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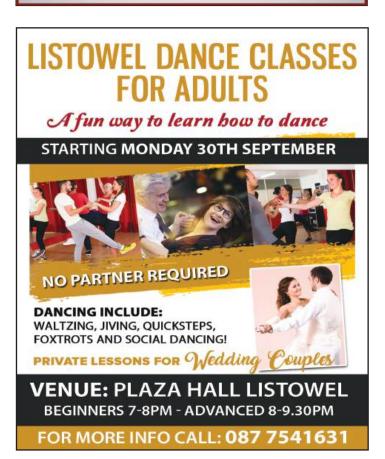
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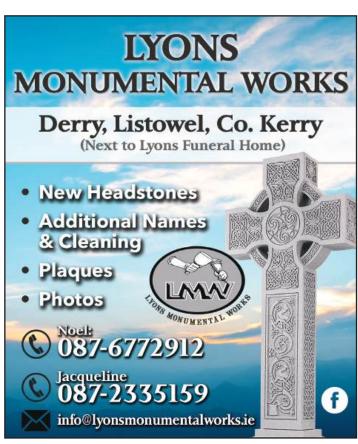
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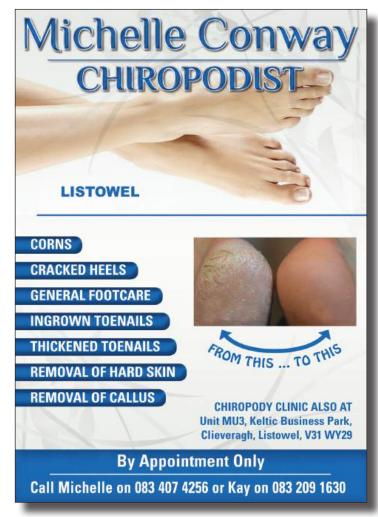
















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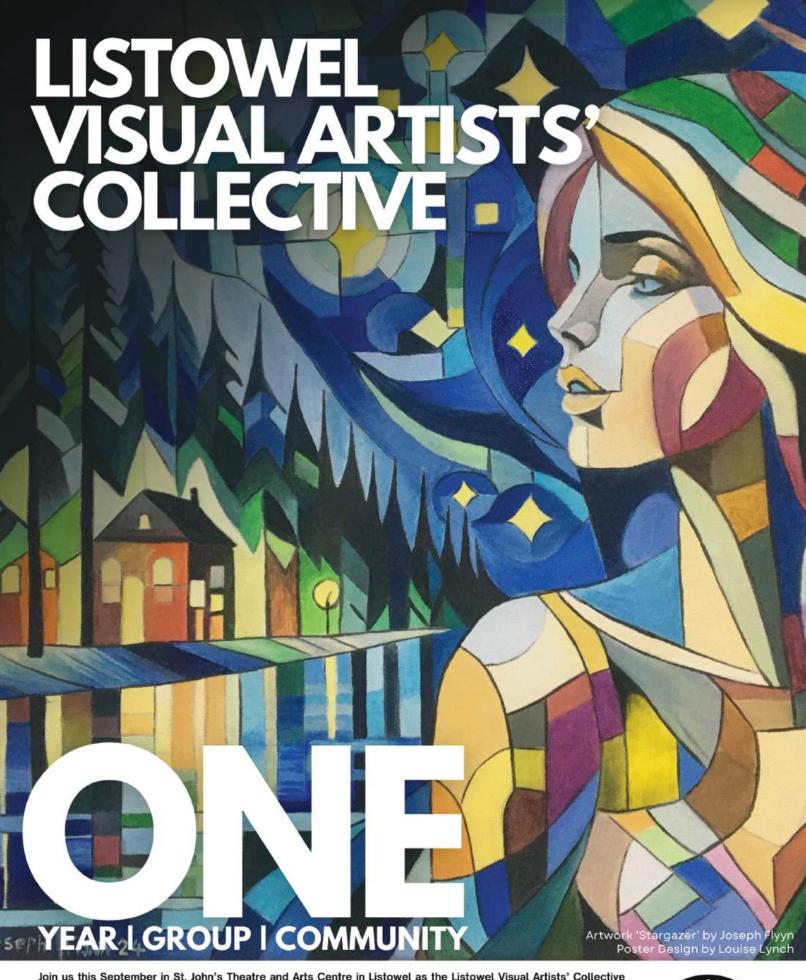
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Mark Keohane (Pitch & Putt Ireland President) presenting the Munster Intermediate Mens Shield to Kerry Captain Eamon Sheehy and team manager John Fitzgerald. Also included in photo L to R: Keith O'Brien, Mark Lucey (sub), Michael Creagh, Fergal Roche, Bobby McCarron and James Fleming



Listowel Celtic U13 girls who beat Killarney Athletic 1-0 at the weekend



Listowel Celtic U14 team who won 5-2 against Iveragh at the weekend



The Finuge U7 team who were in great form playing St. Senans last week



Mike Hickey with a twinkle in his eye at Kilflynn Coursing Field last Saturday. Photo Moss Joe Browne



Mary and Catriona McCarthy and Joan Buckley getting ready for the recent Revival Festival in Listowel



Listowel Celtic Under 14B who defeated Iveragh B 5-2 in Cahersiveen last Saturday morning



Seamus Moore Fans Vanessa Houlihan, Kilflynn & her grandmother Mrs. Joan Allen, Ballyduff and Seamus Moore (The JCB Man) at his concert in Parker's Pub and Venue Kilflynn on Saturday night 31st August



Ballyduff U13s hosted South Liberties in a challenge game on Saturday morning. A highly competitive and good spirited game was played out by both sides. Some great scoring skills were on display along with some very skillful passages of play from both sides. Huge thanks to all involved with South Liberties for making the trip. Also a special mention to Lixnaw's Dylan Stack and Jamie Walsh who joined us for the game.



Kerry Writers' Museum is thrilled to announce a spectacular carnival-style evening of **FREE** entertainment in **Listowel Square** in celebration of **Culture Night 2024**, coinciding with the **6th Listowel International Storytelling Festival.** Events include:

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From 6pm onwards, Listowel Square will transform into a lively festival atmosphere, inspired by 'The Theatre of the Hearthstone' featuring events that highlight the town's rich literary heritage and designed to appeal to people of all ages!

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More Info www.kerrywritersmuseum.com

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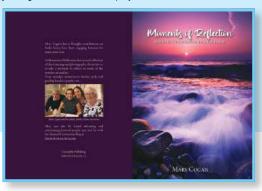
NEW BOOK LAUNCH FOR MARY COGAN

Mary Cogan's latest book, Moments of Reflection will be launched by Mary Fagan in the Listowel Arms Hotel on Saturday, September 21st at 7.00pm. Everyone welcome.

There will be some great music and some short readings from Mary's latest collection. As well as her contributions to Radio Kerry's Just a Thought, Mary writes a daily blog at listowelconnection.com. Listowel Connection keeps the many people who love Listowel linked to our great community. Her beautiful new book is a collection of reflections and photographs to be savoured; a treasure trove of wit, wisdom and local charm.

Moments of Reflection is a compact colourful book, beautifully designed and laid out by Paul Shannon of Listowel Printing Works. It's one to keep and dip into often.

If you are thinking of getting some Christmas present buying done early, this just might be the answer to a prayer.



IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE SEEKING NEW DONORS

The Irish Blood Transfusion Service is seeking 15,000 new donors in 2024 to ensure the stability of the national blood supply. The demand for blood is constant and on any given day 200 patients receive transfusions in Irish hospitals.

The IBTS needs an additional 15,000 new donors this year and every year to ensure the National blood supply remains secure and stable. Demand for blood from Irish Hospitals has risen by 6% from this time last year. New D-negative blood types that is A, B, and O negative (the Universal blood group) are especially sought after.

Ballybunion Community Centre Thursday 12th September. 4.50pm – 8.10pm

New Donors welcome at all clinics. For appointments please 1800 222 111 We would ask people who have not donated before to please consider becoming a blood donor. By doing so you will save or improve someone else's life.



LYREACROMPANE COMMUNITY N.S. OPENS DOORS UNDER NEW PATRONAGE

Pictured: Excited smiles all around form some of the pupils as they celebrate the very first day of the school opening as a Lyreacrompane Community National School!

The dawn of a new era in education was celebrated this week as Lyreacrompane Community National School (Lyreacrompane CNS) welcomed pupils for the first time under the patronage of Kerry Education and Training Board (Kerry ETB). This is the fourth community national school to open its doors in the county under the patronage of Kerry ETB.

This first day marks the culmination of months of preparation following the school's transition from its previous Catholic ethos to a multidenominational framework, reflecting the diverse and evolving nature of the local community. As Principal Eilish Lyons explained, "Today is a significant milestone for our school. We are proud to have grown from 18 to 28 pupils this new school year, a testament to the community's trust in our new direction. This growth is more than just numbers, it's about offering choice in education and children and parents."

A particularly exciting development is the introduction of a school bus service, which now connects students from surrounding areas to Lyreacrompane. "For the first time, we have a bus that brings our students to school," Eilish noted. "This not only eases the burden on parents but also creates a sense of unity among the children who travel together each day."

The transition to a community national school, which makes Lyreacrompane CNS the only school offering this choice in North Kerry, has been met with widespread enthusiasm. Ann O'Dwyer, Director of Schools, Youth, and Music at Kerry ETB, expressed her satisfaction with the progress: "The opening day of Lyreacrompane Community National School under our patronage is a momentous occasion. We are thrilled to see the positive impact this change is already having. The increase in student numbers shows that families are eager to embrace this new model of education, which emphasises inclusivity, critical thinking, and community engagement."

