

## WEST WICKLOW COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT

#### **Current Opportunities**

Environmental Worker (Knockananna Tidy Town)
Ref:# CES-2261802
Environmental Worker (Kiltegan Tidy Towns)
Ref:#CES-2269253
Day Care Catering Worker (Baltinglass Hospital)
Ref:#CES-2263606
Caretaker (Baltinglass Parish)
Ref:#Ces-2264808
Environmental Worker (St. Mary's Baltinglass)

Ref:#CES-2267203

Excellent opportunities available in all of these positions, for training & development whilst on the CE scheme. To check your eligibility/apply for any of these positions please attend the INTRO Office in Baltinglass (beside Borza) and provide the job application number above.

For further information on any of the above positions please contact:

Paula Boland (087) 140 4508. Olivia Cooney (087) 449 7731

## REMINDER Clocks spring forward an hour this weekend.



#### **EASTER CHEESECAKE**

#### Ingredients

vegetable oil, for the tin 200g digestive biscuits 80g butter melted 250g chocolate mini eggs or leftover Easter eggs 400g full-fat soft cheese 150g icing sugar

1 tsp vanilla 400g double cream

#### Method

Oil a 20cm deep springform cake tin and line with baking parchment. Tip the digestive biscuits into a food bag or the bowl of a food processor and crush or blitz to a fine crumb. Mix with the melted butter, then press into the base of the prepared cake tin and chill for 30 mins.

Roughly chop half the chocolate mini eggs. Beat the soft cheese with the icing sugar and vanilla until just combined using an electric whisk. Clean the beaters, then beat the double cream to stiff peaks in a separate bowl. Gently fold the whipped cream into the soft cheese mixture along with the chopped chocolate mini eggs. Spoon the cheesecake mixture over the biscuit base, then smooth the surface with a palette knife or spatula. Chill overnight.

The next day, carefully release the cheesecake from the tin (you may need to run a cutlery knife around the edge to loosen it) and top with the remaining whole chocolate mini eggs to decorate.



#### Contact us @ The Focus Kiltegan

https://www.facebook.com <sup>⊠</sup> email 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



26<sup>th</sup> March, 2023

# Luogis Run

#### **LUCY'S RUN**

#### Sunday 26th March 2023

Talbotstown National School,
Registration from 9.30am,
Run/Walk starts at 10.30am.
4km and 7km distances.
Adults:€10—Children: €2—Family: €20
A donation will be made to the Irish Cancer Society.



### TICKETS NOW ON SALE

After a long break St. Tegan's Hall committee is delighted to announce the return of

#### THE CELTIC TENORS

To St. Tegan's Hall, Kiltegan Friday April 28th @ 8.00pm.
Tickets 059 6473143.
We are fortunate to be offered a performance by these internationally acclaimed artists.
A wonderful night is assured.

### Kilfegan Tidy Towns

A very important meeting will take place on Tuesday 28th March at 7.30pm in St. Peters Hall.

Up for discussion are the plans for the 50th Anniversary of Kiltegan winning the Tidy Town National title. This is a very important year for us so we are looking for your help for the coming year.

Everyone is welcome.

#### TYNOCK & TALBOTSTOWN Fr. Pat O Brien, Fr. John McEvoy 059 9161114

Sunday 26th March @ 9.30am Tynock Anniversary: Kathy Daniels Reader: Muireann Gartland Palm Sunday Sunday 2nd April @9.30am Talbotstown Reader: Narrator-Fiona Kane, Others-Mary Kelly, Feddan, & Joe O'Brien.

#### **HOLY WEEK CERMONIES**

Holy Thursday 6th April@ 6.00pm
Talbotstown. Readers: Lucilla Brophy &
Breedh Murphy.
Good Friday 7th April @ 6.00pm
Tynock. Readers: Muireann Gartland,

Nigel Byrne, Aine McCarthy, Fiona Kane and Mary Kelly, Feddan. Vigil Mass Saturday 8th April @ 8.30pm

Rathvilly.

Joe 0'Brien Exultet.

Readers: Nigel Byrne & Siobhán Doyle. Eucharistic Minister: Aine McCarthy.

Easter Sunday 9th April @ 9.30am Tynock Reader: Mary Byrne.

Talbotstown & Tynock Church Collection Offertory: €126.43 Envelopes: €244.00

#### **SYMPATHY**

We offer sincere sympathy to Brian and Maureen Graham and their family on the death of Brian's brother Tony whose funeral took place in Baltinglass last Saturday.

May he rest in peace.

Sincere sympathy to Fr. Pat Murphy, his fellow society priests and the family, relatives and friends of Fr. Sean Ryan whose funeral took place in St. Patrick's College, Kiltegan last Saturday.

Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.



