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Do you really need a reason to come to Killarney at any time of the year? Well with Aisling off on a well-deserved break this week, it was time to send for the B team and sitting in behind the Editors Desk, gives you a real insight into what a wonderful town Killarney is. This week's edition is a packed read of the best of local news. Its time to put that kettle on and sit back.

Through this weeks stories we introduce you to some remarkable people, we look at the business world battling back from the recession and we prepare for the "Rally weekend"

It was a privilege to speak to Marie Carroll as she prepares for another Darkness into light walk and she talks candidly about her son Nathan. She is an inspiration and you should really consider putting on the yellow top and meeting them on their morning walk.

Another inspiration was the late Joan Herlihy and her family rightly honours her memory with a charity cycle. Joan was a person full of life and love for the outdoors and a cycle across much of the countryside she discovered is a perfect way to remember the Lissivigeen resident. Another outdoors hero was the late Paddy Turner. His friends turned up in force to remember him. It's a real great sign of a town that those who have left a mark on our town are still remembered. It speaks volumes about the people behind these great events. Events like the Malton bunny hop and the Rambling House night that raised much needed money for Down Syndrome Kerry and Recovery Haven.

Still a week on from Kerry's defeat to Dublin, we don't have time to dwell on disappointment with plenty sporting events lined up to enjoy, This weeks rally will be a huge highlight, the marathon is around the corner, the Races in a fortnight and even the ultimate high peaks challenge in July.

We also have special report on the Kerry's 1916 celebrations last week and as usual the best in local notes, sports and of course plenty adverts that you should take the time to look at. You never know what you might find.

That kettle must be boiled by now and I have to put the office back the way I found it. Aisling will be back next with normal service resumed.

I wont need a reason next time to come back to Killarney; it's a wonderful place. **Donal Barry.**

NATHANS LIGHT STILL SHINES BRIGHT AHEAD OF WALK



MEMBERS OF THE O'CARROLL ENGINEERING FIRM IN KILLARNEY ALL SUPPORTING THE DARKNESS INTO LIGHT WALK WHICH IS SUPPORTED BY ELECTRIC IRELAND AND TAKES PLACE ON MAY 7TH. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808

The memory of 14 year Nathan O'Carroll is as fresh today for his family as it was in December of 2007 when he died and each year to remember the bright light of the Ross Road, his family are joined by thousands of people who walk from Darkness into light to remember him and others who have passed on, in a most solemn and honest way.

Today the event has merged into the national

event of Darkness into Light which is supported by Electric Ireland but on its first outing six years ago it was just Nathan's walk in which 1,200 people turned up to show their support. The event has grown year upon year ever since and last year over 5,500 people participated in the walk that took place from the Killarney racecourse.

The loss of Nathan was felt most by his immediate family including parents Denis and Marie and brothers Damien, Killian, Aaron and Ryan. But they are as determined today to remember him as they were six years ago. "It's not easy, but you move on. People are good and we get a real comfort from the amazing amount of people who turn up each year. Not a day goes by that we do not remember something small about Nathan. He was our shining light" mother Marie told the Killarney Outlook. Marie is still the driving force behind the event and her work has ensured that it remains one of the "must do" walks in the calendar.

"Last year we had over 5,000 people and even though there are a lot more walks this year, we are hopeful that we will still have a large turnout. It is the sixth year of the event and even though its known locally now as Nathan's Walk, it forms part of the national Darkness into light walks that will take place all across the country." Registration for Killarney's Darkness into Light walk will take place at the Ross Golf Club on Wednesday 4th May, Thursday 5th May and Friday 6th May between 5pm and 8pm, This year's walk, which is supported by Electric Ireland, will take place on Saturday 7th May 2016. Early Registrations will open on the morning of the event from 1.30 am.

THE MON MEETS BRESSIE UNDER YELLOW FLAG

The Monastery NS received a prestigious award this week when the school was recognised for its outstanding work in promoting inclusion and diversity in schools.

The Yellow Flag award is a National Awards Scheme where schools work on a seven step

programme aimed at raising awareness of cultural diversity within school environments. It is designed to foster inclusive, multicultural environments and the Monastery school was one of only eleven schools nationwide who were awarded the Flag this year. Principal Colm ó Súilleabháin, teachers Mary Brosnan

and, Liz O Grady, along with students, Kieran Shamsuddoha, Mark Sheahan, Jarif Islam and Patryk Komosa were delighted to accept the award from Bressie at an award ceremony held in Liberty Hall this week in Dublin.

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Kerry is open for business, that was very much the message from the Kerry Business & Jobs EXPO which was held last Sunday at the INEC in Killarney and despite the fact that many people were heading to Croke Park for the Kerry match, footfall at the EXPO exceed expectations with over 2,000 visitors. Something that pleased Expo Co-ordinator Liz Maher.

"The expo served to showcase the level of vibrant industry in Kerry and the extent of Manufacturing, Technology, Innovation and Service industries currently operating within the county. Many of the larger companies and multi-nationals such as JRI-America, Liebherr, Dairymaster, Borg Warner, Aspengrove Solutions, Gleneagle Group and Bon Secours Hospital Tralee were showcasing and recruiting for new positions, while Job Suite, FRS Recruitment and Redchair recruitment had many job vacancies from a broad spectrum of industries throughout the county." Liz told the Killarney Outlook.

Government bodies such as Revenue and Dept Social Welfare were also on hand to deliver advice and information. Visitors were also able to access information from SKDP, NEWKD, and Kerry ETB.

The event offered Kerry businesses an opportunity to network and build business relationships as well as gain additional clients and customers and every town in Kerry was represented. Organisers say that we have so many indigenous companies based in Kerry and in fact, a number of them have gone from strength to strength over the past number of years, it's about time we start to applaud their achievements and showcase Kerry as a well-endowed commercial hub, ready to attract and welcome more industry, further investment and greater expansion.

"For some, it was their first time exhibiting and the small and medium sized companies were delighted to avail of the opportunity to meet new clients and customers and network with the other businesses."

The range of exhibitors was diverse and varied



TOM O'LEARY (RIGHT) PICTURED AT THE KERRY BUSINESS NETWORK EXPO AT THE INEC LEARNING A THING OR TWO ABOUT KILLARNEY FROM THE LADIES AT THE KILLARNEY CHAMBER OF TOURISM STAND, BRID BROSANAN (LEFT) & PRESIDENT OF THE KILLARNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE KATE O'LEARY (MIDDLE). PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808

and included IT specialists, manufacturing, financial, home and garden, sport & fitness, entertainment & party, wellness, retail and the service industry in general.

Visitors flocked to try their hand at the golf simulator and the free blood pressure checks, while kids were treated to entertainment throughout the day by the Fanzini Brothers, the Tall Gent, Magic Delboy, Drum dance Ireland, Zumba Dancing and a selection of bouncing castles and games from Active Kingdom and It's my party. There was also a host of workshops held throughout the day by a number of exhibitors.

It is anticipated that the EXPO will become a firm annual fixture alongside many other great Kerry events. Organisers say that they expect it to grow year on year and eventually attract visitors from neighbouring counties along with showcasing to new prospective companies the extent of commercial opportunities Kerry has to offer.

The event was made possible through the collaborative efforts of a number of

organisations in the county and without the financial support from these organisations; an event of this size or calibre would not have been feasible. Contributions from the Kerry County Council and the Local Enterprise Office hugely helped to boost the event. Financial support was also extended by SKDP, NEWKD, Tralee Chamber Alliance and Killarney Chamber of Tourism & Commerce including Kerry Businesswomen's Network and Kerry ETB. Sponsorship in kind was welcomed from GHQ design, Lee Strand and HQ, while Bon Secours Hospital Tralee, AIB and Ballyseedy Home & Garden Centre also made sponsorship contributions which greatly helped to reduce the overall exhibitor costs, particularly for the small and medium enterprises. The INEC generously sponsored the venue.

Liz Maher concluded by saying "The event not only helps to showcase the level of business acumen in Kerry but it also encourages businesses and EXPO visitors to – Buy local and Stay local".



PICTURED AT THE INEC FOR THE KERRY BUSINESS NETWORK EXPO, HAZEL O'MALLEY, OWNER OF HAZEL'S NUTS ABOUT VINTAGE, POP UP SHOP & ONLINE BOUTIQUE.

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MAUREEN O'MAHONY KILLARNEY, CHECKING OUT THE BRAND GEEKS WITH OWNERS LOUISE & CHRIS MCGILLYCUDDY AT THE KBN EXPO AT THE INEC ON SUNDAY.

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KARIE O'TOOLE, A PHOTOBOOK FOR YOU DISPLAYING HER PHOTOBOOK TO MAUREEN O'MAHONEY AT THE KBN EXPO AT THE INEC ON SUNDAY.

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TIME TO CYCLE IN MEMORY OF THE LATE JOAN HERLIHY

The family and friends of Joan Herlihy (nee Quinlan, Castleisland), Lissivigeen, are organising a Charity Cycle in her memory on May 29th 2016.

Joan sadly passed away on February 12th 2015 from cancer. She was a great outdoors woman and played a major role in community life.

Laura Herlihy, Joans daughter took time to talk to the Killarney Outlook about the forthcoming event.

"She was involved in the Community Games for many years and was also a dedicated Cub leader with the Kerry 6th Scouts Troop based in Lissivigeen, Killarney. She had a great heart and saw the importance of supporting numerous charity events in the Killarney area and even organised events herself."

Among her wide range of interests, Joan loved to cycle. She completed many charity cycling events including the Cycle against suicide in May 2014 when she cycled from Cork City to Killarney on the first day and from Killarney to Tralee the second day. As the cycle made its way from Tralee towards Limerick, Joan headed into the Oncology Unit in Kerry University Hospital to have her bloods taken. She also completed the Ring of Kerry in 2013 and 2014 – a major achievement in itself but more so because of the fact that both times she was receiving Chemotherapy a sign of her great strength and determination.

The cycle in memory of Joan takes place on Sunday May 29th 2016. There are two routes and both begin and end at The Torc Hotel, Lissivigeen. These are routes that Joan cycled



LAURA HERLIHY, CHRISTY LEHANE, MARIE SHANNON, CATHERINE MCENIRY, BREDA HICKEY AND TOM MCENIRY PICTURED AT THE LAUNCH OF A CYCLE IN MEMORY OF JOAN HERLIHY.

when training for the various events and in particular takes in her much loved Muckross Dinis route.

"The first aim of the cycle is to remember and pay tribute to an amazing, inspirational woman who, among other numerous interests, loved to cycle. The second aim of the cycle is to raise money for the Oncology Unit in Kerry University Hospital, where Joan received excellent care and treatment over the years," adds Laura. As a gesture of appreciation to the staff of the

Oncology Unit in KUH, Joan's children Laura and Paul and husband Dave, extended families of Dave and Joan and her neighbours and friends are organising the cycle in her memory. They encourage people to take part in this fun event, in memory of Joan, a remarkable and brave woman, and at the same time raise money for a worthy cause.

For more information contact either Laura (085) 7538266 or Marie (087) 9849882

OPPORTUNITY TO GET AN INSIGHT AND JOBS IN THE HOSPITALITY SECTOR



Are you interested in taking up one of the many employment opportunities that exist in the hospitality sector but not sure which area would suit you best? Then you have the chance to get information on all of the career opportunities that exist as well as perhaps even securing a job at the Hospitality Foot in the Door event. Run by South Kerry Skillnet,

the event takes in the Killarney Plaza Hotel on Thursday, 5th of May and will feature a range of speakers from the hospitality sector as well as some short training & demonstration sessions to give a greater insight into the potential jobs available.

South Kerry Skillnet manger Aoife O'Reilly said that this event, which is free of charge to attend, is an excellent chance for people who are thinking of seeking employment in the hospitality sector to get an understanding of what is involved and the types of careers they can develop within the sector. "We will have speakers from all sectors of the industry who will give first-hand accounts of how they have developed their careers and the key skills needed to work in each area" Aoife said. In addition, those attending will have the chance to find out about training courses that are

available to them to develop or enhance their skills in the sector. "The event will also give people a chance to make contacts with key people in the industry and some employers will have positions available on the day for candidates with suitable skills or experience" Aoife pointed out.

Among the organisations providing speakers at the event are The O'Donoghue Ring Hotel Group, South Kerry Local Employment Service, Kerry Education & Training Board as well as South Kerry Development Partnership representatives and other hotel group representatives.

While the event is free to attend, it is requested that people register their interest in advance by calling either Aoife or Tracey on **066 9762477** or 087 2645147 or emailing **info@kerryskillnet.ie**

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BIG TURN OUT AS KILLARNEY REMEMBERS THE LATE GREAT PADDY TURNER

For years anyone coming to or staying Killarney would have got a big greeting from one of the towns most famous gentlemen – Paddy Turner.

There was always a wave and a big hello from the genial Paddy. Sadly no longer with us, Paddy was remembered last weekend by the large crowd that gathered and took part in the walk organised to remember him.

Event Organiser Enda Walshe spoke to the Killarney Outlook about the event.

“We were blessed with the weather. A sunny sky greeted the walkers as they gathered at the Killarney Avenue Hotel for registration. Kerry Footballer James O’Donoghue was on hand to welcome the walkers who contributed to the Killarney Mens Shed and the Killarney branch of the Kerry Mental Health Association.”

Walk starter Joe Mulvihill dropped the flag on the group shortly before 11 am and the colourful group proceeded down to the Killarney National Park for the 5km route.

“There was plenty conversation on the way as they chatted and remembered the late Paddy. For a man who loved to walk he would have



READY FOR ROAD. THE PADDY TURNER MEMORIAL WALK SUPPORTED BY JAMES O'DONOGHUE & THE PEOPLE OF KILLARNEY IN RAISING FUNDS FOR KERRY MENTAL HEALTH & KILLARNEY MENS SHED. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808

enjoyed the banter along the route as the mountains and lakes looked resplendent in the spring sunshine.

It was great to see so many people out and it reinforced the respect and fondness with which Paddy was held in the community,” Enda added

“Many thanks to the Killarney Valley Athletics Club, National Park and Wildlife Service and the Gardai for their cooperation in hosting the event,” Enda concluded

A presentation of the proceeds will be made in the near future.



PICTURED AT THE KILLARNEY AVENUE HOTEL FOR THE PADDY TURNER MEMORIAL WALK IN AID OF KERRY MENTAL HEALTH & KILLARNEY MEN'S SHED WERE L-R DAN HOURIGAN, JOSEPHINE RYAN, EILEEN AHERNE & JOE MULVIHILL. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808



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MAGNIFICENT BACKDROPS SET FOR LAKES OF KILLARNEY MARATHON ON MAY 14TH



HAPPY RUNNERS COMPETING IN THE LAKES OF KILLARNEY MARATHON, LAST YEAR. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN.

It might not help you run any faster but the magnificent backdrop through the Killarney

National Park will certainly be an alluring call to runners all across the country on May 14th

Now in its fifth year The Lakes of Killarney Marathon is going from strength to strength.

The Killarney Outlook took time out to catch up with Alan Ryan, one of the event's organisers and asked him what was special about the Killarney Marathon.

“It's one of the must do marathons on the Irish calendar it sees entrants travel from all over Ireland and even a few from abroad each year. Held almost entirely within the National Park there is both a full and a half marathon option to choose from. It is a very spectator friendly race with many good vantage points to cheer on the runners.”

The race is fully supported with a measured course, chip timing, ambulance cover, hydration stops, post race food and drinks and a medal and t-shirt for every finisher this race is widely regarded as the best value for money marathon in the country.

“This is your chance to see the Demesne and Ross Island in all their glory while at the same time achieving another of your running goals.” Adds Alan.

Runners take to the line at 9am.

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KILLARNEY RACES 2016 SEASON OPENS WITH 'MAD HATTERS DAY' ON MAY 15TH

Killarney Races kicks off its Summer Racing Season on Sunday May 15th and offers 3 days of the very best of Festival Racing. Sunday and Monday are both National Hunt cards whilst Tuesday is an all flat card.

Sunday is 'Mad Hatters Day' and there will be 2 categories of competition (both Children & Adults). The Theme for the day is 'colour and fun'. The highly anticipated Mad Hatters competitions are generously sponsored by Ryanair and Kerry Airport.

Competition Entry: Entrants should proceed (before 3p.m.) to the 'Mad Hatters Gathering' in the Glass Bar situated upstairs over the Jim Culloty Bar, where our judges will view the spectacular headpieces on show. The winners will be announced in the Parade Ring at approximately 4.30p.m.

The children are in for a treat too with a very exciting prize of a trip to London with Ryanair & Kerry Airport. The prize includes return flights for 2 adults and 2 children to London with Ryanair from Kerry Airport, two nights accommodation in a 3* hotel, and a 1 day ticket pass for LEGOLAND Windsor for 2 adults and 2 children. The second prize is an Apple ipod.

On Sunday Celtic Steps The Show (who are in their second Season at Killarney Racecourse) will be performing throughout the day.

Manager of Killarney Racecourse, Micheál



MEET THE 'MAD HATTERS'... KILLARNEY RACES KICKS OFF ITS SUMMER RACING SEASON ON SUNDAY MAY 15TH - TUESDAY 17TH MAY, 2016. THE THREE DAY FESTIVAL OFFERS THE VERY BEST OF RACING. SUNDAY IS 'MAD HATTERS DAY' WITH TWO CATEGORIES OF COMPETITION (BOTH CHILDREN & ADULTS). WEARING THEIR 'MAD HATS' ARE FROM LEFT, NOEL RYAN, SALES / MARKETING EXECUTIVE KERRY AIRPORT, KATE O'LEARY, PRESIDENT OF KILLARNEY CHAMBER OF TOURISM AND COMMERCE, ANNA KATE DALY AND ROISÍN NÍ LIATHÁIN. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN.

Lucey told the Killarney Outlook 'We are really looking forward to our opening day of the 2016 Season and Sunday is an action-packed day which promises to be a great day out for all the Family'.

The first race on Sunday the 15th May is at 2.05pm with the feature race of the day being The Grade B Ladbrokes Ireland Handicap Hurdle with a prize fund of €50,000.

Monday the 16th May is 'Lá na gClub' and also 'Killarney National Night' with the running of the "Killarney National" generously sponsored

by the McSweeney Arms Hotel. This race promises to be a great spectacle with all the usual thrills and spills of a National and Killarney Racecourse is delighted to boast a €40,000 prize fund for the race. First Race is off at 5.20p.m.

Tuesday's race card is a flat card and First Race is off at 5.50p.m.

Packages still available on all 3 days for the Hospitality Suite, for bookings contact

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PUPILS AT ST OLIVER'S LEARN TO TACKLE CLIMATE CHANGE



PUPILS AT ST OLIVERS LEARN TO TACKLE CLIMATE CHANGE

St Oliver's, National School, Ballycasheen, invited "Just Forests" in to help raise the pupil's awareness of how 'local' actions can have 'global' impacts both negative and positive.

They delivered five workshops to 100 students accompanied with their teachers.

The workshops supported the great wildlife garden/tree planting work being carried out in St Oliver's as a means of increasing the biodiversity on the school grounds and combatting climate change.

Pupils and teachers at St Oliver's are much more aware of the local and global implications of illegal logging, biodiversity decline and climate

change. They are also more empowered to act positively in helping to address the problems – in the case of St Oliver's pupils they will carry the messages learned in the workshops home to parents and family.

The workshops supported the work of St Oliver's Green-Schools Team.

Schools wishing to book the Wood of Life exhibition and associated workshops can contact Tom Roche coordinator of Just Forests at info@justforests.org or visit their website at www.justforests.org

RAMBLING HOUSE FOR RECOVERY HAVEN

There was great praise this week from the hard working folk in Recovery Haven for the people behind the Rambling House for Recovery Haven which raised €1605.

A spokesperson for Recovery Haven told the Killarney Outlook this week "We would like to extend a sincere thank you to everyone who helped out in making the Rambling House for Recovery Haven night so successful.

A special thank you to all the musicians, singers, dancers, storytellers and anyone who attended on the night or supported us. A special thanks to Julie Sheahan in Killorglin Golf Club, Tommy Mc Gillicuddy and Margaret Lehané for all the hard work."

THE CHEQUE PRESENTATION PICTURE FROM KILLORGLIN GOLF TO RECOVERY HAVEN CANCER SUPPORT HOUSE.

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SPECTATOR FRIENDLY RALLY OF LAKES IN STORE FOR FANS

A new spectator friendly route is the key ingredient of this year's Cartell.ie Rally of the Lakes that takes place in Killarney this weekend.

All of the action, over 16 special stages takes place within 25km of the town, with the bulk of the action set for mid or east Kerry.

Over 140 crews from all over Ireland and beyond are set to tackle the county's biggest motorsport event.

Unusually, the rally does not open with a run over Moll's Gap. Instead the daunting ribbon of tarmac tat runs parallel to the Killarney to Millstreet main road and known locally as Gortnagane is the opening test. This is followed by loop of stages bear Millstreet and Rathmore before the rally heads east to new territory around Milltown. The Dromin Hill stage, last used by the Circuit of Kerry Rally in the early 1980s makes a return alongside spectator favourite Rockfield before the day's action concludes around 6pm.

Sunday is run over a lot more familiar territory with Moll's Gap and Balleaghebeama proceeding newer versions of Carragh Lake and Shanera. Unusually, Caragh Lake is the final stage of the rally before the crews head for the podium finish at the Gleneagle Hotel.

Leading local driver is Alan Ring who will be hoping to put a recent run of bad luck behind him on his home stages. The Castleisland man was forced to retire his newly acquired Ford



PICTURED AT THE LAUNCH OF THE RALLY OF THE LAKES 2016 WERE L-R CARTELL MODEL MAGS KELLEHER, TD DANNY HEALY-RAE, JESSICA HEALY OF MISS KERRY, TD MICHAEL HEALY-RAE & CARTELL MODEL AINE O'CALLAGHAN.
PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 097 391 4808

Fiesta R5 from the recent Rose Hotel Circuit of Kerry due to fuel pressure issues. He starts at nine, four places behind Bantry-driver Keith Cronin, who has local co-driver Mikie Galvin on the notes. The pair will be opening to regain the lead in the Clonakilty Black Pudding Irish Tarmac Rally Championship following a non-finish on the Circuit of Ireland three weeks ago. Fergus O'Meara and Brian O'Doherty are the leading local team in the national section of the rally. They have fitted a newer, more-powerful, engine to their Ford Escort Mk2 in an effort to stay ahead of chasing uncle and nephew team

of Ed Murphy and John McCarthy.

Other local family crews tackling the rally include father and son team Charlie Hickey/Johnny Hickey (Ford Escort RS) and Charlie's brother John in a similar car. Andrew Duggan returns from Abu Dhabi for the weekend and he will have his sister Tara co-driving. Kevin O'Donoghue and David Randles will run their newly built BMW E30 for the first time. Tadhg O'Sullivan/Eoin O'Leary (Ford Escort Mk2) and Ken O'Neill/Ronald Riordan (Ford Puma S1600) are worth keeping an eye on too.

BRIGHT FUTURE AS KELLY DANCES TO TOP AWARD



INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED DANCER KELLY McDONNELL.

