

Warning to people visiting local cemeteries.

A car window was smashed and a handbag stolen from a car at the cemetery in Kiltegan last Wednesday evening. People are asked to stay vigilant and not to leave any valuables in their car while visiting cemeteries.



Many thanks to all who supported the game of 25 last Friday, it was a great success. I would also like to thank everyone who

donated raffle prizes and for all other generous donations for my youth pilgrimage to Lourdes - Alex Balfe.



Tour to Westport

Staying in The Castlecourt Hotel
July 29th - August 2nd.



The Annual **3 night** pilgrimage trip to Knock
Sunday 21st July

If you are interested in either of the above trips, please contact Duffy's Coach Hire
059 6471681 or 087 2543235



KATIE LOWE'S

For all your celebrations & social occasions.
Please phone Andrea 083 4437907



TALK OF THE TOWN :

Call 086 3452672 for all functions & parties.



Baltinglass Credit Union

The Credit Union is running a 2nd level and 3rd level *student bursary*. The competition runs until the 9th of August. Members can fill out a form in any of our 6 offices. The announcement of winners will take place on *August 12th* in Baltinglass Credit Union.

This is the link on our website where members can download the form for both 2nd level and 3rd level applications. <https://www.baltinglasscu.ie/Downloads> The *3rd level prize is €750* & the *2nd level prize is €250*. Baltinglass Credit Union is the main office and the sub offices are Dunlavin, Castledermot, Hacketstown, Knockananna & Tinahely.

Kiltegan National School, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow requires the following school-term personnel:

1. **Part-time School Secretary** (9 hours per week - flexible) General secretarial duties including office procedure, communications and minor finance. Previous experience in school setting desirable but not essential. Knowledge of GDPR essential. Email applications marked 'School Secretary' addressed to the Chairperson and include a letter of application, CV, details of qualifications and references by 10am on Monday 15th of July 2019 to:
kilteganapplications@gmail.com
2. **General Cleaner** (90 mins per school day) Email applications marked 'School Cleaner' addressed to the Chairperson and include a letter of application, CV and references by 10am on Monday 15th of July 2019 to:
kilteganapplications@gmail.com

FOCUS KILTEGAN



14th July 2019

Open Meetings and Core Group

Two open meetings of interested parishioners have now taken place, one in the Phoenix Centre and one in St Tegan's Hall, Kiltegan. A third meeting (open to all) is planned for 8 pm on **Tuesday 30th July** in the Phoenix Centre, Rathvilly. There have been very useful sharings of ideas for the invigoration of our parish and of the faith of our people. We have identified many challenges and sought to understand and confront them. Like other parishes we are aware of the huge changes in our society and of the effects of a more secular atmosphere in our country.

The meetings were valuable because they provided opportunities for sharing and listening. We know that together we can do much. With the aging profile of the clergy of the whole diocese (and few younger priests), lay people are becoming more conscious of the need to become more involved in taking responsibility for the life and faith of the parishes. We have identified some actions which we propose as we move forward. In accordance with diocesan policy, we have given some thought to the formation of a **'Parish Core Group'** of parishioners who would take a focused interest in assisting the progress of the parish. We feel that this is an immediate priority for our parish and we would like to start such a Group in September 2019. It is envisaged that such a group would involve four of five lay persons who would be trained and briefed on the workings of the parish and who would work closely with the diocese on all parish related matters.

I invite expressions of interest from persons interested in joining the core group or recommendations of persons you might consider suitable. If you feel you may be interested or can identify someone who might be invited to join, please send in your name or the names of suitable people to the parish office.



Tynock & Talbotstown

Fr. Pat O'Brien - (059) 6473211

Masses in the Oratory Tues, Wed & Thurs @ 9:30am Next Week

Saturday July 13th @ 6:00pm Talbotstown
Reader: Breedh Murphy
Eucharistic Minister: David Carton
Collector: Brian Murphy

Sunday July 14th @ 9:30am in **Tynock Anniversary Mass for Mary Doyle, Portrition (3rd Anniversary)**,
Reader: Mary Kelly, Kilmac.
Eucharistic Minister: Mary Byrne
Collector: Nigel Byrne

Saturday July 20th @ 6:00pm Tynock
Reader: Nigel Byrne
Eucharistic Minister: Tom Brady
Collector: Nigel Byrne

Sunday July 21st @ 9:30am in Talbotstown
Anniversary Mass for Betty Furling, Talbotstown (7th Anniversary)
Reader: Mary Kelly, Feddan.
Eucharistic Minister: Aine McCarthy
Collector: Tom Cremin

St. Peter's Parish (059) 6473368

1st Sunday - Morning Prayer @ 12 Noon
2nd Sunday - Holy Communion @ 12 Noon
3rd Sunday - Morning Prayer @ 12 Noon
4th Sunday - Holy Communion @ 12 Noon
5th Sunday - United Service for Group in Alternate Churches @ 11am

Talbotstown & Tynock Church Collections.

July 5th & 6th - Offertory: €31.75
Envelope: €252.



Congratulations

Johnny & Edwina Keogh on the birth of their new baby son "Bobby".

Contact us @ The Focus Kiltegan



<https://www.facebook.com/TheFocusKiltegan>



e-mail: focuskiltegan@hotmail.com



(059) 6473330

Ads can also be dropped into the post box @ The Community Employment Office in Kiltegan. To place an ad costs €2.00. All notices must be received before 3pm on Wednesday for inclusion that week.