#### **KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE NEWS**



#### **CLUB NEWS**

No GAA or Camogie activity to report this week as the club cancelled all activities as a mark of respect to the Furlong family, Sean was laid to rest in Tynaclash cemetery after requiem mass in Talbotstown church on Friday St. Patricks Day. The club held a guard of honour at he church and the cemetery.

May Sean rest in peace.

The club would like to offer their sympathies to Brian Graham, Newtown, Kiltegan on the death of his brother Tony Graham, Stratford who was laid to rest in Baltinglass cemetery on Saturday. Tony and Brian were from Dingle in Kerry and both came to teach in West Wicklow.

Tony's coffin was draped in the Kerry colours as it departed to the cemetery.

To his wife, sons, brothers and sisters and his relatives and friends our sincere sympathy.

May Tony rest in peace.

Sympathy also to the Tallon Family, Hacketstown on the death of John Tallon who was laid to rest in Hacketstown cemetery on Saturday.

May John rest in peace.







No winner €8,200 4 Match threes €50 each

Katelyn Doyle seller Ned Doyle, Katelyn & Harry seller Sean Keogh, Lily Wybrant seller Margaret Keogh, P.J. Kavanagh seller Online,

> Next draw takes place on Monday 27th March in Talk of the Town.

> > JACKPOT €8,400

### Looking back to Kiltegan Camogie 1971

The first victory the team recorded was on the 26th July, when they defeated Aughrim in Aughrim in the league. Kiltegan 5-0 Aughrim 1-0. Our scores came from Ann Rafferty 2-0, Ann Lawlor 2-0, Marion Roach 1-0, Marion was from Knockananna and was a shop assistant in Culbert's shop.

The panel that year was Lily Gillespie, Ann Lawlor, Bernie O' Brine, Borkle, Marie Clynch, Bernie Brophy, Mary Foley, Tynock, Una Dowling, Mary Lawlor, Bridget Mc Donald, Ann Rafferty, others to play between 1971 and 1972 were Mary Cash, the Crowley sisters, Flynn sisters, Brusselstown, Mary Donegan, Tynock, Norah Murry, Baltinglass, Mary Kelly, Fauna, Donard, Pauline Hourigan, Ann Grant Byrne, Angela Rafferty, Patrica Clynch, Carmel Mc Coy, Mary & Breda Cremin and Mary Germain. The Club also fielded a team in 1971 in the under 17 County Championship and defeated Knockananna by 3-1 to 2-0 on the 30th October 1971. Scorers on the day were Ann Rafferty 2-0. Ann Somers 1-0, Mary Lawlor 0-1, others mentioned in a brief report were Una Dowling, Rosaria Brophy, Josie Norton. Those were the only two wins recorded that year and everyone was looking forward to 1972 and how this young club would preform.

At the same time camogie was revived in Baltinglass Vocational School under the leadership of Sister Catherine Ryan. School and club were to work hand in hand for many years.

Best of luck to all our players who will be playing with their County teams on Sunday in very important matches in hurling and football. Also to the U20 football team on Tuesday night.

#### **FIXTURE**

Senior Football Kiltegan V Newtown at 8.00pm in Newtown.



#### **ENROLEMENT**



Tinkerbell Pre-school
is now taking enrolments for
September 2023.
Please contact Mary on
087 9079657
for further information.



### GET WELL WISHES

We wish Veronica Byrne a very speedy recovery and we hope to see her out and about soon.

#### **Congratulations**



to parents Gary Mc Nicholas

&
Jessica Cullen Mc Nicholas
on the baptism of their son
James Thomas Mc Nicholas
in Talbotstown last weekend



Happy Birthday to everyone who celebrated a birthday this month just to mention a few:

Pat Ivory,
James Whyte,
Kirsten Doyle,
Veronica Byrne,
we hope you all had a great day!



#### **Rathdangan Drama**

### Tickets Going Fast Don't Miss Out.



Rathdangan Drama group production of Poor Jimmy by PG O'Dea
The play will take place on 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16th and

21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> of April. It's sure to be another great night's entertainment.

> Tickets available from Tess: 087 6173879 Angela: 087 6440751 Paul: 087 6907044 Filie: 085 1009244

Tickets €10 each

### BALTINGLASS DAY CARE

AGM of West Wicklow
Day Care Centre
will be held at the centre at
8.00pm on Tuesday 28th March.

All welcome.

#### **PARISH LOTTO**

(Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto

No winner €13,000 jackpot
14 Match 3's €72each
One local winner
Breda Osborne seller Marie Doyle
Draw takes place each Wednesday
at 4pm in the
Parish Centre, Portlaoise.

Next draw Wednesday 29th March.
Tickets €2 each.
New promoters welcome.

Next Weeks Jackpot €14,000