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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 baltingasscu.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)



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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.



For further details contact : (087) 2543235 or (059) 6471681

VACANCY : COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SUPERVISOR WEST WICKLOW COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT CLG. The Green, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow Job Share Post (20 hours per week excluding lunch breaks)

A vacancy exists for the post of CE Supervisor in West Wicklow Community Employment CLG, The Green, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow. This is a job share post for 20 hours per week. You will be based between the Kiltegan & Baltinglass offices of WWCE. The areas covered by the project are Knockananna, Rathdangan, High Park, Kiltegan & Baltinglass.

The post and project is funded by the Department of Employment Affairs & Social Protection.

Further details and job description can be found at : https://jobsireland.ie/en-US/iob-Details?id=2193830 Shortlisting will apply. Applications (CV and Cover Letter) to westwicklowce@outlook.com or by post to The Board Members. West Wicklow Community Employment CLG, The Green, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow.

Closing date for receipt of applications is 29th September 2021.

FOCUS KILTEGAN



19th September 2021

DRAMA MEETING:



The Kiltegan Drama Group are holding a meeting in St. Tegan's Hall, Kiltegan on Thursday night (16th September) at 8:00pm. Anyone interested in joining are very welcome to come along.

The Lalor Centre will be hosting a

charity Autumn Equinox Walk on Saturday the 18th of September. Starting point is The Lalor Centre at 3pm. There will be a Wishing Tree situated in the grounds of the centre. For a desired donation of €5 you can purchase a ribbon to place on the wishing tree. All donations will go directly to the Lalor Centre to furnish an

outside space which will be developed. We would be delighted if as many people as possible would join us on the day to celebrate the Autumn equinox.

CAR BOOT SALE:

The next Car Boot Sale at St. SALE Peter's Parish Centre will take place on Saturday September 18th from 9am to 2pm. Come along and see what treasures you can find! The Hub Café will also be open on the day. All Welcome!



ART CLASSES: Art Classes for children from 5+ years. Venue: Lower Talbotstown, Kiltegan. All materials will be provided in class. For Booking please phone Monika on 086 457 5846. Class Fee: €12

Childminder required:



Monday- Friday from 8-4. Must be able to do pre school & school drop off & collections. Kiltegan/ Baltinglass. Contact 085 7324596

Tynock & Talbotstown Fr. Pat O Brien - (059) 6473211

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

Saturday September 18th @ 6:00pm in Tynock Reader: Paula Boland

Sunday September 19th @ 9:30am in Talbotstown Reader: Siobhan Doyle

Saturday September 25th @6:00pm in Talbotstown Anniversaries: Sean & Peg Farrell, Englishtown

Reader: Breedh Murphy

Sunday September 26th @ 9:30am in Tynock Reader: Muireann Gartland

> To book anniversaries for: Tynock - Mary 086 2261264. Talbotstown - Josie 059 6473971.

Talbotstown & Tynock Church Collections: Offertory: €32.30 Envelopes: €74.50





Tynock: Saturday October 2nd at 11.30 am.

CONFIRMATIONS:



Congratulations to the children from Talbotstown and Tynock schools who are being confirmed this weekend.

Congratulations also to the children from Rathmore and Rathvilly schools who were confirmed last weekend



KILTEGAN GAA NOTES:

Our Junior Football team had a great win over Avoca in the Semi-Final of the Macrana-Feirme Cup Division 5 competition at Annacurra on Thursday night.

Final Score: Kiltegan 2-18, Avoca 1-10. The winning of this game was never in doubt as we were winning from the get go with Anthony Furlong taking control of this game scoring 2 goals and 8 points, others to score were Shane Lennon and Lar Murphy 4 points each and Kieran Harmon and Darren Hobson one point each.

We play St. Patrick's, Wicklow Town in the Final of this competition on Wednesday night 22nd in Avondale at 7:30pm. We wish them the best of luck. Our Junior Hurlers beat Eire-Og, Greystones by a huge score in the Semi-Final of the County Junior C Hurling Championship at Ballinakill on Wednesdav night.

Final Score: Kiltegan 5-16, Eire-Og 0-8. Our great run in this Championship continues as we are in the final of this Championship when we play Aughrim in Aughrim on Saturday at 1:00pm. Managers Adrian Keogh and Nigel Nolan have done great work with this team and are confident

they can bring back the Cup to Kiltegan on Saturday provided the team can perform the way they played on Wednesday night when the result was never in doubt. Our scores came from: Dean Davis 2-2. Andv Folev 1-1. Joev Maher 1-2. Liam Kavanagh 7points, Paul Boland 1-0, Denis Hayes

1-0, Lar Murphy 2 points & Anthony Furlong + Sean O'Neill 1 point each. We wish them the best of luck in the Final. Our Senior Football team take on Donard/Glen in the first round of the Senior Football Championship on Sunday 26th at 3pm in Baltinglass.



