#### ST TEGAN'S HALL



Set Dancing will be on Tuesday the 8th of October 2019 from 8:30-10:30 in St Tegans Hall.

**Ciorcal Cainte:** The next date for Ciorcal Cainte is Monday the 14th of October @ 11:00am in St. Tegans Hall.



#### AVAILABLE SERVICES



Available: Experienced, reliable childminder available in the Kiltegan area. Non-smoker. Contact: Alison- 086 895 9592



## **POWER SWEEPS**

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#### **TALK OF THE TOWN**

Call 086 3452672 for all functions & parties.

# WANTED

Cleaner required— 3-4 hours. 1 day per week (Any day that suits) Kiltegan Village, Main Street Light Housework/ Some Laundry Please Call or Text: Aisling @ 086 0235663



## FOR RENT/FOR HIRE



2 Bed Cottage available to rent, New Kiltegan. Contact: 087 2701551 or 059 64 73282

9 inch Wood Chipper available for hire with operator. Contact Paddy: 087 289 2047





## 'Sean Murphy Butchers' Hacketstown

085-1132259 Avail of Our Christmas Savings Club TODAY. €5 & €10 Saving Stamps Available.

Deep Freeze Service Available. We Slaughter, Cut Up, Bag & Label your Beef, Lamb, Pork or Bacon ready for your Freezer.

Call Sean for prices. - Gift Vouchers Always Available.

- Shop Local - 'You Support Us & We Will Support You'

Note: Here at the Focus, Kiltegan, we only run ads/notices that are sent into us directly, we do not publish anything unless it has been sent in by somebody who wants an ad/notice printed that week. If there is anything you want to be printed in our local newsletter you can contact us at the WWCE Office, The Green, Kiltegan. Alternatively you can phone us on (059) 6473330 or email us at focuskiltegan@hotmail.com. Please note there is a small fee of €2 to place an ad and all ads must be in by 3pm on Wednesday for inclusion that week. Many thanks.

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.

# FOCUS KILTEGAN



6th October 2019



Kiltegan Camogie host their Annual 6km/10km Run/Walk through the grounds and surrounds of Humewood Castle on Sunday the 6th of October.

Always a great morning. 10km Road Race 6km Family Walk/Run

Adults €10, Family €25, Primary Students FREE. Secondary Students €5. Registration from 9:30am in St. Peters Parish Centre, Kiltegan





Congratulations to Baby Constantin Michael McMahon son of Michael & Louisa McMahon, Colbinstown, Kiltegan, who was baptised recently.

Notice that West Wicklow Community Employment CLG AGM will be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in the West Wicklow Community Hub Kiltegan @ 8pm



The next meeting of the Baltinglass Day Care Committee will take place on wed 9th October at 8.30pm. it will be held in at the center and all are welcome.

Please Note: The Focus will be going to print early next week (W/E 13th October). We will be going to print Wednesday 9th. All notices must be in by Wednesday morning 9th October for inclusion.

#### Tynock & Talbotstown

Fr. Pat O Brien - (059) 6473211

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

Saturday October 5th @ 6:00pm in Talbotstown

#### Months Mind Mass for the following: Jimmy Mallin

Reader: Breedh Murphy Eucharistic Minister: David Carton Collector: Brian Murphy

Sunday October 6th @ 9:30am in Tynock

Reader: Jack Phelan Eucharistic Minister: Paul O'Toole Collector: Paul O'Toole

Saturday October 12th @ 6:00pm in Tynock Reader: Paula Boland Eucharistic Minister: Danny Byrne Collector: Nigel byrne

Sunday October 13th @ 9:30am in Talbotstown Reader: Mary Kelly, Feddan 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

Cards are now available for 4 week Parish Draw to defrav costs of Church Renovations from Mary at 0862261264 or call in to Mary or Josie in the Sacristy for anyone wishing to be a promoter. First draw 29th October.





The results from Tidy Towns 2019 was released on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September with Kiltegan gaining an additional 11 points on our 2018 entry, gaining points in each category. Every point gained on Tidy Towns means someone in your community is working to achieve them. We have made great strides over the last number of years - 270 pts in 2014 to 312 points in 2019.

