

**Castlebridge Celtic  
RACE NIGHT**  
March 12<sup>th</sup>  
Community Centre  
8.30pm  
Great Night Assured



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# An Caisleánach

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## Home & Garden Club

•The AGM of Castlelyons Home and Garden Club took place on Dec. 8th, 2015. In her address, our chairperson thanked club members and visitors for their support throughout the year. The Secretary and Treasurer gave their reports and then the election of officers for the coming year took place.

The new committee is as follows : Club President - Ann Barry; Chairperson - Liz Roche; Vice Chairperson - Ann Barry; Secretary - Catherine Murphy; Assistant Secretary - Marie Murphy; Treasurer - Bridie Milward; Assistant Treasurer - Margaret Martin; PRO - Catherine Kenny. The Chairperson then addressed the meeting and said that she was delighted to have a new committee in place and that she hopes the club will continue to grow in the coming year.

•Castlelyons Home and Garden Club resumes on Thursday, February 18th in the Community Centre with another interesting and varied calendar of events. We are starting off the year with a talk entitled "Landscape Solutions" given by Niall O'Liathain. All welcome.

## Community Care Group

- Open House will re-commence next Tuesday @ 2pm. All welcome. Anyone needing transport please contact Winnie on 087-2178877. We will have light exercise, bingo and of course a chat over our cuppa and homemaking!
- Anyone interested in joining our group or helping out please come along on Tuesday.

## Kilmagner School – TABLE QUIZ

Our Fund raising table quiz takes place next Mon. Feb 8<sup>th</sup> night at the Wagon Tavern Fermoy @ 8.30pm sharp. Tables of up to 5 people €30. Great prizes and fun assured. Your support is greatly appreciated.



## Pipeband

• Lotto – No's drawn 3.14. 17. 24. No Winner. € 15 each to Shane Moroney, Noreen Moroney both c/ o Eilis O'Brien. B.O'Brien, Mick Cummins both c / o Ann Murphy. John Healy c / o Abbey Tavern. Next week's jpot will be € 11050 draw will be held in The Abbey Tavern.

## St Colmans College

St Colmans College Parents Association annual church gate collection will take place on the weekend of the 13th and 14th February in Castlelyons and Coolagown please support .

## St Nicholas AC

- On Sat we had Patsy Collins & Breda Cahill competing in the Doneraile Park 5k with both coming home in a time of 29.54.
- On Sunday the attention turned to Dungarvan where we had 6 runners in action at the John Treacy 10 mile road race. Competitors were Bernard Corrigan, Joan Looby, Jenna Leetch, John Drislane , Alan Looby and Donal O'Brien. Well done to all.
- Our latest 'couch to 5k' series is now underway. There's still plenty of time left for anyone who would like to take part to join in. Training sessions are held each Monday, Wednesday & Friday evenings at 7pm at the Fr Ferris Field, Castlelyons. Enquiries to Dick O'Brien, 086-2177387. Beginners or those looking to return to fitness are all welcome.
- Adult training for club members continues on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays @7pm and Sunday mornings @9.30am, all from Fr Ferris Field. All adult members are kindly asked to send all race results & photos or anything else for inclusion in the weekly report to adult PRO, Allen Cotter, by Sunday evening (086-8900724 , cotterallen@hotmail.com or via Facebook)
- Juvenile track and field training for all registered athletes will commence on Tuesday the 23rd February, weather permitting, in Fr Ferris community field from 7pm-8pm. Athletes born in 2008 and older will be training towards track and field events with the younger athletes taking part in Little Athletics which is a combination of fun and fitness. If there are parents interested in becoming a coach please contact Pat O'Sullivan on 087-8188612 for further information. For juvenile training we will be operating a rota whereas a number of parents of registered athletes will be required to help out the coaches at a training session - this should work out that each parent will be helping out at 3 or 4 training sessions over the year. A text will be sent to the relevant parents in advance of each weeks training with parents who can't make it being asked to organise a replacement.
- The Munster indoor athletics are taking place in Nenagh, Tipperary on the 13th, 14th, 20th and 21st of February. U9 to U13 athletes (born 2008 to 2005) are competing on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> with the entry closing date this Friday the 5<sup>th</sup> February. U14 to U19 athletes (born 2003 to 1999) are competing on 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> with the entry closing date this Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> February. Please check <http://www.munsterathletics.com> or contact Pat O'Sullivan on 087-8188612 for further information ASAP.
- An assistant coach course will be held at CIT on Saturday, February the 20<sup>th</sup> while an athletic leader course will also be held in CIT the following week on Saturday, February the 27<sup>th</sup>. The courses are scheduled to run from 9am to 4:30pm. Early booking is essential as places are limited. Please contact Pat O'Sullivan on 087-8188612.