The school's commitment to inclusivity is further exemplified by the introduction of the Goodness Me, Goodness You! programme, a unique feature of community national schools designed to support the holistic development of each child. "We're excited about offering this new programme that will encourage our students to think more deeply and critically," said Eilish Lyons. "This approach will not only enhance their academic skills but also prepare them to be thoughtful and engaged members of society."

As the first day drew to a close, there was a shared sense of optimism about the future. "This is just the beginning," Eilish Lyons reflected. "We're looking forward to building on this foundation, with the support of Kerry ETB, to continue offering a first-class education in a welcoming, inclusive environment."

AWARD WINNING FOLK SINGER TO APPEAR AT LISTOWEL STORYTELLING FESTIVAL

Multi-award winning traditional singer and musician Muireann Nic Amhloaibh will appear at Listowel International Storytelling Festival in a concert at St. John's Theatre on Thursday September 19th at 8.30 pm. Hailing from Corca Dhuibhne in West Kerry, Muireann is a leading exponent of the sean nós style and loves to engage with audiences to share her love of the Irish song tradition. Her childhood in West Kerry saw her immersed in a rich cultural environment and vital living tradition. This was to be hugely influential on the foundation of her distinctive vocal and instrumental sound.

Muireann has enjoyed a successful career as a touring artist, with over thirteen years' experience as lead singer and flute player with the Irish traditional supergroup Danú, as well as many years performing as a solo artist. She holds an MA in Traditional Music Performance from the University of Limerick. In 2022 Muireann was awarded "Best Folk Singer" at the RTÉ Radio Folk Awards, and amongst many other awards, was Amhránaí na Bliana at the TG4 Gradaim Ceoil in 2011.

Muireann is also a popular television and radio presenter, having hosted a range of programmes for Irish and Scottish TV over the past 15 years, and currently presents her own music programme "Folk on One" on RTÉ Radio 1. Always keen to explore new ground, she has collaborated with many musicians in genres ranging from traditional to classical, world music to electronica. Most recently she recorded "Róisín Relmagined" an album of sean nós songs arranged by contemporary Irish arrangers with the Irish Chamber Orchestra.

Muireann will be joined on stage by Dónal O'Connor, one of Ireland's leading traditional musicians, and Gerry O'Beirne, a self-taught master of the six and twelve string, slide guitar and ukulele and other stringed instruments.

Tickets for the concert can be booked through St. John's Theatre at 068 22566 or online at www.stiohnstheatre.ie.

Further information on Listowel International Storytelling Festival is available at www.kerrywritersmuseum.com.





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CAROLINE'S POD OF POSITIVITY

Welcome to my weekly column. My name is Caroline and I'm a qualified Health & Wellness Consultant specialising in Essential Oils and Supplements helping, guiding and supporting many people along with their friends and families throughout North Kerry, West Limerick and the wider county regions in living a life of Health, Wellness, Vitality and Positivity. Each week I'll be bringing you information on the various essential oils, supplements and other wellness products from the doTERRA range along with their uses and benefits, so that you can also make them apart of your every day routine in living your best essential oil life while supporting you and your family with natural solutions. From personal experience and from using the Oils consistently within our own home as a family I know how these oils can support the Body, the Mind and the Mood. DoTerra is a Latin word meaning 'Gifts of the Earth' and their Mission is to create high-standard Essential Oils that are one hundred per cent pure in quality and are of a certified therapeutic grade. My Mission is to share these Gifts of the Earth with as many people as I possibly can.

Fresh Start & Back in Routine!

September is almost like the start of a New Year with the return of back to school getting us back into a routine, making healthy food choices and taking up hobbies and sports that we love to do. So for this month we focus on a fresh start and a positive outlook and this week I bring your attention to my Top three favourite Oils from dóTerra's essential oil collection which works great in anyone's home, school, classroom or office environment.

These oils are: Lemon, Lavender and Peppermint and they make for a perfect fresh start to your morning routine for all adults and children. Each of the oils can be used in many different ways and I find that they are also fantastic in supporting us both emotionally and physically especially if our younger generations are nervous or anxious returning back to their school or new school environments. All three of the following essential oils are part of a Trio Kit and can be used individually or can be combined together using my 3 – way method of - Diffuse, Use & Apply.

This Trio Kit contains Lemon, Lavender and Peppermint in 5ml size bottles containing 95 x drops of certified pure tested grade essential oil. The Trio Kit retails at €40 and can be ordered by contacting me on the number below. These oils can be used in your foods and drinks as they do not contain any chemicals, alcohols or substances. Here are just a few of my suggested uses for each of these oils in the Trio Kit.

Lemon

- Add a drop to your water for a refreshing drink in the mornings and also to help the body detox
- Diffuse in your cold water diffuser in your kitchen or hallway to elevate the mood and bring feelings of happiness and positivity particularly in the mornings while preparing for your day ahead
- Add to baking recipes or your morning yogurts
- Add to a drop of honey to soothe sore throats
- Apply directly to cold sores for instant relief

Lavender

- Apply to the wrist points, the back of the neck and the bottoms of the feet in the mornings and / or before bedtime to soothe and calm any upset or heightened emotions
- Use to calm and soothe irritated skin, scalds, burns or nappy rash
- Use 2 to 3 x drops of dóTerra's Lavender to a warm bath for relaxation
- Apply to the skin to calm reaction of bug bites or hives
- Diffuse in your bedroom at night time to soothe emotions and promote restful sleep

Peppermin

- Inhale a drop first thing in the morning to start off your day
- Apply topically to the temples and the back of the neck to soothe headaches
- Inhale or put a drop into the palms of the hands with a drop of Lemon for an instant boost of energy
- Diffuse 2 x drops of Peppermint and or Lemon in a bedroom or kitchen for focus during study time, home work time or concentration
- Apply to the body to cool off when overheated or apply to the body before exercise

Caroline's Top Tip: Add a drop of Peppermint to your morning coffee or your favourite chocolate recipes for a refreshing taste and a boost of energy naturally

Combining all three oils above act as a natural antihistamine when applied to the body, drank in a small amount of water and diffused in your home / work space. They can support the body when pollen is high and when experiencing watery eyes, sneezing, runny noses etc

When buying essential oils, it is crucial to make sure that you are receiving Oils that are pure and potent and that you are getting the full support and professional guidance in how to use them properly. Many Oils available for purchase today claim to be of a hundred per cent purity. Because the essential oil industry is so unregulated, too often these cheap essential oils contain only a fraction of the plant and the rest is filled with additives, toxins and contaminants which significantly reduce the effectiveness of essential oils and are harmful to our health. When you purchase pure and potent Oils like DóTerras essential oils, you are allowing yourself to receive the full benefits of them, in diffusing them, applying them to the body and pulse points and taking them in your foods, drinks or veggie capsules in supporting your body naturally. DóTerras Oils come directly from plants so they work with our bodies on a cellular level.

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Thought for the week: What you do today, can improve all of our tomorrows!

To all the Students who have returned back to school this week – Believe In Yourself,
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Caroline X - Tel No: 087 2921292.

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THE PURE DROP AT ST. JOHN'S THEATRE

It was another fabulous night of Traditional Irish Music in Listowel. The Conroy Sisters, Mary & Anne, along with Eileen O'Brien and Deirdre McSherry truly raised the rafters in St. John's Theatre last Sunday night. The quartet put on a stupendous performance, entertaining the audience with an array of traditional Irish tunes and songs.

From jigs and reels, to hornpipes and barndances, feet were tapping from start to finish and there were plenty of yelps of encouragement from the crowd. Mary enthralled all in attendance with her songs and complimentary guitar playing. Eileen played some beautiful airs and many beautiful compositions by her late father, Paddy O'Brien. Anne shared some of the gems from her late husband Joe Burke, whilst Deirdre McSherry jumped easily between piano and flute during the night. Another fabulous night of Traditional Irish Music in Listowel, not to mention the comical elements which were interwoven naturally and harmoniously, throughout the concert.

Pictured: Áine Ní Chuaig, Eileen O'Brien, Anne Conroy Burke, Deirdre McSherry, Máire Begley, Mary Conroy, David O'Brien.





Working members at Kilflynn Coursing Field on a lovely Saturday morning were Bridget Leen, Matty Dillon, Diarmuid Lynch and Tom McElligott. Photo Moss Joe Browne









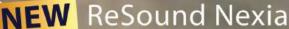
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REVIEWS & INFO

SAN RITA WELLNESS

Welcome to San Rita Wellness weekly column...We hope you are safe and well

W I'm sure you are familiar with the saying "If the cap fits wear it".

Well, that's all fine and dandy if we were only talking about a cap. But what we want to think about this week is how can our clothes in our wardrobes help to keep our motivation strong and our weight loss and wellness journey going.

This is now the time of the year, and more so with the change of season, we are having to maybe sort out our wardrobe and change around the clothes that are in there at the moment. For example, are there clothes in there that are too light, too white, too Summery, too BIG, too SMALL or just not quite fitting you right yet etc? Think about it......

How often do we look in the wardrobe and say "I've nothing to wear"

Clothes are something that can help us to keep our weight loss going. A bit like the carrot and the stick. The CARROT being to get DOWN to a smaller size and the STICK being not having to go UP to the bigger size. We are all guilty of hoarding and holding on to stuff, so take out the clothes that are too big for you and get rid of them, otherwise you will only be thinking sure I will always find something to fit if I gain weight again, so our advice would be to get RID, RID, RID

The type of clothes you wear can help or hinder your Weight loss .It's usually your clothes that'll be the first thing you notice as you start losing or gaining weight.

Avoid wearing elasticated waistbands ALL of the time because they grow with you while an item of clothing with a waistband will always give you the pinch or the credit when it's due.

