

COMMUNITY GAMES

Best of luck to our U/10 boy's indoor soccer team who are in action this weekend

SLANEY ROVERS A.F.C.

LOTTO - No jackpot winner. Winning numbers were 20 - 21 - 25 - 30

Match Three: win or share €150

Karen O'Brien, Fr. Cullen Ter., Rathvilly Ruth Hanbridge, Kiltegan

Breda Joyce, Fr. Cullen Ter. Rathvilly Tom Whittle, Stratford

Sharon Byrne, 5 Bramble Court, Tullow

Promoter's prize - Gabriel Deering

Next draw on Monday, February 13th. **Jackpot €20,000**

Fixtures - Sunday 11 February

Cup - Slaney Rovers v's Hanover Harps - Home at 2pm

Womens League - St. Joseph's v's Slaney Rovers - Away at 2pm

Well Done To Rachel Whelan

Well done to Rachel Whelan as she togged out for the county team last weekend, in the Angela Hearst Cup clash between Carlow Women's League and the Cork League which ended 3-3.

Meeting of Returned Overseas Volunteers & Lay Missionaries

Have you ever volunteered overseas in any kind of profession or have worked as a lay missionary in Africa, Asia or South America? Would you like to meet up with like-minded people? Join us for a special meeting which takes place on Thurs Feb 16th at 7.30pm at the Church of the Irish Martyrs (Ballycane Church) in Naas. For more info email Jim at jim.farrell@amri.ie or phone/text 083 8422468.

Knock to New York Pilgrimage 8th - 14th May

Knock Shrine will lead a historic pilgrimage to New York in May. Flight-only tickets are now available, price €599 (incl. taxes and charges) direct from Ireland West Airport. Full packages are also available which include flights, accommodation and itinerary. Contact Joe Walsh Tours for more information (01) 241 0800 or email: bronwyn.clinton@joewalstours.ie

'The Quiet Revolution - 70th Anniversary of Rural Electrification' exhibition extended until end of Feb 2017!

The Rural Electrification Scheme has been described as one of the greatest social and economic developments in twentieth-century Ireland. This exhibition explores the bringing of the light to Carlow, from the first public lighting in 1891, to the implementation of rural electrification in the area (1947-1963) and has a focus on Paddy Dowling, Carlow Person of the 20th Century. The Quiet Revolution Exhibition has been developed in association with the E.S.B..

Location: Carlow County Museum, College St, Carlow town. Open Monday-Saturday 10.00am - 4.30pm, Admission free.

RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH

NEWSLETTER

St. Brigid's

Talbotstown

11th & 12th February 2017

St. Patrick's

Rathvilly

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Assumption

Tynock

Saturday, 11th February at 7.30 p.m.

Vena Doyle, The Foxcover

Thomas Cassells, Ricketstown

Brigid Doyle, Tankardstown

Christy Gahan, Collins Park

Dan Byrne, Williamstown

Ellen Gahan, Kevin Barry Road

Mary Hanlon, Ricketstown

Paddy Hanlon, Bough

Kate Hanlon, Borris

Eileen & Denis Byrne

John Dunne

Saturday, 18th February at 7.30 p.m.

Billy Leonard, Collins Park

Martin Molloy, Rathvilly

Joe Curran, Collins Park

Kathleen Faulkner, St. Patrick's Park

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday – Mass at 9.30 a.m.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Monthly Mass for all children takes place this Sunday, 12th February at 11 a.m.

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time -- February 12, 2017

"It is loyalty to do His will." Are you considering following the will of God in the priesthood? Call Fr. Ruairi O'Domhnaill vocations@kandle.ie, www.kandlepriest.com

Are you a reader in the parish or would like to become one?

"*Entrusted with the Word*" is a three-night training course for parish readers offered by Kildare and Leighlin Faith Development Services. Open to new and existing parish readers, the next course will take place in the Cairdeas Centre, Tullow (beside Grotto in church car park), Tuesday February 28, March 7 & 14 from 8:00-9:30 p.m. All who attend will receive the Diocesan Guide for Readers, as well as a certificate of participation. Booking is essential. Please contact 9161114.

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS – Sat/Sun, 4th & 5th February, 2017

Offertory Collection € 367.80 Envelope Collection €606.60 Many thanks.

Parish Office – Mon-Fri: 10 am – 1 pm - 059 9161114

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Diocesan Website: www.kandle.ie

GOSPEL READINGS – 12th - 19th February

Sunday: Mt 5: 17-37 Mon: Mk 8: 11-13 Tues: Lk 10: 1-9
Wed: Mk 8: 22-26 Thurs: Mk 8: 27-33 Fri: Mk 8: 34-9:1
Sat: Mk 9: 2-13 Sunday: Mt 5: 38-48

WEEK –12th – 19th February 2017

Altar Servers – Dawn Cheasty, Jaden Doyle, Sam Collier, Bailey Byrne.

