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illarney is looking forward to a bumper weekend with the Bike Fest taking place at The Gleneagle Hotel.

The new councillors elected in last Friday's election will take their seats at Kerry County Council's

first meeting on Friday next. Shauna Goggin was crowned the Lily of Killarney, it's Tee-Off time for Special Stars, the golf club has launched a new pro shop and the launch of Fleadh Cheoil Chiarrai takes place tonight.

Don't forget to support the BBQ in aid of St. Mary of the Angels is set to take place on Monday in Scotts Hotel - the perfect way to finish off your bank holiday weekend!



Aisling Crosbie | EDITOR

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## ST. MARY OF THE ANGELS TO BENEFIT FROM ANNUAL BBQ

Sausages sizzling and burgers barbequing along with some great tunes will be the order of the day as Barbecue season sizzles into action this June Bank Holiday Monday.

The team at Scotts Hotel, along with Denis Geaney's Ring of Kerry Cycle Group are planning to fire up the charcoal again this year and all proceeds will go to St Mary of the Angels.

Denis, founder of the Ring of Kerry Cycle, has once again mobilized a group of cyclists for the famous charity cycle. And as part of their preparations, Denis and Team Geaney are hosting a fantastic fundraising afternoon of food and live entertainment.

The barbeque costs €10 per person, and all monies raised on the day will be donated to St Mary of the Angels in Beaufort. It takes place in Scotts Courtyard from 2pm until 6pm on Monday, June 3. With live music from Rosie and Derry Healy, Dermot Moriarty, Pete Fleming, Michael O'Brien and band, Sam and Ina and more, as well as a special guest appearance by Bernard Casey, it promises to be a great day out for all the family. "All of the money raised from the barbeque will go directly to St Mary of the Angels, that's thanks to the generous support of the team at Scotts Hotel, all the musicians and our many volunteers. We looking forward to seeing you there", Organiser Denis Geaney said.



## Garda goes viral after Ring of Beara Cycle



Kenmare Garda Caroline Hennessey has gone viral following her entertaining dance moves whilst keeping traffic moving during the 5th annual Ring of Beara Cycle last weekend. Video of the on-duty Gardaí at the event has been circulating on the internet as she entertained cyclists and motorists alike. Garda Hennessey has received much praise for her positive attitude and general high spirits following her dancing and bongo playing at the Caha Pass on the cycle which brought cyclists from all over Ireland and as far afield as Australia, the US, Canada and Switzerland to the Beara Peninsula for Ireland's most captivating cycle route.

## SHAUNA TAKES THE LILY TITLE



Shauna Goggin has been crowned Lily of Killarney 2019 - see pages 16 & 17 for more on the event.  
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# TIME TO TEE OFF FOR THE KERRY STARS



Pictured at Killarney Credit Union for the official launch of the Kerry Stars Special Olympics Golf Classic which will take place at Beaufort GC on June 8th, with a donation of €1,000 from the Credit Union were Back Row L-R Kathleen McCarthy, Pat Looney, Lucy Skollard, Tim Horgan (Organiser), Roger McCarthy, Mark Murphy CEO of Killarney Credit Union & Tom Tobin (Organiser). Front Row L-R Luke Skollard, Helen Clifford Beaufort Golf Club & John Spillane Chairman of Kerry Stars. Picture: Marie Carroll O'Sullivan

**T**he Kerry Stars Special Olympics Club in conjunction with main sponsor Killarney Credit Union Ltd. Is running a golf classic on Saturday June 8th 2019 at Beaufort Golf Club.

All monies raised will go for further development of the club. The Kerry Stars Special Olympics currently has 95 registered athletes, competing in Athletics, Basketball, Golf, Soccer and Swimming. It also conducts an Adult Leadership Programme as well as social nights for the Athletes.

"The Club is self-funding and as you can imagine it costs a lot of money annually to run the club" Tom Tobin told the Killarney Outlook.

"We are very grateful for the continued support of Killarney Credit Union as main sponsor of the event. Without the support of the Credit Union and local businesses, it would not be possible to run the event. We are also grateful to Tadhg and Helen Clifford of Beaufort Golf Club for facilitating the Golf Classic at their wonderful course.

A limited number of tee-times are still available. A team of 3 golfers costs €180 and if you cannot play but still want to sponsor the club, a tee-box can be sponsored for €50. For further information contact any of the committee:

**Denis Murphy: 086-8234853**

**John Spillane: 087-9928766**

**Luke Scollard: 086-8122624**

**Tom Tobin: 087:2338575**

**Tim Horgan: 086: 3513882**

## Phenomenal supports available for new enterprises



South Kerry Development Partnership hosted an evening of guest speakers at the KDYS on Thursday evening L-R Joanne Griffin SKDP, Micheal Kenneally, Case Officer for Employment & Social Protection, Claire Kelly, The Busy Botanist Company & Aisling O'Sullivan Darcy SKDP. **PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN**

There are phenomenal supports available for new enterprises through both South Kerry Development Partnership CLG (SKDP) and the Department of Employment Affairs and Social Protection (DEASP) to give them every chance to succeed. That was the message from The Busy Botanist co-founder Clair Kelly who was speaking to new start-ups at a networking

evening in Killarney recently. This business has enjoyed considerable success since its foundation some two years ago in supplying organic naturally caffeine-free herbal teas to both Irish and overseas customers. Speaking at the event organised by SKDP and which was attended by some 40 start-up businesses, Clair said that her key advice

for all of them was to attend all of the events suggested by the advisers or do something they suggest as what really helps a business to grow and flourish is gaining experience and networking.

Michael Kenneally of the DEASP pointed out to those present that in addition to their weekly payment, start-up businesses could also get financial support with the costs of setting up the business through the Enterprise Support Grant scheme. Elements that are covered this scheme include capital outlays, insurance costs and accountancy costs however a person has to be approved for the Back to Work Enterprise Allowance scheme.

Enterprise Officer with SKDP Joanne Griffin added that in addition to the enterprise support grant, SKDP can also provide additional capital support for start-up businesses through a once off grant scheme offering up to 65% funding to a maximum of €500. Aisling O'Sullivan Darcy of the LEADER programme also outlined to those present the range of supports potentially available through the enterprise stream of LEADER funding.

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Kila will be playing on Saturday night, June 22nd.

## Launch of Kerry County Fleadh in Milltown

**The launch of the Fleadh Cheoil Chiarraí takes place tonight, Friday May 31st at Bleachfields Bistro in Milltown at 8 pm.**

The mid-Kerry town hosts the Fleadh from June 19th to 23rd. It will be the second year running in Milltown and will again host a fantastic weekend of top-quality free family entertainment in a packed and varied program. The Fleadh will be launched by Minister of State at the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport, Brendan Griffin TD, Cathaoirleach of Kerry County Council, Cllr Norma Foley, main sponsors Chapter 23 Kerry and West Limerick Credit Unions, and will feature music

and special guests. The Fleadh competitions sees the cream of Kerry traditional music vie for a place in the Munster and All-Ireland fleadhanna but is also an opportunity to enjoy and celebrate the vibrant trad. scene in the county. Milltown's street entertainment programme will feature one of the top acts in world music, Kila, playing on Saturday night, June 22nd. This is a free, outdoor gig, and will also feature support acts from around the county. Friday night and Sunday afternoon will feature the outdoor ceilidh, a great spectacle for dancers and wallflowers alike. Kids will be well entertained, with a drumming workshop

specially for kids on Saturday at 2, and fun with "Time to Party" putting fun events on Sunday. "Spin City" funfair will be in Milltown all week also.

We invite all young musicians join in the "Denis Courtney Memorial Street Entertainment Competition", and have a crack at winning some of the €500 prize fund, sponsored by the local Rathmore and District Credit Union. There will be sessions in the local bars all week and the annual "Singing Club" takes place in Larkins Bar on Thursday night.

## Cycle for Stephanie in aid of Suicide Prevention

The family and friends of Stephanie O'Sullivan (pictured below) will gather this weekend for the 8th annual Memorial Cycle in her name. The race will start at 9am sharp on Sunday June 2nd in Milltown. Stephanie tragically lost her life at the age of 20 years in November 2011. The annual charity cycle supports Killorglin Mental Health Association and Kerry Samaritans to raise awareness on the prevention of suicide. The cycle starts and finishes at the Nagle Rice Community Centre in Milltown. Cyclists can register Saturday night from 7.30pm - 8.45pm and Sunday from 8am. The cycle starts at 9am sharp and the registration fee is €20. The cycle incorporates two distances of 40km

and 80km taking in Killorglin, Caragh Lake, Beaufort, Fossa and finishing in Milltown. It offers a wonderful opportunity for novice cyclists and for cyclists training for the Ring of Kerry.

All cyclists and volunteers will enjoy a barbecue and live music afterwards, making sure it's well worth the spin.

"We look forward to another great day out and greatly appreciate all the support from cyclists, sponsors and volunteers in aid of two worthy suicide prevention services in Kerry. We hope that we can prevent future loss of lives and the trauma of losing a family member to suicide" said Dan Joe O'Sullivan



## FREE PERFORMANCE OF "GOD HAS NO COUNTRY"

Killarney's Donie Courtney brings his one-man play back to Killarney for a special "free" performance on Tuesday next, June 4th 2019. As part of the Hugh O'Flaherty Humanitarian Award Ceremony in St Mary's Church of Ireland, at 6.00.p.m. Donal will perform his critically acclaimed one-man play "God Has No Country", - telling the true dramatic story of Hugh O'Flaherty in wartime Rome. Immediately after the play, at 7.00.p.m. the Award Ceremony will commence and should conclude before 8.00.p.m.

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# KILLARNEY GOLF & FISHING CLUB CELEBRATE A WHOLE NEW GOLFING EXPERIENCE

*Celebratory events at the club included a star-studded ceremony and a Family Fun Day*



James Curran Captain, Mary Sheehy Lady Captain and Tom Prendergast Club President cutting the tape to officially re-open the new 6th Hole on Killeen at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club with Eoin Francis, Andy Kenny, Garrett Donnery General Manager, Enda Murphy Head Greenskeeper and Ronan Branigan on Friday.

**M**embers, visitors and invited guests enjoyed an action packed weekend at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club, one of Ireland's most prestigious and historic golfing venues.

The club celebrated a momentous weekend following the launch of the club's newly refurbished Professional Shop and the re-launch of its Golf Academy at Lackabane.

On Friday last Killarney Golf & Fishing Club, in partnership with Synergy Golf, Ireland's leading golf management company, celebrated the launch of the club's newly refurbished Professional Shop with a star-studded ribbon cutting ceremony attended by members, sporting stars and invited industry guests. Following a significant €100K refurbishment investment, the new Professional Shop is set to drive a whole new golfing experience at the club. The following day the club hosted a very special family fun day at Lackabane to celebrate

the re-launch of its Golf Academy, a home where juniors are encouraged to play and have fun through golf. Led by Head Professional Mark Heinemann, families enjoyed face painting, bouncy castles, a range of fun competitions and lots more.

Killarney Golf & Fishing Club's newly designed state of the art Professional Shop now stocks all the top golfing brands including Nike, Footjoy, Ping, Adidas, Peter Millar, Under Armour, Green Lamb, Titleist and Oscar Jacobson etc. and boasts a coffee station and seating area where members and visitors can soak up the stunning scenery – enhancing the overall player experience at the golf club. The Professional Shop also welcomes a brand new team headed up by Pat Barrett as Business Development Manager, bringing with him his experience managing some of Ireland's finest golf resorts such as Tulfarris Hotel & Golf Resort

and Ballykisteel Golf Resort, alongside Mary Mac Monagle, a well-known member of the golf club and who joins the Killarney team as Head of Customer Service from her role as head concierge at the five star Great Southern Hotel.

"I am delighted to be joining the team and welcome the significant improvements already visible since the club's partnership with Synergy Golf earlier this year. The newly refurbished Professional Shop is a place for golfers to relax, shop, grab a coffee and soak up the unbelievable atmosphere that encompasses the golf club", Pat Barrett, Business Development Manager at Killarney Golf & Fishing Club said.

The feedback from members and visitors has been very positive and it makes my job somewhat easier when looking to attract players from home and abroad. Killarney Golf & Fishing Club is a world class venue and these improvements certainly put us on the global map."

Early this year the club announced new partnerships with Synergy Golf and Head Professional Mark Heinemann to bring a new vision to the club.

This vision sees Synergy Golf manage the completed refurbishment of the new Professional Shop along with the overall management of the facility. Whilst Head Professional, Mark Heinemann, is implementing a renewed plan for coaching and practicing. Together, Killarney Golf & Fishing Club and their management partners are currently investing over €200,000 into the clubhouse and playing facilities over the next few months with a drive to significantly increase business performance over the next 3 years. The focus will be on driving green fee revenue, enhancing partnerships with local enterprises and establishing an improved international footprint for the venue.

The outcome will be beneficial for not only Killarney Golf & Fishing Club but will also bring a boost to tourism.



Mike Daly, Declan McCarthy, Sheila Crowley and Winnie Ryan at the opening of the new Professional Shop at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club on Friday.



James Curran Captain, Mary Sheehy Lady Captain and Tom Prendergast Club President cutting the tape to officially re-open the new Pro Shop with Garret Donnery General Manager and Kerry Stars David Clifford at Killarney Golf and Fishing Club on Friday.



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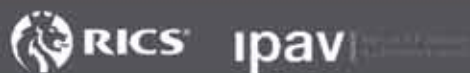
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# First Holy Communion



Aisling Quirke, Nagle Rice Primary School Milltown, pictured on her Communion Day with her family L-R Brother Muiris, Dad Shane, Aisling, Mum Clíodhna & Brother Diarmuid. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Cian Hegarty, St Olivers NS, pictured at The Brehon Hotel with his family L-R John, Mum Christine, Cian, Dad Sean, baby Tess & Clodagh. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Daniel Bartlett Sheehan (centre), St Oliver's NS, pictured at the Muckross Park Hotel on his Communion Day with his family L-R Mum Stacey, baby sister Lily, Charlie, Matt & Emma. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Siomha Casey, Fossa NS, pictured at the Dunloe Hotel on her Communion Day with her family L-R Cullan, Dad Donal, Siomha, Chloe & Mum Lisa. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



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Colm O'Sullivan, Loreto NS, pictured on his Communion Day at the Aghadoe Heights Hotel & Spa. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Aisling O'Sullivan, Nagle Rice Primary School Milltown, pictured at the Aghadoe Heights Hotel & Spa on her Communion Day. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



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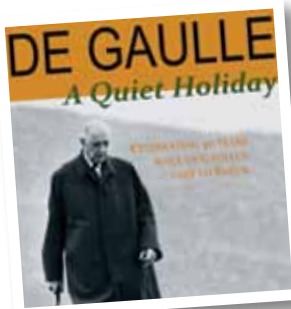


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# DE GAULLE...

## A Quiet Holiday



In April 1969, President De Gaulle announced his intention of retiring from the French presidency having lost a constitutional referendum. Wishing to

escape the media and political uproar created by his decision, as well as by the electoral campaign for his successor, on May 10th, president de Gaulle, his wife and his aide camp, Admiral Francois Flohic, were flown on a ministerial plane by the French Air Force to Ireland.

If De Gaulle chose Ireland, it is, according to Pierre Bitard, former diplomatic advisor to the French Embassy, 'because he could not, from his point of view, go anywhere but to a neutral country'. Furthermore, President De Gaulle's mother was the descendent of Irish ancestors, the McCartans, Jacobite emigrants to France after the Glorious Revolution, the overthrow of James 11 of England and Ireland in 1688.



Pictured at the launch of The Charles de Gaulle exhibition "A Quiet Holiday" at The Sneem Hotel L:R: Eva Yves Letanneur, Barbara O'Connor, Niall Scott, Eileen Burns and Dr Patrick Malone. PHOTOS: LISA O'SHEA

As soon as he arrived in Cork, President De Gaulle understood that behaving like normal tourists would not be possible even though the search for accommodation in the Heron Cove Hotel, near Sneem had been carried out with the utmost discretion by the envoy of the French Embassy. But getting off the plane who was there to greet the General was none other than Jack Lynch, an Taoiseach, with a cheerful 'Welcome home!'. As for President Éamon De Valera, he declared: "I am sure that our people will be delighted that the General de Gaulle has chosen our country for his private holiday.

We hope that his stay will be pleasant and that everything will go accordingly to his wishes, especially regarding his desire for anonymity". Padraig and Joan Kennelly, founders of a small photographic studio in Tralee, followed the trail of this noted visitor and recorded the excitement caused amongst the inhabitants of Sneem. They called their collection "A quiet holiday".

The exhibition runs from May 2019 at Sneem Hotel, Goldens Cove, Sneem, and admission is free. The exhibition is curated by Isabelle Galy-Aché



Pictured at the launch of The Charles de Gaulle exhibition "A Quiet Holiday" at The Sneem Hotel, Nicola Duggan GM Sneem Hotel, Dr Patrick Malone, Louis Moriarty, Brendan Kennelly and Isabelle Galy-Aché.



Pictured at the launch of The Charles de Gaulle exhibition "A Quiet Holiday" at The Sneem Hotel is L:R: Una O'Sullivan Sneem and Betty Crosbie Killarney:

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# SHAUNA IS CROWNED 46th Lily of Killarney

**S**hauna Goggin has been crowned the 46th Lily of Killarney at the gala event in The Gleneagle Hotel on Friday night last.

Shauna wowed the judges to capture the coveted title at the sold out event which is organised by the hard working Ladies committee of Spa Gaa Club. Shauna who is a legal secretary, was sponsored by Neily O'Connor.

The winning Lily received various fantastic prizes including the Healy Cronin Perpetual Trophy and €500 cash prize, a 2-night break in London and will attend The Kerry/London Reunion 2019. A hamper of luxurious hair products sponsored by The Pat O'Neill Style

Suite, An electrical gift sponsored by Mike O'Leary and a bouquet of flowers sponsored by White Heather.

Shauna will attend many functions during her reign, including The Killarney Regatta, The Bonny Baby Competition, The 4th of July Festival, The Killarney Races, Christmas in Killarney Parade, The St. Patricks Day Parade and many more!

"We are delighted to have the continued support again this year of Killarney Credit union who are our main sponsor, as well as our Media Partner Killarney Outlook", Marie O'Keeffe Chairperson of the Committee told the Killarney Outlook.

"A special mention must go to Jill Duggan, Killarney Toning Tables for her very generous package to all our 31 Lily contestants.

A sincere thank you is extended to all the Lily of Killarney Sponsors who are vital to the running of the event.

The MC on the night was the dapper Ray O'Sullivan who entertained the large crowd. The Ladies Committee once again organised a wonderful night lead by Chairperson Marie O'Keeffe, Geraldine O'Neill, Sheila Curtin, Kerry Holland, Denise Gleeson, Sheila Cronin, Claire O'Mahony, Evelyn Spillane Murphy and Tracey O'Mahony. Well done to all involved.



