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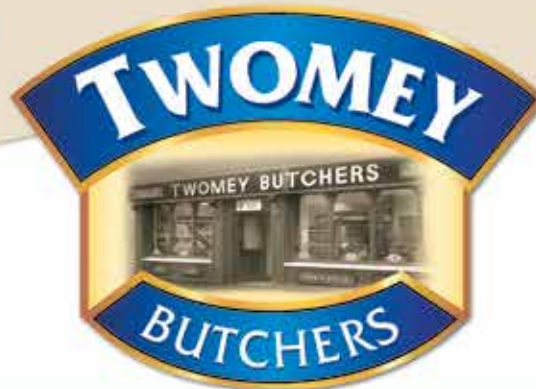
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We are a bi-weekly magazine; therefore, submissions must be on the Sunday before publication at the latest, if you want a piece included in the following week's edition. Due to print processes, late submissions

will be published in the following edition. As always submissions as Gaelige are always welcome too!

We love hearing local stories, opinions and events - current or historical, if you would like to submit an article as bearla nó as gaeilge, please feel free to email us here on leevalleyoutlook@macroom.ie, we would love to hear from you.

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Tidy Towns Judging started in June and finishes in August. We would ask that every property owner stand and look at their premises and ensure that the area outside is weed free, litter free, clean and painted adequately.

There are still premises in need of attention and 5 minutes on the part of the owners or the staff could improve matters significantly. This would greatly assist the volunteers who must look after so many other things and public areas.

Our weekly spring clean-up with business owners and employees continues Monday nights at 6pm, meeting at the Vodafone Shop. A big thanks to Class 22 and Hazel Bourke in Bishop McEgan College who planted a lovely variety of colourful flowers around the square and Castle Gates. On Thursday June 27th volunteers were invited to a coffee morning in Bishop McEgan College as a thanks for all the support given to them throughout the year. This was attended by Shelia Murphy who came away with some goodies. Thanks also to Lazlo from Lidl who donated flowers and Annette O Callaghan for some pumpkins which were all placed in the fairy garden.

Tidy Towns Work closely with the Men's Shed and the Men's Shed would welcome any members that



Macroom Tidy Towns Volunteers on Saturday Morning getting ready to go out

would like to join their activities. If you are interested in meeting up on a regular basis for a chat and have a look at what they do why not come along and see. They are open Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 2-4pm at their base in Masseytown Road. So why not come along and see for yourself.

Tidy Towns Volunteers have been busy over the last couple of weeks with Litter Picking, General Maintenance, Works in the Biodiversity Area in St Coleman's Park, clearing beds in the Fairy Garden and cutting grass in the green areas of housing estates. Tidy Towns volunteers meet every Saturday at 9am in

our base in Masseytown and are always open to new people joining, so why not come along some Saturday morning and see for yourself the work that is done. If you have any questions feel free to contact Lisa at 087-1434770.

On a final note, would like to say a big congratulations to our Chairman Martin Coughlan on being re-elected and then being nominated as Deputy Lord Mayor of Cork County Council. He is well deserving of the position and no doubt will do an outstanding job throughout the year.



Macroom Flower Club

Macroom Flower and Garden Club on a visit to Fairbrook House and Museum, Kilmeaden Co. Wexford. Pic le Nóra Uí Luasa.

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Killian Lynch Auctioneers are pleased to offer this spacious 4 bedroom detached house situated on a large individual private site, nestled in a quiet & mature development of 15 houses. The property comprises of c.1916 sq ft living accommodation and is in excellent condition throughout. This is an ideal family home as the property is located only c.0.5km from Macroom bypass interchange junction, c.30 minutes drive to Killarney & Cork city and also within walking distance of Macroom town centre.

Viewings highly advised. BER: C3 (117121376)

GUIDE PRICE: €385,000



VIEWING ADVISED

9 SUNNYSIDE, MACROOM, CO. CORK, P12 XD29

Killian Lynch Auctioneers are pleased to offer this very spacious 5 bedroom house with large rear gardens. The house which is very deceptive comprises of c.2000 sq ft living accommodation in excellent condition is situated within a courtyard development within walking distance of all local services and amenities. The house comes with solar panels and a generous BER rating of B3 (103058277)

GUIDE PRICE: €305,000



NEW TO MARKET

LOWER CLONMOYLE, DRIPSEY, CO. CORK, P12 YN63

Killian Lynch Auctioneers are pleased to offer this 2/3 bedroom cottage on c.0.5 acres. The property which comprises of c.1033 sq ft living accommodation throughout is in need of modernization, but would make for a fantastic home for a first time buyer as the property offers plenty of room for gardening, outdoor activities or simply to enjoy the natural beauty that surrounds the home. Ideally located only c.4km from Coachford village, c.20 minutes drive from both Macroom, Ballincellig & c.30 minutes drive to Cork city. The property also qualifies for the vacant home grant of up to €70,000. BER: G (117547042)

GUIDE PRICE: €220,000



NEW TO MARKET

14 OAK BROOK, TANYARD WOOD, MILLSTREET, CO. CORK, P51 R2C0

Killian Lynch Auctioneers are pleased to offer this stunning 3 bedroom mid terrace house which has a rear access via a shared laneway. The property which comprises of c.968 sq ft living accommodation is in immaculate condition throughout & has been renovated to a high standard by the current owners. The property also has a good BER rating of B3 making it a cheap house to run & also qualifies it for a green mortgage. Located only walking distance to Millstreet town, c.20 minutes drive to Macroom, c.25 minutes drive to Killarney & c.45 minutes drive to Cork city. Viewings highly advised.

BER: B3 (117546580)

GUIDE PRICE: €205,000



UNDER OFFER

CAHERKEREEN, KILNAMARTYRA, MACROOM, CO. CORK, P12V028

Killian Lynch Auctioneers are pleased to offer this traditional 3 bedroom cottage on c. 1 acre. The property which consists of c. 1270sq ft living accommodation throughout is surrounded by beautiful countryside, which makes for the perfect blend of peace & tranquility. The house also comes with multiple outbuildings for storage. Located only a c. 2 minutes drive to Kilnamartyra village, c. 10 minute drive to Macroom town & a c.40 minute drive to Cork city. The property also qualifies for the vacant home grant of up to €70,000. BER: E2 (117523894)

GUIDE PRICE: €165,000



VIEWING ADVISED

24 THE HERMITAGE, MILLSTREET ROAD, MACROOM, CO. CORK, P12 HT68

Killian Lynch auctioneers are pleased to offer this 5 bedroom detached house and garage on a large site. The property which comprises of C.1600 sq ft living accommodation throughout is in very good condition and would make for an ideal family home. Boasting an impressive view overlooking Macroom golf course, the house is located only C.300 yards from the Macroom interchange junction onto the Macroom bypass only C.3 minutes to Macroom town centre and C.30 minutes drive to Killarney and Cork city. BER: C2 (107648198)

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KILGOBNET, CLONDROHID, MACROOM, CO. CORK

Killian Lynch auctioneers are pleased to offer this C.15.69 acre farm holding. The land which is all in one block is currently under pasture with road frontage on the southern boundary. This land which is of excellent quality is gentle sloping and level for the most part. Centrally located only C.3km west of Clondrohid village, C.5 minutes from Ballyvoanney C.4 minutes from Cork.

GUIDE PRICE: €200,000



NEW TO MARKET

CAUM, MACROOM, CO. CORK, P12CD60

Killian Lynch auctioneers are pleased to offer this spacious 3-bedroom residence and garage on C.0.91 acres. The property which comprises of C.1400 sq ft living accommodation is decorated throughout to an exceptionally high standard making this property an ideal family home. The house is centrally located only C.5km from Macroom, C.30 minutes from Cork city centre and within short commuting distance of all amenities within the beautiful Lee Valley. BER: B3 (113681803)

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Killian Lynch auctioneers are pleased to offer this C.1 acre development site with FPP for 16 houses. The site which is situated in a much sought after area and is a ready to go site. Planning ref no: 225332 granted on 12th April 2024. Macroom town is fast growing and becoming a much sought after area to live since the town was bypassed in 2023, making it an attractive development.

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MACROOM GIRL GUIDES

Ardilaun Ladybirds

Ardilaun Ladybirds welcomed Community Garda Orla Doyle to their meeting on Monday 24th June. The Ladybirds found out about the role of the Gardaí in our community and how you become a Garda. We would like to thank Garda Orla for calling to see the girls and for answering the many questions the girls had. Ardilaun Ladybirds and Brownies are now finished for the summer holidays but will be back in September, we hope all the girls and their families have a lovely summer.

Ardilaun Guides

As we write this piece Ardilaun Guides and MacEgan Senior Branch are attending the Regional Camp "Camp Revive" in Newmarket. Over one hundred Guides are camping for the weekend, and they are partaking in numerous pioneering activities. On Saturday 06th July, Sheila Naughton, IGG Honorary Ambassador, visited Ardilaun Guides and MacEgan Senior Branch on their campsite.

MacEgan Senior Branch

Dara, from MacEgan Senior Branch has been selected as the IGG representative for the National LGBTI+ Inclusion Strategy Youth Advisory Group for the Department of Children, Equality, Disability, Integration and Youth. Dara is also the southwest region representative on the national IGG Senior Branch committee.

Sustainable Development Goal Champions

We are delighted that Irish Girl Guides (IGG) has been selected as a Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) Champion for 2024-25 by the Department of Environment, Climate and Communications. IGG has been recognised as a champion for our dedication to the Sustainable Developmental Goals. IGG integrates the SDGs into its programmes through badges on environmental awareness, disability inclusion and more

For further information on joining our Ladybird, Brownie, Guide or Senior Branch units please contact macroomguides@gmail.com



Sheila Naughton IGG Honorary Ambassador visiting Ardilaun Guides and MacEgan Senior Branch at Camp Revive 2024.



Ardilaun Ladybirds with Community Garda Orla Doyle at their meeting on Monday 24th June.



Ardilaun Guides at Camp Revive 2024



Karl Sexton was recently presented with his Gaisce Award by his PAL (President's Award Leader) Deirdre Henley



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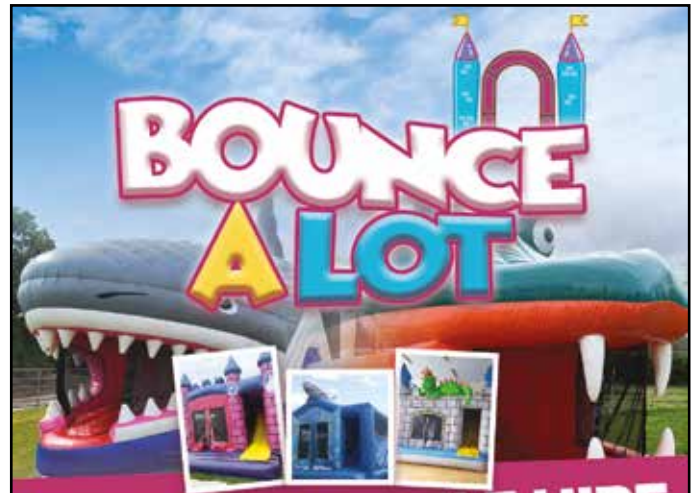
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WORLD-CLASS ATHLETICS TRACK REOPENS AT MTU

Track Reopening Provides a Much-Needed Sports Facility for Munster

Munster Technological University officially reopened its athletics track at the MTU Arena in Bishopstown following resurfacing works. The eight-lane running track is now up to international standard and is ready to welcome local, national and global athletes. The reopening of the track sees the return of a much-needed sports facility for athletes across Munster and has reopened in time for the 70th Cork City Sports event on the 9th of July.

The track was officially reopened by Thomas Byrne T.D., Minister of State for Sport, Physical Education and the Gaeltacht. Also in attendance were CEO of Athletics Ireland, Hamish Adams; President of MTU, Professor Maggie Cusack; MTU Vice President Finance & Operations, Paul Gallagher; Chair of MTU Governing Body, Jimmy Deenihan, and President of MTU Students' Union Cork, Richard Noonan.

Speaking at the official opening in Cork, Minister Byrne, said: "As Sport Minister, I am delighted that my Department was in a position to provide substantial funding for this wonderful athletics project, which is of regional significance. The opening of Phase 2 of the MTU project also arrives at an ideal time for all fans of athletics in Ireland, following Ireland's historic performance at the recent European Athletics Championships in Rome, and with the Olympics and Paralympics games just around the corner, they will no doubt inspire more people to use facilities such as this. As a Government, we are determined to invest in our athletics infrastructure and the significant funding allocated to the MTU project is a further demonstration of this commitment. I want to also wish the very best

to all athletes using this facility tomorrow as part of Cork City Sports International meet."

Patrick O'Donovan T.D., Minister for Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science, commented: "These are exciting times at MTU. I am delighted to see the completion of the athletics track upgrade and this, along with the recently opened sports arena, will provide for exceptional athletics facilities in the Cork region. I am also delighted that there are some major infrastructure developments that are ongoing in MTU Cork. These include a new Learning Resource Centre, the upgrade and retrofit of the Melbourne Building, and the ongoing plans to renovate and extend Blocks D and A under the Technological Sector Strategic Projects Fund programme. This shows the commitment of my government to provide the required infrastructure for learners and staff in our Technological Universities which will allow them to continue to be key economic drivers in their regions."

The track reopening was carried out in partnership with Athletics Ireland. Hamish Adams, CEO of Athletics Ireland, said, "Athletes in Munster and beyond will be overjoyed to see the MTU Athletics Track reopen. The region has been lacking a high-quality athletics facility for some time now, so this state-of-the-art running track will be indispensable to them."

MTU President, Professor Maggie Cusack, welcomed the track reopening, commenting: "Following a number of delays, including record bad weather last July and August, it's wonderful to see the track reopen for the benefit of everyone from local sports clubs to

athletes preparing for the Paris Olympics. This is a very special day for athletics in general but also for MTU and the wider community."

MTU's Vice President Finance & Operations, Paul Gallagher, added: "Our athletics facilities have come on leaps and bounds in the last few years. The funding through the Large Scale Sport Infrastructure Fund has been transformative in enhancing MTU's sporting amenities. This track will be a fantastic resource for our students and all of those who come to MTU for state-of-the-art sports grounds."

MTU's Governing Body Chair, Jimmy Deenihan, commented, "We are delighted to celebrate the reopening of the MTU Athletics Track today just in time for tomorrow's 70th Cork City Sports. The reopening of the track is a testament to the successful relationship we've had with Athletics Ireland and our local City and County Councils and Cork County Board Athletic Association of Ireland (AAI). It's really a great asset of international quality for sporting talent across Munster."

The improvements to the athletics track were funded through the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media's Large-Scale Sport Infrastructure Fund, with these works marking the completion of phase 2. Phase 1 saw the completion of the MTU Sports Arena last year. Phase 3 is expected to see the development of a high-performance indoor athletics training centre, which will involve an approximate 5,000m² expansion of the MTU Arena.

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BROOMHILL VINTAGE CLUB COACHFORD FAMILY DAY



Participants in the Coachford Family Festival 2023 taking refreshments at the Weigh Inn Dripsey



Broomhill Vintage Club, Coachford, County Cork was formed in 2009 with the aim to raise money for charity through vintage and community based events.

The club quickly became known for their award winning & record-breaking Ferguson 20 build team, featuring on national media and BBC's Top Gear roadshow in Dublin. The Coachford based vintage club are the organisers of the Coachford Family Festival 2024 and are putting together the final preparations for this year's event, which takes place from Thursday July 11th to Sunday July 14th. The first of the festival events kick off on the evening of Thursday July 11th with the Greg Long Memorial Poc Fada competition, which will be hosted by the Aghabullogue GAA club, with registration open at 7pm and will begin at Aghabullogue Community Hall with a route around the village of Aghabullogue. The second event of the evening will be the hugely popular festival bingo, which begins at 8:30pm and takes place at Paddy Macs pub, Coachford Village. On Friday evening the festival moves to the Coachford Greenway with a Fun run/walk taking place over the 5km route. Registration for the walk/run opens at 7pm at the Greenway carpark. This is a fabulous route which winds along the beautiful Lee Valley with a flat course suitable for all ages and abilities. Later on, Friday evening a family table quiz takes place at Paddy Macs Pub, Coachford. The quiz will begin at 9pm. This event was hotly contested last year with huge crowds attending from all over the district.

