



### 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: 9:30am - 1pm.

(sub offices are: Dunlavin, Castledermot, Hackettstown, Knockananna & Tinahely).

Baltinglass Credit Union (BCU) are trying to bust those myths going around! Did you know you can join the Credit Union & apply for a loan all on the same day?

Now you can!

Before you might have heard that you need to be saving 12 weeks before applying or you can only borrow 3 times the amount in your savings. Not the case, your loan is assessed on your ability to repay! So come join Baltinglass CU and see the many benefits of becoming a part of our community. Check out our website on [baltinglasscu.ie](http://baltinglasscu.ie) or call us on 059 64 81071. T&C's & Normal lending criteria apply. (To join BCU you need to work or live within our Common Bond area)



### SUDOKU

How to play:



1. Number can appear only once on each row.
2. Number can appear only once on each column.
3. Number can appear only once on each region.

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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.



### POWER SWEEPS & STOVE INSTALLATION/REPAIRS

Power Sweeping from your fire place, stove or cooker.

Professional Chimney Sweeps with the latest equipment. No Mess No Fuss. Clean & efficient. Stoves also fitted / repaired by a trained Hetas fitter. Cowels & crow guards also fitted.

To book your sweep or get a quote just ring:

**Dave** 083 392 7695

or

**Will** 083 125 5548

## Kids Corner

### Candy Store



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CHOCOLATE  
GUM DROP  
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JELLY BEAN  
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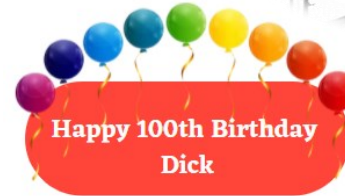
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# FOCUS KILTEGAN



30th May 2021



The Kiltegan community would like to wish Dick Stapleton a very Happy 100th Birthday on June 2nd. You are an inspiration to us all Dick and we hope you have a lovely day.



Wishing Maria Rafferty a very Happy 19th Birthday and Billy Jones a very Happy 70th birthday.



Best Wishes to all our young people sitting exams in the coming weeks.

Remember it will all be ok and you can only do your best!



### RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH LOTTO

(Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto Draw)

Results for 26th May, 2021

4 - 15 - 16 - 22.

No Jackpot winner.

17 Match 3s get €59.00 each. Three local winners: Nora Coates (Promoter Nora Coates) Ann Doyle (Promoter Breda Reilly) Thomas Cunningham (Promoter Sinead Kehoe) The draw takes place each Wednesday at 4 p.m. in the Parish Centre, Portlaoise. On Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June the Jackpot is €17,000. Tickets €2 each.

Tickets available:

\*After Mass in the three Churches\*

\*Parish Office - 059 9161114\*

\*Rathvilly Post Office\*

\*MACE, Rathvilly\*

We need more promoters to sell tickets each week. If you can help, please contact the Parish Office 059 9161114 - Mon-Fri 10 am - 1 pm.

Please support the Lotto.





In preparation for Kiltegan's Pride Of Place entry, drone footage of Kiltegan Village will be taken on the following dates:



A video submission will be created and we want it to be fully inclusive of all groups in Kiltegan. If you are a member of a group and would like to be included or have any suggestions, please contact one of the following people : Paula Boland (086) 6861271, Teresa Nolan ((086) 3733196 or Rev Robert (085) 2573139 or email secretary.kiltegan.wicklow@gaa.ie



**All-Weather Pitch & Walkway**

The walkway is available to our community at all times.

Full Pitch 60m x 40m  
Half Pitch 30m x 20m  
**OFF PEAK Times**  
Mon-Fri 9am - 3pm  
Full Pitch €50  
1/2 Pitch €30  
**PEAK Times**  
Full Pitch €90  
1/2 Pitch €50

The All-Weather Pitch must be booked via the online booking system and is available to all for booking. You can book at this link <https://app.bookapitch.com/venues/801>

(We are running a special discount for the month of May : use the booking code MAY20 as the discount code when booking. )

**DRIVE IN BINGO**



Kiltegan GAA & Camogie are holding a

"Drive-in Bingo" on Sunday June 6th and Sunday June 20th at 2:00pm.

