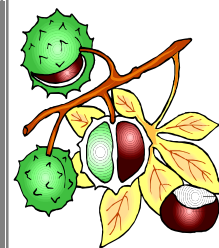


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COMMUNITY SUPER DRAW

Castlelyons Community Council has launched a fantastic Super Draw. Over the next 12 months we are paying out €2,000 in prizes each month which is an **annual total of €24,000**. The monthly prizes consist of:- First Prize €1,000, Second Prize €500, 5 follow on prizes of €100. All this for only €10 per month over 12 months or €120 per year. We are limiting this draw to 400 participants so get in fast and don't get caught out. •Think of it - 7 prizes per month over 12 months = 84 winners •maximum participants = 400 •Do the maths 400 divided 84 = **a 1 in 5 chance of winning!!**

You may ask what is this all in aid of well I will tell you....Since 2000 we have spent over €400,000 in the following project : **1** Purchase of Fr Ferris Community Field **2** Installation of 50 space car park **3** State of the art Playground **4** Lime Kiln Restoration **5** All-purpose Community Sports Field **6** All-weather Perimeter walk/running track **7** Lighting for walkway. Having completed all the above projects we were left with an outstanding balance of over €90,000 at the start of this year, with your help in the scrap metal scheme where we raised €10,000 now leaves us with a 80K balance. Our target is to wipe out this debt over the next 4 years (or less). With your help this can be achieved. Tickets available from all working Community Councillors, alas some areas in our community failed to forward a candidate in the Community elections, if you have any queries please contact the Secretary on 087-4104730.

Barrymore Players

- The Barrymore Players are busy getting organised for the one act Drama Festival and there is great interest in the event this year. Our own group are also in rehearsal for the Festival. This year's festival is in the capable hands of Festival Director Martha O'Riordan with the entire group lending a helping hand over the week end. Please remember the date 19th, 20th and 21st. Nov.
- The group have a cast of over 70 in this years Panto which will be staged in early December. Further details of both events will be announced nearer the date. **PLEASE NOTE** – rehearsals for Panto on Mon Nov 7th will take place an hour earlier for both junior and senior members. Check out revised rehearsal schedule on the Barrymore Players page on the Parish Website.

Halloween Party

The annual Halloween Party run by the Castlelyons NS Parents Association will be held on Friday October 28th from 6.30pm – 8pm in the Community Centre. This is for all primary school children and younger.



St Nicholas Athletics Club

- The last 2 Sunday's saw 14 and 13 athletes respectively competing in the Cork County Cross Country Championships in tough hilly fields in Carrig Na bhFear and Conna. All of our athletes performed admirably on both days and again thanks to all parents who brought these young athletes to compete. Congratulations go to our boys U12 team who won a bronze team medal in Carrig Na bhFear - the team consisted of David Morrison, Billy O'Brien, James Kearney and Richard Morrison. Special mention for her attributes goes to Sarah Morrison who, at 8 years of age, won silver in the U10 girls and gold in the U9 girls race.
- Cork County Cross Country 'B' championships are in Carrig Na bhFear on Sunday the 30th October 2011 for all athletes who have not won a Cork cross country medal this year - please give names of interested athletes to Pat O'Sullivan at training.
- Cross country training continues every Tuesday night in the community field from 7 to 8pm. All are welcome to participate.
- We have also started a walking group which meets at the national school car park every Monday and Thursday at 7:30pm. Come along for the chat and the walk !!

Fr.Ferris Park

A meeting will take place on Mon. night next to discuss the future plans, maintenance, running costs, improvements and any other relevant issues of the Fr.Ferris Community Park. All interested parties are asked to attend and everyone is very welcome to come along.8.30 pm. at the community centre.

Pipeband Lotto 12/10/11

Numbers drawn : 1, 16, 18, 19. No winner. €15 to Geno c/o Mark Broderick, Ann Hegarty c/o Mary O'Brien, Billy Murphy and Eilis O'Brien c/o Eilis O'Brien, Sean O'Sullivan c/o Maura O'Sullivan. Next weeks jackpot €6.700. Draw in Abbev Bar

Castlelyons Flower & Garden Club.