Internationally acclaimed dancer Kelly McDonnell is well known in Killarney during the tourist season. The Tipperary native was choreographer and performer with the Liam O'Connor Show in the Killarney Avenue for its long run.

She is now performing the same duties with the new Gaelic Roots Show that is taking the entertainment scene by storm, having debuted in the last few weeks.

Kelly has toured the world with many shows including Women of Ireland.

As well as her busy performing schedule Kelly managed to find time to study for her TCRG Award and all her hard work paid off in Glasgow this month when she was conferred

with her award during the World Irish Dancing Championships.

Kelly plans to set up her own Irish Dance Academy in September and is really looking forward to passing on her skills, knowledge and experience to the next generation of dancers.

"I was lucky to come along when it became possible to make a living from Irish dancing. It has taken me around the world and now I want to teach the next generation. I had some great dance teachers and I know what is needed to bring the best out of the dancers, no matter what age. I am really looking forward to the next step in my career – but also there is lots of dancing left in me yet"

LALS OUTCASTS GO IN SEARCH OF NATIONAL DARTS GLORY

It might not exactly be the "Ally Pally" but for a local darts team from Kilcummin, representing the well-known local the Village Inn, The Springhill Hotel in Kilkenny will be their theatre of dreams as they go in search of national glory. This Saturday, the seven-man team will come face to face with the 15 best teams from pubs and clubs teams in Ireland and they will be hoping to avoid plenty "goldilocks" and making sure of plenty of "maximums".

Tom Biggane captains the team of all top players at county level with Dave Stack, Sean

Marshall, James Broderick, John Cronin, Richard O'Connor, and Dale McCarthy making up the super seven

LALS OUTCASTS: FROM LEFT TO RIGHT SEAN MARSHALL, JAMES BRODERICK, JOHN CRONIN, RICHARD O'CONNOR, AND DALE MCCARTHY. MISSING FROM PHOTO IS TOM BIGGANE TEAM CAPTAIN AND DAVE STACK.





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OLD PRESBYTERY, Milltown, Killarney

A fine stately period residence with most of its original features, (mainly Tudor style) standing on 3 acres approx. with mature trees and scrubs. There is a delightful, detached, double coach-house on the property requiring repair. This fine residence contains 4/5 bedrooms, (mostly large double), 2 reception rooms, bathroom, w/c. Kitchen/dining, utility with door to a walled yard which has some storage/outoffices and a stone built cellar. Most rooms have beautiful ornate fireplaces, high ceilings with decorative corning and lots of light. Some upgrading is required. Access is via a stone walled entrance along a sweeping driveway, where the mature trees and shrubs add to the privacy, peace and tranquillity which abounds in this unique property.

It would make a fine stately, private residence but also has loads of potential for several other purposes. (guest accommodation, professional rooms, working from home etc.) Milltown has two new schools, good shops and many attractions. It is expanding and growing in a very sustainable and planned way.

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Kerry is the Adventure Capital of Ireland and Killarney's Ultimate High Peaks Challenge is certainly the pinnacle of all mountain adventures with the most dramatic mountain scenery in Ireland. It promises to be an exhilarating and truly unique event in which participants will self navigate along a pre planned marshalled route across the highest mountain range in the country - The magnificent MacGillycuddy's Reeks.

Adventure enthusiasts will trek over 25 km of stunning, wild, rugged mountain terrain ticking off many of Ireland's highest summits with a total height gain of over 2500 meters.

"This is not a race... but a challenge event, where participants will test their personal navigational skills, fitness, determination and stamina.

The grand finale to this exhausting but memorable mountain challenge will culminate



PIARAS KELLY OF KERRY CLIMBING, ON CNOC NA PEISTE, MACGILLYCUDDY'S REEKS, ORGANISER, "KILLARNEY'S ULTIMATE HIGH PEAKS CHALLENGE" IS A SPECTACULAR ONE DAY MOUNTAIN CHALLENGE EVENT THAT WILL TEST PARTICIPANT'S ENDURANCE, STAMINA AND SELF SUFFICIENCY IN SOME OF IRELAND'S TOUGHEST MOUNTAIN TERRAIN. THIS YEAR'S EVENT TAKES PLACE ON SATURDAY 9TH JULY 2016. PARTICIPANTS WILL TRAVERSE ALONG 16 OF IRELAND'S HIGHEST MOUNTAIN PEAKS ON 'THE ROOF OF IRELAND'. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN.

with a vibrant and well deserved after party and barbeque in Cronin's Yard.

This year's event takes place on Saturday 9th July 2016 and the website is

www.killarneypeakschallenge.com and registration is now open. Places are limited so don't delay in getting your name down for this exciting challenge.

MALTON BUNNY HOP RAISES €2250 FOR DOWN SYNDROME



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Over 400 local families enjoyed a sun-filled afternoon of fun and activities including an animal road show, bouncy castle, magic show,

puppet show, face painting, balloon modelling and a children's dance. Of course the Easter Bunny was the guest of honour and lead the

excitement of the Easter Egg Hunt and was joined by numerous friends including Minnie & Mickey Mouse, Buzz Lightyear and Woody to name but a few. The delighted children (and adults!) skipped along in the sunshine, gathering eggs hidden throughout The Malton's extensive grounds.

In addition to the entertainment and activities, The Malton's Executive Head Chef, Will Fitzgerald, created a tempting Afternoon Tea featuring a delicious array of freshly baked miniature cakes, pastries, and breads, as well as dainty finger sandwiches, along with a 'Cake Pop' creation station for little ones and a decorating demonstration hosted by The Malton's Head Pastry Chef. The children also enjoyed a pop-up sweet shop and each guest departed with a Malton goodie bag.

The event was hosted by the Scally family and all profits from the event will be donated to Down Syndrome Kerry, a non-government funded charity, which relies on fundraising events to provide vital services in Kerry.

www.themalton.com.

COUNCIL CONFIRM PURCHASE OF LANDS BEING FINALISED

Killarney Municipal Area Deputy Mayor Councillor Michael Gleeson was this week welcoming the positive news that Kerry County Council are finalizing the purchase of lands adjacent to the River Flesk with a view to the further development of the Walkway/Cycleway from the Ross Road to Muckcross

At the April Municipal area meeting, Councilor Michael Gleeson asked that the Council would

provide an update on the progress being made towards the development of the Walkway/Cycleway from Ross Road to Muckcross Road partly along the banks of the River Flesk.

The Council replied that the purchase of lands adjacent to the River Flesk by Kerry County Council is at present being finalised and that a portion of the proposed development is on these lands. The Council will keep the members

informed of further progress in relation to the acquisition of the other lands.

Councillor Gleeson welcomed the statement that some progress is being made and said that this development will, on completion; greatly enhance the visitor experience for many. He also said that it will be of great value to local people who wish to walk or cycle safely in a delightful setting."



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BARLEYMOUNT, KILLARNEY 1.75 acres approx. field with spectacular views

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AIB SCHOOL FITNESS CHALLENGE A MASSIVE SUCCESS

Over 1400 took part in the AIB School Fitness challenge, a national spectacle of participation, exercise and health from over 25 schools from Kerry, Limerick and Cork.

The students were welcomed by AIB staff with amongst them Colm Cooper and James O'Donoghue.

Irish international athletes Jessie Barr and Niall Tuohy warmed up the masses to the rousing beat provided by Niall'Botty' O'Callaghan.

The primary students from 5th and 6th took part in a 2k route and the secondary in a route of 5k around the panoramic setting of the Knockreer Estate Killarney National Park. AIB bank hosted the event together with Killarney Valley AC and St. Brendans's College Killarney in a celebration of participation, health, promotion and fun.

Jessie Barr also a psychologist motivational speaker and Niall Tuohy also a medical student delivered a motivational presentation on resilience following the event and students took the opportunity to learn more by asking top questions.

With the four stars contributing and each overcoming adversity in their careers, the



AND THEY'RE OFF... SOME OF THE MANY STUDENTS THAT TOOK PART IN THE AIB 5K SCHOOL RUN THROUGH KILLARNEY NATIONAL PARK.
PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808

theme was precise and timely.

Colm Cooper together with Jessie Barr and Niall Tuohy urged those that could help and influence, to ensure the support required to deliver the Microtrack Community Project, which will benefit South and East Kerry area.

The facility is deliberately located in the town

centre to benefit people who are able bodied, for persons of disability and with proximity a core principle.

The community group has full planning and has been fundraising, with the Killarney 10mile next September.



BEN HOWARD, KILLARNEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE PICTURED AT THE STARTING POINT OF THE AIB 5K SCHOOLS CHALLENGE WHERE HUNDREDS OF STUDENTS FROM ALL AROUND THE COUNTY TOOK PART.
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THE ORGANISING STAFF OF AIB KILLARNEY, PICTURED AT THE FINISHING POINT OF THE AIB 5K SCHOOL RUN CHALLENGE HELPING TO FUND THE LOCAL KILLARNEY COMMUNITY MICROTRACK PROJECT.
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KILLARNEY GP CALLS FOR PRIMARY CARE CABINET MINISTER



Dr Gary Stack

Killarney GP and Medical Director of South Doc, Dr Gary Stack has called for a 'Tallaght Strategy for Health' which would take the politics out of the national healthcare

system and ensure a 10-year plan with consensus across healthcare providers.

Such a consensus can only be achieved by involving all the political parties, representative bodies, patients and stakeholders, to create a plan for health that is independent of the electoral cycle and has a reasonable time frame

to succeed. He backed the call for a Cabinet Minister for Primary Care which would be necessary to drive change.

Stack made the call at the second of three public meetings on health hosted by the National Association of General Practitioners (NAGP).

The meeting successfully brought the general public, patient organisations, TDs, and healthcare professionals together to discuss health reform and a proposed 10-year consensus on health.

A panel of expert speakers on health volunteered their time to put forward their opinions and suggestions for a reform of healthcare in Ireland.

Taking place in the Clayton Silver Springs Hotel, Cork and chaired by Ms. Susan Mitchell, Health

Editor, Sunday Business Post, speakers included Dr. Gary Stack, General Practitioner, Killarney and Medical Director of South Doc; Mr. Kieran Ryan, Chief Executive of the Irish College of General Practitioners (ICGP); and Dr. Jennifer Carroll, Consultant Physician, Cork University Hospital.

All speakers agreed that change must be driven by GP-led primary care. A variety of speakers from the floor ensured a lively debate on the key issues with input from patients, healthcare professionals, TDs, and patient representative groups.

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MONASTERY N.S PITCH AND PUTT FAMILY FUN

Presentation Monastery N.S parents association are holding their annual Pitch and Putt Family Fun Day at Deerpark Pitch and Putt Club this May Bank Holiday Monday the 2nd May. It's a 3 Ball scramble, with 3 per team and entry fee is €30 per team. Tee off times are 10 am, 12 noon

and 2pm. BBQ included. Perpetual trophy and category prizes on the day. All proceeds goes directly to the school and promises to be an enjoyable and fun day. Entries accepted on the day or prior to the event or by contacting the school on **064 66 33687**

NAGLE RICE JOKER

'Joker 3' weekly fundraising draw in aid of Nagle Rice Community Centre Milltown was held in Jack Duggan's last Sunday night and jackpot of €8600 was not won. Colm and Annette Cronin won €100 with Martin Ryan and Michael O'Sullivan winning €25 each. Down to 19 cards at next draw on Sunday night May 1st in Karl J's with jackpot increasing to €8800. Thank you for your continued support.

FUNDRAISER BBQ

The final call goes out for the Muckcross Rowing Club Fundraiser Family BBQ taking place this Bank Holiday Sunday 1st May at the Muckcross Park Hotel. The event is generously sponsored by the Muckcross Park Hotel and all proceeds raised will go towards essential equipment upkeep, maintenance and replacement. A fantastic day out for younger and older, with great food and children's entertainment in the best of surroundings. No better way to spend a Bank Holiday Sunday afternoon! All are welcome so please support and spread the word. Tickets will be available on the day. Adult: €15. U18: €10. Family: €50. To assist with event numbers, please phone or text to 087 448 2935 no later than Saturday afternoon if you wish to purchase tickets on the day.

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MONEY MATTERS.....

By Dermot Cronin,
Financial Advisor



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There has been a lot of discussion about pensions recently especially in the media. If you have a pension or you are thinking of taking out a pension it is important to know your options for when you have access to your pension. It mainly depends on what type of pension you have but generally there are four options:

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

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First Communion still a very special day

There can be no doubt about it but First Communion is still a very special day. Following weeks of preparations by Schools with songs, prayers and poems to be learnt off, its finally the big day and with Mom and Dad getting suited up for the big day as well as the rest of the siblings all putting on their best its Church time.

Communion received, money counted and restaurant confirmed its time for the picture of the big day and despite Moms and Dads efforts of looking their best, they fade into the background behind their little princess or princes.

We capture some of the best shots of last week's communions



KATE O'SULLIVAN, GAELSCOIL FAITHLEANN, PICTURED ON HER COMMUNION DAY WITH HER MUM MAURA, DAD TIMMY & LITTLE SISTER CLODAGH.
PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808



GRACIE GRIMWOOD, LORETO NS, PICTURED ON HER COMMUNION DAY WITH HER MUM HEIDI, AMONGST THE BLUEBELLS AT MUCKROSS. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808



ANNIE O'CONNELL, GAELSCOIL FAITHLEANN, PICTURED AT THE AGHADOE HEIGHTS ON HER COMMUNION DAY WITH HER MUM MARIA, DAD DERMOT AND LITTLE SISTER HANNAH.
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FAYE O'CARROLL, GAILScoil FAITHLEANN, PICTURED AMONGST THE DAFFODILS AT MUCKROSS HOUSE ON HER COMMUNION DAY.
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MOLLY REIDY, LORETO NS, PICTURED WITH HER MUM LISA, DAD GER & LITTLE SISTER ABBEY ON HER COMMUNION DAY.
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GAELSCOIL FAITHLEANN FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PUPILS GRACE O'SHEA, LILY AND RUBY COURTNEY, SINEAD BYRNE, MUIREANN O'DONOGHUE AND FAYE O'CARROLL ENJOYING A CELEBRATION PARTY AT GAELSCOIL FAITHLEANN, KILLARNEY FOLLOWING THE HOLY COMMUNION CEREMONY IN THE CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION, KILLARNEY LAST SATURDAY. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.



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• **VARIOUS WORKOUT APPS:** there are loads of downloadable workout apps to choose from on your smart phones. Choose the type of workouts that suit you eg. I love HIIT, or Tabata style workouts as they are fast and intense. However, you may enjoy more aerobic longer in duration style total body workouts or maybe more Pilates inspired or yoga style workouts. No matter what you are into have a good search as there is something to suit everyone. Most of these have free trials so it gives you a chance to check them out before you purchase. Even if you are currently a member or a gym, studio or engaged with a personal trainer these are great fillers in between sessions to keep active. I love using these when away on holidays it's like having your own personal trainer with you!

• **MAP MY RUN:** This is a free Downloadable app for your phone. It is an essential tool for all you walkers or joggers out there. It has a GPS that tracks your distance, speed, time, calories burned etc. Again you can hook up with friends on this and share your progress. It records your routes and times so you can compare your progress with the next run or walk you do. All of these tools of course only really work if you use them and are consistent. Don't get over whelmed and try and use all of them. Maybe pick one and get familiar with it and take it from there. And good luck! Remember if you need any extra push I'm always here to lend a helping hand. No matter how unfit, hopeless, or unable you think you are it is NEVER too late to get active and healthy. So don't be afraid to give me a call or text on 087-7643449 and make the first steps to a healthy happier you!

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OUTLOOK FASHION OIL STAIN?

If you get an oil stain on your favorite handbag, coat the mark with baby powder and let it stand overnight. By morning, the stain should be gone. If a bit still remains, repeat the process until the stain is completely gone.



HEALTH TIP FRESH FRUIT

Eat fresh fruit instead of drinking fruit juice. Juice is often sweetened but fresh fruits have natural sugars. When you eat fruit, you are taking in a lot of fiber, which is needed by the body, and fruits of course are an excellent source of vitamins. If you do have a craving for fruit juice then go for fresh fruit juice instead of those that contain artificial flavors and colors. Or even better, try making your own fruit juice taking care not to sweeten it with too many calories.

Beauty tip



Clear out your Make up Bag

Clean out your makeup bag at least once a year to get rid of old products that may be expired or you no longer use.



LIGHTEN UP YOUR THINKING!

A young lady confidently walked around the room while leading and explaining stress management to an audience with a raised glass of water. Everyone knew she was going to ask the ultimate question, 'half empty or half full?... She fooled them all.... "How heavy is this glass of water?" she inquired with a smile. Answers called out ranged from 8oz. to 20oz.

She replied, "The absolute weight doesn't matter. It depends on how long I hold it. If I hold it for a minute, that's not a problem. If I hold it for an hour, I'll have an ache in my right arm.

If I hold it for a day, you'll have to call an ambulance. In each case it's the same weight, but the longer I hold it, the heavier it becomes." She continued, "and that's the way it is with stress and negative thinking. If we carry our burdens all the time, sooner or later, as the burden becomes increasingly heavy, we won't be able to carry on."

Each one of us experiences stressful situations in our lives, however it is our **RESPONSE** to stress that is really the key issue. Many people compound stress by imagining the worst, talking themselves down, making up "stories" about what may or may not happen!

Great Coaching Tip! Changing your thinking may not change the situation but it will completely change the way you handle it and that is what makes all the difference. Try thinking thoughts greater than what you are feeling!

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One wonders what Roger Casement, Robert Monteith and Daniel Bailey would have made of Banna Strand last Thursday.

A hundred years from the day that the three were washed up on the white sands of Banna beach, following their timber boat capsizing into the cold Atlantic waters upon their arrival into Tralee Bay on a German submarine U19. When they arrived, there was no one there to greet them. It must have been a sad and desolated place as Casement suffering from the early signs of Malaria was left to hide as the other two travelled to Tralee on foot to seek help. The Ardfert RIC arrested Casement hiding out in McKenna fort at 1.30pm later than day. He

was eventually taken to jail in England. He was tried for treason, found guilty and hanged on 3 August 1916 at Pentonville Prison.

A hundred years on and the people of Kerry were waiting, up to 7,000 of them, children, parents and grandparents. So too were the defence forces and along with politicians, business leaders, sporting hero's and just the rank and file all stood silent to remember the brave efforts of Roger Casement who was arrested, tried and hanged for his role in the 1916 rising. The State Ceremonial for Sir Roger Casement was even broadcast by RTE.

While the head of the remembrance was President Michael D Higgins, who not for the first time in his presidency displayed an amazing knowledge of Casement and real passion for Ireland. A passion that was further emphasised when people who spent up to 3 hours at the event, were greeted by he and his wife Sabina with real warmth.

"He is a great president, I think there is none better for the role and

he makes you proud to be Irish. He spoke amazingly for twenty minutes and everyone listened. You could not hear a sound around and there was such a crowd. He also left us take a picture with him and took time to ask the children their names." Sheila McCarthy from Tralee told the Outlook.

There was praise too for the running of the event, which was the biggest State commemoration outside Dublin, first from the Mayor of Tralee, Tom McEllistrim. "It is tremendous occasion, the whole event was a success, because the brilliant planning. From the parking, to the seating to the big screens, so people could get a view and it was great to see the Schools take the occasion to bring their pupils. It will be a day that they will speak of forever"

The praise came in all shapes and sizes, John O'Carroll travelled from Limerick to the event and having his hip replaced was afraid he would

not get a seat "I didn't have a ticket but once I heard of the state event, I said I was



AS THOUSANDS ATTEND STATE CEREMONY

going. I parked in the car Park when I got here and the very kind civil defence brought me down in a bus and then a girl from the council got me a seat in the front. Only in Kerry would you get taken so well care of. I went to the one in Dublin but this was amazing to see the Navy ship in the bay and to see the defence forces up close. They are great. Really proud of my country on a day like today."

While 10-year-old Sean from Glenderry NS was in no doubt what the highlight of the day was "The planes flying over were class. All the army were great and it was good to see them so close as well." Still there was a little disappointment with the President "I missed his

hand as he was passing but he did shake a lot of the other boys. He did give us a wave" Kerry County Councils Communications Officer

Owen O'Shea performed the Master of Ceremonies role and was not overawed by the occasion. His professionalism coupled with his knowledge of 1916 ensured a smooth

running order.

President Higgins arrived shortly after noon and following an inspection of the Defence Forces drawn from members of the 12th Infantry Battalion in Sarsfield Barracks, Limerick, He along with his wife Sabina made their way to the podium with Tralee Bay in as their back drop as thousands clambered to the sand dunes for a vantage point. One would be drawn back into history and times of another great Kerryman Daniel O'Connell the Liberator at one of his mass rallies. The ceremony opened with the playing of Róisín Dubh from Siamsa Tíre and there was tearful moments following a rendition of Banna Strand, also known as the Ballad of Roger Casement, as Mike Hanrahan voice carried high into the sand dunes with Breannan Ó Beaglaoich simple guitar backing added hugely to a special moment.

Before actor Declan McCarthy, dressed as Casement enacted his speech from the dock. Dressed in period costume he held the people in a spell, as Casement's words came to life as he explained his actions of 1916.

Those words too would form part of the President address, which scheduled for ten minutes rolled on for twenty-five as he passionately spoke in both languages referring to his Irish introduction as the "first language".



One wonders what British and German ambassadors Dominick Chilcott and Matthias Höpfner made of his comments as he challenged both Ideals of the "Empire" and the "Kaiser" in the years in the build up to 1916 as he outlined the story of Casement.

The president acknowledged that Casement's role in seeking aid from Germany, when so many Irishmen were fighting against Germany on the Western Front, was contentious, but suggested that we "refrain, at a distance of 100 years, from any simplistic judgement - whether apologetic or condemning".

"It is important that we endeavour to do justice to the motivations of the actors of the time, and to the manner in which they judged or were induced to seize the opportunities afforded by that wider context to advance a cause they believed was just - however it was to be attained." He also explored Casement's word from the dock "loyalty is a sentiment, not a law. It rests on love, not on restraint. The government of Ireland by England rests on restraint, and not on law."

Following his speech the president presided over the wreathlaying ceremony that took place with full military honours at the foot of the



KERRY REMEMBERS 1916

Aud Anchor with the Navy's LE Aoife anchored in the backdrop of Tralee bay.

Before the ceremony away from the thousands and mass crowds, Roger Casement's grandniece Lesley McNaughton laid a wreath in his honour at the Roger Casement monument at the back of the beach. In a quiet moment, she spoke of her pride of their grand uncle "We are very proud that he is getting the recognition. In many ways he was a complex person with many different aspects to his life and yet he is ever only remembered for his execution by many people. I think the state have got this commemoration correct and have included a much more inclusiveness about it, maybe even more now than before" She told the Outlook afterwards. She was not alone as Robert

Monteith's great grandniece Carmel Smith also attended and she too was very proud of her Granduncle's part "He believed in the cause and he was loyal to a fault, when we grew up, we always knew the role that he played but unlike previous commemorations, his (Monteith's) role is more remembered and more appreciated."

