



## WEST WICKLOW COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT

### Current Opportunities

**Environmental Worker (Knockananna Tidy Towns)**

Ref:#CES-2294268

**Day Care Catering Worker (Baltinglass Hospital)**

Ref:#CES-2294573

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**

**Olivia Cooney (087) 449 7731**

## JEWELLERY MAKING WORKSHOP

Join us in O'Toole Hall, Rathdangan for a jewellery-making workshop with Kaleidoscope Jewellery in October.

The workshop will take place over three Wednesday evenings - 4th, 18th and 25th October from 7.30 to 9.45.

Course will cover designing and making your own necklace as well as upcycling and repairing jewellery. Cost for the three weeks is €45 and includes the cost of materials and tea and biscuits.

Places are limited so book in early!

Contact **Mairéad on 0861503063** to book your place.



## JUNK KOUTURE

A transition year student in Scoil Chonglais in Baltinglass is looking for your unwanted newspapers, and magazines to help him with his Junk Kouture project.

If you have any to spare contact **086 8476567**. Thank you very much.

Contact us at the Focus

Email: [focuskiltegan@hotmail.com](mailto:focuskiltegan@hotmail.com)



<http://www.facebook.com>



Phone: 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



24<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023

**TYNOCK & TALBOTSTOWN**

Fr. John McEvoy  
059 9161114

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September Tynock @ 9.30am.  
Anniversary for: Richard Harmon  
Reader: Mary Byrne

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October Talbots town @ 9.30am  
Reader: Fiona Kane.

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October Tynock @ 9.30am.  
**Anniversaries for Larry Daly(1st),  
Billy Ronayne(1st)**

Sunday 15th October Talbotstown 9.30am  
Reader: Breedh Murphy

Talbotstown & Tynock Church  
Collection:  
Offertory: €147.97 Envelopes: €264.70

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

## Sacraments 2024

**First Penance**  
**Talbotstown & Tynock NS**  
Wednesday 13th March @ 7pm Tynock Church  
**Rathvilly NS**  
Thursday 14th March @7pm Rathvilly Church

**First Holy Communion**  
**Talbotstown & Tynock NS**  
Saturday 11th May @ 11am In Talbotstown Church  
**Rathvilly NS**  
Saturday 18th May @ 11am Rathvilly Church

## Confirmation 2024

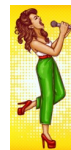
**Rathvilly Talbotstown Tynock & Kiltegan NS**  
St Patricks Church - Thursday 18th April  
@ 11am



A great night guaranteed on  
Friday 29th September  
in St. Tegan's Hall @ 7.30pm,  
when Kiltegan play host to  
SCÓR SINSIR.

A night of music, dancing, recitation, something  
for everyone.

If you are a registered member of  
Kiltegan GAA Camogie Club  
and would like to take part please get in contact  
with John Timmins or Bryan Karney.



Teams are slowly coming together for  
Kiltegan GAA Camogie club  
"Lip Sync Battles" fund raising event in  
February of next year.

The number of team and the names of  
the acts will be release to the public in  
the coming week's.



## KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE NEWS



**Our Senior Football** team never reached the heights of last week in their championship game against Arklow Geraldines Ballymoney on Saturday evening when they out pointed us on a scoreline of Kiltegan 0-10 AGB 0-19. We never got to the pace of the game at any stage. We made blunder after blunder and gave away the first three points to AGB through errors. We never caught a ball at mid field in the first half or never got a breaking ball. They scored points at will and made use of the wind scoring some great long range points, some times with out a tackle going in. We were behind at half time 0-13 to 0-02. An injury to Rory Finn did not help our cause. We turned to play with the wind in the second half and started to play some what better and we missed two great goal chances thanks to great saves by the AGB goalie. We started to get scores with the wind and only two of our forwards scored Seanie Furlong and Jack O'Toole. Jack 4 points 2 from frees, Seanie 4 points 2 from frees, and Podge O'Toole 2 points from play. Perhaps our performance on Saturday was due to the fact we were safe and were in the quarter finals anyway and the result did not matter as the draw is now made and we play Rathnew in the coming weeks.

We turn our attention to the County Senior Hurling Championship Semi-final on Sunday when we take on Carnew Emmets at 3pm in Aughrim. They beat us by a point in our last meeting in the league section of the championship. It will take a huge effort from everyone if we are to advance to the final. Your support for this team would be appreciated.