On the afternoon of Saturday July 13th we will have our annual celebration of the iconic High Nelly Bicycle. Bicycle enthusiasts from all over will gather in the village to take part in the run celebrating the wonderful High Nelly bicycle. Registration for the run takes place at the Aghabullogue GAA grounds with cyclists pedalling their way to Peake and Dripsey before returning to the Coachford village. The bikes, dating from the 1920s, are a real challenge to master. Registration opens at 4pm and is free. Everyone with a High Nelly is welcome to dress up in their costumes of yesteryear and travel to Coachford on Saturday July 13th. Later Saturday evening the festival will host the annual Broomhill Dog show which is always very popular family event. The registration opens at 6pm at the Aghabullogue GAA grounds. A big show returns to the festival on Saturday night with the Queen of the Festival Competition taking place in the Coachford Community Hall. Fourteen Queens representing local businesses will take to the stage to entertain and delight the crowd. Each queen will be attended by fourteen fabulous escorts. A great night is promised. Doors open at 8:30pm. This year the vintage show day on Sunday July 14th will commemorate the introduction of two milestone tractor series. The Broomhill Club will celebrate the 60th anniversary of the introduction of the Ford Pre-Force tractors and the Massey Ferguson 100 series tractors. The club are especially inviting all owners and enthusiasts of the Ford & Massey Ferguson marques to attend the show. Also, the club would like

to extend their invitation to all vintage and classic car/tractor owners especially those with cars from the 1920s to 1990s era. The show day will have an indoor model toy display aswell as a vintage bicycle display, skills challenge, sheaf tossing, slow high Nellie bicycle race, Children's sports & obstacle course, Wellie throwing, Ferguson 20 tractor building, Sheep shearing and much more. Gates open at 12:30pm. This is a community festival whose purpose is to have 'Something for Everyone' while raising money for charity and local good causes through vintage. Broomhill Vintage Club has to date donated more than €300,000 to local good causes & its charity partners. This year's nominated charity partners are Marymount Hospice, Pieta House, Irish Kidney Association and Mallow Search & Rescue. Throughout the years Broomhill Vintage Club has raised money for charities including Suicide Aware, Marymount Hospice, Macroom Community Hospital, Sullane Haven Macroom, St. Vincent de Paul, Care of the Aged, Coachford Tidy Towns, Aghabullogue, Coachford & Rylane National Schools, Coachford Foroige and Coachford Christmas Lights, Mercy Hospital Children's Unit, Berrings N.S Autism Unit, Farran N.S. Autism Unit, CUH Childrens Unit & Pieta House.

For contact details including phone numbers & more information on this event please see Broomhill Vintage Club's Facebook page or the Coachford Family Festival Facebook page.



Coachford locals inspecting the steam roller at Coachford Family Festival 2023



Broomhill Vintage Club member Conor O'Riordan inspecting the Steam Roller outside Pat O'Riordans Bar, Coachford. Coachford Family Festival 2023



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July Fest at Killarney Races is back!



Frankie Foster

Killarney Races is set to open their gates for JulyFest running from Monday 15th to Friday 19th of July inclusive. All the key ingredients that make festivals at Killarney Races such a remarkable event will be present.

Top class summer racing, food, fashion, live music and a fantastic atmosphere are all guaranteed. Visitors from home and abroad are set to gather to enjoy a proper day out in style at Ireland's most scenic racecourse.

There is lots to look forward to with a selection of highlights included below. Off-track entertainment plans are set to go down a treat with punters, offering family fun, a visit from The Roses, Live Music and of course the highly anticipated The Lee Strand Ladies Day fashion event, there is something for everyone on and off the track during JulyFest!

Kicking the festival for the opening day is a flat fixture on Monday 15th with live music on the lawn and post-racing in the Jim Culloty by the very talented Nicole Lonergan.

On Tuesday there is a prize fund of €100,000 on offer for the seven-race flat card which includes a race for qualified riders. This is likely to attract competitive representatives from many of the leading yards

in the country. Tuesday will also feature live music from Resolute.

Wednesday is the final day of flat racing of the festival, with some surprises in store. Family Day is back, featuring games and attractions for all to enjoy. A panel of Roses taking part in the 2024 Rose of Tralee Festival will be in attendance. Live music from Resolute and post-racing DJ Ray Stack will ensure the party goes on until late.

As the codes change to National Hunt things step up a gear, Frankie Foster from Raceday the Racing TV social media channel will enjoy the first of his JulyFest racedays at Killarney Races. Frankie will be out and about taking in the great racing, spectacular sights and chatting with the crowd with his famous orange mic. There will also be live music from Resolute and Nicole Lonergan to enjoy.

The final day of the festival is Friday 19th this is when the competition really heats up off the track with the popular Lee Strand Best Dress Day taking place. Ten lucky ladies and gents will be selected by celebrity judges, each taking home a prize for their efforts in the fashion stakes. Ladies and gents will battle it out in style for the chance to be crowned best dressed and take home the covetable prizes of

a VIP trip for two to Paris and Milan. The top tip for Lee Stand Ladies Day is to come racing early, the judges will be out an about from early doors to find this year's best dressed ladies and gents!

Speaking ahead of his visit to Killarney Races, Frankie Foster commented, "I could not be any more excited to come over to Killarney this July! Like many people I've seen the footage and images of Killarney Racecourse and the scenery looks amazing, I can't wait to see it for myself. Since we started #Raceday we have been lucky enough to do several trips to Ireland and we have had nothing but great fun at the races and with the Irish racing fans. I have some great friends from Kerry who have been telling me for years to come over for the craic... see you at the races!"

Gates open at 3pm on each day and at the earlier time of 12 noon on Friday with the first race off approximately 2hrs later each day. Patrons are advised to come racing early, to nab the best seating areas and soak up the atmosphere, music and the best of Killarney's renowned hospitality. For further information or to book tickets, bundles and hospitality online visit, killarneyraces.com.

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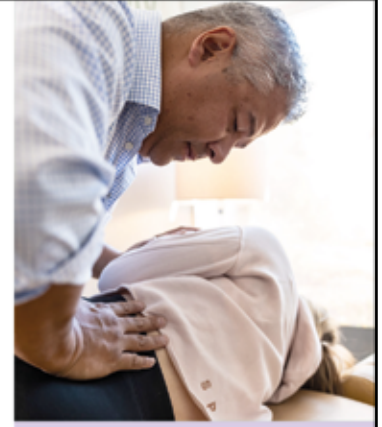
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Seamus Hogan, CEO of Macroom Credit Union, highlights the importance of early financial planning: "Even though summer has just begun, now is the perfect time to start thinking about the new college term in September. The expenses associated with higher education can add up quickly, and we want to ensure that families in our community have access to the financial support they need. Our education loans are designed to be flexible, affordable, and accessible, making it easier for students to pursue their academic goals without unnecessary financial stress."

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Lavender Hair Design New Salon Now Opened in the heart of Killarney

In a testament to their remarkable success and community support, Lavender Hair Design is thrilled to announce the grand opening of their second salon in Killarney on July 20th. This milestone comes four years after the launch of their first beloved salon in Macroom Cork, which has become a cornerstone of style and elegance in the community.

The new Killarney location promises to bring the same level of exceptional service, creativity, and warm, welcoming atmosphere that patrons of the Macroom salon have come to love. To celebrate this exciting expansion, Lavender Hair Design is hosting an open evening on July 20th, inviting residents to explore the new space, meet the talented team, and

enjoy an evening of beauty and fun. The open evening will feature a variety of activities, including haircare discounts, exclusive product showcases, and personalised consultations. Guests will have the opportunity to learn about the latest trends in hair design, receive expert tips on hair care, and perhaps even win some fabulous door prizes. Lavender Hair Design's owner, Patricia McCarthy, expressed heartfelt gratitude to the community for their unwavering support over the past four years. "Opening our second salon in the beautiful town of Killarney is a dream come true," Patricia shared. "We are incredibly grateful to our loyal clients in Macroom who have trusted us with their hair care needs and helped us grow. We look forward to becoming

an integral part of the Killarney community and continuing to provide top-notch service." The Macroom Muti awarded salon has garnered a stellar reputation for its innovative and personalised approach to hair styling, thanks to a dedicated team that continuously strives to exceed client expectations. This same commitment to excellence will undoubtedly be the hallmark of the new Killarney location. The open evening at Lavender Hair Design's Killarney salon will begin at 4:00 PM and continue until 6:00 PM. Refreshments, Discounts and music will be provided.

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NEW MACROOM REP FOR CORK COUNTY PUBLIC PARTICIPATION NETWORK

Tadhg Quill-Manley, a 22 year old from Inniscarra, has been elected to the Secretariat of the Cork County Public Participation Network as the representative for the Macroom Municipal District (MD). According to the Department of Rural and Community Development, "a Public Participation Network (PPN) is a network that allows local authorities to connect with community groups around the country. The PPN is the 'go to' for all local authorities who wish to benefit from community

and voluntary expertise in their area." They are non-partisan, and the Cork County PPN Secretariat provides a coordinating and oversight function for the PPN. PPNs have a statutory basis under the Local Government Act 2013, and PPN members nominate and elect people from within their member groups to represent them on some of the Boards and Committees set up by Cork County Council and other bodies. Public Participation Networks (PPNs) came about following the report of

the Working Group on Citizen Engagement with Local Government published in 2013. PPN members are comprised of local community groups. Locally, Tadhg is Hon. Secretary of Inniscarra Community Centre, and serves on the organising committee of Dawstown Point-to-Point. Yours sincerely, Tadhg Quill-Manley BA (Hons), CIP, QFA, CUG Mobile: 0868894751

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BALLINAGREE NS

Ballinagree National School pupils and staff enjoyed a busy few weeks before we finished up for the summer break. Our Active Schools committee accepted the school's first Active School flag which will fly proudly from September. Well done to class teacher Mrs O'Sullivan and the pupils on the AS committee for all their hard work in organising many enjoyable sporting activities during the year. We said farewell to our wonderful 6th class pupils at a graduation ceremony during the last week of term. Go n-éirí an t-ádh leo sa toadhcaí. Our student council held a successful Crazy Hair/Wear Your Own Jersey Day fundraiser which raised much needed funds for Unicef. Our junior and middle room pupils enjoyed their school tour to Smuggler's Cove and the senior room pupils went on a nature walk to the River Láine to explore the native plants and wildflowers on route as well as search for aquatic life in the river. Our Sciath na Scol winning football team were paraded through the village during the Ballinagree Vintage Day recently. Mile buíochas to the Vintage group for organising this.



Pupils from Ballinagree NS pictured with the newly appointed Lord Mayor, Joanne O'Riordan as they are paraded around the village during the Ballinagree Vintage Festival recently



Ballinagree NS Active School committee pupils pictured with the AS coordinator, Mrs Fionnuala O'Sullivan and Active School Flag Accreditor, Collette Sheehy.



Sixth class pupils on their final day in Ballinagree NS, pictured with some of their many awards from the year



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CLONDROHID NEWS

CLONDROHID DEV GROUP: All systems go at the moment, keeping the village neat, tidy, and litter free. Anyone willing to give a helping hand will be most welcome. Meeting at the moment at Community Hall at 8pm on Wednesday nights. If that night or time doesn't suit, you can always help by keeping the area around your own house, workplace etc. in the village litter and weed free. Small steps can give great results. Well done everybody, and thanks to all who have been turning up on Wednesday nights.

FAMILY ACHIEVEMENTS; Heartiest Congrats to the O'Brien Family on their recent victories in the Gaeltacht Bowling. Lauren winner in the u 18, Darcy winner in the u 16, and Ross winner in the u 16, and u 14. Some celebrations in that household. Well done to ye all. Great to see the tradition of Bowl playing in safe hands going into the future.

ENTERTAINMENT IN CARRIGANIMA: Seanie, with a lot of the silage work completed is back again on the entertainment scene in the pub. Last weekend Gina and the Champions had the place rocking. The programme going forward is as follows : TR DALLAS Sunday July 14 from 7 to 9pm.

DECLAN NERNEY Sunday July 28 at 8pm, with EFFIE NEILL opening the show earlier. CLIONA HAGAN Sunday Aug 11. No scarcity of music, song and crack for the Summer. Mark the dates on your busy calendar.

BOOK BY CON LYNCH: Con Lynch 0861974427, he is looking for names of Religious Sisters, Brothers, Priests, Lay Missionaries of Clondrohid Parish for a book he is writing on their lives of service to humanity.

ROSARY AT THE CURRAGH ROAD GROTTTO: A large crowd attended this annual event on Sunday night June 30. The rain came down, the umbrellas went up, but it did not deter anyone. Rosary was recited by Fr. Jim, photos taken, and friends, neighbours and visitors had a great catch up.

NELLS BUS TO KNOCK: On Thursday Aug 15, the bus will leave Ballyvourney, via Clondrohid and Millstreet, Contact Mary Twomey on 0863299375 for more info
LOTTO: Results for July 3. Jackpot €2,600
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Ross O'Brien, Gaeltacht, winner of U 14 county bowling championship with David Murphy, youth officer, and runner up, Culann Bourke, North Cork. Pic le Nóra Uí Luasa.

€20 Caroline Dineen The Tce. Clondrohid, Gobnait Quill The Mills, Emily Murphy Scrahanard, Gerard Kelleher Moulnahona

GAA NEWS: Clondrohid U15s were away to Brian Dillon's in their pitch last week in the final of the Feile. Unfortunately some key players were missing for this fixture

With the weather conditions being poor it didn't phase both teams in playing a extremely exciting game

Game got off to a great start with Clondrohid winning the ball from the throw in which they worked it up the field and finished it with a goal.

It soon became a battle as Brian Dillon's came into the game and it was now game on.

Being 15mins aside there was no room for

complacency, Clondrohid went in at the break a point up.

Second half resumed with the opposition thundering back into it and went up by 2 points. Clondrohid kept their composure and battled back and went up by a single point into injury time .

Again Brian Dillon's didn't give up and levelled the game with seconds to go before the ref blew full time. Game now went into extra time.

The Clondrohid boys have a never give up attitude and went at it again with a mighty effort putting two goals passed the Brian Dillon's goalie. Tired legs were becoming a factor now. The opposition got a goal of their own but it was the brilliant never give up that saw Clondrohid win the Cup and celebrate a memorable day for all. Clondrohid 6-04 Brian Dillon's 5-04. Thanks to the parents and all who made the journey up to support the lads.

Well done to our under 12 footballers who were up against Blarney last sat morning in the under 12 football league , due to a few injured players and a few away on holidays we were tight on numbers but still all players gave a great display , Blarney were on top in the first half but after halftime Clondrohid came out in a fighting spirit and put in a great display in the second half but it wasn't to be as Blarney came out on top as winners , thanks again to the parents for supporting the team this morning , and fair play to all the players who never gave up

Rebel Og West U14 Div 2 league Clondrohid vs Ballinora on Thursday July 4. Clondrohid with a depleted team due to holidays and injuries and Ballinora fielding a young second team played out an entertaining game at Clondrohid. Clondrohid kicked some excellent scores throughout the game to win and claim a valuable 2 points. Full Time Clondrohid 3-17pts Ballinora 3-07pts Thanks to the home supporters for coming out to encourage the lads. Clondrohid Team - Rory O'Shea, Cormac Healy, Fionn Desmond, Simon McCarthy, Cathal Lyons, David O'Leary, Cal O'Driscoll, Darragh Manning, Ciaran Lynch, Jamie McCarthy, Kevin Hennigan, Mathew Kelleher, Jayden Ring,



Clondrohid u 15 team winners of the Feile



Rosary at the Curragh Road Grotto Clondrohid



Chrissie Dervins art class at their Art exhibition. Pic. Nora Uí Luasa 11.07.24



Chrissie Dervin, Art tutor with Eileen Buckley of Clondrohid at the Art exhibition in Kool Cafe Macroom, which is running until September. PIC LE NÓRA UÍ LUASA.



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DROMLEIGH NS

Well done to all those that took part in the Experience Glasnevin 'Shane MacThomáis Essay Competition for Primary Schools' recently.

Senior pupils had a wonderful tour day in West Cork Secret in Kilbrittain at the beginning of June. It was a wonderful way to start a fun-filled month.

Keep up to date with all of our activities on Facebook 'Dromleigh N.S. Kilmichael'.

Senior students from Dromleigh N.S. enjoying their summer tour to West Cork Secret.



And they're off! Junior pupils from Dromleigh N.S. all ready for their Sports Day recently.