Next, take a look at what's not quite fitting right yet, and keep those where you will see them. That would remind you every time you open the wardrobe of what you want to achieve. The most important thing is that we should feel good in the clothes that we "want" to wear, and not just "have " to wear something because we have no choice and it will have to do.. De-cluttering the wardrobe is like de-cluttering the mind, and that has to be good for our overall well being too.

Upcoming events like Christmas for example can be a great motivator for us to keep us inspired on how we want to look and feel when we are dressed up. After all when you feel good about yourself on the inside, no matter what you wear it will sparkle through on the outside.

So, now we hope you will be busy sorting out the wardrobe over the week, but think about the satisfaction you will get every time you open the doors, knowing that you can put your hand on anything and every thing you love.

We at San Rita Wellness would often encourage our members to look beyond the number on the scales and focus on their changing body shape. Clothes are really a great indicator of the progress our members are seeing and feeling and also are a great motivator.

We will leave you with a thought "Nothing tastes as good as being slim feels"

For extra support and for weekly accountability check us out on Facebook San Rita Wellness or sanritawellness.com for details of our "In Person Meetings", "At Home Service" or our "One to One Service".

NB - Our weekly "In Person Meetings" take place in the Kerry Writers Museum every Wednesday from 10am to 11am and 6pm to 7pm.

Give us a call on Sandra 087 6718377, Rita 087 1012174 Until next week, Sandra and Rita

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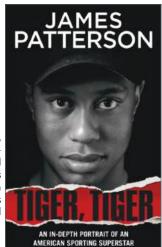
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LOCAL NEWS

BALLYDUFF

LOTTO DRAW

The results of the weekly Ballyduff GAA Club, Lady's Walk Hurling Club and the Ballyduff Community Games Committee Lotto Draw for Tuesday August 27th are as follows: The numbers drawn were 9, 11 & 20 and the Bonus number was 10. There was no winner of the €15,900 Jackpot. The winner of the €400 Match 3 prize was Abbey Doyle, Meadow Lane, Ballyduff The Lotto Draw takes place on each Tuesday night at the Ballyduff GAA Clubrooms. Tickets cost €2.50 each and are available at the local shops and businesses and from members of the promoting Clubs. You may also play the Lotto online at www. ballyduffgaa.com. Remember "If you are not in you can't win".

BALLYDUFF GAA NEWS

U13 Hurling

Our U13 lads hosted South Liberties in a challenge game on Saturday morning. A highly competitive and good spirited game was played out by both sides. Some great scoring skills were on display along with some very skilful passages of play from both sides. Huge thanks to all involved with South Liberties for making the trip. Also a special mention to Lixnaw's Dylan Stack and Jamie Walsh who joined us for the game.

U16 Hurling:

Well done to the Kerry U16 hurlers who beat Kildare to finish their year of on a high. Congratulations to our own Jake Rochford as he was presented with the silverware.

CHURCH NOTICES

Masses for the week

Friday 7.00pm: Peg, John & Gerard O'Hanlon - First Friday

Saturday September 7th 7.30pm: Edmond Daughton — Month's Mind; Mary O'Sullivan, Clahane; Pat O'Callaghan; Patrick O'Leary; Jim & Johnny Crowley; Phil & Tadhg Brosnan and deceased members of the Brosnan Family; Hannah & Tom O'Sullivan & deceased members of the O'Sullivan Family.

Sunday September 8th - No Mass

Ministers of the Eucharist: Saturday 7.30pm — Richard Casey/ Teddy O'Sullivan/Martina O'Mahony.

Reader: Saturday 7.30pm — Martina Rochford
Diocesan Collection: Saturday 7th Sept - Diocesan Needs

Sacrament of Reconciliation Liturgy: Wednesday 4th September at 7.00pm in Ballyduff. Please come along.

Communion Calls: Thursday 5th September at the usual times.

Divine Mercy Devotions: Every Sunday at 3.30pm
Eucharist Adoration: Every Wednesday 10.30am – 11.30am.
Sunday 8th September – Pattern Day – Ballyheigue: To fa-

Sunday 8th September — Pattern Day — Ballyheigue: To facilitate those of you who wish to attend the Mass at 11.30am in Ballyheigue we will have two Vigil Masses on Saturday 7th September at 6.30pm in Causeway and 7.30pm in Ballyduff. Please note there will be no Sunday Mass on Sunday, 8th September in Ballyduff.

Presbytery Landline Telephone: Number (066) 7131148 is no longer in use. If you wish to contact Fr. Gerard please do so on his mobile (087)0554874

DEATH

The death took place of Padraig Egan, Clashmealcon, Causeway. His remains were removed from Casey's Funeral Home, Causeway to SS Peter's & Paul's Church, Ballyduff where his Requiem Mass was celebrated. Burial was in Rahela Cemetery, Ballyduff.

Sympathy is extended to the family, relatives and friends of the above deceased

A THOUGHT

Go for it now — the future is promised to no-one

BALLYLONGFORD

LOCAL BANKING

Tarbert Post office offers banking services to AIB and BOI customers: Lodgement and withdrawal facility, Cheque lodgement with lodgement slip. Foreign exchange- Sterling, American, Australian and Canadian dollars in stock. Phone: 068 36100

Opening hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 5.30pm, closed for lunch 1pm-2pm.

ENAMORE ROVERS

We are back training for the new season. New players are always welcome.

Training in Lenamore every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm. Eircode: V31 C678

For more information please visit our Facebook page or text Tony on 086 834 0475

THE YOGA ROOM PARISH HALL BALLYLONGFORD

Regular Yoga class Tuesday 7pm-8pm. Chair Yoga Thursday 6pm-7pm.

€12 per session at the Parish Hall Booking is essential as places are limited please book with Elisha on 087 343 5231.

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Please call Elisha to discuss which of these energy modality treatment plans will best suit you individually to work alongside your conventional therapies.

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BALLYLONGFORD NOTES

The notes are there for the benefit of the community so make sure you submit your notices, events etc. If you would like to include something in our weekly notes, please email ballylongfordnotes@gmail.com or phone/WhatsApp 087 930 8223. If you have trouble with electronic submissions, please call me on the above number.

Please Note: Deadline for Submissions is 8pm on Sunday











PARENTS INFORMATION NIGHT

ON THE TRANSITION TO SECOND LEVEL EDUCATION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS.

Are you a parent of a child with additional special needs? Have you questions or would you like to know more about the transition to second level education?

When...

18th September from 5.30-7pm

Where...

Colaiste na Riochta, Listowel V31 WD34

Speakers on the night...

Pat O'Sullivan KETB

Shane Kelly NCSE

Be informed and be prepared!

Information covered on the night:

What you need to do when applying to a school/ special class place?

What resources are available to my child?

What school will meet my child's needs?

Application dates for resources.

What questions should I ask Schools?





BALLYBUNION

ACCOMMODATION FOR LISTOWEL RACE WEEK IN BALLYBUNION

We have received numerous inquiries from individuals seeking accommodation specifically in Ballybunion. If you are aware of any available houses or rooms, please get in touch with the Tourist Office to provide the details. Email us at Ballybuniontouristoffice@gmail.com, call 068 25555 and leave a message, or drop the information through our letterbox. Your assistance in helping visitors find accommodation is greatly appreciated.

PADRE PIO PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

Sunday 22nd September. Bus leaving Ballybunion at 7.45 a.m. Contact James on 087 7789929

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

10th October ex Dublin. 849 Euro pp. Sharing / 1024 Euro Single room. Hotel Leone half board seven nights. Deposit 300 non-refundable. Contact: Listowel Travel.

BALLYBUNION LIBRARY

For any children that are starting Junior Infants this September, come to the library to pick up a free Little Library Bag. The bag contains some lovely books, a library card wallet and other goodies to help the transition to Primary School. Opening Hours: 10am-1:30pm and 2:30pm-5pm from Tuesday to Saturday inc. ballybunion@kerrylibrary.ie 068 27615 www.kerrylibrary.ie

IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE

The Irish Blood Transfusion Service will be in Ballybunion Community Centre this Thur 12th Sept from 4.50pm to 8.10pm. Please ring 1800 731137 now to make an appointment, Alternatively you can also go online on GIVE-BLOOD.ie & book an appointment if you have created your online account with your donor number & email address. Your support is needed now more than ever and is greatly appreciated. New Donors are always welcome.

BALLYBUNION TIDY TOWNS

Meeting Wednesday 4th September at 6.30 in the Community Centre, all welcome.

Friday October 11th Golf Classic. Proceeds to Ballybunion Tidy Towns. Handicap necessary for reservation. €200 per team of 4. Deposit €100 at time of booking. 086 161 8869

CHILDREN'S ART AND CRAFT CLASSES IN BALLYBUNION

Children's Art and Craft classes every Saturday. All materials supplied. Classes are from 11:30am to 1:30pm. €15 per child. For any further information contact Marie 0860664435

BALLYBUNION COMMUNITY CENTRE

Ballybunion Community Centre is now taking bookings, booking office hours are 9am to 2pm Tuesday to Friday.

Phone number is 068-27799 and the email is ballybcomcentre@gmail.com.

CHILD-MINDER WANTED

To mind a 7yr old boy and 9yr old girl from Lisselton Monday to Thursday 2:30pm to 17:30. School pick up in Ballybunion required. Reduced hrs. during school holidays. Two weeks paid leave included in the job offer. Please contact Maeye 087 799 3717.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE IN COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT

Community Employment offers paid work, free training courses and an opportunity to contribute to your community. Current part-time positions (19.5 hrs. /wk.) Include: Tourist Office Attendant, Environmental Worker x 2, Community Centre Receptionist/Booking Officer, Leisure Centre Cleaner x 1, and Community Centre Caretaker x 2. For details, contact Rosaleen on 089-2763786 or email saothairnanabhann@gmail.com

CHECKERS CAFÉ AND CRAZY GOLF

Taking bookings for Birthday parties, clubs, groups and societies. Contact Marie on 0876415513.