• Castlelyons Flower & Garden Club will celebrate their ten years in existence with a Gala Night in the Community Centre, on October 21st @ 8pm. The Demonstrator will be Elizabeth Fitzgerald from Mallow and a great night is guaranteed. The proceeds this year will go towards Cystic Fibrosis, St. Vincent de Paul and the Community Field Project. Tickets €10 with great raffle prizes. Please support this event as some of the money is going toward the Community Field. The Flower and Garden Club have down through the years given great support to this project and *urge all users of the Playground/walkway and community pitch to give their support to this event.*

Retirement of Mr Tom Murray

There will be a celebratory retirement function for Tom Murray, Principle of Kilmagner National School for 34 years on Friday the 11th of November 2011 at Castlelyons Community Centre at 8pm where there will be refreshments and music. Tom would be delighted to see past pupils, families, colleagues and friends to help celebrate this special occasion. Due to limited space, we would request that only students who have completed their leaving certificate and upwards attend this event. Contact Therese Ryan 087-2274167 for further information on ticket price/purchase.

Castlelyons Intermediate G.A.A. [Main Sponsor South Coast Transport] www.castlelyongaa.com

☉ The Castlelyons GAA Lotto has now reached a fine figure of €17,800. All monies raised go directly to the Adult and Juvenile GAA and Camogie clubs and also to maintenance and ongoing improvement of the Club facilities. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who support these clubs through the Lotto draw.

☉ Junior Football League Div 3 -- Castlelyons 3-15 v Glenbower Rovers

Castlelyons Junior Footballers had a clear win over Glenbower Rovers in the league game played at Castlelyons on Monday evening 10th October. Team: Alan Barry, Conor McNulty, Cian O'Leary, Steven Joyce, Larry Murphy, Sean Kenny (0-1), Eoin Maye (0-1), Bryan Carroll, Aidan O'Sullivan, Darran Tobin(0-1), Ronan Fenton (0-5), Darragh Lawlor (0-1), Michael Spillane (3-3). Shane O'Sullivan, Alan O'Regan (0-2). Subs Used: Ciaran McGann, Liam Breakspear, Tom Carroll.

☉ Congratulations - The club extends best wishes to Michael O'Donovan and Margaret O'Neill who got married at the weekend. Best wishes also to Declan Whelan and Ann Flynn who got married also at the weekend.

☉ Cork GAA Clubs Draw - The time for renewal of membership is here again. Everyone who was a member last year will have received notification directly by now. There is a first prize of at least €10,000 each month and many more attractive prizes. At least €45 of each ticket price stays in the club. The price is €100 for the year. It is important that Castlelyons is nominated as the club when purchasing the ticket. Please contact any member of the Committee for more information. As always we take this opportunity to thank all who support the club financially by entering this draw, buying lotto tickets weekly and through sponsorship. ☉ Course for Referees - There will be a course for people interested in becoming referees early in December. Anyone interested should contact Donal Barry 0868950292.

☉ Lotto-Jackpot €17,800. Numbers drawn 6, 8, 10 and 22. There was no jackpot winner. The following won €20 each.

Kieran and Carol, c/o Abbey Bar Pat Bransfield, c/o J Moroney Michael Creed, Boolabwee, c/o Castlelyons P.O
Tricia Geary, Ballyvolane, c/o Castlelyons P.O. Phil White, Fermoy, c/o C Daly J P Dorgan, c/o M Dorgan
Phil Dahill, c/o Blondie A E M H Meade, Grange, c/o Castlelyons P.O.

Next week's draw will be at the Abbey Bar, Castlelyons, The jackpot will be €17,800.

Castlelyons Juvenile GAA Notes (Main Sponsors: Riordan's Super Valu Fermoy)

■ Eastern A Grade Hurling Chmpshp 1st Round
Castlelyons 3-12 , Watergrasshill 4-14 (After Extra Time) . Last Wednesday night Castlelyons U15 Hurlers took on Watergrasshill in the 1st round of the Eastern A Grade Hurling Championship. It ended with a disappointing result to a match that for long periods Castlelyons looked like winning.

Panel: Jack. Barry , Brendan Geary, Declan Varner, Tom Collins, Shane Fenton, Michael Cronin, Mikey Geary, Cian .O Flynn, Shane Moroney (capt), Jeff Riordan, Seamus Moroney.

