



## WEST WICKLOW COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT

### Current Opportunities

Environmental Worker (Knockananna Tidy Town)

Ref:# CES-2261802

Environmental Worker (High Park, Kiltegan)

Ref:#CES-2269253

Day Care Catering Worker (Baltinglass Hospital)

Ref:#CES-2263606

Caretaker/Gardner (Baltinglass Parish)

Ref:#Ces-2264808

Environmental Worker (St. Mary's Baltinglass)

Ref:#CES-2267203

Environmental Worker (Baltinglass GAA)

Ref:# CES-2275583

2 x Environmental Workers (Kiltegan Tidy Towns)

Ref:# CES-2275606

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**



Here at the Focus Kiltegan, we would like to thank you for supporting us.

The community is essential to the continued success. Without you, we would not be able to provide the services we do.

To Place an ad in your local Focus Kiltegan Newsletter is a small fee of €2 per week. Ads can also be dropped into the post box outside the Kiltegan office.

Phone: 059 6473330. EMAIL: [focuskiltegan@hotmail.com](mailto:focuskiltegan@hotmail.com).

Contact us @ The Focus Kiltegan

<https://www.facebook.com> email [focuskiltegan@hotmail.com](mailto: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.

### Car for Sale:

2010 1.5 DCI Renault Megane.  
NCT April 2024. 20900 Kms.  
Price: €2,700.

Reason for selling - emigrating.

Contact 0857383036.



### CHILDMINDER REQUIRED

Childminder required  
for a child almost 4 years old,  
immediate start,  
Kiltegan area,  
Monday — Friday.

Contact 087 2879624



# FOCUS KILTEGAN



16th April, 2023



### ST. PETER'S PARISH TRACTOR RUN

Tractor Run  
**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April**  
In aid of St Peter's Parish Centre  
Registration & Refreshments @ 1pm  
Run commences @ 2pm.

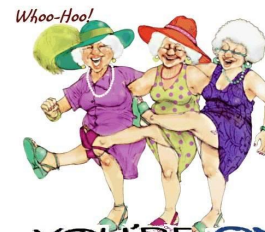
### CONGRATULATIONS

Birthday wishes to two of our community members:

**Mrs. Mary Harmon**  
on her 98th Birthday  
on Saturday 15th

also  
Happy 96th Birthday to  
**Mrs. Peg Byrne.**

We hope they have a really special weekend.



YOU'RE ONLY  
AS OLD AS  
YOU REMEMBER  
YOU ARE

### TYNOCK & TALBOTSTOWN

Fr. John McEvoy  
059 9161114

Sunday 16th April @ 9.30am Talbotstown

**Months Mind Mass: Sean Furlong**

**Anniversary: John Keogh, Graigue.**

Reader: Breedh Murphy

Saturday 22nd April @ 6.30pm Tynock

**Months Mind Mass: Patsy Power.**

Reader: Nigel Byrne

Wednesday 26th April Tynock  
Confirmation Tynock national School  
Thursday 27th April Talbotstown  
Confirmation Talbotstown National School

Sunday 30th April Talbotstown @9.30am

Reader: Mary Kelly, Feddan

Talbotstown & Tynock Church Collection  
Offeritory: €303.79 Envelopes: €504.30

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

### PILGRIMAGE

Day Pilgrimage to  
KNOCK  
Sunday 23rd April.

Bus leaving Tullow at 7.30am.  
Cost €30.

Contact Duffy's Bus on  
**087 2543235**  
to book your seat.





# KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE NEWS



## Camogie News

Our Junior Camogie team got their year off to a losing start as they were beaten by a very good Eire Og Greystone's team on Friday, final score Kiltegan 2-7 Eire Og 4-12. Having a game and a win under their belts Eire Og were fired up for this game, and took an early lead in the game scoring two goals in the first ten minutes, and were leading 2-6 to 0-5 at half time. They never took their foot off the pedal in the second half, we scored two fine goals from Suzanne Toomey and Eimear O'Toole. Our scores came from Suzanne Toomey 2-0, Eimear O'Toole 2-3, Ashling O'Toole 0-3, Leah Spillane 0-1.

The County U16 Camogie team had a big win over Louth in the Leinster Championship on Monday. The O'Toole twins Ashling & Eimear each contributed to the scoring Ashling scored 6 points, Eimear scored 2 points.

No Luck for our Camogie team who competed in the Wicklow Feile competition while they played well they came up short in a very competitive competition.

### Fixtures:

Junior Camogie League  
Kiltegan V Knockananna  
Friday 14th April in Knockananna at 7.15pm.



