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SPECIAL NOTICE

Many articles are still being received after the deadline date. We regret that in future articles sent in after the deadline date will not be included in that issue but will be held for the following month. The deadline date for the November issue is October 14th.

PAST PUPILS UNION

The Gym in the Post Primary School is available for Past Pupils every Wednesday night from 8 - 10 p.m. so do come along whenever you can.

FROM FR. LIAM ROE

St. Barnabo's Rectory,
409 East 241st Street,
Bronx,
New York, 10470, U.S.A.

To my dear friends in Maynooth and Ladychapel,

Thank you most sincerely for your very generous gift to me on my departure to America. I will remember you in my prayers and maybe you will do the same for me.

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Liam Roe.

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Editorial

he risk of being tiresome, we again draw attention to the Itinerant Problem in this area. We have mentioned it several times already and, instead of the situation improving, things have really got worse. More and more of these mobile homes are arriving and, eventually, it looks as if we will be as bad as allaght.

First, and maybe the most urgent matter with regard to these mobile homes, crowded as they are together, is the health hazard. Several roads in the town now literally stink, so much so that even the itinerants themselves are abandoning them. This constitutes a serious health hazard to the area and, in any other country such a hazard would not be accepted beside a village or town. After all, the County Council will not now planning permission for the building of a residence without most stringent planning arrangements and should they not now take steps to clean up the dirt and filth deposited at these encampments where 20-40 people are living, to arrange for regular disinfection.

To do about the sudden increase in house breaking and general theft is another question. It has cost householders a fortune to safeguard their houses even at that it is not sufficient. Don't say that itinerants have nothing to do with these - some have already been caught red-handed whilst circumstantial evidence is strong in many others.

Begging, an offence anyhow, is still rife and we can assume that when the gents return, we will see a big increase. It would seem as if begging is no longer an offence. Nothing is being done to stop it.

On the subject of begging, for the benefit of those who have not yet been caught, beware of a certain itinerant lady calling to homes, in turn, a story about her sick or dying husband. The 'poor man' is dying of leaemia, gone to hospital, a cripple, died and was resurrected several times. 'dear old lady' is very persuasive and an excellent actor. Beware! You have been warned.

It would, of course, be quite wrong to say that all people on the roadside are dissolute rascals but the percentage of villains is very high and it is very difficult for the average person to sort the good from the bad.

Why good people work for and among itinerants and these we recommend to help. They are trying to improve the itinerant's lot and are succeeding slowly but surely. There are, however, what might be termed a mischievous group who are inciting itinerants, goading them to be obstructionists, etc. but doing nothing positive to improve them. These we ask to desist or to change their attitude to a positive approach. Help itinerants to clean up their camp sites, and advise them to co-operate with the law and with the settled community. Help them to become people who can be accepted by the settled community. In this way will the problem be solved, but, in the meantime, the settled community must also be protected from the 'wrong ones'.

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FR. LIAM ROE

We would like to take this opportunity of wishing Fr. Liam Roe every success, health and happiness in his new appointment in America.

Fr. Roe spent many years with us in Maynooth parish, and was a very popular and very well liked priest with one and all. He was Chaplain to the Post Primary School during his time in Maynooth where he made many friends among the students.

Fr. Roe was a keen musician and helped organize, and took part in many very entertaining School Concerts and Plays. He also brought the students on school retreats, and various other outings which they really enjoyed. Both students and parents appreciated this very much. Fr. Roe will always be remembered for his continuous good humour, kindness, and help to everyone. He will be sadly missed in the parish. Looking forward to seeing him again in the not so distant future.

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Recent Wedding

The marriage took place recently of Frank Walshe, Carracastle House, Maynooth, to Irene McCloskey, Main St., Leixlip. Congratulations and every happiness to the happy pair in the years to come.

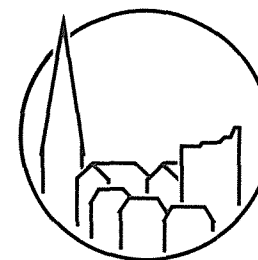
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FROM JAMES O'HAGAN, STRAFFAN

PHONE :- 288420



Maynooth Community Council

Comhairle Phobail Mhá Nuad

Maynooth Community Council assembled on September 10th in the Post Primary School for its monthly meeting. With minutes of the previous meeting signed and matters arising dealt with, Council members were given a precise account of the immediate plans of the Royal Canal Amenity Group in Maynooth, by Mrs. Maura Cullen. The Council welcomed the establishment of the Canal Project and looked forward to working with, and supporting this admirable venture.

Sub-Committees

The inaugural meetings of the seven Sub-Committees take place on Sept. 24th in the Post Primary School at 8 p.m. Each Sub-Committee will, at this meeting, elect their officers and as a priority are asked to list and identify their plans and projects for the future. These suggestions

and projects will be processed by the Executive and placed before the next Council meeting for consideration. Please note that voluntary organisations which have not yet informed the Council of their delegates for Sub-Committees, should send their delegate to this meeting.

Meeting with Maynooth Development Association

The Chairperson and Secretary of the Council reported on a fruitful meeting with their counterparts of Maynooth Development Association. The Council looks forward to positive co-operation from the Development Association in the months ahead.