Later in the afternoon, following a stop at Ardfer Village, President Higgins stopped off at Kerry County Museum to view a new exhibition 'Casement in Kerry: A Revolutionary Journey'. Marking the centenary of the Easter Rising in 1916 the major exhibition takes visitors on a series of revolutionary journeys: Roger Casement's path from servant of the Crown to Irish nationalist that led to the gallows in Pentonville

Prison; the road to independence for Ireland with the first stepping stone of the Easter Rising; and the experience of the Kerry people whose lives were transformed by the events of 1916.

Minister of State at the Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht Joe McHugh speaking with the Outlook following the ceremony, said "The State Ceremonial programme is the moment when the State, on behalf of the people of Ireland, pays tribute to the men and women who played a significant role in the events of 1916. It is an opportunity to remember those who lost their lives in the pursuit of our self-determination and democracy. Today, we honour humanitarian and Irish nationalist Sir Roger Casement, who along with Robert

Monteith and Daniel Bailey played such a pivotal role in the events of 1916, and set Ireland on the road to independence."

Meanwhile the final word went to the woman behind the team that were responsible for running the Kerry 2016 event.

Co-ordinator of Kerry 2016, Kate Kennelly said the events at Banna are integral to the story of the Easter Rising:

"The iconic arrival of Casement at Banna in the early hours of Good Friday and his subsequent arrest are pivotal events. It is appropriate that we acknowledge what happened in Kerry in those fateful days. Kerry's story is central to the Rising story and we are honoured to have the president with us today for this commemoration."



Top Photographers **Domnick Walsh** captured the atmosphere of the Banna Commemoration and **Valerie O'Sullivan** was up early to record the ceremony at Ballykissane

FIRST FATALITIES OF THE EASTER RISING REMEMBERED IN BALLYKISSANE



Irish Volunteers Con Keating, Daniel Sheehan and Cathal Monahan the first three fatalities of the Easter Rising were remembered early on Thursday morning at a ceremony on the very spot where they drowned when their car went off to Ballykissane pier near Killorglin, on Good Friday 1916.

The three were on their way to Cahirciveen to seize the wireless Atlantic college at Cahirciveen with a view to transmitting false signals which would mislead the Royal British Navy into believing that a German attack on Scottish naval bases.

Michael Collins gave the task to

Cahirciveen men Daniel Daly and Con Keating. It was hoped that such a move would allow the Aud, the German ship carrying arms for the Irish Volunteers, to proceed unnoticed through Irish waters.

In all seven men set off from Killarney train station to Cahirciveen in two cars and with the weather deteriorating both cars were separated.

Driver of the second car, which contained Keating, Sheehan and Monahan, Tommy McInerney, took a wrong turn in Killorglin and proceeded to the pier.

The Briscoe car had only a single headlamp, McInerney mistook

the reflection of the pier in the moonlight for a bridge and realised too late that they were going straight into the water. McInerney survived the tragedy but the other three were drowned. It was thought that they were asleep at the time and had no chance of surviving but Kay Keating niece of Con Keating, explained that upon waking and moving to the front of the car, tipped the car into the cold waters of the Laune.

Cllr Pat McCarthy, the chairman of Kerry County Council on behalf of the people of Kerry, laid a wreath. He recalled that the tragedy of Ballykissane pier had wider

significance because it influenced the decision by Eoin MacNeill to issue a countermanding order stopping the Rising going ahead.

Addressing the 200 or so people who gathered in the early morning light to remember the event, Con Keating's niece Kay Keating spoke of the event and for many it was the first telling of a story, which shed light on the events around Ballykissane pier.

She said the three men were remembered with "love and gratitude" by those who knew them.



AT A SPECIAL STATE CEREMONIAL EVENT AT BALLYKISSANE PIER, KILLORGLIN, ON THURSDAY MORNING, TO COMMEMORATE THE FIRST CASUALTIES OF THE EASTER RISING 1916 - HONOURING THE THREE MEN WHO DIED, CON KEATING, DONAL SHEEHAN, AND CHARLES MONAHAN, MEMBERS OF KEATING FAMILY (CON KEATING WORKED AT THE CABLE STATION, CAHIRCIVEEN) FROM LEFT, NORA WALLACE, DONAL KEATING, SEAN KEATING, NOREEN TWOMEY AND KAY KEATING. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



KAY KEATING A NIECE OF CON KEATING (WHO WORKED AT THE CABLE STATION IN CAHIRCIVEEN) DELIVERS THE MAIN CEREMONIAL ADDRESS AT A SPECIAL STATE CEREMONIAL EVENT AT BALLYKISSANE PIER, KILLORGLIN ON THURSDAY MORNING, TO COMMEMORATE THE FIRST CASUALTIES OF THE EASTER RISING 1916 - HONOURING THE THREE MEN WHO DIED, CON KEATING, DONAL SHEEHAN, AND CHARLES MONAHAN. PHOTO: VALERIE O'SULLIVAN



Kerry ETB Training Centre



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

New Course - Hospitality Operations (TRS7116) - Killarney.

The course is the ideal starting point for anyone thinking about a career in the hospitality sector. Participants will receive a thorough grounding in the areas of accommodation techniques, food preparation, reception and front office duties, and restaurant skills. It's for people who wish to progress directly to employment and for those contemplating on taking a higher level hospitality course. **Start Date:** 17th October 2016. **Duration:** 30 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Major Award in Hospitality Operation.

Manual & Computerised Payroll and Bookkeeping (ET0Z5) - Tralee & Killarney.

This course is for people who wish to develop a range of manual and computerised payroll and bookkeeping skills. **Start Dates:** 9th May 2016 in Killarney & 4th July 2016 in Tralee. **Duration:** 10 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Component Certificates in Manual and Computerised Bookkeeping and Payroll.

Legal Administration (ETS07) - Tralee.

This course is specifically designed for those wishing to pursue careers as legal administrators. It covers all the main administration tasks carried out in legal offices and is tailored to meet the needs of the industry. **Start Date:** 30th May 2016. **Duration:** 40 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Major Award in Office Administration.

Wind Turbine Maintenance Technician (TR36R) - Tralee.

This course is designed to provide participants with the technical knowledge and skills to service and maintain large scale commercial wind turbines. Applicants must hold a National Craft Certificate or equivalent qualification in the electrical or mechanical trade and ideally have a number of years post apprenticeship experience. **Start Date:** 30th May 2016. **Duration:** 36 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Electrical Power Engineering Wind Turbine Operations & Maintenance (2339-18/53) and a number of related H&S certs.

Intermediate Welding (ET030) - Tralee.

This course is designed to provide industry with personnel who are highly skilled and certified in carbon steel, stainless steel and aluminium welding. Applicants must have a proven track record in basic welding skills. **Start Dates:** 13th June and 3rd October 2016. **Duration:** 19 weeks. **Certification:** EN 287 Certs in Manual Metal Arc (MMA), Metal Inert Gas (MIG) and Tungsten Inert Gas (TIG). QQI Special Purpose Level 5 Award in Abrasive Wheels.

IT Support (ETS78) - Tralee.

This course is for people who wish to pursue careers in IT support services. It offers a comprehensive grounding in core hardware, operating systems, networks and cloud computing. Graduates will seek employment installing, configuring, maintaining and upgrading IT equipment. **Start Date:** 13th June 2016. **Duration:** 48 weeks. **Certification:** CompTIA A+, CompTIA Network+ and CompTIA Cloud Essentials.

CAD - 3D Parametric Modelling Course (ET4R1) - Tralee.

This course is for CAD technicians who wish to develop contemporary 3D parametric modelling skills. **Start Date:** 4th July 2016. **Duration:** 21 weeks. **Certification:** City & Guilds Levels 1 & 2 Awards in Computer Aided Design Parametric Modelling.

Outdoor Activity Instructor Traineeship (ETS64) - Killorglin.

The Outdoor Activity Instructor Traineeship is designed to provide the outdoor adventure tourism and education sector with personnel who have the knowledge, skills and competencies to work in the adventure sports industry. **Duration:** 44 weeks. **Start Date:** 25th July 2016. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Certificate in Outdoor Activity Instruction.

Medical Administration Traineeship (TRS08) - Tralee.

This course is specifically designed for those wishing to pursue careers as medical secretaries, administrators and receptionists. It covers all the main administration tasks carried out in medical practices, hospitals, clinics and medical companies. **Start Date:** 12th September 2016. **Duration:** 40 weeks. **Certification:** QQI Level 5 Major Award in Office Administration.

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How do I apply for the grant?

ANSWER

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You do not qualify if you are working more than 15 hours a week outside the home, if you are taking part in an education or training course for more than 15 hours a week, if you are getting a jobseeker's payment or if you are signing on for jobseeker credits. You also do not qualify if you are living in a hospital, convalescent home or similar institution. If you are caring for more than one person, a grant is paid for each of them.

In June of each year (usually on the first Thursday of the month), the Department of Social Protection pays the grant automatically to carers getting Carer's Allowance, Carer's Benefit, Domiciliary Care Allowance or Prescribed Relative's Allowance. If you are not getting one of these payments and you did not get the grant last year, you should fill in an application form. You can apply for this year's grant from 7 April 2016 (8 weeks before the grant is payable).

If you got the grant last year you do not need to reapply. You will get a letter at the end of April from the Carer's Support Grant section in the Department of Social Protection with a short questionnaire. You must answer the questions on the back and return the letter to the Carer's Support Grant section. A freepost envelope will be included with your letter. After you return the letter, the Department will use this and the information on file to reassess you for the Carer's Support Grant.

You can apply for a Carer's Support Grant for any given year until 31 December of the following year. So, for example, you can apply for a grant for 2015 up until 31 December 2016.

Further information is available from the Citizens Information Centre below.

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Monday 2nd May: Rathmore - Bridge Bar - 9.45pm.
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Gneeveguilla - McAulliffe's - 10.30pm.

Thursday 5th May: Glenflesk - Kerry Way - 9pm. Barraduff - Murphys Bar - 9.30pm. Barraduff - Sweeney's Bar - 10pm.

Monday 9th May: Farranfore - Ulicks - 8.15pm. Currans - James Daly's Bar - 8.45pm. Currow - Cunniffes - 9.15pm. Firies - Johnny D's Bar - 9.45pm. Firies - Sheehans Bar - 10.00pm. Firies - John Henderson's - 10.15pm.

Thursday 12th May: Lissivigeen - Darby O'Gills - 9.00pm. Aghadoe - Old Killarney Inn - 9.30pm. Faha - Faha Court Hotel - 10.15pm.

Last Friday of every month Scartaglin 8.15pm. River Island Hotel Castleisland 9.30pm. Kearneys Bar Castleisland - 10.00pm.

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Madeline is now almost 13 years old and would be much taller and, because girls begin to physically mature before boys, she would appear to have put on a little weight and her shoulders would appear broader. Madeline has blue-green eyes; the right eye has a distinctive spot on the iris and she also had a small brown mark on the calf of the left leg at the time of her abduction.

Were you on holidays in that area on May 3rd 2007? if so do you have any photos or Video footage you could look back on, there just might be something in the background that looks suspicious.

If you have any information please Email: investigation@findmadeleine.com or phone the Investigation Line: +44 845 838 4699 no matter how insignificant you think it is, it could be the vital clue to bringing Madeline home. If you prefer you can phone Operation Grange on +44 207 321 9251 or e-mail OperationGrange@met.police.uk

We mightn't be able to end Kate and Gerry McCann's continuous nightmare but we can all make ourselves aware of missing children by doing the following:

AMBER Alert Europe is the European Child Rescue Alert that shares information on endangered missing children in Europe on its website. You can follow it on Facebook or Twitter and automatically be informed on AMBER Alerts in Europe. You can also help by displaying AMBER Alerts on your advertising screens, highway signs, bill boards or websites. Ireland is a member of AMBER Alert Europe and the Garda Síochána as members of the Global Missing Children's Network, aim to bring families together. Please help them in their mission to protect the world's most vulnerable citizens by keeping yourself informed. View current list of missing children in Ireland: ie.missingkids.com and a full list of vulnerable people missing in Ireland is available on the Garda website www.garda.ie

THE IRISH WILDLIFE TRUST IS ASKING PUBLIC FOR HELP TO CHART WILDFIRES:

A National conservation charity the Irish Wildlife Trust (IWT) is setting up a database of countryside blazes because no official figures exist.

Padraic Fogarty, campaign officer with the organisation, is urging people to get in contact if they spot a fire. "Last year seemed like a particularly bad year for wildfires with many of our upland areas and national parks badly damaged, however we don't have the figures to say how bad it really was. he said The IWT says illegal wildfires around the country are driving some wildlife species to extinction.

They are particularly concerned at outbreaks during the bird nesting season, which they say destroy local wildlife habitats as well as causing air and water pollution.

"Collecting data on where and when fires are occurring will help us to monitor the impact of fires into the future" said Mr Fogarty.

The IWT is urging people who spot wildfires to send in details of where and when they are happening by email to irishwildlife@iwt.ie along with any photos or videos.

The records will be used to monitor the extent and duration of fires and allow the conservationists to analyse their impact.

IN DEFENCE OF CATS:

People always talk about how dogs are man's best friends and cats just don't care. But as any cat owner will tell you - that is not the whole truth. Cats just show affection in a less obvious way. For them it is trust that is most important, and when you earn that trust, they will show you lots of warmth and cuddling, and may start following you around the house.

ON THIS DATE – APRIL 29TH:

1429 - French Soldier and National Heroine Joan of Arc arrived at the siege of Orleans.

1553 - Flemish woman introduced into England the practice of starching linen.

1628 - Guillaume Couillard-Lespinay became the first person in Canada to use an ox-drawn plough.

1784 - Premiere of Mozart's Sonata in B flat, K454 in Vienna.

1813 - First US Rubber patent granted to Jacob F Hummel.

1856 - During the Tule River War Yokut Native Americans repelled a second attack by the 'Petticoat Rangers,' a band of civilian Indian fighters-some wearing body armour-at Four Creeks, California. The Yokuts lived along the shores of Tulare Lake in the Central Valley, which had disappeared by 1900 due to water diversion and farming.

1863 - Birth of William Randolph Hearst (d.1951), American newspaper publisher.

1864 - With substantial artillery and 1700 men, the British assaulted the Ngāi Te Rangī stronghold of Pukehinahina (Gate Pā) New Zealand, which was defended by just 230 Maori warriors.

1903 - A 74 million tonne slab of limestone slid off the east slope of Turtle Mountain and swept 1.6 km through the Crownsnest Pass valley and the coal mining village of Frank in Alberta Canada, burying the mine entrance and killing at least 70 miners in 100 seconds The slab was 400 metres high, 1200 metres wide and 150 metres thick.

1913 - Gideon Sundback of Hoboken, New Jersey patented an all-purpose zip fastener.

TOMORROW IS HONESTY DAY:

Honesty Day encourages us to be honest today, and everyday.

Honesty is a great virtue. If we want people to believe us when its important, then we need to be open and honest all of the time. We all

know about the boy who cried wolf. When a wolf actually appeared, no one believed him. Celebrate Honesty Day in a completely open and honest way. Be brave and share opinions, thoughts and perspectives that might otherwise go unsaid in order to be polite – but take care not to upset or offend others.

Origin of Honesty Day:

M. Hirsh Goldberg, former press secretary to a governor of Maryland and author of five books, created Honesty Day in the early 1990s after spending four years researching and writing The Book of Lies (Morrow). This book has been translated into Japanese, Korean and Chinese.

Mr. Goldberg created this day, because he felt that the month of April, which begins with a big day of lying (April Fools Day), should end on a higher moral note.

*Did You Know...that the phrase honesty is the best policy was coined by Benjamin Franklin?

GOOD NEWS:

Máxima Acuña de Chaupe, a Peruvian subsistence farmer who has been battling Newmont Mining for control of her land has been beaten, harassed and sued.

But recently, Máxima garnered two important victories.

On April 18th she was awarded the prestigious Goldman Environmental Prize — it's like the Green Nobel — for her courage in standing up to the multinational mining company Newmont and its proposed Conga mine.

Secondly, Newmont Mining also recently notified their shareholders that they are not moving forward with the Conga project, citing expired permits and the "political and social environment."

Thousands of people from all over the world signed petitions supporting Máxima and her community's fight to protect their land, water and livelihoods. By taking action, they helped spread her message far beyond Cajamarca - into corporate boardrooms and news headlines.

Unfortunately for Máxima the fight is not over, Newmont has shown no signs of ending its lawsuits against her and she continues to face physical harassment from company security forces that are posted on her land around the clock.

KIND PEOPLE ON THE ISLAND OF LESBOS NOT ONLY CARE FOR REFUGEES BUT FOR THEIR ANIMALS AS WELL:

In Iraq in November 2015, a cat named Kunkush and his human family — a mother and her five children — left their home for a safer life in Europe. Kunkush travelled with his family through Turkey before boarding a tiny rubber boat that would take them to Greece.

After landing on the Greek Isle of Lesbos, the understandably frightened cat bolted from his basket as soon as they hit land. His family spent hours searching for him, but they were eventually forced to continue on without him. Three days later, Kunkush was spotted near a local café, dirty, matted and getting bullied

by street cats. Locals remembered the refugee family that had recently lost their cat and called refugee volunteers. In the meantime, volunteers took Kunkush home, cleaned him up, nicknamed him Dias and started a Facebook page called Reunite Dias with the hopes of tracking down the cat's family.

Four months later, Kunkush's humans were found in Norway. A video chat was set up to confirm the cat's identity, and his host family was amazed to see the cat respond to his name and search all around the computer for the source of his family's voices.

Funds were quickly raised — thanks to a GoFundMe page — to purchase a plane ticket, and before long, Kunkush and his family were joyfully united in Norway.

BLIND COW SPENT 8 YEARS BY THE SIDE OF HER SEEING EYE PIG:

This is the story of Baby, a blind cow who managed to get away from a slaughterhouse, and her friend and seeing-eye pig, Lulu.

Lulu was only a bonamh when her owner noticed that she was injured, he gave up on her but Don't Forget Us Pets Us (DFUPU), an organisation in Dartmouth, Massachusetts took her in, there she met Baby, eight years ago and they became friends almost right away.

For those eight years, Lulu guided Baby around the DFUPU grounds. They were never seen without each other... but Lulu passed away not long ago.

Baby was distraught. Whenever she wasn't eating, she spent her time bellowing and walking around in circles searching for her friend.

After Lulu's death she couldn't move very far without running into something, but a miracle soon arrived in the form of a young calf who had escaped a slaughterhouse multiple times. She'd gained fame in the area, and was bought from the slaughterhouse and delivered to DFUPU.

She was put into a private pen on her arrival,

but she quickly jumped a seven foot fence to get to Baby.

Now the calf has taken Lulu's place, and Baby has found happiness once again!

A MAN, A HORSE AND A COLLECTION OF BOOKS CREATE A MOBILE LIBRARY:

Efforts have been made to reduce the adult illiteracy rate in Indonesia in recent years, despite this fact however, there are still a considerable number of adults who cannot read.

Central Java, is one province with a very high illiteracy rate, with almost a million illiterate adults and in the village of Serang, where 65% per cent of its 1,500 households are farmers, 42-year-old Ridwan Sururi a horse caretaker decided to build a wooden box for the back of a pony named 'Luna' that he cares for and load it with books donated by friends, now himself and his small daughter visit local schools and different villages three days a week to distribute them.

He runs his lending library much as any other though he doesn't to issue fines. He has a logbook where he notes who's borrowed what.

The interest in reading is high but a lot of villagers cannot afford to buy books. With this mobile library, the villagers and children can borrow books without paying a single cent. While children love comics and story books, adults prefer to read inspirational and how-to-books and for those that can't read he has simple picture books in the hope that it will encourage them to learn.

The children are even more enthusiastic in waiting for the library because of Luna, who was originally a wild horse but has been tamed. Luna is one of the three horses which Mr. Sururi is responsible for.

While Serang isn't particularly poor, its small size and distance from larger settlements mean children don't have much access to children's fiction beyond Mr. Sururi and his library.

In general, Indonesian children receive about

nine years of schooling. Due to poor harvests and the country's exploding higher education sector many children from this village may now go on to study or work elsewhere, so developing their reading skills could be key to their future.

6 USES FOR EGGSHELLS:

1. Clean and dry the shells, then grind them with a mortar and pestle into a powder. Mix the powder with an egg white, and then apply the paste to your face and wait for it to dry. Wash it off, and you'll be able to feel the difference.

2. Use crushed eggshells and soapy water to clean the insides of containers, as well as pots and pans. Simply put the solution into the container and shake it well.

3. Keep some crushed eggshells in your sink's strainer — they'll add another level of straining, and as they break down, they keep the drain and pipes clean.

4. Fill shell halves with soil and add your choice of seeds, place in an egg carton and let it grow. Once the seedlings are ready, transplant them with the shell into your garden to give them fertile ground to start from.

5. Sprinkle crushed eggshells in your garden to deter slugs and snails from eating your plants. If you have deer in the area, you'll be happy to know that they hate the smell of eggs too.

6. Eggshells break down rapidly in compost piles, adding some much-needed calcium to the mix.

13 YEAR OLD DOG SAVES HER 90 YEAR OLD OWNER FROM A FIRE:

Dolly was abused as a puppy, before being rescued by her current owner. They spent 12 years together before the night of the incident. The owner was in the house and unaware that a fire had started in another room. Dolly whined and paced back and forth to her owner and the room, until he slowly followed her with the help of his walker to see what was going on.

The man found the fire but when he did it had reached the ceiling and was spreading very quickly. They both were able to escape but were soot covered. Authorities stated that it is very likely they would not have gotten out if he didn't discover the fire and leave when he did.

Dolly's owner refused medical treatment until Dolly had somewhere safe to stay that night and received medical treatment. Dolly and her owner are now safe and back together in their new home.

FINALLY THIS WEEK:

I would like to welcome all visitors to the Kingdom and to wish all readers, advertisers, correspondents and everyone at the Killarney Outlook Office a pleasant Public Holiday weekend. If you are visiting the countryside please leave it as you find it by closing gates etc, dispose of your litter properly for the sake of all wildlife and do not leave anything that could start a fire — now or later!





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NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION 1

THE KINGDOM GET ANOTHER DOSE OF THE BLUES

KERRY O'SHEA REPORTS FROM SUNDAY'S ALLIANZ FL DIVISION 1 DECIDER BETWEEN OLD PROTAGONISTS KERRY AND DUBLIN

KERRY 0-13
DUBLIN 2-18

On an afternoon of colour and pageantry historic symbolism of the 100th anniversary of the Easter Rising, Dublin easily retained their Allianz League Division One title in front of a sell-out crowd at Croke Park last Sunday with a power-packed display of scintillating attacking football.

In the final ten minutes of the encounter, the Metropolitans outscored their rivals by 2-3 to no score and in the end, the final scoreline somewhat flattered them as Kerry were reduced to 14 men following a questionable red card offence.

This win, which sees the Dubs equal Kerry's record of four League titles in a row, now extends Jim Gavin's side's unbeaten run in league and championship competition to 22 games. Kerry last beat them, incidentally in a league encounter at Fitzgerald Stadium in March 2015.

This was the third Kerry -Dublin clash since last September's All-Ireland final and on all three occasions, the Dubs won convincingly. They defeated the Kingdom by four points in September, extending that margin to six in January and widened it further to 11 points last Sunday.

Dublin were sharper, yards faster and stronger than their opponents were. They are a professional, clinical outfit and on this form are simply unstoppable.