## GAA LOTTO



### 5-10-27-30

No winner €8,800  
4 Match threes €50 each  
Kayla Smith seller Nigel Byrne  
Tom Doyle seller Mona O'Toole  
Peter Keogh seller Talk of the Town  
B. Payne seller Centra Fisher's Baltinglass

Next draw takes place on  
Monday 17th April in  
Talk of the Town.

## JACKPOT €9,000

## Football News

Our Senior Hurling team had their first official match of the year when they played Carnew at home on Sunday morning, and it was Carnew who went home victorious, Kiltegan 0-15 Carnew 1-13. This was a game of two halves with the team playing against a strong breeze in the first half. The score at half time was 6 points all. We started the second half with a point from Brandon Ryan, but they levelled soon after. We went ahead again with points from Brandon, Aaron Byrne and a point from a penalty from Sean Murphy. We were 3 up, but they had not gone away and they scored the only goal of the match to level the game. Carnew piled on the pressure with some great scores from their free taker Enda O'Donoghue, they went 3 points up. We did claw back the lead with points from Jack O'Toole and Eoin Byrne but we were unable to get the final point to draw the match. Over all a good game of hurling served up by both teams. The missed penalty a point instead of a goal was the winning or losing of this match. Our scores came from Brandon Ryan 0-6, Sean Murphy 0-3, Jack O'Toole 0-2, Aaron Byrne, Rian Walters, James Boland and Eoin Byrne 1 point each.

### Fixtures:

Co. Senior Hurling League  
Kiltegan V Bray Emmets in Bray  
Sunday 15th April @11.30am  
Co. Senior Football League  
Kiltegan V Kilcoole in Kiltegan @7.30pm.

Congratulations to captain Podge O'Toole and the Wicklow Co. Football Team on winning the first round of the Leinster Senior Football Championship beating neighbours Carlow 2-12 to 0-10. They play Kildare on Sunday 23rd in Carlow at 2.30pm.

We wish the County Senior Hurlers the best of luck on Sunday when they play Louth in the first round of the Nickey Rackard Cup in Aughrim at 2.00pm.

Congratulations to our Junior Football team who had a great win over neighbours Baltinglass in the Hennessy cup on Thursday evening on a score line of Kiltegan 2-14 Baltinglass 0-4. A great display of football particularly from some of our younger players, James Boland, Brandon Ryan, Jack O'Toole and Derek Daly.  
Scorers: P. Keogh 1-02, J. Boland 2-01, J. O'Toole 0-03, B. Ryan 0-04.



## TICKETS NOW ON SALE

Tickets are going fast for this fantastic concert. Don't be disappointed get your tickets now.

### 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.

### TICKETS €25



### Clothes Collection

supporting  
Friends of Calcutta  
(CHY No: 13218) on  
Thursday April 27th.

All bags of wearable clothing, footwear, curtains etc most welcome and can be left outside any of our 3 churches up to 3pm that day.

All enquiries to Michael Hopkins 087-9073074 who will be delighted to arrange a collection if requested.

## PARISH LOTTO

### (Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto)

### 3-5-12-16

No winner € 15,000 jackpot  
24 Match 3's €42 each.  
No local winner  
Draw takes place each Wednesday  
at 4pm in the  
Parish Centre, Portlaoise.

Next draw Wednesday 19th April.  
Tickets €2 each.  
New promoters welcome.

### Next Weeks Jackpot €16,000

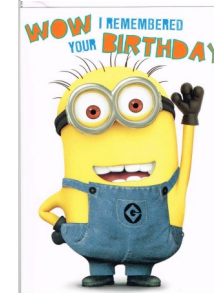
## ENROLMENT

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



## Birthday Wishes

Mark Ryan,  
David Goggins,  
Mary Keogh,  
Talbotstown,  
Jane Hanbidge,  
and  
Keith Byrne  
all celebrating this week.



## How to Plant a Wild Flower Garden

Fork over the area you want to make into a meadow. Remove weeds and big stones, and rake the site level. Blend the seed mix with dry sand to make it easier to apply evenly and show which areas have been sown. Using canes, mark out a grid to help you sow evenly and according to the supplier's recommended rate. Broadcast the seed and sand mixture onto the soil using a wrist flicking motion. Firm the bed down with the back of your rake. This ensures the seeds are in contact with the soil but aren't buried too deeply. Protect your seeds from hungry birds by stringing CDs on a line over the bed. If the weather is dry while the seedlings are small, water them once a week. Your meadow should be growing vigorously within a few weeks. Some plants can flower within six weeks; others will take a little longer.

