operators lays out the deep economic damage suffered by the sector during the COVID-19 pandemic and the acute need for further State support. The economic analysis shows that coach tour businesses, responsible for attracting 2 million international visitors every year, are facing serious challenges without targeted financial aid and support from Government. Many operators fear they will not survive, and there will not be sufficient capacity to support Ireland's tourism offering.

These operators play a fundamental economic and social role in Ireland. Through the provision of their services, coach tour operators contribute €400 million to the Irish economy annually while supporting hundreds of thousands of jobs in retail, hospitality, and visitor experience the length and breadth of the country.

The report shows that prior to COVID-19, the private bus and coach business was a low margin activity in most cases, and the shock from COVID-19 has threatened to push many operators out of business. While last year coach tour operators could help cover some parts of their costs with resources from the 2019 tourist season, in 2021 businesses in the sector no longer have such reserves. The reality is that if a significant number of private operators are forced out of business, this will have a knock on impact across other service areas to include; scheduled services, school transport and private hire.

The report findings are stark and convey that in 2021; 70 per cent of coach tour operators believe the outlook is bleak 90 per cent of coach tour operators believe that without Government support, they will have to reduce supply or close part of their business

Among the Report's recommendations are;  
A renewal of the Coach Tourism Business Continuity Scheme in Budget 2022. This will be integral to ensuring continuity and standard of service for overseas visitors. An increase in the fuel rebate offered to coach operators.

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For Fenit Dominic Regan and Clan McKenna were their scorers.

## 14 BOYS SHIELD

In the Shield Mastergeeha had goals from Sean McAuliffe 3, Mathew Kennedy 2, Evan O'Sullivan 2 and Farath Miah in their win over Tralee Dynamos B. The Dynamos scorers were Oskar Sampolski, Francis O'Brien and Saliou Sow in a game where Fionn O'Dalaigh and Killian O'Donnell put in very strong performances.

Killorglin B and Inter Kenmare drew 2-2 with the side's level at 1-1 at the break. Ben Sugrue got both for Killorglin while John O'Sullivan scored the two goals for Inter. Eugene Daniel put Ballyhar Dynamos 1-0 up in the first half but Camp Juniors A scored twice in the second half to take the win. The Camp goals came from Darragh Murphy and Robert Keane with Mark Farrell outstanding at centre back. Mastergeeha B had goals from Ronan McCarthy 3 and Dylan Cronin in their 4-2 win over Killarney Athletic B whose goals came from Ben Kelliher and Colin Looney. The Park B saw off Listowel Celtic B thanks to goals from Lee Wharton, Cathal Morris, Luan Xhemaili 2, Tadgh Moylan and Fahad. Igor Mikolajczyk and David Murphy scored for Park B.

MEK Galaxy saw off Killarney Celtic B with Jamie Vouden hitting 4 of their goals.

The others came from Ryan Brady, Ryan Carey, Calum Smith and Noah O'Shea. FOR Celtic B Pa O'Brien got both goals.

## 15'S BOYS

In the 15's Mastergeeha made the trip to Kenmare a winning one defeating Inter 4-1 with the goals for the Kilbreen side coming from Cian O'Connor, Liam Horgan, Bobby Gallivan and Emmet Spillane.

## 16'S BOYS

In the Boys Cup Killarney Celtic were the winners at home to Killorglin. The Hoops goals came from Edward Myers 2, Robbie Harnett and Calvin O'Sullivan.

In the 16's Shield MEK Galaxy had two goals from Daniel Evans but his two goals were not enough to see off Inter Kenmare as they went down 4-2. The goals for Inter Kenmare came from Tom Crushell, Jimmy Kelliher and 2 from Darragh Tops.

## 12'S GIRLS

The work being done by the Park on the training ground is paying off and their 12's had a good win over a strong Camp Juniors side. Leah Griffin and Isabella Daly, a new signing who certainly making her mark, were on the mark for the Park with both goals coming in the second half. Julie Griffin had a great game in goal with Nicole O'Connell impressing in defence.

On Sunday Listowel Celtic saw off Mastergeeha thanks to two goals each from Sinead Lyons and Eodain Larkin with Niamh O'Keeffe and Laura Meehan who got one each. Saoir O'Halloran got both goals for Mastergeeha.