A family Affair. Jimmy O'Connor (Grandad), Patrick Prendergast, Shauna's partner, Sean Goggin (Grandad), Teresa Goggin (Grandmother) Front: Jimmy Goggin (dad) Shauna Goggin (winner) Rosarie O'Connor (Mom). PICTURE: ANNE HOLLAND



Dads Proud Kiss: Jimmy and Rosarie O'Connor pictured with their daughter Shauna after she won the Lily of Killarney 2019. PICTURE: ANNE HOLLAND





Shauna Goggin 2019 winner Lily of Killarney pictured with her Sponsor: Neily O'Connor. PICTURE: ANNE HOLLAND



Marta Karpus, representing Natural Beauty, New Street Killarney at the Lily of Killarney 2019 at the Gleneagle Hotel L-R Nadia Karpus, Elwira Banowska, Marta Karpus & Zuzanna Karpus. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN



Kayla O'Connor, Jimmy Brien's Bar, pictured at the Gleneagle Hotel for the Lily of Killarney with her family L-R Chloe, Eleanor, Kayla, James & Loren. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN



Winner with Committee and CU Kerry Holland, Denise Gleeson, Sheila Cronin, Claire O Mahony, Evelyn Spillane Murphy, Geraldine O'Neill, Tracey O Mahony and Sheila Curtin Karena McCarthy, Marie O Keffe, Shauna Goggin and Helen Courtney Power.



Representing The Gleneagle Hotel at the Lily of Killarney 2019, Caroline Abry, pictured with L-R Brendan Doherty, Evelyn Slemak, Caroline Abry, Michael Legucki, Joanne O'Leary & Michael Piotrowski. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL O'SULLIVAN

## Killarney Outlook Editor **Aisling Crosbie**

Met 2019 Lily of Killarney **Shauna Goggin** this week for a chat about her new title .....

### **What does it mean to you being crowned the Lily of Killarney 2018?**

It's an honour to be picked as this years Lily of Killarney especially being from Ballybunion. I feel that this is a huge achievement and another mile stone.

### **What was your first thought when you heard your name being announced?**

I was shocked and I couldn't believe it when I heard my name, I was totally excited and overwhelmed. I met a fantastic group of girls and some life time friends, the committee on the night were amazing and so supportive. I had a lovely sponsor Neily O'Connor. The support from my boyfriend Patrick Prendergast, mom and dad and my family and friends on the night was amazing and I am very grateful to have them all in my life.

### **Are you looking forward to your year as Lily of Killarney and what do you think the highlights will be?**

If the year is going to be any thing like the weekend I am really excited and really looking forward to the year to come. I can't wait to attend different events that will be going on through out the year starting with the bike fest this weekend as I love motorbikes myself.

### **What are your favourite interests?**

Gymnastics, dance, gym and motorbikes. I have recently started to learn the fiddle and I am really enjoying it.

### **What three words describe you?**

Honest, hardworking and down to earth

### **What is your greatest accomplishment?**

Getting my Honors Degree in Youth and Community Work and now also working in Patrick Sheehans Solicitors as a legal secretary.

### **Why did you choose your current career?**

I wanted another challenge and I also have an interest in law.

### **Would you like to take time out from your career to travel?**

Yes I would, I would love to visit Hawaii at some stage.

### **Who is your biggest role model?**

My mother, she is my rock and is a strong and independent woman.



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## SEM BOYS GRADUATE FROM THE **CLASS OF 2019**



Twins Jordan and Dylan McCarthy with Shane Davies at the Leaving Certificate Graduation Mass and Barbecue at St Brendan's College Killarney.



Richard Wallace, Fionnbhearr Hickey, Dylan Murphy, Patrick D'Arcy, Conor Doherty and Callum Hennessy at the Leaving Certificate Graduation Mass and Barbecue at St Brendan's College Killarney



Danny Brosnan, John O'Donoghue, Sean O'Sullivan and Sean Cooper at the Leaving Certificate Graduation Mass and Barbecue at St Brendan's College Killarney.



Gary Vaughan and Marc O'Shea at the Leaving Certificate Graduation Mass and Barbecue at St Brendan's College Killarney.

## A WORTHWHILE YEAR FOR THESE GRADUATES

The Office Administration Class of 2018/2019 celebrated last week following the successful completion of their studies. Continuing on the education pathway is on the cards for some of these graduates, others have already secured full and part-time administrative employment. "We here in the College wish them all the very best in their future pursuits", Dymphna Healy told the Killarney Outlook.

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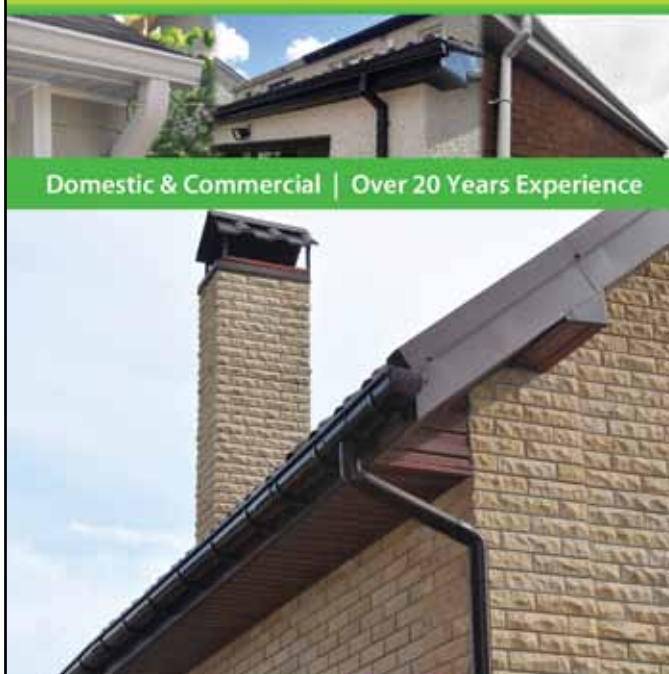
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# The hard work is done - Now it's time to reap the rewards in the State Exams

By Billy Ryle



The State Exams begin on Wednesday for about 120,000 candidates, so this is the final weekend for major revision. Stick to your study plan on Saturday and Sunday. Concentrate on subjects being examined during the first week. As the exams run into the second and subsequent weeks, the optional subjects are nicely spaced out allowing for study days.

Leaving Cert candidates, prioritise last minute work in English, Home Economics, Engineering, Geography and Mathematics Paper One and get it done by Sunday night. Likewise, Junior Cert candidates, do the same in English, CSPE, Irish, Geography, Environmental & Social Studies and Maths Paper One. On Monday, concentrate on the tips for subjects being examined the first week. Don't cram on the days before the exam as this may cause confusion and fatigue. Spend an hour or two on Tuesday skimming over your notes for Wednesday's exams and leave it at that. Some relaxed leisure will be more beneficial than spending the day cramming material that you may not recall anyway. You'll need a clear and alert mind for the exams.

On the evening before each paper, spend an hour or so browsing your notes so that the important concepts are fresh in your mind. A heavy study session on the night prior to any paper is not a good idea as you will be exhausted the following morning. Instead, relax and get a good night's rest. Put all thoughts of the following day's exam out of your mind.

Over the next few days check your equipment and assemble your exam materials – biros, pencils, ruler, eraser, drawing instruments, calculator and so on. Have at least two biros in case one doesn't work properly. Organise your personal needs such as a watch and tissues.

A few nerves are normal on the first day so be prepared to deal with it. A relaxation exercise

or maybe a shower to freshen up will do the trick. Eat a nutritious breakfast as you'll need the extra energy. Finally, go through your equipment checklist before leaving home.

On Wednesday, arrive at the exam centre at least a half hour before the exam begins. For all subsequent exams be present about fifteen minutes before the starting time. Spend the few minutes before entering the exam centre on your own in peace and quiet. At all costs, avoid groups doing last minute revision. If you need to, use the bathroom before you enter the exam centre. Be in your seat a few moments before the exam is due to begin. Synchronise your watch with the clock on the wall and use your watch or the clock to help you pace your work.

Check your seat and desk for firmness and stability. A shaky desk will torment you during the exam. When the answer book is distributed, fill in the required details and read the directions. Carefully read the instructions on the question paper in case there is any change of format. Don't be put off by your first glance at the paper. It's new and it will look unfamiliar at first. Once the exam begins, keep to your prepared answering plan.

Remain in the exam centre until the time is up. Recheck your work and extra information may come to you. Attempt an extra question only when you have thoroughly answered the previous questions. Once an exam is over, spend as little time as possible on a post-mortem. Focus on the next paper and when the entire exam is over, forget about it. There is no advantage in dwelling on what might have been. Be satisfied that you have done your best. Good luck to all candidates starting exams next week.

In the next article, I'll explain how to make the most of the exam period.

## Checklist

- ✓ Concentrate on subjects being examined in the first week
- ✓ Complete major revision by Sunday night
- ✓ In a relaxed study session on Monday concentrate on tips and predictions
- ✓ On Tuesday just skim over your revision notes for an hour or two
- ✓ Have a clear and alert mind going into each exam
- ✓ Arrange the equipment and materials you will need for the exams
- ✓ Organise your personal needs such as a watch and tissues
- ✓ Spend the few minutes before entering the exam centre in peace and quiet
- ✓ Be in your seat a few minutes before the start of each exam
- ✓ Check that your seat and desk are firm and steady
- ✓ Read the instructions carefully
- ✓ Know what to expect but be prepared for the unexpected
- ✓ Use all the time available to you
- ✓ Once an exam is over avoid protracted post-mortems
- ✓ The Leaving Cert exam has two extra days this year
- ✓ Exam timetables are available on [www.examinations.ie](http://www.examinations.ie)

**Good luck to everybody doing exams.**

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# First Holy Communions



Padraig Quill, St Oliver's NS, pictured at The Dunloe Hotel & Gardens, on his Communion Day with his family L-R Sean, Kate, Marian, Padraig Snr, Padraig Jnr & Daniel Quill. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Sofia Brosnan, Fries NS, pictured at her home in Fossa on her Communion Day. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Timmie Kelliher, Kilcummin NS pictured on his Communion Day L-R Dad Kevin, Brother Charlie, Timmy & Mum Mary Theresa. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Dan O'Shea, St Oliver's NS, Ballycasheen, pictured at his home in Barraduff on his Communion Day L-R Mark, Mum Rochelle, Dan, Dad Mossy & Jordan. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



Katie Brosnan, Kilcummin NS, pictured at her home with her family L-R Cillidan, Mum Siobhan, Katie, Dad Tommy & Leah. Picture Marie Carroll-O'Sullivan



First Communion in Muckcross Church Sat 25th May. Brian O'Sullivan (Principal), Fr. Kieran O'Brien and Pádraig O'Sullivan (class teacher). 2nd class Scoil Bhride Loreto



Welcome to

# Let's Talk Music

with Dermot Moriarty

OUTLOOK MAGAZINES NEW WEEKLY MUSIC COLUMN



Just back from a Country Music Festival in Vilamoura in Portugal hosted by Billy Morrissey and Trudi Lalor with some of Ireland's top singers including Margo, Paddy O'Brien, Mick Flavin, Gerry Guthrie, TR Dallas, P.J. Murrehy & Seamus Shannon, John Hogan, Murial O'Connor & Fran Curry and a name to watch - 18 year old Keelan from Donegal. Special guest was Max T. Barnes from Nashville and the list goes on.

This week we focus on

## Gerry Guthrie

Singer and guitarist

Gerry Guthrie was born and raised in Ballina Co. Mayo, where he still resides. He showed a keen aptitude for music from a young age and having obtained his first guitar when he was eight years old with the help of Joe Sweeney his music teacher he mastered the instrument. Aged 15, Gerry began playing with a local group called The New Blues on the local pub and cabaret circuit. He subsequently moved on to work with The Richmond's, a well-established group playing lounge bars, weddings, dinner dances and private functions in the Mayo and South Sligo area.



In 2000, Gerry accepted an invitation to become lead guitarist with Sandy Kelly's band, with whom he stayed for three years. Whilst touring with Sandy he also worked on her hit shows "The Patsy Cline Story" and "A Night At The Opry". This gave him the opportunity to perform in theatres in Ireland, England and Scotland, in addition to television appearances. It was during this time that Gerry had the opportunity to work with Grand Old Opry Member and country music icon George Hamilton IV, The International Ambassador of Country Music.

Over the course of the following decade, Gerry worked as lead guitarist with Martin Cuff, Shawn Cuddy and Louise

Morrissey. In recent years, Gerry has launched his one-man show, playing throughout Mayo, Sligo, Roscommon and Galway.

Gerry's musical influences include Duane Eddy, Hank Marvin, Merle Haggard, George Jones, Garth Brooks, Gene Watson and on the Irish scene Jimmy Buckley, Ray Lynam & Matt Leavy. He has long admired the impressive guitar skills of Declan Nerney.

In 2009 Gerry decided it was time to venture into the studio, shortly afterwards he released his first single, the Cal Smith song "Sunday Morning Christian", the track received a huge amount of airplay on local radio stations throughout the country.

It had long been Gerry's dream to front his own country band, and a chance meeting with Henry Mc Mahon at a Jimmy Buckley dance brought Gerry one step closer to fulfilling it. Henry takes up the story "I had heard his single "Sunday Morning Christian", and when I met him, I was amazed how much we had in common when it came to singers and songs. I am always of the opinion that a good dance programme is the most important ingredient in our type of music". In the following months, Gerry was signed to Henry McMahon Promotions & the K-Mac record label.

The first thing was to find a suitable song to launch Gerry's career. Karen from K-Mac Records came across the song "Shut Up Heart", and was just waiting on the right singer to record it, that singer was Gerry and he was knocked out by the song. Straight away he contacted Jonathon Owens at Spout Recording Studio, went in and recorded the song. The release of "Shut Up Heart" brought Gerry's distinctive country voice to a whole new national audience.

Gerry has definitely served his apprenticeship. He is now one of the top attractions in the country. His new single 'Tequila Sheila' is being played on every radio station in the country.

## LET'S GO BACK IN TIME

This showband picture from 1972 with some familiar faces. Front, the late George Kane. George was from Tullamore in Co. Offaly. and was a member of Jessie & the James Boys. George passed away earlier this year aged 69 at his home in Castlemaine where he lived with his wife Ann and family.



On his right is Tony Allen who 42 years ago became the Allen in Foster & Allen. Behind George is Tom Allen who 39 years ago became TR Dallas. Back is Doc Carroll who's big hit was Old Man Trouble in 1966. Doc gave Louis Walsh his first job at the age of 15 working in a pub and managing a fan club. Doc passed away aged 63 in 2005.

## Finally - Birthdays

Singer/songwriter Tom F. Hall has just turned 83 and if Don Williams was still with us he would have turned 80 but passed away in September 2017. If you celebrate your birthday this Sunday June 2nd - you blow out your candles with Brendan Shine who will be 72.



# HIKE TO THE LIGHT ON SATURDAY JUNE 22ND

## EXPERIENCE A SUNRISE ON STRICKEN

**T**he opportunity to see the sun rise on Stricken Mountain is available with Killarney Walking Festival who are organising the walk for Recovery Haven Kerry Cancer Support House on Saturday June 22nd.

Recovery Haven Kerry – Cancer Support House delivers caring and therapeutic services to those who have experienced cancer, their families and carers in a tranquil and relaxing environment and to the highest standard.

Stricken is part of MacGillycuddy's Reeks

range, at 440m - Struicín means 'little peak' or 'crested ridge', with a prehistoric Cairn on the summit. In Pagan times they celebrated the festival of the Summer Solstice on Stricken it follows a path to the top until an ancient cairn/ritual greets the walkers.

The summer solstice, also known as midsummer, occurs when one of the Earth's poles has its maximum tilt toward the Sun. The solstice is when the Sun reaches its highest position in the sky and is the day with the

longest period of daylight.

So why not celebrate a bit of Kerry Rí-Rá with a dance of the Kerry. Set and savour the amazing views of The MacGillycuddy Reeks and Gap of Dunloe. The group depart at Kate Kearney's Cottage at 4am this walk is followed by breakfast afterwards at the Gap of Dunloe, Base Camp, Kate Kearneys cottage.

Cost: €25 which includes breakfast.

Email bookings to:

killarneywalkingfest@gmail.com

## PRES GIRLS CELEBRATE AT ANNUAL AWARDS CEREMONY



Eadaoin O'Donoghue, former student of St. Brigid's Secondary School, Killarney was one of the top two Spanish Students in Ireland in the Leaving Certificate 2018. Eadaoin attended a celebratory evening at the Spanish Embassy where she received her award from the Spanish Ambassador Ildefonso Castro. Eadaoin is pictured with her Spanish Teacher Maria Neary and the Deputy Principal Mairead McElligott.

Transition Year Student of the Year, Angel Hiu Suen Yip photographed with her mother Karman Tang and father Dimitrios Kanellopoulos and teacher Sinead Collins



Mahima Sujan and Kara Huggard were awarded for their Contribution to Down Syndrome Ireland



Outstanding Contribution to School Spirit Left Bridget Quilligan Caitlin Cronin Anna Clifford Emma Finn Aoife Doody Rebekah O Sullivan Vice Principal Mairead McElligott front left Hanna Daly Kate Nash Alison Cronin and Ciara Moynihan



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# KILLARNEY

## TOWN TALK

### MICROTRACK MEETING

Killarney microtrack will hold a fundraiser meeting on Thursday June 6th 8pm. Construction is due to begin on June 24th with plans for the project to be fully completed this summer and ready for use in early September.

### FOOD MARKET

Local food producers hold their annual food market at The Market Square every Friday 10am to 2pm on New Market Lane (behind Quills) and features local food producers

### TIDY TOWNS MEITHEAL

The Tidy Towns Meitheal group will meet at the High Street Car Park on Bank Holiday Monday next, June 3rd at 6.30p.m.

The main focus of Monday evening's clean up will be removing weeds from the footpaths, powerwash and painting poles on Roch Road, St. Anne's Road and Lewis Road. Everyone is welcome to come and help out.

### EXHIBITION AT THE LIBRARY

The Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty Memorial Society Memorabilia and Photographic Exhibition will run at Killarney Library from Friday 31st May to Saturday 15th June during library opening hours. Free admission.

### FREE ADULT EDUCATION

Are you unemployed and looking for a challenge? Have you considered returning to Education to upskill? Why not call in for a coffee and a chat to Killarney VTOS Adult Education Centre's open day on Friday 31st May 10am—3pm. So if you are Unemployed and in receipt of a Social Welfare payment Killarney VTOS may well be for you, so call in for a chat to KILLARNEY VTOS which is based next door to St. Vincent de Paul Shop New Street Carpark Email: killarneyvtos@eircom.net or call 064-6637757

### HEARTBEAT MEETING

DO YOU CARE FOR A LOVED ONE - family relation or friend at home? If so the HeartBeat May Meeting is just for you. Come and sample therapies, hear from the Kilgarvan Day Centre Team Rockmount. Booklets - Leaflets Tips &



FR NIAL HOWARD WITH COUPLES WHO WERE CELEBRATING A SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY AT THE JUBILEE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS IN ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL, KILLARNEY ON SATURDAY EVENING. COUPLES WERE CELEBRATING 55, 50, 45, 40, 30 AND 25 YEARS OF MARRIAGE. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH

information from the Citizens Bureau and the American Heart Foundation. Tea & Coffee available during the meeting that runs from 7.30pm to 9.30pm at the Serenity Centre St. Anne's Road on Monday May 27th. All welcome

### STROKE DAY SERVICE

POST STROKE SERVICE WITH PHYSIO AND NURSING SUPPORTS ( 12 Week programme) 10.00 am to 3 p.m (1 Day a week) in Baile Mhuire Day Care Centre Tralee. Referrals accepted from the whole County. For Further information and Referral Details Contact Tralee: Rose 0667123373.