Kevin McManaman (Kerry's nemesis in the past in recent years), Cormac Costello and Eric Lowndes the three Dublin substitutes who scored 1-3 between them were among the eleven Dublin players who made the scoresheet.

There were very few positives from this performance from a Kerry point of view. There was no proper kick-out strategy as Brendan Kealy's kickouts were mopped up time and again by Denis Bastick and Brian Fenton and Dublin's first goal, scored by Paul Flynn in the 66th minute, came directly as a result of a short kickout which went horribly wrong.

In contrast, Dublin's Stephen Cluxton played the wings to perfection and quick kick outs directly led to a majority of their scores.

Bernard Brogan who scored four wonderful points, three of them in the first-half, got the better of Marc O'Se, who at times was overworked, while Colm Cooper, apart from one glorious point in the first-half had an afternoon to forget.

Kieran Donaghy drifted between midfield



A DEJECTED LOOKING COLM COOPER AND KIERAN DONAGHY AFTER SUNDAY'S DEFEAT TO DUBLIN.

and full-forward for most of the game. He was blatantly fouled on several occasions and got just one free in return from Laois referee Eddie Kinsella.

Kerry manager Eamonn Fitzmaurice alluded to this in his post-match press conference, stating that Donaghy seldom gets the protection he deserves in big games from match officials.

Fitzmaurice added "Kieran finds it very hard to get frees. This was part of the reason that we decided to play him out the field during the league because it can be very frustrating for him inside, it frustrates us looking at it and before the ball comes in he goes through a lot of negative treatment.

"Before half-time, Kieran caught a ball inside and a very soft free out was awarded against him. There is basically rape and pillage going on inside in front of the goals at either side in the second half and we didn't get anything. It's frustrating but it is what it is. We knew it coming up, we know playing the games that that's the way it's going to be and we just have to keep going."

Donaghy, despite being booed by the Dublin supporters every time he touched the ball, still managed to get his name on the scoresheet and was very unlucky when his attempt at an equalising point dropped short. Donaghy was also fouled inside the small square late in the game and deserved a penalty.

When Donaghy was re located to full-forward Jim Gavin countered immediately by placing Cian O'Sullivan on him and the move worked a treat as the threat of the high ball into the big Austin Stacks man never worked on this occasion.

Stephen O'Brien, Paul Murphy and Peter Crowley were easily Kerry's best performers and amazingly all three of them were replaced by Eamon Fitzmaurice in the second half.

Of the Kerry substitutes that were introduced, once again, Brendan O'Sullivan made a notable

contribution.

The big Valentia man is strong, mobile and very athletic, has plenty of pace and can score as well and many Kerry supporters felt that his introduction a lot earlier could have turned the game in Kerry's favour.

The first half was close and competitive but one always felt that the Dubs had the capacity to up the tempo of the game whenever they wanted to.

The Blues led by two at the interval, 0-10 to 0-8. Their first-half scorers were Dean Rock (0-2), man of the match Ciaran Kilkenny (0-2), Bernard Brogan (3) and one each from

Jonny Cooper, Brian Fenton and Paul Mannion, while Stephen O'Brien (2), Peter Crowley, Colm Cooper, Darran O'Sullivan, Brian Sheehan (2) and Donnchadh Walsh were on target for the Kingdom.

Diarmuid Connolly and Dean Rock (free) added points for Dublin before Kerry scored three in a row, from Peter Crowley, Kieran Donaghy and Darran O'Sullivan to reduce the gap to one by the 48th minute.

However, all changed, changed utterly when Aidan O'Mahony received his marching orders. Dean Rock and Paul Murphy exchanged points before Kevin McManaman pointed the Dubs two in front in the 58th minute.

The Dubs won a penalty in the 59th minute when Paul Mannion was fouled but Dean Rock blazed his kick too high and over the bar.

Sheehan from a free added Kerry's final score as the Dubs really went into top gear. Bernard Brogan and Cormac Costello added points to stretch their advantage to four. The late goals from Flynn and Eric Lowndes in between another McManaman point set the seal on another miserable afternoon for the Kingdom at the hands of their old rivals.

Teams and Scorers

KERRY: Brendan Kealy; Marc O'Se, Mark Griffin, Shane Enright; Peter Crowley (0-2), Aidan O'Mahony, Fionn Fitzgerald; David Moran, Kieran Donaghy (0-1); Bryan Sheehan, Paul Murphy (0-1), Donnchadh Walsh (0-1); Darran O'Sullivan (0-2), Colm Cooper (0-1), Stephen O'Brien (0-2).

DUBLIN: Stephen Cluxton; Philly McMahon, Jonny Cooper (0-1), David Byrne; James McCarthy, Cian O'Sullivan, John Small; Brian Fenton, Denis Bastick (0-1); Paul Flynn (1-0), Dean Rock (0-5, 0-4 frees), Ciaran Kilkenny (0-2); Paul Mannion (0-1), Diarmuid Connolly (0-1), Bernard Brogan (0-4).



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LIDL LADIES NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SEMI-FINAL MAYO LEAVE IT LATE TO DENY KERRY LADIES

KERRY 2-12
MAYO 1-16

Cora Staunton kicked a glorious late winning point in the seventh minute of additional time to steer Mayo into a first Lidl Ladies' National Football League Division 1 final since 2013. The Westerners were seven points down at the break but Staunton's late, late effort - her 11th point of the afternoon - put Mayo ahead for the very first time in the game and they held on in the closing seconds to set up a final clash with holders Cork in a fortnight. Mayo won their eighth successive game of the 2016 League season and now have the chance to avenge their final defeat to Cork three years ago, as they aim to clinch top flight silverware for the first time in nine years. At St Brendan's Park in Birr, the game looked up for Mayo as they lost Rachel Kearns to a red card late on, for a second bookable offence, but Frank Browne's charges showed real character to pip the Kingdom at the death. The breeze advantage in the second half was certainly a help to Mayo as they set about eating into a 1-4 to 2-8 half-time deficit. Staunton will grab the headlines for another match-winning haul, which included nine frees, but Kerry's Sarah Houlihan was the player of the match with an individual tally of nine points, five from play. Houlihan was desperately unlucky to find herself on the losing team but after taking a pass from Sarah Rowe, Staunton booted the winner from distance to preserve Mayo's 100 per cent record this year. There was a remarkable opening to the game as Laura Rogers netted for Kerry with just over a minute on the watch but that goal was cancelled out almost immediately by the opposite number 15, Mayo's Niamh Kelly. It was tit-for-tat fare in the opening exchanges and the sides were level again at 1-3 apiece before Kerry opened up a decent lead. With Rogers and Houlihan on song, Kerry managed to assert some dominance and their second goal arrived in first half stoppage time, Anna Galvin cutting in from the left touchline before unleashing a powerful drive past Yvonne



AMANDA BROSNAN IS CHALLENGED BY FIONA MCHALE IN THE LIDL LADIES' FOOTBALL NATIONAL LEAGUE, DIVISION ONE, SEMI-FINAL.

Byrne.

That goal came at a time when Mayo were under the cosh and playing with 14 players, after Clodagh McManamon was sin-binned. In that opening half, it was Kerry's inside line that inflicted the damage on Mayo as Houlihan (0-5), Galvin (1-0) and Rogers (1-2) accounted for all but one point of their tally. Houlihan added four further points in the second half but Kerry had goalkeeper Edel Murphy to thank for some fine second half saves as Mayo came storming back. Kerry, who lost Kate O'Sullivan to the sin-bin, were finally pegged back when Rowe equalised and there was still time

for Staunton to loft over that incredible late point.

There was some positive news for Kerry as ace forward Louise Ni Mhuirheartaigh returned to action following some time out with a neck injury.

Scorers - Mayo: C Staunton 0-11 (9f), N Kelly 1-0, S Rowe and S Mulvihill 0-2 each, F McHale 0-1.

Kerry: S Houlihan 0-9 (4f), L Rogers 1-2, A Galvin 1-0, A Brosnan 0-1.

Mayo: Y Byrne; O Conlon, S Tierney, D Hughes; R Kearns, M Carter, L Ryder; C McManamon, A Gilroy; C Hegarty, F McHale, S Mulvihill; S Rowe, C Staunton, N Kelly.

Subs: N O'Malley for Ryder (21), G Kelly for Conlon (27), C Egan for Gilroy (47), D Caldwell for Hegarty (60+2).

Kerry: E Murphy; A O'Connell, C Kelly, K O'Sullivan; A Leonard, D Hallissey, C Murphy; E Lynch, L Scanlon; C Buckley, A Brosnan, B Breen; S Houlihan, A Galvin, L Rogers.

Subs: L Ni Mhuirheartaigh for Buckley (48), M O'Connell for Brosnan (52), P Dennehy for Galvin (58).

Referee: C McManus (Meath).



KERRY'S LAURA ROGERS GETS HER PASS AWAY AS MAYO'S DEIRDRE CALDWELL CLOSES IN TO CHALLENGE.

CASTLEISLAND MART CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Draws for the Castleisland Mart Premier Junior and Junior Championship Quarter Finals were made last weekend by the Vice Chairman and Secretary of the CCC, Eamonn Whelan and Christy Killeen respectively together with Jimmy Roche

representing competition sponsors Castleisland Mart. The Draws resulted in the following pairings:
Castleisland Mart Premier Junior Quarter Final Draw
Furies V Listowel Emmets or Beaufort

Na Gaeil V Annascaul or Renard
Keel V Ballydonoghue
Dromid Pearses V St Pats or Glenbeigh-Glencar
Castleisland Mart Junior Championship Quarter Final Draw
Scartaglen V Knocknagoshel or

Tuosist
Castlegregory or Cordal V Fossa
Asdee V Cromane or Beale
Listry V Valentia or Tarbert
Where possible, games will be played this coming weekend.



DR CROKES CLUB NOTES

JUVENILE FOOTBALL:

UNDER 12 FOOTBALLERS: The Under 12 teams hosted Kilcummin in two cracking end-to-end games last Thursday evening. The Black team were very unlucky to lose by two points, 4-12 to 5-11. The Amber team continued their winning ways with a 5-19 to 5-09 victory. The next fixture is on Sunday 1st May at 6pm – Both teams (Away) v Austin Stacks.

UNDER 14: In a tight game played in Lewis Road, the Black team lost out to Legion by a goal, 2-06 to 0-15. The Amber team recorded an impressive 4-11 to 2-03 win over Ballymac at home.

UNDER 16: There was no joy for the Amber team in the East Kerry League as it was Kenmare Shamrocks who took the two points from the clash in Lewis Road. The final score was 8-08 to 3-07.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: We wish our Club Patron Donie Sheehan a Happy 90th Birthday.

CONGRATULATIONS: Congratulations to Tommy Fleming and Eileen O'Sullivan who are great Dr Crokes supporters who recently got married. All the best for the future.

MILLTOWN CASTLEMAINE GAA NOTES

CÓMHBHRÓN: It was with great sadness that the Milltown/Castlemaire GAA club heard of the death of former chairman Frank Twiss, from Callinafercy. Frank was a club stalwart in administration and fund raising for nigh on four decades. We extend our sympathy Frank's wife -Eileen, to his sons Ian and Derek, daughters-in-law Evelyn and Gillian, grandchildren and to his extended family.

May Frank enjoy everlasting happiness and peace.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: We wish all the young boys and girls from our community every blessing on Saturday next - when they will receive their First Holy Communion.

MEMBERSHIP: PLEASE NOTE: ALL PLAYERS AND MENTORS MUST BE MEMBERS OF THE CLUB. Membership form/money can be given to your trainer or any member of the executive.

CASTLEISLAND MART SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP - RELEGATION

PLAYOFFS RD 1: Kerins O'Rahillys v Milltown Castlemaire - in Farranfore on Sunday May 1st at 2.30. p.m. We need you to come along and support our senior team - helping them to reach the second round of the Senior Club Championship.

UNDER 6'S AND UNDER 8'S: Training continues every Thursday from 6.15pm to 7.15pm sharp. Boys and Girl - Don't forget your gum shields please! Tea and coffee facilities are available up - stairs for any parents who stay around for the duration of the training session. So you can head up there and enjoy a nice cuppa (and a biscuit) and watch your child's

training session in comfort!

TRAINING GEAR: Following many requests, the club is presently sourcing training gear for our underage players - under 6/8. Samples of the tops and shorts will be available in the upstairs room in the clubhouse, on one of the nights of training. You can use this opportunity to get your child fitted for their gear and to complete an order form. Please note it is not compulsory to purchase these. The training/playing gear of tops, shorts and socks will be available for purchase for €30 - approximately. We will let you know the date for fitting/ordering in advance. Payment must be made at the time of ordering. So now is the time to start saving.

UNDER 10 GIRLS: Training on Thursdays also - 6.15pm to 7.15pm sharp. Don't forget your gum shield.

UNDER 10 BOYS: Training continues on Fridays at 6-7pm, in the Milltown Castlemaire Gaa Pitch.

M/C U16: Following our victory over Annascaul / Lispole last Monday, on a score line of 1/7 to 12 points, we are now in the semi-final -which is fixed for Monday May 2nd. Opposition to be confirmed after back games have been played this week. Well done to all the panel and management on reaching the semi-finals. Best of luck to you all.

CÚL CAMPS: Cúl Camps will take place in our club from July 11th to July 15th. This is always a wonderful week of fun and activities for all who attend. To book your place, please complete the Cúl Camps application form and return it to your child's coach.

EMAIL ADDRESSES: We are in the process of updating our contact details, which includes email addresses of all the new children and adults who joined our club this year. We hope to be able to email our notes to all of you all in the coming weeks. If you have new contact details, or if you are not receiving the notes and would like to - you can private message me (Deirdre O'Sullivan) on my Facebook Page with the new details or email me at navillusodeirdre@yahoo.ie

MILLTOWN/CASTLEMAINE GAA: LÁ NA gCLUB. As part of Lá Na gClub 2016 celebrations, the club is organising a get together to celebrate the achievements of the 1988 to 1996 teams. In that eight year period they had phenomenal success, winning Division 3 & 2 of the county league, thus gaining promotion to Division 1 for the first time ever; they also won the County Junior Championship and contested four County Intermediate finals in six years-winning two and narrowly losing the other two. That successful period in the club's history certainly laid the foundations for where the club is today. To recognise that success the club has organised:

What: A Reunion Buffet, with Live Music/Late Bar.

When: Saturday 7th May.

Where: Faha Court Hotel at 8pm.

If you have any memorabilia - photographs, match reports, programmes etc., from any year, we would be very grateful if you forwarded them to us. We hope to put a slide show together for this momentous occasion. Please contact Mike Carroll on 087/2256548 or mikecarroll@eircom.ie. All memorabilia will be returned to you on the night.

LOTTO: Our re scheduled Lotto jackpot draw for €7,000, is on this Friday night, April 29 th- in The Plough Bar. Just €2 a ticket or 3 for €5 can win you the lotto jackpot or a share in it. One can also avail of a yearly ticket for just €50 or 3 yearly tickets for €100.

BEAUFORT GAA NOTES

FIXTURES: U16 Boys sponsored by Killarney Credit Union are away to Gneeveguilla, Monday, 2nd May at 7pm in Final Round of East Region League.

U12 Boys sponsored by Maurice Foley of MF Decorating are at home to Firies, Sunday, 1st May at 7pm in Final Round of Preliminary County League.

Under 12 Girls are away to Legion on Tuesday, 3rd May at 7pm in County League.

SENIOR MEN: Sponsored by Maurice Foley of MF Decorating will play Listowel Emmets in the Junior Premier Championship Replay in Beaufort on date and time to be confirmed.

JUNIOR MEN: Co League due to begin first week in May.

LOTTO DRAW: Next draw for lotto jackpot of €4,000 will be held in Inn Between on Sunday, 1st May. Tickets available from usual sellers and online at www.beaufortgaclub.com

BEAUFORT SENIORS: Sponsored by Maurice Foley of MF Decorating and Listowel Emmets will have to do it all again in Round 1 of the Premier Junior Championship as they drew 1:18 all after extra time in Frank Sheehy Park, Listowel.

BEAUFORT LADIES: Sponsored by Tom Crowley of The Inn Between continued their good run in the Division 1 County League with another fine win, this time against Castleisland Desmonds. A good blend of experience and youth saw Beaufort dominate this game. Desmonds settled quicker and had Beaufort under pressure but once Beaufort settled with goals by Fiadhna Tangney and Hannah O'Donoghue the result was never in doubt. Final score Beaufort 5-14 Desmonds 0-8.

TEAM: Anna Maria O'Donoghue, Fay O'Donoghue, Mary Ann Doherty, Sinead O'Connell, Tara Breen, Sinead O'Connor, Bernie Breen, Amy Foley, Cliona Coffey, Patrice Dennehy, Hannah O'Donoghue, Fiadhna Tangney, Sarah Houlihan. Subs: Aisling O'Sullivan, Maria O'Shea, Joanne Murphy, Niamh O'Sullivan, Aoife O'Brien, Nicola Coffey, Teresa Coffey, Lisa Dennehy, Orla Dennehy, Jodie Murphy.

BEAUFORT U14S: Sponsored by Sean Coffey of Kate Kearneys Cottage played away last



Wednesday and put in the best performance to date against a very strong GGC team. Final score Beaufort 7 - 10 (31), GGC 6 - 11 (29). **BEAUFORT TEAM:** Oran Smith, Jack O'Connor (3 - 6), Simon Coffey (1 - 0), Niall Carey (1 - 1), Sean O'Brien (0 - 2), Kieran Dennehy, Sean Kissane, Jack O'Brien, Jack O'Leary (1 - 1), Max Doyle, Mark Sheahan, Marc O'Sullivan-Rouse, Rory Dorrian (1 - 0), Kieran Johnson, Sam Roberts, Ethan Coffey, Timmy Casey & Brendie O'Donoghue.

BEAUFORT U-14 GIRLS: Sponsored by Beaufort Drama Group beat Dingle in Dingle on a final score of Beaufort 4-7 Dingle 1-1.

PANEL: Emma O'Sullivan, Juliet Murphy, Caoimhe Foley, Hannah Hallissey, Ciara Casey, Katie Joy, Rebecca McHugh, Maggie Kingston, Leena Kissane, Hannah O'Connor, Tara Clifford, Adele O'Brien, Holly Clifford, Leanne Hayes, Cora Coffey, Roisin Kennedy, Sinead Kissane, Meabh Coleman Horgan, Emily Kissane.

BEAUFORT U12 BOYS: Sponsored by Maurice Foley of MF Decorating played Keel in the Preliminary Round of the County League. The Amber team lost while the Blue team came away with a draw.

BEAUFORT U12 GIRLS: Sponsored by Anthony Foley Decorating travelled to Cromane on Monday evening. Final score Cromane 3-5 Beaufort 2-2. **TEAM:** Orlaidh O'Brien, Sinead Barrett, Kate Murphy, Tara Foley, Meadh Kissane, Lucy Breen, Ciara Cronin, Emily Kissane, Meadhbh C Horgan, Nia Sweeney, Saoirse Dooran, Roisin Farrell, Ella Doyle, Emma Kissane, Aoibheann Coffey. Subs used - Emily Coleman, Orla O'Sullivan, Meave Crowley, Ava O'Malley, Lola Eagar.

BEAUFORT U-16 BOYS: Sponsored by Killarney Credit Union were again defeated in the Eastern Region League when they found visitors, Kilgarvan/Tuosist too hot to handle in Beaufort on last Monday. **TEAM:** Patrick Crehan, John O'Connell, Jack Coffey, Mark Neary, Keith Suter, Kieran O'Sullivan (1-1), Shane O'Sullivan-Rouse, Ian McGillycuddy, Liam Curran, Eoghan O'Hagan, Sean Coffey, William Joy (0-2), Jason Coffey-Hallissey (0-1), Jack Hallissey, Darragh Dennehy (0-3).

Subs used: Timmy Coffey, Jack Sweeney, Oisín O'Connor, Martin Sears & Dara Smith.

Mixed Fortunes for our County teams over the weekend The Kerry Ladies including Bernie Breen, Patrice Dennehy, Sarah Houlihan lost to Mayo in the Lidl sponsored National League Division 1 semi-final by a single point. The Senior Men lost heavily to Dublin in the National League Division 1 Final. Winners over the weekend were Fiadhna Tangney and Tara Breen who were in action with the U16 Kerry team that beat Waterford well in the Munster Championship, also Hannah O'Donoghue who is on the panel.

HEALTHY CLUB: Beaufort will be taking part in Healthy Club 2 from May 2016 to June 2017. Anybody who want to help out with activities,



SPA GAA U16 BOYS.

please contact Club Officers.

MEMBERSHIP AND REGISTRATION:

Beaufort GAA Club Membership for 2016 is now due. Family membership is €50 which includes one adult gym membership. Adult Club only €30. Player over 18 years is €50 which includes gym membership. Gym entry card/Fob is €10. Forms available from Patie Hartnett at 087 2515311.

Members are entitled to free entry to home Co League games, draw for All Ireland tickets if Kerry is in final and use of gym for above price.

SPA CLUB NOTES

COISTE NA NOG: Spa under 12 boys had two games in the space of 4 days last week. Firstly, away to Duagh and then their first home game of the season at home to Currow. Unfortunately for this very young team they came up short on both occasions. Strong performances from, David O'Sullivan, Evan O'Neill, Aaron O'Connor, Chris Healy, Rian and Luke O'Neill, Timmy Moynihan, Jack O'Sullivan, Oran Daly, Donal Hickey, Cathal Kelly, Steven Wickham, Oisín McCarthy, Johnaton O'Donoghue, Eric Moriarty, Con Stack. Missing for the Currow game was the 3 Muckcross lads, Daniel Daly, Cormac Walsh, Cathal Coffey.

LADIES FOOTBALL: U14 GIRLS:

SPA 6-9 CASTLEGREGORY 4-1: Played away and delighted with the win. Scorers: Leading the scoring sheet once again was Sarah Fleming 3-3, Marie Courtney 1-4, Erin Holland 0-2, Elena O'Donoghue 1-0, Laura O'Carroll 1-0. Emma Morrissey played a blinder in goals. The younger girls really got stuck in and were excellent. - Liadh Beazley, Elaine Kelly, Jenny Cronin, Clodagh O'Connor and Sarah O'Sullivan.

UPCOMING FIXTURES:

U12 Boys: Spa v. Fingee on Sunday May 1st at 6pm. Home.

U16 girls Spa v Beale/Ballyduff Sunday May 1st at 4pm in Beale.

Intermediate Championship Spa v Kenmare Saturday 30th April at 6.30 pm. Home.

Please support these fixtures and get behind

your club teams and wear your club colours.

KELLOGG'S GAA CÚL CAMPS: Are run throughout the summer from Monday to Friday, 10.00am to 2.30pm. Attendance is open to primary school children aged 6 years to 13 years. Cul Camp will take place in Spa August 1st-5th in football. Cost €55 for 1st. child; €45 for 2nd child; €40 for 3rd and subsequent children. For children attending a second camp, without gear, the cost is €35.

KERRY SENIOR LADIES: Hard luck to Cassandra Buckley and Linda Bruggener in the National League semi final as they narrowly were defeated by Mayo deep into injury time.

