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"SPRING CHORUS"

The week-end of "Spring Chorus" has finally arrived! We will all be entertained by the 50 strong cast of "Spring Chorus" which opens in the Community Centre this Friday night @ 8pm and continues Saturday and Sunday night. A great line up of music, song, dance and comedy will hit the stage in what has been described as a "Spectacular Show".

The first night is a fundraiser for M. S. Looking forward to seeing you there !



Community Council March Meeting -

- The March meeting of the Community Council was held on Wed. March 7th and after a delayed start the meeting opened with a discussion on punctuality and attendance of members at meetings. Members are asked to be present for the start of meetings at 8.30pm sharp. The continuing poor attendance record of some members of the Community Council also came up for discussion as it was felt that all areas should have representation on the Council. The views and opinions of as many people as possible are important in discussing community matters especially as each member is elected by the wider community. It is hoped that attendance will improve for future meetings.
- The grant application for the proposed planting of a line of trees along the Grand Avenue along with associated landscaping has been applied for and we await the outcome before the project will commence.
- It was brought to the attention of the meeting about illegal dumping taking place at "Ard na Ri" estate and also some buildings which were a danger to children. It was felt that the liquidator in charge of the estate should be contacted and the problems reported in an effort to ensure the estate be kept in order. A report will be brought back for the April meeting.
- The proposed new development at Glanbia Castlelyons was discussed but as no plans were available for viewing the Chairman felt that a discussion was meaningless until the planning details could be viewed on paper. It was decided to get a copy of the plans so that people would be aware of what the development would entail for the community in general and the immediate residents.
- The clean-up of the graveyard is continuing on Saturdays and any volunteers are welcome to come along and help out.
- Votes of sympathy were passed to the families of those recently bereaved. These include Barry family, Mellifontstown, Meade family, Francistown, Hegarty family, Coolagown, and Moran family, Ballyarra Terrace.

Sponsored FUN Walk/Jog/Run

A sponsored Walk / Jog / Run will take place in Castlelyons on Sunday April 1st. Meet up at the Community Centre at 10.30am to Sign-In. Walks to suit all 2km / 5km / 7km.

Please contact Claire Quirke on 087-7958000 or Siún Spillane 086-4021213 for Sponsor Cards.



Pitch & Putt Club

- Well done to Majella and Kevin who won both 4-ball competitions last Sunday morning - great start to the day for them!
- Teams for the Spring Leagues are posted in our *spanking new clubhouse*. Competition starts this Sunday and goes on for three weeks.
- We would love to see new people joining the club. If you think this might be the relaxing sport for you, why not pay green fees (only €5 for as long as you want) and see how you get on. Membership forms are available in clubhouse or from any committee member.



Heritage and Tidy Towns Group

- The Tidy Towns Group will be meeting up again next Saturday (24th 10am till whenever) to carry on with the next phase of the clean-up of the Old Graveyard please come along and give us a hand as many hands make light work. We would like to thank all those came out to help on Saturday 10th, trojan work was done and is obvious for all to see with the removal of many overgrown and dead trees. (P.S. you can't beat a good cuppa tea with a homemade scone with jam out in the open air, many thanks Liz.)

Pipeband Lotto - 21.03.12. Numbers drawn 9, 10, 18, 19. €15 to Gerald O'Brien, Miriam O'Keefe both c/o Eilis O'Brien, Nora Forde, Eileen Forde both c/o Maura O'Sullivan, Gerry Murphy c/o Jimmy O'Sullivan. Next draw Mar 28th in the Peddlars Rock Bar. Jackpot is €10,000

Castlelyons N.S. - Clárú - parents intending to send their child to school this September may obtain an Application Form by contacting the school on 025-36220.



Anniversary: The 29th anniversary of John Burns late of Kent Terrace takes place at this time.

Order of Malta Ambulance Corps

On the 31st March the Order of Malta Ambulance Corps are holding their first open evening at 2pm at the Pipe Band room in Bridesbridge, Castlelyons. Open to members of the public or anyone who may be interested in the Ambulance Corps this is an opportunity to see what the Order of Malta has to offer to individuals of all ages and to give them an insight into what services we provide in the community. The evening will commence with a short talk on the history of the Order of Malta Ambulance Corps followed by demonstrations and afterwards refreshments will be served.

Castlebridge Celtic



- On Saturday morning last in Tallow, we played Brideview in the final league game to decide the title. Up to this game this Castlebridge team had not lost a game all season and hopes of a second league title in a row were high. Final score 2-1.
- On Monday our Under 12s hosted Ballybridge with the winner almost guaranteed the league title. However after an hour of tense, end to end football, neither side could break down the other and a nil all draw means that both will have to wait for the final game of the season to decide who takes the title. Well done to both teams on a great game.
- Later on Monday afternoon, our Under 14s managed to take all three points from Brideview to take over top spot with one round of games left. A great game which saw 5 goals ended with Celtic winning on a 3-2 score line after twice coming from a goal down. A win over Ballybridge in the final game will mean we get the league shield so hopefully we will go on and do so in two weeks time.
- Soccer Academy - Academy is back on Saturday March 24th from 3 to 5 pm on the astro pitch. All new players welcome to come along. Also all players are reminded to bring back Small Sided League forms and also registration for the Easter Soccer camp will take place.
- Easter Soccer Camp - Also the club will be running a short camp over three days from April 3rd to 5th. Registration forms are available and completed forms can be handed in this Saturday at the pitch from 3 to 5pm. Contact Damien on 0863264022 or Oisín on 0873157309 for more details or to book a place.
- Lotto - Draw held in Abbey on March 16th. Numbers drawn 68, 86, 91. Match 2: Carmel Cotter. Next draw on Friday 23rd March in Peddlars Rock. Jackpot €11,950. Tickets available from usual sellers.