TAEKWONDO BALLYBUNION

Taekwondo Classes in Ballybunion Community Centre upstairs hall, on Wednesday evening for beginners aged 5yrs+, teens and adults and on Friday evenings for beginner teens and adults. Great for confidence, balance, co-ordination, fitness, self-defense, self-discipline and its fun. - if interested please contact Michael on 087 9245637

BALLYBUNION MEALS ON WHEELS

The Ballybunion meals on wheels service will be delivered 3 days a week, meals will be delivered on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Anyone wishing to avail of delivery please contact Eileen Fogarty on 086 2234 965 or Con McCarthy on 087 418 4241. The areas covered are Ballybunion, Lisselton, Asdee and Ballylongford. The dinner will be delivered to your door by one of the men at the cost of ϵ 7 per meal.

BALLYBUNION BADMINTON

Ballybunion Badminton takes place on Thursdays 8pm to 10pm, in Ballybunion Community Centre. New members are always welcome. If you have any enquiries please contact the Ballybunion Baseliners Facebook page. Or text 086 166 0682 strictly over 15's.

BALLYBUNION HEALTH AND LEISURE CENTRE

Open Mon-Fri 8am-9pm, Saturday 9am-6pm, Sunday 10am-6pm, Bank Holidays 10am - 6pm.

We have numerous exercise and fitness classes, which include Hydro bikes, Aqua Aerobics, Spinning. Public Swimming lessons take place during the week and can be booked by contacting reception, for any further information please call Reception on Tel: 068-28111 or follow our Facebook page Ballybunion Health & Leisure Centre for regular updates.

Some photos from The Celebration Weekend at Garvey's SuperValu Listowel for The Launch of their Newly Renovated Store.

Customers enjoyed Lixnaw Trad and visits from Paudie Clifford, Sam Maguire, Liam McCarthy, Giggles Kids & The Kerry Ladies





We have been shortlisted in the Munster round of the AIB COMMUNITY €1 MILLION FUND

We asked you to nominate Ard Chúram for the AIB Community Fund..... and you delivered!

Ard Chúram is now one of six Munster charities from the public nominations to go forward for adjudication.

We could not have done this without you so, from all at Ard Chúram, go raigh maith agaibh go léir.



From all at Aras Mhuire Thank You for your Votes!

Thanks to everyone who supported us during the Summer, we are delighted to have made it to the adjudication rounds of the AIB Community €1 Million Fund

A huge **Thank You**, we appreciate all the support we received from all over North Kerry!



LOCAL NEWS

TARBERT

TARBERT NEWS

Contact; email tarbertnews@outlook.com or telephone Patrick Lynch at 068/36117 on or before 7pm Sunday. Fan slán.

DEATHS

The death took place of Kathleen Carroll, Doonard Crescent, Carhoona and formerly of Chapel Street, Tarbert. Kathleen who was aged 91 years died after a short illness at Beechwood Nursing Home, Newcastlewest on Sunday 25 August. She reposed at St. Mary's Funeral Home, Tarbert on Thursday 29 August. Her Requiem Mass took place at St. Mary's Church on Friday 30 August and was concelebrated by Fathers Michael Hussey, Sean Hanafin, Gerard Finucane, Francis Nolan and Tom Leane.

Father John O'Connor who was indisposed was unable to attend. Gifts brought to the altar included a copy book to denote her profession as a teacher, gardening gloves signifying her love of gardening, a book to denote her love of reading and her wedding photograph. Her daughter Siobhán spoke of her sense of humour, independence of mind and spirit and her love of family. St. Mary's Choir rendered hymns of praise and celebration. As her remains were removed from the Church there was a guard of honour of former teaching colleagues from the INTO. Her remains were shouldered from the Church past the National School where Kathleen and her mother taught and here there was a guard of honour of boys and girls from the School. The funeral cortege proceeded to Kilnaughtin cemetery where Kathleen was laid to rest beside her husband Jack who had died in 2002.

Kathleen was one of 8 children, four boys and four girls born to Jerry and Mai O'Connell, née O'Connor in Chapel Street, Tarbert. Before her retirement in 1968, Mrs. O'Connell had the honour of seeing her son and daughter, Wim and Kathleen teaching with her in Tarbert National School, Tarmons and Reenturk having closed. Reenturk National School closed in 1967 and the last two teachers there Kathleen Carroll, Principal and Hanna Moran moved with their pupils into the new central school in Tarbert.

Kathleen was predeceased by her brother Denis and sister Esther. Sympathy of the community is extended to her daughters Siobhán and Maura, sisters Carmel (Polly) and Anne, brothers Wim, Father Philip and Jerry, sons-in-law John and Paul, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives, friends and extended family. Beannacht Dé le h-anamacha na marbh qo léir.

BINGO

Tarbert Bingo takes place in the Community Centre on this Wednesday 4 September at 8pm with valuable prizes. Your support would be appreciated.

PLANNING DELAYS

Well done to local Councillor Michael Foley who has taken up the cudgels with an Bord Pleanála on the inordinate delay in coming to a decision on the LNG Shannon Natural Gas terminal even though it has been backed by Kerry County Council. An Bord Pleanála has also delayed a planning application by SSE Generation Ireland for a 10 year planning permission for an open cycle Gas Turbine at the existing Power Station to be fuelled by Hydrotreated Vegetable Oil which would guarantee the future of the plant. In everybody's interests decisions need to be made sooner rather later in the interest of the region.

FLIGHT OF THE EAGLES

On his recent visit to Kerry, Taoiseach Simon Harris TD was introduced by Philip Buckley, Tarbert to an ongoing project to reestablish the white tailed eagle in Kerry and the Shannon estuary following their extinction here some years ago. Hundreds of chicks have been brought from Norway and have been fed and reared here and monitored by wildlife experts. Philip a native of Shanaway, Tarbert is National Parks and Wildlife Services Divisional Manager and head of Páirc Náisiúnta na Mara.

ALL IRELAND WINNER

Comhghairdeas to Sean Egan, Tarmons who was adjudged All Ireland Onion Champion in the final of the competition held in Cavan recently, competing against a strong field of gardeners from all over Ireland. Not content to sit on his onions, Sean is travelling to Wales to take on gardening competioners there. Sean is already planting seeds for next year's competition. So, best of luck for the future.

ASKEATON WEEKEND

Next weekend commencing Friday 6 September there will be a number of events taking place as part of the Askeaton Civic Trust 825 year celebrations. Dr. Declan Downey will give a talk in the Carnegie Library, Ballysteen at 8pm on 'The Medieval Origins of Askeaton' followed by other events in Askeaton over the weekend.

LIXNAW

PARISH MASS TIMES

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH: Friday 6th September, Mass at 7.30pm for Róisín O'Callaghan, Banemore. Saturday 7th September, Mass at 7.30pm for Baby Mai & Matt O'Connor, Ballyhennessy; Eileen Brosnan, Upper Tullig, Kilflynn; Kitty O'Connell, Clandouglas; Denis Fealy, The Village; Mossie, Eileen & Jamie O'Sullivan, Ballyrehan. IRREMORE CHURCH: Sunday 8th September, Mass at 11.00am for Tim & Mary Horgan.

RATHEA CHURCH: Sunday 8th September, Mass at 9.30am.

LIXNAW CHOIR: Choir practice on Monday 2nd September at 8pm. New members are very welcome. Anyone interested, please join us on any Saturday night or contact Kathleen on 087-6289635

JIXNAW GAA

SPLIT THE BUCKET DRAW

Congratulations to Rocky O'Lehan, who won €92 in the Split the

Bucket Draw. Thanks for your continued support.

GAA LOTTO DRAW

26/08/24 Jackpot \in 14,000. Numbers drawn were 8, 14, 26, 29. No jackpot winner. \in 20 winners: Margaret Kennelly (online); Ina Lyne, Ballinageragh; S, D & B Joy, Mountcoal. The next draw jackpot will be \in 14,050.

ST SENAN'S GAA

CLUB LOTTO DRAW: 26/08/24 Jackpot €6,400. Numbers drawn were 06, 15, 22, 32. No jackpot winner. €30 winners: Noreen Wallace Listowel; Sharone Hickey (online). €20 winners: Tina Breen, Irremore; Tadgh Moriarty, Listowel; Keogh Heaphy, Behins. Next week's jackpot will be €6,500. Tickets €2 each or 3 for €5. Tickets are available at Kelly's Six Crosses, The Halfway Bar, or play online. Thank you for your continued support.

CONTACT

To include items in the Lixnaw notes, please email lixnawnotes@gmail.com by 10pm on Sunday evening.

MOYVANE

Contact: moyvanenotes@gmail.com

BLOTTO

There was no winner of the €5,000 Jackpot last Thursday night. Numbers drawn were 7, 17, 19, 32.

Lucky Dips: €100: Alan & David Kidney, Limerick. €50: Jackie & John Kissane, Tarbert. €20 each Paddy O'Sullivan, Abbeyfeale. Anthony Kiely, Woodgrove, Moyvane. Tom Batt Lynch, Craughdarrig, Asdee. Danny Shields, Carrickerry. B. O'Connor, Moyvane Bingo. Free Tickets: Margaret Scanlon. Chloe & Aaron, c/o Nana. Michael O'Connor. Bridgie Keane, Clounbrane. Next week's Jackpot is €5,500 and the draw will be held at Bingo this Thursday night, September 05 at 8.00pm.