LILY OF KILLARNEY FRIDAY MAY 27TH

IN THE GLENEAGLE HOTEL: This is an Annual Social Event of Killarney. If you would like to sponsor a Lily for the 43rd Lily of Killarney, please contact Mags Cronin 087 7714516 or Marie O'Keeffe 087 2468238. This is a great way to advertise your business, showcased by a lovely Lily. The Ladies committee are working hard behind the scenes as this event is a major fundraiser for SPA GAA Club. Your support is greatly appreciated. Deadline is April 29th and there's huge interest once again.

ANTHONY MORRIS COFFEE MORNING:

Former Spa senior footballer is suffering from a serious lime disease. He must travel to the U.S. to get treatment and the costs incurred are phenomenal. We are asking everyone to support this fundraiser by dropping into the Flesk Restaurant on Friday 29th April morning 10-12.30 for a coffee or cupán tae. Spa Senior players and family are organising this event.

SPA GOLF CLASSIC ON JUNE 3RD:

Friday June 3rd at O'Mahony's Point is the designated date for the Spa Golf Classic. Teams of 4 cost €200 and teams with tee times can be forwarded to the members of the organising committee. Billy Morris 086-8578146, Mary Cronin 087-6898146, Donal Cronin 087-7531271 and Seanie Kelliher 087-6298613

SPA MERCHANDISE: Please contact Matilda to purchase the new range of Spa gear 087 6487356 and for opening hours.

HALL RENTAL: Please contact Eileen Casey 087 6577312 after 6pm.



SYMPATHY: To Jacinta Tyndall on the death of her Mother Mary Tyndall (née McQuillan) from Ninch, Laytown, Co. Meath. May she rest in peace.

LEGION GAA NOTES

JUNIORS: The juniors made it two out of two in the East Kerry League with a hard-fought victory over Glenflesk last week. Missing a few players from their previous outing, Legion started a bit slowly but managed to stay within striking distance thanks in no small part to good work in the backs by Ciarán Lyne and captain Séan McCarthy, while corner forward KJ Griffin kept the scoreboard ticking over at the other end with a great point. Colm ó Cúiv and Mike O'Sullivan put in a solid shift around the middle and as the second half wore on our lads started to pick up a few more breaks. Conor Culloty was looking especially lively in the forwards and he was directly responsible for the goals that swung the game in Legion's favour. First he jinked his way into the box and looked odds-on to score before being dragged to the ground. Adam Moynihan stepped forward to dispatch the resulting penalty and give Legion the lead. Moments later Culloty weaved his way through the Glenflesk defence again, this time getting his shot away and beating the keeper to put Legion into a commanding position as the game entered the closing stages. Glenflesk did their best to mount a comeback and with Kevin O'Callaghan, Adam O'Reilly and Ollie Favier pulling the strings they almost managed it but Legion wing back Dan O'Donoghue's point capped a solid victory for our lads. Final score: Glenflesk 1-8, Killarney Legion 2-7.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP: Legion will play Dr Crokes this Saturday at 6.30pm in the semi-final of the Club Championship. The venue will be posted on our Facebook page and Twitter account (@legiongaa) as soon as it's confirmed.

JUVENILE TEAMS: Well done to the U-16 boys who beat Spa, the U-12 girls who had a 6-7 to 4-3 win over Southern Gaels, and the U-14 girls who had a great win against Austin Stacks. Congratulations, too, to the U-14 boys who had an impressive victory over Dr Crokes in Division 1 of the County League. The game was close throughout but our boys managed to pull away at the end to seal a 0-15 to 2-6 win.

SCÓR QUIZ: Well done to Méabh O'Connell, Amy Walshe, Darragh Fleming and Colm Looney who represented Legion in the County Final of the Scór Quiz in Killorglin. They were busy these last two months preparing with coach Tony Trant and acquitted themselves very well on the day. Thanks also to Scór officer Carolann Spellman for all her work coordinating the programme.

LOTTO: If you're interested in selling some lotto tickets to help raise much-needed funds for the club, please contact Seánie Culloty at 087 2225325. Also if you'd like to avail of our Easy Pay system to automatically enter your lotto numbers every week, forms are available

from Seánie, Maura McCarthy, Paul Trant, Dan Murphy, Kevin Griffin or any lotto committee member.

EAST KERRY NOTES

With Áine Ní Shúilleabháin PRO

FRANK DORAN SAFEGUARD SECURITY EAST KERRY SENIOR LEAGUE

RATHMORE 3-15 GLENFLESK 1-12

Played in Rathbeg last Saturday evening, this round 2 division 1 back game in the Frank Doran Safeguard Security East Kerry Senior League, was a sporting game, played at pace in ideal conditions. A John Moynihan goal in the first minute got the home side off to the perfect start. Rathmore dominated and built a lead. Glenflesk came back into the game and reduced the margin to two points before the break: Rathmore 1-06 Glenflesk 0-07.

Rathmore increased their lead early in the second half, with 2 unanswered points, before an impressive goal from Glenflesk's Padraig Healy, who drove forward and finished to the net reducing the margin to a single point on the thirty sixth minute – 1-08 to 1-07. Glenflesk levelled matters 1-9 a piece with two well taken long distance frees one a 45m free by Lee O'Donoghue, twelve minutes into the half. It was tit for tat and the sides were level again twice before John Moynihan was quickest to react and goaled putting Rathmore ahead 2-11 to 1-11, with ten minutes remaining. Rathmore dominated the scoring for the remainder of the game and a third John Moynihan goal with four minutes remaining put the result beyond doubt. A scatter of points left the full time score Rathmore 3-15 Glenflesk 1-12.

Referee: John Dineen (Fossa)

EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUE: The East Kerry Junior League is nearing half way with round 4 fixed for this week. Dr Crokes and Legion both have an unbeaten record in the East Kerry Junior League so far. Dr Crokes top the league table, winning all 3 games played to date. Legion are close behind, having also won their 2 games played to date and Rathmore have won one of their 2 games played to date, while Rathmore and Gneeveguilla are both on 2 league points with 2 games played, the latter winning their back game against Kilcummin 4-13 to 1-3, on Saturday night. With four rounds remaining the league remains an open contest.

LEGION 2-7 GLENFLESK 1-8: After a sporting game played a great pace, it was the visitors, Legion, that took the league points, against Glenflesk, in this round 3 game in the East Kerry Junior League. The sides were closely matched and were level on 3 points a piece, after the opening quarter, when Evan Horan finished to the net, giving Glenflesk the lead with ten minutes remaining in the half. The sides swapped points, KJ Griffin for Legion with a superb accuracy from a difficult angle. Half time score: Glenflesk 1-4 Legion 0-4.

On the restart, Johnny Healy put the home side 4 points ahead but the visitors upped their

game and had a purple patch over the next five minutes scoring 2-1 without reply, to take the lead 2-5 to 1-5. The first Legion goal came when Finbarr Murphy was awarded a penalty, and Adam Moynihan made no mistake with an unstoppable shot to the back of the net. Finbarr Murphy pointed before Conor Culloty goaled giving Legion a three point lead. Glenflesk pressed forward but the Legion defence stood strong. There were a scatter of points, three for Glenflesk and two for Legion and it was the visitors who ran out winners on a 2 point margin. Final score: Legion 2-7 Glenflesk 1-8. Referee: James O'Sullivan (Furies)

RATHMORE 1-15 SPA 0-3: Rathmore were the dominant team throughout this game and led at the short whistle 1-9 to 0-0, the goal coming on the sixteenth minute from Mark T Reen. Spa opened the second half scoring with a point but Rathmore maintained the momentum finishing the game Rathmore 1-15 Spa 0-03. Referee: Brendan Brosnan (Glenflesk).

DR CROKES 2-15 GNEEVEGUILLA 0-10: Dr Crokes maintained their unbeaten record in the East Kerry Junior League when they hosted Gneeveguilla. The home side had the better of the scoring in the first half and led at the break 1-9 to 0-4. The scoring was closer in the second half but Gneeveguilla had a mountain to climb and Dr Crokes ran out winners on a final score of Dr Crokes 2-15 Gneeveguilla 0-10

Referee: Jim O'Connor (Scartaglen).

EAST REGION UNDER 16 LEAGUE: The East Region Under 16 League, sponsored by MD O'Shea, is nearing the semi final and final stages. This week there were two back games fixed in Division 1A and Division 1B and the last round in these two divisions was postponed a week, until Monday the 2nd May. All games start at 7pm. The final round of Division 5 was played on Monday night. The team that tops the league table in Division 5 will have a home venue for final. The Division 5 semi Final will be between the second and third placed teams in the League table.

HURLING: On Thursday April 14th in IT Tralee, the first year hurlers of Scoil Phobail Sliabh Luachra, Rathmore took part in a 9 a side blitz along with teams from CBS (The Green) Tralee, Mercy Mounthawk Tralee and Gaelcholaiste Chiarrai Tralee. There was some great skill shown on show from all players and some expertly taken scores were produced by both sides. A big 'thank you' is due to the teachers and mentors who brought the players to this blitz and for all their hard work in keeping hurling going strong in these post primary schools. These schools will meet again on the week of the 16th of May, with the definite time, date and location to be confirmed closer to the date.

SYMPATHY: We extend sympathy to Peter Twiss, Runai County Committee, family relatives and friends on the passing away his brother Frank Twiss. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam dílis

RESULTS: Frank Doran Safeguard Security



East Kerry Senior league.

Saturday 23rd April

Round 2 back game

Rathmore 3-15 Glenflesk 1-12.

FIXTURES: East Kerry Junior league

First named team has home venue

Tuesday 3rd May - at 7.30pm

Round 5: Glenflesk V Gneeveguilla.

Legion V Dr. Crokes. Spa V Kilcummin.

Rathmore - Bye

East Region U16 League Sponsored by MD O'Shea

Monday 2nd May at 7pm

Round 5 - re-fixed

First named team has home venue

Division 1 A: Legion V Rathmore

Spa V Dr Crokes. Glenflesk - Bye.

Division 1B

Fossa V Kilgarvan-Tuosist.

Gneeveguilla V Beaufort.

Cordal-Scartaglin V Furies.



THE LISTRY KEEL U16'S TEAM FOLLOWING THEIR VICTORY OVER ANNASCAUL - LISPOLE ON MONDAY NIGHT.

LISTRY NOTES

LISTRY WEEKLY LOTTO RESULTS: Sunday

23rd April, 2016. Winning Numbers 1, 6, 9, 26.

Jackpot €3,350, not won.

1 x €100: Donal O'Shea, Beaufort.

2 x €50: Norma McKenna, Milltown.

Alek & Oliver O'Shea, Sunhill.

2 x €25: Deseerie Crowley.

Culann Cronin, 8 Killarney C.C.

Draw Entrant: Jane Casey, Cromane.

Jackpot next week Sunday 1st May €3,500.

JUNIOR CLUB FOOTBALL

CHAMPIONSHIP RESULT:

Half Time: Sneem Derrynane 0-02

Listry Gaa 0-10.

Full Time: Sneem Derrynane 0-07

Listry Gaa 1-12.

COUNTY LEAGUE U14S ROUND 4

Listry Keel 3.08 Gneeveguilla 1.10.

Well done lads.

On Monday 25th April 2016 Listry/Keel played Currow in the final round of the East Kerry U-16 league. The game was played in Allman park Listry on a fine dry evening. Currow started brightly and had a goal and a point on the scoreboard before our boys got to the pace of the game. Once our boys settled down they combined to kick some great scores. Currow had a powerful mid-field and our defence had to work hard to defend the goal. Our forwards were linking well and we finished the half with 1-9 to Currow 2-3.

In the second half our forwards really opened up and went on to kick 12 points. Currow tried hard but, our backs stood up and defended bravely. Currow scored 1-8 in the second half to leave the final score Listry/Keel 1-21 Currow 3-11. Well done boys, that win secured a semi-final spot.

KILLARNEY LIBRARY: Myra Climent will hold an art exhibition entitled "Seascapes" at

Killarney Library from Tuesday 3rd - Saturday 14th May. Admission is free.

FIRIES COISTE NA NOG LEAGUE FIXTURES

U12 - Division 3A & 3B

Beaufort V Furies away on Sunday, 1st May at 7pm

Please log on to our Facebook page for scores, updates and reports, Furies Coiste na nOg.

GNEEVEGUILLA GAA

GNEEVEGUILLA GAA LOTTO: Numbers 2, 7, 14, 15. No jackpot winner next weeks jackpot €10,000

€40 Niallo C/o Bud,

€40 John Fleming Club Bar,

€40 Sonny Maguire Rathmore,

€30 Ann Glesson Village,

€30 Gearldine Reen C/o Londis,

€20 John Lehane Yearly ticket.

CONGRATULATIONS: To Seán O'Keeffe who became County Kerry Scór na bPaistí champion in Foilmore on Sunday.

GNEEVEGUILLA JUNIORS: Defeated Kilcummin in thje East Kerry Junior League.

GNEEVEGUILLA MINORS: Were defeated by Dr Crokes in Co Minor Div 1 semi final. Thanks to the players and management team for the effort put in to get this far and best of luck for the rest of the year.

U14 CO LEAGUE: GNEEVEGUILLA 1-10

KEEL/LISTRY 3-08: Gneeveguilla Gaa golf classic May 7th in Lackabane golf course teams of 3 € 120 contact Joe 0860279161 or John 086 6080563 for information.

Gneeveguilla Gaa would like to thank everyone for there help on a very successful 1916 march and flag raising event held last Sunday in Gneeveguilla village.

MONTHLY MEETING: Will be held on Tuesday May 3rd at 9pm everyone welcome.



TIM MCCARTHY WAS THE WINNER OF THE DR CROKES GAA CLUB LOTTO JACKPOT PRIZE OF €4,200 AFTER HE PURCHASED HIS WINNING TICKET FROM JOAN O'SHEA IN JACK C'S BAR, KILLARNEY. PICTURED FROM LEFT ARE ED STACK (TREASURER), TIM MCCARTHY (WINNER), JOHN C O'SHEA, MALACHY WALSH (LOTTO COORDINATOR), JOAN O'SHEA (SELLER) AND DENIS MCCARTHY. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.



KILLARNEY RFC NEWS

MINIS END OF SEASON: Our Killarney RFC Minis section finished up training for the season with a final training session and awards party at Aghadoe, last Saturday the 23rd of April. A glorious day in perfect conditions awaited everyone as all age groups gathered to play matches, eagerly watched by their families who came along to support them on the day. We had some fantastic rugby skills on display at all ages as the proud parents looked on. Following an hour of training and play, we proceeded to the presentation area where parents were on hand to give out food to all present. The parents brought an amazing array of baked goods including buns, rice crispie buns, crisps and so on and there was a veritable mountain of food for all to enjoy on the day. Thanks a million to all the parents for their generosity. Over 110 children received medals, while at each age group two players received an award for 'Most Committed Player' and 'Player of the Year'. Mini Coordinator and U8 coach Liam Murphy kicked off proceedings by asking KRFC club chairman Junior Finnegan to say a few words to the gathering. Liam himself then proceeded to say a few words of thanks with a special mention to Tom and Dora Campbell for all of their assistance over the season. Tom, our Minis coordinator for the past number of seasons moved this season to become Youths manager, but was always a great assistance when needed. A huge thanks was given to the fantastic Coaches who gave up their time each and every Saturday in all conditions to develop the rugby skills of each player in a fun environment. We had Mark Leslie and Ed Stack coaching at U7 with help from John O'Leary and Derek Dennehy, Ed Stack and Liam Murphy coached the U8's. Paul Murphy, Richard O'Brien, Ger Moynihan and Pat Chambers coached the U10's while Ian Harrington, Chris Kerins and Alan Horgan trained the U12's across the season. Liam also thanked Denise Treacy and Denis Corridan who have worked hard in setting up our girls section, a new departure for the club which is truly going from strength to strength. He thanked the parents for their unending support and the mountain of food that they brought to feed everyone today and the biggest thanks of all was saved for the children who came to learn and play rugby week in, week out. Given the weather this winter was so bad, this was no mean feat! Finally on behalf of the coaches, he thanked the coaches families for their support and help throughout the year. We then proceeded to hand out medals to each age group, where every child received their deserved and hard won medals with huge smiles after a busy season. Finally the big moment came where we awarded the following trophies to our deserving winners.
U7 Most Committed Player: Lachlan Scannell.
U7 Player of the Year: Donncha Murphy.
U8 Most Committed Player: Ethan Whiteley.
U8 Player of the Year: Mark Brosnan.
U10 Most Committed Player: Ben O'Brien.

U10 Player of the Year: Darragh Stack.
U12 Most Committed Player: Harry Kelly.
U12 Player of the Year: Rian Colleran.
Well done to all the children and to the award winners. We then proceeded to make a presentation to two of our U12 players Josh Hewerdine and Sam Behal who were injured during the year - not at Rugby! They missed a lot of the season, however they turned up every week to help in any way they could and showed huge commitment to the club. Finally a presentation was also made to Tom Campbell in appreciation of his hard work and commitment to the Minis Section over the years. A great day was had by all and it was nice to sign off a season marred by brutal weather with a glorious day of sunshine at our home in Aghadoe. Thanks again to Minis Coordinator Liam Murphy for organising the day and the season to date. Trojan work went in to making sure we didn't lose too many sessions during what was a bad winter weather wise.
MUNSTER RUGBY SUMMER CAMP: The Munster Rugby Summer camp takes this place between the 25-29 July in Killarney. Please check out the Munster website for details.
TAG TUESDAYS: Are recommencing at Aghadoe from Tuesday the 3rd of May.
A NIGHT AT THE DOGS: We are organizing a night at the dogs in Tralee, on Saturday the 23rd of July in order to raise much needed funds for the club. We have a wonderful facility at Aghadoe and need funds in order to kick on and develop the site further. Keep the date free and we will post details of the event on facebook and on www.krfc.club. If you can help in any way please let one of the committee members know.

MUCKROSS ROWING CLUB

GOLD FOR MUCKROSS CREWS IN LIMERICK: A hectic but successful weekend of rowing was enjoyed by the club's junior members last weekend, who competed in both the Limerick Regatta and Schools Regatta over Saturday and Sunday at O'Briens bridge. The early morning starts did not go unrewarded and the club is delighted to have taken home some silverware from the Limerick competitions. Congratulations go to Caoimhe Kelly, who was winner of the Womens Junior 16 Single Scull event at Saturday's Limerick Regatta. Caoimhe won her heat against scullers from King's Hospital BC, Dublin and Tralee RC and further competition from Lee RC and Lee Valley RC in the final. A great performance, well done Caoimhe! Congratulations also go to Niamh Coffey and Emer Beazley, who were winners in the finals of the Womens Junior 15 Double Scull. In their first race together, the Muckross girls emerged as victors over the competition from Clonmel and Fermoy. Well done also to Sean Fleming who was second in the heat of the Mens Junior 18 1x event and to the Womens Junior 16 Quad who placed second also in their heat. Sunday saw plenty more racing action as the rowers took to battle on behalf of their

schools. Well done to all from Muckross and our fellow Killarney clubs who represented St. Brendan's College, St. Brigid's College, Killarney Community College and Intermediate School Killorglin. Both events proved a great experience for the crews involved. A huge word of thanks to all our coaches and adult members who gave of their time and helped in the organisation, travelled on the bus through early and late evening hours and especially to Alan Lyne and John Beazley who towed the trailer. Thanks all!

LEE REGATTA: The Lee Regatta takes place at the Cork city marina on Saturday 14 May.

JUNIOR TENNIS

There will be no tennis next Saturday 30th. As we will have one session remaining we will resume on May 7th. We will have completed our 4 coaching sessions then. So when this is over if any parent is interested in assisting in running a hours tennis each week just to let the juniors play let me know.

The idea will be that the courts will be booked for one hour each week (depending on level of interest) and the juniors can come along and just play. It's not coaching and there will be a very small charge of €1. An adult will be required just to supervise and keep some form of order. I will not be there but will arrange it and ensure that the designated adult/s knows what to do. The evening in question will have to be decided but it cannot be Monday or Wednesday or we could do Saturday pm.

So if there is interest and we have enough parents then a rota can be set up and we will see how it goes and then maybe we will arrange another session of coaching with Alan later. You can let me know.

ST. BRENDAN'S ROWING CLUB

REMINDER: Our next club meeting will be held this Friday 29th of April at 7pm in the Parish Hall. We hope to see you all there.

REGISTRATION FEES: For anyone who has yet to pay their club membership money please contact Nicola. Fees are €20 for U18s and Students and €60 for adults.

A DATE TO REMEMBER: To all members past and present we would like to inform you that this years Killarney Regatta will take place on Sunday, 10th July at O'Mahony's Point. This is always a great event every year so remember to keep this date free to support the club.

BIRTHDAY WISHES: The club would like to say happy birthday to Nicola Morgan who celebrates her birthday this week. Enjoy your day.

NEW MEMBERS: New members are always welcome for both sliding and sixing so if you think rowing might be the sport for you why not come and give it a try. Please contact Ciaran Sheehan on 0851487743 if you would like to arrange a practice session.

CONTACT: For any other details please contact



Teddy O'Brien on 064 66 33838 or email stbrendansrowingclub@gmail.com

MILTOWN/LISTRY COMMUNITY GAMES

ATHLETICS: We have limited places available on our County Athletics Team. If your child was unable to attend our local competition, please contact Caroline McCarthy on 086-1606371 to enquire.

CROSS COUNTRY & MIXED DISTANCE RELAYS: Any child wishing to compete in these events is asked to register your interest in the event with Paul Sexton on 087-9232570 or George McCarthy on 087 8260139

TAG RUGBY: Tag Rugby is a fun form of Rugby and is open to both boys and girls from age 8 to U11. Practice continues Sunday 8th May 1 to 2pm at field near Kerry Woollen Mills, thanks to Andrew Eadie. Contact Paul Sexton on 087 9232570.

GYMNASTICS (U9/U11/U13/U15) AND CYCLING (U12/U14) Any children wishing to enter these events are now asked to register their interest by 6th May and 20th May respectively.

GOOD NEWS: Fundraiser Clothes Collection. If you couldn't make our Collection last week you still have time to donate your bags of unwanted reusable items e.g. clothing, paired shoes, belts, handbags, bed linen, towels and curtains. 7th May is the cut off date. To organise a suitable drop off time for you please contact Ailish Burke on 086-2520385

For further details on upcoming Community Games events please contact Paul Sexton on 087-9232570

FLESK VALLEY ROWING CLUB

AGM: On Monday 18th April the AGM was held at the Killarney Oaks Hotel. Outgoing Chairman Sean O'Connell, thanked everyone for all their hard work throughout the year and in particular to Micheal O'Sullivan for his continued good work with the underage.

Sympathies: Were expressed to the Family of Tom O'Sullivan, Mill Road, Club President who passed during the year. 'Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam'.

Jim Fleming succeeds as Honorary President. Vice Presidents Johnny Lyne, Mikey Lyne, Mikey Carey, Ted O'Shea and Pat O'Donoghue. The club would like to thank outgoing chairman Sean O'Connell, along with his fellow committee members for their commitment during the year. The club would like to wish all the best to the new Chairman Denis O'Donoghue. Other committee members to be elected were Secretary - Clara O'Connell, Treasurer - Rory Leane, PRO - Karol Kelly, Club Captain - Wiebke Mc Guire, Juvenile Officer - Micheal O'Sullivan, Juvenile Boys - Diarmuid O'Donoghue, Juvenile Girls - Roisin Wall.

