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€ SUPER DRAW
Sat 23rd Feb
@ 9.30pm



Castlelyons Community Council

• Tidy Towns

For Sale - 40 Grand Avenue trees, why not buy a gift that will last a lifetime and then gift it to someone coming after you? We are selling our Grand Avenue trees to raise funds for our Tidy Towns group. We have 37 trees to sell and if anyone wants to buy a piece of Castlelyons, from either at home or abroad trees are €100 each and will be owned by that individual, company or family forever more. A certificate will be presented to all owners. We have already sold 3 so get your bids in to secure your name to the Grand Avenue for the next 200 years. Contact Seamus Geary (chairman) on 086 2619121 or e-mail to gearys@iol.ie

• "Return to your Home" Festival

Work is ongoing in drawing up a draft questionnaire to be delivered to all households in the parish for our ambitious undertaking of logging the history of all our houses in the parish. The social aspect is also taking shape with several novel ideas on the cards for the festival weekend. We hope that all our parishioners will try to be present for our August bank holiday weekend (1st-5th Aug) festival and support this unique project.

NEXT GATHERING MEETING : Monday 4th Feb 8pm Community Centre meeting Room. ALL VERY WELCOME.

• Superdraw Winners for January:

Mike/Anne Hegarty Glenarouske c/o Anne Hegarty - €1000
Frank O Flynn, Glanworth c/o James Ronayne - €500
Eddie Doolan, SCI, Fermoy c/o Seamus Geary
John Barrett, Kill-St-Ann, c/o Donal Sheehan
James Parker, Deerpark, c/o Donal Sheehan
Clare Reals, Deerpark, c/o Neilus O Flynn
Nora Ryan, Kilbarry, c/o Patsy Collins

Home and Garden Club

We started off the new year with a talk on Interior Design by Michelle O'Connell from the well known family firm of Ned O'Connell Furnishings and Re-upholstery in Youghal. Michelle started off her talk by telling us about the psychology of colour which was fascinating and opened our eyes to the various ways we can use different colour to create mood and atmosphere in our homes. She then gave us many money saving hints on ways to change your decor without breaking the bank - very apt in these recessionary times! There are 3 ways to decorate on a budget according to Michelle: Re-Use - as in use what you already have if it's in good condition by perhaps having a sofa re-upholstered (this has the added advantage of one less item going to landfill!) Re-Cycle - which speaks for itself or Re-Purpose - for instance paint an old chest of drawers and use it as a piece of storage in your living room or hall. There are many creative ways to use what we already have at home without having to always go out and buy something new. Michelle then went on to speak about re-upholstery. We finished up the evening with the usual cup of tea and some cake and there was plenty of time to chat with Michelle on a one-to-one basis. We had a most enjoyable night and many thanks are due to Michelle for her inspiring talk and to Ann Barry our Chairperson for organising it. Our next meeting is on Thurs. Feb. 21st and hopefully by then the weather will have improved and we can get out in the garden! On the night we are having a talk by the well known Peter Dowdall of Dowdalls Garden Centre who will hopefully inspire us to get out and start gardening again after the long winter!

Kilmagner National School.

Application forms are now available for children starting school in September 2013.

Please contact Neasa on (025) 36802 any school day between the hours of 11 30 a.m - 2.30 p.m.

Irish Catholic Weekly

This weekend's Irish Catholic will have a special feature on The Installation Ceremony of Canon William Crean with a Souvenir Pictorial Section to mark the Special Occasion. Copies are available (1.50c) from Fr. Coleman or by phoning an order to 087/1235203

Barrymore Players

Barrymore Players production of "Too Close To Home" will be staged on the 22nd 23rd and 24th Feb. in the Community Centre Castlelyons. This three act comedy, with a lot of twists and turns, is being directed by Alma Fenton and produced by Anne Hegarty. The cast of nine are very suited to their parts with several new cast members taking part this year. This production is a must for all the family so watch this space for further details.

Birdwatch Ireland - The Cork branch of Birdwatch Ireland are holding an information talk on the "Birds of Prey of Cork" on next Tuesday night at 8pm in the Grand Hotel Fermoy. This will be given by John Lusby (RTE's "Mooney Goes Wild"). Entry is free and tea and biscuits will be served afterwards.

Castlelyons GAA : Sponsors – Southcoast Logistics

• ** Variety Concert *

We are holding a Variety Concert on Sunday 10th February at 7.45pm in the Castlelyons Community Centre (Tickets €5) We have a huge line up of guests for this Concert with the main guest Tim O Riordan of Natural Gas & with songs such as “The Langer”, “Come up to Gurrane Lizzy Windsor”. Also, two hilarious masterpieces from his new album “Come Here I Wantcha” namely “the Man who Drank the Farm” and “The Politician’s Song. Jimmy Morrison a local uilleann piper who has played all over the world particularly in the USA and his current album “All to One Side” is selling very well. Members of the Coolroe Comhaltas, the Farrelly School of Dancing, the Beat Box Group from Coláiste an Chraoibhín, local group with Dan Joe & Sinéad, Cáit McCarthy, Ellie O Brien & Laura Whelan. Members of the powerful Midleton Choir have kindly agreed to come along also. We have local storytellers John Arnold and James Ronayne who are prepared to take down the rafters, the Farrelly School of Dancing, Mo O Connor who has great success with his powerful solo “Bealtaine Day” & that great trad man Joe O Sullivan from Ballincollig. Dick O Brien will be the Fear an Tí and we are in for a huge night’s entertainment so tickets at €5 will be on sale this week.

