23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 6th September 2015



Sixmileoridge + Kilmurry Darish Newsletter

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COMMUNITY GAMES MOTTO " A Healthy Mind in a Healthy Body"

HSE Community Games was founded in 1967 to provide young people with the means and the opportunity to utilise their leisure time in a healthy and productive manner. The organisation is child-centred and the focus is on participation rather than winning. Children compete in friendly rivalry, in a fun and healthy way.

To gualify for the National Festival - which are held in Athlone, individual competitors must first compete at an area, then at County and sometimes at Provincial level. 8,000 children compete in National Festivals every year. Community Games aims to provide opportunities for children and young people aged 6-16 years to develop active healthy lives in a safe environment through experiencing a wide range of sporting and cultural activities. Community spirit and co-operation is fostered and encouraged. The organisation believes that every young person should have the opportunity to take part in sports and art in their local community and grow up understanding how good it makes you feel when you are active and healthy.

The activities are divided into two categories -Individual and Team Events.

Sixmnilebridge/Kilmurry was one of the best developed communities in the past and could return there if more parents got involved.

Every child deserves an opportunity to participate but only can do so if parents give a little of their time to make that happen. "Allow a child to watch and you please them for a moment - allow a child to participate and you occupy them for a lifetime".

At the National Finals held in Athlone this month were Paul Hamilton - All Ireland Champion U14 Model Making and Ferdia O'Lionain was a member of Clare U14 mixed distance relay that won 4th place all Ireland medals. Other competitors from this community included, Ailise Roche, Cathal Ahern. David Hamilton. Alex Ellison + Dara Toomey.

For info contact Margaret O'Halloran - Secretary.

Community Notices

Bridge United Development Draw – July Winners €350 Jane Fitzpatrick €200 Kay Whyte €100 Sean Fitzgerald €50 Pat Gilligan €50 Tine & Barry Downes €705 was collected at recent Church gate collection many thanks to all who contributed and who continue to support our draw. Next draw takes place on Saturday 26th September.

Sixmilebridge ICA resume meetings and activities for the coming year on Wed 9th September at 8pm upstairs in the Credit Union. IWe look forward to welcoming back current members and new members are always welcome. Contact Guild secretary Carmel 087 6933300

Bus to National Ploughing Championships Tuesday 22nd September. Bus departs Ennis Temple Gate coach park at 6am via Newmarket, Sixmilebridge, Bunratty, Cratloe. Pre-booking and Deposit required. Ticket €20. Contact Michael Kearney 086-3733876 / 086-8467836 The National Grandparents pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine at Knock takes place on Sunday 13th September. Blessing of the sick 2.30pm, Mass at 3pm. Chief Celebrant - Bishop Brendan Leahy, Bishop of Limerick. Guest Soloist, Fr. Liam Lawton.

Tommy Fleming in Concert on the 3rd of October in Knockerra Hall. To book please call 089 2412943. Booking Essential.

AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE LOURDES The Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from Sunday 4th October to Friday 9th October. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan Shannon Pilgrimage Director, 061 364133.

POLAND PILGRIMAGE Divine Mercy Pilgrimage to Poland takes place on

October 5th 2015 for 9 nights. The Spiritual Director is Fr. John Walsh. Cost is €1169 Call Kathleen Hayes on 061 368549 / 085 1996440.

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING: Monday 14th September: District Daycare Centre, Clarecastle: 8pm: All welcome.

€3.600

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club LOTTO

Numbers drawn 14 18 22 30

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er	Rota Next Weekend Readers				Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
	Sat.	12th	7.00 p.m.	Carmel	С	В
	Sun.	13th	10.00 a.m.	Carmel	Noreen/Carmel	В
	Sun.	13th	11.00 a.m.	Joe	Α	В

Parish Office Mon - Fri. 10.00 a.m. - 12..00 Noon For Booking of Masses, Baptisms & Weddings. Baptisms take place at 12.00 Noon on Sundays in Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry

We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose Anniversaries occur at this time. May they Rest in Peace

Sat. 5th 7.00 p.m. Mary McInerney + Bridie Moloney Sun. 6th 11.00 a.m. Ita Tangney Billy + Kathleen Earls IN MEMORY Joe + Bernadette O'Halloran **Reddan Family Deceased** 7.00 p.m. Gerry, Kathleen + Callan Family. Sat. 12th Sun. 13th 11.00 a.m. Fr. Pat Cotter

Mass : Tuesday - Thursday 10.00 a.m. Friday 7.00 p.m.

Last Sunday's Mass intentions included Mary Kelly R.I.P. The newsletter should have read Mary Keogh (nee Kelly) R.I.P. Apologies to the family for this mistake.

Next Tuesday 8th September we celebrate the

Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your help or sought your intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by

this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To you I come, before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word incarnate, despise not my petitions, but, in your mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.

Meetings this week in Parish Office

Wednesday 6.30 p.m. Meaning to Life Wednesday 8.00 p.m. Parish / Pastoral Council

Eucharistic Adoration every Friday will resume on Friday 11th at 3.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. All are welcome.





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