CONGRATS: Congrats to Jillian O'Neill and Paul



KILLARNEY RUGBY MINIS PICTURED AT THE END OF SEASON WHICH TOOK PLACE AT AGHADOE LAST SATURDAY.
PHOTO: CHRISTINA HOULIHAN TYDINGS.

Lenihan on the birth of their son William.

Congrats to Aine Coakley on her recent engagement to Ger McGuillicuddy

SYMPATHY: Deepest Sympathies to the Leane Family, Tralee Road, Killarney on the recent passing of Rena Leane. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam.

GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB

LOTTO: No winner of our lotto 22/04/2016, numbers drawn were 4, 19, 23 & 29. Next week's jackpot €10,400 plus €1,000 bonus.

GNEEVEGUILLA OPEN SPORTS: Held on Sunday last in Riocht, a great turnout on the day. Club members who placed 1st, 2nd and 3rd were as follows: Michael O'Riordan Cullen, Emmet O'Connor Cullen, Caoimhe Carroll Rockchapel, Saoirse O'Riordan Cullen, Clodagh O'Keeffe Newmarket, Jack O'Leary Gneeveguilla, Katie Buckley Toorbone, Gary Cronin Fossa, Claragh O'Connor Cullen, Breen O'keeffe Newmarket, Oisín O'Leary G/G, Sarah Cronin Hollymount, Delia Foley Gullane, Donal Daly T/Cahill, Daniel McSweeney Kiskeam, Michelle McCarthy G/G, Dylan Scannell Boherbue, Danielle O'Riordan Derrinagree.

NATIONAL SCHOOL SPORTS DISTRICT QUALIFIERS: The Regional Qualifiers will be held shortly, watch this space for event.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS: Will be held May 7th and May 8th.

WORKMEN'S ROWING CLUB

TRAINING NEWS: Training continues as usual for all our underage and adults as per coaches texts. Beginners rowing, U14 and U15 takes place at Reen Pier, Ross Castle every Saturday at 10am. For further information regarding Beginners Rowing you can call Mary Burns on 086 8098182.

SCHOOLS REGATTA: The Schools Regatta took place at O'Brien's Bridge Limerick, last Sunday 24th April. Over 70 schools took part from the four provinces of Ireland, from J14 age group right up to U23. Athletes from Workmens Rowing Club joined forces with those from other clubs to represent their Secondary Schools: St Brigid's, St. Brendan's, and the Community College, Killarney, and

Presentation Secondary School, Miltown.

We, at Workmens were extremely proud of everyone's races. Some results of note were the St Brigid's 'A' Crew of Ciara Moynihan, Annie O'Donoghue, Leona and Ciara Browne who coasted home to take first place in the Womens J16 quad Final. Ciara Moynihan continued to impress when she came 3rd in the Women's J16 final in the afternoon. Well done for St. Brigid's girls! Also, huge congratulations to Mark Woodard on his first regatta!! What a day for Mark as he and his fellow St. Brendan's crew member Seán Farndon clocked up a commanding first place in their Men's J15 double final. Seán was indeed still in top form later that day when he came an impressive 2nd in his final of the men's J15 single race. Another great performance for the Sem!!

The older 'boys' didn't fail to impress either, with Dylan Bartlett and Mikey O'Donoghue rowing for Killarney Community College, and in their Men's U23 double sprinting home a close second to Castleknock College in their final. Dylan and Mikey also teamed up for a sporting team with two Muckcross boys and had a great row in their U23 quad heat, just missing out on the final.

Presentation Miltown was represented by Ruadhán Mac Curtáin who just missed the final by coming a very close second in his heat of the J16 single scull, and joining forces with a Killorglin rower to compete in the U23 double scull and coming 3rd in their heat.

A long enjoyable day was had by all and of course many thanks to our coaches for facilitating this event for all our rowers and their schools, and to the schools themselves for entering our rowers in the Schools Regatta.

UPCOMING EVENTS: The month of May will bring more events to our Rowing Calendar, with Lee Regatta being held on May 14th at the Marina in Cork, over a 500m distance, and Castleconnell Regatta on 21st May, again over a fast 500m distance. It'll be back to the 2km races then in June with the Cork Regatta at the National Rowing Centre, Iniscarra on 25th and 26th of that month.

For a full list of upcoming rowing events and other information about the sport of rowing, please visit www.rowingireland.ie

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC NOTES

RESULTS

DENNY PREMIER A

DINGLE BAY ROVERS 6-0 KILLARNEY ATHLETIC

No luck for the boys in blue on Sunday Last in Sunny Dingle with the league leaders running riot. We will have to regroup and go again for the last 4 games of the season.

U16: CAMP 0-1 KILLARNEY ATHLETIC:

Athletic playing their first game since the end of February can be forgiven for a performance that emulated such a period without 90 mins of football. However Athletic took the lead 10 mins before the break with a headed effort from Jason Coffey. Athletics Defence stood firm to camp fightback to come away with all the spoils.

FIXTURES:

Friday 29th April:

U12 Girls Kerry Cup Final

Killarney Athletic v Killarney Celtic 5-45pm.

U16 Girls Kerry Cup Final

Killarney Athletic v Killarney Celtic 7pm.

Saturday 30th April:

U15 Cup Semi-Final

Killorglin v Killarney Athletic 12 noon.

Sunday 1st May

Denny Premier A

Castleisland v Killarney Athletic 11-30am.

Tuesday 3rd May

U14 Premier

Killorglin v Killarney Athletic 7pm.

U15 Div.1

Killarney Athletic v Mastergeeha 7pm.

CONGRATULATIONS: The club wish to congratulate Diarmuid O 'Carroll on winning the Danske Bank premiership for the fourth time in a row (twice with Crusaders and twice previously with Cliftonville Football club). Well done Diarmuid!

300 CLUB: Forms are still readily available for this years 300 club draw and we would ask all members to take part and maybe introduce a friend too! Forms can be got from any committee member.

KILLARNEY ATHLETIC WEBSITE: Please check the website on www.killarneyathletic.com or our facebook page for match reports, club information and Contact Details.

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

KILLARNEY CELTIC NOTES

1995/96 DOUBLE WINNING SIDE

REUNION: There was a great turn out in the Failte for the 95/96 reunion, a big thank you to all that turned up and thanks to Paudie/Niall and Failte staff for taking care of us. The album of paper cuttings provided reading while the training book provided proof of the guys that trained. Our great friend John Doyle was remembered on the night through stories on and off the field. Looking forward to the next reunion was voiced by all.

40TH ANNIVERSARY

COMMEMORATIONS: Our Club has a big

birthday when it turns 40 this year. To help mark the occasion and to preserve our history for future Killarney Celtic generations, we will shortly be compiling a Digital Archive of club photos, news reports, memorabilia etc. That will require current and past members to rummage out whatever you might have in display cases, old biscuit tins and photo albums.

We'll be publishing more details here and via the press on the project and how you can get us your materials (and get them safely back).

WELL DONE: Well done and a big thanks to everyone who worked on the Killarney Celtic Stand at the Bank of Ireland Enterprise Day at Killarney Racecourse.

CLUB SHOP: Our range of Celtic gear has been updated and is now available from the club shop on Saturdays from 12 noon to 2.00pm. Contact Mary Lyne 086-6485809 or Mags O'Neill on 087 6451913 for enquiries.

RESULTS: Congratulations to U14 player Ryan O'Grady on making the Kerry Schoolboys/Schoolgirls Team of the Week.

FIXTURES: DENNY PREMIER A: MASTERGEEHA 1 KILLARNEY CELTIC 4

Celtic's great run of form continued as they controlled this game from start to finish, taking their chances with aplomb against a very solid Mastergeeha who showed great heart and spirit. Matt Keane hit the net twice, with Gary Keane and Peter McCarthy also on target for a convincing win.

U14 CUP SEMI-FINAL: ST. BRENDANS

PARK 3 KILLARNEY CELTIC 2: There has never been a poor game between these two great teams ever since they started and this was another humdinger. Park went into a 2-0 lead through Leo Gaxha and Colin Walsh and plenty of spectators might have thought it was all over, but Celtic had different ideas and Celtic powered back to level thanks to great play by the outstanding Ryan O'Grady, Niall McGillicuddy, Jason Kerins, and Tom Doyle, and especially two sublimely executed goals by James Darmody. That didn't deter Park, a quality outfit, and they pressed and scored a winner through Sean McGrath. Both teams were rightly applauded off the field.

U12 DIV THREE: KILLARNEY CELTIC C 2

PARK C 3: Brian O'Sullivan put Celtic 2-0 up but, full credit to Park, they came back very strong and got the goals to win a great match between two well-matched teams.

FIXTURES: Greyhound Bar Cup Quarter-Final: Killarney Celtic at home to AC Athletic, Friday, 8.00pm.

Youths: Killarney Celtic at home to Listowel Celtic, Wednesday, 7.30pm.

U16 Girls Cup Final: Killarney Celtic v Killarney Athletic, Mastergeeha, Friday, 7.00pm.

U16 Cup Semi-Final: Killarney Celtic at home to St. Brendans Park, Thursday, 6.45pm.

U15 Premier: Killarney Celtic away to Listowel Celtic, Saturday, 1.00pm.

U15 Div One: Killarney Celtic B at home to Ballyhar Dynamos, Tuesday 3rd, 7.00pm.

U14 Girls Shield Final: Killarney Celtic v Iveragh, Mounthawk Park, 12 noon

U14 Premier: Killarney Celtic at home to St. Brendans Park, Tuesday 3rd, 7.30pm.

U13 Cup Semi-Final: Killarney Celtic away to Listowel Celtic, Saturday, 11.30am.

U13 Div One: Killarney Celtic B away to Mastergeeha, Friday, 6.45pm.

U12 Girls Shield Final: Killarney Celtic v Killarney Athletic, Mastergeeha, Friday, 5.45pm.

U12 Girls: Inter Kenmare at home to Killarney Celtic, Tuesday 3rd, 6.45pm.

LOTTO: Numbers drawn 10, 12, 16, 20. No winner, 4 x match three, Kathleen Cronin c/o The Speakeasy, Noel Parker, Aughacurreen, Pat Cronin c/o Leibherr, Noel Moloney, €40 each. Next week's jackpot €5200, draw in the Failte on Monday night. Tickets available from all club officers. Yearly tickets available.

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

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

SCHOOLBOY/GIRL SOCCER

LISTOWEL CELTIC GIRLS TAKE FIRST TROPHY OF THE SEASON:

Cups / Shields:

John Murphy 12's Girls Cup Final:

Inter Kenmare 3-5 Listowel Celtic.

John Murphy 12's Cup Semi-Finals:

Mastergeeha 0-6 Park A.

Killorglin 2-0 Park B.

John Murphy 12's Shield ¼ Final:

Killarney Athletic B 3-0 LB Rovers.

Killorglin C 1-1 Listowel Celtic B AET.

Killorglin win 3-2 on penalties.

Semi-Final:

Dingle Bay Rovers 3-0 Listowel Celtic D.

Tom Hayes 14's Cup Semi-Finals:

Park A 3-2 Killarney Celtic A.

Killorglin 2-2 Ballyhar AET.

Ballyhar win 6-5 on penalties.

Tom Hayes 14's Shield semi-final:

Mastergeeha 1-2 Dingle Bay Rovers AET.

Tucker Kelly 16's Cup semi-final:

Camp Juniors 0-1 Killarney Athletic.

LEAGUE: JK SPORTS 12'S

PREMIER:

Tralee Dynamos 3-0 Listowel Celtic.

Division 3:

Killarney Celtic C 2-3 Park C.

Foundation Sports 14 Division 1:

Park B 1-0 Ballyhar (Mid-Week).

Park B 3-0 Iveragh United.

Ballyheigue 3-0 Inter Kenmare.

KILLARNEY PLAZA 15'S

PREMIER:

Park A 6-1 Listowel Celtic A.

15 Division 2:

Asdee 4-1 Tralee Dynamos B.

REPORTS: LISTOWEL CELTIC'S TAKE

12'S GIRLS CUP: The business end of the Kerry Schoolboys Girls League has begun with the first trophy of the season going to Listowel Celtic. They defeated Inter Kenmare to win the John Murphy 12's Cup 5-3.

The North Kerry girls were looking to retain the Cup they won last year and got the better start

to the game thanks to goals from Katie Keane 2, Kellie Enright and Ciara Henderson. Credit to the Inter Kenmare girls, who have already won the Premier Division they fought back with Chloe Cremin hitting a hat trick and Molly Bhamvra controlling midfield.

Listowel Celtic led 4-3 at the break and with both sides defences playing really well in the second half the game was in the melting pot until Enright hit her second to wrap up the win. The Kerry Schoolboys Girls League Chairman Martin Conway was on hand to present the trophy to Listowel Celtic.

PARK A AND KILLORGLIN TO CONTEST 12'S CUP FINAL:

The final of the John Murphy 12's Cup will be between Park A and Killorglin. The Tralee side were too strong for Mastergeeha in Kilbreen Park. A Ciaran Cooney hat trick, 2 from Messiah Chirwa and one from Colin Doody sees The Park into the decider.

Killorglin were at home in their semi-final against Park B and won 2-0 thanks to goals from Tom Whittleton and Jack O'Sullivan. However it was not all clear cut as Killorglin needed keeper Eoin Lynch on a number of occasions to keep them in the game.

SEMI-FINAL AND FINAL SPOTS SORTED IN 12'S SHIELD:

The last two places in semi-finals were in the John Murphy 12's Shield and were decided in mid-week. Killarney Athletic B were 3-0 winners over LB Rovers. Caoilte Cronin, Hugh O'Malley and Daire Looney got the goals for the Woodlawn side.

They will meet Killorglin C in the semi-final after they knocked out Listowel Celtic B following an epic that went all the way to penalties. John Burke scored twice for Killorglin with Tony Boland doing the same for Listowel Celtic.

Killorglin C's goalkeeper Dara Crosby was the hero as he saved three penalties to see his side progress 3-2.

SEMI FINAL: One round further ahead Dingle Bay Rovers booked the first place in the final of the 12's Shield. Goals from Kieran Bambury, Cormac O'Conneide and Oscar Donegan saw

the West Kerry side defeat Listowel Celtic D 3-0.

PARK AND BALLYHAR THROUGH IN 14'S CUP CRACKERS:

The Tom Hayes 14's Cup will be between Park A and Ballyhar after two cracking semi-finals. The Park went 2-0 up thanks to goals from Leo Gaxha and Colin Walsh from the penalty spot. However Killarney Celtic equalised when James Darmody struck twice. But the Park had the last say and it was Sean McGrath who emerged as the hero hitting the winner.

The Killorglin versus Ballyhar semi-final was even closer and it took sudden death penalty from goalkeeper Cian Ring to send Ballyhar through to the final. Jack O'Connor had Killorglin ahead before goals from Danny Cronin and Craig Boyle swung the game in favour of the side from Murt Scott Park. O'Connor then hit his second with the last kick of the game to send the tie to extra time. With not further scores it was onto penalties and all ten were scored.

For Ballyhar Jason Brennan, Dylan Callaghan, Danny Cronin, Pat O'Connor and Craig Boyle were successful for Ballyhar. Into sudden death and Cian Ring became the Ballyhar hero. The goalkeeper scored the successful spot kick to send his side through to the final.

DINGLE BAY NEED EXTRA TIME IN 14'S SHIELD:

Dingle Bay Rovers needed extra time to get past Mastergeeha in the first of the 14's Shield semi-finals. Colm O'Heartain put Dingle Bay ahead at the break before Shane Warren equalised to send the game to extra time. Dylan Geaney got the winner for Dingle Bay 2 minutes into that extra period and they held on to win.

The West Kerry side will meet either Camp Juniors or Park D in the decider.

ATHLETIC TAKE FIRST OF 16'S SLOTS:

Killarney Athletic are the first team through in the Tucker Kelly 16's. They were 1-0 winners over Camp Juniors in the Shield semi-final with Jason Coffey netting the all-important goal. They await the winner of Killarney Celtic B and

Asdee.

LEAGUES:

DYNAMOS GO 3RD IN 12 PREMIER:

Tralee Dynamos 3-0 win and the 3 points moves them into 3rd place in the JK Sports 12 Premier. Leaders beaten in 12's Division 3:

The Park's 3-2 win over Killarney Celtic C sees the 12's Division 3 tighten up at the top. Brian O'Sullivan struck twice to put Celtic 2-0 up at the break but goals from Dara Cunnane 2 and Conor Mitchell saw the Park take the three points to move them onto 15 points from 8 played. Killarney Celtic C and Dingle Bay Rovers are tied at the top on 18 points but Celtic have now played two more games.

PARK B DOUBLE MOVES THEM TO THE TOP OF 14'S DIVISION 1:

The Park B's 6 points from two wins moves them to the top of the Foundation Sports 14's Division 1 but they have now played more games than their challengers. The Park B's first win was in mid-week when a TJ McMahon goal saw them defeat Ballyhar 1-0.

Saturday's 3-0 result against Iveragh United sees them move onto 22 points from 11 games played. Dingle Bay lead the way also on 22 points but from 8 played followed by Ballyhar on 21 also from 8 played.

Ballyheigue are up to 4th after they defeated Inter Kenmare.

NEW LEADERS IN 15 PREMIER: The Park have moved 3 points clear at the top of the Killarney Plaza 15 Premier after a 6-1 win over Listowel Celtic. Sean McGrath, Jordan Barry, Leon Shalemba, Seb Vassiu and JR Tishikato were the scorers.

However the Tralee side have now played 8 games as opposed to Killarney Celtic who are also on 18 points but from 6 games played.

ASDEE 3RD IN 15'S DIVISION 2: Asdee had a 4-1 win over Tralee Dynamos B to consolidate third place in the Killarney Plaza 15's Division 2. Conor Toomey, Carlos Lopez, Shea Doran and Mark Hennessy were the Asdee scorers.



PICTURED AT THE FAILTE HOTEL FOR KILLARNEY CELTIC REUNION WERE L-R JOHN O'SHEA, MIKEY LYNE, ORGANISER NOEL BROSANAN & NIAL "BOTTY" O'CALLAGHAN.
PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808



ENJOYING KILLARNEY CELTIC'S REUNION AT THE FAILTE WERE L-R COLEMAN HUGGARD, STEFAN McMAHON, TOM O'SHEA & KARL McMAHON (ORGANISER).
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BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB

RESULTS: 21ST APRIL: THURSDAY'S OPEN

SENIORS: 1st Fred Kennedy.

24TH APRIL: MACROOM SWOP DAY SPONSORED BY PROTEC AUTO:

1st Brian O'Connor (15) 34pts, 2nd Barry Woulfe (17) 32pts, 3rd Keith Cummins (11) 32pts.

FIXTURES:

29th April: Open Friday - Singles Stableford.

20th April/1st May: 18 hole stableford, yellow tees, sponsored by Eddie Slattery.

7th/8th May: 3T's sponsored by Tom Tobin Trophies.

Wednesday's Open Scrambles commence the 4th May at 6pm.

Prizes presentation will be on 11th May after the scramble.

THANKS: To Jack Buckley as the host for the Federation of Co. Kerry Golf Clubs 'Captain's Day' last Saturday.

CASTLEROSSE GOLF CLUB

RESULTS: COMPETITION PLAYED ON SUNDAY 24TH APRIL 18 HOLE STABLEFORD

1st Place, Steve Shine (18) 42pts, Runner-up, John Purcell (28) 40pts, 3rd place, Ger Casey (18) 39pts.

RESULT OF SCRAMBLE PLAYED ON TUESDAY 19TH APRIL: Best net return

Gintaras Bendaravicius, Peter McGrath, John S. O'Connor & Daniel Shine.

FIXTURES: Weekend competition, 18 Hole Strokeplay to be played on Saturday or Sunday. Mixed Scramble continue each Tuesday evening draw at 6pm, meet at clubhouse. Competition open to all golfers, ladies and gents.

KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB

LADIES:

RESULTS OF COMPETITION SUNDAY APRIL, 24TH, 2016, SINGLES, STROKE, MAHONYS, SPONSORED BY MAC BEES FASHION SHOP KILLARNEY.

1 Margaret Campion (9) 66 (bk9).

2nd Margaret Curtin (30) 66.

BG Kelly Botherton (+1) 72 gross.

3rd Eileen Tarrant (30) 67 (bk9).

4th Margaret Moriarty (22) 67.

5th Sinead Galvin (27) 68.

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Next Sunday's Competition - singles s/ford, Killeen, Sponsored by O'Donoghue Ring Hotels.

CONGRATULATIONS: To our Junior Cup Team who were victorious against Dooks in Killarney/ Dooks on Saturday.

ROSS LADIES GOLF CLUB

RESULTS FRIDAY APRIL 22ND 9H S/S

1st Anne O'Leary.

24TH APRIL 18H S/S SPONSORED BY LIR.

1st Lisa Kerfoot (15) 33pts.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Friday 29th 9H S/S 9.30am. Sunday 1st May 18H S/S Sponsored by O'Sullivan's Pharmacy.

DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT NOTES

RESULT OF SUNDAY MORNING'S FOUR

BALL: Lorcan Martin and Adam Kelly. Nett Gearoid Cronin and Darra O'Callaghan Gross, Competition on this Sunday 10am. Details by text later in week.

MONASTERY FUNDRAISER: The annual Monastery Fundraising competition will take place on the Deerpark course on May Bank Holiday Monday 10am, team of 3 is €30 and entries to 064 6633687.

SENIORS OUTING MAY 4TH: Next seniors outing will be to Castleisland on Wednesday May 4th 10.15 am.

KILLARNEY GOLF AND FISHING CLUB

MEN'S CLUB REPORT AND RESULTS.

Club Captain Liam Hartnett wishes to send out another reminder to all of the Gentlemen Golfers in our locality that his "Charity Day" will be held on Bank Holiday Sunday, the 1st of May next, Liam's chosen Charities are the "make a wish Ireland" foundation is a well known children's charity, and the "Rockmount Centre" is a respite care facility for those who are suffering from the early stages of Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia in Kilgarvan, the time sheet is available at the front desk at the Club House, Liam says that as this is the only occasion during his year of Captaincy where he will go "cap in hand" on behalf of any worthy causes to the golfing fraternity, that he is hopeful of a full turn-out on the day.

Liam wishes to commend a tremendous "rear-guard" effort by the Men's Club's team in the "Jimmy Carroll" tournament, this competition is for those who have attained "senior ages" and the first round of the local section was played on Killeen on Friday the 22nd of April, the outlook seemed to have been "done and dusted" in Killarney's favour early on in the back nine but a most tenacious team, representing Kenmare Golf Club, brought the contest down to the very last green, and a heroic victory by

Connie Healy and John Wall settled this very close encounter. The earlier results went as follows, Dermot Roche and Enda Curtayne lost on the 19th, Seamus O'Connor and Donie McSweeney won 6/5, Derry O'Connor and Pdraig Griffin won 6/5, and John O'Shea and Eddie Coleman lost on the 17th green. This was the first occasion in which Club stalwarts, Dermot Roche and Enda Curtayne were beaten while representing the Club.

