



Rathdangan Drama Group

are on stage again on
23rd, 24th and 25th of February
and **Thursday 7th, Saturday 9th**
and **Sunday 10th of March**
(No performance Friday 8th due to
voting in Hall).

Tickets are selling fast
This year they are performing
Troubled Bachelors by A.J. Stanley.
Some nights are almost sold out, so get your
tickets quick you won't want to miss out!
Tickets are €10 and are available from:
Angela Keogh 087 6440 751,
Paul O'Toole 087 6907 044,
Teresa Love 087 6173 879,
John Coogan 087 770 9000,
Filie Cullen 085 1009 244.

RATHDANGAN WRITERS GROUP

Are you interested in creative writing?
Whether you are experienced or new to
writing **Rathdangan Writers**
Group welcomes new members. The group
meets every two weeks in O'Toole Hall,
Rathdangan.
If you are interested contact
John on 087 9484938.



RAMBLERS

in O'Toole
Hall, Rathdangan.
Friday 16th February
At 8pm.
Refreshments served.

BALTINGLASS DAY CARE CENTRE

FILL A BAG WEEKEND

Friday 16th & Saturday 17th February
Friday 23rd & Saturday 24th February
Times: Fri 9am-11am & 3-6pm.
Sat 10am—2pm.

All clean unwanted clothes, bedding, shoes,
curtains, duvet covers, & towels.
No duvets, pillows, carpets, or rugs.
Drop off your bags at the old ambulance
depot at Baltinglass Hospital.

RATHDANGAN FITNESS LEAGUE

Please Note Change Of Start Date

There are still some spots in the Friday
morning at 10 am Fitness League exercise
classes in Rathdangan .

**The start date for the Friday classes has been
put back to March 1st because of the drama.**

Fitness League classes are effective, low impact
exercise classes to music, suitable for all ages and
abilities, led by a fully qualified teacher. Each class
encompasses full body movement focusing in
particular on strengthening the core and increasing
mobility, flexibility and muscle tone.

Cost is €45 for 5 classes, with a €15 one-off
registration fee for new members.

Please contact Caoimhe on 086-4043663/
cnishuilleabhain@gmail.com for more details.
Pre-registration is essential as places are limited!



WEST WICKLOW COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT

Current Opportunities

Parish Office Assistant
(Baltinglass)

Ref:#CES-2320800

Gardner/Environmental Worker
(Kiltegan Tidy Towns)

Ref:#CES-2320799

Sports ground Worker
(Baltinglass Golf Club)

Ref:#CES-2319404

Environmental Worker
(Knockananna)

Ref:#CES-2319419

Environmental Worker
(St. Mary's Parish Baltinglass)

Ref:#CES-2320803

Hall Maintenance Worker/Caretaker
(Rathdangan)

Ref:#CES2321228

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
INTREO 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

FOCUS KILTEGAN

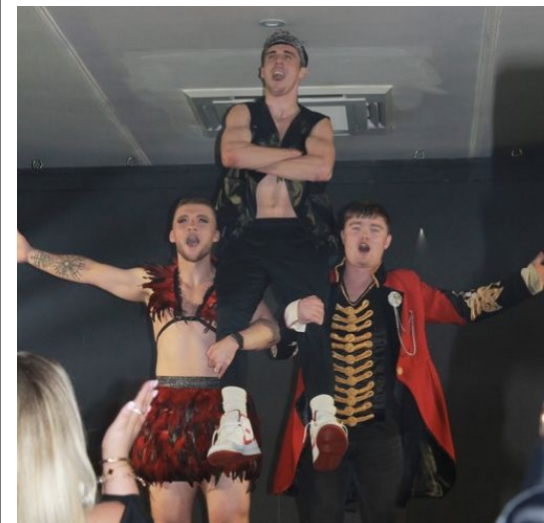


LIP SYNC BATTLE WINNERS

18TH FEBRUARY 2024



Overall Winner: The Lotto Boyz
(ACDC Legends: Nigel Byrne, John Timmins, Michael
Farrell, Michael Lennon, Pat Ivory)



Popular Choice: Two and a Half Men
(Aaron Byrne, Steven Coogan and Liam Keogh)

TYNOCK & TALBOTSTOWN
Fr. John McEvoy — 059 9161114

Saturday 17th February Tynock @ 6.00pm.