Dromleigh N.S. participants and prize winner of the Experience Glasnevin primary school essay competition.

UIBH LAOIRE NOTES



Uibh Laoire. Pic le Nóra Uí Luasa

Croi na Laoi

The Island Park, in Inchigeela, saw lots of youthful help recently when the pupils of the local school took part in planting and arranging a sensory garden. Well done and thank you for your help. We hear that the toilet block on the island will be furnished with new toilet ware and tidied up. Congrats and a big thank you to all who took part in the litter challenge in Inchigeela. Thank you to the residents who supported the effort. The village was so close to a win again this year, but for the discovery by the judge of a carelessly thrown cigarette end. The group are out preparing the village and surrounding area for the judging in the Tidy Towns competition and they welcome help, Monday mornings at 10am and Wednesdays at 7pm. Both Inchigeela and Béal Átha look very well and are a credit to the Tidy town volunteers in both villages.

Retirement

We wish Mary Mc Carthy, retiring teacher in Scoil Naisúnta, Inse Gheimhleach, a very happy retirement and thank her for all her good work with the school. There were many well deserved good wishes from

the children, from parents and from colleagues.

GAA.

Well done to Iveleary footballers who defeated Naomh Abán and won the League final in Macroom.

Inchigeela Hall

Dancing is as popular as ever with the up and coming young star, Jack Keogh from the Glen of Imaal Co Wicklow last Sunday. Next Monday night, 15th of July, 9pm to 11pm, we have Thomas Maguire and Fiona Ennis, husband and wife band from Ballymurn, Co Wexford. Bingo as usual on Friday nights and Cards on Sunday nights.

Active Retirement

The group had Mass on Wednesday last, followed by breakfast in Creedon's Hotel, after which there was a sing-song and some comic yarns by Joe Creedon. Local musician, Tadhg Creed provided some singalongs which got all the company joining in. Judging by the group chat later, everyone thought it was a wonderful morning. Thanks to all who helped to make it a success. The committee are planning a day out to Bunratty Castle and Folk Park before the

end of the month and members intending to travel should let the Secretary know as soon as possible.

Piping Successes

Some members of the Pipe Band in Béal Átha also play with the Cullen band, as they are a competition band and news just in says that they have won two firsts in the All Ireland competition, held over the weekend. Well done!

Daniel Corkery Summer School

The annual summer school in Inchigeela takes place from the 22nd of July to the 25th inclusive. On the 22nd there's a talk on the infamous Rose Dugdale by John O Driscoll. 23rd a talk on Inchigeelas Atomic Scientist, John Moore. 24th has a night on Charles Villiers Stanford Irish Ballads. 25th is drama night with "Awake in the west" by the Cratloe Drama Group from Co Clare. The first 3 nights will be held at Creedon's Hotel, the last 2 nights will be held in the Lee Valley Outlet Centre, Inchigeela. Everybody welcome.

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COACHFORD UPDATES

Coachford Active Retirement members enjoyed a wonderful sunny day on Thursday 20th June at Blarney Castle and a very informative guided tour of the house, residence of Sir Charles Colthurst. We finished the tour with tea and scones in the nearby café and enjoyed a walk around the wonderful gardens. More outings and events are in the planning stages. New members are always welcome. We have indoor bowls.

Keep fit sessions, Aqua Aerobics, Book club, Lace making and crafts, Regular outings and talks For further information on our programme and activities, designed to keep us well and healthy in our later years, contact John on 086 2471609 message or WhatsApp John McCaffrey

Coachford Greenway needs support for maintenance projects.

A programme of planned maintenance works is needed on the stunning 3km riverside walk in Coachford. The beautiful Coachford Greenway which opened in 2014 has received no public funding in the last 10 years and there is considerable work to be done to make the amenity that is used by walkers, runners and fisherman climate proof. The voluntary committee who run the Greenway have set up a Go Fund Me page so people can donate online here - <https://bit.ly/4cMZqHz>. The Greenway is hugely popular with people all across the Lee Valley but improvements are badly needed to make sure that it remains open and free to use by everyone in



Coachford Boat House Birthday

table Quiz in Paddy Mac's on Friday July 12th. A dog show, a High Nelly Run and The Queen of the Festival Competition fills up Saturday and then on Sunday July 14th from 12 noon the massive Family event kicks off in the GAA grounds. There is so much planned for Sunday that we couldn't list them all here but there is a funfair, Sheep racing, a massive tractor and car display, children's sports, Egg tossing, rodeo bull, a children's corner and many trade stands and side shows. All proceeds go to charity.

Happy Birthday Cake Shop

The Boathouse Coffee Shop and Bakery is one year old and the busy business in the heart of Coachford village has been celebrating with its customers all week long. Kiera and John Buckley opened The Boathouse doors on July 7th last year and from the very first day it has been a roaring success serving customers the most delicious cakes and bakes from their onsite bakery. It has also become a place for friends and families to meet up for a coffee and scone after dropping the kids to school and a place to indulge in something delectable after walking the Greenway or training hard on the lake. The Boathouse has extended their menu over the last 12 months and now as well as offering scrumptious cakes they also served the tastiest toasted sandwiches and wraps. Happy First Birthday Boathouse and here's to many more.

the future.

Coachford Gears up for Family Festival

The Coachford Family Festival returns to Coachford this weekend with a huge list of events for the whole family. The Festival is organised by the Broomhill Vintage Club and has grown from a vintage show in 2009 to a massive community event that is massively popular with locals and visitors. The festival starts on Thursday July 11th with a Poc Fada in Aghabullogue village and Bingo in Paddy Mac's Bar. There is a Fun run and family walk on the Greenway and a




Tony and Eileen Deasy, winners of Aghinagh GAA Lotto Jackpot, receiving their cheque from Lotto Committee Members Patrick Twomey, Ted Curtin and Seán Corkery




Coachford Active Retirement members enjoyed a wonderful sunny day at Blarney Castle



The Lucey family from Washington D.C (Denis Lucey's father came from Renanirree) with their family and friends at a gathering at the Castle Hotel recently.




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Another year over and what a fun few weeks we've had recently.

Our school was one of over ninety schools nationwide who played chess one morning as an attempt to set a record number of pupils playing chess at the same time. Well done to the 48 of our pupils who took part. What a great way to spend a morning!

Well done to all of our pupils who performed so well in their races at the Cork Primary School Sports in MTU. They were fantastic ambassadors for our school, and we are very proud of each and every one of them! Maith sibh go léir!

Bike Wizards came to school to do some cycling lessons with the children from Juniors Infants to 3rd Class. The children learned about cycling safety, and they all had a great time developing their cycling skills.

1st & 2nd went litter picking in Kilmurry Village and in Kilmurry Woods to help out and do their bit for an anti-litter competition that Kilmurry were participating in. They did a great job.

Our Student Council organised visits to the Kilmurry Independence Museum for 1st - 6th classes. The Council felt that it would be very interesting and beneficial for the classes to visit the museum for a talk on local history. A big thank you to our Student Council for organising, and to Mary, Bridget, Kieran and George for taking the time to give such interesting talks to the classes. They absolutely loved it.

The last two weeks were jam-packed with school tours, walks to Kilmurry Wood, our annual jumble sale run by 6th class, our latest Green Schools flag raising ceremony, and Sports Day. As is tradition in our

school, we finished off the last day with our Soccer League finals followed by trophy presentations.

6th class were very kindly invited to a Farewell Breakfast by our Parents' Association. A great time was had by all. Thank you very much to all who helped from the PA to make this a very special morning for our pupils. The class also celebrated their graduation mass in the school. It was a really lovely ceremony and was followed by some lovely treats afterwards. We wish our 6th class pupils all the best as they move on from primary school, and we hope they are taking some great memories with them.

What an end to a very busy and enjoyable year. We hope all members of our school community enjoy the summer break and we'll be back at the end of August, ready for another great year!



Last day of 6th Class for Kilmurry 6th class



Kilmurry Primary School children at Sports in MTU



Carriganima National School raises its 6th Green Schools Flag for Global Citizenship - Litter & Waste.



Carriganima National School Board members, staff, parents, and children would like to thank Dolly and wish her all the best in her retirement.



Congratulations to Amiera, a pupil in Carriganima National School who received a highly commended award in the Texaco Art Competition, which had more than 20,000 entries. Pictured with her teacher, Mr. Newman



Author Gerard O'Rourke signing the visitors book at a civic reception given to him on the launch of his book Land War to Civil War 1900-1

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Macroom Post Office Sorting Office has moved from Barrett Place to the Fair Green, in Lidl's former business. It has much more space, needed because of the changed nature of their deliveries. Most of An Post's business is parcel deliveries and this demanded a bigger work-space. It certainly has got that now - one could easily play a 7-a-side soccer match in its new main hall. Best Wishes to a great bunch of workers and thanks for the wonderful service they provide.



Macroom Posties on one of their last days in the Barrett Place sorting office, (2 July 2024). {C. Kelleher}



Postie Dot O'Connor, Killarney, helping in the new spacious Macroom PO, Sorting Centre, 7 July, 2024. {C. Kelleher}.



Macroom's new PO Sorting Office, Plaza Green, Macroom on its first day in use, 5 July, 2024. {C. Kelleher}



NEW OPENING ON SOUTH SQUARE Pop Crowleys

South Square, Macroom is to get a new shop, 'Pop Crowley'. 'Crowley' is his mother Margaret's surname. Jack Buckley will soon open a new artisan food shop which will sell high-quality local foodstuffs such as breads, cakes, pastries, cheeses, meats, sauces, fruit and vegetables. It is located where Michael Augustine and his gentle brother Willie traded for many years. Michael was a member of Macroom's 1950 dance band, The Scintilla. Jerry Twohig, Middle Square and Kilmurry, was another brother. The new shop will add colour to the street and an extra dimension to Macroom shopping.



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MOUNT MASSEY HOUSE (1920-21) ITS BURNING AND COMPENSATION CASE

By Con Kelleher

Masseytown is an area of Macroom that developed around Mount Massey House. Though part of the town it was distinct from it too. It had its own aristocracy and its own fairs, which alternated with Macroom's.

Fairs were good earners as a toll was charged for participation. Timmy 'Cooper' Kelleher held sports-days in the Fairfield in the late 1950s/early 1960s. Now, the field is home to houses and The Family Resource Centre.

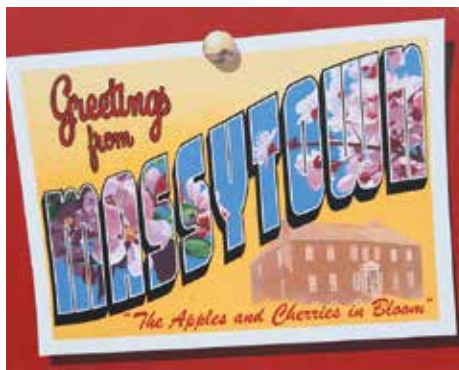
Macroom's anthem is 'Mountmassey, The Flower of Macroom' and there are different theories as to its origin. Mount Massey House was the seat of the Massey/Massey-Hutchinson family and was very beautiful at various points; the Masseys were granted lands in Limerick in the 17th century after service to Oliver Cromwell whose his vicious Irish campaign still lingers in the Irish psyche. However, it was not until Hugh Massey married Alice Hutchinson in the late 18th century that family members settled in Macroom. It was about then that they were granted the rights to hold fairs etc. Gradually, they acquired land and at one stage, owned more than 13,000 acres in the Ballinagree, Carriganima and other areas. However, the family's fortunes waxed and waned – for a more extensive account please see Marcella Ni Chriodain's masterly presentation (Nov. 2022), available on Macroom History Group's website. Stephen Brady's 'The Briar of Life' references various members.

Because of the catastrophic effects of The Great Irish Famine, the House was used as one of two Macroom auxiliary workhouses (from about 1847-'50). An 'inmate' (as residents were called) was murdered there by attendants – killed because he had broken into food stores. The Buckley Family, Derryleigh, stayed there before the parents, Tadhg and Cáit, escaped following the death of their two children. After reaching home, their bodies were found the following morning with her feet clasped to his breast – his effort to keep her feet warm. The story was first recorded by an t-Athair Peadar Ó Laoghaire in 'Mo Scéal Féin' and subsequently became the inspiration for Eavan Boland's poem 'Quarantine' and Declan O'Rourke's song 'Poor Boy's Shoes'. The Massey family's fortunes continued to decline and the 'coup de grâce' came

when it was burned in December 1920.

The relatively short War of Independence (21 January 1920–11 July 1921) was at its height when Mount Massey House was burned. Kilmichael Ambush had taken place three weeks before, on 28 November 1920, just a week after Croke Park's Bloody Sunday and a week before the burning of Cork city. Locally, due to the efforts of Catholic Dean Higgins and Church of Ireland rector, Reverend Brady, and Lady Ardilaun's acquaintance with General Tudor, head of the Auxiliaries, Macroom was spared after Kilmichael Ambush. Charlie Browne's house, New Street was the only Macroom house torched at that time and even then, a benign British Officer helped to quench the fire. Other reprisals took place around Macroom such as the burning of houses near the ambush site, the killing of an innocent man at Kilmichael Post Office and of Canon Magnier in Dunmanway. As was their wont, the Macroom IRA, though not directly involved in the ambush, melted into the background; in the fervid prevailing atmosphere, their volunteers were very unlikely to mount any action in Macroom or surrounds at that time. An indicator of tension in Macroom was that shops and businesses were closed and shuttered and Macroom Boys National School recorded that no pupil attended the week after the ambush.

The Evening Echo reported on Tuesday 21 December 1920 that Mount Massey had been 'burned to the ground' the previous night. Mr Massey, the owner, was arrested by the Auxiliary police and charged, the accusation not specified.



Above: A mural in Masseytown with Mount Massey House in its heyday.

The article noted that the house was 'historic', had been occupied by the military and it was rumoured that the Auxiliaries were to move in. The house and grounds had hosted band promenades in association with the Cork and Macroom Railway Line. On the following day, The Irish Independent confirmed the burning and added that sensationally H.H. Massey, the owner and his travelling companion, Mr Aitken, an in-law, 'had been taken into custody'. A few years before, Massey had 'attained his majority', that is he became legally competent. Following the fire, Massey lodged a compensation claim for £10,000, heard in Macroom Quarter Sessions on Saturday 15 January 1921. The compensation claimed is worth about €662,000 today.

The Cork Examiner 17 January 1921 gives a long account of what occurred at the hearing. Solicitors and barristers represented the various clients. Key witnesses were Cornelius Kelleher, a nearby tenant; Browne, the Mount Massey estate caretaker; Massey, the claimant and Captain Bannerman, an Auxiliary Captain. The judge cross-examined. Kelleher and his sons were renting the land from Massey. They had previously been falsely accused of, among other things, sending up a Versey flare – these had been used in World War One as warnings etc. When it was obvious to locals that the military was about to quit Mount Massey – there since May 1918, the Kellehers strongly suspected (as most Masseytown residents did) that 'something might happen' and took the precaution of informing their solicitor, Mr Creed. Creed in turn informed the Macroom RIC and the Auxiliaries, based in Macroom Castle, who wrote to Massey about the concerns expressed. The Kellehers' rationale was presumably to prevent any event and to absolve themselves from blame.

Browne (no first name was cited), the caretaker, visited the House on the 20th December, the day of the fire, at midday and at 5.00 p.m. The property was fine on both occasions but he noted a back window had been broken by 5.00 p.m.

In Massey's evidence it emerged that he and Aitken had been in Macroom about a week before the fire and had stayed in William's (now the Castle) Hotel. Because they were non-residents and the tense prevailing atmosphere, Auxiliary



Mount Massey House ruin, 2024. (C. Kelleher).



