



Clonegal Kildavin Community Newsletter



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Kildavin Heritage:

Cranavane Holy Well Committee has secured funding from the Heritage Council to carry out a heritage audit of the Kildavin area. Colm Moriarity an archaeologist has been engaged to carry out the project. If you have knowledge of places of significant interest around Kildavin please get in touch with Luke 0876430352, Mgt 0878380018 or email maggie1980@live.ie or any member of the Cranavane Holy Well Committee. This audit will form the basis for a Heritage programme for the area for the future.

Interested in Photography:

Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players are preparing a book of contemporary photographs to be published later this year. The focus is street photography, that is unposed photographs. As we head into the summer and more people are out and about, we would ask you get clicking and send your photos to the email on this Newsletter. Also be prepared for someone to take your photo as you go about your daily tasks

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AGM

The BMM Community Park and Facility Committee will hold their AGM on Friday the 26th May 2023 at 8pm in the upstairs function room of the community centre in the park.

Over the past year the committee has put a huge effort into laying the groundwork to begin creating a development plan in 2023-2024 and into sourcing funding to help meet the cost of same.

We are reaching out to the community to invite people who would like to join our committee, who think they have a skill set that would add to the committee and to bring their Ideas on how the facility can be improved and used and help us drive the development going forward.

We are particularly keen on recruiting a young member (or indeed young at heart) that has an interest in Social Media to help us improve our online presence and help us keep the community updated on all our news.

The committee believe that we are entering a new era of usage for the park and buildings and that anyone joining us would get great satisfaction from their contribution to the work.

Pease forward your contact details to bmmCommunityParkClonegal@gmail.com if you have any queries and a member of the committee will be in contact.

Your Community needs You The Clonegal Kildavin area has a vibrant community sector, please remember all of the various groups would like to see more volunteers. If there is an area of activity that interests, you contact the relevant group. They will be delighted to hear from you.

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Alone Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person locally? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested, please contact Emma on 086 083 4393 or via email emma.heslin@alone.ie

If you are over 60 and would like to know more about the services ALONE can offer you, please call 0818 222 024.

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Continues this Monday 15th of May at 7.30pm in St Clare's Church, Graiguecullen, Carlow

GUEST SPEAKER for this Monday is:

Fr. Vincent Sherlock. Internet Blogger and PP of Tubbercurry Co. Sligo

First Communion

Best Wishes to all the boys and Girls of Kildavin and Clonegal Primary Schools who will make their first Communion on Sunday May 21st

ANNUAL PLANT SALE

Bunclody Horticultural Society's Annual Plant sale is scheduled to take place on Saturday 20th May from 10:30 am- 13:00pm in Bunclody Market Square

HOT DINNER DELIVERED

If you or someone you know is in need of a hot dinner delivered to your home by volunteer drivers three times per week, Please contact Bridgid on 087 2699411 to discuss eligibility.

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KILDAVIN / CLONEGAL G.A.A./BEN MULHALL PARK *Lotto*

April 30th 2023 Winning Numbers

03-10-17-20

No Winner

Jackpot €10,000

8 Match 3 Winners each received €20

Catriona Petera Online, Jim Byrne Craan Clonegal,
Yvonne Dunne, online, Nigel Moran Clonegal, Conway
Grandkids Kildavin, Tommy Moran Clonegal, JJ Kirwan
Kilcarr, P Boy Murphy Clonegal

Sellers Prize €50 Gala Bunclody

Next Draw Conways Kildavin Sunday May 14th 2023 @

9. 30pm

€2 per entry or 3 for €5

Draw Envelopes Available at Supervalu Bunclody, Gala
Bunclody, Steamers O Leary's Bunclody, Ken Rothwell Bunclody,
Conways Kildavin, Dunnes Clonegal, Plunketts Clonegal,
Osbornes Clonegal,

Interesting Facts!!!! 100 years ago in May 1923, the bloody
and bitter Irish Civil War came to a formal end although the
divisions it created would remain a feature of our society for the
next century. On May 24th 1923, 1qa Frank Aiken recently
appointed Chief of Staff of the I.R.A issued a ceasefire order to
IRA volunteers. They were to dump arms rather than surrender
them or continue a fight that they were incapable of winning.

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