### STAFF RESIDENCE UP FOR AWARD

The new staff residence at a Hotel Europe has made the shortlist for RIAI Public Choice vote for Ireland's favourite building of 2019 Ahead of the award ceremony on June 7th, the Royal Institute of the Architects of Ireland (RIAI) the Public Choice vote is open for Ireland's favourite building, place or public space at its annual RIAI Irish Architecture Awards. Online voting is now open, and all of the Public Choice projects are available to view on the RIAI website at [www.riai.ie](http://www.riai.ie). Voting closes at midnight tonight. The Staff Residences at Hotel Europe, designed by Gottstein Architects. The brief was to

provide quality staff accommodation for their employees, many of whom travel from mainland Europe to stay onsite for the summer season.

### ST. JOHN'S CEMETERY MASS

The first Cemetery Masses for 2019 will take place in St. John's Cemetery, Coolgarraive (up Madam's Hill and on the right) on Monday June 3rd at 3 p.m. All are welcome.

### GREAT SOUTHERN JOINS PREFERRED HOTELS & RESORTS

The owners of Great Southern Killarney have announced that Great Southern has become a member of Preferred Hotels & Resorts -- the world's largest independent hotel brand that represents more than 750 distinctive hotels, resorts, residences, and unique hotel groups across 85 countries. The Preferred Hotels & Resorts Lifestyle Collection, of which Great Southern is the newest member, represents premier global properties that offer engaging stays and memorable moments. Described as authentic, intelligent, and approachable, this diverse collection presents responsive service and local dining that articulate culture and style.





PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN 087 391 4808

## KILLARNEY IS READY TO GO LOCO!

The people that revolutionised bingo in Ireland are bringing their bingo rave to the INEC Killarney this June 28th.

Think epic tunes, wild prizes, CO2 and showers of confetti, conga lines, speed Macarena, foul-mouthed wind-up merchants, cheeky stage performers, lip-synch battles, dance-offs, fancy dress, outrageous props, holidays to Las Vegas, fantastic crowd and weird & wonderful times.

Tickets from €25 available now from [www.inec.ie](http://www.inec.ie) and [ticketmaster.ie](http://ticketmaster.ie)

## HOSPICE SUNFLOWER DAYS

7th & 8th JUNE, Hospice Sunflower Days, which aims to raise much needed funds for hospices and specialist palliative home care services across Ireland, will take place on Friday, 7th June and Saturday 8th June 2019.

You can show your support for this worthy cause by volunteering to help fundraise over the two days or by buying some sunflower merchandise; and remember every euro raised locally, stays locally!

If you would like to volunteer or donate, please contact your local hospice or specialist palliative home care service today, log onto [www.sunflowerdays.ie](http://www.sunflowerdays.ie) for details of your local hospice or home care service. Alternatively, you can also make a donation by texting 'SUN' to 50300 to donate €4\* to support local hospice groups across Ireland.

## HONDA 50 BIKE RUN

A Kerry mother Fiona Walsh and her kidney patient son who took part in the IKA's Run for a life in Dublin at the weekend is organising a fundraiser which is taking part in Killarney this Sunday.

The Honda 50 Bike Run will leave Killarney on Sunday morning and drive the Ring of Kerry, stopping off in Waterville for some light refreshments and entertainment by local musician Skatz! They will return to Killarney for a Barbecue.

"The aim of this event is to create awareness for organ donation.

We will be spreading the message that organ donation saves lives and urging the public to carry a donor card and have a conversation with their next of kin", Fiona said.



BABY ALANNA FLEMING, PICTURED AT RATHMORE CHURCH ON HER CHRISTENING DAY WITH HER PARENTS KIERAN & AOIFE (CENTRE) SISTERS (IN YELLOW) MOLLY & ELLIE, FAMILY & FRIENDS. PICTURE MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN

## FREE CPR / AED AWARENESS DAY!

Killarney cardiac response unit are hosting a free CPR & AED awareness event in conjunction with our street collection this Saturday June 1st 2019 at the rear of the The Laurels Pub & Restaurant from 12 to 6pm.

Find out the basic steps to make the difference in cardiac arrest | practice hands only CPR | Learn about the importance of AED's & the locations of public access AED's | Meet the KCRU team and find out how we operate.

For more event information please follow us on facebook, visit our website at [killarneycru.ie](http://killarneycru.ie) or email [info@killarneycru.ie](mailto:info@killarneycru.ie)



FR NIAL HALL WITH TOM AND LOUISE MORIARTY, JOHN JOE AND MARY CULLOTY, CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OF MARRIAGE AT THE ANNUAL JUBILEE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS IN ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL, KILLARNEY ON SATURDAY EVENING. PICTURE: EAMONN KEOGH



# TWO NEW COUNCILLORS

## join Killarney Municipal District representatives on KCC



Victorious Healy-Rae family pictured at Killarney Leisure Centre on Sunday L-R Danny, Jackie, Maura, Johnny & Michael. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



Elected by the people on the first count, Cllr Michael Gleeson pictured at Killarney Leisure Centre with family & friends. Front Row L-R Don O'Donoghue, Conor Gleeson, Jim Gleeson & Donal O'Donoghue. Back Row L-R John O'Donoghue, Susan Gleeson, Johnny Cronin, Cllr Michael Gleeson, Kathleen Gleeson, Kathleen O'Sullivan Mannix & Sean Kavanagh. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



Cllr. Brendan Cronin pictured with his family following his election to Kerry County Council at Killarney Count Centre last weekend.

**K**illarney went to the polls on Friday last to elect 7 Councillors for the Killarney Municipal District, 5 MEP's and to decide on a change on the Referendum for Divorce.

On the home front sitting Councillor John Sheahan, lost his seat on the 7th count to Marie Moloney who polled 1,400 to 1,258. The Killarney Electoral Area had an electorate of 20,864 with the total poll being 12,794 and the quote set at 1,584.

Independent candidate Maura Healy-Rae topped the poll on the first count with 3,099 and was elected at this stage, as was Michael Gleeson with a total poll of 1,983.

The two councillors were quickly followed on count two by Brendan Cronin whose total votes came to 1,727 and Niall Kelleher with 1,603.

Count three in Killarney saw Donal Grady being elected on 1,618 followed by new candidate Niall "Botty" O'Callaghan on count 6.

The final seat was allocated to Labour candidate and former Senator Marie Moloney who beat John Sheahan the sitting Cathaoirleach of the Killarney Municipal Area.

There are now five independent councillors representing the Killarney Municipal Area on Kerry County Council and these are Brendan Cronin, Maura Healy-Rae, Donal Grady, Michael Gleeson and Niall 'Botty' O'Callaghan along with Niall Kelleher, Fianna Fail and Marie Moloney, Labour.

**Representing the five constituencies on Kerry County Council are:**

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Norma Foley, Mikey Sheehy, Michael O'Shea, Breandán Fitzgerald, Fionnán Fitzgerald, Niall Kelleher, Michael Cahill, Norma Moriarty, John Francis Flynn, Jimmy Moloney

**IND (10)**

Michael Gleeson, Brendan Cronin, Johnny Healy-Rae, Jackie Healy-Rae, Maura Healy-Rae, Niall 'Botty' O'Callaghan, Donal Grady, Sam Locke, Charlie Farrelly, Dan McCarthy

**FG (7)**

Patrick Connor-Scarteen, Seamus Cosáí Fitzgerald, Aoife Thornton, Mike Kennelly, Michael Foley, Bobby O'Connell, Jim Finucane

**SF (4)**

Tom Barry, Robert Beasley, Toiréasa Ferris, Pa Daly

**LAB (2)**

Terry O'Brien, Marie Moloney



Niall "Botty" O'Callaghan pictured with his family, his wife Cathy, son Darragh, mother Eileen and brothers Colm, Paudie and Micheál at the moment of his election to Kerry County Council.






# MAURA HEALY-RAE

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*"From the bottom of my heart, I want to thank the 3,099 people who gave me their No. 1 Vote and the many people who gave me their next highest preference. I want to sincerely thank the massive team who canvassed, put up posters and handed out leaflets and all who helped and supported me on the day to ensure I was elected. I am deeply humbled to have received such a mandate and I realise the level of trust and responsibility that has been placed in me. I promise to make myself available to all the people of the Killarney Municipal District and to continue to work tremendously hard. I am always available at my monthly clinics, on a one to one basis and on the mobile on 087 7816432. Thank You!"*

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**087 259 6464****Marie Moloney***Killarney Municipal District*

  
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You may be entitled to relief if your CT due is €40,000 or less in a tax year. If your CT due is between €40,000 and €60,000, you may be entitled to partial relief.

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- Sports Nutrition
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### Level 5:

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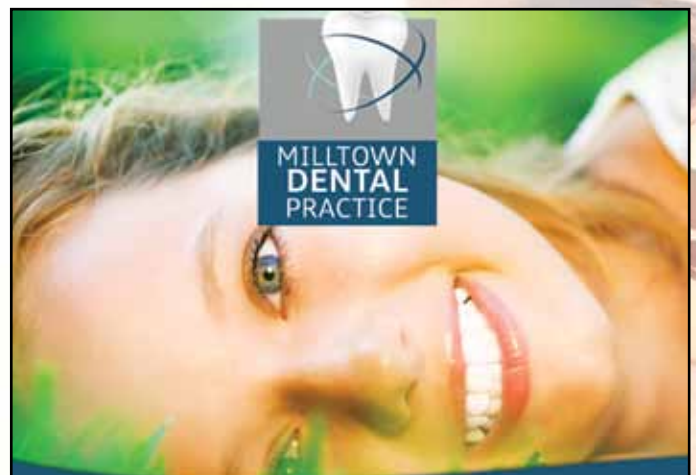


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## RATHMORE/GNEEVEGUILLA

by Michael O'Mahony

**EAST KERRY MENTAL HEALTH**

**ASSOCIATION:** wish to thank the community for their continued support & kindness for annual Planet Sale & Coffee Morning. This was a hugely successful Morning and the amount collected was 1735 euro. A special mention to anyone who contributed and helped out on the day your generosity is greatly appreciated. **SLIABH LUACHRA COMHALTAS** Sliabh Luachra set Dancers would like to thank all those who supported their Quiz night held recently in the GAA Hall. Thanks to the GAA for the use of the Hall and to the many sponsors who contributed spot prizes so generously. A great night was had by all, thanks again to everyone for making this fundraiser a success.

Coming in June share the Bucket This is a fundraising initiative by Gneeveguilla Community Council in association with Gneeveguilla Basketball Club with the specific aim of funding the continued improvement of community & supporting our organisations. With the final phase of the village improvements now in train, which includes new public lighting, undergrounding the electricity wires, improved footpaths and the recent improvement of the car park, we are now looking to install at least one more defibrillator in the area and continue to work on items like parking at the church. Your support in this weekly draw will ensure the continued development of community. You will be able to play the game in local business and online.

**GNEEVEGUILLA NATIONAL SCHOOL** congratulations to childrens who received their First Holy Communion in Gneeveguilla N.S. & MEENTOGUES N.S. - SATURDAY 25th MAY Date for the Dairy Greyhound Night Saturday 8th June for Gneeveguilla National School Enquiries to Miriam on 0647756368.

Split the Pot in Association with Rathmore Community Council with Rathmore Ravens, Sliabh Luachra Cycling Club & Sliabh Luachra Men's Shed. Be in with a chance to win. Tickets available from ticket sellers & in local businesses. Tickets €2 each or 3 for €5. Yearly Ticket €90. 3 Yearly Tickets €250. Draw held weekly at 9pm in local Pubs. Draw held last Wednesday night in Sheehan Bar, Knocknagree. Winner Christy Moyinhan Lacka Ballydesmond won €250.00.

Seller's Linda of Linda Restaurant Rathmore

### CONGRATULATIONS TO CHRISTY

Next week's draw on Wednesday night at 9pm Please support.

### RATHMORE GAA RED CIRCLE LOTTO

Renewals GAA Red Circle Lotto now due. Special Draw in June & December both for €1,000 plus Entry in to every weekly Lotto Draw Tickets are €90 each or 3 for €220.

Renewals on first time purchasers can contact Brian O'Leary, George O'Keeffe, Dermie Moynihan, Kieran O'Keeffe, or Donal O'Connor,

### LOCAL ELECTION 2019

congratulations to all candidates who contested the elections & who were successful in local election last weekend commiserations to candidates that were unsuccessful. Putting



At the Cheque Presentation of 3,000 from The Sneeem Strictly Come Dancing event which took place in the Sneeem Hotel in March, to the Cancer Support Group. L:R: Trish Kelly Kerry Cancer Support Group, Piotr J Bot Castle Cove Dancer, Mary Kavanagh organising committee, Stephanie Cahill organising committee, Maidie O'Leary Sneeem Dancer, Breda Dyland Kerry Cancer Support Group and Marie O'Sullivan Tahilla Dancer. Photo: Lisa O'Shea.



Geraldine Looney celebrating her retirement with family & friends at The Killarney Royal Hotel after 41 years service as a staff nurse at St. Mary of The Angels, Beaufort.

yourself up for election is not easy, all your time and energy over the last few months on the roads. I would like to wish the very best to the candidates who were elected and to commiserations those that didn't make it, but that's democracy they be other day.

**RECENT DIOCESAN COLLECTION** Diocesan collection for Education of Priests raised €1065. Your support is greatly appreciated. Thank You **ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION FOR MILLSTREET HOSPITAL FUND:** Takes place next Saturday night June 1st before Mass in Knocknagree. Your generous support will be greatly appreciated.

**ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY PILGRIMAGE** to Knock Shrine from Millstreet on Saturday 1st June. Bus leaving the Square, Millstreet at 6.30a.m. & Banteer at 7.00a.m. Contact Peggy O'Shea (029) 70206 or Cait Ring (086) 8736614 for further details.

Millstreet Tubrid Well Annual Mass this Friday May 31st at 8pm. at Tubrid Well. Every one welcome

**SYMPATHY:** To Sheila Kelly, Ard Mhuire, on the death of her sister Nora May O'Sullivan &

London & Knocknagheha, whose funeral took place recently in Gneeveguilla. May Nora rest in peace

### KILLARNEY VTOS

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Former Councillor John Sheahan is delighted to announce that the land requisition for the land bypass at Mossy's turn has been completed. John Sheahan will be working to get this project commenced as early as possible.





Emily Horgan representing Danny & Maura Healy Rae at the Lily of Killarney 2019 at the Gleneagle Hotel pictured with her Mum Catherine & Dad Eamonn. PICTURE: MARIE CARROLL-O'SULLIVAN



Abbeyscross U15 Set Dancers Winners of the Monty Casey Perpetual Cup at the Fleadh Nua in Ennis on Saturday last. Beth Healy, Ronan Fahy, Saoirse O Sullivan, Adam Counihan, Marion Casey, Jeremy Brosnan, Tracy Brosnan, Sinead Oliver, Evan Cox.

## KILCUMMIN NOTES

### THE VALLEY LEISURE CYCLE

The valley 70 leisure cycle in aid of Coolick National School will take place on Sunday 9th June 2019. Registration on Saturday 8th June from 6pm to 8pm and also Sunday from 7.30am. Race starts 9pm on Sunday 9th from Fossa Community Centre. There is a 30km & 70Km route. Entries fees are adult €25, under 16's €15 book online at [VALLEY70.WEEBLY.COM](http://VALLEY70.WEEBLY.COM). For more information go to Facebook [THEVALLEY70CYCLE](https://www.facebook.com/THEVALLEY70CYCLE) SUMMER CAMP

'Kilcummin Steps and Tunes Summer Camp' from the 8th to the 12th of July in the Recreational Hall from 10am to 2pm. The camp promises to be a week of fun with Set, Sean Níos & Brush Dancing with Adrian, music sessions, face painting and loads more fun and games. Children 4 years upwards welcome. Fee €55 per child, concession for two. Limited number of places available. Enquiries and booking to John 086-1579384.

### SIAMSA TÍRE

Recruitment for all ages (7- 12), (13-17) (18+) Auditions will be held in Siamsa Tíre Theatre, Tralee on Saturday 15th June from 10am – 6pm. 10am to 2pm (aged 7-12) 2 to 4pm (ages

13-17) & 4 to 6pm (aged 18+) Auditions are by appointment only. Contact Siamsa Tíre on 066 71230555 or visit [www.siamsatire.cm/nft/](http://www.siamsatire.cm/nft/) training Successful candidates are trained in traditional song, Irish dance and drama.

### GAA

SENIOR FOOTBALL KILCUMMIN 0-14 LEGION 0-10. Despite both teams missing a number of first team players this game was played at championship pace and our lads showed a return to form to deservedly take two more county league points. Noel Duggan with 7 pts to his name, Sean Brosnan, Philip Casey, and James Nagle in defence, Kieran Murphy, Shane McSweeney and Gary O Leary all stood out but Brenda Kealy's performance was once again incredible. However this was a great overall performance and emphasised the importance of having a good squad ready and able to perform when called upon. Next outing is in two weeks away to Spa. Team Brendan Kealy, Sean Brosnan, Donal Maher, Philip Casey, James Nagle, Damien O Leary, William Maher, Kieran Murphy, Kevin Gorman, Shane McSweeney, Gary O Leary, Enda O Sullivan, Oscar O Connor, Noel Duggan, Ger Sheehan, Subs used John McCarthy, Sean O Leary, Paul O Shea and Kevin McCarthy.

## ALL IRELAND CLUB

DVD's are available to order from Ciara O Leary club secretary at 087 9133062. They only cost €15 for a double DVD and cover pre-match, post-match interviews and the home coming as well as the game itself. there is also coverage of the county final and Munster final wins on the second DVD all for the € 15. This is an excellent presentation and one to keep for posterity.

## KILCUMMIN COMMUNITY GAMES

Kilcummin community games athletics will take place on Fri May 31st @6.30pm in Kilbreen Park, Mastergeeha. All Welcome.