SPIN THE WHEEL

Congratulations to Mary Tydings, Listowel & Joan Manaher, Athea who won €200 each on the wheel last Thursday night.

SPLIT THE BUCKET

This week is Split the Bucket week. Envelopes are available in all the usual outlets locally, Holly's Gala, Mike Kennelly's HomeValue Hardware, Noel Stack Butchers, Enright's Bar, The Village Grill, Speedy's Bar, Moyvane. Newtownsandes Co-op Curl up and Dye (Anna Enright Fogarty) and at Bingo in the Marian Hall. $\ensuremath{\in} 2.00$ per entry or 3 for $\ensuremath{\in} 5.00$. Thank you all for supporting this very important fundraiser for your local school. This week it could be you.

MEN ON THE MOVE PROGRAMME IN MOYVANE

A 6-week Men on the Move programme will start at the Community Centre, (Community Sports Hall) Moyvane, on Thursday, September 05 from 7:00-8:00pm. Beginner fitness classes, working on endurance and strength. Suitable for all ages. Registration on the night is €10 cash (this covers the 6 classes)

NORTH KERRY COMMUNITY CHOIR

Is resuming on Monday, September 02 at 1.00pm in St Patrick's Hall, Upper William Street, Listowel. New members are very welcome. €40 per 5 week term. Under the direction of Award Winning Singer/ Songwriter Mary Culloty 0' Sullivan. 0879222753.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MOYVANE:

Thursday, September 05 10am Anniversary Mass for Timothy & Julia O'Flaherty. This Mass will be followed by Eucharistic Adoration. Friday, September 06 Private Intention Mass at 7.30pm.

Saturday, September 07 Mass at 7.30pm for Mai, Dan & Jack Quinn, Nora King, Bridget & Matt Quinn, Nora & Denis Hanrahan (Anniversaries)

Sunday, September 08 11.00am Second Anniversary Mass for Brid Flavin, Aughrim & deceased members of the Flavin & Hanrahan

KNOCKANIIRE.

Friday, September 06 10.00am Private Intention. (First Friday) Sunday, September 08 9.30am Anniversary Mass for Michael (24th) & Bridget Buckley (First) Knockanure & Rathkeale.



Congratulations to Sheila McGoldrick, Brosna who won €14,500 in the Marian Hall Blotto recently. L to R: Anna Maria Kennelly, Ella-Maria Roche, Sheila McGoldrick & Kit Horan

Bealaí Glasa na Ríochta Kingdom of Kerry Greenways

Tralee to Listowel Greenway



Public Consultation – Proposed Options

Kerry County Council (KCC) in partnership with Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) propose to develop a greenway between Tralee and Listowel. The Tralee to Listowel Greenway will be an important addition to the Kingdom of Kerry Greenways.

The Project Team would like to hear your views in relation to the Proposed Options along with any information that you would like the Project Team to be aware of i.e. constraints, opportunities, key features, attractors, etc. This information will inform the development of the Preferred Option.

Kerry County Council will hold two public information events as follows:

- Ballyroe Heights Hotel, Tralee Tuesday 10th September 2024 from 3pm to 8pm.
- Listowel Arms Hotel, Listowel Wednesday 11th September 2024 from 3pm to 8pm.

Members of the Project Team will be available at both information events to meet with interested parties to discuss the project, the Proposed Options, and the next steps in the development of the project.

An online consultation process will commence on the Kerry County Council Consultations Portal Website https://consult.kerrycoco.ie/browse on Tuesday 10th September 2024, running until Friday 11th October 2024.

Copies of the Public Consultation Brochure, Questionnaire and Proposed Options drawings will also be on display in the following Kerry County Council buildings between Tuesday 10th September 2024 and Friday 11th October 2024:

- Kerry County Council, Tralee Municipal District, Prince's Quay, Tralee.
- Kerry County Council, Listowel Municipal District, Arás an Phiarsaigh, Charles St., Listowel.
- Kerry County Council, Roads and Transportation, Room 115, County Buildings, Rathass, Tralee.
- Kerry National Roads Office, Kerry County Council, The Island Centre, Castleisland, Co. Kerry.

How to make a Submission

Submissions can be made using the feedback form on the Kerry County Council Consultations Portal Website https://consult.kerrycoco.ie/browse or by posting your completed Public Consultation Questionnaire to Kerry National Roads Office.

Please make submissions by Friday 11th October 2024.

Post: Tralee to Listowel Greenway, Kerry National Roads Office, Kerry County Council, The Island Centre, Castleisland, Freepost FKY 7494, Co. Kerry, V92 TOCP.

Email: tlgreenway@kerrycoco.ie











KILFLYNN

KILFLYNN TODDLER GROUP

The Kilflynn toddler group is coming back! Starting on Thursday 12th September, we will be in St. Columbus Hall in Kilflynn (V92 X272), at 10.00-11.30 am. Please come yourself and bring some friends, plenty of toys, laughter, chats and finally that hot cuppa with some treats. See you there! Contact Maureen on 087 9893847 for more information.

COMHGHAIRDEAS

To Amanda Duyile, Castletown, Kilflynn who came second in the Under 16, National 100m at the Community Games in Carlow last weekend.

REPRESENTING IRELAND

Huge congratulations to our very own Priya O'Donovan Knockacaska, Kilflynn, who received her international cap from Basketball Ireland president Margaret Miley at the National Basketball Arena on Saturday 31st August. Priya plays her club basketball for Tralee Magic's U16 Girls team, we are all incredibly proud of you, Priya! Keep shining on and off the court!

KILFLYNN VINTAGE CLUB

After a very successful vintage weekend in Kilflynn on 15th and 16th June 2024, Kilflynn Vintage Club were delighted to present our beneficiaries with their cheques on Friday 9th August 9 in Parkers Pub. We were delighted this year to present Down Syndrome Kerry Branch, Jack & Jill Foundation, Rosemary Centre Tralee, Kilflynn National School, Kilflynn Graveyard Committee, and Kilflynn Defibrillator Group. As a club, we are honored to give back to our community and all the hard-working groups that are so deserving of donations. We wish to thank everyone who participated in and attended our rally and those who volunteered their time to assist us, as it is your support that allows us to give back to these worthy causes. Go raibh mile maith agaibh. We are already looking ahead to 2025 for something even bigger and better!

MUSIC

A dynamic five-piece band Rhythm & Sticks hailing from the rich musical landscapes of Cavan and Longford, is taking the folk scene by storm with their high-energy performances, and the return to Parker's Pub and Venue, Kilflynn on Saturday night 7th September. Doors 8.00p.m Tickets are €15 available on Eventbrite.

CROTTA LOTTO RESULTS

Parker's Pub, Kilflynn was the venue for the Crotta Hurling Club weekly lotto draw on Monday 2nd September, The Four numbers drawn out of the drum by the independent observer: Graham Harris, Clounsillagh, Lixnaw were 2.3.10 and 25. There was no winner of the 3.500 Jackpot.

Congratulations to the following who won €35 in the lucky dip draw: Aisling Doran, Rathea, Listowel, Siobhan Whyte, Irremore, Listowel and Brendan Godley, Ballylongane Ballyheigue

The next draw will take place in Herbert's Bar, Kilflynn on Monday night 2nd September at 10.30p.m with a \in 3.600 Jacknot.

Tickets available 3 for €5 online visit www.crottagaa.club or this link https://play.clubforce.com/play_newa.asp?Il_id=427#Anchor or Herbert's Bar/Village Store, Parker's Pub, Zam Zam Kabab, Foley Shop Lixnaw, Abbeydorney Post Office or from Club ticket sellers. Many thanks to all who contribute to our weekly Club Lotto. The Club cannot emphasize enough the importance of our members promoting the Club Lotto among family, friends, and work colleagues. Your continued support is greatly

PREMIER JUNIOR QUARTER FINAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Full Time Score in Keel: St Senans 3:12 (21) -v- Keel 1:12 (15)

A 6 point win for St. Senan's fantastic work. The halfway lads play Ardfert in the Semi final on Sunday 8th September at 3.00p.m in Austin Stack's' Park, Tralee. We wish the best of luck to the St. Senan's players and their mentors.

CROTTA GAA

On behalf of Crotta GAA we would like to congratulate John Griffin on his appointment as Kerry Senior Hurling Bainisteoir for the coming year.

John was a dedicated, skilful and sporting player throughout his players career and was always on hand to help with underage players from every club went to.

A gentleman on and off the field with an in-depth knowledge and passion for Kerry hurling who will give his all to develop our current youthful senior panel.

Best of luck Tweak, to your backroom team and panel of players

North Kerry Under 15 'A' Championship Final

[Johnny Hussey Memorial Shield]

On Tuesday, 27 August in Lixnaw Full time

Crotta:3-11(20) -v- Ballyheigue:2-6(12)

Congratulations to the Crotta players and their mentors. Hard luck to ballyheigue.

North Kerry Hurling Board Intermediate Hurling League

Wednesday, 28 August - Round 1

St. Brendan's Hurling Club 4 - 17 Crotta O'Neill's 1 - 11

Round 2 on Wednesday, 4 September Crotta play Abbeydorney @ 6.30pm Abbeydorney

Crotta U9's enjoying their county blitz on Wednesday evening 28t August at Caherslee, Tralee. Teams involved were Crotta, Tralee Parnells, Ballyduff, Ballyheigue, Abbeydorney and Lixnaw. Thanks to all players, mentors, parents, referees and Kerry GDA's for organising a well ran event

ACTIVE RETIRED

Abbeydorney/Kilflynn Active Retired Group Welcome back to all the members. Our meetings will resume on Wednesday September 4th in the Abbeydorney Parish Hall at 10.30 am. New members are always welcome. Contact Marie Williams; 066 7135831.