Church Readers –

Saturday, 18th February – Keira Reilly, Fia Murphy, Jaden Doyle.

Sunday, 19th February – Dylan McCann, Dawn Cheasty.

Ministers of the Eucharist –

Saturday, 18th February – Anna Mae Byrne, Angela Byrne, Breda Reilly.

Sunday, 19th February – Michael Kehoe, Noel & Mary Kennedy.

SAINTS THIS WEEK

Tuesday – St Cyril, 826-69, and St Methodius, 815-85, were brothers from Thessalonica in Greece. They preached the Gospel in Moravia using their own translation of the Scriptures and the liturgy in the local language. These translations into Slavonic were in an alphabet, now called Cyrillic, which they devised. They are honoured as apostles of the Slavic peoples and in 1980 Pope John Paul II declared them Patrons of Europe.

Friday – St Fintan was born in Leinster. He received his religious formation in Terryglass, Co. Tipperary, under the abbot Colum, and was deeply influenced by his penitential practices and the severity of the Rule. Fintan made his own foundation in Clonenagh, Co. Laois. He died in 603.

ST. PATRICK'S NATIONAL SCHOOL, RATHVILLY

DRAW RESULTS – Week 3 – 6th February, 2017

€100 – Tommy Cassells	Promoter – Harry McMorris.
€50 – Maureen McNamara	Promoter – Dylan O'Halloran.
€20 – Sean McMorris	Promoter – Harry McMorris.
€20 – Martin Molloy	Promoter – Molloy's.
Promoters Prize €20 – Riley Kennedy.	

DRAW RESULTS – Week 4 – 6th February, 2017

€100 – Conor Doyle	Promoter – Noel Doyle.
€50 – Bridget Owens	Promoter – Tristan Brennan.
€20 – Margo Kelly	Promoter – Emma Kelly.
€20 – Geraldine Doyle	Promoter – Jaden Doyle.
Promoters Prize €20 – Dan O'Connor.	

Jumble/Cake Sale and Coffee Morning.

Rathvilly N.S. – 6th class are holding a fundraiser on Friday 17th February from 10am to 12.30pm in the school hall. All funds raised will go to Crumlin Children's Hospital and Cara Rescue Centre, Kenya. Donations of books, toys, games, raffle prizes etc would be most appreciated and can be dropped into the school any time. All are welcome on the day. Please support these very worthy causes.

KILTEGAN DRAMA GROUP

Kiltegan Drama Group presents 'THEM' written by Tom Coffey on 17th, 18th, 24th & 25th February and again on 10th & 11th March in St. Tegans Hall, Kiltegan at 8 p.m. sharp.

TULLOW PARISH – HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

Wednesday 11th – Friday 20th October 2017. Cost €1,549 per person sharing. Booking Forms available at Tullow Parish Office – 059 9151277 or MAP Travel at 01 8783111. Booking Deposit of €250.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

Sunday 9th April – Sunday 16th April. Further details from Duffy Coach Hire on 059 6471681 or 087 2543235.

DINNER DANCE - Rathmore National School are delighted to invite you to an exciting evening of fantastic food and entertainment. A wonderful opportunity to enjoy a lovely evening with bundles of amazing prizes. Whether you are a past pupil, a member of the community or you just want a great night out with your friends, we would be thrilled to see you at the Talbot Hotel on 25th Feb at 7.00pm. For more information and tickets please call 083 4747730.

PRAYER MEETING

Prayer Meeting at the Grove, Tynock on Friday, 24th February at 8.30 p.m. Blessing with Relics and cup of tea afterwards.

SOPHIE COUNSELLING CENTRE, KILTEGAN

A Quiz Evening in aid of Sophia Counselling Centre, Kiltegan will be held in Horans of Baltinglass on the 17th February. The evening will also involve an auction for a signed Ireland rugby jersey, plus a raffle with many lovely prizes to be won. For details contact Mary on 0879374549. The Centre provides a low cost counselling service for the community and beyond and needs the support of the local community. Please support.

ST. PATRICK'S KILTEGAN

Prayer Service for Christian Unity in St. Patrick's Kiltegan at 8 p.m. on Wednesday 22nd February with Canon Dr Stella Durand, Rector of the Kiltegan Group of Parishes as our guest speaker. The Prayer Service will be held in St. Patrick's Chapel in the College building. We will have a cup of tea afterwards for all who attend.

RATHVILLY G.A.A. CLUB

Lotto Results. Jackpot Won. Numbers drawn 6-17-24-30
Congratulations to Stephen McCarthy Slaney Bank winner of Jackpot €12,000
Promoters Prize €20 Collette & Helen
Next draw 14 Feb. 2017 in Molloy's Bar. **Jackpot €1,300**
Walking track membership no due €20 payable to Collette Kelly
For Health & Hygiene reasons Strictly No Dogs Allowed