



Kiltegan Village wins IPB Pride Of Place Award

#community

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It was a fantastic night for Kiltegan village on Monday evening last 16th May 2022 in The Gleneagle INEC in Killarney with Kiltegan winning an IPB Pride of Place award. The award was accepted with honour on behalf of our Kiltegan community by Paula Boland and Teresa Nolan as well as representatives from Wicklow County Council. Kiltegan village was selected as one of the top five entrants out of eight-six across both Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland, with the installation of our All-weather pitch and walkway being the catalyst for our village nomination by Wicklow County Council.

The judging panel were presented last October with our story on our Kiltegan community and how we are trying to all work together to sustain our rural future. This is an extract from the judges on why Kiltegan won the award "The award identifies a unified rural community with a project and a dream. This little village is developing fantastic future plans for the entire area and when a community gets behind a project dreams really do come true". Thank you to each and every person who supports our Kiltegan community.

celebrate



Plans are been put in place by Kiltegan Community Network and Kiltegan Tidy Towns to hold a community celebration in the very near future in conjunction with Wicklow County Council. More details next week....



L to R : Shay Cullen,(Cathaoirleach), Paula Boland, Teresa Nolan, Michael Nicholson (Director LCDC) , Caroline Fox (Liasion Officer)

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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.



The Irish summer and BBQs come hand-in-hand, with the smell of burnt sausage and burgers filling the summer air.

But did you know there are rules when it comes to hosting a barbecue?

The same applies to guests – that is, if you'd like to be invited back!

For the hosts:

1. Inform your neighbours of the upcoming event – or, better still, invite them!
2. Find out if any of your guests are vegetarian. If they are, make sure you have plenty of salads, and perhaps dips such as hummus.
3. If the weather is disappointing, don't force your guests to tough it out in a cold, windswept garden. Always make contingency plans to move indoors - if necessary use the grill to cook your barbecue food.
4. Make sure that everything is prepared before the guests arrive. You should have arranged the seating, serving table, cutlery and so on.
5. Make sure that the barbecue is lit and ready before guests arrive. We all know who is responsible for this one ☺
6. Make sure that all your guests are comfortable and have a drink in hand before you start barbecuing!
7. *Don't make an exhibition of the cooking. Comedy aprons, chef's hats and swaggering machismo as the meat hits the grill are obtrusive and self-centred. Your guests have come to eat and socialise, and should not feel coerced into applauding a one-man show.*



For the guests:

1. **ALWAYS** bring a bottle. Also ask if you can bring anything else – a salad or desert perhaps.
2. **Be helpful.** Offer to help if your host looks overwhelmed by flaming grills, sizzling chops and clouds of smoke.



Coffee Break answers from last week
3 eggs left
666+66 +6+6 +6= 750
What am I? Soap

FOCUS KILTEGAN



22nd May 2022

Congratulations



LUCY'S RUN

Sunday 29th May at
Talbotstown National School.
Reg from 10.00am.



Adults: €10. Children: €2. Family: €20.
Walk/ Run 4k/7k
Starting at 11.30am
Everyone welcome.

Car Boot Sale

St. Peter's Parish Centre
resuming on Saturday 21st May
9.00am—2.00pm.

They will be held on the third Saturday of the month from then on.
Come along for a chat and see what bargains you can find!

Car Boot Sale



If you would like to try your hand at selling the cost is €10 per car.

All welcome.

Tynock & Talbotstown

Fr. Pat O'Brien –
(059) 6473211

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

No mass in the oratory this week
Saturday 21st May @ 6.00pm Talbotstown
Anniversary: Charlie Lawlor (24th) Feddan, Jim Harmon (22nd)
Reader: Mary Kelly, Feddan
Sunday 22nd May @ 9.30am Tynock
Mass for Josie Murphy (Owens), Essex
Reader: Nigel Byrne

Saturday 28th May @ 6.00pm Tynock
Reader: Lucilla Brophy
Sunday 29th May @ 9.30am Talbotstown
Anniversary: Patrick Murphy (8th)
Reader: Joe O'Brien
ROSARY in Tynock church every Wednesday at 7.00 pm

To book anniversaries for:

Tynock - Mary 086 2261264.