- Ref Appeal - At present Castlelyons GAA does not have a referee within the club. To this end an appeal is being issued to anyone with an interest in becoming a referee to contact any committee member A training course is beginning in the Spring and the club would love to have a few people on it.
- Membership for the year 2013 is now open. Subs, which are at the same rate as last year , can be paid to Con Lawlor (treasurer) or any officer of the club.
- Lotto Results for 28/01/2013 - The numbers drawn were 10, 15 ,16 , 26 .There was no winner. The jackpot was 16,800. The next draw will take place on Mon 4th at Peddlers Rock. Following won €20 : Tom Hegarty C/O (TH), Aoife + Ann Hegarty C/O (MH), Ger Tobin C/O (PC), John Coleman C/O (DH), M+J Dorgan C/O (MD), James O Neill C/O (FW), Evan + Oran Sheedy C/O (Peddlers), Stephen O'Connor C/O (COS)

Fund Raiser for extension to Community Carpark

Date for your diary. Table Quiz fundraiser for community car-park on Friday 1st March. Many spot prizes to be won on the night. Tables of 4 can be pre-booked. Quiz will be on in the Community Centre. Tables of 4 cost €20. Table Quiz organised by Castlelyons Parents Association. This car-park is of great benefit to the entire community and we would really appreciate your support at this quiz, thank you. Telephone: Helen 086 1701164 or Lisa 0861660288 for further information.

Pipeband Lotto – No’s drawn 11, 19, 23, 24. No Winner. €15 each to Ann Deasy c/o Eilis O’Brien, Billy Ryan c/o Jimmy O’Sullivan, Joan Flynn c/o Mary O’Brien, Seamus Forde c/o Maura O’Sullivan, Declan O’Mahony c/o Sean O’Sullivan. Next weeks jackpot €4,300, draw in Peddlars Rock

Castlebridge Celtic F.C.

• Last Saturday our Youths travelled away to face Douglas Hall in the 3rd round of the FAI National Youth Cup. This was the biggest game of the season so far for us and with only 3 teams to qualify from Cork to go through to the open draw it was a big pressure game. Final result was 3-2 to Celtic. The draw for the last 16 in Ireland sees us matched against either St Brendans Park, Tralee or Killarney Celtic so it will be a Cork v Kerry showdown in February in Bridesbridge and another first for Castlebridge Celtic. Well done to all the lads and to Paul & Martin for the great work being done with this squad. Hopefully we will get a big crowd to Bridesbridge for the big game in a couple of weeks time.

• Our under 14s eased into the semi-final of the cup with a 2 – 0 win over Ballybridge last Saturday. This team is improving with every game and Castlebridge will now play Lismore in the semis while Ballymac will play the winners of Brideview and Ardmore in the other semi.

• Soccer Academy - Reminder to our Under 7s, 8s, 9s and 10s that the weekly academy goes ahead at 3pm on the astro pitch in Bridesbridge each Saturday. New players are always welcome and we also will be recruiting more players for these age groups to play in the Small Sided Leagues coming up in Cork next April and May.

• Lotto draw held on Friday January 25th in Pedlars Rock. Numbers drawn: 43, 80, 96 . No jackpot winner. Match 2: Nellie Ronayne. Next weeks jackpot €4,950. Thanks to all our weekly lotto members and supporters for their support.

• Table Quiz for Youths - The club are hosting a Table Quiz on Thursday Feb. 7th in Cheers Bar, Fermoy to help raise funds for our Youths team who are hoping to reach the quarter finals of the FAI National Cup in a couple of weeks time. All players, supporters and friends are asked to come along and support this event. Start time 8.30pm and tables of 4 or 5.

• Fixtures - **Sat Feb 2nd**: - WEEC U16 League Playoff: Castlebridge v Kilworth, KO 11am, in Kilworth.

WEEC U11 League Semi Final 1st Leg: Castlebridge v Clashmore, KO 1.30 pm, in Fr Ferris Field.

WEEC U14 League Semi Final 1st Leg: Castlebridge v Clashmore, KO 3.00 pm, in Fr Ferris Field.

Cork Youths Premier Div: Castlebridge v Blarney Utd., in Bridesbridge KO 2.00pm.

Sat Feb 3rd: - WEEC Div 1: Castlebridge v Railway, in Cappaquin, KO 11.30am.

• Condolences - The club extends sincere sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of the late Joan Clancy who passed away recently. May she rest in peace.