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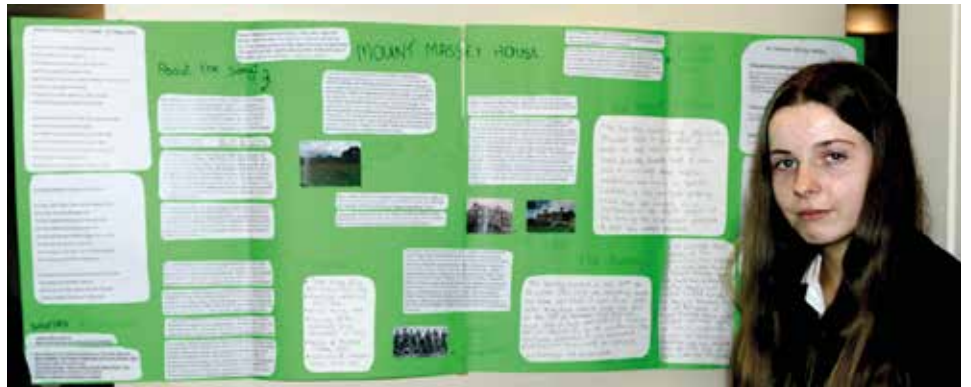
officers interviewed them. The officers found them inebriated, insolent and evasive – observations denied by Massey and Aitken. The two were ordered out of town by 7.00 p.m. The duo returned on the day of the fire, this time armed with a military permit. They again stayed in William's Hotel and went to see the Kellehers in the evening. The ongoing lease was discussed but oddly outside of the house. While discussing the matter, Cornelius Kelleher, the father, Massey and Aitken smelled smoke and the house was on fire. As it was too dangerous to intervene themselves, they informed the RIC and The Auxiliaries. However it was too late and the House was destroyed. Following the fire Massey and Aitken were arrested on suspicion of arson. Massey said that when they reported the matter to the Castle and that a Colonel Smith had left orders that 'nothing should be done'. Bannerman's evidence seemed crucial. Incidentally, Bannerman was the Auxiliary Officer who organised help to douse the fire at Charlie Browne's house on 29 November, the day after Kilmichael Ambush. In the search of their rooms in William's after the fire, notification from the authorities, was found informing Massey of the military's impending vacation of Mount Massey. Bannerman flatly contradicted Massey's testimony on Colonel's Smith's instructions. Apparently, Massey had spoken to a sentry. Massey had received a hand-delivered note informing him of the military's departure. The judge commented that police evidence

in the case had '(T)hrown a lurid light on the matter, and not to the advantage of Mr Massey'. In summing-up he said 'that that there was a strong motive in the case, and if Mr Massey was innocent in the case, his conduct had brought suspicion on himself'. The judge quoted the interests of the ratepayers in footing the bill. Despite his reservations the judge awarded Massey £7,353 (or about €423,000 today). To reflect his misgivings, he further refused to give the claimant expenses and costs and compensations for several items outside the principal item. There is no further evidence that the possible/probable case of arson was pursued. I rest my case.

Sources: Newspapers -The Evening Echo, The Irish Independent, The Cork Examiner.

Books: Con Kelleher's 'Macroom Union Workhouse 1843-1921'; An t-Athair Peadar's 'Mo Scéal Féin'; Stephen Brady's 'The Briar of Life'; Charlie Browne's 'The Story of the 7th'.

Presentations: Marcella Ni Chríodáin's 'Masseytown' and Liadan Kelleher's 'The Story of Mount Massey'.



Liadan O'Regan with her school's project (2024) on Mount Massey House, (C. Kelleher)

BURNING OF MOUNT MASSEY HOUSE.

COMPENSATION CLAIM.

Remarkable Evidence—£7,353 Awarded.

At Macroom Courthouse on Saturday, before Judge Hyde, K.C., there was a claim for £16,000 for the burning of Mount Massey House on the night of December 20th.

Mr. D. R. O'Sullivan instructed by Mr. W. Ashe for the claimant.

Counsel, in stating the case, said that in May, 1918, the house and a small portion of land was taken over by the military, and until the 19th December last they remained in possession. On the very day after the military leaving the house was burned. The statement of the troops was of course not reported, but it became apparent to everybody that preparations for evacuation were on foot. The caretaker repaired the gutter to the roof, and Mr. Creed, who went to the authorities in connection with the matter, but he could get no information as to whether the troops were to come back or not. The military left the doors and windows open, and permission was obtained from the military for the caretaker to enter. The caretaker closed up the windows and doors, and at the same time reported to the Receiver that there was a great risk of something happening; that after the evacuation of the military some such act might be perpetrated. The caretaker closed up the house on Sunday. A curious thing then happened. Mr. Massey had a large tenant named Kelleher residing near Mount Massey House. A month before one of Kelleher's cattle was shot by a sentry or somebody else. He went to report it to the military, and he himself and another sentry were arrested on an allegation that they had been sent up by them. Kelleher, seeing that the military were clearing out of Mount Massey, was apprehensive of a burning, and on Monday he came down to Mr. Ashe. He and his son had been arrested so far as he knew for no reason, and he now feared if there was a burning that he would be held responsible. He went with Mr. Ashe to the authorities, and Mr. Ashe satisfied them on the point that if anything did happen suspicion need not turn his way. Counsel mentioned this to indicate the opinion in the minds of the people that something of the kind would happen. On Monday 20th the military, however, the caretaker went up to Mount Massey in the middle of the day and everything was all right. He went up again at five o'clock on the evening with another man to see out some property belonging to Mr. Williams. When he got there he found that one of the windows had been broken and

they wanted their records, and after that arm searched them. They spoke roughly. At 12 o'clock the claimant did not really know what they came in for. They (the military) said a lot of things before witness had time to say anything. They asked what their business was and were told, and witness how soon would it be finished, and witness must leave town tonight. Witness said that you until 7 o'clock. Witness said that you would finish his business. He (Mr. Massey) went downstairs after them, and they said they would make an exception in his case and permit him to remain until the following day. As a matter of fact the witness went away that evening with Mr. Aitken.

His Honor—You knew they were making inquiries about strange or suspicious persons. Why did you not let them that Mr. Ashe was your solicitor or Mr. Creed, or that Mr. Williams knew you? Why did you not make some explanation of that kind?

Claimant—My impression was they did not want any explanation, and only wanted to get us out of the town.

His Honor—You did not give them any help.

Claimant—My opinion is they did not want any help.

His Honor—What explanation did you give about Mr. Aitken? He is now under arrest. I assume on a charge of arson. He told them he was advising me on land generally. He has private means of his own, and lives at Skerries. Continuing, claimant said that during his detention Mr. Aitken tried to communicate with some knight in Meath, but the authorities would not let the wire go. It looked from the start as if they did not want an explanation. Witness proceeded to relate how he obtained a permit for himself and Mr. Aitken to come to Macroom to transact business, and told of his arrival in Macroom by the 4 o'clock train on Monday, December 20th. He had an interview with Mr. Creed, and after tea he went to Mr. Kelleher's at Mount Massey, accompanied by Mr. Aitken. They passed Mount Massey House and arrived at Mr. Kelleher's, where they had a general chat for some time. There were several members of the family in the house. When they wanted to talk business they went outside.

His Honor—Could you have got a room in the house for your private interview?

Witness said that Mr. Kelleher suggested it, and he did not think it necessary.

His Honor—You thought it necessary to go out in the open air on a winter's night. While they were outside talking Mr. Kelleher said he thought he smelt something burning, and witness said, "Oh, my God, the house is gone." Mr. Kelleher suggested they should get up on the steps near his house to see. They did so, and from there saw a fire in the basement. Mr. Aitken suggested first that they go and try to put out the fire, and claimant approved.

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Hi Chris Barrett here, with information on an iconic Irish bird. Today we have the good fortune to learn from a regular and valued contributor, Tom Jordan.

The Eurasian Curlew *Numenius arquata* was once a common feature of the Irish landscape and its plaintive call was very familiar. Lists of common farmland birds almost always included curlew and the Schools Collection of Irish folklore contains a typical reference from Ballydehob: "The curlew's nest is supposed to be never found because St. Patrick blessed the Curlew when he was asleep by the bank of the river, the curlew saved him from being drowned."

A brown speckled bird with long legs and a distinctive hooked bill, the curlew is Ireland's largest wader. Its call gives it its name, which may derive from the old French *curliu*, related to *courir*, to run. Certainly curlews have inspired a lot of poetry and song, which gives them iconic status. WB Yeats seems to have prophetically penned the lines, "O curlew, cry no more in the air, Or only to the water in the West", because 98% of Ireland's breeding curlews have disappeared since the 1970s.

Alongside other ground-nesting species like lapwing, golden plover, grey partridge, red grouse, corncrake, hen harrier, snipe and skylark, curlew numbers have dwindled dramatically in the past five decades. The advent of high-performance rye-grasses and innovative early silage harvests sounded a death knell for many of these birds. Traditional hay-making was a slow-moving, late-summer activity. This allowed diverse meadow plants and insects to thrive, so

ground-nesting birds had plenty to eat and enough time to fledge. The first silage harvesters devastated these meadowlands, robbing the Irish countryside of much of its birdsong and colour.

At the same time widespread landscape changes occurred. These included drainage and/or afforestation of wetlands, uplands and rough pastures, large-scale pesticide usage, overgrazing and excessive burning. This has vastly reduced suitable areas for ground-nesting birds. Political indifference, or unwillingness to stymie agricultural intensification, has allowed the problem of declining bird numbers to fester long after it was first observed.

Only in recent years has the biodiversity crisis become a topic of discussion in Ireland's media. Debates about how to address this daunting challenge rage, with farming and forestry representatives sometimes stoking unnecessary fears among their members. They forget that the terrible cost of inaction will be widespread extinctions, which presumably nobody wants to see. Any reversal of ongoing declines requires habitat restoration as a first step. This need not be controversial or economically costly. Finding creative ways in which to balance the needs of stakeholders is imperative, and farmer-led initiatives like the Bride Project and Burren Life have already demonstrated scaleable models for success.

While migrating curlews are still a common winter visitor – it is possible to see them in coastal and watery reaches like the Gearagh – native Irish curlews are rare indeed. When a report from 2017 warned that

their extinction was imminent, it led to the creation of the Curlew Conservation Programme (CCP) that year. The CCP worked with landowners to protect nine surviving breeding grounds from disturbance and predation, while using an innovative 'head-starting' technique, whereby one egg from each nest was hand-reared by National Parks staff and later released to supplement adult bird numbers.

In its final report in 2023, the CCP indicated mixed results. Curlew numbers remained stable at 48 breeding pairs in 2023, two more than when the scheme was launched in 2017. This was seen as a success because the scheme had managed to halt a sharp downward trend in breeding curlew numbers. With the CCP scheme now closed, the role of protecting curlews and other ground-nesting birds has been handed over to ACRES, the latest agri-environment scheme, and other similar initiatives. It remains to be seen whether or not the Department of Agriculture has either the expertise or the interest, to ensure that land owners are sufficiently incentivised to save endangered species by giving them what they need to survive. As the final CCP report ominously concluded: "Ultimately, conservation efforts have come at the 11th hour (or beyond) and landscape scale changes are urgently required if there is to be a future for Curlew in Ireland."

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Macroom FC U14 schoolboys who finished league runners up and are promoted to Div 1.



Oliwier Krzepina who was top scorer for Macroom FC U14B schoolboys pictured with life president Willie O' Riordan and coach David McSweeney



Macroom FC U14 schoolboys who finished league runners up and are promoted to Div 1.



Macroom FC U13 top scorer Sean MacSullivan received his award from coaches Fiona Phelan, John Deasy and John Kelleher



Clondrohid u 12's who were defeated by Blarney on last Saturday



Clondrohid u 14's who defeated Ballinora on Thursday July 4 in Clondrohid



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GAA NEWS

HURLING

Munster Hurling Championship 2024 – Round Robin

April 21st Waterford 2-25 Cork 1-25
 April 28th Cork 3-24 Clare 3-26
 May 11th Cork 3-28 Limerick 3-26
 May 19th Tipperary 1-20 Cork 4-30
 Final Round Robin points: Limerick 6, Clare 6, Cork 4, Waterford 3, Tipperary 1.
 Munster Final: Limerick 1-26 Clare 1-20
 All Ireland Preliminary Quarter Final:
 Cork 4-25 Offaly 3-19
 All Ireland SH Quarter final:
 Cork 0-26 Dublin 0-21
 All Ireland semi finals:
 Clare 0-24 Kilkenny 2-16
 Cork 1-28 Limerick 0-29
 All Ireland Final
 Cork v Clare Sunday July 21st, 3.30pm

Cork 1 – 28 Limerick 0 – 29

An electric afternoon at GAA headquarters, culminated with Cork earning an All-Ireland SHC final berth.

Limerick, admirably courageous until the bitter end, responded on numerous occasions throughout an absorbing encounter, but Cork still found a way to survive. A repeat of the 2013 national decider now beckons.

From the first whistle the Drumcondra venue rocked. Cork went 1-8 to 0-6 ahead by the 20th minute, but Limerick replied to lead by two at the interval.

Then in the third quarter Cork enjoyed a productive burst, accumulating a seven point advantage before Limerick came thundering back. It was that sort of game, but Cork had the answers.

Level at 0-6 each after 14 minutes, Cork subsequently struck 1-2 without reply. Séamus Harnedy, industrious and inspirational, rifled over a point that was quickly followed by a goal from the brilliant Brian Hayes.

The Barrs man rattled the Limerick net following a Shane Barrett assist. When Hayes added a point, Cork were five to the good.

What happened next? Limerick struck five points in a row. Tom Morrissey, Diarmaid Byrnes, Cathal O'Neill, Cian Lynch, and the splendid Aaron Gillane contributed scores to restore parity.

During that enterprising Limerick spell, Cork custodian Patrick Collins made an excellent save to thwart Gillane.

It continued at a decent clip, Hayes pointing for Cork, but two Gillane efforts were sandwiched either side of a Reidy score. Limerick were hugely effective in the second quarter, eventually departing armed with a 0-16 to 1-11 lead.

In the 12 minutes after the restart, though, Cork regained composure. Demonstrating real class, Cork were landing immaculate scores. Darragh Fitzgibbon, Patrick Horgan, Barrett, Alan Connolly, Declan Dalton,

and Hayes delivered in style as Cork pulled 1-21 to 0-19 clear.

Gillane lofted over a point for Limerick, but Cork were motoring smoothly. Harnedy thumped over two beauties with Horgan nailing a free, ensuring the gap was a sizeable 1-24 to 0-20 with 19 minutes remaining.

Limerick ploughed on, with substitutes Shane O'Brien and Adam English occupying central roles in the comeback mission.

The margin was paired down to four in the 62nd minute, but points from Horgan (free) and Hayes, following another Harnedy contribution had Cork 1-28 to 0-25 in front.

In the dying embers Gillane (free), O'Brien, English, and Gearóid Hegarty registered points for Limerick, but sufficient Cork damage had been inflicted. Limerick's greatness since 2018 meant that this was a cherished win for Cork, who return to the Jones Road theatre in a fortnight.

Scorers for Cork: Brian Hayes 1-4, Patrick Horgan 0-5 (4fs), Séamus Harnedy and Declan Dalton (2fs) 0-4 each, Darragh Fitzgibbon, Shane Barrett, and Alan Connolly 0-3 each, Rob Downey and Mark Coleman 0-1 each.

Scorers for Limerick: Aaron Gillane 0-10 (4fs), David Reidy, Cathal O'Neill, and Diarmaid Byrnes (2fs) 0-3 each, Tom Morrissey, Shane O'Brien, and Adam English 0-2 each, Kyle Hayes, Cian Lynch, Gearóid Hegarty, and Séamus Flanagan 0-1 each.

Cork: Patrick Collins; Niall O'Leary, Eoin Downey, Seán O'Donoghue; Mark Coleman, Rob Downey, Ciarán Joyce; Tim O'Mahony, Darragh Fitzgibbon; Declan Dalton, Shane Barrett, Séamus Harnedy; Patrick Horgan, Alan Connolly, Brian Hayes.

Subs: Shane Kingston for Horgan (34-35, blood), Ethan Twomey for O'Mahony (58), Shane Kingston for Dalton (62), Robbie O'Flynn for Harnedy (66), Pádraig Power for Horgan (70+2).

Limerick: Nickie Quaid; Mike Casey, Dan Morrissey, Seán Finn; Diarmaid Byrnes, Declan Hannon, Kyle Hayes; William O'Donoghue, Cian Lynch; Gearóid Hegarty, Cathal O'Neill, Tom Morrissey; Aaron Gillane, Séamus Flanagan, David Reidy.

Subs: Shane O'Brien for Flanagan (52), Adam English for Reidy (53), Darragh O'Donovan for O'Donoghue (53), Aidan O'Connor for T Morrissey (63).

Referee: Thomas Walsh (Waterford).

Managers Comments:

Cork manager Pat Ryan praised Limerick for bringing hurling to 'a new level' following the absorbing All-Ireland SHC Semi-Final at Croke Park.

"I suppose first of all I have to pay tribute to Limerick, what champions they've been since 2018," Ryan remarked. "I mean, what they've given to the GAA itself, to the Limerick public.