THE ARBUTUS CUP, SPONSORED BY KILLARNEY PRINTINGWORKS LTD, SINGLES PLAYED ON KILLEEN, 24TH APRIL.

1st Ronan Brosnan (9) 41 points.

2nd Damien Hickey (12) 41 points.

3rd Luke Walsh (7) 40 points.

4th Matthew Leacy (5) 39 points.

5th John O'Donoghue (10) 39 points.

Best Gross, Stephen Kelliher (3) with a 74.

Category 2 Pat Chawke (9) 38 points.

Category 3 Ewan McIndoe 39 points.

Category 4 Andrew Garnett (19) 33 points.

The results speak for themselves and it is clearly evident that our Killeen course favours both our youth and our low to middle handicapper's, but it proves that it is a great test of Golf.

Now that the newly configured greenside area of the 8th hole will be back in play, it will bring a new definition to that hole, and it could very well become the new "signature" hole of Killeen course.

PRESENTATION TO RECENT PRIZE-WINNERS AND CLUB INFORMATION EVENING, FRIDAY 29TH APRIL.

The next evening to incorporate both of the above will be on Friday the 29th of April, Club Secretary Manager Cormac Flannery will give an update on all aspects of our Club, commencing at 6.00 P.M. and the Presentation of prizes will follow at 7.00 P.M. approximately.

The Club has recently been presented with an "original" poster from 1940 by Killarney Printing Works Ltd. this historic poster is advertising the very first "Open Week" just 5 months after we had opened the course at Mahony's Point, and it is a fascinating piece of memorabilia for us to proudly display in the Clubhouse. The poster was restored by Paul Curtis of "Mucros Conservation Bookbinding" who has been based at Muckross House for many years, and it has been framed by John Cleary of the "Quality Framing company".

Club Captain Liam Hartnett, wishes to pass on his sincere condolences to the family of the late Frank Twiss of Callifercy Milltown, on his recent death, and to his sons Derek and Ian who are both Club members.

ROSS GOLF CLUB

GENTS CLUB

RESULTS: On Sunday last we held the final round of the MD O'Shea Spring League with an 18 hole strokeplay competition.

THE WINNERS WERE

1. Denis Cronin (12) 67.
2. Donie Mulcahy (13) 67.
3. Tadhg Moynihan (15) 68.
4. Tony Lenihan (17) 70.

THE WINNING TEAM OF THE MD O'SHEA SPRING LEAGUE WAS

Denis Cronin, Tadhg Moynihan, Tom McSweeney, Gerard Murphy and Maurice Coffey.

COUNTRY CLUBS: Well done to our Country Clubs team on their victory over Glengarriff in the first round Country Clubs Championship in Kenmare last Saturday.

KILLORGLIN GOLF CLUB

LADIES RESULTS: 18 HOLE STABLEFORD SPONSORED BY LADY CAPTAIN ANNE KENNY FOLEY:

1. Eleanor Dowd (22) 41 pts.
 2. Eleanor McCarthy (24) 39 pts.
 3. Eileen Bell (25) 36 pts.
- ### SILVER SWANS 12 HOLE STABLEFORD 19/04/2016.

1. Phil Anne Foley (36) 23pts.
2. Mary Conway (29) 22 pts. (B6).
3. Eileen Bell (25) 22 pts.

FIXTURE: Lady Captain Anne Kenny Foley's Charity Week-end in aid of Multiple Sclerosis can be played Saturday 30th, Sunday 1st May or Monday 2nd May.

18 Hole Stableford sponsored by R. Boyle & Sons. Arrange own time and playing partners.

OPEN DAY: 18 Hole Stableford 50's & over Open Day is next Tuesday 3rd May sponsored by Lady Members Mary Lawlor, Mary Conway and Hon. Sec. Eileen Bell. Time Sheet available in Pro Shop 0669761979.

PRESENTATION NIGHT: A Presentation Night will be held this Friday 29th at 8.30pm. All prize winners are requested to attend.



KILLARNEY SPORTS

Deadline: Monday 3pm Email : editorial@outlookmags.com

COMMERCIAL ROWING CLUB NOTES

CONGRATULATIONS: To Daniel O'Donoghue and Eric Wharton who turned in a fine performance in the Double Schulls event at Limerick Regatta on Saturday and were barely pipped for a final placing.

KILLARNEY VALLEY AC

The athletes are in full swing training for the Kerry Juvenile & Masters Track & Field Championships 7th & 8th of May 2016 - entries should be already in by now.

It's great to have the track available to rent from An Ríocht for one evening a week. As we do not yet have our own track built, we wanted to give the young athletes every opportunity to try out the various events in the environment that they will be competing in at the County Championships - Jumping in the Long Jump pit, practice at the High Jump area, throw the Shot Putt in the correct circle, run on tartan, practice for relays etc. - these, and more, are the facilities open to us at An Ríocht at the moment.



EVIE, RONAN AND LYNNE FAHY AT THE KILLARNEY SOUTH COMMUNITY GAMES ATHLETICS QUALIFIERS AT ST. OLIVER'S NATIONAL SCHOOL, KILLARNEY ON TUESDAY NIGHT. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.



A GROUP OF PARTICIPANTS, PARENTS AND OFFICIALS AT THE KILLARNEY SOUTH COMMUNITY GAMES ATHLETICS QUALIFIERS AT ST. OLIVER'S NATIONAL SCHOOL, KILLARNEY ON TUESDAY NIGHT. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.

All updates on www.facebook.com/KillarneyValleyAC

REMEMBER: Athletes must wear the club singlet when representing their club. These are available from Brid Stack.

If you have any news you would like to include in the notes please email killarneyvalleyac@gmail.com and please like our Facebook Page www.facebook.com/KillarneyValleyAC to get our news and updates.



LAURA O'SULLIVAN, FIONN SPELLMAN, LUCIA GREANEY AND CIARA O'SULLIVAN AT THE KILLARNEY SOUTH COMMUNITY GAMES ATHLETICS QUALIFIERS AT ST. OLIVER'S NATIONAL SCHOOL, KILLARNEY ON TUESDAY NIGHT. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.



DRIVING IN EUROPE

Rules and regulations you need to know
When driving in Europe, there are numerous rules and regulations, by laws and procedures that differ from country to country.

Driving Licence and/or International Driving Permit (IDP)

Vehicle Registration Certificate (Log Book)

Evidence of Motor Insurance

Passport

A Warning Triangle

Nationality Plate

Headlight Converters / Dipped Headlights

In preparation for hard driving over unfamiliar roads, have your vehicle serviced before you go. Make sure that you have clear all-round vision; ideally, rear view mirrors should be fitted to both sides of your vehicle. If your car's tyres are likely to be worn down to below 2mm before you get back, replace them before you leave. Motoring abroad hint and tips



ADVICE AND REQUIREMENTS FOR DRIVING IN OTHER COUNTRIES

WHAT TO DO:

Contact your motor insurer before taking a vehicle out of the Republic of Ireland. It is important that you are adequately covered to your and their satisfaction and have the necessary documents to prove it.

Carry your driving licence (and IDP where necessary), original vehicle registration document and passport; you may be asked to produce any one of these items. A provisional licence is unacceptable and the minimum driving age in most countries is 18. If the vehicle is borrowed you will need a letter of authority from the registered keeper.

Display the IRL national identification letters on your vehicle (and any caravan or trailer you are towing) when travelling outside the EU. Irish registration plates incorporating the IRL/European Union symbol make display of a conventional sticker unnecessary when circulating within Europe. However, such identification is still required outside the EU

even when displayed alongside the European Union symbol.

Make sure that you are aware of all the requirements when taking a minibus abroad. A minibus constructed and equipped to carry 10 or more passengers (including the driver) is subject to the regulations governing international bus and coach journeys.

Check your tyres carefully - including the spare. If you think they are likely to be worn down to below 2mm before you get back, replace them before you go.

Remember that children under 12 and/or 1.5 metres in height are not permitted to travel as front seat passengers in some countries and in others may only do so when using an approved restraint system - check. However, never use rearward facing child restraint in front seat with an airbag.

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KILCUMMIN NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES:

To all the boys and girls who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday 19th April.

KILLARNEY LIBRARY: Myra Climent will hold an art exhibition entitled "Seascapes" at Killarney Library from Tuesday 3rd – Saturday 14th May. Admission to both events is free.

COMMUNITY GAMES: Sunny Kilbreen Park, Mastergeeha was the venue on Sunday morning for the County finals of the U12 soccer competition. In a close opening encounter, Kilcummin lost out to competition winners Fossa but we were soon into our stride with a good 1-0 win over Ballyduff with young Ryan McGurl scoring the winner with a fantastic strike. Killorglin proved too strong in our third game, again going down to a single goal, scored from the penalty spot. However, Kilcummin finished on a high note with a 6-0 victory over Ballyheigue thanks to goals from Mark O'Shea (4) and Keelan O'Shea (2).

These results ensured third place and County bronze medals for our very young team, well done to you all and to mentors Dara O'Leary, Sarah Nagle and Mike O'Sullivan. **TEAM:** Cian Lynch, James Kelliher, Oran Dwyer, Dara O'Shea, Diarmuid O'Neill, Adam Murphy, Cian Murray, Mark O'Shea, Daniel Kelly, Keelan O'Shea, Sean Doolan, Ryan McGurl, Liam Kerrisk, Gavin Cronin and Marc O'Mahony. Many thanks to all in Kilbreen Park for your organisation and hospitality which was first-class as ever.

SWIMMING: Best of luck to all our swimming competitors who head to the Sports Complex in Tralee on Sunday next for the County finals.

GOLF CLASSIC: GAA Golf Classic takes place on this Saturday in O'Mahonys Point, Killarney Golf Club. Format is Stableford with 1 score to count at Par 4's and Par 5's and two to score at the Par 3's from a team of 3 people. A special word of thanks to all who have supported this venture and a reminder to everyone that the opportunity is still there to sponsor a tee box. Prize giving will be in the Klub bar on Saturday night at 10pm.

SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP FIXTURES:

Dr. Crokes V Legion in Kilcummin this Saturday at 6.30pm.

U14 COUNTY LEAGUE: Our Kilcummin U14 boys have made quite a satisfactory start to their Division 2B County League campaign. An excellent performance at home in our opening game saw Kilcummin record a 6-7 to 4-7 victory over a fine Glenbeigh / Glencar / Cromane team. Beaufort was the venue for our second game and despite trailing by 7 points at half time a much-improved second half display saw Kilcummin emerge winners on a 7-12 to 6-8 score-line. However, Kenmare and Na Gaeil proved far too strong for Kilcummin

in our next two games, both away from home against opposition who have already qualified for the Division 2 semi-finals. Kilcummin are at home to St Marys, Caherciveen this week with a place in next week's Division 3 semi-finals at stake in what is a most important fixture. More importantly, this panel of 28 players have shown excellent dedication to training and have improved enormously since the campaign started. All players have enjoyed game time in the County league and it is important that the good work continues with Feile now only 8 weeks away.

CUMANN NA MBUNSCOIL: Dr Crokes pitch on Lewis Road was the venue on Tuesday last for the East Kerry Cumann na mBunscoil 7-a-side competition with all three National Schools in the Parish competing. Unfortunately Coolick and Anablatha National Schools did not progress from the Group stages but a strong Kilcummin NS team overcame Loughguittane and Loreto to top their group. Wins over Knockaderry in the quarter final and a strong Fossa team in the semi final saw Kilcummin paired against Knockanes in the final. An excellent team performance saw Kilcummin emerge winners on a 7-3 to 3-0 score-line and Kilcummin then went on to represent East Kerry in the County finals in Fitzgerald Stadium on Friday last. A slow start saw Kilcummin overcome Caherciveen in the opener but a ding-dong clash with Ardfert was only decided in the final few minutes when Kilcummin came through on a 4-5 to 4-0 scoreline. Victory over Nohoval of Ballymac in the third game saw Kilcummin top the group and they went on to overcome Kenmare on a 4-4 to 2-4 scoreline in the semi-final. A powerful performance saw Kilcummin run out comfortable winners over Ballymac in the final. Well done to goalkeeper Andrew Lowin, defenders Turlough O'Connor & Dara O'Callaghan, midfielders Daragh Fleming and Liam Randles, forwards Colin O'Leary and Cian Foley and also Evan O'Sullivan and Dara O'Shea who contributed handsomely to the campaign. A special word of thanks to teachers Mrs Moynihan and Mr Healy for all their encouragement to the boys along the way.

KILCUMMIN RAMBLING HOUSE: The Kilcummin Rambling House will be open on Friday 6th May at 8.30pm for its last session of the season. In addition to its general programme this meeting will feature the Kilcummin Drama Group and their staging of the hilarious sketch "Aunt Maggie" Proceeds from the night will go towards the Killarney Branch of Friends of the Children of Chernobyl Charity. As always there will be storytelling, song ceol, tae agus braic. Fáilte isteach.

GAA JUVENILE: Under 12 Boys play Glenflesk and also Listry at home on Sunday 1st May at

6pm.

Under 12 Hurlers play Causeway away on Friday 29th April at 7pm.

CUL CAMPS: Coaches required for East Kerry Cul Camps. All coaches must be 18. Applicants should forward CV to Donal Daly at Donal.daly.gda.kerry@gaa.ie

GAA LOTTO: There was no winner on Monday 25th April 2016. Numbers drawn were 3, 4, 23, 27. Consolation prizes were €100 Joe Collins, Dooneen. €60 Mary Cronin, Cockhill, Kilcummin. €60 John Brosnan, Tournonaugh, Kilcummin. €30 Gene Kelly, Ballaugh. €30 Tadhg Field & John McSweeney c/o Munster Joinery. Next Draw Sunday, May 8th 2016. Jackpot now €3,500.

MASTERGEEHA FC

U12 KERRY CUP: MASTERGEEHA 0 PARK 6. The boys exited this years cup to a very good Park side. In the game Mastergeeha had some chances with Oisín O'Leary and Mark O'Shea going close.

U14 SHIELD SEMI FINAL: MASTERGEEHA 1 DINGLE BAY ROVERS 2 AET. A thrilling cup tie that had it all but unfortunately for the lads they couldn't make the final after taking the table toppers all the way. They started well and created the better chances with Darren Lehane and Philip O'Leary going close before Dingle broke away to score against the run of play. Mastergeeha hit back in the 2nd half when Shane Warren hit the net from 20 yards and forced the game into extra time. Dingle went ahead 2 minutes into extra time and held on to make the final. A great effort from all the lads.

SENIORS: MASTERGEEHA 1 KILLARNEY CELTIC 4. In this though local derby the visitors took the lead after 10 minutes. However Mastergeeha battled back and equalised when Scott O'Mahoney finished well. Just before half time the visitors scored two goals to lead 3-1 at the break. Early the second half Celtic extended their lead further. After this Mastergeeha created the better chances with the Celtic goalkeeper making some good saves.

COMMUNITY GAMES U12: Mastergeeha hosted the Kerry U12 soccer community games on Sunday. Well done to Kilcummin on winning the bronze medals. All did well.

MASTERGEEHA FC LOTTO: There was no winner on Friday 22nd April 2016. Numbers drawn were 8, 10, 23, 24. Consolation prizes were €100 Mike O'Keeffe, Bounard, Gneeveguilla. €60 Ken Wood, Dunrine, Kilcummin. €30 Marian Collins, The Village Inn. €30 Kathleen Cahill, Knocklebede, Kilcummin. €30 Aine Kenneally, Tiernaboul, Killarney. Jackpot now €6,150.

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GLENFLESK NOTES

GLENFLESK SENIORS: Sponsored by the Jarveys Rest (www.jarveys.ie). Our Senior team lost out to Rathmore in the East Kerry league on a scoreline of 3-15 to 1-12.

GLENFLESK JUNIORS: Our Junior team lost their first round game to legion on a scoreline of 2-07 to 1-08.

JUNIOR FIXTURE: Glenflesk Vs Gneevguilla in Glenflesk Tuesday May 3rd at 7pm.

GLENFLESK U12S: Our U12 team have played 3 of their 5 games in the co. league and have 4 points from 6. They suffered a loss to Laune Rangers in their first game but have responded with big wins over Dr Crokes and Austin Stacks.

GLENFLESK U14S: GLENFLESK 6-10 MILTOWN/CASTLEMAINE 4-07: Our U14S had great win on Wednesday April 20th against Miltown /Castlemaine in a cracker.

Owen and Damien Switzer controlled midfield while up front Kevin and Tommy Bowler and also Killian O'Sullivan kicked some great scores. The win leaves them in a great position with 6 points from a possible 8 going into the final group game against Annauscaul/Lispole which was due to be played on April 27th

GLENFLESK U16S: Our u16s suffered their second loss in the East Kerry league on April 18th which ends their hope of a semi final spot. Rathmore got the better of them on a scoreline of 2-18 to 2-10

CUL CAMPS: Nearly that time of year again, Cul Camps are in Glenflesk from July 11th to July 15th. Check out our Facebook page for more information.

GLENFLESK LADIES: GLENFLESK U12 (GIRLS): GLENFLESK 5-10 RATHMORE 8-6

Glenflesk and Rathmore served up a thrilling game in Glenflesk on Tuesday last with the visitors just shading it on this occasion. The game was played in ideal conditions and Glenflesk got off to a great start with points from Caoimhe Moynihan Ciara Furlong and Éabha Rudden. A strong display from the Rathmore goalkeeper prevented Glenflesk from establishing a first half lead.

Trailing at half time by three, Glenflesk fought hard to narrow the gap in the second half and were caught with a three goal barrage midway through. However the girls fought back with a very courageous and determined display but



BRIAN HICKEY WHO PLAYED THE ROLE OF PATRICK O'CONNOR IN THE THE 1916 STORY OF CAPTAIN PATRICK O'CONNOR AT RATHMORE COMMUNITY CENTRE, WITH FR DONAL O'CONNOR AND OTHER CAST MEMBERS. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.

were guilty of some wayward shooting in their efforts to win.

GLENFLESK LOTTO: No winner of the lotto which took place in John Dans on April 26th. Jackpot €10,000. Numbers were 15, 16, 19, 22. €50 draw, 1. Kate Malone Upper Barraduff, 2. Kate Malone Upper Barraduff (Kate was Drawn twice), 3. Mairead Twoomey Knocknagree, 4. Declan Tagney Gortacoosh.

The next draw will take place in Spillanes on May 9th and the Jackpot is €10,200, this is the highest ever Jackpot of the Glenflesk Lotto.

NOTE; May 1st is the renewal date for the annual Lotto ticket and as of May 9th only those who have renewed their tickets will be entered into the weekly draw. If you wish to purchase a yearly ticket you can contact Noelle at 087 6962703.

KNOCKANES PARENTS ASSOCIATION: We are holding our annual Fun Bingo Night on Saturday April 30th at 8pm in St. Agatha's Hall Glenflesk. Great prizes. All welcome.

RAHEEN NS: Congratulations to Niamh O'Callaghan who had the winning lotto no. 29 on Saturday 23rd of April.

SCOR NA BPAISTI: The quiz team of Muireann D'arcy, Ben Switzer, Caoimhe O'Sullivan and Darragh O'Connell performed brilliantly on Sunday April 17th and were placed in the top 12 out of 34 teams from around the County.

Well done and much credit to the team and especially to their coach Danny Doherty for his dedication and effort over the past few months. Our ballad group of Caitlin Cronin, Eabha Healy, Sinead Gleeson, Sarah Moran and Molly O'Donoghue sang beautifully and were unlucky not to be placed. All represented the club with pride and great credit goes to each of them and their parents for their dedication.

On a happier note, the club retained the Healy O'Connor shield which we were awarded last year in its inaugural year. This shield is awarded to the club who has achieved the best overall participation in all Scor grades in the County (Scor Sinsear, Scor na nOg and Scor na bPaisti). We are very proud to have been awarded this shield for the 2nd year in a row in recognition of all the effort put into Scor and the promotion of our culture in the parish. Again many thanks to all who participated and mentored performers in all age groups since last Autumn. You have all played your part in achieving this special honour for the club. The Scor season has now drawn to a close for 2016 but the months won't be long passing till the next season starts when we'll look forward to further success for our great club.

CONTACT: We welcome items of local interest. Please contact PRO Paudie on 087 7692220 or pro.glenflesk.kerry@gaa.ie.

BEAUFORT NOTES

BEAUFORT COMMUNITY ALERT GROUP:

Are in the process of setting up a community Text Alert. Application Forms are available from Carson's and Kissane's Shop, Kilgobnet National School, Killarney and Killorglin Garda Stations. Completed forms can be handed back to Carson's as soon as possible. Beaufort Community Guard is Garda Chris Manton Tel No. 064 6671162 or 086 8200196.

LOTTO DRAW: Lotto results of Sunday, 24th

April for jackpot of €3,800. Numbers drawn: 5, 8, 14, 27. No jackpot winner. Consolation Prizes - €80 William and Moira O'Shea, Keel. €50 each Brendan McGillicuddy, Carhubeg, Brian Coffey, Keel, John Falvey and family, Cappaganeen. Next draw for lotto jackpot of €4,000 will be held in Inn Between on Sunday, 1st May. Tickets available from usual sellers and online at www.beaufortgaclub.com

HEALTHY CLUB: Beaufort will be taking part in Healthy Club 2 from May 2016 to June 2017. Anybody who want to help out with activities, please contact Club Officers.

MEMBERSHIP AND REGISTRATION :

Beaufort GAA Club Membership for 2016 is now due. Family membership is €50 which includes one adult gym membership. Adult Club only €30. Player over 18 years is €50 which includes gym membership. Gym entry card/Fob is €10. Forms available from Patie Hartnett at 087 2515311.

Members are entitled to free entry to home Co League games, draw for All Ireland tickets if Kerry is in final and use of gym for above price..

RATHMORE / GNEEVEGUILLA NEWS

by Michael O'Mahony



RELATIVES OF THE LATE PATRICK O'CONNOR WHO ATTENDED THE 1916 STORY OF CAPTAIN PATRICK O'CONNOR AT RATHMORE COMMUNITY CENTRE ON SATURDAY NIGHT. INCLUDED ARE SARAH O'CONNOR (GREAT GRAND NIECE) AND ANN MOYNIHAN (GRAND NIECE). PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH.

ROSARY: At Grotto at Shinnagh Cross Rathmore for month May Monday to Friday at 7pm. Everyone welcome.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION: Diocesan Collection for Peters Pence held on Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th April raised €1172. Thank you for Your generosity.

FIANNA FÁIL COMMEMORATION ACTIVITIES: As part of the Fianna Fail Commemoration Activities in the Cork North West Constituency. Commemorate Medallions will be made available to descendants/relatives of anyone (Volunteers or Cumann Na mBan members) who took part in the struggle for independence during period 1916-1921. The Medallion bears the words Fianna Fail Comoradh Naisiunta Eiri Amach na Casca 1916-Easter Rising 1916.

Descendants/relatives who are interested are asked to contact Michael Moynihan T.D. 029 51299.

SYMPATHY: To the families and friends of Sr. Emilie Nagle, Cork City, Cork /Gortdarrig Headford, whose funeral took place recently may she be in peace.