## GLENFESK NOTES

### GLENFESK LOTTO

No winner of the lotto which took place in Spillanes Bar on 20/5/19

Jackpot €8,600

Numbers were 3,11,14,22

Winners

1. Pdraig Lucey, Ironmills (Yearly Ticket)

2. Luke Crowley, Knockanes

3. Derry Crowley, Knockanes

(Sellers' Prize)

4. Jerry Kelliher, Carrigeen.

The next draw will take place in the Corner House Bar on the 3/6/ 2019

and the Jackpot will be

€8,800

### CO LEAGUE ROUND 4

Glenfesk 0 – 5 Annascaul 0 – 11 Glenfesk's quest for a vital two points in Division two of the County League came up short at home to a determined Annascaul side on Sunday afternoon. After losing two of their first three fixtures the home side would have been looking for a quick start. This did not come to fruition though as it was the west Kerry side who got the scoring underway with a point from Fintan Herlihy. They added another from a free before Donal O'Sullivan got Glenfesk's first point after some slick passing in the twelfth minute. Annascaul replied almost immediately to give them a three points to one lead after an edgy start. Annascaul were on a roll at this stage and points from full forward Jack Farrell and midfielder Joe Kennedy pushed them further clear. Glenfesk needed a response and it came from wing forward Jeff O'Donoghue who applied the finishing touches to a lovely move which had started at the back. He added a free soon after to leave the score at six points to three to the visitors as the teams headed for the dressing rooms. The second half stated with Annascaul still in the ascendancy. They added four more points to their total with two being scored by the dangerous Alan Falvey. Glenfesk missed a chance during this period as a free kick deflected off the post and wide after good work from Brian O'Donoghue. This left the visitors with a 10 points to four lead as the match came towards its conclusion. Glenfesk were struggling to create openings in the Annascaul rearguard as their defence, led by full back Eoin Curry, were strong at preventing any threat that the home side managed. It was 25 minutes before they got their first score of the half which was finished by Brian O'Donoghue after a move which started with a quick kickoff. Glenfesk



goalie Marc Kelleher then made a point blank save from Joe Kennedy. This was the last piece of worthwhile action as Annascaul closed the game out to gain a victory by eleven points to five. A disappointing day then for the home side as eleven points is not a huge amount to concede on what was a perfect day for football. The defense held firm, with the half back line especially prominent, but a lack of scoring threat proved costly.

County Junior League Rd 1  
Glenflesk 3.13

Laune Rangers 2.11

Well done to the team and management .

Round 2 ; Away v Spa next Friday 31st May

**RAHEEN N.S.**

Congratulations to Gerard Warren who had the winning lotto no 43 on Saturday the 25th of May and to Susan Bartlett who had the winning lotto no 17 on the 18th.

## KILLARNEY LIBRARY

The Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty Memorial Society Memorabilia and Photographic Exhibition will run at Killarney Library from Friday 31st May to Saturday 15th June during library opening hours. Free admission.



Following the production of *The Wizard of Oz* children's pantomime in Rathmore in March, a cheque for €4,440 was presented to the Friends of the Children of Chernobyl, Rathmore. Joanna Hughes and Sheilann Moynihan, along with some of the cast members presented the cheque to Betty Casey last Thursday night. The children will be coming from Belarus to stay with their host families in Rathmore next month.



## OUTLOOK SPORTS

### FARRANFORE MAINE VALLEY AC NATIONAL COMMUNITY GAMES FINALS

Week one of the Aldi National Community Games Finals were held in the University Of Limerick Sports Grounds on Saturday / Sunday May 25th / 26th. Five of our juvenile athletes were representing Kerry. In the U16 Marathon, which is a 7Km run through the University grounds, we had Shauna McCarthy & Cian Spillane competing. We had approx. 25 participants for each race representing numerous counties, all running for individual positions and county team medals. Both Boys and Girls race was run together. From the offset the pace was very intense with the group packed well together at the 2Km mark. Gradually the group began to spread as those who went out too fast began to slow down. Shauna and Cian were both running well. At the 5k mark Shauna was positioned in third place with about 100m behind the two leaders, but was still well in control and looking comfortable. Cian who has been focusing on 800m & 1500m distances was finding the pace difficult, which is understandable considering this 7K was not part of his main focus this season. The final 200m's was on grass, at this point the lead girl runner appeared from around the corner, but hot on her heels was



Sisters Shauna McCarthy & Rhian McCarthy who competed in National Community Games. Shauna was first in the U16 Marathon (7Km) & Rhian won silver in the U12 Mixed distance relays.

Shauna, after making up some serious ground over the last 1K she was now within sight of the leader and the finish line. Like in training Shauna dug deep and began her sprint for the finish, passing the leader with great speed. Unable to react to Shauna's surge of pace it was

clear that Shauna was the Marathon Champion for 2019. Shauna gave it everything and was the deserved winner.

To cap it all the remaining three Kerry girls ran extremely well and secured a third place team medal. Cian finished the distance strong and was part of county to get fourth place medals. A great achievement from both athletes who have been involved in Kerry Community games for many years now.

In the U12 mixed distance relays we have Mairead Walsh & Rhian McCarthy for the girls team and John Sexton was part of the boys team. In the morning both teams competed in the semi-finals and secured their place in the finals which was held in the afternoon.

First up was U12 girls, Mairead ran the 1st leg which was 600m. Mairead ran really well and handed the baton over placed in second place. Rhian picked up the baton for the third leg which was also 600m's. At this stage they were still in second place but Dublin were hot on their heels. Rhian battled strongly to hold off the Dublin girl with both handing over their batons at the same time.

The final runner did very well to fight off the Dubs to win silver for the county. A great battle which the spectators acknowledged. In the boys U12, John ran the second leg, which was 400m's. This was very competitive with





Emmett O'Donnell pictured with his grandmother Pauline Kelly, Park Drive, Killarney on his recent win of All-Ireland champion new boy 3 59 kilo. Emmett won his quarter-final & semi-final by unanimous decisions, but had to dig deep to be crowned champion when winning a very competitive & closely contested final. Emmett lives in Crossgar, Co. Down & loves to visit Killarney during his school holidays.

six teams running very close together. John did very well to stay with the lead group and handed the baton over in fourth place. The two final runners battled hard to finally finish in second place.

So all our athletes came home with National Community Games Medals. A special mention also to daughter of Caitriona Barry, Rachel who was competing in the U13 1200m cross country race. S

he did extremely well finishing in the top 10 girls and their team won Gold for the county. A special thanks to the Kerry Community Games organiser, Owen Stack, for give up his free time to arranging training for the past six weeks and selecting the teams for all the races.

#### **MUNSTER U9 TO U13 T&F C'SHIPS**

The Munster Juvenile U9 to U13 Track & Field Championships were held in CIT on Saturday May 25th. Isaac Vickers ran a great U11 600m to come in first place. Isaac with the help of club mate Kevin O'Shea were teamed up in the U11 Javelin. With their combined throws they were second overall to win silver.

Ryan Vickers was also in action and made it through to the finals of the U10 60m sprint. In the final he ran very well to take third place. Very well done to all three athletes. Munster U12 to U19 Juvenile T & F Championships Day 1 is on Saturday 8th June in Templemore. Contact Club secretary to register.

#### **CLUB TRAINING**

Tuesdays @ Farranfore GAA Grounds, €2, Juveniles U9 to U16 Outdoors 6 to 7pm (All events). Thursday @ An Riocht Track, Castleisland, €3 Club Member €5 other. Juveniles U11-U16 & Senior 7:45 to 9:15pm (All events). NOTE: Must be Athletic Ireland Registered to attend.

We welcome new members to come along to training and try it out. If you are happy you can register after two sessions. See our website for full details.

#### **ATHLETIC'S FIXTURES**

Sat June 1st: National Schools T&F, Tullamore  
Sat June 8th: Munster U12 to U19 T&F c'Ships DAY 1, Templemore  
Sun June 9th: Munster Junior / U23 / Senior /

Master T&F CShips, Templemore

Wed June 12th: County Primary Schools, Castleisland  
Sat June 15th: Munster U12 to U19 T&F C'Ships DAY 2, Castleisland

Sun June 16th: Munster U12 to U19 T&F C'Ships DAY 3, Castleisland

Sat/Sun 22nd/23rd June: County Community Games athletics, Castleisland

Sun June 30th: National League T&F Day 2, AIT  
Sun 30th June: Munster Juvenile "B" T&F C'ships & Juv. Pentathlons, Lees Road Ennis

### **GNEEVEGUILLA ATHLETIC CLUB**

#### **LOTTO**

No winner of our lotto 24/05/2019, numbers drawn were 2, 7, 19 7 23. Sellers prize winner Lil O' Keeffe, €50 Y/T prize to Rose O' Keeffe Newmarket, €50 to Shelia Dobbins Sliabh Luachra, €40 each to Daniel Baker Kenmare, Thady O' Connor Kiskeam & Sean O' Keeffe Bounard. Bonus not won numbers drawn were 3, 5, 12 & 21. Next week's jackpot €19,600 plus €1,000 bonus.

#### **MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIPS**

We had Darragh Cronin, Cathal Hegarty & Frank O' Riordan all coming in 5th place in their respective events at The Munster Championships last week-end.

#### **COMMUNITY GAMES NATIONAL FINALS**

Jack O' Leary got a peuter medal as a member of the Kerry Team, Oisín O' Leary got a silver medal as part of the Kerry Team in U12 Mixed Distance Races.

**KNOCKNAGREE ROAD RACE:** Sunday 2nd June for a 3K road race in conjunction with The Lord Mayor Election. Starting at 11.00 am, it is a lovely race for children.

**SCHOOL SPORT QUALIFIERS:** Thank you to Knocknagree Gaa for allowing us the use of their facilities for hosting the national school sports qualifies on Tuesday evening last.

### **KILLARNEY RFC NEWS**

#### **SPLIT THE BUCKET**

This week's draw was made at Scott's Hotel and the winners were Shane Doyle who split the bucket and the promoter was Siobhan at the Corner Bar. To be in with the chance of winning simply put €2 into an envelope into the bucket at any participating venue and you could split the bucket. With 2 winners guaranteed this is a great way to win. The split the bucket is now available online - for only €10 a month you can enter the draw from home! Check out our Facebook page for more.

#### **GIVE IT A TRY**

Our give it a Try programme continues at Aghadoe every Saturday between 11 and 12. Open to girls aged 10 - 14 this is a fantastic way to learn to play rugby, make new friends and have fun. Contact Denise on 087-8064112 for details.

#### **LADIES RUGBY**

Our ladies rugby kicked off last Wednesday evening at Aghadoe and continues every Wednesday at 7:30pm. an 8 week programme aimed at introducing ladies to rugby, no experience is needed and it's a great way to learn to play rugby, learn more about the game, meet fellow female rugby fans and have fun. For details contact Hollie on 087-1946341.

#### **GOLF CLASSIC**

Our KRFC Golf Classic takes place next Friday (7th of June) at Mahony's Point and tee times are available now. Teams of 4 cost only €250 and there will be Closest the pin, Longest drive and a hole in 1 competition as well as great prizes and food on the day. To book a team contact Ger on 087-1240365

### **WORKMEN'S ROWING CLUB**

#### **BANTRY REGATTA**

Workmen's were represented at Bantry Regatta by six of our junior scullers who enjoyed some fantastic close racing with some heart stopping finishes.

Well done to Ben Cussen and Caolán Ireland who won the Mens J18 2X, Ryan Bartlett and Caolan took gold in the MJ162X and both Ryan and Caolan won their single sculls taking gold in the MJ15 and MJ16 singles. Dan Kelliher also had an excellent race in the final of the MJ16 2X. Our young ladies had equally impressive results with Maya Fleming and Ellen Farndon combining to take 2nd place in both the WJ16 and WJ18 2X, Both girls also went on to take 2nd in their individual races. Well done to all and many thanks to their coaches and mentors.

#### **BBQ & PAELLA FUNDRAISER**

A hugely enjoyable evening was had by all last Sunday. Many thanks to our generous sponsors of this event and especially to the organisation committee led by Mary Hartnett and Peter Farndon.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Cork Regatta- 2 days, 22nd & 23rd June.  
Killarney Regatta- 30th June.

#### **EXAM TIME**

All the very best to our members who prepare to sit State Examinations this week.



## KILLARNEY VALLEY ATHLETIC CLUB

Congratulations to Darragh O'Leary who competed in the Munster T&F Championship in CIT at the weekend and came 1st in the Junior 3000m. St. Brendans AC are holding their annual Open Sports day on Bank Holiday Monday, June 3 at 1pm sharp in Ardfert. This is always a great day out for anyone wishing to compete. A reminder for anyone who qualified in the Primary School Sports at the Killarney Community College on May 3 must attend the Kerry Primary Schools at an Riocht on Wednesday evening June 12.

Monday nights S&C is now finished until next September but Fit4Life group are still going strong every Monday and Wednesday at 7pm from the Sem Hall.

**TRAINING** for Juveniles continues Thursday evenings 6-7pm until June 20. Bring €2 and water.

### SPA MUCKROSS COMMUNITY GAMES

National Finals: Our swimmers did us proud last weekend in the amazing facilities of UL. Well done to Ian Coffey who came 4th in the boys U14 50m breaststroke to win the pewter medal. An outstanding performance also by Faye O'Neill in the highly contested girls U14 50m backstroke, narrowly missing out in a place in the final by a mere 0.1 of a second.



Ian Coffey who came 4th in the boys U14 50m breaststroke to win the pewter medal.

## FIRIES COMMUNITY GAMES

Its been a great past few weeks for Community Games Teams representing Furies, so well done to all the competitors, parents and coaches who have given up their time to keep everything happening.

**SKITTLES:** Furies entered three teams of eager players coming away with two Golds and a Bronze. U12 Team; GOLD - Daniel Cronin, Jonathan Galvin, Sinead Galvin, John Henderson, Bryan O'Leary, Sean Og O'Leary Griffin and Padraig O'Sullivan U14 Team, BRONZE - Sean Daly, Sean O'Sullivan, Sean Gallivan, Luke Henderson, Henry Walsh, Padraig O'Shea and Eoin Walshe U16 Team, GOLD - Noah Moynihan, Michael Moynihan, Vishnu Mandaharin, Simon O'Leary, Orna O'Leary, Colm O'Shea and Padraig O'Shea.

Both the U12 and U14 now represent Furies



Workmen's Rowing Club Men at Bantry Regatta last weekend. Caolan Ireland, Gold MJ16 1X, MJ16 2X and MJ18 2X. Dan Kelliher, final MJ16 2X. Ben Cussen, Gold MJ18 2X. (Missing from Pic, Ryan Bartlett, Gold, MJ15 1X, MJ 162X.)



Killorglin resident and horse trainer Phillippa Christy pictured with her horse Teddy. They competed at the first ever bitless riding class to be held in Ireland at the Equifestival. They were 3rd in the class. The class was sponsored by the new Irish Horseriding Bitless Association.

and Kerry in the Munster Provincials in Tralee on July 6th. Well done and a special mention to their managers Christine Cronin and Maura Culloty.

### MAY NATIONAL FINAL HANDWRITING:

Bryan O'Leary represented the parish and Kerry, well done Brian.

**CROSS COUNTRY:** Mairead Walsh represented Furies and Kerry in the U12 Mixed Relay running a very strong first leg to set the team up well as they eventually held on for a wonderful SILVER Medal, well done Mairead and the rest of the team.

**INDOOR SOCCER:** The Furies U13 Indoor Soccer team (Katie Doe, Laura Flynn, Sarah Palmer, Kerri Breen O'Riordan, Aoife O'Sullivan, Emma O'Brien, Clodagh Moriarty and Aideen O'Brien and their management and coaches Bernie Doe, Jason O'Brien and Seamus O'Brien), had a brilliant day on Sunday winning their Semi Final and going into the final against Leinster Champions, Kildare. Unfortunately it wasn't meant to be for the Furies Girls, missing out on Gold by a scoreline of 8-5, but they

where worthy SILVER Medal winners, a warm congratulations to you all an absolutely super achievement. With the Community Games season nearly at an end we still have to look forward to the Kerry Athletics on the 22nd June in Castleisland, so keep an eye out over the coming weeks for the team representing Furies.

## FLESK VALLEY ROWING CLUB

With just over 4 weeks to go to the Annual Killarney Regatta which takes place on the 30th June 2019, activity is building up on Lough Leane. Flesk Valley crews of all ages have been taking to the water and being put through their paces by their coaches and coxes who are as always working tirelessly, and volunteering their free time. Keep up the good work over the coming weeks.

Collection: thanks to club members who helped with the Killarney Regatta Committee church gate collection last Sunday.



## KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB - LADIES

### RESULTS

Sunday 26th May 2019

Today's competition was kindly sponsored by Daly's Super Valu, stroke format on Mahonys Point

1st: Aine Martin (36) 49 points  
2nd: Lady Captain Mary Sheehy (3) 42 pts  
BG: Mairead Martin (-2) 40 pts  
3rd: Mary O'Neill (23) 40 pts  
4th Betty O Farrell (15) 39 pts  
5th: Sinead Lynch (19) 38 points (B9)  
6th: Maire Murphy (32) 38 points

Next Sunday's competition is President Tom's prize to the Ladies. It is stroke on Mahony's point.

## ROSS LADIES GOLF CLUB

Lady Captain Therese O'Keefe held her Open Day at the Ross GC on Wednesday, 22nd May. A total of 20 teams played in beautiful weather.

First Prize to Betty O'Farrell, Julie Leonard and Grace Dennehy (54 pts)  
Second Prize to Susan Darby, Rita Kelliher and Maire Ni Loinsigh (51 pts on the back 6)

Third Prize to Christine Carroll, Sinead O'Shea and Tina O'Sullivan (51 pts)  
Fourth Prize to Kaye Cremin, Susan Shorten and Phil Kettle (50 pts)

We would very much like to our thanks our Sponsors for the Open Day who were The Laurels Bar and Restaurant, Heather's @ The Gap of Dunloe and Parkfield House, Park Road, Killarney.

## KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB - MEN

### KERRY VINTNERS CHARITY GOLF DAY

Kerry Inter Pub Championship  
Wednesday 15th May 2019, Mahonys Point, Killarney.

In aid of The Irish Pilgrimage Trust.  
1st Dromhall Hotel 108 Points.

Shane Kelly (17), Paddy Buckley (15), Philp O Connor (14), Colin Daly (11)  
2nd Mc Sweeney Arms 105 Points.  
Kevin O Callaghan (9), Ambrose O Donovan (15), Ger Linehan (17), Seamie O Connor (13)

3rd Lake Hotel 104 Points  
Niall Huggard (10), Joey Sheehan (6), Martin Byrnes (7), Con Healy (10)  
4th Castlerosse 103 Points

Steve Shine (18), Mick Clifford (22), Una Moroney (28) Stephanie Lane (28)  
Special thanks to our main sponsor Tom Tobin, Killarney Medals & Trophies and to all the vintners that entered teams. A great day was had by all!

## KILLORGLIN MEMBERS GOLF CLUB - LADIES

### LADIES RESULTS

18 Hole V Par sponsored by Topline  
Boyles: 1. Anne Myers Foley (36) +7.  
2. Jennifer Piggott (17) +3. 3. Maura Kennedy, Vice Captain (37) +2.

Silver Swans 12 Hole Stableford (21/5/2019). 1. Marie Halloran (51) 35 pts. 2. Rita Kelleher (34) 31 pts. 3. Anne Myers Foley (36) 30 pts.

Fixtures: Sunday 2nd June  
Castleisland Exchange Day 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Beauty Boutique, Killarney. Time Sheet in Pro Shop.

### SCRAMBLE

The Sarah Mangan Perpetual 3 person Scramble sponsored by Wood Coatings Ireland takes place on Mon 3rd June. Any combination.

Time Sheet in Pro Shop. Open to visitors. Ring 0669761979 for tee times. 12 Hole re-entry sponsored by Lady Captain Kathleen Keating in aid of Kerry Parents & Friends Association continues until further notice.

**OPEN DAY** 18 Hole Singles Stableford sponsored by FEXCO is on Tuesday 11th June. Time Sheet in Pro Shop 0669761979.

## ROSS GC, KILLARNEY - GENTS CLUB

### RESULTS

On the weekend of 25th / 26th we held an Open SS competition.

