



# Clonegal Kildavin

## Community Newsletter

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**A night at the movies:** Following the success of the recent showing of the Quiet Man by the Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players group, another film night is planned for the Spellman Hall This time Wednesday March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8pm. There will be tea and chat afterwards. Admission is free donations if desired. This film has a more local flavour. The film was commissioned in 2003 to record the Kildavin and District Steam and Vintage Rally which was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> of June 2003. Many familiar if younger faces to be seen in it. Pay close attention to the screen shots on our poster.

**Memory Wall:** This year the Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players Memory Wall Commemoration will take place, in Clonegal on Sunday May 10<sup>th</sup> and in Kildavin on Sunday May 31<sup>st</sup>. More details will be published later. If you want to have a loved one commemorated in either location please contact 0878380018 or any member of the committee. The cost is €50 per plaque.

**Online Advent Retreat.** The Priory Institute is delighted to offer a FREE OF CHARGE Easter Triduum retreat Offering Hope and Joy In The Paschal Event  
Visit our website [prioryinstitute.com](http://prioryinstitute.com)

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# **Advertise, your business for €50**

Chatterbox Y21 as well as its monthly broadcast on items of interest is now making available a dedicated broadcast to anyone who wants to get their business or event out there. Up to thirty minutes of airtime will be recorded at a cost of €50.

The programme will be uploaded on to a podcast platform where it can be streamed or downloaded from all the usual podcast sites. It will also be put on two community Facebook pages. The Veteran Players team will assist with the process and give any assistance you may need. Our current monthly Podcasts are reaching between 700 and 1000 people each month. If you want to book a slot ring Mgt @0878380018 or talk to any member of the committee



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# Tractor/Car run

## Sunday 4th of May.

In aid of  
Saint Brigid's Church Clonegal renovations  
and Bi-Centenary celebrations.



**Spellman Hall Kildavin Y21 YD43**

**Registration from 11am**

**Leaving at 12pm**

**For cards and further information, contact**

**Johnny at 086/8416901**

**Jim at 087/9280746**

**John at 086/6893217**

**Permit granted.**

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## Kildavin Clonegal GAA/Ben Mulhall Lotto Results 30-3-25

**Winning Numbers 04-08 -09 -24**

No Winner Next Jackpot €10000

3 Match 3 Winners, receive €50

Next Draw 13/4/25 @9.30pm

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Full Results: [kildavinclonegalgaa/benmulhalllotto Facebook page](#)  
€2 per entry or 3 for €5



Our Sincere condolences to the family and friends of Francis (Fran) Murphy formerly of High St Clonegal who was recently laid to rest in Clonegal. May she rest in peace.

### Interesting Facts:

From 1 January 2024, the upper age limit for PRSI exemption changed from age 66 to age 70. This does not apply to:

People who are already getting a State Pension (Contributory)

People who are 66 years of age by 1 January 2024 (born before 1 January 1958).

If you have had PRSI deducted by your employer, you can claim a refund by contacting the Department of Social Protection

**Holy Week:** Once in Ireland 'Holy Week', the week that includes Good Friday, used to be a full seven-day period of extreme denial. Black tea, dry bread, potatoes with salt (but no butter or buttermilk) and perhaps a little porridge made up the daily fare of this difficult week until Friday when some families denied themselves anything other than dry bread and water.

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