**€3,500 in prizes to be won**

Prices:

\*Single Book €10,

\*Double Book €15,

\*Jackpot Sheets €3 each or 2 for €5

**There will be a "Children Only" round of bingo and there will be a free child's only round sheet given with adult entry.**



Wicklow Tagline



Our deepest sympathy to the Carroll family Knocklishen on the death of Mrs Gretta(Margaret) Carroll. To Mairead Foley & family on the death of her mother Mrs. Mary Bolger, Rathvilly and to all the Bolger family. To The Byrne family on the death of Tom Byrne late of Spynans & Hacketstown. Tom did a lot of great work here in Kiltegan on the community employment scheme. To Martin Coleman & family on the death of his brother Liam Coleman. May they all rest in peace.

**Ar dheis Dé go raibh a n-anamacha**

**Kiltegan Tidy Towns**

Kiltegan Tidy Towns have played a major part of life in our area for many years. The Tidy Towns committee was formed in 1966. It's first chairperson was Fr. Charlie Smith from St. Patrick's College, Kiltegan—a Cavan man, Vice Chairperson was Hugh Rafferty, Treasurers: Peter Kenny & Dick Harmon. Secretary was Mrs Nuala Darcy (PO). They had budget of £404.08 raised through dance, raffle & voluntary contributions. They were awarded 94 marks out of a possible 150 marks that year—they made steady progress over the next years: 1967 (99 marks), 1968 (103 marks), 1969 (108 marks), 1970 (122 marks), 1971 (132 marks), 1971 (132 marks) where Kiltegan received the Board Fáilte Prize for the best village effort. 1972 (138 marks) when Kiltegan took 1st Place in the Eastern Region and then in 1973, the overall National Award with 140 points and the title of Ireland's Tidiest Town winning a Commemorative Plaque and £1,000 as well as Wells, Fleetwood & Nilfisk Awards. This was an entire community effort—there were so many incredible volunteers who are not mentioned above—they all brought great enthusiasm and did so much great work for our Kiltegan village & community. (More in next week's focus on 1973)



Kiltegan Tidy Towns is still today trying to work for the betterment of our village and is run by a few volunteers.

This coming Wednesday evening 2nd June the present committee are looking for help as we try to keep our village looking well for us all. Spare an hour—all ages welcome.

**Wednesday 2nd June @7:30pm**  
Meet on the Green, bring a rake or hoe and Let's Work Together For Kiltegan Village.



2-8-11-20

**NO WINNER**

7 match 3's €30 each

- James Byrne (seller Pat Ivory)
- Paddy Goggins (seller Danny Byrne Yearly Lotto)
- Elisha Foley (seller Talk of the Town)
- Michael Nolan (seller Online)
- B Slater (seller O'Rielly's Baltinglass)
- I&I Wybrant (seller Margaret Kavanagh)
- Jimmy Murray (seller Veronica Dunne)

Next week's draw takes place on Monday 31st May  
**JACKPOT €16,800**



West Wicklow Community Employment Scheme  
**Current Vacancies**

**\*\*\*ENVIRONMENTAL WORKER\*\*\***  
(Baltinglass) Ref: #CES-2167443

**\*\*\*ENVIRONMENTAL WORKER\*\*\***  
(Kiltegan, 2 Positions Available)  
Ref: #CES-2167814

**\*\*\*CARETAKER \*\*\***  
(Baltinglass) Ref: #CES-2168853

**\*\*\*OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR\*\*\***  
(Baltinglass) Ref: CES-2167816

**\*\*\*SPORTS GROUND WORKER\*\*\***  
(Baltinglass) Ref: CES-2170937

**\*\*\*TEA ROOM ASSISTANT \*\*\***  
(Baltinglass, 2 positions Available)  
Ref: CES-2170957

**\*\*\*PARISH OFFICE ASSISTANT\*\*\***  
(Baltinglass) Ref: CES-2181000

**\*\*\*OFFICE ASSISTANT (DESKTOP PUBLISHING)\*\*\***  
(Kiltegan) Ref:CES-2180998

**For further information on any of the above positions please contact:**  
**Alec McCall (087) 449 7731**  
**Paula Boland (087) 140 4508**