MEMORY LANE THEATRE GROUP, LIXNAW PRESENTS 'WIDOW'S PARADISE'

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ST. MARY'S CHURCH, KILFLYNN

Mass Intention for the week in St. Mary's Church: on Friday 6th September (First Friday) at 10.00 a.m. and on Saturday 7th September at 6pm. Donie Walsh, Cappa (M.M) & deceased members of the Walsh Family (A) John Shanahan. The Waterfall.

If anyone would like a call please contact the Parish Office 066 4018996 or Fr. Jerry Keane 087 2844649. Adoration of Blessed Sacrament Kilflynn: Resuming Monday 2nd September 7.00p.m. - 8.00 p.m. Kilflynn Altar Society for September: Brenda Brennan, Geraldine Parker.

Abbeydorney Presbytery Phone number has been disconnected. All queries to the Parish Office 066 4018996. Parish Office can be contacted by phone 066 4018996 Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. or by email: abbeydorney@dioceseofkerry.ie

Webcam has been installed in Kilflynn Church – To watch Masses go to www.dioceseofkerry.ie – Abbeydorney Parish and click on 'watch Mass'. Diocesan.

PATTERN DAY BALLYHEIGUE

Bishop Ray Browne will celebrate the Pattern Day Mass at 11.30 a.m. on Sunday September 8th, at Our Lady's Well and Grotto. Everyone is warmly invited.

ST SENANS GAA CLUB LOTTO DRAW 02/09/2024

Jackpot €6,500 - Numbers Drawn: 03, 06, 14, 19,

No Winner - - Lucky dip:

€30 each: Tyna Breen Irremore, Tadgh Moriarty Listowel.

€20 each: Patrick O'Halloran Kilflynn, Helen Maunsell Abbeydorney. Michelle Lynch Irremore.

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Listowel Celtic U12 Premier team who had their first league game at the weekend



Local man Mike O Connell was busy watering flowers at Kilflynn Village on Saturday morning.
Photo Moss Joe Browne



Anthony Kiely who graduated form UL in Limerick on Wednesday 28th August with a First Class Honors Degree in Law and Accounting







Ballylongford/Asdee U11's finished off their season in the John Horrigan U11 Tournament in Askeaton on Sunday. They lost the Cup Semi Final narrowly to Glin/Ballyhahill, but were triumphant in the Shield Final versus neighbours Ballydonoghue. Great credit must go to all these girls and boys who have put in massive effort all year, so well done from all your coaches



Celebrating graduation at University of Limerick are Lisselton men Patrick Kissane (BSc in Chemical and Biochemical Engineering) and John Kennelly (BSc in Industrial Biochemistry). They are among the 3,600 students graduating as part of UL's Autumn Conferring ceremonies



Listowel Celtic U14s girls delighted to be back at soccer training last Tuesday 3rd September



Congratulations to Shimmering Water, winner of our KGOBAA1 Stakes Final last Friday night at Kingdom Greyhound Stadium. Well done to joint owners Willie and James Purtill from Lisselton. Pictured: Donal G. O'Mahony of KGOBA making the winning presentation to Willie Purtill with Tom Kennelly, Paddy Purtill, Dan Nolan and Kieran Casey Racing Manager KGS



The Finuge U9 team who played Duagh recently in Duagh



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SPORTS NEWS

LISTOWEL CELTIC

Draw 02/09/24 - Numbers Drawn 5-17-20-23
Jackpot not won - Lucky Dip Winners
€40 Mary Dillon, Duagh
€20 Sadie O'Brien, Upper Bedford
€20 Helen Loughnane, Bedford
€20 Jenny Tarrant, Gurtinard
€20 John Riordan, KCC

Next Draw 07/09/24 at Kevins - Jackpot €3,200

LISTOWEL ATHLETIC CLUB

Sports hall games

Last Sunday saw the sports hall games eventually happen, this was cancelled earlier in the year due to a red weather warning. There was a nice group of Lios Tuathail AC athletes taking part from u9 to u12 with sprints, jumps, throws and relays. Our athletes performed exceptionally well considering they only returned after the Summer break. Today was their chance to shine and they did that bringing home to Listowel many medals across all events. Full results to follow

Cross country

Cross country training continues each week Min and Thur cows lawn near Listowel community centre at 6pm. Come and try to see if this is for you, excellent coaches there to assist.

Little Athletics

Details will be posted to Facebook and Instagram in the coming weeks of the return of Little Athletics

BEALE GAA

Another great day at the Eóin Griffin Tournament! Almost 160 under-10 players from Reale R

BALLYBUNION GOLF CLUB

Mens Competitions

Pat Mulcare Saturday 31st August 2024 Old Course Pat Mulcare Sunday 1st September 2024 Old Course

1st Day 1 Tralee Golf Club

G O'Driscoll Cormac Foley Michael T. Higgins Paudie Whelan 9

1st Day 1 Ballybunion Golf Club

lan McCarthy Kevin Kiely Robert Hanley Aidan O'Reilly 89

1st Day 2 Tralee Golf Club

Donal O'Sullivan David M O'Flynn Stephen Hillson Oliver Mitchell 87

1st Day 2 Ballybunion Golf Club

Philip O'Sullivan Sean O'Keeffe Brian Lennon Denis Kelly 92

1st Overall

Gerard Galvin Patrick B Murrihy Brian Kelleher Eamon Hayes 177

2nd Overall

Conor Stack Seamus MacGearailt Paudie Casey Thomas Griffin 177

3rd Overall

Tom O'Farrell Mark Leahy Mark Stephenson Donagh Stephenson 175

Fixtures

3rd

Sunday 8th September 2024 Men's Singles Competition Sponsored by Mc-Munns Old Course

Friday Mixed Scramble Sponsored by Cahill's Supervalu, Ballybunion 26th July 2024 Cashen Course

1st Maeve Barrett (18), Michael K Barrett (10), Siobhan Walsh (23) and Eamon Walsh (14)(

Siobhan Walsh (23) and Eamon Walsh (14)(6.5)39.5 2nd John Molyneaux (-1), Donal Molyneaux (6),

Des Molyneaux (18) and Elaine Molyneaux (19)(4.2) 40.8

Joseph Sheehan (15), Mark Sheehan (10),

Mark Redmond (12) and Hazel Stafford (36)(7.3) 40.95

Ladies Tuesday Competition – Tuesday 27th August 2024 Cashen Course

 1st
 Josette O'Donnell (23)
 38pts

 2nd
 Bernie Daly (37)
 37pts

 3rd
 Maeve Barrett (18)
 36pts (Bk6-13)

 4th
 Rose Fitzgerald (18)
 36pts (Bk6-11)

9 Hole Competition

1st Maria B O'Connor (26) 25pts 2nd Aideen O'Leary (27) 20pts (B6-17)

Ladies Competition – Sunday 1st September 2024 Cashen Course

 1st
 Eileen Daly(36)
 42pts

 2nd
 Joan Buckley(32)
 41pts

 3rd
 Hazel Stafford(50)
 40pts(8k9-20)

 4th
 Catriona Corrigan(11)
 40pts

9 Hole Competition

1st Mary Whelan(22) 23pts 2nd Maria B O'Connor(26) 22pts

Fixtures: Tuesday 10th Sept 2024 Ladies Voucher Competition — Cashen Course

Senior Mens Competition 29th August 2024 Cashen Course

Jerry Galvin (21) 31-1 30pts Cameron Sterritt(9) 2nd 27pts 3rd 30-4 26pts B5-12 Nelius () Sullivan(24) Gross **Donal Liston** 22pts Joe Costello (23) 28-2 26pts B5-9 4th Brendan Brosnan (21) 25pts B5-10 5th 6th Columba O Connor(19) 25pts B5-9 Pat McLaughlin (16) 26-1 25pts B5-8 7th Fin Broderick(20) 8th 24pts B5-9 B3-6 9th Thomas Griffin(14) 24pts B5-9 B3-4 Pius Collins(35) 26-2 10th 24pts B5-8 Rory Flannery(20) 27-3 24pts B5-7 S۷ Nicolas Hayes(20) 24-1 24pts B5-7 SSV Declan Lovett(22) 23pts B5-11

Fixtures: Thursday 5th September Senior Mens Competition Cashen Course

 Senior Ladies Competition 30th August 2024 Cashen Course

 1st
 Kathleen Lehane(21)
 20pts

 2nd
 Marion Kennedy Hogan(10)
 19pts

 3rd
 Marjorie Morkan(17)
 18pts (B6:15)

Fixtures: Friday 6th September 2024 Senior Ladies Competition Cashen Course

FINUGE GAA

FINUGE 500: Congratulations to our August winner of €500 - Darragh MacKessy of Coolagown. The winners of our special bonus prizes of passes for Listowel Races were Michael Hayes Finuge, Patsy Connell Tarbert, Tara O'Sullivan, Angela Breen, Kieran Foley, Breda Dowling Behanes, Kay Clapp Lixnaw. Entry tickets for September are available at McCarthy's Bar Finuge, Foleys Gala Express Shop Lixnaw, Stacks Londis Lixnaw, JJ Walsh Bar & Butchers Lixnaw, Gibbons Filling Station Lixnaw and the Post Office Lixnaw. Also available online at www.finugegaa.com

SENIORS: The next competition ahead for the team will be the NK Champion-ship.

