



- Environmental Worker (Baltinglass Tidy Town)**
Ref:# CES-2261806
- Environmental Worker (Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow)**
Ref: #CES-2257558
- Sports Ground Worker (Baltinglass GAA)**
Ref: #CES 2257612
- Retail Assistant (Baltinglass Community Shop)**
Ref:# CES-2261655
- Environmental Worker (Knockananna Tidy Towns)**
Ref:# CES-2261802
- Club Assistant (Baltinglass GAA)**
Ref:#CES-2261808
- Environmental Worker (St. Patrick's, Kiltegan)**
Ref:#CES-2261804

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



CHILDMINDER WANTED.

Childminder required, part time. Kiltegan area in children's home.

Contact: **087 4135398**

Accounts Assistant Wanted.



The successful candidate will be part of a busy office team assisting the Financial Controller and the HR Manager in a variety of tasks. Experience preferable.

Knowledge of Sage, Micropay and a proficiency in Microsoft Office and Excel an advantage. Hours flexible and salary negotiable.

Forward CV to alice@coddmushrooms.ie by the 4th February 2023.

STAFF NURSE VACANCIES

1. Permanent — 26 hours/week
2. Fixed Term – to August 2023 (earliest)
3. Relief position.

With new and exciting developments ahead, St. Patrick's Missionary Society is looking for a number of Staff Nurses for its Caring Services for retired missionary priests in the beautiful countryside of Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow. The new nurses will be part of the evolving operational team with the goal of providing evidence-based care within an expanding service.

Arising from the retirement and maternity leave of existing staff, the Society is seeking **Staff Nurses to work:**

- (1) 26 hours/week on a permanent basis (with the option of more hours)
- (2) 39 hours/week maternity cover until August at the earliest
- (3) Relief shifts, which may suit candidates who wish to work fewer hours on an ad hoc basis in a warm and friendly environment.

The successful candidates should have:

- Two years' nursing experience (at least)
- Registered General Nursing qualification preferred.
- Full registration with NMBI
- Excellent communication and clinical skills
- Genuine interest in working with the elderly
- Previous elderly care experience is desirable
- Flexibility in terms of the working week.

Benefits for all staff:

- Assistance with accommodation (if working early/late)
- Paid meal breaks
- Free car parking.

Why not visit us before you decide to apply and see what we have to offer?
Tel. 059 64 84484 or
email nursemanager@spms.ie

Application should be made via email attaching a CV and Cover letter to: Maebh Doran, Director of Care, at directorofcare@spms.ie by 8th February 2023 at 5pm.

FOCUS KILTEGAN



05th February 2023



THANK YOU

Kiltegan Senior Citizens had their Christmas Party on Sunday 22nd January 2023 in St. Tegan's Hall a great day was had by everyone. We would like to thank everyone for coming and all those who provided raffle prizes it was much appreciated. A big thank you to Denis Hayes and his team for a lovely meal, to Fergus Kenny and Don Manley for providing the music and entertaining everyone. To Mick Foley of Talk of the Town for his donation, to our great helpers on the day who gave up their time, thank you to the hall committee for allowing us the use of the hall. Well done to the organising committee for all their hard work.



ENROLEMENT 2023

Kiltegan National School

Kiltegan National School is a modern, rural, two-teacher, co-educational Primary School under the patronage of the Church of Ireland Bishop of Cashel, Ferns and Ossory.

Our small class sizes and high quality teaching enable each child to reach his/her true potential. This award winning school is a place where the children are equally valued and respected and experience a sense of caring and belonging.

For further information or to request an Application for Enrolment Form, please contact the school office by

email at kilteganationalschool@gmail.com or phone **059 6473444**

Website: <http://www.kilteganms.ie/>

We look forward to welcoming you to our school.

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

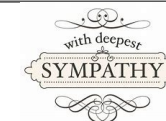
Sunday 5th February @ 9.30am Talbotstown
Anniversaries: Eileen Hayes (5th)
John & Kathleen Farrell, Barraderry.
Peg Foley (9th) Talbotstown.
Reader: Breedh Murphy

Saturday 11th February @ 6.00pm Tynock
Anniversaries: Cora Lawlor.
Michael Dowling (14th), Blanch Dowling (13th), Pat Dowling (12th), Michael Donegan (21st), Declan Pearson (28th), David Pearson (2nd)
Reader: Mary Kelly, Feddan

Sunday 19th February @ 9.30am Talbotstown
Reader: Siobhan Doyle
Wednesday 22nd February - Ash Wednesday - Mass in Tynock @ 9.45 am.
Sunday 26th February @ 9.30am Tynock
Reader: Mary Byrne.

Talbotstown & Tynock Church Collection
Offertery: €263.22 Envelopes: €152.00

To book anniversaries for:
Tynock: Mary -086 2261264
Talbotstown: Josie -059 64 73971



We offer sincere sympathy to Pat Lee and Mary Stapleton, their families and extended families on the death of their sister Deirdre Caplice last week.

May Deirdre rest in peace.



KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE NEWS



Looking Back 1975

There was a big drive in the club in promoting juvenile hurling after winning the Lee Cup. We went in search of hurlers in Vallymount, Hollywood and our near neighbours Baltinglass, Knockananna and Ballymanus. We affiliated under 12 and under 14 teams for the first time. Our under 12 team went all the way and won the first ever County Juvenile Hurling title to come to West Wicklow.