Itinerant Situation in Maynooth

The main item of the agenda was a long discussion on the itinerant situation in the Maynooth area. Some positive and broad-ranging debate ensued. Having heard the

views of many Council members it was decided to arrange a meeting between the Executive Committee and Kildare Co. Council. The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss the overall situation and to seek information on this complex matter. Further news on this issue will be available for Council's next meeting in October.

Colm Nelson, P.R.O.

The Council's new Crest/Logo above depicts three important and relevant aspects of life in Maynooth, i.e. the College, Houses (Community), and of course the Castle. Blended together they stand for quite an amount of what is Maynooth - Education and Culture, the general Community, and the great historical background of the town.

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lege, on the death of his brother.
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the death of her brother.

Mrs Delaney, Newtown on the
ent deaths of her two brothers.

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nell - The wife, family, and
lives of the late Jimmy Bennett,
h to thank most sincerely all
se who sympathised with them
their recent sad bereavement.
se who sent mass cards, letters,
telegrams of sympathy. A special
d of thanks to Fr. Supple, P.P.,
Maurice Cowhey, the Maynooth
ulance men, and to our very
d neighbours and friends. Also
se who attended the removal
remains, Mass, and funeral. As
would be impossible to thank
ryone individually we trust this
knowledge will be accepted
all in grateful appreciation. The
y sacrifice of the Mass will be
ered for your intentions.

cent Deaths

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e relatives and friends of the
e Fr. Patrick Walsh of Dublin,
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the family, relatives and friends
the late Mrs. Mary McArdle,
il Park, Maynooth.

the wife, family, relatives and
ends of the late Thomas (Tom)
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recent sad bereavement, all who
attended removal of remains, Mass,
and funeral, all those who sent
mass cards, seraphic certs, floral
tributes, and those who called to
see us.

A special word of thanks to Fr.
Supple and Dr. O'Rourke. We trust
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and Parish Building Fund. Tickets,
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WELCOME TO FR. OWEN THYNNE

We wish to welcome Fr. Owen Thynne
to Maynooth Parish. Fr. Thynne re-
places Fr. Roe as chaplain to Maynooth
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Donovan for the use of the super-
market mall and equipment, and
to all the people who bought and
brought books. It was such a success
you can expect to see me again,
so watch for the notices. A special
word of thanks to the girls in
the Coffee Kitchen for their kindness
to me while I was there, and to
Vincent Duff for all his help.

Angele Murlagh.

Any books for future sales can
be left in Greenfield Supermarket
any time from now.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Kevin Tracey,
Greenfield, Maynooth, on his recent
success in a British Institute of Elec-
trical Engineers examination. We
understand that Kevin is the first Irish-
man to obtain this examination. We
wish him the best of luck now and in
the future. Kevin is son of Sean and
Doreen Tracey, 745 Greenfield.

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If requested, Councillor Stagg, will
attend meetings of Residents Assoc-
iations, Sports Clubs and oher volun-
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advise them with problems and prog-
rammes.

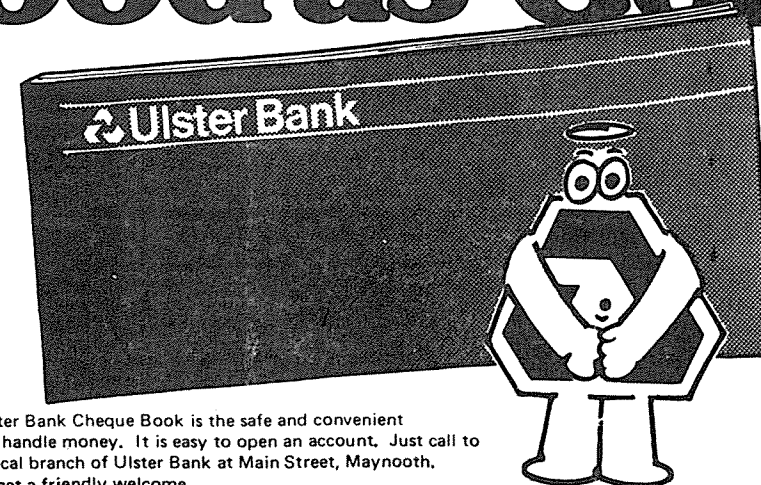
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ty Bernard J. Durkan, T.D.

5th June last, Deputy Durkan d the Minister for Industry, merce, etc. to indicate any he has for the provision of stry in the Leixlip/Celbridge which might have the effect ensuring continued employment .he area. The minister's reply d that the I.D.A. agreed to ase 50 acres of land at Leixlip future industrial development, due to local objectors, planning ission was not secured for the lopment, and the purchase could be completed. The I.D.A. promotes industry in the North Kildare and has recently completed tations with a new small industry h intends to establish in the er Ardagh Traders factory in ridge to manufacture industrial rs and grate stokers. This should mence production in the near e.

mechanique is also providing sub- tial employment in the area, is Irish Meat Packers in Leixlip. Ltd. in Kilcock recently announced s for expansion which will provide tional jobs in the next two years.

uty Durkan also asked the County neer 'That the Maynooth/Dunboyne d be put in a proper state of air' and was informed that work ld commence shortly. - Work has already commenced).

a Clane Area Meeting, Deputy rkan also asked 'That arrangements made to provide footpaths on h sides of the road from the urch to the Football field at Moy- ire Road'. The County Engineer reed that this was desirable, but ntioned that there was also drainage d road surface deficiencies there, d he felt all should be tackled gether. A design for remedial rk is being prepared and estimates ll be submitted as soon as possible : consideration as to what can done out of present financial ources.