Talbotstown - Josie 059 6473971.

Talbotstown & Tynock

Church Collection
Offertory: €55.50
Envelopes: €385.00



Sincere Sympathy to the family of Josie Murphy (Owens), Barraderry, Kiltegan, who passed away in England on Saturday 14th May and whose burial will take place in England.
Ar dheis De go raibh a anam
Sincere Sympathy to Mary and Liam Bowes and family and to Noel Kelly and family on the tragic and sudden passing of Leon Kelly.
May he rest in peace.



KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE NEWS



Our Junior football team got their Junior Football League Division 5 West off to a winning start when they defeated Donard the Glen in Kiltegan on Thursday evening. The final score Kiltegan 1-15 Donard/Glen 2-6. Loosing at half time by 3 pts 2-3 to 0-6 we put in a much better performance in the second half and out scored our opponents. Over all this was an excellent game of football with both sides putting in a huge performance. Our scores came from Mick Foley 1-2, Brian Cullen 0-4, Mark Pierce 0-3, Mark Ryan 0-2, Brian Carroll, Jamie Daly, Colm O'Connor, and Eoin Byrne 1 point each.

FIXTURES: Tuesday 24th May senior Hurling League - Kiltegan v Carnew @ 7.30pm
 Wednesday 25th May Junior Hurling League - Kiltegan v Eire Og Greystones @ 8.00pm
 Thursday 26th May Junior Football League Division 5 West - Kiltegan v Vallymount @ 7.30pm
 Friday 27th May Senior Hurling League - Kiltegan v St. Pats

Our Junior camogie team had another great win in the County camogie League in Kiltegan on Sunday, beating Knockananna on a score line of Kiltegan 9-3 Knockananna 0-5. Another great performance by all the girls especially Leah Furlong who scored 7-02. Paula Boland in goals kept a clean sheet then moved to full forward for the last 15 minutes where she scored 1-1, Amber House got the other point. This team is unbeaten so far in the league. Their match on Tuesday evening against Carnew did not take place as Carnew could not field a team. Keep up the good work girls.



Congratulations and well done to Wicklow Junior Camogie team and our own Sophie Bermingham, Moya Cremin and Faye Corrigan on winning the Leinster Junior camogie final on Sunday defeating Louth in Aghrim. We wish them the best of luck in the All Ireland series.

Well done also to Wicklow blue team on winning the semi final of the Celtic Challenge cup in Abbottstown on Saturday beating Antrim on a score line of 5-16 to 1-8. James Boland 1-3, Jack O'Toole 0-2 were on the team and they play Laois in the final on June 4th. Wicklow Gold team were also winners in their competition and they play Kildare in the final. Well done to all involved.



congratulations

Congratulations from the GAA & Camogie club to Kiltegan Village on winning IPB pride of Place award. Paula Boland and Theresa Nolan represented our little village and community in Killarney on Monday evening.



A fantastic achievement and testament to our community.

The future of Kiltegan village looks very bright.



NO winner €10,400 Jackpot
4 match 3's receive €50 each

Trish Harmon - Seller Talk of the Town
 Nigel Byrne - Seller Nigel Byrne
 Laurence & Eileen - Seller Madeline Foley
 Damien Daly - Seller Online
 Next week's draw takes place on

Monday 23rd May in Kiltegan Hall @ 8.00pm
Jackpot €10,600

PARISH LOTTO

(Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto Draw)

No winner €15,000 Jackpot

8 match 3's €125 each - No local winners

Draw takes place each Wednesday at 4p.m. in the Parish Centre, Portlaoise.
 The next draw takes place on Wednesday, 25th May
 Tickets €2 each.



Congratulations

to the boys and girls from Talbotstown NS who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday. We hope you enjoyed your day.



Happy 80th Birthday

TOM BRADY Tynock who celebrated his birthday on Wednesday 18th May.

Also birthday wishes to Siobhan Doyle and Kieran Whyte who celebrated birthdays recently.



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DUFFY'S COACH HIRE



Day trip to Bloom Thursday 2nd June

Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Sunday 5th June

Tour of Killarney 17th July staying in the Gleneagle Hotel.

For further details on any of these trips contact Duffy's Coach Hire on

087-2543235 or 059-6471681