Team: John Byrne, Andy Coleman, Tom Cremin, Kieran O'Keefe, Seamus Farrell, Sean O'Sullivan, and Liam Healy both Vallymount Garrett Byrne, Kevin Byrne, John Halpin—Hollywood, Hugh Cullen, John Reid, Pat Mahan—Vallymount, Sean Gartland, Declan Byrne, Mick Kelly, Mickey Byrne and Declan Lawlor.

Our under 14 team also made it to the final but were beaten by a much experienced Carnew team. Finding challenge matches or any match for both teams early in 1975 was a big problem, also finding hurlers at the time was a major problem. John Timmins solved this problem by entering an under 14 hurling team in the Wicklow Community Games. After preparing a team and travelling to places like Ashford, Bray and Wicklow Town all we got out of this was walk-overs and we were crowned Wicklow Champions and we moved on to represent Wicklow in the Leinster Community Games. The boys at least got a medal out of Wicklow. We were drawn in the first round of Leinster against Castledermot in Newbridge, at the time the club had recruited a number of players from Baltinglass which included Con Murphy, Robert Mc Hugh, Ciaran Burke, Brian Kilcoyne, on the week of the Community Games match Con Murphy was playing for Wicklow in the Leinster u14 championship final against Westmeath and got a bad head injury and could not play the hurling match. On the morning of the match only Robert Mc Hugh turned up, the full team was transported to Newbridge in three cars by Peter Keogh, Ned Cremin and John Timmins, and we had one supporter Breda Cremin. The boys put up a great display and against all the odds we drew the match. John Murphy, Martin Dowling controlled mid field, Tom Cremin gave a great display at fullback, Ned Cremin was top scorer, John Keogh (Dreim), Joseph Shortall and Robert Mc Hugh started in the forwards. The replay was fixed for Baltinglass the following week but we never reached the heights of the week before and lost the match and also ended the Kiltegan participation in the Community Games.

Castledermot introduced two girls to their team and our lads were a bit taken aback at the sight of two girls playing on a boys team, this was unheard of. Who was going to mark them was the only question on our boys lips to which the reply was given "in a years time you will be looking for their addresses". 😊

This was the story of Juvenile Hurling 1975.

GAA NEWS

After drawing their first game against Carlow last weekend our County team lead by our captain Podge O'Toole take on Sligo in the next round on Sunday in Aghrim at 2pm. Podge scored a goal las week. The County hurlers are also out in the hurling League against Meath in Navan on Saturday at 2pm. Gavin Wynne's Ladies Football team had a great win against Derry las Sunday they take on Limerick in Baltinglass on Sunday at 2pm.



GAA LOTTO



3-4-7-23.

No winner

3 match three s wins € 70 each
Mary Elliott seller John Lennon
Lillian Farrah seller Talk of the Town
Ollie Lambe Seller Christy O Toole

Next week's draw takes place on Tuesday 7th of February in Talk of the town.

JACKPOT €6,800.



Saturday night in Talk of the Town Kiltegan Junior Hurling team and Kiltegan Camogie team will be presented with their championship medals which they won in 2022 and 2019.

Kiltegan Community Network – Public Meeting Update



Kiltegan Community Network (KCN) wish to thank all members of our community who came out in such great numbers to attend our open public meeting on Sunday night last.

We were joined and supported by Cathaoirleach of Baltinglass Municipal District John Mullen and councillors Patsy Glennon, Avril Cronin and Vincent Blake. KCN provided a progress update to all present on the progress to-date with the derelict premises in our village. The floor was opened to questions, followed by all present, being given the opportunity to put forward their ideas for what services they would like to see in the premises into the future. Cathaoirleach John Mullen addressed the meeting and extended the full support of Wicklow County Council to our project.

Some great ideas were suggested by those present, with valuable feedback contributed which will all be taken into consideration as we progress.

Details of Kiltegan Community Survey were announced, seeking ideas, feedback and support from all community members and all community members are encouraged to participate. There are two options available for completing the survey:

1 Paper Based Survey

Paper based surveys can be completed and are available from the WWCE office on The Green, Kiltegan, Mon-Thur from

9:30am – 1pm. They can also be returned to WWCE office between these hours or placed in the post box outside office.

2 Online Survey

Online surveys can be completed at the following link:

<https://forms.office.com/r/3b2P2ZXvV1>

All feedback must be received by **12th February 2023.**

This public meeting is the first step in our community consultation process. The meeting concluded with the date for the AGM of Kiltegan Community Network being announced to be held on **Sunday 26th February 2023 @ 7pm in St. Tegan's Hall.** All are invited to attend.

PARISH LOTTO (Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto)

1-12-17-23

No jackpot winner

20 Match 3's €50 each

No local winners
Draw takes place each Wednesday at 4pm in the Parish Centre, Portlaoise.
Next draw Wednesday 8th February Tickets €2 each.
New promoters welcome.
Next Weeks Jackpot €13,000

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE 2023

Trip to Medjugorje
Direct return flights from Dublin 4th - 11th April 2023.
Cost €755.
€100 deposit to secure place.

For more information please contact

Josie Duffy (087) 2543235.



Social Dancing

Rathdangan Hall
Saturday 11th February 9—12.
Music by Donie O.
Refreshments served.



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Rathdangan Hall
Friday 17th February.
Starting time 7.30pm.
Refreshments served.
Everyone welcome.

