

# **Clonegal Kildavin**

# **Community Newsletter**



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Email maggie1980@live.ie before 5pm on Thursday for inclusion in the following weekends Newsletter or phone 087 8380018 This Newsletter is published and distributed fortnightly.

#### Have you ever googled yourself?

Do you find accessing and using web searches challenging? Are you overwhelmed by Technology? If yes, a KCETB funded programme will commence on Monday October 14th in the Spellman Hall Kildavin at 7,30pm. The programme is intended to help participants carry out web searches with a focus on finding out information on their own and their community's history. The programme is free and will last for six weeks and all are welcome, Devices will be provided so places are limited. To register ring Mgt @)0878380018 before 3pm on Monday October 14th.

We are back. Exercise Classes: will resume in Spellman Hall Kildavin on Thursday October 17th at 8pm. Classes delivered by Paul Kelly. They are free. All are welcome. Classes are suitable for those who are novices in the world of exercise and of course all who want to pick up from where we left off last year.

**Pickleball.** Is one of the world's fastest growing sports, suitable for all ages. Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players have received funding for pickleball equipment. It will be set up in the Spellman Hall Kildavin on Sunday October 20th at 2pm just to experiment with initially. Anyone interested in sharing in "trying it out" are welcome to come along

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Hollywood comes to Kildavin: The Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players will host a showing of the Cranavane Holy Wells Committee's film "Our Heritage The Ancient Parish of Barragh" in the Spellman Hall Kildavin on Saturday November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8pm. Stephen Rea the Hollywood actor narrated the production and many of your friends and neighbours feature in it. You will also learn a lot about the rich history and heritage of the area. The event is free. Refreshments will be served.

Memory Wall Commemorations will take place again this year. The first will be in the Spellman Park Kildavin at 2pm on Sunday November 17<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. The following Sunday the ceremony will be in the Ben Mullhall Memorial Park on Sunday November 24<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon. Anyone wishing to have their loved ones commemorated on the wall in either venue, please contact any member of the Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players Committee well in advance of the ceremonies. The cost is a once off €50. Almost one hundred families are already commemorated on these walls so come along to help those families remember their loved ones.

**Publication**: Finishing touches are being put to the reproduction of some editions of the Parish Magazine "The Call" produced between 1968 and 1974. They contain interesting accounts of life lived in the community in this period. Many of you will recognize, names and events mentioned. Look out for its launch.

**Podcast:** Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players Podcast Chatterbox Y21 is as always available. You can listen wherever you get your podcasts or on Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players Facebook Page, Clonegal Kildavin Community Website Facebook Page and Clonegal Kildavin Website.

#### Runners and Walkers wanted for Outrun Hunger 5k

Whether you run, jog, or walk you can help St Clare's Hospitality Food Kitchen, Carlow 'Outrun Hunger.'

Sat Oct 19<sup>th</sup> 10am - Carlow Rugby Club, Oak Park, Carlow R93 RX25

Registration opens 8.30am

Refreshments & prize-giving afterwards in Carlow Rugby Club,

T-shirts, medals & refreshments for all participants.

- 1. Adult Entry €20
- 2. **U18 Entry: €5** u18s must be accompanied by an adult.
- 3. Team of 4 Corporate Team Challenge Cup: €200 any 4 adults from a business

**Social Prescribing Service,** is being operated from St Catherines Community service St. Joseph's Road in Carlow. It is a free support to County Carlow citizens that aims to reduce Social Isolation and improve people Health and Wellbeing. Contact Sinéad Fox Social Prescribing Link worker @ 0864147511 or email socialprescribing@catherines.ie

**Living Well Expo** Woodford Dolmen Hotel Carlow October 22<sup>nd</sup> 10,Am to 2pm Information Stands and Inspirational Speakers 2pm to 4pm Tea Dance: Admission Free Refreshments Served Showcasing support services for people over 55 in County Carlow

## An initiative for young people 16-18yrs

This is a collaborative project and a countywide workshop will be held in Bagenalstown Community Garden on **Saturday 19**<sup>th</sup> **October** *for young people who are 16-18years* and interested in gaining skills and experience to be future leaders of the community. Contact: Laura 0871025640

#### KILDAVIN / CLONEGAL G.A.A./EN MULHALL PARK

Lotto Sept 29th 2024

#### Winning Numbers 01-03 -10 -15

No Winner
Next Jackpot €10000
5 Match 3 Winners each receive €30
Sollers Prize: Brud Murphy

Sellers Prize: Brud Murphy

Full Results: kildavinclonegalgaa/benmulhalllotto Facebook page
Next Draw Dunnes Clonegal: Sunday September 29th 2024 9pm
€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: Once-off payments Budget 2025

- Once-off payment of €200 to people getting the <u>Living Alone</u> Increase in the week beginning 11 November 2024
- Once-off payment of €300 to people getting <u>Fuel Allowance</u> in the week beginning 4 November 2024
- Once-off payment of €400 to people getting the Working Family Payment in the week beginning 4 November 2024
- Once-off payment of €100 for each qualifying child to people who get an increase for a qualified child in the week beginning 25 November 2024
- Two double payments of <u>Child Benefit</u> for each child, one to be paid on 5 November 2024 and the second on 3 December 2024.
- A double week payment to people getting a long-term social welfare weekly payment in the week starting 28 October 2024 (in addition to the Christmas Bonus)
- Once-off payment of €400 to people getting <u>Disability</u>
   Allowance, Invalidity Pension or Blind Pension on 4 November 2024
- Once-off payment of €400 to people getting <u>Domiciliary Care</u>
   <u>Allowance</u> and/or the <u>Carer's Support Grant</u> in the week beginning
   11 November 2024

What is now the parish of Clonegal comprises the two ancient parishes of Moyacomb and Barragh.

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