■ U13 Premier 2 Hurling County Quarter Final -- Castlelyons 8-13 , Bishopstown 1-3
Last Saturday our U13 Hurlers played Bishopstown in the County Quarter Final of the Premier 2 Hurling Championship. Game was played in Caherlag. Panel: John Paul Murphy, Redmond Walsh , Niall O Leary, Robert Ryan , Seamus Moroney, Barry Murphy, Oran O Flynn, Keith O Leary, Shane Bargery (capt), Ian Riordan, Jamie O Leary, Andrew O Neill, Mark Spillane, Pearse Varner, James McCarthy, Thomas Gunter Quinn, Michael Buckley, Emmett Riordan.

■ AGM : The Juvenile GAA Clubs annual AGM is on Fri Nov 11th in the Community Center @ 8pm.
■ Puc Fada – This will take place Dec 26th 11am to 1pm from Galvins Cross to Kennys Cross. Monies raised will go to local charities. Community bar will open at 12 noon for earlier finishers!

■ We would like to offer its condolences to the Lenihan Family Kilcor Castlelyons on the recent death of John's Uncle.

Castlebridge Celtic:

• Academy: Our soccer academy including Under 6s, Under 8s and Under 10s will continue on Saturdays at the astro pitch starting at 3pm for Under 6s and 8s (born 2004, 2005 and 2006) and at 4pm for Under 10s (born 2002 and 2003). New players welcome. For any information on the academy contact Paul at 086 8733738 or Oisín at 087 3157309.

• Astro Pitch now open for bookings - ontact Paul at 086 8733738 or Gene at 086 3754178



Answers to last issues Dingbats...

1. A bad spell of weather
2. Under Cover Cop
3. A Play on Words
4. Arch Bishop
5. High Tea

This Fortnights Dingbats !

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Avondhu Blackwater Partnership – Water Meter Training

Avondhu Blackwater Partnership will be holding Water Meter Training courses to train people in the installation of water meters in the houses of the Parish to comply with upcoming legislation. The training will take place in Mallow on 24th October and Blarney also on 24th October. Please contact Alan Buckley on 025 33411 for further details (alanb@avondhublackwater.com)

Heritage and Tidy Towns Group : There was a great turn out for the release of the ducks and geese in the Village Park last Sunday (9th Oct). No ducks (Mallards) have been seen in the Park for some time and with this reintroduction and with your help we hope this will be a new beginning and a pleasing feature for all to enjoy. With regards feeding we would be grateful if you would read the information sheets, attached to the fence near the stream for more detailed on this, but in short: BREAD is the equivalent to JUNK FOOD for the birds. Specially formulated food can be fed to the ducks; this pellet food can be purchased from Bobs shop. The proceeds will help to maintain and further develop the wildfowl population locally on behalf of Castlelyons Tidy Towns Group. Please recycle the plastic bag in the box provided, as it can be used again.

| ««« SPORTS FIXTURES »»»» | | | | | |
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| Club / Grade | Date | Versus | Venue | Time | Other information |
| Hurling U13 County Semi-Final | Sat Oct 22 nd | | | | Further details later |
| Football U15 Chmpshp 1 st Rnd | Sun Oct 16 th | Donoughmore | Castlelyons | 4pm | |
| Hurling Blitz U8 | Sat Oct 22 nd | | Rathcormac | | |
| JBHL | Fri Oct 14 th | Lisgold | Home | 8pm | |
| MHL | Sun Oct 16 th | Sarsfields | Riverstown | 12 noon | |
| JFL | Sat Oct 15 th | Cloyne | Cloyne | 4pm | |
| Soccer U12 SFAI | Sat Oct 15 th | Riverstown | Home | 12.45pm | Dressing Rm 12noon |
| Soccer U16 WVEC | Sun Oct 16 th | Brideview | Home | 11am | Dressing Rm 10.15 |
| Soccer U14 SFAI | Sun Oct 16 th | Mallow | Mallow | 12 noon | Cars Leaving 10.30M |
| Soccer WVEC Premier Junior | Sun Oct 16 th | Pinewood | Ballymacarbery | 11.30am | Texts will be sent |