MINORS: It is a break for now for our minor team following their county club championship final win two weeks ago. Meanwhile, best of luck to our minor players involved with North Kerry district in the county championship semifinal against Austin Stacks this Monday evening in ASP, Tralee. On that minor team we have Fionn Morrissey, Mark McElligott, Ivan Conway & Gavin O'Keeffe involved, while Gavin has the honour of captaining the side. Last week the NK minors played John Mitchels and took the win to qualify - well done lads.

U15s: The team are on a break for now while the U15 county championship plays out. Our representation at U15 is at a great level on the North Kerry district cup team with Cillian O'Sullivan, Micheal O'Sullivan, Matthew O'Flaherty, Jamie Breen, Eoin Commane and Joseph McElligott, while Joseph is the joint captain. The team had an impressive win over Mid Kerry last week and this puts them into the plate semifinal this Wednesday.

We also have a fine representation on the U15 shield team through Padraig McElligott, Thomas Keane, Callum O'Sullivan and Daithí Laide, with Daithí being joint captain. This team are going really well and while they fell to South Kerry last week, they had already qualified for the semifinal with a game in hand! This is comprised of all U14 players who are playing against U15 sides and so is an impressive display all round.

U13s: The team are having a little downtime following their winning streak in the North Kerry league. The focus now shifts to the North Kerry championship and the renowned Tommy Madden trophy where they will play St Senans in the preliminary round.

U11s: A much needed break for the squad last week - training continues Monday evenings

U9s: The team will play St Senans this Tuesday evening at home. We would be delighted for more boys or girls to join this group - even if the girls are already playing with Finuge/St Senans, that is fine too. If you have a boy or girl who would like to give football a go in their community, please do not hesitate to reach out. Our door is always open to new arrivals - please contact Conor on 086 829 9392.

U7s: Last week the U7 team played near neighbours St Senans and had a great

time - well done to all our boys & girls. Training continues every Monday evening.

ACADEMY 2024: Our academy players are in action now for the remainder of the season - if you have a child who would like to try Gaelic Football and play in their community with a progressive club, please contact us.

Your U7 contact is Maurice on 087 636 4834. Your U9 contact is Conor on 086 829 9392. Your U11 contact is Justin on 087 068 7504.

This academy group normally train on Monday evenings.

DEVELOPMENT: The last few weeks has seen a jump forward on our facilities development. The pathway on the stand side has been dug out, fresh foundations laid and new concrete poured. The new railing has been installed from the top corner inside the big gate, down past the stand. A retaining wall is being built along the grass bank with some other developments planned for the weeks ahead. This is a big addition to the grounds bringing that side of the pitch up to standard. Watch out for more changes coming soon!

LEAVING CERT; Well done to all the young women & men in our community who recently received their Leaving Cert results - we wish everyone the best for whatever the future holds.

TARBERT GAA

Tarbert GAA Monthly €500 Draw:

Our Sept'24 draw will take place on Saturday 7th September in the Swanky Bar. Don't forget to purchase your ticket and be in the draw for a GUARAN-TEED Prize of €500. Tickets are available online tarbertgaa.ie, from committee members and from the Post Office.

County Junior Football Championship quarter final result Goals from Patsy O Connell and John Coolahan see Tarbert into the semi-finals of the Junior Football Championship.

Skellig Rangers 1-07, Tarbert 2-08.

Skellig Rangers were first to score and had a point inside the first minute of play. Tarbert had started well and scored an excellent point from Ben Sheehan after five minutes. Tarbert's second point came from Paddy O Callaghan after 14 minutes before a superb effort from Patsy O'Connell found the back of the Skellig net after 15 minutes of the first half. John Coolahan added another point shortly afterwards before Skellig added a point from play on 24 minutes. Patsy struck a superb 45 after 26 minutes before Paddy Callaghan added his second point followed by a Skellig free to leave the score line at half time Tarbert 1-05, Skellig Rangers 0-03.

Again Skellig Rangers were the first to score and had a point registered inside the first minute of the second half. Shaun Wren cancelled the Skellig point by converting an excellent point of his own after two minutes. Skellig were more dominant now and had a strong breeze with them and added another point after three minutes to leave the score line 1-06 to 0-05 to Tarbert. Then came the all-important second goal for Tarbert. John Coolahan took control of the ball 35 meters from goal and ran at the Skellig defence and rifled a shot low to the left-hand corner of the Skellig net to put Tarbert in a lead of 2-06 to 0-05. However, Rangers were not done and registered a goal of their own two minutes later to leave only 4 points between the sides, Tarbert 2-06, Skellig Rangers 1-05, with 18 minutes remaining on the clock.

Despite this set back Tarbert were in control and further points from David Mulvihill in the 17th minute and Jack Sheehan in the 29th minute were enough to secure the win for the men in red and black

Like their last outing against Moyvane, this was a composed win for our boys who controlled the game in large parts and didn't panic when Skellig Rangers put pressure on them. Again, the sum of the parts won this game for Tarbert as every player played their part in this win, however Tarbert were probably best served on the day by Conor Egan who was outstanding at corner back.

County Junior Football Championship semi final fixture

Tarbert now play Cordal in the semi final on Sunday 8th September. Time and venue TBC.

North Kerry Rangers

U17s semi Final: Best of luck to North Kerry Rangers minors in the County Championship semi final against Austin Stacks. Tarbert players on the panel are: Tadhg O Connell, Michael Coolahan, Shane Stack and Donal Finucane

U15s Plate Final: Best of luck to North Kerry Rangers U15s As in the County Championship Plate final against Eoghan Ruadh on Wednesday evening 4th Sept. Tarbert players on the panel are Christian O Donnell, Michael Finucane and Dylan Buckley.

U15s Shield Final: Best of luck to North Kerry Rangers U15s Bs in the County Championship Sheild Final against South Kerry on Sunday 8th September. Tarbert players on the panel are Fionn Egan (JC), Gavin Denihan, Shea Culhane and Ryan Browne.

SPORTS NEWS

SHANNONSIDE TARBERT CLUB

I GFA U8s Blitz

Well done girls to our U8s who took part in an U8s Blitz on Sunday morning in John Mitchels. The girls had 4 superb performances in all games. The girls showed great skill and accuracy in all games in both their hand and kick passing. There were super individual performances by all from the goal line, through the backs, midfield and forward line. It was great to see all the skills and teamwork. A big shout out also to all the parents and family for making the early trip this morning and always supporting our girls.

Thanks to John Mitchell's for hosting, thanks to Finuge/St Senans and John Mitchell's for great games.

U15s PDP (Player Development Program)

Shannonside had 8 girls representing North Kerry at the u15 PDP blitz on Saturday last in Mallow Co Cork. Well done to our 8 players Aoife Griffin, Avril Foley, Molly Barrett, Ava Wren, Abi O Brien, Alanna Shanahan, Eabha Buckley

Thanks to Kerry Ladies Gaelic Football & to Munster Ladies Gaelic Football for organising the event. Thanks to our u16s coach Carol Wren Guiney for her excellent work with the North Kerry PDP players over the last number of weeks.

BALLYDONOGHUE GAA

Lotto Draw results:

The numbers drawn for Friday 30th August 2024, were as follows, 2, 7, 13, 39. The Jackpot was €6,100 and there was no Jackpot winner.

The following won 30 euro lucky dips:

Denis Buckley - Online.

John Ross Dowling- Online.

Cillian Lacken

Charlotte O' Hanlon- Woodford Caoimhe Leahy c/o John O'Connor.

The following won three free tickets:

Rachel Barry- Online.

Kiera O'Connor c/o John O'Connor.

Billeen Keane - Garryard House.

Next Jackpot will be €6,200 and it will take place next Friday 6th September 2024 in Coolard Clubhouse.

Results: North Kerry League Division 3:

Ballydonoghue B v Listowel B was played on Thursday evening August 29th @ 7pm in Listowel. The final score was Ballydonoghue B 4-15 v Listowel B 2-14. Team: Cian Mahony 2-1, Darragh Scanlon,(Darran Gogarty), Podge 0 Connor 0-1, Seán Mahony, Declan Behan, William Kissane 80-1, David Lynch 0-1, Jack Sheehy o-4, Kevin O Donnell, Jamie Keane(Darragh Scanlon). Kieran Foley 1-1, Eddie Sheehy(Jack Bambury). Cian Sheehy 0-1, Robbie Foley 1-2, Paudie Lyons 0-3.

DUAGH/LYRE COMM GAMES

This weekend sees a number of our participants travel to Carlow for National finals on Sunday. In handwriting u10 Siun Kelly, Siun was County champion and this will be her first experience of National finals. U11 project Senan Brosnan, Jamie Doran and Roisín Sheehy, the team were second at the County competition and qualified for Nationals this is their first experience at Nation-

U13 project Anna Troude, Caoilinn Harte, Katie Lane and Julia Quilter the group won the County competition and three of the group have previously competed at National finals in 2022 where they won gold, this time they have moved up in the age groups. U16 skittles team: Luke Bambury Lawson, Thomas Cahill, Cillian Kirby, Sinead Buckley, Lisa McMahon and Fiona O'Brien.

Some of the skittles team have experience from last year and for some it's their first time at National finals. It's not easy qualify for National finals and all participants have been busy preparing and training over the summer. We wish everyone a safe journey to Carlow and hope that everyone enjoys the

ST. MICHAEL'S BASKETBALL

Registration Night: New basketball Club in Lixnaw commencing on 7th October in Lixnaw Community Centre for kids and adults, all ages from U8's upwards, all very welcome to join.

Online registration now open or come along to our registration night on Fri 6th Sept from 7-8pm in Lixnaw Community Centre. All welcome.