KILTEGAN G.A.A

Our Senior Football team were beaten by A.G.B. in their first game in the County Senior Football Championship in Aughrim on Sunday. The final score AGB 3 -19 Kiltegan 3-9. We scored the first point from the start of the game and that was short lived when AGB scored a goal with their first attack and from there on took control of the game and were heading at half time 1-9 to 0-5. They scored 1-1 early in the second half but our lads fought back with a couple of goals to have only 4 points in the game but they finished the game strongly when we were down to 13 players as two players were red carded. Our scores came from Seanie Furlong 2-5, Pdraig O'Toole 1-1, Rory Finn 2 points & Anthony Furlong 1 point. Next up in the Championship is Hollywood on the 20th of July in Baltinglass.

Our Senior Hurlers were beaten by Eirog Greystones in the County Senior Hurling Championship played in Arklow on Tuesday evening on a score line of 2-15 to 0-13 after been level at half time 0-5 each. They went up a gear in the second half and closed out the game. Next up for the team is a meeting with St. Patrick's, Wicklow Town in Aughrim on Sunday at 2pm in the same championship.

Our club wish to convey their sympathy to Tony Kelly, Feddan on the death of his sister Frances Cullen, Hill View, Hacketstown and to Frances's husband Peter, sons Robert & Damien, sister Cecelia, grandchildren, sister & brothers in law, relatives and friends. May she rest in peace.

“Only 1 Week to go” Jake Carter Live in Concert on July 20th 2019 in aid of KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE DEVELOPMENT FUND.

We also have four local girls performing on the night Amy Barrett, Katie Phelan, Paige Fox & Rachel Coyne and a disco afterwards. Also fully licensed bar & barbeque on site. Promises to be a great night. We need all members of Kiltegan GAA, Kiltegan Camogie and our communities to come along and support this fundraiser. If anyone is interested in travelling by bus please contact organisers on number below by Thursday 11th July. If there is enough interest we will organise a bus. Tickets for event €25 available via Kiltegan GAA & Camogie facebook page or contact Damien Byrne (087) 6792761 or Paula Boland (086) 6861271.



3-11-15-26

No Winner

3 matched 3 - €70 each

Edel Kelly (Seller: Madeline Foley) .
May Hayes (Seller: Michael Farrell).
Catherine & Kevin Staunton
(Seller: Catherine Staunton).

Next week's Draw takes place on
Monday 15th of July in Junior's.

JACKPOT €6,200

THE HUB

Opening Times: Mon, Tues, Wed & Sat 9am—12:30pm
Thursday & Friday 9am—2:30pm



Next week's freshly made lunch specials.

Caprese Avacado & Chicken Salad
or
Quiche with salad & garlic bread

Our normal menu is also available daily including local organic poached eggs, freshly made sandwiches, toasted sandwiches & locally supplied beautifully baked cakes.

THE HUB €5 BREAKFAST
Every Saturday

Get 2 rashers, 2 sausages, egg, beans, tomato and toast.
All for a fiver!!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED The Hub, Kiltegan.
The Hub are looking for secondary students to volunteer & gain work experience some time over the summer months. All are welcome. Contact Conor on 087 9048095 to find out more.

RATHDANGAN NEWS

The Village Pantry

Open 7 days a week from 9.30am—1pm



The Village Pantry which opens daily from 9.30am to 1pm serving yummy homebakes, toasted sandwiches, Lavazza coffees, herbal teas etc. Lots of local crafts available to purchase for that unique gift.

Our daily Super Valu Baltinglass delivery service is also up and running if you want to place an order for next morning delivery ring Angela on 087-6440751 or Tess 087-6173879.



St. Peter's Parish, Kiltegan
Farm & Country Produce Auction
will take place on
Saturday, 3rd August 2019 @ 2.00 pm
in the Parish Centre beside the

church. There will be lots of farm produce and home bakes on sale on the day, alongside the annual auction. There will also be a raffle with great money prizes.



WHAT'S GOING ON:



West Wicklow
Community
Employment

Current Vacancies

Club Assistant (x1)– Kiltegan.
Ref #CES 2106830

Community Care Assistant of the Older
Person (Baltinglass) Ref #CES 2111008

If interested in either of these
positions please contact
Paula Boland or Alec McCall
(087) 4497731



The annual sponsored
walk for the Day Care
Centre will take place
on Sunday 28th of July. A great event
for all the family. Sponsorship cards
available from committee members &
the reception in Baltinglass Hospital.

Your continued support is so much
appreciated.



St. Patrick's
Missionary Society
Kiltegan Family Day
2019
Sunday 14th of July

Open-air Mass at 12 noon followed
by a picnic, mission displays, shop,
sports, face painting, quizzes,
music, chat & afternoon tea!
Bring your family and friends.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Gardening Classes

Learn about creating
gardens for wildlife and
biodiversity. Also includes
a practical session on pollinator
friendly hanging baskets and
containers. Starting Friday July 12,
from 10am to 12 in The Core. To
book a place phone 087 6292436.



JAKE
CARTER and his LIVE band
SATURDAY 20th July 2019

OUTDOOR
BBQ

St. Laurences GAA
Narraghmore. R14 CX28
TICKETS €25 Juveniles €15
Doors Open 7:30pm
Fully Licensed Bar

All Proceeds in Aid Of Kiltegan
GAA & Camogie Development
Fund

U16s must be accompanied by
an adult.