**Castlbridge Celtic F.C** - On the 12th of March we will be hosting a fundraising virtual race night in Castlelyons Community Centre in aid of necessary refurbishments to our clubs facilities. Horses can be bought by any individual or syndicate for €30 each and this includes naming the horse, the jockey and the owner. The prize money for each race is €60 for 1st place, €30 for second and €15 for third, there will also be a Tote bookmaker there on the night to take your bets!!Also as with all fundraisers we need the kind help of local businesses to sponsor our event, with adverts in the racecard available at €50 for a full page advert, €30 for a half page and €20 for a quarter page. Races are available to sponsor at €100 per race which includes a free half page advert. Horses and races can be sponsored through any club officer or by contacting Joe on 086 1278009 or Kieran on 087 9397856. Admission is free and each patron will receive a free racecard, there will be a full bar in the centre so what better way to spend an evening! Put it in the diary, Castlebridge Celtic Fundraising Race Night, Castlelyons Community Centre, 12th of March, 8.30pm, all welcome, see you there!!

### **Castlelyons Camogie Club Notes**

- Under 12's - Training resumes this Saturday 6th February in Astro Turf @5.20-6.30pm. For U12's (children born 2004 & 2005). Please have helmets, shin guards, runners and hurley's taped. (All Enquires to Teresa on 087 9771899)
- Under 18's - Castlelyons are fielding an under 18 team and all are welcome. Contact Joe@ 086 1278009 for further details.
- Registration Night - Castlelyons Camogie Club will host there registration night on Wednesday 10th February at 7.30pm in the community centre. All players must be registered before they can play for the upcoming season for insurance purposes.
- U6, U7 & U8's - Training has started for the U6, U7 & U8's (Children Born 2008, 2009 & 2010) in Castlelyons Community Centre on Saturday morning 10.30 – 11.30, so join us for some fun & games, no helmets required as it will be non-contact, €2 entry.

### **Castlelyons Juvenile GAA Club Notes.**

- New Registrations - Registration forms are available from all the managers at the next couple of training sessions and we would encourage everyone to fill out the forms as soon as possible. Please remember to return the Code of Conduct forms, signed to managers at your next training session.
- Lotto - Thank you to everyone who supports our weekly lotto. Next week's Jackpot is a fantastic €6,200. If you're not in, you can win!!!
- Training - Astro turf Training incurs a fee of €2 per child, to cover the cost of the pitch rental.  
U7/8 – 2016. Training continues this Saturday in the Astro Turf in Bridesbridge from 11.00-12.00am.  
U9/U10 – 2016. Training continues this Saturday in the Astro Turf in Bridesbridge from 10.00-11.00am.  
U13/U14 – 2016. Training continues every Monday night in the Astro Turf in Bridesbridge from 6.00-7.00.  
U16 – 2016. Training continues in Fermoy pool, on Tuesday nights from 7pm.  
U18 Minor – 2016. Training continues on Wednesday nights in the Astro turf in Bridesbridge from 8.00-9.15pm.
- Foundation Coaching Course - Castlelyons Juvenile GAA club are running a Foundation Level Coaching Course on Friday 4th March & Saturday 5th March. It is a 7 hour course run over Friday evening and Saturday morning. The course will be held in the Community Centre hall and will be given by Shane Supple, who is a Games Development Officer with Cork County Board. The course is aimed at beginner coaches, parents of children that are starting to play hurling and also to anyone that has an interest in learning best practices to coaching young children. If you are interested in attending please contact the Castlelyons Juvenile Coaching Officer, Shane O'Neill at O'Neill\_shane@yahoo.com or at 086 609 9508.