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Deputy Durkan also asked 'That tree replacement proposals for May- nooth be implemented' and was informed that 'an allocation was made under the Environmental Improve- ment Schemes 1983' to do the work. It was not possible to reach this due to spending on other schemes. The County Engineer still hoped, however, to do the necessary work in the current year.

To a further question by Deputy Durkan 'that proper management of traffic be implemented at Pound Street and Leinster Cottages, Double Lane, etc.', the County Engineer agreed that heavy goods vehicles should be excluded, but the erection of bollards or such like might not be the answer. The matter is being investigated in conjunction with the Garda Siochana.

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Recent Birthdays

The following celebrated their birthdays recently, or will do so in the very near future. Congratulations and best wishes to:

Eugene Fitzpatrick, Maynooth Park, (21st) on 13th September.

Leone and Deirdre Ward, Church View, Prosperous. Their parents are Des and Kathleen Ward, formerly from Killaney.

Patricia Begley, Pound St. Aug. 11th. Maureen Collins, Mariaville, Maynooth. August 29th.

Mrs. Tracey, Mariaville. Aug. 11th. Mrs. Walshe, Moneycoley. Aug. 27th.

Oonagh Breslin, Leinster Park. Sept. 3rd Antoinette Higgins, Greenfield. Sept. 9th Sonia Fusciardi, Leixlip. Sept. 11th Clodagh Desmond, Main St. Sept. 12th Maeve Casey, Moyglare. Sept. 15th Imelda Dowling, Leinster Cott. Sept. 16th Freda Farrell, O'Neill Park, and her twin sister Teresa Robinson, Birming- ham, England. Sept. 19th.

Joseph Weafer, Pagestown, Maynooth. October 4th.

Gratziana Fusciardi, Leixlip. Oct. 5th Peter Dowling, Leinster Cott. Oct. 6th Joan Murphy, Coneyboro, Celbridge. October 8th.

Christopher Bean, The Green, Maynooth October 11th.

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Dolores Rochford, Australia. 14th Oct. Happy birthday from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hand, brothers and sisters, and the Bean family Main Street, Maynooth.

21st Birthday

Congratulations to Joseph Edwards, Dublin Road, who celebrates his 21st birthday on 2nd October.

Birthday Greetings

Birthday greetings to the following:

Marie McGovern, Greenfield. Sept. 24th
Eileen McGovern, Greenfield. Sept. 27th
Thomas McGovern (Jnr.), Greenfield, 1 year old, October 6th.

Regina Victory, Drogheda. Oct. 6th.

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again another academic year arrived and the long hot days of the summer holidays are a fast memory.

Results of the Group, Inter and Intra-School Certificate were greeted with the usual mixture of smiles and frowns. There was a time when we would look at Leaving Certificate results and pronounce them good, or indifferent, but nowadays we have to wait for the conversion of marks into points and the letters from the Department before one can say a result is good or bad. Twenty five points would normally be a super result; however, if you are interested in the science in U.C.D., it's too bad you need 26+ - the rat race is now a reality for you if you have just done your Leaving Certificate. Nonetheless, once a student has done his/her best in any exam, all anybody can say is well done and congratulations on your achievement.

Suppose there is nobody in the school who by now does not realise that Fr. Roe our Chaplain has been transferred to a new position in St. John's University in New York. He will be missed greatly by staff, pupils and parents alike. To mark his departure the P.T.A. and P.P.U. organised a Mass in the school Library which was celebrated by Fr. Roe.

the school. That he may have a long, happy and fruitful association with the Post-Primary!

Gerard McMyler has returned from his European Trip which he won at the end of last year and from what has been reported so far, he had a very enjoyable and rewarding time. I'm sure he represented us like any good Ambassador.

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MAYNOOTH BRANCH FINE GAE

Our last meeting was held on 4th September in the I.C.A. Hall. There was a large attendance after the break. It was down to business immediately and there was a lot of discussion about our forthcoming Ard Fheis, which will be held in the R.D.S. on 5th-7th October.

Our T.D. Bernard Durkan attended the meeting and local matters were discussed. Many of our members will be helping the Royal Canal Amenity Group, which plans to restore the canal to its original glory. Local problems were also dealt with, including Road Signs in Rail Park and on the Dunboyne Road.

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, 2nd October, at 8.30 p.m. in the I.C.A. Hall. New members are always welcome.

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COLLEGE GREEN RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

We held a general meeting at the end of October and it was as usual well supported. We invited three of our local representatives along to talk about some points which had been raised over the past few months. Mr. Emmet Stagg was the only one who could attend and I would like to extend thanks to him on behalf of the Residents' Association. His help is greatly appreciated.

Our much awaited social function has been decided upon: we intend holding an American Tea Party on a date to be fixed. Great interest has been shown in it and hopefully it will be as successful as our previous functions.

An interesting idea was put forward at the meeting regarding beautifying of the estate. We are lucky to have one particular lady living in College Green who has shown an interest in extending her horticultural skills to the common areas of the estate. There will be a lot of work involved in the job she has planned and any assistance would be appreciated.

Finally, on the sports scene, football practice continues on Thursday nights. All are welcome.