## KILLARNEY ATHLETIC

### RESULT S

### DENNY KDL CHALLENGE CUP

Group A

Tralee Dynamos B 0-4 Killarney Athletic A.F.C. A

### SCORERS

Killarney Athletic A: Dara O'Shea, William Courtney, Donal Kelliher.



Killarney Celtic U16A who played Killorglin AFC recently.

## U14'S CUP RESULT

Killarney Celtic 0 - 3 Killarney Athletic.

Fionn Daly

Brian O'Shea

Craig Leggate

Killarney Athletic U14 team (T2) 2 Mastergeeha..4

Scorers for Athletic. Colin Looney Ben Kelliher.

## U12 SHIELD

Killarney Athletic 2 - 2 MEK Galaxy

Goals -Nikita Bizankis and Jack

## U12CUP

Killarney Athletic 1

MEK 4.

## U15 (T2)

Killarney Athletic 0.

Killarney Celtic 0.

Well Done to Kacper Robak on Making Kerry Schoolboys/girls Team of the week.

## MASTERGEEHA FC

### FAI SUMMER CAMPS

The first FAI summer camp begins next Monday, June 28th at Mastergeeha. Places are filling fast so don't miss out on what is a great week's fun and soccer for boys and girls from age 6-14 years. There will be no walk on's allowed next week as we need to adhere to the current covid guidelines and it allows us to plan the correct ratio of coaches to kids so they get the best experience possible.

This is the first summer camp and can still be booked through <https://summersoccerschools.ie/>

### MATCH RESULTS

U11 teams: We have 4 teams at this age group and in line with the FAI's player development plan, we do not public scores. We are delighted with how this age group are developing scoring 15 goals in total and representing the club with great pride. U12 Girls; Listowel Celtic 6 - 1 Mastergeeha FC. Scorer: Sadbh O'Halloran(1) U12A - Killarney Athletic 1 - 4 Mastergeeha FC. Scorers: Roan Guerin(1), Brian Maguire(1), Conn Deally (1), Michael O'Riordan(1). U12B - Mastergeeha FC 6 - 1 Ballyhar Dynamos A. Scorers: Seán Fleming (1),Cathal O'Keeffe(2), Mark Fleming(1) Seán Herlihy (1). U14A: Tralee Dynamos 3 - 8 Mastergeeha FC. Scorers: Sean McAuliffe(3), Matthew Kennedy (2), Evan O'Sullivan (2), Farath Miah(1). U14B - Killarney Athletic 2 - 4 Mastergeeha FC. Scorers: Ronan McCarthy (3), Dylan Cronin (1) U15 - Inter Kenmare 1 - 4 Mastergeeha FC. Scorers: Cian O'Connor(1), Liam Horgan(1), Emmet Spillane(1), Bobby Gallivan(1) Senior A - Mastergeeha FC 3 - 0 Lisard Wanders.

Scorers: Eamon Lavin (2), Thomas Scott (1)

Senior B Mastergeeha FC 1 - 4 MEK. Scorer: James Nagle (1).

## KILLARNEY CELTIC NOTES

### CELTIC LOTTO

Numbers drawn 2,7,14,20. There was no jackpot winner. Match 3 winners received €25. The next jackpot on Monday June 28 is €8,600. Tickets are available from club members, the Dungeon shop, at the stand in Hegarty's Park Rd and also online at clubforce.com

Killarney Celtic will run 2 summer camps this year 5th -9th July and 19th - 23 July. Booking is online through Clubforce and the booking link can be accessed through our Facebook page. For further information contact Brian 087 659 3008 or Jane 086 224 3435..

### U16 CUP

Killarney Celtic A 4, Killorglin AFC 0.

Edward Myers(2), Calvin O'Sullivan, Robbie Hartnett.

### U16

Killarney Celtic B 0, Killarney Athletic B 0.

### U14 CUP

Killarney Celtic A 0, Killarney Athletic A 3, U14

MEK 8, Killarney Celtic B 2

### U13

Killarney Celtic 8, Ballyhar 2

Cillian Slattery, Patrick O'Brien and Luca Mosca were the goalscorers.