Our Annual Golf Classic in Baltinglass Golf Club takes place this weekend with a large number of teams taking part. Some teams are playing on Friday & Saturday with the bulk of teams playing on Sunday. The

presentation of prizes to the winning teams takes place in the Talk of the Town at 8:30pm on Sunday

night. Our main sponsor is Halligan Funeral Directors, Rathvilly with many businesses in the area sponsoring tee boxes, the club are most grateful for their support. Also, big thanks to the Golf Committee for organising the event which goes towards our development.

Irish Dancing: Irish Dancing Classes organised by Ann Marie O' Farrell School of Dancing starts back in St. Tegan's Hall, Kiltegan on Tuesday 21st Sept from 4:15pm - 5:15pm. Girls and boys aged 4-14 years welcome. For further information please contact: Ann-Marie- 086 841 7039.



KILTEGAN CAMOGIE:

Our Under 14 Camogie team made it 3 wins out of 3 when they defeated Arklow in the Under 14 County Camogie Championship on Monday evening.

Our Senior Camogie team play County Champions, Knockananna in Knockananna on Saturday morning in the first game in this years Championship, throw in at 11:00am. While our Junior Team play Knockananna in the Junior Championship in Kiltegan at 1:00pm. We wish both teams the very best of luck.

LOOKING BACK TO 1993:

Sunday 18th Sept '93– County Junior Hurling Championship Semi-Final V Glenealy in Aughrim. Final Score: Kiltegan 2-3, Glenealy 6-7.

Half-time score: Kiltegan 2-2, Glenealy 4-4.

Team: Noel O'Toole, Sean Brady, Padraig Byrne, Martin Nolan, Declan Byrne, John Boland, Kieran Clancy, Ollie Murphy, Benny Doyle, Ken Goggin, Jeffrey Bermingham, Niall Harmon, Keith Furlong, Pat Judy Keogh & Richard Nolan. Subs: Allen Carthy, Michael Clare, Gavin Wynne & Brendan Flemming. Scorers: Jeffrey Bermingham 1-1, Pat Judy Keogh 1-0, Ollie Murphy & Keith Furlong 1 point each.

Our Senior Football team played Tinahely in the County Senior Football League in Tinahey at 11:30am and won 1-11 to 1-10.



The Hub Committee wish to thank all the people who attended their fund raiser "Picnic on the Green" on Sunday.

Unfortunately we had to move to St. Peter's Hall due to the weather. The committee thank Reverend Jones and St. Peter's Parish for the use of their hall at such short notice. We thank all the singers and musicians for a great evening's

entertainment, it was wonderful to hear live music again. Thanks also to Kieran Fitzgerald for providing the PA system and to the people who brought their dogs for the

dog show and to Declan for judging. A huge thank you to everyone that helped in any way to make the evening so enjoyable.



The Hub is now back open for business. As the guidelines are changing often it will be trial and error until we get used to things.

As its indoor dining for those vaccinated at Community Shop and Cafe the moment, we will be checking paper or

digital vaccination cards, your cooperation and patience will be greatly appreciated, we also welcome those not vaccinated for outdoor dining.

Our opening days for the moment are:

Tuesday 9-2

Friday 9-2

Saturday 9-2. (last orders are 1.30pm each day)



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Next week's draw takes place on Monday 20th of September in Kiltegan Hall

JACKPOT €19.800

PARISH LOTTO (Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto Draw)

Results 15th September 2021 20 - 27 - 30 - 31

No Jackpot winner.

5 Match 3s get €200.00 each. One Local winner Brigid Reillypromoter Trish Leanord

Draw takes place each Weds at 4p.m. in the Parish Centre, Portlaoise. The next draw takes place on Wednesday, 22nd Sept Jackpot—€20,000. Tickets €2 each.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For almost 18 months we have not had an Offertory Collection. We thank all the people who put notes and coins into the Box at the back of the Church. We now wish to introduce our normal Offertory Collection in order to bring up our Parish Funding. People may still leave notes and coins into the box at the back of the Church. We also thank everyone who leaves their weekly envelope in the boxes provided.