Anniversaries for:

David & Declan Pearson,
Michael Donegan (22nd)
Reader: Confirmation Children.

Sunday 25th February Talbotstown @
9.30am

Reader: Breedh Murphy.

Sunday 3rd March Tynock @ 9.30 am.

Reader Lucilla Brophy.

Sunday 10th March Talbotstown @ 9.30am.

First Anniversary Mass for:
Sean Furlong and Patsy Power.
Reader: Furlong Family.

Sunday 17th March Tynock @ 9.30am
St. Patrick's Day

Reader: Muireann Gartland.
Trocaire boxes are available in our three
churches.

Talbotstown & Tynock Church Collection
Offertory € 245.67 Envelopes €575.00

To book anniversaries for:
Tynock or Talbotstown please call
Mary—086 2261264

CONDOLENCE

We extend sincere sympathy to
Fr. Pat Murphy, his Society Priests and to the
family, friends and relatives of Fr. Brendan
McCarron who died on Sunday 11th and
whose funeral Mass was celebrated in
St. Patrick's Chapel on Wednesday followed by
burial in the Society cemetery.
Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.



A fantastic community show night was shared on Sunday 4th February 2024 in the Woodford Dolmen Hotel, when Kiltegan GAA & Camogie Club held our Lip Sync Battles.

This event was in planning for many months, and we had 13 brilliant acts perform on stage and deliver pitch-perfect professional performances to a room full of 700 people, all choreographed by the wonderfully talented Caoimhe Byrne. No words can describe the community spirit in that room on the night – all that can be said is that we live in an unbelievable community of people from Kiltegan/Rathdangan and surrounding areas who supported this massive fundraiser every step of the way.

Our high-spirited judges were Brendan Lawrence, Joe O' Brien, Margaret O' Toole and Heather Myers who gave captivating and entertaining feedback to the acts and had a great rapport with our MC Kenny Davies, all bringing much laughter and entertainment to the night.

There were two act winners on the night:

Overall Winner: The Lotto Boyz

(ACDC Legends: Nigel Byrne, John Timmins, Michael Farrell, Michael Lennon, Pat Ivory)

Popular Choice: Two and a Half Men (Aaron Byrne, Steven Coogan and Liam Keogh)

Ciaran O' Toole and Paul Boland presented the awards to both groups and thanked all the brilliant acts who volunteered to take part. Truly, every act put in an amazing performance, rehearsing for many months to ensure we had a night to remember as well as organising fundraising events!

There are many people the Lip Sync committee would like to thank; to all the acts, to all the businesses who sponsored our acts or placed an ad in our professionally designed brochure, to the judges, to Lip Sync Battles Ireland, to our unbelievably committed and fun choreographer Caoimhe, to St Tegan's Hall committee for the use of the hall for rehearsals, to Tracy Winders for all the time given for photos/videos, to Lorcan Byrne and Liam Kennedy who put in massive hours with Ciaran O' Toole & John Farrell bringing in ad sponsorship and to each and every person who supported us on the night or supported any of our many mini-fundraisers over the last number of months. You have all made such an incredible contribution to the future of Kiltegan GAA & Camogie Club and to our entire community for years to come.

The amount fundraised is an incredible €84,000 and will clear all loans on our development projects which have been completed over the past number of years. This fundraiser was the brainchild of Ciaran O' Toole spirit of this collaborative fundraiser was aimed to bring our community even closer together and we can all safely say that was achieved. Our community is the real winner!

