



Baltinglass Further Education and Training Centre  
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Have you thought about returning to education? Come and talk to us.

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Learn in a relaxed environment where each person is catered for. Gain confidence and qualifications for the workplace.

Have fun, learn and meet new people. Enjoy chat and good company.

Our classes are free, part-time, flexible and fun. Mornings, afternoons and evenings.

Classes Autumn 2019 in Baltinglass Further Education and Training Centre:

Computers/IT – Beginners and Advanced.

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Maths for Everyday Needs.

Gardening.

Art for All.

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Classes for Parents.

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CV Preparation and Interview Skills.

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## TALK OF THE TOWN



Call 086 3452672 for all functions & parties.

*Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Island*  
on Sunday 8th of September 2019.

Departing Baltinglass at 2:40pm, Kiltegan 3pm, Hacketstown 3.20pm, Rathvilly 3:40pm & Tullow 4pm.

*Pilgrimage to Knock*  
on Sunday 29th of September 2019.

*Tour to Killarney*  
Monday 16th - Friday 20th September 2019.  
Staying at the *Gleneagle Hotel*.

Anyone interested in any of the above trips, please contact Duffys on 059-6471681 or 087-2543235



After the success and fun of last year's event, The Hub are hosting a Picnic on the Green on Saturday August 31st from 5 - 7pm. You can bring your own picnic or treat yourself to something from The Hub stall.

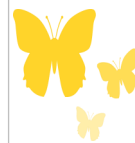
Donations of sandwiches or cakes are greatly appreciated.

There will be a raffle on the day with cash and voucher prizes, lines can be bought in The Hub.

# FOCUS KILTEGAN



25th August 2019



## Remembering Peter 'Coney' Byrne

A weekend of remembrance for Peter 'Coney' Byrne will take place in Rathdangan on the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> of September.

Peter was tragically killed in a farm accident in April this year and his loss is still deeply felt by the communities of Rathdangan and Kiltegan. Rathdangan Community Council is organising two events to remember Peter.

The Lap of Coney run/walk/crawl will take place on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> at 5pm. Registration closes at 4.30 and the event starts at 5pm sharp. The route will circle the townland of Ballymaconey where Peter lived. There will be 5km, 8km and 10km options.

On Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> of September a tractor run will take place in Rathdangan starting at 2pm. Registration will be open from 11am to 1.30pm. The route will be a longer loop around Ballymaconey. All drivers must be licensed and insured. This will be followed by an auction and live music outside Junior's Bar that evening.

## BABY LOSS REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

Will be held in Tynock Church on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 7 pm. Bishop Denis Nulty will attend. If anyone would like to have a patch included on our remembrance quilt, you can leave it in Tynock or Talbotstown Church or drop it into Fr. Pat's house. If anyone needs a piece of material for a patch or requires further information please contact Mary at 086-2261264. A choir practice in preparation for this service will be held in Tynock church on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> of August at 8.00 p.m. If you can sing a note or play an instrument feel free to join us.

## Tynock & Talbotstown

Fr. Pat O'Brien – (059) 6473211

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

Saturday August 24th @ 6:00pm Talbotstown  
Reader: Siobhan Doyle  
Eucharistic Minister: David Carton  
Collector: Brian Murphy

Sunday August 25th @ 9:30am in Tynock  
Reader: Jack Phelan  
Eucharistic Minister: Mary Byrne  
Collector: Paul O'Toole

Saturday August 31st @ 6:00pm Tynock  
**Anniversary Mass for the following:**  
- **Trish Bowes (8th Anniversary)**  
- **James Bowes (19th Anniversary)**  
- **Pat (Paddy) Bowes (1st Anniversary) & all the deceased members of the Bowes Family.**  
- **Patrick Grant.**  
- **Joe Lindsay & all the Lindsay Family.**

Reader: Mary Kelly, Kilmac.  
Eucharistic Minister: Paul O'Toole  
Collector: Paul O'Toole

Sunday September 1st @ 9:30am in Talbotstown  
Reader: Joe O'Brien  
Eucharistic Minister: Ben Lennon  
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.**  
August 17th & 18th - Offertory: €111.45  
Envelope: €247.60

Contact us @ The Focus Kiltegan

<https://www.facebook.com/TheFocusKiltegan> e-mail: [focuskiltegan@hotmail.com](mailto: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 Junior Football Team were beaten by Bray Emmett's in their second game in the County Junior Football Championship in Kiltegan on Thursday evening. The final score Kiltegan 0-8, Bray Emmett's 3-6. We were losing at half time 0-1 to 1-5 but we should have been ahead by at least 3-8 as we had missed so many chances in the first half. We paid the penalty in the end as the final score suggests. Our scorers were Andy Foley & Joey Maher 2 points each. Points from Darren Hobson, Stephen Coogan & T.J. Kenny.