### U12

Killarney Celtic C 2, Inter Kenmare B 4

Pa McCarthy (2)

U11 B and C teams played away to Inter Kenmare A and Ballyhar B over the weekend.

Many thanks to Castleisland who came to Celtic Park for a u9/10 blitz. Our u15 team played the Kerry U14 League of Ireland in a friendly and were victorious.

### GIRLS

Killarney Celtic U15B 2, Inter Kenmare 3

Clodagh McGorrian, Aine O'Sullivan.

Congrats to Timmy Moynihan U16A who made the KSGI Team of the Week and to Clodagh McGorrian U15 who made the Girls Roll of Honour. Well done to Aoibhinn Kelly and Lucy O'Sullivan who played for the Kerry U16s recently. Congrats to former player Matt Keane who won the Treaty United Fans Player of the Month.

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## ROSS GC, KILLARNEY GENTS CLUB

### RESULTS

On June 19th/20th we held a single stableford competition .

The winners were:-

- 1.. Jim Morris (13) 40
- 2.. Aidan O Connor (9) 39
- 3.. .Mark Griffin (27) 38
- 4.. Larry Daly (21) 38
- 5... Seamus O Donoghue (13) 28

### FRIDAY JUNE 18TH -

### MIXED 10 HOLE SCRAMBLE ;

On Friday last the Ladies Club organised a very competitive and enjoyable 10 hole mixed scramble and there was a very large field of golfers on the night.. This was followed by a BBQ and very enjoyable social evening was had by all. The winners were:- Ken Grieve, Marcel Brennan, Ann Wren, Mary O Connor.

### KERRY SHIELD

The Ross GC team participated in this competition in Waterville GC on Sunday 20th . They put in a valiant effort in tough conditions but unfortunately came up short on this occasion

### FIXTURES

On Friday June 25th we will hold a 10 hole mixed scramble which will be followed by a BBQ. Please put your name on the entry sheet in the clubhouse or be at the Clubhouse by 6pm sharp for a 6.30 pm shotgun start. Please note that the BBQ must be booked and paid for before the golf starts . On Sat and Sun June 26th and 27th --We will hold a Single Stableford Competition and the timesheet is now available in the clubhouse.

## BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB LADIES BRANCH

### RESULTS

13th June - Swap Day With Dooks - 18 Hole Stableford Sponsored by Ladies Branch  
Overall Winner: Susan Darby (30) 35 pts  
Division 1 Winner: Grainne McShortall (21) 33 pts  
Division 2 Winner: Mary Garvey (27) 34 pts  
Congratulations to our A.I.G. Challenge Cup Team who recently beat Waterville and wishing them best of luck in the next round.

### FIXTURES

26th/27th June - Round 2 Golfer Of The Year - 18 Hole Stroke sponsored by O'Sullivan Lawlor Accountants. 2nd July - Open Friday 18 Hole Stableford (Ladies & Gents Singles) - Sponsored

by Clifford's Ground Care Ltd - Entry Fee €30 Visitors and €15 Members.

## BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB GENTS BRANCH

13th June - Swap Day with Dooks - 28 Hole Stableford (White Tees) - Sponsored by Gents Branch

- |     |                        |        |
|-----|------------------------|--------|
| 1st | Patsy Sweeney (23)     | 45 pts |
| 2nd | Ger Griffin (20)       | 40 pts |
| 3rd | Derek Coerford (12)    | 39 pts |
| 4th | Barry Woulfe (25)      | 38 pts |
| 5th | Patsy O'Callaghan (13) | 37 pts |

### 18RH JUNE - OPEN FRIDAY - SPONSORED BY CLIFFORD'S GROUNDCARE LTD

Winner: Rob Young (20) - Shannon Golf Club 42 pts

### FIXTURES

26th/27th June - 18 Hole Stableford - White Tees - Sponsored by Mens Branch.

2nd July - Open Friday 18 Hole Stableford (Ladies & Gents Singles) - Sponsored by Clifford's Ground Care Ltd - Entry Fee €30 Visitors and €15 Members.

## LADIES ROSS GOLF CLUB

### MIXED SCRAMBLE

There was a great turnout for the mixed scramble on Friday last. Winners were Ken Greaves, Marcella Brennan, Ann Wrenn and Mary O'Connor Mixed Scramble hosted by the Men's Club this Friday 25th June for members & guests followed by BBQ. 6.00pm sharp. Names to be in by Thursday lunch time.