Lip Sync Committee: Paul Boland, Ciaran O' Toole, Siobhan Doyle, Kieran Fitzgerald, Paula Boland, Anne Murphy, John Farrell, Gráinne O' Toole, Michelle Byrne, Nigel Byrne

WHAT A NIGHT FOR THE LOTTO BOYZ

John Timmins the eldest served as secretary for 29 years 1970-1999, chairman & vice-chairman 2015-2016 and has also been chairman and secretary of the camogie club and is at present assistant PRO for both clubs. He was involved with the starting up of the lotto 29 years ago this year. A gifted guitarist with the group and is the oldest member by 3 months over his fellow club man and school mate Michael Lennon.

Michael Lennon not only played guitar he also made the guitars for each member of the group. He was also responsible for forming the group. Michael held the position of treasurer from 2007-2011 and is at present assistant treasurer of the lotto. He has also helped out our club in many ways with his carpentry skills when we were building the upstairs extension, his skills can be seen down at the walking track with the beautiful benches he has provided to the club.

Michael Farrell our drummer the third oldest member has given and still is giving unending service to our club, first as player when he came on the scene in 1974. He has won many championships, leagues and cups in all grades football and hurling. He has served on our committee for 40 years and held the position of vice chairman 1999-2003 and has served as treasurer from 1988-1989.

Pat Ivory our lead guitarist with his many moves was second to none on the night. Since Pat moved from his native Limerick some years ago, he joined our club and played football and hurling. He has served as treasurer of our club from 1997-2004. He held the position of chairman from 2006-2007 and is the present lotto treasurer and like the other members has been involved in the lotto since it started 29 years ago. He was also the groups financial adviser and was the one responsible for picking the music of ACDC for our act.

John Cullen had to withdraw from the group due to family commitments. John Cullen did not desert us he took up a position on our backroom team helped out in various ways, selling tickets, getting raffle prizes. He promotes the lotto every week and collects and delivers tickets to various shops and business premises. He also served as secretary of the club.

Nigel Byrne the baby of the group, his performance on Sunday night was out of this world. He really got the audience and the judges behind him, his moves and singing of the songs was first class. Nigel has dedicated his life to our club since he started playing football and hurling first as a juvenile, then at adult level. He has won many championships in both grades and has played county hurling with Wicklow for many years. He has also served as chairman of our club 2004-2005, like the other members he promotes our lotto every week.

Siobhán Doyle & Catherine Carroll the two female members of the lotto committee did trojan work behind the scene for our group, selling tickets, collecting on doors, organising events and prizes and been there for the lotto every week checking tickets and doing the online work. Siobhán also served as assistant secretary and PRO.

KILTEGAN GAA LOTTO RESULTS

8-15-20-30

No Winner €5,800 jackpot
1 Match 3 wins €200

Aine & Emma Wall seller Maeve Foley.

Next week's draw takes place on
Monday 19th February in
the Talk of the Town

JACKPOT €6,200



of
St. Tegan's Hall

will take place on Wednesday
6th March

at 8.00pm in the supper room.

We hope that as many as possible will
attend to show support for this great
local amenity.

KILTEGAN SENIOR CITIZENS COMMITTEE



held its annual party in
St. Tegan's Hall on
Sunday 11th February.

The committee
acknowledges the
marvellous volunteers
who invited our guests

and prepared the hall before the
party. On Sunday they
welcomed our guests and served a
beautiful meal to 100 people.

The highlight of the party was the
cutting of a cake, donated by
Evelyn Lawlor by the oldest people.

There were six over 90's present.
We thank Stonehouse catering for
preparing the food.

We thank Fergus Kenny and Don
Manley for the lovely music.

We thank those who parked cars
and sold raffle tickets and we
appreciate all who donated prizes
and made donations.

To anyone who helped in any way
to make this such an enjoyable
event we say a huge

THANK YOU.