"It was '73 when they won their last All-Ireland before the lads got involved and what they've achieved, it's absolutely superb.

"They've brought the game to a new level and they're testing all of us to get better and to bring things to a new level and raise standards both on and off the field and look, we were lucky to get over the line today."

Ryan was adamant that Cork would deliver a dynamic display. "I didn't have any doubt that we weren't going to perform today, to be honest with you," he added. "You could see it in training, obviously it was a lot made of maybe lacklustre performances against Offaly and Dublin, but look, from where we came from after losing the first two games in the championship, that took an awful lot of energy, emotional and physical energy to get over Limerick and Tipperary in those games.

"There was a lot of preparation needed to get us back into the championship and look, we've driven on from there."

With Cork and Clare contesting the All-Ireland SHC decider, Ryan acknowledges that there will be a significant buzz in the counties for the next fortnight. "The crowd that was up here, there's going to be fantastic excitement in Cork over the next two weeks and there's going to be fantastic excitement in Clare," he says.

"It's going to be hard to keep the hype down in both counties. There hasn't been a different Ireland champion since 2019. So, look, there's going to be fierce excitement.

"From our point of view, we'll just have to do our best to keep it down. I said this when I got into the job, fellas asked me what would be the success of this job? If you're a Cork man, you have to win an All-Ireland. Simple as that.

"If you don't do it, it's not successful. And look, there's been fellas before me that have done fantastic things and got to All-Ireland finals and have been very unlucky in those days. But look, we judge ourselves in Cork on winning All-Irelands so we need to get back to that."

The victory over Limerick at Croke Park ended the Shannonsiders' dreams of a fifth straight All-Ireland and set up a clash with Clare, a repeat of the 2013 decider.

Cork will be aiming to claim the Liam McCarthy Cup for the first time since 2005 and Manager Ryan accepts that while the Cork supporters will be confident he backs the team to focus on the task at hand.

2024 All-Ireland Senior Football Championship All Ireland Quarter Finals:

Armagh 2-12 Roscommon 0-12: Kerry 0-15 Derry 0-10

Dublin 0-16 Galway 0-17: Donegal 1-23 Louth 0-18

Semi Finals at Croke Park:
 Armagh v Kerry Saturday 13th July 5.30 Galway v Donegal Sunday 15th July 4pm

LGFA - 2024 TG4 ALL IRELAND LGFA CHAMPIONSHIP

Quarter-finals:

Kerry 0-16 Meath 0-8 Armagh 2-11 Mayo 0-11
 Cork 1-17 Waterford 2-4 Dublin 1-12 Galway 3-7

Semi-finals:

Kerry v Armagh; Cork v Galway
 Semi-finals to be played on Saturday July 20 at Glenisk O'Connor Park, Tullamore.
 Cork 1-17 Waterford 2-4

Cork lost their National League game to Waterford back in April on a 2-12 to 0-6 scoreline but are now through to the TG4 All Ireland Championship semi finals for the ninth time in ten years after reversing the league result with an impressive showing over their Munster rivals at Páirc Uí Chaoimh. Cork will now meet Galway in the penultimate round and will approach that challenge in good heart. The dismal performances of the league campaign are now but a

distant memory as the Rebels appear to be improving game by game.

Waterford opened the scoring with a point but Cork responded positively with Aoife Healy, Emma Cleary, Laura O'Mahony and Abbie O'Mahony all on target to make it 0-4 to 0-1. Waterford responded with a point and then struck for a super goal Waterford to take the lead. Points from Máire O'Callaghan and Emma Cleary helped Cork to a narrow half time lead, 0-6 to



1-2.

Cork did the damage after the resumption, adding 1-4 to their tally without reply from the Decies. A point apiece from Laura O'Mahony and Laura Cleary and two from Katie Quirke were followed by a goal from Sarah Looney on 45 and backed by the wind Cork were in pole position for the win.

Eimear Kiely and Katie Quirke (free) points matched two from the Waterford girls and Laura O'Mahony's third point left nine between the sides. Clodagh Carroll's had a late goal for the Déise but Cork were convincing winners at the final whistle with ten points, which included points from Sadhbh McGoldrick, Emma Cleary and a Lydia McDonagh free, to spare over their neighbours.

Scorers for Cork: H Looney 1-1, E Cleary 0-4, K Quirke (1f), L O'Mahony 0-3 each, A Healy, A O'Mahony, M O'Callaghan, E Kiely, S McGoldrick, L McDonagh (f)

0-1 each.

Cork: Sarah Murphy; Melissa Duggan, S Kelly, Sarah Leahy; Aoife Healy, Shauna Cronin, D Kelly; Máire O'Callaghan (c), Abbie O'Mahony; Emma Cleary (Éire Óg), Laura O'Mahony, Amy McDonagh (Naomh Abán); Ava McAuliffe, Katie Quirke, Rachel Leahy.

Subs: Hannah Looney for A O'Mahony (40), Eimear Kiely for A McAuliffe (40), Sadhbh McGoldrick (Éire Óg) for S Cronin (47), Anna Ryan for A Healy (47), Lydia McDonagh (Naomh Abán) for K Quirke (53).

Camogie

Glen Dimplex All-Ireland Senior Camogie Championship

Quarter Finals: Galway 1-12 Waterford 1-9

Waterford, as last year's beaten finalists were eager to get back and have another crack at the title, whereas

Galway were coming off a heavy loss to Cork the weekend prior.

In recent Galway tradition, the Tribeswomen upset the favourites in a brilliant 1-12 to 1-9 victory.

Dublin 1-13 Kilkenny 0-12

In a shock win at Croke Park, the Girls In Blue have shown they are capable of being mixed in with the top teams of the country, and will by no means be taking the foot off the pedal as they face Cork in Nowlan Park in three weeks in the semi-final.

All Ireland semi finals:

Cork v Dublin; Tipperary v Galway

Both games to be played at Nowlan Park, Kilkenny on July 27th and screened live on RTE

Tom Creedon Cup 2024

Semi Finals: Macroom v Ilken Rovers, Boherbue v Adrigole

Cork Masters GAA

The Cork Masters (for Over 40s) football team is one of 25 teams in the initial league groups. The first four in their league go into the semi-finals of the Dr Mick Loftus competition. The next four teams will play in the Shield semi-finals, then the next four play off in the semi-finals of the Plate, then there is a Challenge Cup and finally another four face off in the Spirit Cup competition. The season runs from the second week of May until around the middle of September.

In the latest game, Round 5 against Leitrim/Longfort, Cork won on a 1-17 to 2-6 scoreline. Ger McSweeney (Iveleary) finished with 0-4 (0-1 free) to his credit.

Andrew Murphy Ballincollig was at wing back, Ger McSweeney was at corner forward, Tadg Sheehan (Macroom) was on the substitutes panel and Rob Oldham (Iveleary) is a selector.

Dubin, Kerry, Roscommon, Antrim, Tyrone, Cork, Derry are the leading contenders at present.

McCarthy Insurances County Football Leagues Final placings after nine rounds:

Top two teams qualify for Division Final and get promoted: bottom two demoted to lower division.

Division 1: Nemo Rangers 15, Carrigaline 12, St Finbarrs 11, CILL na MARTRA 11, Newcestown 10, Castlehaven 9, ÉIRE ÓG 8, Douglas 6, Carbery Rangers 6, BALLINCOLLIG 2.

Division Two: Clonakilty 16, St Michaels 14, BÉAL ÁTHA'n GhaORTHÁIDH 13, Knocknagree 10, Valley Rovers 10, Dohenys 10, O'Donovan Rossa 8, Fermoy 5, Kiskeam 2, Clyda Rovers 0.

Division Three: Kanturk 15, Castletownbere 14, Mallow 12, Bishopstown 10, Rockchapel 9, Newmarket 8, Aghada 7, Kilshannig 7, MACROOM 6, Nemo Rangers 2.

Division Four: NAOMH ABÁN 14, IVELEARY 13, Glanmire 13, AGHABULLOGUE 12, Boherbue 11, Bandon 8, St Vincents 8, Bantry Blues 7, Ilken Rovers 4, Glanworth 0 Division Five: Buttevant 18, Adrigole 14, KILMURRY 13, Mitchelstown 9, Ballydesmond 8, Millstreet 7, Kinsale 7, Glenville 6, Dromtariffe 6, Na Piarasaigh 2.

Division Six: Gabriel Rangers 12, Ballinora 12, Aghinagh 9, Cogh 9, Kildorrery 6, Mayfield 6, St Nicks 1, St Michaels 1 Division Seven: Canovee 12, Cullen 12, Castlemagner 10, Argideen Rangers 6, St James 6, Urhan 6, Ballyhooley 2, St Finbarrs 2

McCarthy Insurance Group Football League Finals

Division 1: Carrigaline 0-10 Nemo Rangers 0-8.

Division 2: Clonakilty 1-15 St Michael's 1-14 (aet).

Division 3: Kanturk 1-8 Castletownbere 1-7.

Division 4: Iveleary 4-13 Naomh Abán 1-7.

Division 5: Adrigole 2-8 Buttevant 0-13.

Division 6: Ballinora 2-12 Gabriel Rangers 1-9.

Division 7: Cullen 1-7 Canovee 0-8.

Division Four League Final

Iveleary 4 – 13 Naomh Aban 1 – 7

The final of the Div 4 McCarthy Insurances County Football League between these Premier Intermediate grade near-neighbours drew a fine crowd in very pleasant conditions to the Castle Grounds in Macroom with reasonable expectations of a close encounter but the game turned out to be a very one sided affair. Iveleary were altogether too good for a young Naomh Abán side which struggled all over the field from an early stage to contain its divisional rivals. The absence of star forward Ed Myers from the Naomh Aban line out due to a serious ankle injury sustained in training was a major set back to the Gaeltacht men but they will be disappointed with this performance.

Iveleary got four goals, three of these from corner forward Ian Jones who was brilliantly opportunistic, lurking near to the N Abán goal and availing of every chance. The other goal came from his brother Chris Óg Jones who finished with 1-5 to his credit, the goal a superb effort, and a third brother Kevin also got on the score sheet, his point being the opening score of the game.

That opening score came in the 9th minute from the eldest Jones brother and was quickly answered by a point from Conchur Ó Críodáin. Thereafter there was a litany of Iveleary scores. Chris Óg and Barry O'Leary had points before Chris Óg ran at the N Abán defence in the 14th minute and when his blast was deflected off a despairing defender, Ian Jones was on hand to gather the loose ball and belt it to the net from close range. With Iveleary on top in defence and N Abán defenders struggling to contain their attack, a lead of 1-3 to 0-1 was a portent of things to come. In the 21st minute the outstanding Iveleary wing back Kevin Manning sent over a high centre which Ian Jones held before turning and blasting to the net from close range. N Abán got a late boost when Maidhchí Ó Duinnín fired a ball goalwards, Ó Liatháin's goal attempt was blocked and the ball was booted over the goal line by Seamus Hendy. When

the half time whistle followed immediately, Iveleary were 2-6 to 1-2 ahead and well in command.

Any doubts about the eventual outcome were quickly dispelled on the resumption as Iveleary remained in control and when Chris Óg Jones' shot for a point hit the post and fell kindly for brother Ian in the 39th minute, the corner forward completed his hat trick and this goal effectively ended the contest. With the score at 3-11 to 1-4 Chris Óg Jones fired in an unstoppable shot from ten metres in the 52nd minute, and after Ó Duinnín pointed three frees in a row for N Abán, Chris Óg Jones kicked the final point for his side.

Scorers: Iveleary: Ian Jones 3-2, Chris Óg Jones 1-5 (0-1f), B Cronin 0-2, K Jones, B O'Leary, S O'Leary and B O'Riordan 0-1 each. Naomh Abán: S Hendy 1-0, Maidhchí Ó Duinnín 0-6 (0-5f), CÓ Críodáin 0-1.

Iveleary: Joe Creedon: Barry Murphy, Daniel O'Donovan, Daniel O'Riordan: Kevin Manning, Sean O'Leary, Kevin Jones: Conor O'Leary, Barry O'Leary: Seán O'Riordan, Chris Óg Jones, Aaron O'Donovan: Brian Cronin, Sam Pickering, Ian Jones. Subs: Liam Kearney, Brian O'Riordan, Shane Galvin.

Naomh Aban: Eoghan Ó Luasa: Colm de Róiste, Críostóir Ó Deasúnaigh, Seamus Ó Mathúna: Jack Ó Murchú, Dara M Ó Loinsigh, Éanna Ó Críodáin:

Séamus Hendy, Jack Ó Donnchú: Conchur Ó Críodáin, Maidhchí Ó Liatháin, Marc Ó Críod: Donal Ó Ceallaigh, Maidhc Ó Duinnín, Niall Ó Ceallaigh. Fir Ionaid: Wayne MacCarthaigh, Fionn Ó Loinsigh, Adrain Ó Cathasaigh, Deaglán Ó hAllamhain, Amhlaoibh Ó Loinsigh, Donagh Ó Loinsigh, Ciarán Ó Luasa, Referee: Jerry Kelleher, St Johns

Div 6 Final:

Ballinora 2 – 12 Gabriel Rangers 1 - 9

After losing by a point at home to Gabriel Rangers two months ago, Ballinora turned the tables on Gabriel Rangers in the Division 6 decider at Clonakilty. Ballinora were on top in the first half and led by 0-8 to 0-5 at half-time.

Ballinora added a point on the resumption but Gabriel Rangers got a goal in the 34th minute to cut the deficit to a point, 0-9 to 1-5. Gabriels then drew level with another point but on 35 Ballinora got their first goal from James Keohane to open up a three point gap and points were twice exchanged to keep this difference between the teams at the three quarter stage. On top at centre field through Shane Kingston and James Lordan, James Keohane forceful at centre forward, and with Robert Quirke ever dangerous at full forward, Ballinora opened up a



four point gap on 48 and when Robert Quirke set up Shane Kingston for a goal a minute later the outcome was assured and six points separated the teams at the final whistle.

Robert Quirke was the main scorer for the winners with 0-8, four from play, three frees and a 45. Shane Kingston scored 1-2, one coming from a free. James Keohane got Ballinora's first goal along with a point and Liam Lyons also had a point.

Ballinora: Alex McAllen: Ronan Barrow, Tim Forde, Adam Laverty: Ian Wycherley, Nathan Davis, James Byrne: Shane Kingston, James Lordan: Tommy Burns, James Keohane, Danny Dineen: Liam Lyons, Robert Quirke, Andrew O'Sullivan

Division 7 League Final:

Cullen 1 – 7 Canovee 0 – 8

Canovee had a four point win over Cullen in a high scoring game when these sides met in the league in late May. In the final at Clondrohid, Cullen came out on top thanks to a 63rd minute goal which yielded them a two point victory. Canovee had been the better team in the first half after an even opening ten minutes when the teams shared four points equally between them, Daire McMahon and James Moynihan on target for Canovee. Mark Healy and James Moynihan put Canovee in front and two points from Jack Kelleher in the 20th minute had the Mid Cork side leading by 0-6 to 0-2 and Evan Dodd added a further point to leave a four point gap between the teams at half time, 0-7 to 0-3.

Jack Kelleher, from a free, matched an early Cullen point to maintain the Canovee four point lead in

the 38th minute but this proved to be the final score from the Carrigadrohid men. Cullen points on 40, 43, and 47 left the minimum between the teams, 0-8 to 0-7 and that's how it remained until the 63rd minute when Cullen pressure at last yielded a golden goal and they withstood a fierce late offensive to take the title. Both teams of course are promoted for next season.

Canovee scorers: Jack Kelleher 0-3 (0-2f), James Moynihan 0-2, Daire McMahon, Mark Healy Evan Dodd 0-1 each.

Canovee: Ben Cheasty: Tim Cronin, Michael Dunne, Blake Ring: William Ahern, Denis O'Sullivan, Evan Dodd: Aidan Murphy, Mark Healy: James Moynihan, Paudie O'Leary, Shane Riordan: Jack Kelleher, Brian McNabola, Daire McMahon. Subs: Paul Healy 13, Conor Dodd 43, Patrick Buckley 43, Seán O'Connor 51.