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I.C.A. NOTES

The Guild activities resumed after the summer recess on the first Thursday in September. At that meeting, a Guild member, Mrs. Ursula Walshe, who is a professional chiropodist, spoke on foot-care generally and answered members' individual queries. All present found the talk very beneficial.

The monthly competition for the best blackcurrant jam was won by Mrs. Marie Leydon, with Mrs. M. Gee in second place.

Next month we will have an excellent speaker, whose identity is yet unknown; but the subject matter will be of great interest to all cooks!

The competition for October is a fun one. Ladies, do bring along to that meeting an old childhood picture of yourself. The fun will be in trying to identify present members from the photos on show.

The Guild's annual Dinner Dance will be held in the Setanta, Celbridge, on November 30th 1984. Tickets will be available from the Guild Secretary, Mrs. Madeline Stynes, Moneycooley, Maynooth. It is hoped that this early notice will help other local groups in compiling their diaries, so that no other such function will be arranged for 30th November next.

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Cllr. Gerard Brady Notes

Cllr. Brady received the following reply from Telecom Eireann regarding the provision of telephone kiosks:

Dear Councillor,
I refer to your letter of 18th July 1984 on behalf of the residents of College Green and Cluain Aoibhinn, Maynooth regarding a telephone kiosk to serve the area.

A site for the kiosk has been selected to serve the above locations and arrangements have been made to obtain Local Authority approval for it. The kiosk will be provided as soon as possible after the necessary consents have been obtained.

Yours faithfully,
M. Manning.

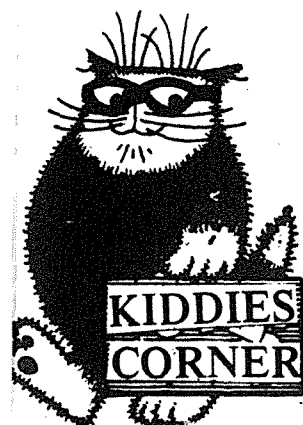
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Wedding Anniversaries

Congratulations to the following who are now celebrating their wedding anniversaries:

Martin and Miriam Barlow, Clondalkin - 5th Anniversary on 24 Sept. (Martin is formerly from Greenfield).
Larry and Marie McTernan, Highfield Estate, Kilcock - 10th Anniversary on 21st Sept. (Larry is formerly from Parson Street).

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to Children,

end of this month will see the low E'en celebrations when many children will be dressing up and telling on friends and neighbours apples, nuts or something similar. Apart from dressing up, very many homes will have the traditional party, with all the fun and games.

If you know that Hallow E'en (meaning the evening before All Saints Day) has been a harvest festival for hundreds of years when we thank God for the harvest just gathered and to celebrate the end of the year's work. Don't forget then that it is a Thanksgiving as much as a feast.

As the dark evenings are coming back again and it is time to look for our reflective arm bands and put them on your coats again. If you have lost yours, get a new one right away as it is dangerous to go out on dark roads without reflectors.

Now is the time also to get the last bit of training before the dark days. You will want to be ready for the school sports next Spring so keep yourself fit and ready. That's all for now, except for the results of the September painting competition, which are as follows:

Winners

Stephen Corcoran, 44 Laurence Ave.
Catherine Devaney, 19 Greenfield Drive.

Alan Colgan, 112 Rail Park.

Jennifer Hildebrand, 38 Rail Park.
Paul McKevitt, 4 Laurence Ave.

Runners-up

Robert Byrne, Killeaney.

Brian McHale, 128 Rail Park.

Miriam Nolan, 20 Maynooth Park.

Jandra Brady, 36 Rail Park.

Ciara Coughlan, The Square.
Garith McStravack, 39 Greenfield Drive.
Louise Tew, 12 Rail Park.
Ciara O'Sullivan, 16 Rail Park.
Margaret Madden, 15 Rail Park.
Martin Farrell, 11 Greenfield Drive.

Entries for this month's competition should be handed on or before 12th October to Leo McGlynn, 857 Greenfield or John Read, 86 Rail Park.

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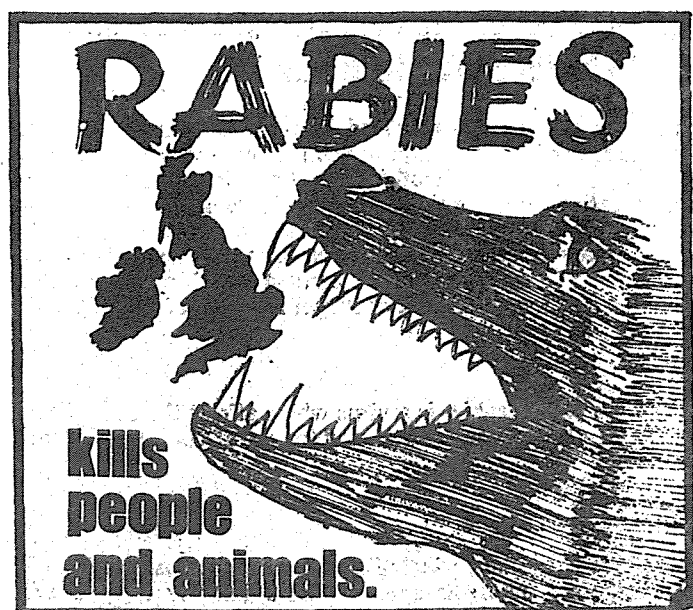
Replying to a question by Cllr. Stagg requesting 'That litter bins be provided for erection by the Residents' Association at Leinster Cottages and Pound Park' - the County Engineer replied that owing to current financial difficulties, bins could only be erected in heavily trafficked areas such as Main Street, the Square, etc.