The winners were:-

- 1....Daniel Cronin (13) 38 pts
- 2....Tony Lenihan (15) 36 pts
- 3... Maurice Coffey (26) 36 pts

### FIXTURES

On next weekend (June 1st/2nd) we will hold an open SS competition and the timesheet is now available in the clubhouse.

On Friday May 24th :- We held a very successful and very well supported 10 hole mixed scramble followed by a very nice sociable evening in the clubhouse. Club Matchplay Championship :All players are reminded to play their current round matches before the deadline date of June 10th. Any matches unplayed by that date will be decided by a coin toss.

Kingdom Challenge Shield:- Best of luck to our Intermediate Team this week when they take on Tralee GC in Tralee in the second round of that competition. Pierce Purcell :- After a titanic battle in Ceann Sibeal with Waterville GC our gallant Ross team had to give way on a scoreline of 3 to 2.



**KILLARNEY GOLF & FISHING CLUB**

# OPEN FIXTURES

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When you find that your ball is either above or below your feet, remember the following simple rules:



Aim right of target when the ball is above your feet and choke down the grip



Aim left of target when your ball is below your feet and use all of the grip



This is to allow for the balls expected curvature in flight

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## KILLORGLIN MEMBERS GOLF CLUB - MENS

Results of Galvin/Hooper/Murphy & Dolan Stableford Singles ending on 26 May are as follows:

1st - Timmy O'Neill (17) 38 Points (CB), 2nd - Donal Lynch (18) 38 Points, 3rd - Denis Bird (8) 37 Points, 4th - John M. O'Sullivan (17) 36 Points (CB).

On Thursday 30 May the South Munster Seniors Open Day is on at Killorglin Members GC. Timesheet is in the proshop.

Next weekend on Sunday 2 June is the Castleisland Exchange Day Singles Stableford.

## BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB (LADIES BRANCH)

25th/26th May - Stableford -

Sponsored by Aideen Ryan-Lee

1st Noeleen Mackessy (23) 33 pts

2nd Renee Clifford (28) 33 pts

3rd Teresa Clifford (28) 32 pts

## BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB (GENT'S BRANCH)

24th May - Open Friday - Sponsored by Clifford's Groundcare Ltd

Winner: Jack Savage (16) 43 pts

## FIXTURES

1st/2nd June - 18 Hole Stableford - Blue Tees - Sponsored by James O'Dowd, The Golf Doc, Tralee

29th May - Club Scramble - Meet at Clubhouse at 6pm for 6.30pm start.

7th June - Open Friday - Sponsored by Clifford's Groundcare Ltd - 18 Hole Single Stableford (Open to Ladies & Gents) - Ring Clubhouse on 064-6644440 to book a tee time.

Captains Charity Rumble - 3 Person Team - Yellow Tees - Sponsored by John O'Callaghan. Competition is a re-entry (play any day) and will run until 20th October.



Geraldine and Frank Doherty of Safeguard Security (centre) presenting first prize in the Safeguard Ladies competition to winner Alicia Burke with Mary Sheehy Lady Captain (back) Sheila Crowley 4th and Annette McNeice 2nd at Killarney Golf Club, Killarney.



James Curran Captain (fourth from left) presenting first prize in his Charity Day first prize sponsored by O'Donoghue Ring Hotels on Killeen to winners winning team Captain Tony Davery with (left) Alan McKelvie and Tony Philpott of Youth Suicide Prevention Ireland, the chosen Charity, Tom Prendergast Club President, (second row from left) Ger Moroney, Pat Casey, Maurice McCarthy and Michael Crowley 2nd and (back) James Lucey and Eugene Kennedy 3rd at Killarney Golf Club.



Pat O'Neill with his family Finn, Lara and Luke presenting the first prize in the Pat O'Neill Salon Ladies Competition to winner Louise Mangan with (left) Breeda Neeson 2nd, Mary Sheehy Lady Captain, Tom Prendergast Club President (back from left) Sinead O'Shea 4th, Lora Beth Molloy at Killarney Golf Club.



James Curran Captain (third from left) presenting first prize in the O'Donoghue Backstages on Killeen to winners James Devane with George Vas's 3rd, Tom Prendergast Club President (back from left) D J Fleming 5th, Ger Moroney 7th, Ian Spoillane best gross and Michael O'Donoghue division 3 at Killarney Golf Club.




# KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR CYCLISTS





## DEERPARK PITCH & PUTT

Munster Gents Strokeplay Qualifiers: Eight players made it through last Sunday in Newmarket for the Finals in Listowel on the weekend of June 16th. Damien Fleming, John McGrath & Jason O'Brien made it through in the Senior with Adam Kelly, John O'Brien and Gearóid Cronin qualifying in the Intermediate grade. Darragh O'Callaghan and Noel Moynihan made it through in the Junior section meanwhile.

Bob Casey: We won last week's second round in Castleisland with Damien Fleming picking up the Senior Gross prize with 45. Round Four will be in Deerpark on next Tuesday night @ 6.30pm. Open to Kerry PPUI registered members to play, fee of either €5 per night or €10 for the tournament.

Wednesday Scrambles: New series has begun. They will take place @ 6.45pm each Wednesday night over summer, open to all members, fee of €3 per event.

Sunday Competition: Usual times of 9.15am and 11.15am for members aged 15 or over.

Tralee Scratch Cup: June Bank Holiday Monday

with cards from 8.30am-2.30pm, cards €10 per player, playoff for Top 12 & Ties at approximately 5pm.

National and County Strokeplay Entries: Must be received and paid for by this Monday with a fee of €13 for the National and €10 for the County Strokeplay. No unpaid entries will be sent off.

National Gents Matchplay: Damien Fleming will be taking part this weekend in Rocklodge, Co Cork as second seed. He tees off in the last match of the First Round against Meath's Eamon Gibney on Saturday afternoon.

## KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB MENS' CLUB

The Daly's Supervalu Stroke competition took place on Mahony's Point last weekend, with very impressive scoring from the Blue tees.

Results as follows;

1st Lee O'Callaghan 66 (13)

2nd Peter O'Brien 67 (09)

3rd Martin Stackpoole 67 (16)

4th Kevin Brooks 68 (16)

5th Pat Kelleher 68 (10)

6th Patrick Leahy 68 (15)

7th Andrew Garnett 68 (10)

Category 1 Simon Gallivan 71 (03)(Best Gross)

Category 2 Russell Fleming 69 (08)

Category 3 Daniel Glavin 69 (12)

Category 4 Gary Kerrisk 69 (27)

Upcoming competition this bank holiday weekend is Tom Prendergast's President Prize. There are tee times on Saturday and Sunday, with the buffet from 7.30pm - 9.00pm followed by the prize giving at 9.30pm. There will be live music on the night and tickets are available from the Bar or Restaurant for €15.

Congratulations to the Mens' Pierce Purcell team on winning the West Munster Area semi-final weekend. The team is managed by Harry O' Neill and assisted by Denis Coleman. The team prevailed in three matches, beating Berehaven 4.5-0.5, Beaufort 4-1 and the Castlegregory 3-2 in the final match.

The West Munster final will take place in Castleisland GC on Wednesday the 5th of June where Killarney GC will take on Ring of Kerry GC at 4pm

## DR CROKES CLUB NOTES

### COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION 1 ROUND 4 DR CROKES 4-18 TEMPLENOE 1-15

Played in Lewis Road on Friday 24th of May

In a game in which both sides were missing a number of players we ran out winners in the end by 4-18 to 1-15. The game was won for us and lost by Templenoe in the first half. In the 30 minutes our ability to get through for goals was the difference between the teams. We scored four goals to our opponents one in this period to go in at half time leading by 4-08 to 1-08. Even though our opponents matched us in point scoring in this half their concession of goals told against them in the end.

Templenoe had the first two points of the game but we had a purple patch from the 10th to 15th minute scoring 2-3 without reply. Our opponents did score a goal from the penalty spot in the 23rd minute but prior to that we had scored our third and fourth goal in the 22nd and 23rd minute. This gave us an interval lead of 4-08 to 1-08.

The teams exchanged points on a few occasions but we scored three points without reply during two periods of this second half. Templenoe never gave up but the half time lead against them was a bridge too far. Both teams played good football throughout and both sides kicked good scores.

Team and Scorers: Shane Murphy, Brian Fitzgerald, Jason Lyne, Mark Fitzgerald, Chris Doncel 0-1, Lorcan Mc Monagle, Brian Looney 0-3, Daithi Casey, Billy Courtney 2-0, Gavin O'Shea, Chris Brady 0-3, Jack Griffin, Jordan Kiely 1-8 (0-7 frees), Mark O'Shea 0-1, Mike Casey 1-0.

Subs: Paul Clarke 0-1, Bryan O'Shea 0-1, Kieran Ward, David O'Leary, James Kelly.

### DR CROKES SENIOR HURLERS

Dr Crokes Senior Hurlers played Banteer in Banteer on Tuesday Night 21-May in Rd 5 of the

Duhallow JAHL.

This was our final game before the kick off of our Div 2 county league campaign next week. After taking an early lead, we were under pressure from the start. Banteer presented a constant goal threat and scored 2 goals in the first half, each one killing any momentum we had gained. The score at half time was 2-11 to 0-9.

We upped our work rate for the first 10 mins of the second half, but our fitness levels are not where we would like and Banteer ran out convincing winners on a score of 5-18 to 0-12.

Overall a disappointing performance but a timely eye opener for our county league campaign which starts next Wednesday night the 29th with a home game to Tralee Parnells

Team and Scorers: Eoin Hayes, Mike O'Keefe, Kevin Landers, Michael Eoin Buckley, Gary O'Connor, Ritchie Farrowsey, Rory Waters, Mike Milner (0-2), Jack Lenihan (0-1), Michael Lenihan (0-6, 0-3F), Aaron Murphy (0-1), Michael Horgan, Seanie Burchill (0-2), Mike McCarthy, Rob Ryan.

Subs: Seanie Morris for Mike McCarthy (40 mins), Jamie Lenihan for Michael Horgan (45 Mins)

### WELL DONE

Well done to Leah who was selected for the primary games team of o play at halftime in the Munster final with Aine McMahon

### DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

Deepest Sympathies to the Hartnett and Cussen Family on the death of their mother Mary Ann Hartnett. RIP.

Deepest Sympathies to John Lyne and Family on the death his brother Jeremiah Lyne. RIP.

Deepest Sympathies to the Hartnett Family on the death of PJ Hartnett. RIP

Deepest Sympathies to the Pa O'Brien and Family on the death of his brother Sean O'Brien. RIP



## OUTLOOK GAA

## SPA GAA CLUB

### U12 BOYS

On Sunday evening our U12 B team put up a great battle with An Gaeltacht. Playing against a strong breeze in the first half, Spa did very well to go in only 2 points down at half time. In the second half Spa came out fighting and levelled things up with 10 minutes to go. However, An Gaeltacht proved too strong in the end and the game finished 4-04 to 2-06. It was a great performance by Spa considering most of the team is made up from our U10's. We look forward to taking on Rathmore nextweek.

### U14 GIRLS

Spa U14 Girls hosted Castlegregory in Spa on Sunday 26th May. 12 a side made it a very fast paced game with Grace O'Connor for Spa scoring a goal in the 1st half to keep in touch with the visitors at half time but Castlegregory found another gear in the second half to win comfortably. Spa held huge possession in the game and showed great potential for the future, they meet Austin Stacks next week.

### U17 CO BLITZ (9-A-SIDE)

The first round of the U17 blitz took place in St Pats, Blennerville on May 22nd. Results in this group was Asdee/Ballydonoghue/Ballylongford 2 wins, Spa 1 win and St. Pat's 0. Round 2 continues on MondayMay 27th with Spa grouped with Castleisland Desmonds, St Michaels Foilmore and St Pats Blennerville.

### CO LEAGUE RD4: SPA 3-18

### ST MARYS 1-7

Spa produced a sparkling performance against a badly depleted home side to take two precious county league points away from a sun-drenched Con Keating Park. SpaTeam: James Devane,





Eoghan Cronin, Brian Lynch, Eoghan Fitzgerald, Bryan Russell, Dan O'Donoghue, Ciaran Spillane (0-1, 1'45), Shane Cronin (0-1), Mike McCarthy (0-1), Ryan O'Carroll (0-1), Mike O'Donoghue (1-4, 2f), Niall O'Mahony (0-1), David Spillane (1-2, 1f), Evan Cronin, (1-6), Cormac Cronin (0-1). Subs Gary Vaughan, Andrew Garnett, Niall McCarthy, Shane Fenton

### UPCOMING FIXTURES:

Monday May 27th: U17 Co Blitz Rd2 in Castleisland (3 games)

Tuesday May 28th: East Kerry Junior League Rd1: Spa v Glenflesk (7.15pm in Spa)

Friday May 31st: Co. Junior League Rd2: Junior v Glenflesk (7.30pm in Glenflesk)

Sunday June 2nd: U12 Co League Rd3 Spa v Rathmore (6pm in Rathmore)

### LOTTO RESULTS 20/05/2019

Numbers 8, 14, 21, 23. No winner and €50 Lucky Dips to Breda Lynch, Dooneen; Sheila & Mike Moynihan, Ardanaenig; Dee & Noreen O'Sullivan, Minish; Neil O'Sullivan. Jackpot is now €11,400 and draw on Monday May 27th will be in the McSweeney Arms. Thank you to everyone who supports our club lotto. Tickets available from the following – [www.spagaa.com](http://www.spagaa.com) (Online); Clubhouse Reception; Dalys Supervalu; Centra Muckross Rd; Killarney Heights Hotel; Torc Hotel; Killarney Oaks Hotel; McSweeney Arms; Arbutus Hotel; Royal Hotel; Jimmy Briens

### BEST WISHES

Good luck to the Kerry team and management, especially Dara Moynihan and Liam Kearney, in the Munster Championship semi-final v Clare next Saturday June 1st in Ennis.

### GYM FOBS

Access to the club gym is through individual fob only for registered members. For details contact the Chairman Michael Cronin.

### SPA MERCHANDISE

Spa merchandise shop is open on Saturday mornings from 10am to 11am. For any queries contact Mathilda on 087 6487356

### SPORTS HALL & MEETING ROOM HIRE

For sports hall and meeting room availability and bookings, contact Eileen 087 6577312 (after 6pm only) or Ann 087 9403508

### LILY OF KILLARNEY

Congratulations to our 2019 Lily of Killarney Shauna Goggins, sponsored by the Neily O'Connor Band. Shauna was crowned the new Lily at another sell-out event at the Gleneagle Hotel last Friday. Well done to the Spa Ladies Committee on another brilliant occasion.

### JUVENILE TRAINING

Our ABC, U6, U8 and U10 boys and girls training continues every Saturday morning from 10am. For more information on training times, please contact the Coiste na nÓg Secretary on 087 1385612.

### SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the family of PJ Hartnett, Upper Park Road.

Any items for the club notes please contact Deirdre at [pro.spa.kerry@gaa.ie](mailto:pro.spa.kerry@gaa.ie) or 085 1216359 before 8pm on Sundays.



Players from Furies Hurling Club (U6 to U14) who played at half time of the Furies Vs Currow County League Game in Farranfore on Saturday evening.

## BEAUFORT GAA NOTES

**LOTTO** results of Sunday, 26th May for a jackpot of €9,000.

Numbers drawn: 2,12,14,16. No jackpot winner.

Consolation Prizes

€80 Mary Kissane, Shanara

€50 Katie and Isobel O'Sullivan, Cappaganeen, Vincent O'Shea, Shanara, Fionán and Teresa Foley, Kilgobnet

Next draw for a jackpot of €9,200 will be in Beaufort Bar on Sunday, 9th June.

## GNEEVEGUILLA GAA NOTES

There was no winner of last weeks lotto numbers drawn were 12,16,23,29. Lucky dip winners were €40 Majella Gleason, €40 Breda Falvey, €30 Margaret Connell, €30 Paddy + Sherree, €20 Joan O Mahoney. Next weeks jackpot €5,500 thanks for your continued support. Our carnival weekend is on 23rd to 25th of August more details in coming weeks.

## FOSSA GAA

### CONGRATULATIONS

Ted O Gorman has made the Kerry Primary Games Team and will play at half time in the Munster Final on June 22.

Elizabeth Coffey who has been selected for the Kerry Primary Games team. Elizabeth will play at half time during the Munster Final on June 22nd. Caitlin O Donoghue who will represent Fossa at the Kerry Ladies Gaelic Football Feile Skills County competition on June 5th in Tralee.

Fossa u12 Boys

### COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION 4.

Fossa U12 Boys entertained Furies in Fossa in the 2nd round of the County League.

Both games were very entertaining.

Fossa Black team started their game very well, although we did have a couple of wides.

At half time Fossa had a commanding 11 point lead.

However, Furies got back into the game with a very good 2nd half performance.

Fossa were a point down with a couple of minutes to go, when a free was awarded to Fossa, which they scored.

Fossa got lucky with the kickout and scored the winning point.

### FOSSA 5 09 FIRIES 4 11

The Fossa Red played some great football this evening and found themselves in a tight game.

At halftime Fossa were down a couple of points but in the 2nd half they fought back with some great performances by all concerned and this was the difference in the end with Fossa winning 4-10 to 5-03

Fossa U14 Girls played in the Div 2 County League A final against Inbhear Sceine Gaels. This was an excellent game played in Great Spirit and commitment by both teams. Final Score Fossa 5-10 ISG 3-4

Well done to both management and players.

### SENIORS:

Fossa seniors play Ballydonoghue 2pm at home Saturday 1st June.

### KERRY MINORS:

Kerry 1-16

Clare 0-11

Well done to the Kerry Minors management and players especially our own Emmett O'Shea who scored 1-3 in total.

### LOTTO:

No winner next week €11,550

### LIBRARY:

The Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty Memorial Society Memorabilia and Photographic Exhibition will run at Killarney Library from Friday 31st May to Saturday 15th June during library opening hours. Free admission.

## BALLYHAR-FIRIES GAA

### COISTE NA NOG

Academy Training continues on the pitch in Farranfore this Saturday at 10.30 to 11.30 for U6, U8 and U10. Bring €2, a drink and gumshields. All new player welcome.

Results:

Boys U12 County League

Thursday 23rd

A Fossa 5-09 Furies 4-11

B Fossa 4-11 Furies 5-03

Sunday 26th

A Furies 5-09 Moyvane 5-11

B Furies 4-11 Moyvane 1-05

Some great displays from our U12 boys in the County League this week.

The Blue team put in great performances against Fossa and Moyvane losing narrowly in both cases



while the White team secured a morale boosting victory at home to Moyvane on Sunday.

This whole group are showing great improvement week on week and look forward to the visit of Currow next week

#### LOTTO:

Last weeks number were 5, 11, 15, 25

No Jackpot winner

€30 winners were

Liam Fell, Farranfore

Henry Ahern, Farranfore

Pat Finnegan, c/o Centra

Joe Riordan c/o Airport

Alan O Connor, c/o Speakeasy

The draw for next weeks Jackpot of €2,400 will take place in Henderson's Bar, Furies on Friday night, 31st May. Get your lotto tickets from all the usual sellers, Club Officers, Senior Players or from the stand in Moriarty's Centra, Farranfore.

Thank you all for your continued support.