GNEEVEGUILLA ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE: Takes place on Sunday May 15th. Bus leaving GAA Hall at 7am sharp. If interested please contact Ann Cronin: 064 7756249 / 087 2785565 or Eileen Fleming: 064 7756301/ 087 1475386.

GNEEVEGUILLA GAA GOLF CLASSIC: May 7th in Lackabane Golf Course, teams of 3 €120. Contact Joe 0860279161 or John 086 6080563 for information.

RATHMORE COMMUNITY COUNCIL: The Garden of Remembrance is a memorial garden

dedicated to the memory of all those involved in 1916 Rising. It is being erected at Ard Mhuire Rathmore/Glenflesk Parishes 1916.

Congratulations to two of the most dynamic parishes in Kerry, Rathmore and Glenflesk, on their spectacular show, 'Patrick', performed at Rathmore Community Centre over the weekend. To commemorate 1916, this amazing and emotional production honoured the life and times of local man Cpt. Patrick O'Connor who lost his life in the rising. From the moment the curtains opened until they closed over 90 minutes later, the cast had the audience captivated with an a personal, emotional and historical journey as Cpt. O'Connor made his way from Rathmore to the GPO. The spellbinding production was brilliantly written and produced by journalist and local man Aidan O'Connor, a talented writer and wordsmith, who weaved history, laughter and the personal story of Cpt. O'Connor into one of the finest productions seen in Kerry for some time. In his role as Cpt. O'Connor, Brian Hickey was brilliant. Others to catch the eye with inspiring performances were

John O'Sullivan (Dan Dennehy), Mary Hickey Kerry rose 2014 (Minnie), Jimmy Kelly (Tom Clarke), Arthur Moynihan (Patrick Pearse), Padraig Creedon (Denis), Derry Healy (Michael Collins), Diarmuid Coakley (Sean Mac Diarmada), Gene O'Leary (James Connolly), John Wall (Thomas McDonagh), Michael Cronin (J.M. Plunkett), Declan Buckley (Eamonn Ceann), Rosie Healy (Rosie) and the inspirational Margaret O'Sullivan (Mary). All the cast members were outstanding, showing true professionalism on the stage. The music was sensational with solo singers Michelle O'Callaghan, John O'Donoghue, Fiona O'Donoghue and Ciara O'Donoghue adding greatly to a memorable production. The Clonkeen Youth Choir rendition of 'Mo Ghile Mear' had the audience spellbound. Other musicians who added greatly to the production were Joe O'Sullivan (Flute) and Bryan O'Leary (Accordion). The costumes and props were amazing while the production programme brought the cast and the story of Cpt. O'Connor into the homes and the life of the appreciative audience. ou have all honoured the late brave Cpt. O'Connor and preserved his memory for all fortunate to have seen this incredible show. Thanks to Aiden O'Connor, the people of Rathmore and Glenflesk and the wonderful cast of 'Patrick' for their wonderful 1916 commemoration production and the opportunity for all of us to share this very special weekend in Rathmore. Thanks to Ger O'Donoghue, Maire O'Leary, Val Moynihan, Ellish Coakley, everyone behind the senses, well done, the organisers Gratuities wish to thank everyone who assisted in bringing this project to completion our sponsors, The Community Centre committee, The Rathmore Social Action Group, The Media, The Marian Players, Jerry O'Callaghan, John Culloty, Ian Harrington, Pat Kelliher, Mike Duggan, Brendan Brosnan, Mary Woodcock O'Sullivan, Ann Moynihan, John Moylan, Tony Flaherty - sonas Recording studio and to anyone who helped in

any way, a very sincere thank you.

RALLY OF LAKES 2016: Rally of Lakes take place this weekend this Saturday they is stages Rathmore/ Gneeveguilla parish, Gortnagane stage road closed time from 8:25 to 2:15, starting from Headford, Drom, Doocarrig, Gortdarrig, Shrone, Awaskirtaun to County bounds at Awaskirtaun. Cahirbarnagh, on to Balldaly, Banard stage road closed from 9:10 am to 3pm, from Scrahanagullane via Banard, Meentoges,Knockdoorah, Readrinagh,Lisbabe, Annaghilymore, Maulykeavane, Scrahanaveal and finishing at Maughantorrig. We wish all local crews best of luck and all rally supporters safe driving this weekend on the roads take care enjoy yourselves this busy bank holiday weekend.

PIETA HOUSE: Provides one to one counselling, free of charge, for people who have thoughts of suicide, have attempted suicide & people who engage in self harm. Please contact 066 7163660. Pieta House, 28 Moyderwell, Tralee Co, Kerry. Text PIETA to 50300 to donate €2. 100% of your donation goes to Pieta House across most network providers. Some providers apply VAT, which means a minimum of €1.63 will go to Pieta House.

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ROSE BUDS: The Festival of Kerry and Rose of Tralee Organising Committee are inviting girls from 6-10 years to enter the selection process to find 67 Rose Buds for the 2016 Rose of Tralee Festival will take place this years from August 17th to 23rd. This year's Rose Buds will be sponsored by Crag Cave in Castleisland and McDonald's in Tralee with the number of Roses increased in 2016, there's a better change than ever of becoming Rose Buds. The closing date for applications is May 26th and names of the 67 successful applicants will be announced on Friday June 10th. Entry forms are available from rose of Tralee office Denny St. Tralee. 0667121322

RATHMORE GAA: Rd 5

Rathmore v Dr Crokes.

Rd 6 – Saturday 07th May 18:00 Tralee Parnells v Rathmore.

Rd 7 – Saturday 14th May 18:00.

LILY OF KILLARNEY FRIDAY MAY 27TH IN THE GLENEAGLE HOTEL: This is Annual Social Event of Killarney and East Kerry. If you would like to sponsor a Lily for the 43rd Lily of Killarney, please contact Mags Cronin 0877714516 or Maire O' Keeffe 0872468338. This is a great way to advertise your business. Showcased by lovely Lily. This is major fundraiser for Spa Gaa Club been organised by Ladies Committee of club.

THE ANNUAL MASS OF CITY SHRONE: The annual open air Mass in city of Shrone on this Sunday May 1st. at 1.30pm. Celebrated by Bishop of Kerry Ray Browne, & Fr Pat O'Donnell, in open air weather permitting, if not in Shrone Church, Everyone welcome.

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

FOSSA NOTES

FOSSA GAA: LOTTO: 24th April 2016.

Numbers drawn were 1, 13, 15, 25. There was no jackpot winner and the €40 consolation prize winners were Adrian O'Connell c/o Liebherr, Mary McSweeney Toremor Kilcummin, Liath Power c/o Mick Spillane, James Cronin 16 Arbutus Grove and Ailish Hallissey Crohane Fossa. Next weeks jackpot will be €7,050. Tickets are on sale at The Golden Nuggett Bar, The Castlerosse Leisure Centre, The Travel Inn, The Old Killarney Inn, Foley's Spar Shop, The Laurels Bar and Committee members.

SENIORS: Fossa played Lispole in the Junior Championship on Saturday evening in Fossa. Played in glorious sunshine this was a proper championship game where both sides gave their all and either side had chances to take the spoils. Fossa started brightly with points from Donald O'Sullivan and Paudie Clifford, it took Lispole a while to settle and had a few missed chances before Cathal O Súilleabháin kicked a free, Donald O'Sullivan, Kevin McCarthy and Paudie Clifford had further scores to leave Fossa ahead 0-05 to 0-01 after 20 minutes. Then the game exploded into life, Donnacha O hUiginn had a point for Lispole, Paudie Clifford and Tadgh O'Shea kicked two brilliant points for Fossa, Cathal O Súilleabháin and Deaglán O Súilleabháin added points for Lispole. Then in the 28th and 29th minute, two goals from Matthew Rennie and Tadgh O'Shea, the second after great build up play from Fintan Coffey and Paudie Clifford, left Fossa leading at half time, 2-07 to 0-05. Lispole had the wind in the second half and they made it count early on with the excellent Cathal O Súilleabháin kicking three frees and a point from play. Fossa had points from Donald O'Sullivan, Paudie Clifford and Fintan Coffey but Lispole continued to apply the pressure with scores from Donnacha O hUiginn, Michéal MacGearailt and Seán O Cathain. However Lispole couldn't break down a resolute Fossa defence to get the goal that they needed and Fossa closed out the game with points from Paudie Clifford and an excellent effort from Matthew Rennie. Fossa played really well, Colin Myers was excellent in goal again, clearing his lines time and again, Paddy Sheehan and Anthony Wharton were very solid in defence and dealt with everything Lispole threw at them, Matthew Rennie had a fine outing with 1-1 a great return from midfield and Fintan Coffey showed all the experience and class that he possesses throughout the game. Paudie Clifford was brilliant and was involved in almost every Fossa score. The players and management will be very happy to have come through such a tough test with a win and when the game was there to be won, the players stood up and were counted. Final score Fossa 2-12, Lispole 0-13.

BOYS U16 EAST KERRY LEAGUE DIVISION 1B RD 4: On Monday evening our U-16'S headed to Cordal to take on a strong Scart/Cordal outfit. Right from the off, Fossa dominated around the centre of the field and with the hard running of our forwards we took a commanding lead into the half time break.



LOCAL DRIVER NOEL O'SULLIVAN WILL BE ONE OF THE MANY LOCAL DRIVERS TAKING PART IN THIS WEEKENDS RALLY OF THE LAKES.

The second half saw our defence take over from the forwards with some excellent tackling and distribution of the ball. Scart/Cordal found it difficult to get any momentum and Fossa ran out comfortable winners.

On an evening where all our players were outstanding, special mention goes to Anthony Keffe and Cian McCarthy in defence. Cian O'Sheas dominance of the centre of the field was impressive and he was ably assisted by Ewan Weldon. Up front Emmet O'Shea, Ryan Sheehan and Eoin Talbot were a constant threat. Final score Scart/Cordal 2-9 Fossa 4-10.

BOYS U14 COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION 2A

RD 4: This was a cracking game of football where Furies came out on top by a whisker with 2 late goals. The game started as it finished with flowing football and good score taking. Fossa trailed by a point at half time, 2-6 to 2-5, with goals from Emmett O'Shea and Colm Talbot, the latter with another excellent game in the middle of the field. Two second half goals by Emmett O'Shea and a wonder goal by Rory Doyle put Fossa in control until they ran out of steam and conceded those two late late goals. In defense Evan Mannix, Darren Cronin, Cathal Whelton and Joe Cahillane again impressed and Jack Clifford at wing forward played very well and kicked some lovely point. Conor Horgan and Eoin Myers also kicked excellent points and Pdraig Talbot's fielding was again outstanding. Final score Fossa 4-13 Furies 5-12.

BOYS U12 COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION 2A

AND 2B RD 4: A good Fossa under 12 black team won well over a depleted Churchill team. On the night the boys played well with Robert Brooks and Peader Kelliher the best for Fossa. After a delayed start, because of the Kerry/Dublin game, Fossa under 12 reds didn't waste any time getting to business with Gavin O'Leary leading the charge with some fine scores. Churchill started to rally and the game went from end to end with there never being more than two points between the sides. In the second half Fossa started to win the individual battles, with Finn Kennelly and Luke Murphy playing a pivotal role while at the back Daire O'Brien won some vital ball. Christopher Doody and Aaron Coffey can be very proud of their contribution. Fossa eventually ran out winners by 2 points. Final score Fossa 5-09 Churchill 5-07

FOSSA LADIES NEWS: No County league matches this past week for Fossa ladies,

however plenty of action for the week ahead.

U14'S: No County League this week, as the Kerry u14's are playing this coming weekend. Kerry take on Limerick in the Munster semi-final on April 30th in Staker Wallace GAA Grounds, Martinstown, Co Limerick at 3 o'clock. Best of luck to Fossa girls Maud Kelly and Sara Sheehan who are involved with the Kerry u14 squad.

U16'S: Congrats and well done to Erica McGlynn, Anna O'Reilly and Anna Clifford who were involved with the Kerry U-16 team that defeated Waterford on a score line of 4-18 to 1-5. Erica McGlynn, centre forward scored 6 points, Anna O'Reilly playing excellent at wing back and Anna Clifford doing powerful work after being introduced at wing forward. Munster final vs Cork May 7th. Venue TBC. Plenty to look forward to for these girls. Also, the best of luck to Katie Talbot who is involved with the Kerry Minor Team who take on Cork in the Munster Final in Charleville GAA Grounds at 3pm on Monday, May Bank Holiday.

COMMUNITY GAMES UNDER 12 SOCCER:

The Community Games soccer, played on Sunday in Mastergeeha, saw Fossa come away with the spoils. Fossa played Kilcummin, Ballyduff, Killorglin and Ballyheigue and wins in all four games left Fossa clear at the top. Matthew O'Connor did well in goal with Robert Brooks, Cian Doyle, Sam Buckley and Captain Peader Kelliher excellent in defence. Darren Ryan, Sean Dineen, Ryan O'Leary and Rocco Sheehan were very strong in midfield chipping in with vital goals. Eddie Moroney and Finn Kennelly were the stars of the show with Eddie scoring three goals on the day. Well done to the boys and on to the Munster finals.

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

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Learning to manage stress is important at all times in our lives – and not just around exam time. Tips to give you more control over your life include: Eating healthy food as much as possible and avoiding junk food as much as you can. Exercising regularly, even if it is for a few minutes a day. Walking, jogging, yoga, anything will do. Developing good relationships. Sleeping well. Keeping a balanced view. Learning techniques of stress management and stress relief. Remember your past achievements and take strength from them.

SCHEDULE TIME FOR YOU

A really good habit to develop now, which will stand to you for a life-time is to set aside a half an hour each day to do something that just makes you feel good. Read a book or a favourite magazine, take a walk, dance or ride your bike. This time that you take for yourself will help you focus when you sit down to finish your homework.

But you may be asking 'What Can I do Now? My exams are only weeks away'. The first important thing to remember is that a relaxed body and mind is better equipped to deal with stresses and tensions. So looking after your mind and body at this time will help you to cope better with exam pressures.

Take care of yourself. Now more than ever it's vital that you take care of yourself. Don't sacrifice your health because you feel you are too busy. A combination of a healthy diet, regular exercise and plenty of sleep helps relieve stress.

OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS WE WILL GO THROUGH SOME TIPS ON WAYS TO MANAGE EXAM STRESS.

Acknowledge your feelings. It is normal to feel stressed at exam time. However, if you are feeling especially stressed or depressed, you may want to look at everything you are doing see if there are one or two things you can cut out until you feel better. Be sure to talk to someone if you feel this way.

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On the Box

THIS WEEK'S SOAP ROUND-UP INCLUDES AN ILLICIT AFFAIR, TWO BLASTS FROM THE PAST, A DEVASTATING LOSS AND A SURPRISE ROMANCE.

FAIR CITY: ILLICIT AFFAIR

Tommy and Debbie continue their affair this week but are they about to be exposed? Meanwhile, Debbie's daughter Katy enjoys some romance on a blind date but brother Emmett ruins it. Later, Debbie fears that someone knows about her affair.

EASTENDERS: TWO BLASTS FROM THE PAST

Kyle receives a surprise visit in the form of his mother Alison. Alison doesn't approve of Kyle's decision to transition. Will mother and son call a truce? Meanwhile, Glenda returns with news of Roxy and Ronnie's stalker is still at large.

EMMERDALE: A DEVASTATING LOSS

The residents of Emmerdale are in mourning following the news from Ashley that Edna has passed away in hospital. Sandy is hugely upset that Ashley didn't tell him Edna was sick thus robbing him of his chance to say goodbye.

CORONATION STREET: A SURPRISE ROMANCE

Jason continues to grieve following the death of his father Tony and surprisingly turns to Gemma for support. Could a new Corrie romance be on the cards?

SOAP NEWS: DISASTER IS ABOUT TO STRIKE

Fans of Home and Away will be shocked to hear that the Caravan Park is going to be rocked by a huge explosion. The week of drama will see two characters killed off, one resident lose an arm and the arrival of a new doctor. More news when we have it.

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Publication of prayer and favour will be granted. **E.O.S.**

NOVENA TO ST. MARTHA

O ST. MARTHA, I resort to thee and to thy petition and faith I offer up to thee this light which I shall burn every Tuesday for nine Tuesdays. Comfort me in all my difficulties thro' the great favour thou didst enjoy when Our Saviour lodged in thy house. I beseech thee to have definite pity in regard to favour I ask (mention favour). Intercede for my family that we may always be provided for in all our necessities I ask thee St. Martha to overcome the dragon which thou didst cast at thy feet. One our Father and three Hail Marys, and a lighted candle very Tuesday and the above prayer made know with the intentions of spreading devotion to St. Martha.

Never know to fail.

THE MIRACLE PRAYER

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

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

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

Amen.

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

J.K.O.C.

ST THERESE

O glorious Saint Therese, whom Almighty God has raised up to aid and counsel mankind, I implore your Miraculous Intercession.

So powerful are you in obtaining every need of body and soul our Holy Mother Church proclaims you a "Prodigy of Miracles...the Greatest Saint of Modern Times." Now I fervently beseech you to answer my petition (mention here) and to carry out your promises of spending Heaven doing good upon the earth... of letting fall from Heaven a Shower of Roses. Henceforth, dear Little Flower, I will fulfill your plea "to be made known everywhere" and I will never cease to lead others to Jesus through you.

Amen. Say the above for 9 days and you will receive a flower or a rose in some form during or after 9 days as an indication that your request will be granted.

1ST ANNIVERSARY & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



In loving memory of

DENNY MORIARTY

**Late of Coom, Gneeveguilla.
Who died 4th May 2015.**

As we lovingly remember Denny on his first anniversary, his loving wife, Peggy, daughters Juliette, Aileen, Denise and son Jason along with his brothers Johnny and Michael wish to express our sincere gratitude to all who sympathised with us on Denny's untimely death. Sincere and heartfelt thanks to our extended family, friends, neighbours and Denny's work colleagues who called to the house, your kindness will never be forgotten.

Thanks to those who brought food and refreshments and all those who helped in any way at our home, those who attended the wake, removal, funeral Mass and burial, those who travelled long distances, sent floral tributes, Mass cards, messages of sympathy and donated to the Special Olympics.

Special thanks to management, staff and work colleagues from Liebherrs and Rathmore Credit Union for forming a guard of honour on both days of the funeral. Our Sincere thanks to Fr Pat O'Donnell and Fr Kevin McNamara for helping us during that difficult time and for making the Mass so meaningful, to Joan and Sheila for the lovely singing and Donie the sacristan, thank you.

We wish to acknowledge the courtesy and professionalism of Sean O'Mahony, Funeral Director and the grave diggers who prepared Denny's final resting place. Thanks to Gneeveguilla GAA for directing traffic on the evening of the funeral. A special word of thanks to the members of the Ladies Committee, the Club Bar and Gala for providing refreshments after the funeral. Thanks to the Doctors and nurses in the A&E Department of University Hospital Kerry. A special thanks to our friend and neighbour Tommy Murphy for his help that evening.

We would like to express our gratitude to everyone who helped us through the past year with their continued support and kindness, their presence has been greatly appreciated. As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, we trust that you will accept this as a token of our appreciation. For all who took the time to honour Denny, please remember that the memories of your kindness will forever remain in our hearts and Mass has been offered for your intentions.

Anniversary Mass will take place on Saturday 7th May at 7:30pm in the Church of the Holy Rosary, Gneeveguilla.

*You left us all so suddenly
We could only weep and cry
But the saddest part of all was
We never said goodbye.*

FIRST ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

MARGARET (MAGGIE) O' CONNOR

**Upper Brehig, Cordal, Castleisland
who died on the 3rd May, 2015.
Rest in Peace.**

The angels sang Amazing Grace
The Lord came down and
touched your face
He held your hand and
whispered low
'Come with me it's time to go'
The gates of Heaven opened wide
The angels lined up side by side
A special guest was on the way
The day God took you away.



Sadly missed and always remembered by
Joe, Noreen, Brid and Jody.

Maggie's 1st Anniversary Mass will be
celebrated on the 7th May at 6.15p.m.
in Castleisland Church.

KISSANE



Mass for the late

DENIS KISSANE

**New York and
late of Knockragh, Killarney.**

Friday 6th of May
at the Church of the
Resurrection at 7.30pm.



PRECIOUS MOTHER OF JESUS

Mother of Divine Grace, you can find a way,
where there is no way. Please hear my prayer
and grant me my request. (Say 6 times daily
and your request will be granted).

THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus in the past I have asked
many favours. This time I ask you this special
one, (mention favour).
Take it dear heart of Jesus and place it within
your own broken heart where your Father
sees it.
Then in his merciful eyes it will become your
favour not mine.
Amen.
Say this prayer for three days. Publication of
prayer and favour will be granted.
A.C.

THANKSGIVING ST. JUDE

St. Jude come to my assistance in my need
that I may receive the consolation and help
of heaven in all my necessities particularly
(mention request) and that I may praise
God with you and the elect throughout
eternity. I promise you O Blessed Jude to be
ever mindful of this great favour and I will
never cease to honour you as my special and
powerful patron and to do all in my power to
encourage devotion to you. Amen. Say for 3
days and publish immediately.
Favour granted after 3 days.

THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus in the past I have asked
many favours. This time I ask you this special
one, (mention favour).
Take it dear heart of Jesus and place it within
your own broken heart where your Father
sees it.
Then in his merciful eyes it will become your
favour not mine.
Amen.
Say this prayer for three days and your favour
will be granted. Never know to fail. Must
promise publication of prayer. **M.M.**

PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY

NEVER KNOWN TO FAIL

O Most Beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, Fruitful
Vine, Splendour of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the
Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my
necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me
herein you are my Mother (make request). O Holy
Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I
humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart
to succour me in this necessity. There are none, that
can withstand your power. O show me herein you
are my mother. Oh Mary conceived without sin,
pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times).
Say this prayer for 3 consecutive days and then
publish it and request will be granted to you.
This prayer must be published in thanksgiving for
favours received.

PRAYER TO ST. MARTIN DE PORRES

Most humble Saint Martin whose burning
charity embraces all, but especially those
who are sick, afflicted or in need, we turn to
you for help in our present difficulties and we
implore you to obtain for us from God health
of soul and body, and in particular the favour
we now ask...
May we, by imitating your charity and
humility, find quiet and contentment all our
days, and cheerful submission to God's holy
will in all the trials and difficulties of life.
Amen.

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit you make me see everything
and show me the way to reach my ideal.
You give me the divine gift to forgive and
forget the wrong that is done to me and who are
in all instance of my life with me.
In this short dialogue I want to thank you for
everything and confirm once more that I never
want to be separated from you no matter how
great the material desires may be. I want to be
with you and my loved ones in your perpetual
Glory. Amen. (Say this prayer three consecutive
days without stating the request, after the third
day the request will be granted no matter how
difficult it may be. Promise to publish this as
soon as your request is granted. **E.O.S.**

NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

Dear Heart of Jesus in the past I have asked
many favours. This time I ask you this special
one, (mention favour).
Take it dear heart of Jesus and place it within
your own broken heart where your Father
sees it.
Then in his merciful eyes it will become your
favour not mine.
Amen.
Say this prayer for three days. Publication of
prayer and favour will be granted..

NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

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

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