### MEET AND PLAY

Each Wednesday morning meet at 10.15am for 10.30am. All members welcome.

### COMPETITION

A 9 & 18 hole single Stableford competition was held last weekend and it was a great success. Results to follow.

Ladies 9 & 18 hole single Stableford competition will be held on Friday 25th June at 10.30am and Saturday 26th June at 10.00am. Timesheet in Clubhouse.

## KILLARNEY GOLF AND FISHING CLUB - LADIES BRANCH

### RESULTS

of Ladies Exchange Day with Dooks, Sunday 20th June, kindly sponsored by Synergy Golf

1st Kay O'Connor (14) & Tina O'Sullivan(15) 45 pts

2nd Mary O'Neill (21) & Peggy Barrett (28) 44 pts

3rd Mege Dalton (15) & Lora Beth Molloy(23) 42pts(B3)

4th Sally Cooper (18) & Eileen Whelan (26) 42 pts

5th Ailish Mulcahy (9) & Miriam Murphy Woods (17) 41 pts

Next Competition Sunday 27th June, sponsored by Adams Garage, Tralee is Stableford on Killeen.

## DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT CLUB

### SUNDAY DRAWS

Two Ball Scramble- First Nett: Sean Ashe & Noel Moynihan 35, Gross: John McGrath & Sean Ashe 42, Second Nett: Noel Moynihan & Aidan O'Keeffe 35 ½ and Hole-In-One: Sean Ashe (13th Hole).

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### COUNTY STROKEPLAY

Entries now being taken for same with the U16 event (€5) on Saturday July 10th in Tralee and the adult grades (€10) in Newmarket on Sunday July 11th. Entries must be received and paid for by Sunday July 4th.

### U16 CAPTAIN

We are to announce that the Committee have chosen Robbie Harnett as our U16 Captain for 2021. We wish him well in the role.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To current member and former registrar Alan Kelly and his engagement to his fiancée Sarah at the weekend.



Pictured at Beaufort Golf club this week are left to right, Lady Captain Laura Furlong, Category 2 prizewinner Sally Harvest, Winner Grainne McShortall, Category 1 prizewinner Karen Spence, Sponsor Maura Kennedy.



Pictured at Beaufort Golf club this week are Lady Captain Laura Furlong, Category 1 prizewinner Rita Kelleher, Winner Grainne McShortall, Category 2 prizewinner Stephaine Lane.



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### LOUGH DERG 2021

Lough Derg regrets that it will not be possible in 2021 to reopen Station Island for the Traditional Three Day Pilgrimage or even for the autumn programme of Day Retreats. Lough Derg will again offer the opportunity to "Do Lough Derg from wherever you are" on 3rd – 5th July. The outdoor Pilgrimage on the Lough Shore Pilgrim Path will also be available as the summer goes on. Further information from Lough Derg office 0(0353) 71 9861518 or www.loughderg.org.

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**Answer:** *You may qualify for the School Transport Scheme. The scheme provides subsidised school transport for both post-primary and primary pupils. Bus Éireann runs the school bus service and the Department of Education decides the annual fares.*

The service is only provided where there are at least 10 eligible pupils in a distinct locality that can be economically serviced by a bus route. Even when a pupil meets the age and distance criteria for school transport, there is no legal entitlement to it. Your daughter is eligible for the Post-Primary School Transport Scheme if she is attending her nearest school and lives 4.8 kilometres or more from the school. The Department and Bus Éireann determine the appropriate nearest school with regard to ethos and language.

Parents must arrange to bring their child to the nearest pick-up point on the bus route. Generally, bus routes are organised so that no pupil has more than 3.2 kilometres to travel to a pick-up point.

There is a single annual charge of €350 per pupil. However, a family does not pay more than €650 per year. In 2021, the charge is due to be paid in full by the end of July or else in 2 instalments: by the end of July and by 26 November. Pupils who are eligible for school transport and who hold a valid medical card are entitled to free school transport to the nearest school. Since your child is enrolling in post-primary school for the first time, you should either apply for school transport online or download the form on Bus Éireann's website. Applications are now being accepted for the 2021-2022 school year. Applications for the school transport scheme 2021-2022 close on Friday, 30 April 2021.