The Area Engineer is investigating sponsorship of bins by local Commercial Property Owners. (Estimated cost is £58.50 including inscription 'Sponsored by' for the benefit of the community). Perhaps this scheme could be extended to the areas in question.

To a request by Cllr. Stagg "to have ESB poles removed from the Green Area in front of Straffan Way, Greenfield and the Green restored" - the County Engineer said the ESB were permitted to connect, on a temporary basis, the first house in the Kingsbry development. The poles referred to will be removed as soon as the permanent supply is ready.

Recent Weddings

Congratulations to Paul Fitzgerald, Celbridge, and Mary Begley, Pound St. Maynooth, who were married recently. We wish them every happiness in the future.



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21st Birthday

On September 14th last, John Doyle, Laraghbryan, celebrated his 21st birthday with a party at his parents home, together with a host of friends. Congratulations to John and every happiness in the years to come.

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MAYNOOTH BRANCH ROYAL CANAL AMENITY GROUP

Restoration work is under way. Since the information article on the canal was printed in last month's Newsletter, a committee has been formed in Maynooth to spearhead the restoration work. Already offers of assistance from all sections of the community have been very encouraging, both on the physical and monetary side.

With regard to the physical side, a group of voluntary workers commenced work on Saturday 15th Sept. clearing some of the low path adjacent to the harbour area. It is intended to have a work party in operation every Saturday from the hours of 10 am until late evening, and persons wishing to face the burden are asked to come along and spend an hour or so during this time.

Work is also under way in repairing the gates at the 13th-14th locks. This will eventually enable us to raise the water level along our particular section. The group has also entered into an agreement with AnCo the Industrial Training Authority which will allow the employment of a number of youth from the area to become involved in the restoration programme.

On the monetary side, it is imperative that we maintain funds to ensure continuity of supplies, so if you would like to help, you can give a donation or become a member

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MAYNOOTH DIVORCE ACTION GROUP

A branch of the Divorce Action Group has been set up in Maynooth. The group was formed as a result of the increase in marital breakdown in Ireland over the last few years. Most recent estimates say that there are in the region of 70,000 broken marriages at this stage, and the problems arising out of this situation are legion. Because the Constitution bans the enactment of divorce legislation, there is no legal way of ending a marriage which has irretrievably broken down. More and more people are coming to realise that the introduction of divorce is essential. However, a referendum to enable the constitutional ban on divorce to be lifted must be held, before any progress can be made.

The Maynooth Divorce Action Group, composed of a number of local residents, intends to campaign for a referendum to be held in the near future. Already, letters have been written to all Kildare constituency T.D.s, to ascertain their views, and these have received a largely favourable response.

A well-attended fund raising barbecue was held in August, and a public meeting at which the issues will be fully debated is being planned for late October.

The Group would welcome the involvement of those sympathetic to its aims. Regular monthly meetings are held in 92 Railpark. For further information, contact the Secretary, Kay McKeogh, 92 Railpark, Tel: 285241, or the Chairwoman, Margaret Cline, Cluain Aoibhinn.

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LABOUR PARTY NEWS

Food Subsidies

Delegates from the branch attended and contributed to a meeting of the Kildare Constituency Council that was specifically called to discuss the removal of food subsidies by the government.

Our delegates fully supported a motion moved by Cllr. Emmet Stagg condemning the removal and calling for a Special Delegate Conference to reconsider our party's participation in government with F.G. The motion was passed by a 10-1 majority.

Magazine: Issue No. 8

The 8th issue of Kildare Labour News, the quarterly edition of Maynooth Labour Branch, has now been delivered to all households in the area. This issue carried articles by national figures such as Dick Spring and Charlie McCreevy and has merited the attention of the National Media, being quoted in Press, T.V. and Radio. The next issue will be out before Christmas and we would welcome your comments for same. Advertisers are asked to book space early to cover the Christmas shopping period.

Council Elections

Maynooth Branch welcome the recent announcement that the Local Elections will be held next June.

Labour candidates will be selected on 25th October and this branch have decided to support the candidature of Cllr. Emmet Stagg, who will again be seeking re-election in the Labour interest.

We confidently expect to take a second Labour seat on this occasion in North Kildare and our confidence is based on the level of service delivered in the past five years and the policies pursued in the Council by our sitting Councillor.

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New Lock Gates

In response to enquiries by Cllr. Emmet Stagg as to why Lock Gates for the Royal Canal, which were manufactured by AnCo trainees, have not yet been put in place, the following reply has been received from the Minister for Communications:-

Dear Mr. Stagg,
Mr. Jim Mitchell, T.D., Minister for Communications, has asked me to thank you for your recent letter on behalf of the Maynooth Royal Canal Restoration Group.

As responsibility for the installation of these lock gates rest with Coras Iompair Eireann, the Minister regrets that is would not be appropriate for him to intervene directly in this matter. However, he has passed your letter to the Company Chairman for attention and you should hear from them shortly.

Yours sincerely,
Richard Dunne.
Private Secretary.