### **Castlelyons GAA Club - Clubs Main Sponsor: - ZEUS Packaging Group**

- Football Championship Fixtures - Castlelyons are playing in the East Cork Junior A Football Championship in 2016 and we are drawn in a derby first round versus Glenville to be played on or before the 26th March. We are playing in the A Under 21 Football Championship for 2016 after our win in the B Grade last year and we are drawn against Glanmire to be played on or before Saturday 6th March. Mark Murphy has been appointed Manager and his selection team are Mark O Flynn, Michael Spillane and Ronan Fenton. The lads are also managing the U21 hurlers this year also and we wish them the best for the season.
- St Colman's make a point but lose out in Dr Harty Cup - 0-13 to 1-9  
We are proud of our Castlelyons lads who had a great season with the College - Jamie, Niall and Keith O Leary, Barry and John Paul Murphy. No doubt these lads will drive on for Castlelyons and some of the lads for Cork Minors later on.
- Cork GAA Clubs Draw - Congratulations to Fr. Michael Madden, our former Parish Priest and great supporter who was a recent winner in the January Cork GAA Clubs Draw of a Luxury Mini Break.
- Best wishes to Ned Fitzgerald - We wish to extend best wishes to a great clubman Eddie Fitzgerald of Fitzgerald Bros, Butchers in Fermoy who was hospitalised recently. However, Ned is getting better every day and coming back to fitness again.
- Club Lotto draw Monday 1.2.2016 - Numbers drawn were 19, 20 24 and 27. There was No Winner. However, the eight Lucky Dip €20 winners were as follows: - Donal O Connell - Donal O Connell; Eilís O Brien - Christy Daly; Breda Cotter - Bridie Millward; Paul O Dwyer - Clam Carroll; Nell O Sullivan - Mary Fenton; Denis Granville - Macs Shop; Cathy Drislane - Pat Collins; Paul Barry - Mike Hegarty. Our Jackpot is for €6,200. Next week's draw is on Monday 8th February and will take place at the Community Centre. You can play Lotto Online by checking our Website or buying your ticket from any of the usual outlets. Thanks for your support.
- Scór Sinsir - This year's Scór Sinsir Uí Mac Coille finals held in Lisgoold on Sunday night were the best for many years and Castlelyons took part in three competitions. Eilís Uí Bhrián took part in the recitation/ storytelling with a lovely piece "Wet a drop of Tea". Our Quiz Team led by Kevin Cotter, John Parker and thanks to John Drislane and Pdraig O Brien who stepped in at short notice put in a good showing. Our Ballad Group of Pdraig O Brien, John Drislane, Willie Collins and Dick O Brien performed outstanding but were beaten into second by five lovely ladies from Killeagh. We wish to thank all who took part and especially Eilís and our Ballad Group who did so much preparation for the night.
- Scór na bPaistí - All roads lead again to Lisgoold this weekend for the quarter finals of Scór na bPaistí on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Kilmagner N.S are on first for us on Saturday with representation in the solo singing and a ballad group while Castlelyons N.S. are on at 1 pm on Sunday with representation in the solo singing, recitation and a quiz team. Thanks to our teachers for taking so much time to prepare participants. Let's give them some support, please. Also, best wishes to all undertaking the entry exams to the post primary schools in Fermoy on Saturday next.
- Sympathy - Sincere sympathies were extended to the Buckley, Corcoran and Morrison families in their recent bereavements at the Club's monthly meeting Ar dheis Dé go raibh a ainmeacha dílis.
- Meeting - Monday 8th February at 8.30 pm - There will be a special, club meeting on Monday 8th February at 8.30 pm. It is hoped to finalise arrange arrangements for the services at upcoming Knockanard Point to Point Races. All member's both ladies and gents who wish to assist are asked to attend please.