You can read more about the School Transport Scheme on [citizensinformation.ie](http://citizensinformation.ie).

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## EXAM TIME PART 3

### For Parents

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

### For Parents

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

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

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

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David had been keeping his father's sheep on the hillside. Jesse described David as being a companion to the sheep - a 'special friend' to them. It's interesting to note that David found hanging out with these animals a better pastime than being with his brothers because he had a different spirit and a different approach to life, living by his faith and trust - not in his own ability or power - but in God's power.

So anointed was he that when the current King Saul was afflicted by a spirit depressing him, David was brought into the palace to worship God in the presence of Saul and the oppressing spirit would depart once David started to play his harp unto the Lord. This is the effect of the anointing of the Spirit of God. Every unclean and demonic spirit will leave when someone anointed with the Holy Spirit and authority enters. This is why Jesus said it was better for Him to go back to the Father so that God could send His Holy Spirit to come and live inside those who would believe upon the Lord Jesus for Salvation, and they would be transformed into new life - born again and filled with God's Power bringing the Presence of God everywhere they went. (John 16:7; 2nd Corinthians 5:17).

This is what David did. When he worshipped God it flowed from his heart, and his anointed praise changed and cleansed the atmosphere. When David later ran out unto the battlefield to face the giant Goliath that had paralysed the entire army with fear, he did not take fancy weapons or back up with him. He just did what he knew, which was operate his slingshot, but as he proclaimed God's greatness into the face of the enemy, ignored his curses and slander and then took aim and fired, the stone hit that giant right between the eyes and killed him. Today dear friend, God is waiting for people with hearts like David to rise up and trust Him to demonstrate His power that no foe can withstand (Psalm 33; Psalm 91).

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Our thanks to all those who sent Mass  
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To our friends, thank you for the love and  
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Our thanks to Mike and Mary O'Shea and the  
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A sincere thanks to Fr. Niall Howard for his  
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No passing of time can take them away,  
They bring a smile, sometimes a tear,  
But always a wish that you were still here.*

*Will those who think of Agnes today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.*

Loved and remembered always by  
Maureen, Sean & Jerry

## 7TH ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY  
**AGNES LINEHAN  
(NEE REEN)**



PARK ROAD, KILLARNEY  
WHO DIED ON  
25TH JUNE 2014

*No special day is needed  
for us to think of you  
Your always in our thoughts  
No matter what we do  
Our hearts are full of memories  
With pride we speak your name  
Though life must go on without you  
it will never be the same.*

Loved and missed always  
Your sister Geraldine,  
John, Kevin and Sean.

## FIRST ANNIVERSARY

IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
**PATRICK  
RIORDAN**



LATE OF KILNANARE, FIRIES,  
WHO SADLY PASSED AWAY ON  
THE 24TH OF JUNE 2020

*Just a prayer from the family  
Who loved you*

*Just a memory fond and true  
In our hearts you will stay forever  
Because we thought the world of you.*

*It was a sudden parting  
Too bitter to forget  
Those who loved you dearly  
Are the ones who can't forget.*

*We often sit and think of you  
And think of how you died  
To think you never said goodbye  
Before you closed your eyes.*

*Good was your heart, in friendship sound  
Loved and respected by all around  
A beautiful life came to an end  
You died as you lived,  
Everyones friend.*

Sadly missed and fondly remembered by  
your loving family.

Anniversary mass will be held on Tuesday  
29th June at 7.30pm in Fries parish church.

## BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

**LINDA EVISTON**



30TH JUNE 2021

*You have never left our thoughts  
Since the day you went away  
We're sending birthday wishes  
And thinking of you today*

Remembering Linda on her birthday  
With love from Aisling, Ann, Jacqui,  
Joanne and Stephanie

## THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have  
asked you many favours. This time I ask  
you this special one. (Mention favour).  
Take it dear heart of Jesus and place it  
within your own broken heart where your  
father sees it.

Then in his merciful eyes it will become  
your favour not mine. Amen.  
Say this prayer for three days. Publication  
of prayer and favour will be granted.  
Prayers answered.

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