NORTH KERRY GAA

U15A Plate Lee Strand County Championship Semi Final Report by Mairead O Sullivan Team Sponsor Great National Hotels North Kerry 4.12 v Mid Kerry 1.10

Being disappointed in not performing in the Cup Competition the North Kerry men had to regroup and put their shoulder to the wheel for the Plate Competition and that they did. Dominating in the first half the North Kerry men looked comfortable, but don't be fooled there is still plenty to work on in the next week, while they have qualified for the final, time date and venue to be

North Kerry's midfielder Cian Dowing (Duagh) opened the scoreboard in the first minute splitting the posts, it took until the 8th minute for the next score which came from the boot of centre forward Odhran Buckley (Beale). But with indiscipline in the backs for North Kerry, the visitors opened their scoring with a converted free from Sean Doherty (GGC), a minute later North Kerry's midfielder Timmy Kennelly (Emmets) split the posts on two occasions in the 10th and the 14th minutes, the play went up and down the pitch until full forward AJ Barrett (Emmets) North Kerry grabbed the bull by the horns and split the uprights in the 17th and 20th minutes. The determination of the Mid Kerry men shone through and a free awarded ended up in the back of the North Kerry net to bring just two points between the sides from the boot of Michael Culhane (Beaufort) game on. Again indiscipline from North Kerry let them down and an awarded free was converted for Mid Kerry by Luke Foley (Beaufort) in the 25th minute, again it was Mid Kerry on attack and Mikey Hynes (Laune Rangers) got their only score from play splitting the posts to bring the sides level for the first time in the game in the 30th minute. But North Kerry never looked like they were in trouble and a consistent performance from corner forward Dylan Buckley (Tarbert) and centre forward Odhran Buckley (Beale) for North Kerry and their link up play that stood out all through out the game and between the 32nd and 33rd minutes of extra time the Mid Kerry net was rattled twice by the fore mentioned men. But North Kerry weren't finished yet and to finish out the half centre forward Odhran Buckley (Beale) added another to the scoreboard before the half time whistle North Kerry 2.07 v Mid Kerry 1.03.

Second half and the visitors went toe to toe with the home side, adding seven points, but as they say goals win games, it was the home side who opened the scoring with a point from Brodie Mulvihill (Beale), again centre forward Odhran Buckley (Beale) added to his tally splitting the posts in the 43rd minute. A minute later North | Kerry's Brodie Mulvihill (Beale) rattled the Mid Kerry net for the third goal for the home side. It was score for score going into the closing stages, 48th minutes in and Mid Kerry's Sean Doherty (GGC) split the posts his team mate at wing forward Hugh O Sullivan (Laune Rangers|) added to his sides tally, in quick reply Brodie Mulvihill (Beale) split the uprights in the 49th minute the play swayed from side to side until man of the match Odhran Buckley (Beale) struck again in the 51st minute, but with changes made for the home side, Mid Kerry hit a purple patch and mid fielder Donnacha Quirke (Miltown/Castlemaine) fired the ball over the bar, but substitute Daryl Dalton (St Senans) ratting the net for the 4th goal for the home side in the 56th minute it was game set and match. But Mid Kerry being a proud district weren't throwing in the towel and cancelled out the goal with three points from play from Paddy O Sullivan (GGC), Hugh O Sullivan (Laune Rangers) and Darragh O Connor (GGC) for their last score of the game. North Kerry's Odhran Buckley (Beale) scored the last point of the game deep into injury time in the 63rd minute full time score North Kerry 4.12 v Mid Kerry 1.10. Stand out players for North Kerry were man of the match Odhran Buckley (Beale) having scored 1.05, followed by team and club mate Brodie Mulvihill scoring 1.02, Solid through out were Mid Fielder and Joint Captain Cian Dowing (Duagh), Wing Back Micheal Finucane (Tarbert) and Louis Corridon (Emmets). Well done to team and management, now the North Kerry U15 A team are in the Plate Final with time, date and venue tbc.

North Kerry: Christian O Donnell, Darragh O Donoghue, John Breen, Michael O Sullivan, Louis Corridan, Joseph McElligott, Micheal Finucane, Timmy Kennelly, Cian Dowing (C), Jamie Breen, Odhron Buckley, Matthew O Flaherty, Brodie Mulvihill, AJ Barrett, Dyaln Buckley.

The Tommy Madden U 13 Championship draw which was held on Sunday the 25th August. It was agreed at the Draw there would be one preliminary round game, any game that finishes in a draw two periods of 5 minutes would be played, plus extra 5 minutes if the extra time period finishes in a draw. Home venue to team drawn first. The Board would appoint the Referees for these Championship Games

The following date was agreed as the final is fixed for the weekend of 26th $\!\!/$ 27th October 2024.

St Senan's (Home)v Finuge (A). 6th October 12.00 noon.

(B) Northern Gaels (Home) V. Ballyduff 13th October 12.00 noon.

(C) Beale (Home). V Duagh 13th October 12.00 noon.

(D)Listowel Emmets.(Home) V. Moyvane 13th October 12.00 noon. (A) Knock / Brosna (Home) V St Senan's / Finuge 13th October 12.00 noon.

Semi- Finals.

D v B winner's of Listowel/ Moyvane (Home) v Beale v Duagh 20th October 12.00 noon.

A v C winner's of Knock/ Brosna / St Senan's / Finuge (Home) v Beale v Duagh.

Club Football Championship draws:

Junior Premier

Best wishes to the following North Kerry clubs remaining in the club Championship. St. Senan's as they take on Ardfert.

Tarbert V Cordal and the local Derby of Knocknagoshel v Duagh. All these games are on the weekend of the 7th & 8th of September.

Minor County Championship.

Best wishes to our neighbours St Kierans in the final of the Keane's Minor County Championship Final against Austin Stacks, Monday 9th of October.

KERRY PITCH & PUTT

While it had been well marked on everyone's calendar in Pitch & Putt circles. three out of four successes on home turf in the Munster Inter-County Championships in Tralee last weekend exceeded a lot of expectations as there was a historic success for one of the two Kerry Ladies sides on the day.

On Saturday afternoon they became the first Kerry Ladies side in 23 years to win a Munster Inter-County competition as they won the Nett event with a combined total of 241 points. Deerpark's Eileen McCarthy was the playing link between both sides as she was on the Kerry Ladies side that won the 2001 Munster event in Deernark

This year she combined with Tralee trio Charlotte Blake (Captain), Lisa and Catriona O'Connor to give the county a momentous win. After the Scotch Foursomes Doubles Kerry trailed the Tipperary 3 team by one point on 80 points but a 45-point return from Eileen in the Singles coupled with 43 points for Charlotte put Kerry ahead as Lisa and Catriona brought in 37 and 36 point totals respectively to give Kerry their final total of 241.

It saw them finish seven ahead of Cork 2 as Cork's first team won the main Gross prize with 187 points. Well done to Charlotte, Eileen, Lisa and Catriona on a momentous win along with their manager Tony Blake as the team was kindly sponsored by the Meadowlands Hotel in Tralee. The second team that competed on the day was supported by O'Connor Construction and consisted $\label{eq:construction} % \begin{center} \end{construction} \begin{center} \end{center} \begin{$ of Betty O'Brien, Eileen Switzer, Jean O'Shea and Orla O'Mahony. The Ladies success on Saturday afternoon followed a victory for the Junior Mens team in their event earlier in the day.

They had trailed Cork by four after the Doubles by really stepped up in the Singles as Mark O'Regan had one under par in the Singles, Pa Byrne level par, with David Hobbert (+1), Robbie O'Connor (+4) and Noel Lee (+7) their counting scores in the Singles with Mark O'Shea the other member of the winning team as their total score of ± 12 was 17 better than Cork in second. The team was looked after by County Board Chairman Christy O'Mahony as Kerry retained the title and won the event for a third time overall.

Sunday's play meanwhile saw victory for the Intermediate Mens team as similar to the Juniors, singles scoring got them the win. It was tied at 15 under par each between Kerry and Cork in the Singles before two under par for team captain Eamon Sheehy, one under for both James Fleming and Keith O'Brien, level par for Bobby McCarron and one over for Fergal Roche gave them a winning score of 18 under par with Listowel's Bobby McCarron the other member of the winning team and John Fitzgerald of Tralee the team manager. It was Kerry's third time winning this event as well as both the Intermediate and Junior Mens teams now go forward to National Challenges against Leinster winners Kildare (Intermediate) and Westmeath (Junior) on Sunday September 22nd next at a venue to be confirmed.

Meanwhile the Kerry Senior Mens team were unable to complete the clean sweep for the weekend as they had to settle for second against defending champions Cork. Kerry trailed Cork by three after the Scotch Foursomes (29 under as opposed to 26 under for the hosts) but Cork's strong singles scoring told in the final 18 holes. Jason O'Regan and Darren Goodall both brought in eight under par with Damien Fleming and Jason Cregan shooting seven under par each as Michael Conway had Kerry's other counting score of four under in bringing the county to a final total of 58 under, 13 off Cork's winning score of -71 as Jamie Blake was the other member of the Kerry side managed by

Out thanks to Utility Trust for their support of the Mens teams as we say well done to Tralee as a club on their hosting of the weekend. This weekend sees the final major U16 event of the year the National Matchplay Championships in St Bridgets, Kildare where Brian McCarthy of Deerpark is the defending champion. We wish all the Kerry players the best of luck this weekend.

Best Wishes also to Damien Fleming, Jason Cregan and Tony Blake in the deciding Irish World Cup Team Trial in St Patricks, Enniscorthy, Co Wexford this Saturday. Finally, we would like to pass on our symapthies to the family and colleagues of Dan O'Donovan of the Gleneagle club on his death in the past week.

May he Rest in Peace.

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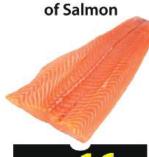
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