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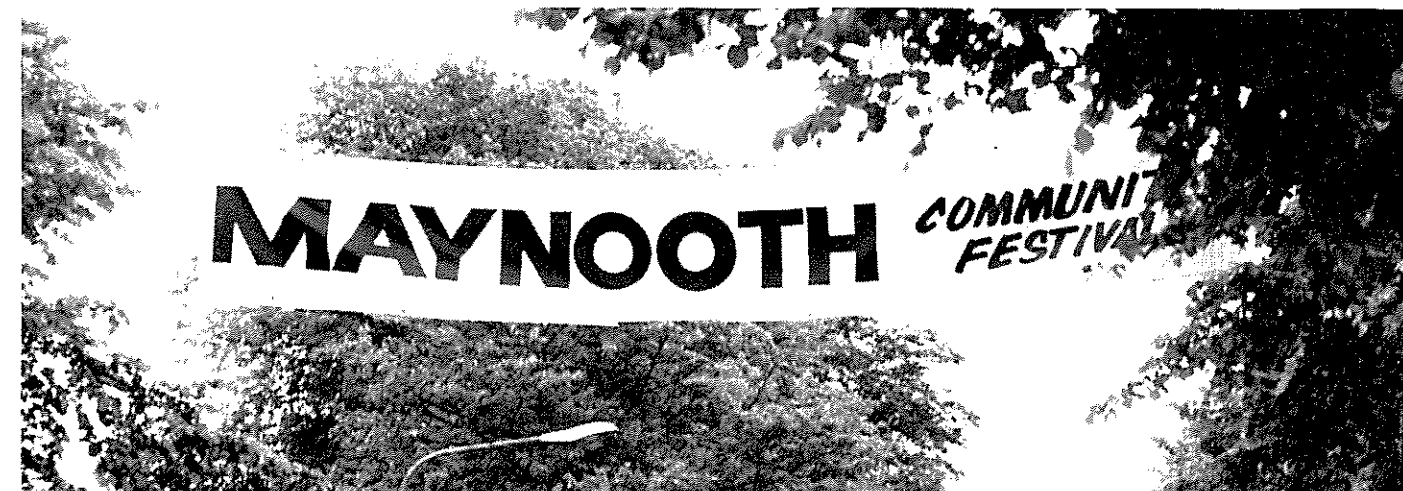
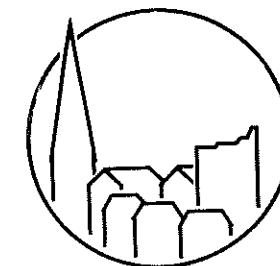
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**Letter to our Readers:** This is just a note to remind you all that the Newsletter exists for your enjoyment and that we welcome all contributions from our readers. We would like to hear from any new organisations or indeed from individuals with something to say or suggest. We hope you continue to enjoy your monthly read and keep us informed of your activities.

*Yours sincerely*

*Community Council & Newsletter Staff*

## Editorial

### COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

The monsoon conditions last month made conditions difficult for the annual Community Festival, with some events being postponed. However, we understand that most of the indoor events were well supported; congratulations to the organisers for their hard work. However, there is a feeling that perhaps a few changes may be in order for next year's event and the organisers would welcome suggestions and offers of assistance. So why not write in to the Newsletter and tell us what events would you like to see happening? Have you any suggestions, comments, praise, criticisms. The Festival is for all of us; if you feel someone is being left out, just let us know.

### FLOODING

We understand that the rainfall of June 11th can be expected only once in every thirty years; even so, that's once too often for the families who suffered severe flood damage following the storms. The County Council is responsible for enquiring into the causes of the flooding, and into setting up proper emergency response services. In particular, more attention should be paid to the impact of new projects, such as motorways and new estates on local drainage. It's only when we see rainfall on the level seen in June that we notice that the drainage channels prepared by nature have been cemented over and forced into pipes which are too small to cope with the once in thirty year event.

### CALLING WRITERS

And once again, the Newsletter is calling for people with ideas who are interested in writing and editing to join the Newsletter Committee. Contact Norah McDermott at 628 5922 for information on how to join.

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**Dear Editor**

This is the true (?) story of an incident that happened in a country pub many years ago in verse.

**A Rat Called Mat**

My friend and I were in the pub just for a beer and a chat  
When suddenly he turned to me he said did you see that  
"See what" said I "see that" said he, a bloody great big rat.  
I looked inside the counter and there looking back at me  
The meanest looking rodent that you did ever see  
We called aside the bossman but he denied it flat  
Saying "how dare you cast aspersions on the residential cat"  
Might I suggest that you mistook a low flying beer mat.  
He walked away in our dismay we then did both agree,  
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*Jim McDermott,  
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**PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT  
MEETING 9/6/93**

The major discussion taking place was about the Tidy Towns S.E.S. Scheme.

It was decided that it is essential that a lawn-mower and a trimmer be obtained. The Community Council is giving a loan towards cost of mower and we would appeal to the whole community to support any fund raising events which take place to support the S.E.S. workers as this scheme is very costly. We should remember that everything they are doing is for the benefit of the town.