#### SENIOR COUNTY LEAGUE DIV 3 - RD 4:

Furies to on close neighbours Currow in round 3 of the County League in front of a very large crowd on Saturday evening in Farranfore. Currow played with the aid of a breeze in the first half and got off to the better start in this tough encounter. Currow lead by 2 point to nothing after 6 minutes until Furies stuck for the first of their 5 goals. This one coming in the 7th minute from Niall Donohue. But Currow replied quickly with a second point from Dan O Shea who was getting alot of possession at full forward. A minute later Currow got another point from play and were back in the lead again 0-04 to 1-00. In the 11th minutes Currow and Furies traded points again with the Furies score coming from a free from Donnacha O'Sullivan. Then in the 13th and 14th minutes Furies scored an another free from Donnacha and a goal from Mike Daly to lead 2-02 to 0-05. Currow replied a minute later with a point and in the 16 minute later Furies struck for their third goal, this time coming from full forward James O'Donoghue. Furies now lead 3-02 (11) to 0-06. But for the next 14 minutes it was all Currow and they kicked 7 points with Furies getting a single point in reply from Niall Donogue. Some very impressive points coming from the foot of Pa McCarthy at centre forward. During this period, Currow were denied a goal following a great save from John in goals to tip the ball over for a point. Then in injury time Furies struck for their fourth goal and a second from Niall and the last score of the half was another point from Furies to leave the half time score Furies 4-04 (16) to Currow 0-14 (14). Currow started the 2nd half well and within 5 minutes were level 4-04 to 0-16. Then in the 12th minute, the pivotal moment in the game occurred, with Currow through goal, the furies keeper fouled the Currow player in possession and received a black card for the incident and a penalty was awarded to Currow. Pat Daly came from the bench to play between the posts for the remainder of the game but his first challenge was to stand in front of the experienced Mike McCarthy for the penalty. But Mike dispatched the penalty well despite Pat getting a hand to the ball. Currow now took the lead for the first time since the 12th minute of the 1st half. Furies brought on Aaron Flynn for Liam Brosnan in the 13th minute and followed this up with 2 point in a row in the 14th and 16th minute from



Stephan Palmer and Brian McCarthy who were part of the South Kerry U16 Team at the weekend.

Donnacha to leave the score 1-17 (20) to 4-06 (18). But Currow were to reply again with a point in the 23rd minute and a well taken goal from Pa Mc Carthy in the 29th minute to stretch the lead to 6 points. For the final 5 minutes, Furies piled on the pressure and were rewarded with a point from Donnacha and a very fortuitous own goal in injury time. Furies did have one final chance to get a goal from a Con o Mahony shot but Currow stood strong and took their deserved win in the end by 2 points. Currow's dominance around the middle third of the field along with quick direct passes to their inside forward line proved to be the difference on the night. Final Score: Currow 2-18 Furies 5-07. Up next for Furies is a tough journey to North Kerry to play Ballydonoghue on the weekend of the 8th/9th June.

#### RESULTS

Senior Football League – Currow 2-18 Furies 5-07

Fixtures:

Junior County League Rd 2 Friday 31st Away Vs Currow 19.30

#### HURLING

Furies GAA will be taking part for the first time in this years Feile na nGael Hurling, which is also a first for Kerry. Furies will be hosting Naomh Dominic of Roscommon. Games will take place on the weekend of June 7th-9th, please see Furies Coiste na nOg facebook for events. Furies Hurling is open for business to all boys & girls from u6-u14 to any of our neighbouring Football clubs. For further enquiries please contact Paudie O Sullivan 0876941030.

I would like thank Furies senior club & Currow for allowing the kids a chance to showcase their hurling skills at half time at the County League match on Saturday evening .

Congrats to Fionn Coleman & Gavin O'Sullivan who represented on the Kerry u14 hurling team on Saturday in Limerick. Hopefully it's the start of a production line of Furies boys & girls representing Kerry in hurling & camogie, Furies abu. Hurling academy Training continues in Farranfore on Thursdays at 7 pm. All new player welcome.

## EAST KERRY GAA NEWS

By Michael O'Mahony

### EAST REGION U16 LEAGUE DIVISION 1 FINAL

Killarney Legion 5-11 ( 26)

Dr Crokes 2-09 (15)

These two famous town rivals went to battle for Div 1 one honours in Direen on Wednesday night. Killarney Legion had the better of the exchanges in the opening quarter.

The impressive William Shine at full forward had four fine points from play and Jamie Alade added a further.

Two pointed frees from Cian Mc Mahon kept Dr Crokes in touch.

Liam Randles then kicked a great point for Dr Crokes after a surging run.

The Legion reply was swift as Aaron O Sullivan goaled on the eighteenth minute.

The sides then exchanged three points a piece, the pick of these efforts was a sweetly struck 45 from Darragh Fleming for Legion after Dr Crokes keeper made a fine save.

As the haltime whistle approached a long range kick from William Shine dropped to the net to leave the home side with an eight point advantage. A Jack O Neill free opened the second half scoring before Dr Crokes goaled from dashing wing back Dara Looney.

A Liam Randles point reduced the margin to five. This was as close as Dr Crokes could get to the victors as William Shine (2) and Kian Mc Cann crashed goals to the net in the third quarter. Dr Crokes themselves had a goal inside the last ten minutes from midfielder Charlie Keating as they tried bravely to rally.

Centre forwards Jack O Neill and Liam Randles swapped points in the closing minutes before substitute Ewan Mc Indoe rounded off the scoring on a great night for Killarney Legion.

Captain William Shine scoring 3-05 was dangerous all night and was assisted by great play from Darragh Fleming and the likes of Daniel Carroll, Ethan O Neill, Jamie Alade, Jack O Neill and Sam Benson. For Crokes Cian Mc Mahon and Liam Randles were best on the night. At the end of the game Seán O Keeffe from East Region Coiste na nÓg presented the winning captain with the shield.

He complimented both teams a a fine sporting game, he also thanked Furies referee James O Sullivan and Killarney Legion for hosting the fixture.

#### PRIMARY SCHOOLS SKILLS

Eoghan Ruadh girls skills competition took place in Glenflesk. The standard was excellent with all players performing well on the day. Holy family NS (Ciara Dineen, Sarah O Donoghue, Leah Daly) won the team event. Aoife Cremin (Shrone NS) qualified in the individual section.

East Kerry girls skills competition took place in Dr Crokes. Faha NS (Fiana Bradley, Lily Clifford, Sarah Fitzgerald) secured the team event with a solid display. Leah McMahon (Mercy Convent NS) qualified in the individual section.

Kenmare District Board girls skills competition took place in Kenmare. Kilgarvan Central NS (Saoirse Buckley, Helena O Donoghue, Tara Desmond) won the team event with a fantastic display. Holy Arthur (Cahir NS) qualified in the





individual section. Best of luck to all players in the county final on Thursday 30th May at 11 am in Currans. Vince Cooper East Kerry/Kenmare GDA would like to thank all venues for supporting the competition. St Brendans College TY students provided great support at all venues.

### CO, U 14 DISIVIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

South Kerry. 7.12 ( 33)

Eoghan Ruadh 4.09 (21)

East Kerry 0.14

Feale Rangers 3.20 ( 29)

St Pat's East Kerry with the support of Killarney Credit Union are proud to introduce the Pat Delaney Memorial Cup scheduled to take place on the 1st of June at the Ross Golf Club.

Anyone interested in supporting this event, please contact me directly. Thanks in advance. Gary 087-2884478

### RATHMORE GAA RED CIRCLE LOTTO

Renewals GAA Red Circle Lotto now due .special Draw in June & December both for €1,000 plus Entry in to every weekly Lotto Draw

Tickets are €90 each or 3 for €220.

Renewals on first time purchasers can contact Brian O' Leary , George O' Keeffe, Dermie Moynihan, Kieran O' Keeffe, or Donal O' Connor,

## LEGION NOTES GAA

### DIV 1 COUNTY LEAGUE

#### KILCUMMIN 0-14PTS

Killarney Legion 0-10pts

Killarney Legion travelled to Kilcummin on Sunday in what was always going to be a hotly contested game. Both sides traded points in the first half with Conor Keane keeping the scoreboard ticking over which seen Legion going in a point ahead at the half time whistle, Kilcummin 5pts to Legion 6pts. The second half saw Kilcummin to their credit take control of the game with Legion losing Podge O'Connor and Damien O'Sullivan to injuries Kilcummin pushed on to extend their lead to 4 points running out comfortable winners in the end.

Scorers: C Keane 0-7pts (5f), K Slattery 0-01pt, Kevin Breen 0-01pt, P McCarthy 0-01pt

### DIV 5 GROUP B KILGARVAN 3-14PTS

#### KILLARNEY LEGION 0-07PTS

### EK U-16 DIV 1 FINAL

#### KILLARNEY LEGION 5-11

### DR. CROKES 2-09

Legion welcomed Dr Crokes to Direen after winning the toss for home venue with our neighbours. Played in ideal conditions Aaron O'Sullivan gave an exhibition from goal line and led his team with some pin point kick outs to some impressive saves on the goal line which kept an always dangerous Crokes team out with Legion going in with a well deserved lead at half time on a scoreline of 2-08 to 0-06pts. The second half started with Legion putting points on the board, Dr. Crokes to their credit fought back with an early goal in the opening minutes but Legion struck back three unanswered goals two from the outstanding William Shine and Kian McCann to finish this game as a contest. Darragh Fleming led the Legion backs with dominance and his leadership and skill was evident throughout this game leaving Legion run out comfortable winners on a scoreline of



Winners of the biggest lotto win since Listry lotto started Mike and Pat Quirke were presented with their cheque recently. Front row L-R Paddy Quirke, Mike Quirke (Winner), Ted Scannel (Chairman Listry Lotto), Pat Quirke (Winner) and Sarah Quirke. Back Row L-R Anthony Clifford, Jerome Kennedy, Catriona Doody O'Connor and Tony Darmody.

Legion 5-11 Crokes 2-09. Captain William Shine was presented with the U16 shield from Sean O'Keeffe Coiste na nÓg which he dedicated to former player Niall MacGillcuddy. This team Performance was a tribute to all the hard work, time and dedication being attributed to all teams in our Juvenile Academy topping off a hugely successful run. Well done to a great bunch of lads and Manager Alan O'Neill and his mentors. Scorers: William Shine 3-05, Aaron O'Sullivan 1-0, Kian McCann 1-0, Jack O'Neill 0-2ps (1f), Callum O'Donoghue 0-1pt, Darragh Fleming (45), Jamie Alade 0-1pt, Ewan McIndoe 0-1pt.

### U-12 DIV 9 BOYS

The third of our three u12 boys teams took to the field in Direen. The opening game of the second phase of County League Div 9 saw us host Glenbeigh/Glencar GAA Club.

Electing to play into the strong breeze in the first half, our lads started brightly to take an early lead. Some fine football throughout the field saw us go in at half time in the ascendancy.

The visitors rallied early in the second half to close the gap. A few more wind assisted scores was enough for our lads to pull away and claim the 2 points on the night. Well done to all the players on show from both teams this evening. Thanks to all the supporters who participated in the 'Silent Sidelines' initiative.

### GOOD LUCK

Kerry will play Clare in the 2019 Munster Senior Football Championship Semi-Final on Saturday June 1st at 7pm in Cusack Park, Ennis. Best of luck to Manager Peter Keane, James, Brian, Danny & Jonathan and the Kerry Seniors.

### WELL DONE

Congrats to Andrea Murphy who has been selected to play with the Kerry Primary Games She will line out at half time in the Munster Final on June 22nd.

### KERRY MINORS

Congrats to Eoghan O'Sullivan and Ryan O'Grady on defeating Clare in the Munster Championship on a scoreline on 1-16pts to 11pts in Ennis during the week.

### LEGION LOTTO RESULTS

7,10,16,28

Bonus No: 21 - Match 3's

Juliette Sheahan, 30 Deerpark Crescent

Liam O Connor 66 Bruach na hAbhann

Breeda Kelleher c/o Holiday Inn

Alan O Connor Speakeasy

Stephen Carey c/o Kaynes

Jackpot €18,100, draw @9pm Murphy's

Bar Monday 3rd June

### EAST KERRY JUNIOR LEAGUES 2019

(First team named is at home)

Division 1

Round 2

Tuesday 4th June at 7:30pm

Gneeveguilla V Rathmore

Kilcummin V Glenflesk

Spa V Dr. Crokes

## KILLARNEY CAMOGIE CLUB:

Feile 2019 - Final preparations are ongoing. Schedule for the weekend as follows. Friday 7th of June we are hosting 2 matches in Spa GAA starting at 6.15 and 7.45pm. Hot food will be served for ourselves and our guest club Four Roads Camogie from Co. Roscommon. Visiting players from Four Roads will stay with their host families on the Friday night. Saturday 8th of June. First match in Spa GAA at 10am. Tea and sandwiches will be served after the mornings matches and then on to Ballyvourney for quarter finals. We then return to Killarney for a parade through town at 7pm and then onto the Torc Hotel at 8.30pm for food and a disco. Visiting players from Four Roads will stay with their host families again on the Saturday night. Sunday will depend on results from Saturdays quarter finals. A big thank you to the club sponsors and to everybody who helped in the bucket collections, bag packing, table quizzes etc. The club will be looking for assistance over the weekend.

Training for all age groups continues every Monday evening from 6.30 to 7.30 at Spa GAA.





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- Cost: €90 per ticket or three for €220

**TO PURCHASE TICKETS, CONTACT DONAL (087 9886151) OR GEORGE (087 7448954)**

# NOVEL FUNDRAISER LAUNCHED BY RATHMORE GAA CLUB

Rathmore GAA Club have launched a novel fundraiser for the club.

The "Red Circle" lottery ticket supports all activities in Rathmore GAA, including the upkeep and maintenance of its pitches and club facilities. As well as offering entry into the club's weekly lotto draw, there are also some other fantastic offerings including:

€1,000 cash prize in June  
€1,000 cash prize at Christmas

Chance of winning two All Ireland Senior Football Final Tickets (if Kerry is in the final) Entry into all weekly lotto ticket draws from June 2018 to May 2020.

€40 weekly prize draw if jackpot isn't won

The cost of the tickets are €90 each or three for €220.

*Pictured are Paul Murphy and Shane Ryan promoting the "Red Circle" - Rathmore GAA's 2019 renewal of its Annual Lotto ticket scheme.*







## SCHOOL BOY/ GIRL SOCCER

### CUPS, LEAGUES AND GAYNOR PREVIEW:

League of Ireland  
13's Kerry 0-2 Cobh Ramblers  
15's Cobh Ramblers 2-1 Kerry  
Cups and Shields  
John Murphy 12 Cup Final  
Killarney Athletic 2-1 Tralee Dynamos  
John Murphy 12 Shield Final  
Killarney Athletic 2-0 Castleisland  
12 Girls Shield semi-final:  
Killarney Celtic Green 5-1 LB Rovers  
John Joe Naughton 13 Cup Final  
Killarney Athletic 1-1 Killorglin AET  
Athletic win 5-4 on penalties  
14 Girls Cup Final  
Inter Kenmare 3-4 Killarney Celtic  
Tom Hayes 14 Shield semi-final  
Dingle Bay Rovers 1-2 Park B  
Tucker Kelly 16's Cup Final  
Camp Juniors 7-0 Ballyhar  
Leagues  
12 Girls Premier  
Killarney Celtic White 3-2 Listowel Celtic  
Iveragh United 1-2 Inter Kenmare  
JK Sports 12 Premier B  
Listowel Celtic 2-2 Park  
Quills 14 Premier  
Iveragh United 4-0 Mastergeeha

### REPORTS

Both Kerry League of Ireland sides defeated:

It was double joy for Cobh Ramblers over Kerry in the 13's and 15's League of Ireland. The 13's lost 2-0 at home with Limerick winning 3-2 away at Galway and Cork being 6-1 winners at home to Athlone.



Killarney Athletic Under 12 Cup Winners.



Killarney Athletic Under 12 Shield Winners.

Kerry will play Athlone in the final game of phase one this Sunday in Lissywollen at 2pm.

The Kerry 15's were away to the same opposition and were 2-0 down at half time. The visitors fought back thanks to Ronan Teehan but ran out of time to find an equaliser.

Kerry will be at home to Athlone on Saturday when the game kicks off at 2pm in Mounthawk Park.

### WEEK TO REMEMBER FOR KILLARNEY ATHLETIC

To win one Cup or Shield in a week is a good achievement but for a club to win three shows that there is a lot of good work going on down in Woodlawn.

John Murphy 12's Shield Final: They started off their great run with a 2-0 win over Castleisland in a cracking John Murphy 12 Shield Final. Both sides put in a great effort with both goal keepers showing wonderful skills. Danny Hickey in the Castleisland goal and Ewan McCroahan in the Athletic goal, who was named as the Man of the Match, made a series of great saves. One from McCroahan in the second half from Killian

Dennehy was world class.

Athletic got the breakthrough when Brian McCarthy got on the end of Mark O'Carroll free kick to head home. Castleisland pushed hard for an equaliser but it was the Killarney side who wrapped up the win when Mark O'Carroll made it 2-0.

**JOHN MURPHY 12'S CUP FINAL:** The following night it was Killarney Athletic taking on Tralee Dynamos in the John Murphy 12's Cup final. Again this game was a cracker with both sides going toe to toe for the first 20 minutes. Like the Shield final it was Athletic who got the first breakthrough when Brian O'Shea hit a cracker to the net from outside the box. However this young Tralee Dynamos side didn't drop their heads and pushed for an equaliser. Time was running out and it looked like Athletic might hold on.

However Dynamo had other ideas and with Pearse Lowth putting in some cracking corners one paid off when Luke Silles headed home to level matters with three minutes to go.

Extra time was end to end thrilled the big crowd at Mounthawk Park and as always the first goal here would be vital. In the second period it was Luke



Doolan who got on the end of long clearance to head home over the advancing Dynamos keeper who almost kept it out.

With no further scoring the Blue side of Killarney was celebrating once again as the Cup headed to Woodlawn. Caolan Mitchell in the Athletic goal was the Man of the Match.

12 Girls Shield semi-final: Killarney Celtic booked their place in the 12 Girls Shield final when they defeated a gallant LB Rovers side who were making their debut in Kerry soccer this season and did very well for their first time out. They will play Iveragh United in the final.

John Joe Naughton 13's Cup Final: Killarney Athletic headed to Mounthawk Park for the third time in a week to take on the League winners Killorglin in the John Joe Naughton 13's Cup final. Jack McGrath scored for Killorglin with Aidan Cronin netting for Athletic to send the game to extra time.

With no further score in the final 20 minutes of extra time the game went to the dreaded but exciting penalty shootout.

Both sides scored three of their first five with Timmy Galvin, Luke Doolan and Thomas Healy hitting the net for Athletic and Conor Buckely, Adam O'Neill and Jack McGrath replying for Killorglin. Into sudden death which was as always not for the faint hearted and Aaron Doyle scored for Killorglin and Neil O'Carroll getting one for Athletic.

Then came the vital moments when Tom Benson was on the mark for Athletic and Fionn O'Neill saved Killorglin's last spot kick and so the third trophy in the week was collected by a Killarney Athletic captain.