Piers Restoration

Cllr. Stagg has informed the Branch that he has referred the restoration of the piers at Carton Gate to the National Monuments Committee of Kildare County Council. It is hoped that swift action can now be taken to ensure that this important feature of the town is not allowed to deteriorate any further.

Rowanstown Cul de Sac

Cllr. Stagg has informed the Branch that he has tabled the following motion for the next meeting of the County Council:

"That the damage caused to Rowanstown Lane, Maynooth during the building of College Green Estate be corrected and that the cost of same be taken from the development levies collected from that development and that a Hedge cutting order be

served on the landowner to have the hedges on each side of the lane cut back".

Matters Being Pursued

The Branch have requested Cllr. Stagg to pursue the following matters:

1. Flooding on Dublin Road.
2. Provision of protective footpath and traffic lights at Bond Bridge (Pucks Bridge).
3. Light at Straffan end of footbridge on Straffan Road.
4. Top soil for open space at Straffan Road Crescent.
5. Provision of bus service to Greenfield Estate.

Cabaret Night

North Kildare Labour Party have organised a Cabaret Night in the Hitchin Post on Thursday, 18th Oct. The principle artist is John Collier and music will be provided by 'Rings'. Tickets at £2 can be had from David Moynan.

Dedication of Properties

The Hon. David Nall-Cain acting on behalf of Carton Properties Ltd. offered to dedicate the following properties in Maynooth to Kildare County Council:

1. Open space fronting the entrance to Maynooth College.
2. Small plot in Mill Street.
3. The Courthouse Square.
4. Footpaths and trees in Main St.
5. Land adjoining Lyreen River.

Cllr. Stagg, who has received a map of the properties (see below) in question, has informed the Branch that the Co. Council have accepted the offer from Carton Properties Ltd. The areas highlighted by cross lines are the properties accepted.

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Lost: Engagement ring lost in the month of August, vicinity of Maynooth. Reward to finder. Phone 285785.

Karate Classes Tuesday and Thursday, 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. in the New Salesian School. Maynooth, Celbridge Road.

Bernard Durkan T.D. is available to meet constituents at the following times and venues.

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Celbridge: Hibernian House, 10.30 a.m. approx.
Leixlip: Captain's Inn, 12 noon.
Maynooth: Geraldine Hall, 2.30 p.m. approx.
Naas: Fletcher's, Main Street, 4.30 p.m. approx.
Kilcock: Arcadia Hall, 6.30 p.m. approx.

FIRST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Johnstownbridge: The Hamlet, 6.30 p.m. approx.
Broadford: Broadford Inn, 7.15 p.m. approx.
Williamstown: Forge Inn, 8.00 p.m. approx.
Derrinturn: John O'Brien, 8.45 p.m. approx.

SECOND MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Straffan: Straffan Inn, 6.30 p.m. approx.
Clane: Jones's Pub, 7.15 p.m. approx.
Prosperous: Reilly's office, 8.00 p.m. approx.
Kilmeague: Lyons's Pub, 8.45 p.m. approx.

THIRD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Timahoe: The School, 6.30 p.m. approx.
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Robertstown: Credit Union Office, 8.00 p.m. approx.
Newbridge: Nolan's Restaurant, 8.45 p.m. approx.

FOURTH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Arddclough: Tom Finneran's House, 6.30 p.m.
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Sallins: Heavy's, Main Street, 8.00 p.m. approx.
Allenwood: Carroll's Lounge, 8.45 p.m. approx.

FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Kilteel: Community Hall, 6.30 p.m.
Ballymore Eustace: Headon's Lounge, 7.15 p.m. approx.
Brannockstown: Phil Markey's Pub, 8.00 p.m. approx.
Two Mile House: Community Hall, 8.45 p.m. approx.

SECOND FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Newbridge: Nolan's Restaurant, 6.30 p.m. approx.
Monasterevin: CYMS Hall, 7.45 p.m. approx.
Rathangan: The Burrow, 8.45 p.m. approx.

THIRD FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Kilcullen: The Hide Out, 6.30 p.m. approx.
Castledermot: Doyle's Lounge, 7.30 p.m. approx.
Athy: Reggies Lounge, 8.30 p.m. approx.

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BRU BOSCO NOTES

Dates to remember

Oct.13th: Poker Classic, Parish Hall.
Oct.21st: Mini-Fun Marathon 10K, Maynooth
Oct.27th: American Tea Party, Parish Hall, Maynooth.

We wish to thank all who have contributed in any way to the AnCo Project in the Geraldine Hall. For our YOUTH we went to the people and they did not let us down. After our campaign of the Town, Estates, and catchment areas we put up stands after Mass one Sunday. Unsol-

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icited we received approximately £500 in cash and about £1000 worth of equipment, which was fantastic. We had book sales and dinner parties. Various people ran house Bingo for us. Youngsters ran Sales in their gardens, yet would you believe it, we are gone into the red again.

The Project turned out to be much greater than we had anticipated; as can be seen, the whole Hall, School House excepted, has been re-roofed, the Domes replaced, with timber, glass and lead flashing. We found it necessary to replace

the whole sewerage system. Toilets had to be gutted, walls plastered, chimney relined, fireplaces rebuilt, all electrical fittings in the second half of the Hall and Function Room re-wired. As it stands now, it will be near Christmas before the Hall is completed. But when it is, the YOUTH will have a Club Hall to be proud of and Maynooth will have a Hall that can be handed down to posterity. The Committee of Bru Bosco are looking forward to the day when the Public can see for themselves all the work which has been done. It is far superior to the original building. Meanwhile, do not pass without admiring both the roof and the pointing on the surrounding wall, because it is the work of the Youth of Maynooth.