Our Senior Football Team were also beaten in the Senior Football Championship by Tinahely. The final score Kiltegan 2-7 Tinahely 4-9. The age old saying "goals win matches" and this was the case in Aughrim on Saturday evening as we made many errors in the back line that gave Tinahely goal chances. We were behind at half time 3-5 to 2-2. The changes at half time still could not turn the game in our favour and Tinahely ran out easy winners. Scores came from Seanie Furlong 1-5, Derek Daly 1-0, Pdraig O'Toole & Anthony Furlong a point each. We play Rathnew in the next match of this competition in Arklow on Saturday evening at 6:30pm.

**KILTEGAN CAMOGIE:** Our Intermediate Camogie Team were beaten by a one point margin by Annacurra in the County Intermediate Camogie Championship in Annacurra on Tuesday evening on a score line of Kiltegan 1-3 Annacurra 1-4. Their next game in this group is on the 3rd of September when we play Ballinacor in Ballinacor in a must win game.

### Looking Back 25 Years

**1994** - Monday 15th of August Kiltegan Senior Hurling Team played Naas in a Challenge Match in Ballymore. Sunday 21st of August County Senior Hurling Championship Semi-Final. Kiltegan v Glenealy in Aughrim. Final Score Kiltegan 1-12 Glenealy 0-6.

#### The Team

Terry Kelly		
Tom Cremin	Tom Byrne	Laurence Byrne
Michael O'Toole	Ciaran O'Keefe	Peter Byrne (R.I.P.)
Christy O'Toole	Ned Cremin	
John Harmon	Nigel Byrne	Andy Coleman

Subs: Mick Brown, Michael Cullen, Lorcan Byrne, Michael "Flash" Byrne & Peter Byrne

Scorers: John Keogh 0-5, John O'Toole 1-1, Andy Coleman & Sean Byrne 2 points each, Christy O'Toole & John Harmon 1 point each.

Half time Kiltegan 0-6 Glenealy 0-3. We were in the County Final for the second year running.



03-16-18-28

#### NO WINNER

1 matched 3 - €200  
Fiona O'Callaghan  
(Seller: Colm Doyle)

Next week's Draw takes place on Monday 26th of August in Juniors.

**JACKPOT €7,400**

### THE HUB

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



Next week's freshly made lunch specials.

**Lasagne with Garlic Bread & Salad  
or  
Chicken Skewers with  
Roasted Vegetables**

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!!

### 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.



#### BALTINGLASS LIBRARY

IS DELIGHTED TO THANK EVERY CHILD WHO TOOK PART IN OUR SUMMER STARS READING CHALLENGE



A CERTIFICATE AND MEDAL WILL BE AWARDED TO EACH CHILD THAT TOOK PART ON SATURDAY 31<sup>st</sup> OF AUGUST AT 3P.M.



WE WOULD BE DELIGHTED IF YOU COULD JOIN US FOR THE CELEBRATION.

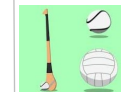
### WHAT'S GOING ON:



**West Wicklow  
Community  
Employment**

#### Current Vacancies

Club Assistant (x1)  
Kiltegan.  
Ref: CES 2119302



**Duties include:** Coaching the skills of football/hurling & camogie in our local schools and also club coaching. Club Administration duties will also be part of the position. The right candidate must have: A genuine interest in sport, interest in undertaking essential training associated with the position courses & computer skills.

*Community Care Assistant of the  
Older Person (Baltinglass)*  
Ref: CES 2119304

**Duties Include:** Assist with client care e.g. showering, toileting, feeding. Accompany client to different departments/areas. Assist with social & recreational activities/outings. Assist with the cleaning of the Daycare Department, dispose of waste, replace soap dispenser, toilet rolls, setting & cleaning of tables, load/unloading dishwasher. Any other tasks that may be required.

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

#### Baltinglass Credit Union



We're here to help, with a friendly & professional service & competitive interest rates.

#### Opening Hours:

Mon - Thurs 9:30am - 4:30pm.  
Friday: 9:30am - 8pm.  
Saturday: 10am - 1pm.  
(sub offices are: Dunlavin, Castledermot, Hacketstown, Knockananna & Tinahely).