

Rathdangan

A talk by Michael Jacob "Bogs :
Their history and their significance in
Ireland." will take place in

O'Toole Hall, Rathdangan

On Wednesday 29th November at
7.30pm.

All welcome, entry free.

Social Dancing in O'Toole Hall,
Rathdangan.

Saturday 9th December 9-12pm.

Music by Jimmy Hogan & Lar Kenny.
Refreshments served



Christmas Fair 2023

Germaine's of Baltinglass

Sunday 3rd December
10:30am-6pm

Local craft, Food, & Gift stalls.
Raffle prizes to be won on the day.
€2 Entry Fee.

Hosted by Talbotstown National School

FOUND

A glasses case was found in St. Tegan's Hall
after the Halloween Party.

It can be collected in the Focus office
on the Green.

LOOKING

Looking to buy hard wood fire timber in the
area.

Contact 087 7525702

KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE

LIP SYNC FUNDRAISER

TWO AND A HALF MEN

Two and a Half Men are off the mark with their
fundraiser.

The lads will be in the
clubhouse this

Saturday 25th November
from 4-6pm

selling limited edition

Kiltegan bobble hats/Beanies!

Cost: €18 each or two for €35.

The lads have given assurance that these
are the best hats on the market and the numbers
are limited so make sure you get down nice and
early to make sure you get yours! These will
make an excellent stocking filler or secret Santa
present.

Thanks from:

Aaron, Liam

& Wonder.



SAMARITANS

Freephone 116 123

TALK TO TOM

Freephone 0818 303061

PIETA HOUSE

Freephone 1800 247247

Or

Text HELP 51444

Contact us at the Focus

Email: 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



26TH NOVEMBER 2023



St. Peter's Parish Centre
Wednesday November 29th
@7:30pm

Entry on the Night €10

Demonstrations from
Crimin's Family Butchers
Daisy Cottage
Jackie's Florist

Christmas Craft stalls & raffle on the night.

Also Available Kiltegan GAA crested
Christmas Stocking.

For information on these or to place your order
contact Pat on 087 2364293.

Thank you from
Nigel, John, Michael, Pat, John & Michael



CHRISTMAS DINNER

St. Peter's Parish Centre,
Kiltegan
Christmas dinner
Saturday December 9th
at 7.30pm.

Contact:
Kyle on 085 7712444
for tickets.

TYNOCK & TALBOTSTOWN
Fr. John McEvoy
059 9161114

Sunday 26th November Talbotstown @9.30am
Anniversaries for: **Robert & Bridie Hickson.**
Reader: Fiona Kane.

Sunday 3rd December Tynock @ 9.30am
Anniversaries for: **Larry Byrne (1st),
Colin Foley & Lily Foley, Annie Timmins**
Reader: Mary Byrne

Sunday 10th December Talbotstown @ 9.30am
Months Mind for: **John Byrne**
Anniversaries for: **Kitty Farrell (1st), Rosie,
Liam & Matt Farrell and all deceased
members of the Farrell family.**
Reader: Byrne family

Saturday 16th December Tynock @ 6.00pm
Anniversaries: **Patrick & Ann Donegan.**
Reader: Nigel Byrne

Talbotstown & Tynock Church
Collection:
Offertery € 93.36 Envelopes €225.00

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

With Sympathy

We offer sympathy to
Eileen Byrne, Tynock her brothers, sisters
relatives and friends on the death of her
mother Mrs. Brigid Reilly, Collins Park,
Rathvilly.

May she rest in peace.





KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE NEWS



KILTEGAN CAMOGIE

Kiltegan Camogie Club held their AGM recently in the GAA club house and the following were elected to over see the workings of the club for 2024.

President: Mary Byrne, Chairperson: Paul Boland, Assistant Chairperson: Lorcan Byrne, Secretary: Fiona Doyle, Assistant Secretary: Ollie Cashin, Treasurer: Grainne O'Toole, Assistant Treasurer to be filled at the first committee meeting as is the position of Registrar. Assistant Registrar: Trish Kehoe, Child Welfare Officer: Siobhan Whelan, Assistant Child Welfare Officer Heather Myers, Pro: John Timmins, Assistant Pro: Fiona Hobson, Co. Board Delegates: Fiona Doyle, Paul Boland, Grainne O'Toole and Anne Murphy.