There are 12 Youths and one Foreman working on the hall; three girls and nine chaps. We are losing five who are going to finish training in different directions, and we say good luck and well done. However we will be recruiting more in the near future, plus approximately 20 Boys and Girls for the Canal Project, which is being run in conjunction with the Maynooth Branch of the Royal Canal Amenity Group Ltd. All those who have registered with Manpower either in Dublin or Maynooth will be notified re interviews. This time it will be the Royal Canal Amenity Maynooth Branch who will be responsible for the Insurance with AnCo and the employment of the foreman. Elsewhere in the Newsletter you will be able to read all about the activities of that Group. We sincerely hope all the people in Maynooth

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will row in behind this effort to show Kilcock and Enfield that anything they can do, we can do better. There are so many children growing up in Maynooth now, we really need our waterway, not to mention the pleasure our Senior Citizens will have sitting along the Banks and the more energetic taking a stroll.

We are going to make a great effort to have the main body of the Hall open to our Youth by the end of October, while the work still continues on the other sections. Meanwhile, we have plans for a Football League in the harbour, Training for the Mini-Marathon, and a few other ideas to keep Club members busy until we can get indoors again.

When the Club opens we will work as usual Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8-10 for the 15+, Friday 8-10 for 12+ and Sundays 2-6 for the Joy Club. We still intend to form the Adult Snooker Club, the nucleus of which has already been started. Unfortunately we had to spend the money we had to cover the Large Table on materials for outside work. We will regard the Adult Club as an extension of Bru Bosco. Last year, because space was limited, we were restricted to Snooker, Pool, Table Tennis and Darts. This year we hope to expand our activities to have a greater choice of recreational activities especially for the Young Ladies, but more about this later.

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Our A.G.M. will be coming up shortly. Please attend if you can. We need Supervisors very badly. Without them the club cannot continue. You do not have to go on a Committee to be a Supervisor, just set aside a night now and then to give to the Club, and set it aside with love, not charity, in your heart and mind. Is there a difference? Sure. Love just gives: charity means one is beholden to the other. Make no mistake, YOUTH always knows the difference.

Never lose sight of why all this happened: To keep our YOUTH off the street; to keep Maynooth free from Drugs. Remember DRUGS have no social barrier.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR FUNCTIONS. When our Treasurer Ann Power gets over the excitement of the first Wedding in the family, we will let you have a full balance sheet of our accounts. Meanwhile, may we end on a very happy note by wishing Caroline and Liam every happiness in their future together. Caroline is Ann's eldest daughter and by the time this Newsletter comes to print, Liam will be her husband. May God bless them both. Peig Lynch, P.R.O.

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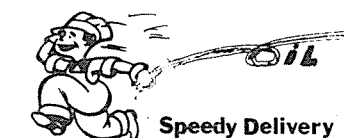
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ying to find a word to describe this ar's summer project was like tele- oping a panoramic mountain-top w onto a 6"x4" postcard. Enjoyable is too mild, exciting was too dited and successful was too ordin-. Perhaps, after all, it is better t to try to sum up an experience co-operation, friendliness, good n, adventure and happiness with one ord.

his year's summer project ran om July 8th to August 12th, a tal of five weeks. During those five eeks a range of activities were or- nised for the children of the area etween the age of seven and urteen. We invited children to come whatever activity they wanted to tend, most activities not requiring y advanced booking. However, there ere exceptions where activities were nited to a fixed number of places id naturally, then people had book. Activities were varied, the pre popular were the films, the azy games, the outings, the swim- ing and the treasure hunts.

e had tours of Dublin Airport and aldonnell Aerodrome. A trip around bblin Castle, the Bottle Factory and ara St. Fire Station by night was ranged with the Gardai. There were ays at the Hellfire Club and the ugar Loaf mountain. In Maynooth we old canoeing on the canal and ating in Robertstown. We had cyc- ng trips, picnics and nature walks. shing, fancy dress, art and cycling mpetitions were run. Crazy games ere held in the Harbour and the arm trip was an occasion when over 0 children invaded McMyers farm. he Harbour clean up was one vent which surprisingly had almost 0 people picking papers and cleaning p the area. We also held a Tennis ournament and a Maynooth Mini- lini Marathon. Once a week we took group to Stewards Hospital for wimming and our Bar-B-Que had al over 250 children. Fifty pounds of ausages, twelve loaves of bread, ten allons of orange and buckets of pop orn were devoured. To close the roject we held a Tramps Ball in e Parish Hall where we gave out ny prizes that had been won. In all 94 children took part in the project t one stage or another.

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Clearly all this took a lot of organis- ing and a great deal of generosity on the part of the people of the area. There are many people who deserve to be thanked and in doing so you run the risk, as usual, of omitting someone. If I do, it will certainly not be intentional.