14 Girls Cup Final: The 14 Girls Cup final was a cracking 7 goal thriller with Killarney Celtic just coming out on top ahead of Inter Kenmare. Killarney Celtic led 2-1 at the break and their goals came from Elizabeth Coffey, Ava O'Neill, Fiana Bradley who was named Player of the Match and Kaite Doe.

Replying for Inter Kenmare were Louise Carey, Tamara Nicki and Tara Desmond.

Castleisland win the 14's Girls Blitz: Four teams headed to Georgie O'Callaghan Park in Castleisland for the 14's Girls Blitz. And after a cracking night's play three sides were tied on 6 points with Castleisland taking the Shield with a goals for record of plus 5 followed by Listowel Celtic on plus 3. Dingle Bay missed out on second spot by just one goal with Camp Juniors unlucky in some of their games. On the night in Round 1 Listowel Celtic were 2-0 winners over Camp Juniors and Castleisland were 2-0 winners over Dingle Bay. The second round games were even tighter with one 1 goal deciding both games. Listowel Celtic were 1-0 winners over Castleisland and Camp Juniors beat Dingle Bay 1-0.

The vital third round of games ended with Camp going down 3-1 to Castleisland and Dingle Bay beating Listowel 1-0.

**14 SHIELD SEMI-FINAL:** There was a great battle for the second place in the Tom Hayes 14 Shield final with the Park B just getting



Killarney Athletic under 13 John Joe Naughton cup winners.

past Dingle Bay Rovers for the right to face Killarney Athletic in the final

Rodrigo Pinho put the Tralee side ahead before James Hoare replied for the West Kerry side. The winning goal came from the penalty spot when Sean Moynihan scored after Dan O'Connor was fouled.

**TUCKER KELLY 16'S CUP:** Camp Juniors were the team of the season in the Tralee Trophy World 16 Premier and again proved to be unbeatable in the Tucker Kelly 16's Cup final. Ballyhar had a great run to the final but on the night on the Mouthawk All Weather they came up against an on-fire Camp Juniors side. Maurice O'Connell had a night to remember getting 4 with John O'Connor hitting 2 and Caolan O'Connell on 1. Cian Wright ended an exceptional season by being named Man of the Match.

#### LEAGUE REPORTS:

##### POINTS SHARED IN 12 PREMIER B

Listowel Celtic and the Park shared the points in the JK Sports 12 Premier B. Conor Sweeney from the penalty spot and Cian Horgan were on the mark for Celtic with Max Nosidlock and Sam Slattery getting the goals for the Park.

Wins for Killarney Celtic White and Inter Kenmare in 12 Girls Premier:

In the 12 Girls Premier a hat trick from Eve Cahillane gave Killarney Celtic White a 3-2 win over Listowel Celtic. A goal by Orla Barrett was not enough to give Iveragh anything as they lost out 2-1 to Inter Kenmare. Their goals were scored by Thien Doran and Helena O'Donoghue.

##### IVERAGH UNITED 14 PREMIER CHAMPIONS:

Iveragh United will be delighted with their season in the Quills 14's Premier and they got the points they needed to secure the Premier title. They needed a point in their last game to overtake the Park and took all three from their home game against Mastergeeha.

Goals from Donagh Shine, Zack Fayen and 2 from Oisín Breen – the first from the half way

line right from the kick-off of the second half. Girls Roll of Honour: Orla Barrett Iveragh United, Jessica Leggate and Eve Culhane Killarney Celtic, Leona Meaney LB Rovers, Tamara Niki Inter Kenmare

#### GAYNOR 13'S PREVIEW:

The first of the big three National Tournaments gets underway this Saturday with the 13's Girls Gaynor. This will be followed by the Kennedy Cup from Tuesday June 11th with the 15's Girls Gaynor on at the end of the month.

This weekend Kerry are in the 13 Girls Trophy where they will meet Clare at 10.30am on June 1st and Longford at 3.30pm on the same day. The following day Kerry will take on NECSL at 10am. In the afternoon it's the semi-finals with the final set for Monday June 3rd at 10am.

## KILLARNEY ATHLETIC A.F.C. NOTES

#### FAI SUMMER CAMP

The FAI summer Camp will be held at Killarney Athletic between 8th to 12th July. To book please log on to FAI Summer Soccer Schools. Killarney Athletic 7 a Side tournament sponsored by Killarney Credit Union.

The 7 A tournament will now take place over 2 weeks with games taking place Monday to Friday and underage games being played on our new astro turf pitch. The finals are scheduled to take place on Thursday 11th and Friday 12th July. The tournament is open to all ages. Senior Men, Over 35's and underage boys from 10-16 years. Application forms are available from the Beech Road and Park Road branches of Killarney Credit Union and at [www.killarneyathletic.com](http://www.killarneyathletic.com). The entry fee for Senior Men: €200; Over 35's: €150; Ladies: €150, U10/12: €75 U 14/16: €100. The closing date for all ages (to be returned to the credit union)



is Friday 7th June before 5.30pm. The draw will take place on Monday 10th June in the Shire Cafe, Killarney at 9.00pm. Further information is available from [www.killarneyathletic.com](http://www.killarneyathletic.com).

Results

## KILLARNEY ATHLETIC 2018/19 U12'S SHIELD FINAL KILLARNEY ATHLETIC 2-0 CASTLEISLAND (AET)

In what turned out to be a cracking game with nothing between the two sides, extra time would have to be played to separate the teams. The first half was full of action, with both sides having chances but neither team could make the breakthrough. Szymon Jasinski came close on a couple of occasions and at the other end Ewan McCrohan made a great double save to deny the impressive Castleisland striker Jack Joy. 0-0 at half time. Second half started the same as the first half with plenty of action, this was a highly competitive game with both teams battling hard for every ball and not giving an inch! Both teams had a couple of more chances but nothing could separate them in normal time. Onto extra time! The first half of extra time saw our young Blues starting to take control of proceedings with some slick passing and tough defending. The breakthrough came in the last minute of the first half of extra time when Mark O'Carroll delivered a fantastic free kick into the Castleisland penalty area where Brian Beano McCarthy scored a brilliant header to the delight of the Athletic supporters in the stand. The second half of extra time, To Castleisland's credit, they did not lay down and threw everything at Athletic now. They put our defence under serious pressure but our boys defended excellently. The goal that sealed the victory came from a corner delivered by Brian McCarthy. The ball dropped to Mark O'Carroll inside the penalty area, the chance seemed to have passed but with a lovely piece of skill on the turn created a half yard of space to shoot and found the back of the net from close range. This sealed the victory for our young Blues and there was great delight at the final whistle. Huge Credit to Adrian and James for the time and Dedication they have given these young Blues all season. They play lovely brand of attacking football with great heart and always a smile on their faces. The Shield was presented to the players, and the Man Of The Match was awarded to Goal keeper Ewan McCrohan who made a number of good saves but one that was world class. Thanks to all the parents who supported the players all year, whether it was driving or games or blitzes.

## UNDER 12

Another night and another Final for the U12's against a very good Tralee Dynamos side. A lot of these boys are very familiar with each playing ETP with Kerry. This was always going to be a close match with two teams that play the ball on the deck and battle hard for every ball. First half was a tense affair with Dynamos starting the brighter and putting us under pressure. It took a while for our boys to settle into the game. A goal halfway through the first half from Brian O'Shea who struck the ball low and hard into the net seemed to give our boys the confidence and belief they needed. This goal settled us down and we grew into

the game from there. With chance few and far between for both teams we went into the break one up. Second half saw Dynamos again start the stronger and were to cause us serious problems with their set pieces from corners and free kicks. Saying that we always looked dangerous on the break and Luke Doolan was causing concern for the Dynamos defence every time he got on the ball. With only minutes remaining, it looked like we'd hold out for the win but a free kick from Dynamos from the right side was again, like all night was beautiful delivered into the box where the Dynamos attacker headed the ball into the net. Despair for our boys. Extra time. Dynamos now with their tails up were pushing for the win but to our credit our boys showed great desire and courage not to bow down after conceding an injury time goal in normal time. The winner came when Nathan Cronin play a ball up to Luke Doolan but the Dynamos defender met the ball with a header which fell into Luke's path just inside the penalty area, with the ball bouncing and his back to goal he headed the ball over the Goalkeeper into the net. The second half of extra time, Dynamos again reacted and looked for another equaliser but our boys defended brilliantly and held out for the victory. Huge credit to Billy Stacks Dynamos Team who pushed us all the way and made us work so hard for the victory, they play good attacking football and we look forward to more battles next season. Huge credit must go to these young Blues who left everything on the pitch tonight, with great attacking play and dogged defending they showed real character to bring the cup home. Well done boys. Finally, a massive thanks to all the Parents who without your support and dedication these boys would not be where they are today Thanks also to Gerardine Nagle for looking after the Boys on the night and a huge thanks to Alan Brady and Jerry Doyle who took over the lads training in January and got the boys ready for this Final.

## UNDER 13 JOHN JOE NAUGHTON CUP FINAL

Nil all at full time. Athletic win on penalties What a Sporting Exciting game we had in KDL Headquarters in Tralee. Both teams going full on with no quarters given and none asked. A game no one deserved to lose. We started the brighter and had a few good chances in the first 20 mins only for some fine defending by Killorglin and a couple of excellent saves by the keeper we could have been a couple a head towards the end of the first half Killorglin began to get on top 0-0 at half time. We started the second with a superb individual goal by Aidan Cronin in the first minute after this we seemed to retreat and Killorglin to their credit pushed for an equaliser which came mid-way through the second half. The remainder of the half saw chances for both sides but neither team was able to deliver the killer blow. On to extra time and more of the same both teams going for it but unable to apply the finish. So on to penalties and once again Fionn O'Neill proved to be the difference saving 2 penalties and we went on to win by sudden death. In a game that both teams gave their all we probably just shaded it and there was great scenes of

joy and relief at the end. Thanks to Killorglin for a great game. Well done to the boys they all played their part and thanks to the parent/grandparents and families in general for the great support throughout the Season. Massive credit to Diarmuid and Ed O'Neill for their Time and Dedication to these young Blues another great Day for our Club. Well done everyone.

Contact: If you have anything to add to Killarney Athletic A.F.C. notes please contact Mary McCarrick on 087 7750773 or [mccarrickmary@hotmail.com](mailto:mccarrickmary@hotmail.com). Please check the website on [www.killarneyathletic.com](http://www.killarneyathletic.com) or Facebook for match reports, club information and contact details.

# MASTERGEEHA FC

## YOUTHS CUP MASTERGEEHA 0 KILLARNEY CELTIC 5

In this game the boys started well against the league champions. Philip O Leary had a good effort saved mid-way through the half. Just before the break the visitors took the lead. In the second half Mastergeeha pushed forward but could not get the goal. In the final quarter Celtic added further goals. All tried hard and could not be faulted for effort.

## FAI SUMMER CAMP

Places for the FAI Summer Camp which will be hosted in Kilbrean Park – Mastergeeha FC from July 1st to July 5th can now be booked through the FAI summer schools website. Please book early to avoid disappointment at [www.summersoccerschools.ie](http://www.summersoccerschools.ie)

## MASTERGEEHA LOTTO

There was no winner of the Lotto on Friday 24th May 2019. Numbers drawn were 9,14,22,28. Consolation prizes €100 K Clifford, Cockhill, Kilcummin, €30 Ian O'Leary, 26 Mountain View, Kilcummin, €30 Evan O'Connor, c/o Eoin Moriarty, €30 Philip O'Connor, Kilcummin P.O. Next draw Friday 31st of May Jackpot €10,200.

# KILLARNEY CELTIC NOTES

## DENNY PREMIER A FINAL

Killarney Celtic 1, Castleisland 1,

The Premier A final ended in stalemate last sunday in Mounthawk Park where Celtic had to come from behind and despite some good 2nd half chances, Celtic had to settle for a draw. Celtic settled quickly enough despite playing against the breeze but were unable to fashion any clear cut chances against a very well organised Castleisland. Stephen O Mahony had our only shot on target in the 1st half hour. Just before the break Celtic conceded a free inside their own half. The free was won at the back post and knocked back into the centre where it was finished to the net. Celtic responded immediately and Matt Keane almost sent the teams in level at the break. However Celtic were not to be denied for long and 5 mins into the 2nd half Ryan Kelliher headed home after a



cross from the right hand side. Celtic continued to put Castleisland under pressure but the pace from midfield slowed and Castleisland weathered the storm. Castleisland were still dangerous on the break and Roy Kelliher had to be alert. John McDonagh, Danny Roche and 2nd half sub Podge O'Connor almost snatched the winner in a good closing spell for Celtic. Replay this friday night 7.30pm in Mounthawk Park.

#### JIMMY FALVEY YOUTHS CUP

Mastergeeha 0, Killarney Celtic 5  
Goodwin Osieba (2), Jared Barton, Liam Spillane

and Evan Lyne got the goals to see Celtic through to the semi finals.

#### U14 GIRLS CUP FINAL

Killarney Celtic 4, Inter Kenmare 3

A classic cup final with a dramatic ending. Celtic lead but Inter fought back before this fantastic final was decided in injury time. Elizabeth Coffey, Ava O'Neill, Fiana Bradley and Katie Doe (winner in injury time) were our goalscorers. Fiana Bradley was the player of the match. Well done to Alan and Paul, the players and their parents on a great win. Barnardos 2019 tournament was a massive success. Well

done to all the teams on the day. Big thank you to all those who organised and helped in any small way to ensure the smooth running of the tournament. Photos from the day can be seen on our Facebook page.

Celtic Lotto

Numbers drawn 6,11,20,27. No jackpot winner. Match 3 receive €30. Next jackpot €7,000.

**KILLARNEY CELTIC** extends its sincere condolences to the Hartnett family following the recent passing of PJ.



Tom Doherty, Kingdom Wheelblasters pictured with the winning cup.

## KINGDOM WHEELBLASTERS WIN NATIONAL TITLE

The wheelchair basketball cup finals were held in UCD over the weekend. The Kingdom wheelblasters having just completed their first season playing in the national league set out on the road to Dublin with high hopes for success. After a long hard season of games and traveling the length and breadth of the country, the team were delighted to defeat north east wolves from Derry in the Gerald Larkin final. The team are already looking forward to the new season and would welcome new member to this exciting sport.

## ANNUAL CURROW CYCLE LAUNCHED

On Sunday June 16th the Currow Cycling and Ladies Football Club's will come together to host its annual Leisure Cycle. The Cycle is a perfect "Warm UP" for the Ring of Kerry Cycle with 3 Courses on the day over 20 Kilometers, 60 Kilometers and 100 Kilometers. This is the 6th Year of the Cycle and it has attracted big crowds every Year so we would ask you to come out and support the Cycle this year and be part of a great day out.

The Cycle will begin at the Currow Community Centre at 10.am with registration from 9.15 am. The short course goes to Davy Roches Cross, into Castleisland, to Camp Cross, Dysert and back to Currow. The 60 KM course goes via Davy Roches Cross, Castleisland, Tralee, Castlemaine, Furies Cross, Ballyfinane, Currans, Farranfore and back to Currow.

The long course goes to Davy Roches Cross, Castleisland, Tralee, Castlemaine, Milltown, The Golden Nugget, Aghadoe, Two Mile School, Furies cross, Ballyfinane, Currans, Farranfore and back to Currow. For details about the race or to sponsor, please contact Margo on 085 8504914 or see Facebook Page currowlfc or the Currow Gaa Web Page.



*On yer bike...*

Launch of Currow Cycling Club/Currow Ladies Football Club Leisure Cycle on June 16th: Front L to R: Colleen Breen, Maura Conroy Back L to R: Kieran Fleming, Margo Brosnan, Freddy Dwyer, Michela Breen, Marcus Cronin and Kerri McCarthy.



# KERRY GAA SCENE



REPORT BY LEONA TWISS, PRO

## Kerry Seniors Begin Championship Campaign

Congratulations to the Kerry Minors who won their phase 2 Round 3 game against Clare last Thursday night in Tralee. They put in a good performance, not as spectacular as their round 1 performance against Cork but still in all it was a solid display which has earned them a place in the Munster Minor Final on June 22nd where they will meet Cork again at 4.45pm.

The U20s are busy preparing for their first game of the year. They are away to Cork tonight (Wednesday May 29th) in the John Kerins Development League. Sean O'Leary, Kilcummin was ratified as the 2019 U20 Captain at the most recent County Committee meeting. The game is being played in Clonakilty, Co Cork. Jack O'Connor and his management team have put in a huge amount of work preparing the U20s for this tournament and it is a difficult time for this age grade with college and Leaving Cert exams. Games in this Development League will be played on Wednesdays and Saturdays and our other games are against Dublin, Galway and Kildare. It is great to have this new League to play in before the Munster U20 championship begins on July 11th.

Next weekend the Senior footballers begin their championship campaign with a semi-final fixture against Clare on Saturday in Cusack Park Ennis at 7pm. Ticket Information: General Admission Pre-Purchase: €15.00. Tickets purchased on match day are €20.00. Juveniles (U-16's) will have free admission into the game. Senior Citizens/Students will receive €5 concession on full price tickets at the designated stile with valid id prior to entry. Tickets are available to purchase from selected SuperValu and Centra Stores, Kerry County Board Office, Kerry GAA Store in Killarney and online at tickets.ie

The Kerry GAA Supporters Club are taking coaches to Ennis on Saturday June 1st for the Munster semi-final against Clare and all seats must be booked by Thursday night May 30th. For booking contact Donal O'Leary, John King or Martin Leane. The Kerry team to play Clare will be announced on the Kerry GAA website and on Radio Kerry on Friday at 8pm.

We wish all of our Inter-County teams the best of luck in their respective competitions! The championship gear that all teams will be wearing is exclusively on sale in the Kerry GAA store, Killarney.

## Credit Union County League

Round 4 of the Credit Union County Leagues was played last weekend. After 4 rounds An Ghaeltacht are on top of the Division 1 table with 8 points while St Marys have yet to register points. In Division 2 Glenbeigh/Glencar are on 7 points and on the other end of the table its Ardfert with 0 points. In division 3 Gneeveguilla are on top with full points while Fossa and Lisle remain pointless for the moment. However, Fossa have only played 3 rounds yet. In division 4 Laune rangers have 8 points and sit at the top of the table while



Killarney Community College Ladies Team, included are in front Roisin Wall, Captain, with teammates front from left, Niamh Stack, Laura O'Connor, Chloe Lynch, Tamika Heaphy, Kaya Somers, Teagan O'Sullivan, Lina Almusawi and Naoimi McCarthy. At back are, Jessica O'Neill, Ciara Kearney, Caoimhe Crowley, Sinead Gleeson, Orla Murphy, Caoimhe Fleming, Dawn Carmody and Darja Puzanova and Allison O'Sullivan. PHOTO: DON MACMONAGLE

Valentia has yet to register points. In division 5 Group A Beale and Scartaglin are on top with 8 points and in Division 5 Group B Kilgarvan have won all four of their opening games and are on 8 points. It's very early in the season and plenty to play for yet! Full fixtures, results and tables can be found on the Kerry GAA website.

Round 2 of the Credit Union Junior Leagues goes ahead this weekend. A full fixture list can be found on the Kerry GAA website.