Out going secretary Anne Murphy stepped down as secretary after giving four years service to the club. We thank her for all the work she did for the club over that time. Trish Kehoe who was assistant treasurer and registrar also took a well deserved break after giving trojan service to the club for many years. Both remain on the committee in some minor roles. The only vote on the night was on regrading's for 2024 which will be forwarded to the Co. Board. Our president Mary Byrne addressed the meeting and praised and congratulated all teams on their very successful year and thanked the outgoing officers for all their work and wished the incoming all the best for the coming year. Paul Boland was elected chairperson for the second year, he reviewed a very successful year on the playing field winning FOUR championships - under 14, under 16, Senior and Junior. He thanked the managers and selectors and all who helped out on all teams at all levels. Treasurer Grainne O'Toole spoke of a very successful year fund raising especially our Humewood walk and raffle which kept the club afloat after an expensive year. Our main effort is now on the success of the Lip Sync which many of our members are taking part in .

Over all a very successful year for the club and we are looking forward to what 2024 may hold in store for us.

After an emotional week, Kiltegan GAA & Camogie Club wish to thank everyone who helped out in any way, from stewarding, parking cars and guards of honour. It goes to show the power and strength of the GAA at times like this. Please remember you are never alone.

SYMPATHY

Another legend of the GAA passed away on Sunday Tommy Keogh from Knockananna. Tommy gave a lot of his life to the GAA first as a player with Knockananna in the early years before moving across the border to Clonmore where he played for many years. Padar Daly and himself were on two loosing Clonmore teams that reached Carlow County senior finals in 1965 & 66. He refereed several Kiltegan 7-a -side tournament matches for our club during the 70's. He represented Wicklow on Central Council for twelve years, he also held top jobs on the Co. Board such as Co. Scór Secretary & County Juvenile Secretary. He Was also a County selector on senior and u21 county teams. He also played for many years in the sixties with the Carlow senior team, beaten in a National league final by the then All Ireland champions Down.

To his daughter Majella son in law Bobby, his sister Betty, relatives and friends we offer our sympathies.

GAA LOTTO RESULTS

13-15-25-26

No winner €3,200

1 match three wins €200

Helena Doyle seller Online.

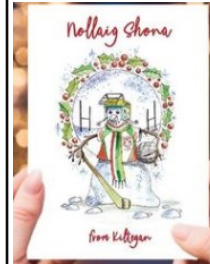
Next week's draw takes place on Monday 27th of November in the Talk of the Town @ 8pm

JACKPOT €3,400

KILTEGAN GAA & CAMOGIE LIP SYNC FUNDRAISER

Sister Act will be at the GAA pitch from 10-12 on Saturday 25th November selling

Tickets for the **TEEN DISCO** on 1st December are on sale now. Contact Mary on 087 9286508 to order your tickets and for payment details. &



Some fantastic Kiltegan Christmas cards available from Mary on 087 9286508 to order and for payment details.

The Drama Queens & Ben



are hosting A Merry Mince Pie Coffee morning in Ben's house on



Saturday the 25th of November

11am-3pm.

All welcome.

€5 Donation

&

"Ben's special raffle" €2 a strip.

Thank you from

Julianna, Valarie, Charlotte,

Shelly & Ben.

FOCUS

The Focus Kiltegan would like to acknowledge receipt of €38.50 from Tynock & €38.06 from Talbotstown Churches.

This money goes towards the cost of printing the news letter each week.

We appreciate and thank everyone who contributed to this publication every week.



THANK YOU



The Furlong Family would like to thank everyone for their kind donations from their coffee morning in aid of End of Life Care Naas Hospital. To Family, friends, neighbours and the community, thank you from the bottom of our hearts you make our days a little bit easier.

Your support and kindness throughout will never be forgotten, Sean would be very proud.

Thank you!



The Committee are delighted to announce that this year's Christmas Tractor Run will be in aid of Baltinglass Hospital Patient Comfort Fund and Kiltegan Community Network.

It is always great to be able to help raise much needed funds for local organisations that effect all our community and can improve the wellbeing of so many and the area that we live in.