Our immediate problem was of a financial nature and while we charged for some activities, we tried to keep this at a minimum for the sake of the children. Actually, on average it cost less than £2 per week for a child who took part in all the activities of the project. We got a County Council Grant of £150 for which we are very grateful to Bernard Durkan T.D. for all the work he did in this area and for other help he gave during the project and to the other councillors. Financial contribut- ions were also made by the A.I.B., the Bank of Ireland and the Ulster Bank. Individual donations were received from Fr. Martin Loflus of the Salesian Retreat team, Mr. Des Walsh, Mr. Seamus Grant, Mr. Bernard Durkan, Barry's, O'Briens, Home Pride and the Head to Toe. A special word of thanks goes to Bartons who donated a coach for one of our

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outings. We must also express our appreciation to Mr. Seamus McMahon and to the staff at Baldonnell Aero- drome for making our trip there both possible and enjoyable and likewise Fr. Tom McCarthy at Dublin Airport. We also wish to thank Garda Pat Morley, the Gardai at Dublin Castle, the workers at the Bottle Factory, Mr. Paul Shannon and the firemen at Tara St. Fire Station.

Thanks also to McMyers for putting up with us during our visit to the farm and to Mr. Joe Buckley, Mr. Eoin Byrne, Mr. Declan Murphy, Mr. Paddy Lynch, Mr. Barney Boyd, Mr. John Kavanagh, Kelly's Bakery, the Elite, Castletown Press, the Sports Locker, O'Donovans and Greenfield Shopping Centre for helping us out with donations of food, equipment and time. A special word of thanks is due to Mr. Seamus Grant who was avail- able at all times to transport us in spite of our irregular time-table.

I want to sincerely thank those people who were prepared to turn up again and again to help in the smooth running of the various activities and who made my job as co-ordinator enjoyable and dare I say it ... easy. Words are inadequate in con- veying my thanks to them for the excellent job which they did, for the excellent spirit among them and for the relaxed way with which they did all that was to be done.

Finally, to those 394 young people who took part in the project, all I have to say is - hope to see you next summer, when we will have an even bigger project.
Dominic McEvoy, S.D.B.
Co-ordinator.

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SPORTS

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COMMUNITY GAMES

Congratulations to Orlaith Murphy for winning the Gold Medal in Gymnas- tics at Mosney. Congratulations also to Oonagh Breslin for winning the Gold Medal in Art. These two girls were up against very stiff opposition so it is to their credit that they did so well.
Not to be left out of the honours was Michael Canning who won a certificate for cycling, the first cycling award to come to the County.

Well done to the other competitors who represented Maynooth and didn't come up in the Medals - you all gave your best and that is all anyone can do.
Hope you all enjoyed your weekend in Mosney.
B. Tracey, P.R.O.

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Junior 'B' Football Championship Final
Maynooth 1.7 V Celbridge 0.5

The match started slowly for Maynooth - playing with the wind in the first half they got it hard to score. Celbridge took the lead with a point from a free after 5 minutes. It took Maynooth 10 minutes to score, through Niall Boyce, followed by another point from D. Farrell to give Maynooth the lead. After 15 minutes Maynooth scored again through a point by Niall Boyce. Celbridge replied with another point and, in the 20th minute, Maynooth got a goal through Peter Gaynor. Half time score Maynooth 1.5, Celbridge 0.3.
The second half started with Maynooth now playing against the wind. A quick point by Celbridge looked dangerous for Maynooth but they came back with a further point by Dessie Farrell. A fifth point for Celbridge left 4pts in it, with 5 minutes to go. When Pat Conway got the ball on his own 40 line he made a fine solo up to the Cel- bridge 21 where he kicked a great point. This was the last score of the game, leaving the final score Maynooth 1.7, Celbridge 0.5pts.

Maynooth Scores: P. Gaynor 1.0; D. Farrell 0.3; N. Boyce 0.2; D. Casey 0.1; P. Conway 0.1.
The Maynooth team which brought a County Championship to our town (first Football since 1976) comprised: T. Fay, M. McTernan, M. Gillick, R. McTernan, J. Conway, J. Doyle, P. Conway, D. Casey, D. Farrell (Capt.), P. Boyce, P. Gaynor, N. Boyce, F. Condon, J. Mee, L. Scanlon, K. McNamara, K. Diggins, P. Nevin.

Our U/14 team are in the Semi-Final of the League, hoping they will be in the Final by the time this Newsletter reaches you.

Our Tom Flood Cup Football Tourna- ment has started and the following are results of the 1st Round:
Lucan beat Dunboyne; Rathcoffey beat Kilcloone; Maynooth beat St. Pelegrines; Celbridge beat Ardclough.

The line-up for the semi finals is as follows:
Rathcoffey V Lucan; Maynooth V Celbridge.
The Final is fixed for Sunday 30th September, also U/14 Football Final and Veterans Final. We would like to thank the following for their sponsorship: Noel Cassidy, The Roost; Jack McElhinney, Leinster Arms; Tom Geraghty, Greenfield Supermarket and Flood family, The Square, May- nooth.
We hope to run a function for all our players and supporters at the end of October or November. Further details in next issue.

300 Club Draw Result - August.

£100: Tony Flood, c/o Calor Gas.
£50: Olive & Victor, 28 College Green.
£20: Aileen & Aine Flood, c/o Kevin.
£5: Buggy Horan, c/o Manor Mills.
£5: David Leavy, c/o Leinster Arms.
£5: Mr. & Mrs. D. Maher, c/o T. Flaherty.
£5: Martin O'Dwyer, Bradford, Co. Kildare.
Next draw: 28th September.