MUSKERRY GAA

Ross Oil Junior A Football Championship

(12 teams, 3 Groups) July 23rd JFC G1 Inniscarra v Béal Átha'n Ghaorthaidh at Annahala 7.30pm July 27th JFC G2 Donoughmore v Clondrohid at Rusheen 7.45pm July 27th JFC G2 Éire Óg v Kilmichael at Cloughduv 7.45pm July 28th JFC G1 Blarney v Ballinora at Ovens 12 noon July 28th JFC G3 Aghinagh v Grenagh at Coachford 12 noon July 28th JFC G3 Ballincollig v Dripsey at Donoughmore 12 noon Muskerry GAA Leagues EPH Controls Football Leagues

Division 1 Final: Donoughmore 3 – 12 Grenagh 1 - 8

Final league placings: Donoughmore 12, Grenagh 10, Inniscarra 10, Béal Átha'n Ghaorthaidh 7, Ballincollig 6, Clondrohid 6, Kilmichael 4, Éire Óg 3, Division Two East Aghabullogue 12, Dripsey 10, Ballinora 8, Blarney 8, Donoughmore B 6, Inniscarra B 4, Ballincollig B 4, Éire Óg B 2 Division Two West Kilmurry 12, Aghinagh 11, Naomh Abán 10, Cill na Martra 8, Canovee 6, Uibh Laoire 6, Macroom 3, Béal Átha'n Ghaorthaidh B 0 Div 2 Play Off: Aghabullogue 2-6 Aghinagh 0-6: Kilmurry v Dripsey (8/7/24) Division Three Naomh Abán 12, Gleann na Laoi 11, Macroom 10, Ballincollig 6, Kilmichael 5, Inniscarra 5, Béal Átha'n Ghaorthaidh 4, Grenagh 3

Final: Naomh Abán v Gleann na Laoi,

Division Four

Div 4 FL – 4 teams, 3 games, Top 2 placed teams will play final - Commencement date 23rd June Canovee 2, Dripsey, Clondrohid, Blarney 0

HURLING

Cumnor Construction Division 1

Grenagh 12, Donoughmore 11, Inniscarra 8, Blarney 8, Dripsey 7, Ballincollig 6, Éire Óg 2, Aghabullogue 2
Final: Grenagh v Donoughmore at Blarney, July 13th , 7pm

Erneside Engineering Division Two

Kilmichael 13, Uibh Laoire 11, Cloughduv 10, Inniscarra 8, Éire Óg 7, Grenagh 5, Blarney 2, Gleann na Laoi 0

Final: Kilmichael v Iveleary

Erneside Engineering Division 3

Ballinora 8, Lough Rovers 6, Laochra Óg 4, Donoughmore 2, Ballincollig 0

Final: Ballinora v Lough Rovers July 14th

Red FM County Hurling Leagues

One round to go

Div One

League Table: Charleville 14, Sarsfields 13, Blackrock 13, Glen Rovers 12, Fr O'Neills 9, Douglas 8, Carrigtwohill 7, Kanturk 6, Na Piarasigh 4 Ballincollig 4.

Final: Charleville v Sarsfields Saturday July 13th

Div Two

League Table: Carrigaline 15, St Finbarrs 14, Midleton 14, Éire Óg 8, Newtownshandrum 8, Killeagh 7, Erin's Own 7, Fermoy 6, Courcy Rvrs 6, Bride Rovers 5.

Final: Carrigaline v St Finbarrs July 11th @P Ui Rinn

Div Three:

League Table: Ballymartle 15, Valleys 13, Newcestown 11, Ballinhassig 10, Castleyons 9, Mallow 9, Blarney 8,

Blackrock 8, Inniscarra 6, Bishopstown 1.

Final: Ballymartle v Valley Rovers at Ballygarvan, Sunday July 14th 2pm.

Div Four:

League Table: Lisgoold 15, Russell Rvrs 12, St Catherine's 10, Kildorrery 9, Cloughduv 9, Youghal 9, Kilworth 8, Bandon 8, Ballyhea 8, Milford 2.

Final: Lisgoold v Russell Rovers at Castlemartyr, Saturday July 13th at 3pm

Div Five:

League Placing: Watergrasshill 14, Tracton 13, Aghabullogue 12, Mayfield 10, Dungourney 9, Ballygarvan 8, Castlemartyr 8, Midleton 7, Cloyne 5, Argideen 4.

Final: Watergrasshill v Tracton at Mayfield, Saturday July 13th at 5pm

Div Six:

No Mid Cork teams

Final: Erin's Own v Kilbrittain at Ballincollig on Sunday July 14th at 2pm

Div Seven:

League Table: Ballinascarthy 10, Kinsale 9, Ballinora 9, Nemo Rangers 8, Meelin 8, St Finbarrs 7, Douglas 3, Kilshannig 0

Final: Ballinascarthy v Kinsale on Sunday July 14th at Bandon, 1pm

CORK COUNTY FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP 2024

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 Nemo Rangers v Ballincollig in Ballymaw

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 Newcestown v Éire Óg in Cloughduv

Sat, July 27th @5pm SAFC R1 Cill na Martra v Kiskeam in Clondrohid

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm SAFC R1 Carrigaline v Béal Áth an Ghaorthaidh in Kilmurry

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm IAFC R1 Glanworth v Ballinora in Mayfield

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm PJFC R1 Canovee v St James in Newcestown

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Ilen Rovers v Uibh Laoire in Dunmanway

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Rockchapel v Macroom in Dromtariffe

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Aghada v Aghabullogue in Ballincollig

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Naomh Abán v Bandon in Carrigadrohid

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PJFC R1 KILMURRY v Cobh in Ballyanley

Full List of Fixtures

2024 Cork County McCarthy Insurances Group Football Championship –

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 Nemo Rangers v

Ballincollig in Ballymaw

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 St Finbarr's v Douglas in Carrigaline

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 Newcestown v Éire Óg in Cloughduv

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 Valley Rovers v Mallow in Glenville

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PSFC R1 Castlehaven v Clonakilty in Rosscarbery

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm SAFC R1 Dohenys v Kanturk in Macroom

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm IAFC R1 Mitchelstown v St Vincents in Rathcormac

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm IAFC R1 Na Piarasigh v



Boherbue in Glantane

Fri, July 26th @7.45pm PJFC R1 Kinsale v Ballydesmond in Donoughmore

Sat, July 27th @5pm SAFC R1 Cill na Martra v Kiskeam in Clondrohid

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm SAFC R1 Carrigaline v Béal Áth an Ghaorthaidh in Kilmurry

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm SAFC R1 O'Donovan Rossa v Fermoy in Bandon

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm SAFC R1 Clyda Rovers v Bishopstown in Blarney

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm PIFC R1 Castletownbere v Kilshannig in Castletownkenneigh

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm IAFC R1 Glanworth v Ballinora in Mayfield

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm IAFC R1 Dromtarriffe v Adrigole in Ballyvourney

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm IAFC R1 Kildorrery v Gabriel Rangers in Ovens

Sat, July 27th @5.30pm PJFC R1 Canovee v St James in Newcestown

Sat, July 27th @7.30pm PSFC R1 Carbery Rangers v St Michael's in Brinny

Sat, July 27th @7.30pm SAFC R1 Newmarket v Knocknagree in Ballydesmond

Sat, July 27th @7.30pm PJFC R1 Glenville v Cullen in Doneraile

Sat, July 27th @7.30pm PJFC R1 Urhan v Millstreet in Inchageela

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Ilen Rovers v Uibh

Laoire in Dunmanway

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Rockchapel v Macroom in Dromtarriffe

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Aghada v Aghabullogue in Ballincollig

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Bantry Blues v Nemo Rangers in Enniskeane

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PIFC R1 Naomh Abán v Bandon in Carrigadrohid

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm IAFC R1 St Finbarr's v Glanmire in St Vincent's

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PJFC R1 Buttevant v St Nick's in Killavullen

Sun, July 28th @7.30pm PJFC R1 Kilmurry v Cobh in Ballyanley

COUNTY HURLING CHAMPIONSHIPS – 1ST ROUND GROUP FIXTURES

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm PSHC R1 St Finbarr's v Blackrock in Páirc Uí Rinn

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm PSHC R1 Erins Own v Kanturk in Mallow

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm SAHC R1 Na Piarasigh v Courcy Rovers in Brinny

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm SAHC R1 Fermoy v Castlelyons in Rathcormac

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm SAHC R1 Glen Rovers v Killeagh in Carrigtwohill

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm SAHC R1 Ballyhea v Inniscarra in Grenagh

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.30pm PJHC R1 Barryroe v Kilbrittain in Clonakilty

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm SAHC R1 Blarney v Carrigtwohill Caherlag

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm PIHCR1 Éire Óg v Aghabullogue in Carrigadrohid

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm PIHC R1 Carrigaline v Watergrasshill in Ballincollig

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm PJHC R1 Milford v Russell Rovers in Ballygiblin

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm PJHC R1 Ballygarvan v Nemo Rangers in Shanbally

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm PSHC R1 Sarsfields v Douglas in Páirc Uí Rinn

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm PSHC R1 Bishopstown v Newtownshandrum in Fermoy

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm PSHC R1 Midleton v Charleville in Mourneabbey

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm SAHC R1 Bride Rovers v Cloyne in Killeagh

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm PIHC R1 Ballinhassig v Dungourney in Cobh

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm PIHC R1 Castlemartyr v Valley Rovers in Riverstick

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm IAHC R1 Cloughdub v Youghal in Church Road

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm PJHC R1 St Catherine's v Glen Rovers in Lisgoold

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm PSHC R1 Newcestown v Fr O'Neill's in Carrigaline

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm PIHC R1 Mallow v Ballincollig in Ballyanley

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm PIHCR1 Kilworth v Ballymartle in Watergrasshill

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm IAHC R1 Aghada v Sarsfields in Dungourney

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm IAHC R1 Erins Own v Kildorrery in Castletownroche

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm IAHC R1 Midleton v Ballygiblin in Ballynoe

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm IAHC R1 Bandon v Blackrock in Ballymah

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm IAHC R1 Mayfield v Lisgoold in Castlelyons

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm PJHC R1 Douglas v Meelin in Glanworth

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm PJHC R1 Argideen Rangers v St Finbarr's in Belgooly

Sun, Aug 4th @4pm Camogie Final All-Ireland Senior Camogie Final

Tues, Aug 6th @8pm Fri, Aug 9th @7.30pm Div/Col F SF Carbery v Muskerry in Ovens

Fri, Aug 9th @7.30pm Div/Col F SF Duhallow v UCC in Mallow

Sun, Aug 11th @4pm Div/Col H SF Muskerry v UCC in Dungourney

Sun, Aug 11th @6.30pm Div/Col H SF Avondhu v Imokilly in Fermoy

Sun, Aug 11th @4pm LGFA Final All-Ireland Senior Ladies Football Final

2024 CORK COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Five grades in hurling, five grades in football. Twelve teams in each championship, each with three groups containing four teams per group. Top two in each group advance to knock out stages, 3rd team in each group is finished, Two 4th placed teams will be involved in relegation play off.

Round 1: A v B C v D, Rd 2: A v D, B v C Rd 3: A v C, B v D

Premier Senior Hurling

Group 1: Sarsfields, Douglas, Bishopstown, Newtownshandrum

Group 2: St Finbarr's, Blackrock, Newcestown, Fr O'Neill's

Group 3: Midleton, Charleville, Erin's Own, Kanturk

Premier Senior Football

Group 1: A Nemo Rangers, B BALLINCOLLIG, C Newcestown, ÉIRE ÓG

Group 2: Castlehaven, Clonakilty, Carbery Rangers, St Michael's

Group 3: St Finbarr's, Douglas, Valley Rovers, Mallow

Senior A Hurling

Group 1: BLARNEY, Carrigtwohill, Na Piarasigh, Courcy Rovers

Group 2: Bride Rovers, Cloyne, Fermoy, Castlelyons
Group 3: Glen Rovers, Killeagh, Ballyhea, INNISCARRA

Senior A Football

Group 1: Carrigaline, BÉAL ÁTHA'n GHAORTHAIDH, CILL na MARTRA, Kiskeam

Group 2: Dohenys, Kanturk, O'Donovan Rossa, Fermoy

Group 3: Newmarket, Knocknagree, Clyda Rovers, Bishopstown

Premier Intermediate Hurling

Group 1: Castlemartyr, Valley Rovers, Carrigaline, Watergrasshill

Group 2: Mallow, BALLINCOLLIG, ÉIRE ÓG, AGHABULLOGUE

Group 3: Kilworth, Ballymartle, Ballinhassig, Dungourney

Premier Intermediate Football

Group 1: Ilen Rovers, UIBH LAOIRE, Aghada, AGHABULLOGUE

Group 2: Bantry Blues, Nemo Rangers, NAOMH ABAN, Bandon

Group 3: Castletownbere, Kilshannig, Rockchapel, MACROOM

Intermediate A Hurling

Group 1: Midleton, Ballygiblin, Aghada, Sarsfields

Group 2: Bandon, Blackrock, Erin's Own, Kildorrery

Group 3: Mayfield, Lisgoold, CLOUGHDUV, Youghal

Intermediate A Football

Group 1: Dromtarriffe, Adrigole, Kildorrery, Gabriel Rangers

Group 2: Mitchelstown, St Vincent's, Glanworth, BALLINORA

Group 3: Na Piarasigh, Boherbue, St Finbarr's, Glanmire

Premier Junior Hurling

Group 1: Douglas, Meelin, Milford, Russell Rovers

Group 2: Barryroe, Kilbrittain, Ballygarvan, Nemo Rangers

Group 3: St Catherine's, Glen Rovers, Argideen Rangers, St Finbarr's

Premier Junior Football

Group 1: KILMURRY, Cobh, CANOVEE, St James

Group 2: Glenville, Cullen, Kinsale, Ballydesmond

Group 3: Urhan, Millstreet, Buttevant, St Nick's



Co-Op Superstores Hurling Cship R1

Fri, Aug 2nd @7.45pm SAHC R1 Ballyhea v Inniscarra in Grenagh

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm SAHC R1 Blarney v Carrigtwohill

Caherlag

Sat, Aug 3rd @5.30pm PIHC R1 Éire Óg v Aghabullogue in Carrigadrohid

Sat, Aug 3rd @7.30pm IAHC R1 Cloughdub v Youghal in Church Road

Sun, Aug 4th @1.30pm PIHC R1 Mallow v Ballincollig in Blarney

MACROOM LGFA

Photos from Peter Scanlan

Macroom LGFA committee had a presentation to our 2 sponsors in the Auld triangle on Friday the 5th July 2024. Both sponsors were presented with framed Jerseys U10s kindly sponsored by Gerald Mc Carthy Architects.

The U10 girls proudly gave Gerald his framed jersey and the Minor girls presented the framed jersey to Cathy O'Shea of Cygnum, and to James O' Callaghan (committee member and Mid Cork board rep) who secured the sponsorship

Macroom LGFA want to take this opportunity to thank PJ Hegarty for sponsoring first aid bags for all Macroom LGFA teams and 12 O'Neill's footballs this year, and Brian O'Shea for the U16s tops that the team received in 2023.

Many thanks to the Auld triangle for hosting Macroom LGFA and looking after us on the evening. We are also very grateful to Macroom GAA for their support.

The jerseys and all the gear are purchased in BOF sportswear, and Bill who owns the company recently had a pop up shop in Macroom, where players, coaches and mentors were able to see the sportswear before they purchased.

The sponsorship received is greatly appreciated as it enables the committee, coaches and mentors to focus on developing the teams rather than focusing on fundraising. Macroom LGFA have kept their memberships low so that every girl in the community

can play GAA. We also have a €2 bucket at training (u8's, U10's, u12s and u14's). The money collected pays for blitz entries, first aid supplies, referees and contributes to any outings that the team may go on through the year.

Macroom LGFA is growing in numbers and on Wednesday evenings down the Tom Creedon Park from 6.30, all 3 pitches are in action, U8s, u10s, u12s and u14s.

Mondays and Thursdays, the u16s, Minors and

Juniors are in action in the Tom Creedon park at 7.30. We will also be selling the GAA lotto tickets at training on Wednesday evenings as this ensures that the grounds that we train and play matches on are kept in the best condition possible

Any girl who would like to play football are very welcome, please contact Mary Kate O'Keeffe on 087 3308282



LGFA Minors kindly sponsored by Cygnum, the minor girls presented the framed jersey to Cathy O'Shea of Cygnum, and to James O' Callaghan (committee member and mid cork board rep) who secured the sponsorship



LGFA Presentation to Sponsors; U10s kindly sponsored by Gerald McCarthy Architects, the U10 girls proudly gave Gerald his framed jersey. Pic. Peter Scanlan



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MACROOM LADIES SOCCER

Our school girls had a very successful season this year with five competitive teams competing in the Cork Schoolgirls league, the national cup and the Munster cup. Our U14 team were presented with medals at an award ceremony in the Cork International Hotel for winning Division 1. A fitting tribute for a team that had a very successful year. A special thanks to their parents for all their support this year.