Camogie Club

- The camogie club are hosting the Ciara O'Brien Memorial Blitz on Saturday March 24th. Matches start at 12 noon and everyone is welcome to attend and support the players, the club and Ciaras family on the day. After the final there will be a presentation of the Ciara O'Brien perpetual cup. Refreshments will be served.
- Congratulations to the Camogie Juveniles who won the Youth Award at the St Patrick Day parade in Fermoy last Sunday. Many thanks to all those who walked and supported the girls.

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

- Under 14 Eastern Region 'A' Grade Football League - Castlelyons 1-17 Glenville 2-10
Last Thursday night Castlelyons under 14's took on Glenville in the U14 Football League.
- U12 at Mini Games - Our U12 hurlers travelled to Pairc Ui Chaoimh last Sunday to compete in the mini games held at half time of the Cork v Galway League Game. This was a great occasion for our young players. They initially got to make a Guard of Honour for Cork and Galway as they made their way onto the pitch and then took to the pitch themselves at half time. Castlelyons played Mayfield in an 11 a side game and performed brilliantly in front of the big match crowd. Thanks to the parents for travelling on the day and James O'Neill (mentor) for co-ordinating this trip. Team: Kevin McCarthy, James Kearney, Eoin O'Neill, Shane Cotter, Gavin O'Neill, Kevin Mullen, Peter Hegarty, Conor McCarthy, Peter Roche, Shane Flynn, Declan Morrison, Seamus Morrison.
- Best of Luck - Castlelyons Juvenile GAA Club would like to wish the Footballers of St. Colman's College the very best of Luck when they play in the All Ireland Colleges Football Semi Final next Saturday.

Intermediate GAA Club (Main Sponsor – South Coast Transport)

- U21 B Football Championship - Castlelyons 2-11 v Carrigtwohill 0-5
The Castlelyons U21 Footballers had a clear win over Carrigtwohill in the first round of the championship at Killeagh on Monday 19th March. This was a fine display of football from a side that can improve further and will need to as they can expect more competitive opposition than they met in this game.
- Intermediate Hurling League, Div 2. - Castlelyons 1-14 v Kilbrittain 0-11
The Intermediate team were away to Kilbrittain in this second game of the league on Sunday 19th March and in game which had a lot good hurling held the lead all through and finished with a two goal advantage. This was an impressive and well-earned win, well done to all concerned.
- Good Luck - St Colman's College Are playing the All Ireland Senior Football Championship semi-final against Ulster Champions St Paul's of Bessbrook, Co Armagh on Saturday 24th March at 2:30 at Portarlinton. There is a big Castlelyons presence on the panel. We wish them all the best of luck in the game.
- Lotto - 14, 15 22, and 27. There was no jackpot winner. The following each won €20 each.
Michelle Tobin, c/o J Martin, Dave McDonnell, c/o s Barry, Maureen McNally, c/o Farrier's Bar, Coolagown
Ned Fitzgerald, Kill-St-Anne, c/o N Fitzgerald, Bridie Milward, Abbey lane, c/o B Milward
Tom Walsh, Fermoy, c/o N Fitzgerald, M and N Martin, c/o D Hegarty, Mary Dorgan, Killawillin, c/o M Dorgan.
Next draw will be at the Abbey Bar, Castlelyons. The jackpot will be €8,200.
- Membership is now overdue. €50 is the rate for 2012. For students over the age of 21 it is €30 and for students under the age of 21 it is €20. It is important that all players and people involved in club activities should pay their membership. Please attend to it immediately. Membership can be paid to the treasurer, Con Lawlor or Registrar, Donal O'Connell.

SPORTS FIXTURES



MATCH	DATE & TIME	VERSUS	VENUE	MORE INFO
Hurling– Intermediate Chall	Sun Mar 25 th – 11.30am	Glenmore, Kilkenny	Home	
Hurling – Minors League	Wed Apr 4 th – 7.30pm	Carrigtwohill	Carrigtwohill	
Football – U13 League	Sat Mar 24 th - 3pm	Aghabullogue	Aghabullogue	Cars leaving 1.45pm
Football – U16 League	Sun Mar 25 th – 3pm	Western Gales	Home	
Football – U14 Féile	Mon Mar 26 th – 7.30pm	Ballygarvan	Home	
Soccer – U11 League	Sat Mar 24 th – 11am	Clashmore	Home	Dressing Rooms 10.15am
Soccer – Youth league	Sun Mar 25 th – 10.45am	Ringmahon	Home	