The committee has between 3-4 active members who are working hard to improve your village. Imagine if there was 3-4 more people to help out – or even help out the odd time? We will be holding a review of 2019 and a plan for next year shortly – watch this space?

	Max Mark	Mark 2018	Mark 2019
Community- Your Planning & Involvement	60	40	42
Streetscape & Public Places	60	40	41
GreenSpaces & Landscaping	60	39	40
Nature & Biodiversity in your locality	50	21	23
Sustainability- Doing more with less	50	15	16
Tidiness & Litter Control	90	66	68
Residential Streets & Housing Areas	50	37	38
Approach Roads, Streets & Lanes	50	43	44
TOTAL MARK	470	301	312



## KILTEGAN G.A.A NOTES CAN



Our Senior Football team play Hollywood in the Keating Trophy Relegation Final in Baltinglass on Saturday evening at 6pm. This is the most important match of the year with the losers playing Intermediate Football in 2020, so it is important we win. We were back Intermediate in 1990 for one year and have held Senior status ever since. We wish all our players the best of luck on Saturday and ask our supporters to come and support the team.





Our club wish Michael Dwyer's under 17 Hurlers the best of luck in their County Under 17 Final against Carnew in Aughrim at 1:30pm on Sunday. We also wish the under 16 Camogie team the best of luck in their Under 16 Camogie Final in Baltinglass on Sunday at 4:30pm.

Our club held their Annual Golf Classic in Baltinglass Golf Club on Saturday last. 21 teams took part with Pat O'Toole's team from Manor Kilbride winning the main prize. Lambert's team second & Ned Cremin's team third. The non GUI winners were Seanie Furlongs team, second The Talk of The Town Team & third Nigel Birmingham's team. Nearest the pin winner- Paul Davis. Longest drive- Patrick Brown.





The main sponsor was John & David Halligan Rathvilly Funeral Directors. John Halligan & his wife Pauline were on hand to present the prizes in Katie Lowes on Saturday night to the winners. Thanks to our organising committee Siobhan Dovle, John Scally Byrne, Michael Flash Byrne and Mick Brown, Thanks to all who helped in anyway and a big thanks to all who sponsored tee boxes and prizes. A great day was had by all.

Well done to one of our club referees Garreth Whelan, Rathdangan, who refereed his first County Senior Football Semi-Final in Aughrim on Sunday. Both teams were level at half time, full time, after extra time and after penalties.



#### THE HUB

**Opening Times:** 

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



#### Next week's freshly made lunch specials.

Check out our facebook page for this weeks specials!

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.



## 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.



Creative Writing Workshops O'Toole Hall Rathdangan

Develop your creative writing skills -Open to all writing abilities

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Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:30am-12:30pm Enquiries: Phone John (087) 9484938

(Booking Nessasary as places are limited)

## WHAT'S GOING ON:



Social Dance in Kiltegan Hall on Friday the 25th of October 2019

Music by The Wicklow Man

## Admission: €8.00 (Supper Included)

Raffle on the night in aid of "Tinkerbell" Preschool Ltd

'Know Your Plants' Brand new Gardening class starting in Baltinglass Further Education and Training Centre. Fridays 10am to 1pm. Starting Friday, October 11th. Fun, Flexible & Free. QQI accreditation at Level 3

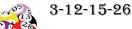
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Mon - Thurs 9:30am - 4:30pm. Friday: 9:30am - 8pm. Saturday: 10am - 4pm. (sub offices are: Dunlavin, Castledermot. Hacketstown. Knockananna & Tinahely).

# Kiltegan GAA Lotto



# **NO WINNER**

4 match 3s €50each Ursula Donegan (seller Tom Cremin) Grace Murphy (seller Madeline Foley) Matt Cullen (seller Jimmy Farrell) Lynsey Walsh (seller Juann Lennon) Next week's Draw takes place on Monday 7th of October in Juniors JACKPOT €8800