Recently many of our girls were invited to partake in CWSSL trials. This is a fantastic opportunity for our players with many girls in the past have donned the

red and white jersey and proudly played for Cork. Both Molly Mulcahy and Róisín Twomey took part in the U12 trials. Connie O'Keeffe, Saoirse Dunne and Annie McElroy completed trials at U13 while Chloe Hubbard, Aoife O'Regan, Lauren O'Sullivan and Tara Browne participated in trials at the U14 age group. Well done to all the girls.

Our senior ladies have been having a very successful season thus far. A fantastic group of players who have shown great commitment and pride to play for Macroom FC. Their last home game takes place this

Wednesday at 7pm at Murrayfield and we hope the town will come out and support this great team. With some stand out performances to date, these ladies have progressed well throughout the season. Their manager, Sam Dowd, is hoping for a win which will see them finish in the top half of the table which is a fantastic result for the team especially seeing as this is their very first season as well as being a newly formed team. Keep it going ladies. We are very proud of you all!

MACROOM GAA - U16 PREMIER 1 LEAGUE VERSUS GLANMIRE

Glanmire 2-11 Macroom 1-22

The U16s played their second last league against Glanmire knowing a win would keep them in contention for the latter stages of the league. It didn't start well as Glanmire got an early goal but from that point Macroom took game to their opponents and some well taken scores from Sam Leavy and Ruairi O Shea got them level. 2 converted marks from Billy Murphy put Macroom in the lead which they never relinquished. They led at half time Glanmire 1-6 Macroom 0-13.

Again in the 2nd half they took the game to Glanmire and picked off some good points. A good attack started with Alex Brophy in defence was worked well up the field and finished to the net by Jack Leavy. Great credit must also go to the defence as they

worked tirelessly to keep Glanmire out but they did get in for a consolation goal with 10 minutes to go. This was a great team effort from all the lads. Next up home game against Ballincollig on July 15th.

Team: Caleb O Connor, Thomas Hopkins, Cathal Neville, Alex Brophy, Simon Condon, Eoghan Healy, Robert Fitzgerald, Jack O Shea, Sam Leavy, Darragh Donovan, Ruairi O Shea, Troy Murphy, Billy Murphy, Coran Burns, Jack Leavy. Subs: Gearoid Quinn, Tadh Dunne, Jayden O Sullivan.

Minor C3

Macroom hosted Glenville on Friday 5th July at Tom Creedon Park. A tight opening period saw both teams trading scores, but Macroom would eventually get on top to win out the game. Some strong defence from Donagh Murray and Cathal Neville with Jack O'Shea in midfield setting the platform for

Odhran Creed and Jack Leavy to trouble the Glenville rearguard. Charlie Magee had a strong 2nd half to see Macroom get the points from the match on a scoreline of Macroom 2.16 Glenville 3.04. Macroom now have 4 wins from 5 games

Team: Gearoid Quinn, Martin Fitzgerald, Donagh Murray, Shane McCarthy, Jack White, Cathal Neville, Regan Wong, Jamie Murphy, Jack O'Shea, Ruari Kiernan, Jack Leavy, David Neville, Charlie Magee, Odhran Creed, Darragh O'Donovan, Coran burns, Robert Fitzgerald, Thomas Hopkins, Cian O'Sullivan. Scores: Odhran Creed 0.5, Charlie Magee 1.02, Jack Leavy 1.02, Darragh O'Donovan 0.1, Cathal Neville 0.1, David Neville 0.1, Jack O'Shea 0.1, Jamie Murphy 0.1, Cian O'Sullivan 0.1



Macroom Minor C3 v Glenville



Macroom U16 Premier 1 league versus Glanmire



U14 Division 1 winners at CWSSL award ceremony



MFC Senior Ladies team at a recent win against Youghal.



Molly Mulcahy and Róisín Twomey at U12 CWSSL trials



Connie O'Keeffe, Saoirse Dunne and Annie Mc Ilroy at U13 CWSSL trials



Chloe Hubbard, Tara Browne, Aoife O'Regan and Lauren O'Sullivan at U14 CWSSL trials



LAOCHRA ÓG HURLING & CAMOGIE NOTES

24th June

Well done to our fabulous, hard working U8's who had a wonderful Camogie Blitz Sat morning. Our girls showed great skills and determination throughout their matches against Rockban and Na Piarasigh. Thanks to Rockban for hosting a great morning of camogie. Thanks to the parents for travelling with the girls and a huge thank you to our sponsors Matt Murphy's Pharmacy.

25th June

U6/U7 Camogie Blitz v Cloughdub yesterday evening. It was their first blitz and they did very well. Thanks to team sponsors Mulcahy Insurances Ltd for their continued support and parents for travelling and supporting the players.

Well done to the u10 laochra óg boys who played Kilmichael this evening in Ballymacorcoran. Great win for laochra óg. Thanks to Follán for sponsoring the u10 hurlers.

Thanks to all the parents and guardians for their support.

28th June

Last Wednesday evening saw our U15 Camogie girls play their first home match in Ballymacorcoran in the fantastic new pitch taking on Rockban. A special thanks to the hard working club field committee whom have worked tirelessly to ensure our club players have a place to call home. Thanks to Healy's SPAR our team sponsors and to all the supporters on the night. The first of many matches to be played. Laochra Óg Abu.

2nd July

A historic Day for Laochra Og adult hurling team playing our first game at home against Ballincollig yesterday evening. Laochra Og has enjoyed a lot of underage success since its formation but underage success doesn't always transition into adult teams. Laochra Ogs greatest challenge when it comes to adult hurling/Camogie is fielding teams and encouraging more men and women of our catchment area to play with the talent already there from underage.

Last evening was all about the lads that took to the

field putting in a huge performance representing their families, local parishes and LaochraOg. Game was a close one throughout with LaochraOg going in 1-07 to 6 points at the break with the benefit of a strong breeze. Second half Ballincollig came back into the game with only a couple of points separating the sides for much of the half. In the end LaochraOg won on a scoreline of 1-11 to Ballincollig 11 points. Thanks to our Sponsors Deasy Pharmacy whom have supported our adult hurlers from the very beginning.

3rd July

U12 Camogie team played Kilbrittain/Timoleague at Colaiste Ghobnatan this evening. It was a game of two halves for Laochra Og with the Laochra Og girls taking a while to get into the pace of the game. Second half the girls were a different team combining very well and unfortunate not to get more scores. Well done to our Captain this evening Caroline leading the team in this game and to the rest of the girls. Another good learning experience for all.



Laochra Óg Adult Hurlers v Ballincollig 2nd July 2024



Laochra Óg U15 Camogie v Rockban 28th June 2024



Laochra Óg U6 and U7 Camogie Blitz Cloughdub 25th June 2024



Laochra Óg U8 Camogie Blitz Rockbán 24th June 2024



U10 Hurlers v Kilmichael Ballymacorcoran 28th June 2024



Laochra Óg U12 Camogie v Kilbrittain and Timoleague 3rd July 2024 03



COACHFORD SOCCER

Coachford AFC have had an amazing season. As the curtain fell on the 2023/2024 soccer season the Mid-Cork club can bask in the glory of winning 4 trophies across their age groups. Their Schoolboys section which draws players from all around the Lee Valley including Carrigadrohid, Dripsey, Farran, Aghabullogue, Ovens, Bealnamorrive, Rylane, Rusheen and Coachford won league titles in U13 and U14 age groups and were runners up in the U12 league.

The Premier team won the AOH and Mossie Linnane Cups and were selected as the Cork AUL team of the Season and their striker, Cialan O'Sullivan was crowned Cork AUL Player of the Season and the team's manager, Donla Moynihan picked up the Manager of the Season. This is the second year in a row that the Coachford Club has won the AOH and Mossie Linnane Cup Double. The Coachford B team were unlucky not to win the President's Cup Final but went down to fellow Mid Cork side, Strand Utd after a penalty shoot-out.

Club Chairman, Michael Murphy said, " Look, there is no doubt that we have had another successful season, probably one of our best ever in our 55 year history. We have been very successful on and off the pitch. The work that is being done by all the coaches and committee in our underage section of the club is paying off and their success is great to witness. While it was our U3s and U14s who brought home the trophies this season the other club teams saw some real progress and came very close to winning trophies as well. But I think it is really important to say that our club is about participation, it's about



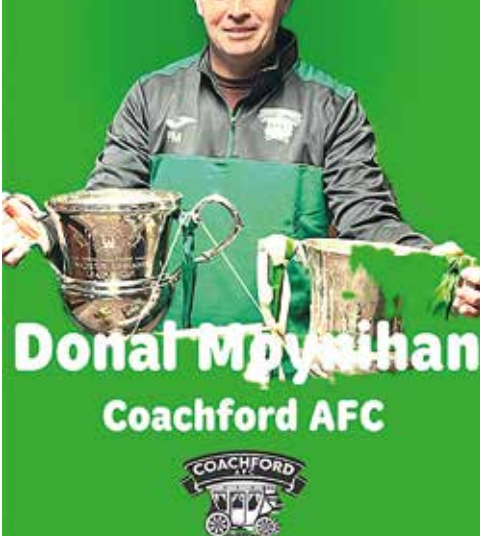
Coachford AFC Premier team who were selected as the Cork AUL , Team of the Season

giving all players an opportunity to play soccer. Of course we love to see the boys and girls celebrating league and cup titles but we much prefer to see them enjoying training and playing the games week in and week out with their friends. This season also saw our first ever U10 girls team and we are looking forward to seeing this group progress through the age groups in the seasons to come. To continue our success we do however need coaches for all our age groups and we need not only parents to get involved but also older brothers and sisters to become coaches to the young teams in the club. We have an amazing season

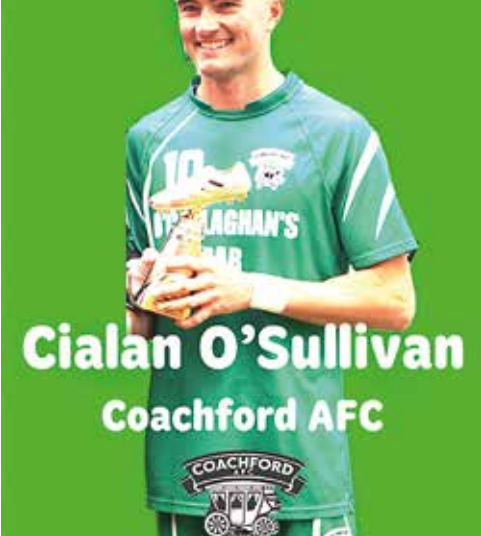
off the pitch as well. Over the last few months we have carried out extensive works on our dressing rooms and thanks to the wonderful and expert guidance of Noel Cakerrkey and Cafferkey Construction we have installed a new roof and put in new showers and upgraded the kitchen facilities. We are also forging ahead with plans to install an all weather training and playing facility at our grounds at the Glebe to make sure we have the necessary building blocks in place for a growing number of children who want to play soccer and to guard against climate change over the coming years."



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A Word of Victory

"For God watches how people live; He sees everything they do. No darkness is thick enough to hide the wicked from His eyes" (Job 34:23).


Welcome back dear student one of the translations of the Name of God in the Bible is EL ROI – the God Who sees (Genesis 16:13). As young children we were often told 'Holy God is watching you'. Often it was enough shock and awe to turn the child back in the fear of the Lord. Sadly, it was mis-used by some parents and leaders who, having no fear of God themselves, didn't live righteously and hurt others by their actions. Their hypocrisy turned many from believing in God, for people, especially children, recognise the authentic. God does see everything though! "The Lord is watching everywhere, keeping His eye on both the evil and the good" (Proverbs 15:3). As we studied recently, God examines the heart while human nature focuses only on the outward appearance. A funny decorative sign often seen in homes says... 'Remember - as far as anyone thinks, we are a nice normal family – you better keep it that way!' Folks may be behaving one way in private but project a different persona in public. God is interested in our character becoming like His, 'from Glory to Glory' (2 Corinthians 3:18). What is God's character like? Truthful; Holy - Righteous and Just; Faithful; Ever-Loving (Kind, Merciful, Patient, Gentle); Wise; Humble and Unchanging. How do we become like Him? By living His Word.

Obedience is not a popular word, but it is the requirement that Jesus said shows we love Him – "If you love Me, you will obey My commandments" (John 14:15; John 15:10). We can talk all we want, but where the rubber hits the road is in our behaviour - which displays our character. "For the Lord sees clearly what man does, examining every path he takes (Proverbs 5:21). Where is character developed? In private. What we do in private will define who we are in public – for good or bad. There is discipline needed in developing character. But the flesh wants to bypass character formation, craving pleasure instead. "For I know that nothing good lives in me, that is, in my flesh; for I have the desire to do what is good, but I cannot carry it out" (Romans 7:18). Paul bared his soul here - telling how he tried to do what is right at various times, but his flesh failed him. All looked lost as he cries out – "oh what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death? Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord" (Romans 7:24-25). Confessing and believing in Jesus as Christ - his personal Messiah, is what delivered Paul, and it's the same for you and me (Romans 10:9-10). We need the Saviour because we can never make ourselves acceptable to God without the shed Blood of His Son Jesus. Knowing Jesus, rather than knowing about Him, is the key: for when we truly know Him, we love Him and want to please Him, and to be with Him.

The discipline we learn in obedience to the Word of God shapes us to live like Jesus. Then we become vessels of God's Holy Spirit Power that He can use to bring His Life, His Peace, and His Joy everywhere we go. We live the same way in public as we do in private, with nothing to hide - radiating the Love of God in all we do (1 Corinthians 10:31; Colossians 3:23-25). Sinful flesh no longer has a hold over us, so we can bring Glory to God in all we do and say. Freedom!

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Ó Murchú's, Kilnamartyra, (C. Kelleher).



Coachford Family Festival 2023

THE MIRACLE PRAYER



Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked many favours. This time I ask you this special one, (mention favour).
Take it dear heart of Jesus and place it within your heart where your father sees it.
Then in his merciful eyes it will become your favour, not mine. Amen.

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

x

24TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of our dear brother

HUGH KELLEHER

**Late of Bealick, Macroom & Letterkenny
Whose anniversary occurs on 21st July**

*A loving nature
A heart of gold
These are the memories
we will always hold.*



Sadly missed by his loving brothers & sisters, sister in law, brother in law, Nieces and Nephews.

42nd ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

HELEN MOSS

**Late of Crookstown Co. Cork
Who died on 11th July 1982.**

*Those we love dont go away,
They walk beside us everyday.
Unseen, unheard, always near,
Still loved, still missed and very dear.*



Always missed and remembered by Mam, Noreen, David, John, Denis, Gerard and their families.

3rd ANNIVERSARY



Treasured Memories of our dear MUM and na

SHEILA HURLEY (NEE O' LEARY)

Shandangan, Carrigadrohid, Co Cork, Who died 16th July 2021. RIP.

*A bouquet of beautiful memories,
Sprayed with a million tears,
Wishing God could have spared you,
If just for a few more years.
It does not take a special day,
For us to think of you,
Each Mass we hear, each prayer we say,
Is offered up for you.
We cannot bring the old days back,
When we were all together,
The family chain is broken now,
But memories live forever.
It was a sudden parting,
Too bitter to forget,
Our loss is great, we'll not complain,
But trust in God we will meet again..*



Always remembered by Jerry, John, daughter in law Margaret and her grandchildren Mary and Joseph.