**Our Junior Hurling** team took on Knockananna in their refixed Junior Hurling Championship on Tuesday evening and came away with a great win Kiltegan 2-7 Knockananna 2-6, the first hurling match played under our new lighting system. This was a very close encounter throughout with a goal dividing the teams at half time 2-3 to 1-3 in our favour. We were still winning by a goal as most of our supporters thought with the game going into injury time, when Knockanna was awarded a free 35 meters out. Their free taker dropped the ball into the square which resulted in a goal. Referee Pat Dunne blew the fulltime whistle and said we won by a point, which means we are in the quarter final of the A Championship. Manager Nigel Byrne was pleased with the result and the way the team preformed.

Our scores came from: F. Farrell 1-0, P. Boland 1-0, JJ Phelan 0-3, D. Davis 0-2, S. O'Neill & M. MOO Kelly 1pt each.

### Camogie News

**Our Junior Camogie** team had another big win in the Co. Junior Camogie Championship on Friday evening when they accounted for a very poor Carnew team on a score line of Kiltegan 4-11 Carnew 00-00. Carnew failed to score in this game even though they tried their best but found the going tuff against a strong defence and mid field where we were treated to the Ashling O'Toole show. Wearing number 9 she gave an expedition of scoring from all angles, ending the match with a total of 2-10, scoring 2-08 from play. Stephanie Jackson 1-01, Amber House & Wendy Fairbrother 1 goal each.

This win puts us into the quarter final of this championship.

**Our Senior Camogie** team had to play off against Knockananna on Tuesday evening after the county Camogie Board made a draw, after Kiltegan, Knockananna & Bray finished their campaign on the same number of points. The first team out was Bray so they went straight into the semi final, while we played Knockananna in the play off and unfortunately we lost. We play in another quarter final, the draw for this has still to be made.

### GAA LOTTO RESULTS 2-9-11-24

No jackpot winner.

7 matched 3 wins €30 each  
Ann Grant Byrne seller Nigel Byrne  
Yvonne Foley seller Bridget Foley  
Laurence Kelly seller Madeline Foley  
Peter Murphy, Haroldstowm. seller John Cullen

Marion Daly seller Marion Daly  
Christopher & Conor O' Toole  
seller Christy O 'Toole  
Paula Cullen seller Parkmore Stores

Next week's draw takes place on  
Monday 25th of September  
in the Talk of the Town

**JACKPOT €14,000**

#### Results

Under15 Football Championship  
Kiltegan 6-13 Eire Og 0-03  
Michael Dwyers 8-14 Clana Gales 0-03

Now that the summer is over and schools are up and running, we say a big welcome back to all the pupils in the National Schools in our area, Tynock, Talbotstown and Kiltegan.

In particular we welcome all the new pupils who are starting on the next venture in their lives.



### Scoil Naomh Bríd Talbotstown

A big welcome to 16 new pupils who have joined our school.

Our new Junior Infants are:

**Colin, Ruby, Emily, Cassie, Lily, Ben, Conor, Katie, Oisín, Alex, Conal, Mary, Michael, Seán Óg, Evan and Paddy.**

We also extend a warm welcome to Ms. Ciara Lyons and Ms. Mary Dillon who have joined our staff.



Welcome  
**Kacie, Paige, Ivy, & Emilia**  
to Tynock National School.

Welcome  
**Johaán, Isabella & Allie**  
to Kiltegan National School



We wish a very Happy 20th Birthday to Ciaran Harmon and to his mother

Olivia, we wish her a very happy 40th birthday.

We hope you have a great celebration.

## DUFFY'S COACH HIRE

### Day Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 24th September

Tour to Roscommon  
Sunday 1st October.  
Staying in the  
Abby Hotel 4 nights.



For further information contact Duffy's  
on

**087 2543235 or 059 6471681**



### Ciorcal Cainte

Starting again on Monday 25th September  
in St. Tegan's Hall, Kiltegan at 11.00am.

**Gach eolas ó  
Áine Mhic Chárthaigh 087 9902218**

### PARISH LOTTO

11,16,17,25.

**Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto**  
No winner €20,000 jackpot

11 match 3's €91 each.  
No local winners

Draw takes place each Wednesday  
at 4pm in the  
Parish Centre, Portlaoise.  
Next draw Wednesday 27th September

Tickets €2 each.  
New promoters welcome.

**Next Weeks Jackpot €20,000**