## Comórtas Peile na Gaeltachta to be held in Gallaras

Last Wednesday, in Croke Park, Cathaoirleach Choiste Náisiúnta na Gaeilge, CLG, Seosamh Mac Donncha launched the 50th annual Comórtas Peile na Gaeltachta. The event, which will take place in Corca Dhuibhne this weekend will be representative of all seven Gaeltacht counties. The clubs that will be taking part in this year's tournament are home club An Ghaeltacht, An Daingean, Lios Póil, Béal Átha an Ghaorthaidh, Cill na Marta, An Rinn and An Seanphobal. From Leinster are current senior champions CLG Bhulf Tón and Clann na nGael from Meath, as well as Na Gaeil Óga from Dublin. From Galway CLG Oileáin Árann and CLG An Fháirche will be taking part while CLG Chill tSéadhna and Chill Chomáin will be representing Mayo. Ulster's Gaeltacht areas will be represented by Gaoth Dobhair, Cill Chártha and Na Dúnaibh from Donegal and Laochra Loch Laoi will be joining them from Antrim. Speaking on the 50th anniversary of Comórtas Peile na Gaeltachta, Cathaoirleach Micheál Mac Donncha commented that 'It is an honour for any organisation to celebrate 50 years and we are very proud to have reached such a milestone. We remember fondly the two founding members of

this great competition – Tony Barret of Kerry and Antóin Ó Cearbhaill from Gaoth Dobhair in Donegal'. Since its foundation 50 years ago 19 different clubs have won the senior competition and 22 clubs have won the junior competition since 1977.

## Review Meeting with Referees

All referees are invited to a meeting on Thursday night in the Centre of Excellence, Currans at 8pm to review the year gone and plan for the year ahead. All referees (both hurling and football) are invited to attend.

## Deepest Sympathy

We send our sympathies to the family of the late Mick Granville. Mick served as Kenmare District Board Chairman from 1970 to 2010 and as District Scór Officer from 2011 to 2016. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

## The Annual Kerry GAA Night of Champions

The Annual Kerry GAA Night of Champions is on Friday 14th June at the Kingdom Greyhound Stadium Tralee. The Kerry Group Sponsored Club Sweepstake is the very popular race where clubs are twinned with dogs. Heat 2 goes ahead on Friday night. Best of luck to the Clubs involved. Our thanks to the Kerry GAA supporters club who presented the Kerry County Board with a cheque for the sponsorship of a race at the Dog Night. A great night of entertainment is guaranteed for the family on June 14th. Don't miss your opportunity to take a 'selfie' with the Kerry footballers and hurlers!



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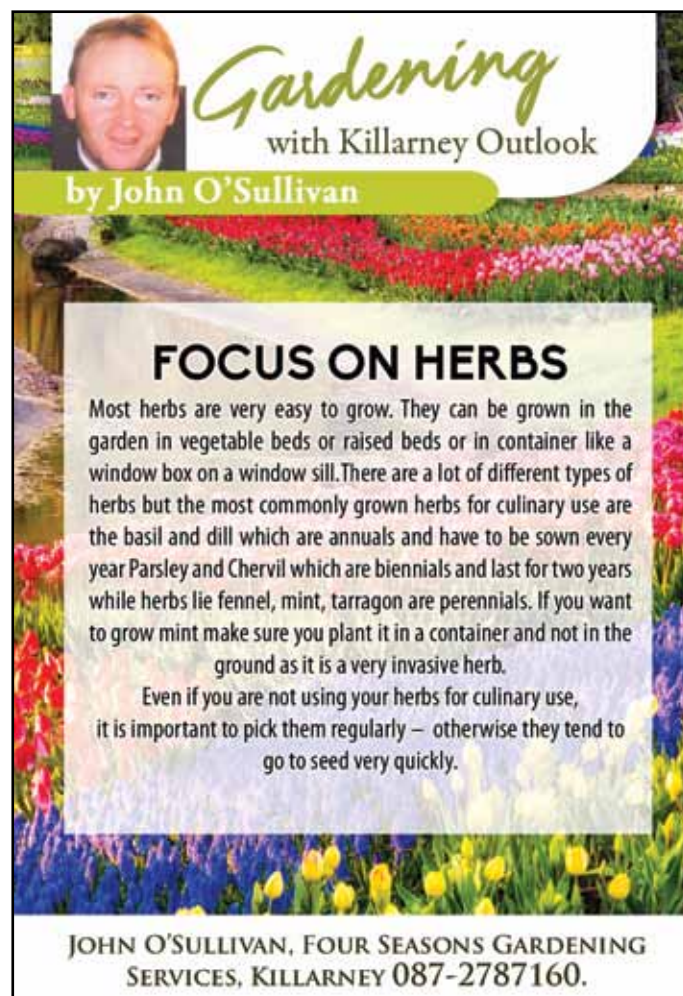
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## EXAMS

Good luck to all students facing into exams, try to keep your spirits up and do your best, no one can expect anything more from you. Do not spend all your time studying in between exam days, take at least one walk in the fresh air each day if the weather permits and if you have to stay indoors listen to music for a while or do whatever you normally do to relax. Try to get a good nights sleep before exams and though the days facing you in the next few weeks may seem never ending, try to think ahead to when the exams are over and the freedom to enjoy your leisure activities.

## USEFUL HINTS

\*Got a scratched CD that doesn't work? Clean it with toothpaste!

\*If you don't have extra-long matches, use an uncooked piece of spaghetti to light multiple or hard to reach candles.

\*Wet a piece of kitchen towel and wrap it around the bottle, then simply place it in the freezer for 10-12 minutes and the drink will be ice cold.

\*Foods like cottage cheese and sour cream will last twice as long if you turn the container upside down when you store them in your fridge.

\*When dabbed on a pimple overnight, toothpaste can get rid of it by morning! Be careful not to use whitening toothpaste however, as they often contain hydrogen peroxide which can irritate the skin.

## NASA IS GIVING OUT FREQUENT FLYER POINTS TO MARS

You might not have done an intensive astronaut training course, but NASA still wants you to get involved in its next mission to Mars. The space agency is giving regular people like you and me a chance to send their name -- etched onto a microchip -- on the Mars 2020 mission. Not only that, but if you get your name etched into the spacecraft that flies to Mars, you'll also rack up "frequent flyer" points and a souvenir boarding pass to show off to your Earth mates.

It's part of a campaign to build buzz around NASA's Mars 2020 mission, which is sending a rover to the Red Planet to search for signs of past microbial life, collect samples and study Mars' climate and geology. NASA is also billing the mission as "the initial leg of humanity's first round trip to another planet" so being part of the expedition brings significant bragging rights.

The JPL team is busy working on the Mars 2020 rover, aiming to launch it in July 2020 ahead of a February 2021 touchdown on Mars. Meanwhile, you can sign up through NASA's website to get your name on the list until Sept. 30, 2019.

## DUNDEE HAS CREATED ITS OWN FRAGRANCE

A unique "bespoke scent" was developed for the city in a 1970s shopping arcade which was taken over for the Dundee Design Festival, 100 samples of a limited edition scent representing a "collective vision" of the future of Dundee in 2039 was distributed at the new-look Keiller Centre, which hosted the event that ended on May 28th. The city's new scent which was "diffused" at regular intervals from a specially-created laboratory was created by a Glasgow-based fragrance designer Clara Weale and Dundee-based designer Pete Thomas.

The festival, which was staged for the third time, included a "city brand simulator," an interactive installation allowed visitors to shape their own future image to represent the city and a Poster Playground which encouraged visitors to create their own designs using materials inspired by the packaging of sweets sold by the Dundee confectionery firm James Keiller and Son, whose factory once occupied the site of the current shopping arcade.

## ON THIS DATE - May 31st

1908 - Birth of Mel Blanc, the voice of so many renowned cartoon characters of the 20th century, including Bugs Bunny, Daffy Duck, Porky Pig, Tweety Bird, Sylvester the Cat etc etc.

1911 - The hull of the ship the Titanic was launched into the mouth of the river Lagan in Belfast. Thousands of ticket-holding spectators gathered along the shores of Belfast Lough for a view, while dignitaries and Harland & Wolff employees watched from stands in the shipyard.

1928 - 1st successful flight across the Pacific Ocean took off from Oakland, California.

1941 - German bombs fell on North Strand, Dublin; 34 people were killed and 90 injured.

1961 - The Republic of South Africa was founded following a referendum in which white voters narrowly voted in favour. Queen Elizabeth II of Great Britain was stripped of the title Queen of South Africa.

1970 - Death of Arkle, the greatest Irish steeplechasers of all time. Arkle had broken a pedal bone during a race in 1968, stiffness caused by the injury became worse and in spite of his great courage, his vet, James Kavanagh had to give him his final injection to put him to sleep.

1979 - RTE Radio 2 (now known as 2FM) debuted.

1997 - The Confederation Bridge opened, linking Prince Edward Island with mainland New Brunswick, Canada.

2002 - All Aer Lingus flights remained suspended as the company's pilots' dispute entered its second day.

2009 - Death of Cork born female impersonator Danny La Rue (Daniel Patrick Carroll) in London.

## AMAZON IS TURNING WORK TASKS INTO GAMES

Amazon has started installing screens next to workers' stations that feature simple games with names like PicksInSpace, Mission Racer, and CastleCrafter. Their physical actions, assembling orders and moving items, are translated into virtual in-game moves. So, the faster someone picks items and places them in a box, for example, the faster their car will move around a virtual track. The games are intended to make work less tedious, but also encourage higher productivity by pitting workers against one another in the virtual game world.

The games are voluntary and have so far been installed in five warehouses in the US and GB, and in at least one facility, managers reward workers who achieve high scores with Amazon "swag bucks." This is a company currency that workers can only exchange for Amazon-branded merchandise, like t-shirts and water bottles.

This transformation of work into would-be play is known as "gamification," and is a tactic often exploited by companies to increase engagement in products or services. Experts say these sorts of arbitrary targets and rewards have psychologically powerful effects. They can make rote tasks seem meaningful and engaging, and can be used to shape behaviour, pushing workers harder and harder. Amazon currently employs hundreds of thousands of workers in warehouses around the world, including more than 250,000 individuals in the US. The company recently raised its minimum wage to \$15 an hour, but stories of bad working conditions are rife. One survey from worker rights platform Organise found that 74% percent of warehouse workers avoiding going to the toilet for fear of missing productivity goals. Meanwhile, Amazon continues to introduce greater numbers of robots and machines to automate elements of the job, already warehouse workers often now simply stand in one place while robots bring shelves of items to them from which they assemble orders, though the company says the possibility of fully automating its warehouses is at least a decade away due to technology constraints.

## THIS DOG THAT SHOPLIFTED A BOOK ON 'ABANDONMENT'

Last year, a stray dog was caught on camera sneaking into the Feevale University bookshop in Novo Hamburgo, Brazil. After managing to get past the front desk, the pup can be seen grabbing a book in its mouth and trotting out of the store. But it wasn't just any book -- it was a book entitled "The Days of Abandonment"; a pretty relatable topic for stray animals.

Before the dog had a chance to read the pages, however, one of the campus students retrieved the book and gave it to the astonished cashier who was working the front desk. The bookshop staff was so tickled by the sneaky dog, they posted a video of the heist to Facebook where it later went viral and was seen by a group of local animal rescuers who stopped by the bookshop, and checked the dog into their care. The dog was given a bath, vaccinations, and a foster home following its rescue.



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Gemma and Chesney learn that are expecting quadruplets.

### Emmerdale

Jamie reveals to Kim that he has a wife and daughter, Victoria tells everyone what happened to her with Lee, Robert and Diane learn that Victoria is keeping her baby, Maya is back but Pollard soon gives her an ultimatum, Laurel and Jai get closer and Nicola is suspicious of Liam.

### Coronation Street

Norris bids farewell to the street, Nick confesses all to Leanne and heads to court, Gary asks Sarah for another chance, David gives Audrey the barber shop and



### SELF-CONFESSED SOAP ADDICT

*Joe Burdett* takes a look at what's in store in the soaps this week!



Fr Niall Howard with couples celebrating 50 years of marriage at the annual jubilee wedding anniversary mass in St. Mary's Cathedral, Killarney on Saturday evening. Included are Dermot and Eileen Coffey, Michael and Ita Looney, Pat and Norrie O'Neill, Jim and Marie Moynihan, Patrick and Mary O'Donnell, Michael and Mary Dowling .  
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It is a well known fact that what we eat and drink can affect our mood. Our body and mind responds to what we digest not just on a physiological level but also on an emotional level. However, everyone has a tendency to ignore this on a small or grand scale to some degree depending on how busy or chaotic our lives become. The end result being we feel drained, emotional, moody, tired and irritable. It can be an ongoing struggle for many of us to incorporate a healthy eating mind set into our lives and yet when we do, we feel so much better, more energised and positive. The challenge, of course, is to maintain and sustain this approach. Some Golden Rules to follow;

- Eat Breakfast and kick start your metabolism.
- Include fruit and vegetables in your diet.
- Eat regularly and include fish, chicken and any lean meat in your diet.
- Drink plenty of water (6 to 8) glasses per day.
- Avoid late night eating and too many take aways!
- Watch portion size.
- Reduce Caffeine
- Be mindful of alcohol consumption.

Some key foods to include are minerals such as magnesium, found in nuts, whole grains and green leafy vegetables, zinc, found in meat, milk, legumes and whole grains and iron, found in red meat, green leafy vegetables, eggs and some fruit. Omega 3 polyunsaturated fatty acids found in oily fish and some plants are also very important and of course vitamins such as vitamin B, C and E. Again whole grains, fruit and vegetables important here. Changes in our diet can enhance our cognitive abilities and indeed protect the brain from any damage, boosting our mood and general sense of wellbeing. So consider the benefits of certain foods in the wider context and you are not only trying to counteract heart disease and cancer through these choices but you are also protecting the brain and looking after your mental health.

Go further and make exercise part of the equation and you are well on your way to a healthier you; another layer of self-care is sleep. Strive for 8 hours and when awake strive for healthy eating and moderate exercise. Our physical and mental state is often vulnerable and under duress so it is important to acknowledge this and fuel our being with the right nutrients and minerals when, and if, necessary. Needless to say have the occasional treat and indulge a little every now and then because something sweet and tasty is deserved and worthwhile after all your hard work to be good! Bon Appetite!

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## A Word of Victory



Welcome back dear reader we have often spoken about Light. In our world today there is so much darkness and it can be alarming and overwhelming. Anytime you feel frightened or overwhelmed friend there is something triggering it and it is important to bring that emotion to the Light, identify its' root, and eradicate it. How do you do this? One of Jesus' names is the 'Light of the world' - His 'yoke is easy and His burden is Light'. The burdens that the world and it's problems bring are encased in darkness, causing people to cave in under the strain because in darkness there is only confusion, fear, negativity and stagnation, but where the Light shines we can see clearly all around, and there is nothing hidden. "The Light shines in the darkness and the darkness can never extinguish it" (John 1:5). There is an assault of darkness taking place at the moment. The devil is bringing unbearable pressure from every quarter, and where people have no defences to deal with it what results is terror, depression and despair. The Word of God is the only place you will find true lasting peace in the midst of confusion. Jesus said "Walk in the Light while you can so that the darkness will not overtake you...those who walk in darkness cannot see where they are going. Put your trust in the Light while there is still time, then you will become children of the Light....I have come as a Light to shine in this dark world, so that all who put their trust in Me will no longer remain in the dark" (John 13:35-46). "Your Word is a Lamp to guide my feet and a Light for my path" (Psalm 119:105). When we bring those things that are worrying or upsetting us to the Lord, and ask Him for His help by digging into His Word and studying what He is saying to us, He gives us strategies and promises that we can use to overcome these issues, and the Light that comes from the Holy Spirit's revelation of His Word will guide us and He brings the solution. We have become accustomed to years of silently dealing with problems and burying them deep down inside, but it's only in the Light that peace, healing and restoration will come. Friend, know this - God is waiting to shine His Light and Love into your life today and heal you.

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## NOVENA TO ST JUDE

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be Adored, Glorified, Loved and revered throughout the whole world, now and forever.

Sacred Heart of Jesus, please pray for us. Saint Jude, worker of miracles, please pray for us.

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Say this prayer nine times daily and by the end of the 8th day your prayers will be answered.

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## NOVENA TO THE SCARED HEART

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

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

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

Say this prayer for three days. Publication of prayer and favour will be granted.

X

## NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART

You have said O Divine Jesus, ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you.

Relying on these promises, we come with confidence during this novena to beg of you the favours that we need.

(Here mention your requests)

From whom shall we ask Lord Jesus, if not from you, whose heart is an unfailing source of grace 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, 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 known to fail.

A.F.

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x

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Amen

Your request will be granted no matter how impossible it may seem.

x

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF

## DERMOT & KATHLEEN O'SULLIVAN



6 CASTLEROSSE COTTAGES,  
KILLARNEY  
WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES  
OCCUR AT THIS TIME.

*And while they lie in peaceful sleep  
Their memory we shall always keep*

LOVED AND REMEMBERED BY  
JOHN, AISLING, KEELIN,  
SEÁN & ABBIE

## 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).

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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.

P.H.

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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.

C.C.

## 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).

## 6TH ANNIVERSARY

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AND DANDA.

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*When I found you I found it all...  
and all the happiness that life can offer*

*When I found you, I found how  
important it is to trust in commitment  
And how wonderful it is to share  
heartfelt moments with someone  
so dear to you that  
you cannot imagine life without them.*

*I found strength in companionship  
And how necessary it is to be able to lean  
on someone in times of need.*

*I found what it feels like to support  
someone's hopes  
And to appreciate building  
new dreams together.*

*I found contentment in realising that  
two people can be open and honest  
with each other  
Without having to pretend or see eye to  
eye on every subject.*

*I found how special it is to accept a  
person for who they are  
And what they can bring to your life in  
expected and unexpected ways.*

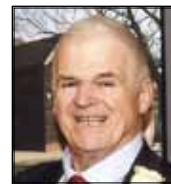
*I found that the greatest gift anyone  
can ever give to another person can only  
come from the heart  
Because when I found you  
I found love.*

YOUR LOVING WIFE MARY,  
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LAW SAVIO, LOVING GRAND  
CHILDREN, IZZY, ELOA AND  
NAYARA.

## 1ST ANNIVERSARY

CHERISHED MEMORIES OF

## PAT DELANEY



16 COUNTESS GROVE  
WHO DIED ON 2ND JUNE 2018

*Your life was a blessing  
Your memory a treasure  
You are loved beyond words  
And missed beyond measure.*

*Your life was one of kindly deeds  
A helping hand for others needs  
Sincere and true in heart and mind  
Beautiful memories left behind.*

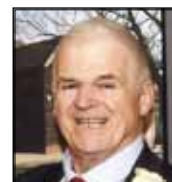
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IN FOND AND LOVING MEMORY  
OF A DEAR FATHER AND GRANDAD

## PAT DELANEY



LATE OF 16 COUNTESS GROVE,  
WHO DIED ON 2ND JUNE 2018

*No words we write could ever say  
How much we miss you day by day  
Our love for you will always keep  
It never fades, it lies too deep  
With broken hearts we whisper low  
We love you Dad and miss you so.*

REMEMBERED AND MISSED  
BY YOUR CHILDREN PHILIP,  
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