12TH ANNIVERSARIES



In loving memory of

JOAN BUCKLEY

Died on 22nd June 2012

Sleaveen East, Macroom

*So many things have happened
we wanted to share.
So many times we needed you and wished
you were there.
Your smile lit up brighter than the sun,
You were strong and gentle
both witty and fun.
Although we smile and make no fuss,
no one misses you more than us.*



Always remembered by their loving family



In loving memory of

MICHAEL BUCKLEY

Died on 18th March 2012

*Memories are special
They don't fade away,
We think of you often,
Especially today.*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN HEAVEN



In loving memory of

PATRICK O'REGAN

**Happy Heavenly Birthday
which occurs on the 15th July 2024**

*As time unfolds another year
Memories keep you very near
No need for words except to say
You are loved and thought of everyday.*



Always cherished, always loved,
Michael, Gobnait and Owen
XXX

14TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

JOAN RING

**Dooneens, Rylane
Who died on July 10th 2010**

*Loving and kind in all her ways
Upright and just to the end of her days
Sincere and true, in her heart and mind
Beautiful memories, she left behind.*



Always remembered by her husband Tim, sons Peter & Con, daughter Noreen, son in law Kieran, daughter in law Blathnaid, grandchildren Zara, Stephen, Sienna, Lauren, Chloe and Pia.

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FIRST ANNIVERSARY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



In loving memory of
SÉAN (JOHN) HEALY
Kilmore, Ballingearry, Co. Cork
Died 15th July, 2023

As we lovingly remember Séan on his first anniversary, we, his wife Teresa, daughters Mary, Eleanora and Bernadette, his sons-in-law and his grandchildren wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to everyone for all the kindness and support we received at the time of his passing. We wish, in particular, to thank our relations, neighbours and friends who provided the greatest comfort at this time.

Thanks to all who attended the funeral, sent Mass Cards, letters of sympathy and online messages of condolence. Your thoughtfulness was really appreciated.

Thanks to Fr. Anthony O' Mahony for the beautiful funeral Mass and his support during this time. Thanks to Bishop Emeritus Buckley, Fr. Nyhan, Fr. Cotter and Fr. Stevenson for concelebrating the funeral Mass with us. Thanks to Norma Galvin and accompanist for the beautiful music and singing. Thanks to the sacristan, Nora Cremin.

Thanks to Cyril Casey and the staff of Casey's Funeral Directors for their personable and professional manner at this sad time. Thanks to Marie and the staff in Gúgán Barra.

A special thanks to Dr. Harte for the years of care he gave and to the medical and caring staff in Bantry General Hospital who made Séan's final days as comfortable and as peaceful as possible.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, please accept this acknowledgement as a token of our appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.



Lovingly remembered by his wife, Teresa, his daughters, Mary, Eleanora and Bernadette, his sons-in-law, Michael, Finbarr and Tomás, his grandchildren, Donagh and Aoihbhinn, his sister-in-law, nieces, nephews and relatives.

Beidh an chéad Aifreann comórath ar an Domhnach, an ceathrú lá déag de Mí Iúil ag a 10 i séipéal mBéal Atha'n Ghaorthaidh.

Suaimhneas síoraí tabhair dó a Thiarna

FIRST ANNIVERSARY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



In loving memory of
PAT KELLEHER
Shanakiel, Macroom, Co. Cork
who died on 22nd July 2023

As we fondly remember Pat on his first anniversary, his wife Liz and family wish to express our sincerest gratitude and thanks to all who sympathised with us on our sad bereavement.

A special thanks to all our friends and neighbours who gave tremendous support at our home and funeral service. We got great comfort from hearing your fond memories of Pat and great consolation in the thoughtfulness and kindness displayed throughout this difficult year.

We wish to acknowledge those who attended his funeral service. We truly appreciated your presence and the many expressions of sympathy, mass cards, condolences, letters of sympathy and floral tributes.

Sincere thanks to the priests of the parish, Fr. Pat Scanlon and Fr. Francis Manning for concelebrating his funeral mass in such a meaningful way and to Angela Ryan for her beautiful music during the ceremony. Heartfelt thanks to the Fitz-Gerald family and all the staff at Fitz-Gerald's Funeral Directors for their support and professionalism.

As it is impossible to thank everyone individually, please accept this acknowledgement as an expression of our sincere gratitude. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.



*We think of things you used to say,
and all that you would do.
At some point, every single day,
our thoughts will turn to you.
No matter how life changes,
no matter what we do,
A special place within our hearts
is always kept for you.*

Pat's first anniversary mass will be celebrated at St. Colman's Church, Macroom at 11:30am on Sunday the 28th of July.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



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In loving memory of
KATHLEEN O'MAHONY
(CAITLÍN NÍ MHATHÚNA,
NÉE CRONIN)
on her first anniversary and her beloved husband

DÓNAL Ó MATHÚNA (DONIE)
on his month's mind.

Well House, New Street, Macroom

The family (Máirín, Cian, Tadhg, Liam, Nollaig, Aingeal and Edel) would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our relatives, neighbours, friends and all who sympathised with us on the very sad loss of our Mam and Dad. We wish to thank all those who attended the funerals, sent mass cards and letters, left condolences, phoned or texted.

To Kathleen and Dónal's wonderful carers who helped make their final journeys more comfortable we extend our deepest appreciation.

We are also very grateful to Father Joe O'Mahony, Monsignor James O'Donnell, Father Donal Roberts and Father Paddy Hickey who celebrated their requiem masses. Thank you to the choir, organist Mary McSweeney, Brendan O'Brien and Joe Creedon for their beautiful music and singing.

We would also like to thank Martin Fitzgerald and his staff for their professionalism and guidance over the funeral days. As it is impossible to thank everyone individually, please accept this acknowledgement as an expression of our deepest gratitude.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.



Ar dheis Dé go raibh a n-anamacha dílse

FIRST ANNIVERSARY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



In loving memory of
FRANK LYNCH
Tarelton, Macroom, Co. Cork
Who Died on 22nd July 2023

As we lovingly remember Frank on his First Anniversary his brother Kevin, together with his family would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our relatives' friends and kind neighbours who sympathized with us on our sad loss. We thank all those who attended the funeral, sent mass cards and left Online condolences.

We extend our deep appreciation to the Doctors and Nurses/Staff of the CUH. A Special thanks to Fr. Pat O'Donovan who celebrated Franks Mass, sacristan Kathleen, Garda & Traffic Control, we thank you.

Our sincere thanks to Fitzgeralds Funeral Directors for their kindness and guidance during that time.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, please accept this acknowledgement as a token of our appreciation.



Franks First Anniversary Mass will take place in Toames Church on Sunday 28th July at 10am

Lovingly remembers by Kevin, Judy, Sister-in-law Maura, Nephew & Nieces

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6TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

PATRICK SPILLANE

Rahalisk, Ballinagree
Who died on 13th July 2018

*Those we love don't go away,
they walk beside us every day,
unseen, unheard but always near,
still loved, still missed and very dear.*

*For those who will think of Patrick today,
a little prayer to Jesus say.*



Always missed, your loving grandson
Patrick and Noreen

50TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

JOHN O'HALLORAN

Clonteadmore, Coachford, Co.Cork
who died on July 19th 1974.

*Memories are special,
they don't fade away.
Think of you often,
especially today.*



Always remembered by your loving
daughter Sheila.

Rest in Eternal Peace Dad.

14TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

JERRY MURRAY

St. Colman's Park, Macroom &
Clohina, Kilnamartyra
Who died on 26th July 2010

*Those we love don't go away,
They walk beside us every day,
Unseen, unheard, but always near,
Still loved, still missed and very dear*



Missed by your loving children, Sinéad,
Geraldine, Concubhar, Tomás & Siobhán.

We also remember our late sister, Julia

2ND ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

DIARMUID MCCARTHY

Shannacloon, Ballymakeera
Co. Cork (McCarthy Fruit & Veg,
Square, Macroom)
Whose Anniversary occurs 9th July

*Every day in some small way
Memories of you come our way.
Loved and remembered every day.*



Forever in our hearts
Sadly missed by his wife Breda, sons
Jonathan, Diarmuid (Joey), Jason,
daughters in law Grace, Anna and Ka, his
8 adored grandchildren and extended
McCarthy and Cullinane Families.

Diarmuid's Anniversary Mass is on
Saturday 10th August at 6pm in St
Gobnait's Church, Ballyvourney.

20TH ANNIVERSARY



Treasured memories of

MARY FINNEGAN

Knockavullig, Carrigadrohid
Co Cork, whose Anniversary occurs
on 17th July

*Two tired eyes are sleeping
Two willing hands are still
The one who worked for us so hard
Is resting at Gods will*



Always remembered by
Thomas, Eleanor, Dylan, Rebecca
and Clodagh

6TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of a dear grandfather
and great grandfather

PATRICK SPILLANE

whose anniversary occurs on
13th of July

*Granda we cried when you passed away
we still cry today though
we loved you dearly
we couldn't make you stay
a golden heart stopped beating hard
working hands at rest
God broke my heart to prove to us
he only takes the best.*



Love and miss you every day
Miriam, Donnacha, Scott, Liam and
Shaun x x x

2ND ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

NÓRA TWOMEY

Renanirree, Macroom
Who passed away on the 17th of
July 2022

*Our hearts are full of memories
With pride we speak your name
Though life goes on without you,
It will never be the same
We miss your smile, your joking ways
We miss the things you used to say
And when old times we do recall
It's then we miss you most of all.*



Lovingly remembered and sadly missed
by her husband Donnadh, Siobhán,
Denis, Richard, Mairéad and their families
x x

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam dílis

5th ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

JOAN O'CALLAGHAN

8 Model Village, Dripsey, Co.Cork
who died on the 4th July 2019

*Along the road of suffering
You found a little lane,
That took you up to heaven
And ended all your pain.
You may be out of sight
We may be worlds apart,
But you are always in our prayers
And forever in our hearts.*



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FIRST ANNIVERSARY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



In loving memory of
MICHÉAL WALSH
Glebe Lodge, Coachford, Co. Cork.
Who died on 7th July 2023

On Michael's first anniversary his family would like to thank all the relatives, neighbour and friends. Who offered support on his sad passing.

We wish to extend our deep appreciation to the staff of Marymount, our local doctors and chemist.

We would also like to thank Cyril Casey and the staff of Casey's funeral Directors, and Fr. Peadar, and to the members of Cloughdub Hurling Club.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone. Please accept this acknowledgement of our sincere gratitude.



RIP Michéal

PRAYER TO ST. ANTHONY



Oh gentle and loving St. Anthony in whose arms the infant Jesus love to linger, one word from you and my prayer will be answered oh speak that word and the gratitude of my heart will be yours.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



In loving memory of
JOE O'SULLIVAN
Nettleville, Carrigadrohid Co Cork.
Who died on 22nd July 2023

On Joe's first anniversary his family would like to thank the following people first of all during his illness.

Donal Twomey Phoenix Clinic Macroom. Dr John O'Riordan and staff at Sullane Family Practice.

Dr Michael Henry and his team and staff of ward 5b CUH.

The public health nurses and physiotherapist of the Macroom Primary Care Team.

Staff of Railway View Pharmacy and Matt Murphys Pharmacy.

We want to thank Martin Fitzgerald and staff at Fitzgerald Funeral Home for such guidance and professionalism during the week after Joes passing.

We thank those who attended Joes removal and funeral and online, sent mass cards and of course Stephen Kelly that delivered them.

Also those that left online condolences this was very much appreciated.

Our thanks to Canon Bernard Donovan RIP who celebrated Joes mass, sacristan Nuala Crowley.

Martina Moynihan for the beautiful music. To Rooves Bridge Harrier Club for organising the guard of honour and those that helped with parking etc sincere thanks.

Thanks to Kitty and staff at the Auld triangle for looking after us.

Many thanks to our relatives who helped out during a difficult time both O Sullivan and Cronin families home and abroad.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually please accept this acknowledgement of our sincere appreciation.



Rest in peace Joe

3rd ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of
JEREMIAH (JEROME) HEALY
Gurrane, Carriganima, Macroom who died on the 14 July 2021

"There's A Special Place our My Hearts for Him"

*"There's a special kind of feeling
When we think about you, Dad
It's a pleasure to remember
All the happy times we've had,
There's a special kind of caring
That is meant for you alone
There's a place somewhere
within our hearts
that only you can own.
Missing you always Dad."*



Love always Bride, Dermot, Michael, Julie, Declan. Brendan and our families
May you rest in peace Dad xxxx

3RD ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of
MICHAEL DINEEN
Donoughmore/Toons Bridge/
Inniscarra
who died on the 16th July 2021.

*No matter how life changes
No matter what we do
A special place within our hearts
Is always kept for you.*



Fondly remembered by Emma, Edel, Joanne, Tim and siblings Mary, Donal, Margaret and Tim, as well as extended families.

5th ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of
SHEILA O'RIORDAN (NEE HOURIHAN)
Summerstown, Wilton, Cork
who died on 8th July 2019
R.I.P.

As we lovingly remember Sheila on her fifth Anniversary, her husband Dan and family would like to thank you most sincerely for your thoughts and prayers during the year and at this special time.

*No matter how life changes,
No matter what we do,
I will never forget the special years,
The ones I spent with you.*

*I have a book of memories,
It's not upon a shelf,
It's deep within my heart,
And I keep it to myself.*

*I turn the key quite often
And I think of happy days,
I miss you so, so very much,
In many, many ways.*

*But those we love don't go away,
They walk beside us every day,
Someday, I hope to meet you again,
Someday, I know not when.*

*To clasp your hand in a better land,
And chat with you again*



Sadly missed by Dan and all her family.
Sheila was a precious gift to us, never more than a thought away and loved and remembered every day.

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2ND ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

BETTY MOONEY

Woodhill House, Coachford who died on the 20th of July 2022.

We Hold you Close

*We hold you close within our hearts,
And there you shall remain.
To walk with us throughout our lives
Until we meet again.*

*So rest in peace dear loved one,
And thanks for all you've done.
We pray that God has given you
The crown you've truly won.*



Sadly missed and always remembered with love by Peter, John, Mossie, Jack Healy, niece Mary Francis Creedon & grandson Artjom.

20th ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

CATHLEEN KELLEHER

Kilvoultra and Codrum Macroom Who died 8th July 2004

*May God support us all the day long
Until the shadows lengthen
and evening comes,
And the busy world is hushed
And the fever of life is over.
Then, in His mercy, may He give us
A safe lodging, a holy rest
And peace at last.*

Cardinal J.H. Newman



Always remembered by your family

9th ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

JOAN O'LEARY

Toonsbridge, Kilbarry, Macroom, Co. Cork Who died on 18th July 2015

*No matter how life changes,
No matter what we do,
A special place within our hearts
Is always kept for you*



Lovingly remembered by her husband James, Pamela, James Martin, Billy, Kanya and her grandchildren

Rest in Peace

17TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

CONNIE O'CONNELL

Bawnmore, Macroom Who died on 17th July 2007 RIP

*We who loved you sadly miss you
As it dawns another year.
In our lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of you are always near.
You're not forgotten, father dear
Nor ever shall you be.
As long as life and memory last
We shall remember thee.*



Fondly remembered by his loving family.

Anniversary Mass in St. Coleman's Church, Macroom, Sunday July 21st at 11.30am.

9TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

CHRISTINE LEHANE

Slieveraagh, Ballyvourney, Co. Cork. who died on 12th July 2015

*You Live in our hearts
And walk by our side,
From heaven above
You are always our guide.
Deep are the memories
Precious they'll stay
No passing of time,
Will take them away.*



Sadly missed and never forgotten by your daughter Helen, Son-in- Law Joe, and grandchildren Paul, Christine and Adrian.

2nd ANNIVERSARY



Treasured and precious memories

JUDY CROWLEY (NEE O'CALLAGHAN)

Hill house Dunmanway and late of Raleigh Macroom who died on 12th July 2022.

*A smile for all, a heart of gold,
One of the best this world could hold.
Never selfish, always kind,
Beautiful memories left behind.*



Deeply loved and sadly missed by your loving husband Donal, sons Cathal and Ian, daughters Niamh and Deirdre and all the family.

50th ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

PADDY LUCEY

Knockeenacutting, Macroom, Co. Cork Who died on the 12th of July 1974

*Good was his heart in friendship sound,
Loved and respected by all around,
A beautiful life came to an end,
He died as he lived everyone's friend.*

*O Compassionate Lord Jesus,
Grant him eternal rest.*



Lovingly remembered by Tim, Sheila, Monica @ Blaitthin.

6TH ANNIVERSARY



In loving memory of

JOHNNY MURPHY

Mall, Inchigeela Who died on July 24th 2018

*We who loved you sadly miss you,
As it dawns another year.
In our lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of you are always near.
You are not forgotten, father dear
Nor ever shall you be.
As long as life and memory last,
We shall remember thee.*



Sadly missed and always remembered by his loving family.

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 14th July @11.30 in Inchigeela church.

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THE MIRACLE PRAYER



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

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