We are expecting to be able to see the plans for the new roadway and square soon and this will be reported on when available. It has been noticed that Cable Management are using the trees in Main Street (which are under a preservation order) to sling wires around. It is also noticed that the wires are hung next to E.S.B. wires.

A renewal of the S.E.S. scheme for tidy towns is being applied for.

Sincere thanks to Fionan Hardiman, Plant Place and to Garden World for sponsoring plants. All businesses should note that any sponsorship towards making Maynooth a better place to be would be gratefully accepted.

*T. McMullon P.R.O.*

**MAYNOOTH TIDY TOWNS**

First of all thank you for your support in our recent door to door collection. If we missed you and you would like to contribute, there is a box for donations in The Community Council Office. Listed below are the criteria on which the best shop fronts/estate/area will be judged.

We are still hopeful that our prizes will be sponsored. If any business would like to discuss this further, please contact the undersigned.

**Best Shop Front 1993 Competition**

Judging Criteria

- 1) Level of maintenance
  - 2) Sympathy with surrounding architecture/setting
  - 3) Window display
  - 4) Use of attractive decoration - window boxes, hanging baskets, etc.
  - 5) General tidiness outside premises
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### Best Area/Estate 1993 Competition

#### Judging Criteria

- 1) Attention to open spaces/play areas
- 2) Front Garden Displays
- 3) State of verges, kerbsides, walls, fences, etc.
- 4) Shrubbery, trees
- 5) Appearance of houses
- 6) General level of maintenance
- 7) Apparent community effort, especially between times of judging

Judging will be ongoing during July and August.

Finally, we would welcome some more help at weekends, so if you have an hour or two to spare please contact us.

**Richard Farrell**

Secretary

PRO

### MAYNOOTH COMMUNITY FESTIVAL - DAY BY DAY

Senan Griffin, Chairperson of the Maynooth Community Council, on Wednesday 9th June appealed to all residents of Maynooth to come out and support their own festival thereby promoting a good quality community atmosphere here in Maynooth. The opening of the seventh Community Festival took place in the Roost on Main Street, Maynooth and once again it was sponsored by Guinness Ireland Ltd. The Chairperson went on to thank Guinness Ireland Ltd., the G.A.A. Club, the four local Pubs and other local businesses for their continued support and sponsorship. The Chairperson also thanked the large number of invited guests to the launch of the seventh Maynooth Community Festival and wished the festival every success.

#### Guinness Jazz Night - Friday 11th June - The Roost.

Ireland on Friday 11th June was reeling under the worst floods caused by torrential rain, which broke all records for June, since records began; the east coast being worse hit. On the same date the Maynooth Community Festival began properly with a jazz night in The Roost. The weather may have been deplorable outside but it could not dampen the spirits of the large crowd in the Roost. They were treated to the fine music of the Guinness Jazz Band.

#### Smithwicks Music Night - Saturday 12th June - The Leinster Arms.

Al Brady and his band provided us with delightful music on Saturday night. Again the people of Maynooth came out despite depressing weather conditions. When I arrived the doorman told me I hadn't a hope in hell of taking photographs as the place was packed like sardines in a tin. Sure enough The Leinster Arms had drawn the crowd and with Al Brady playing many popular pieces the crack was 90.

#### Harp Lager Talent Competition - Sunday 13th June - Caulfields.

If anyone ever felt that there was no talent in Maynooth, Sunday 13th June in Caulfields scotched that once and for all. From the word go Paddy Doonan set the pace and each

competitor thereafter tried to out-do the previous competitor. No one could envy the adjudicators' task. Under the expert guidance of compere extraordinaire Maisie Corrigan, each competitor was introduced. To the very end no one could be sure who the winner might be. One thing was certain, Caulfields was the venue to be in that night and for the large crowd attending the Harp Lager Competition everyone was a winner.

Whilst we the audience could relax and enjoy the excellent singing the adjudicators, Liz Monaghan, Hugh Crawford and May Crawford had to come up with the real winners. They eventually emerged after much deliberations and Liz was given the task of announcing the winners.

**1st Prize: Alex Wallace, 2nd Prize: Loman Behan, 3rd Prize: Karen Conroy.** A word of thanks to Maisie and to David Jolly for doing an excellent job. While we were waiting for the adjudicators to return with their verdict Maisie & David entertained everyone with their fine singing and playing. A big thank you to the adjudicators. Congratulations to the winners. A thoroughly enjoyable evening was had by all in Caulfields that evening.

#### Mr. & Mrs Competition - Monday 14th June - The Roost.

You could be forgiven for thinking that the Mr and Mrs Competition was not taking place in the Roost on Monday evening the 14th June last. The way some of the couples answered brought howls of laughter from the floor. As one person beside me quibbled "are they married at all?" and "he should be left to Roost". I thought, very appropriate considering where we were. Some could hardly remember their partners birthday much less the date, month or for that matter year they got married. But sure wasn't that the fun of it all. From the sound of Philip McDermott he hadn't seen his wife Norah for years.....I believe there is some truth in that, with the active life Norah leads on behalf of the community. One couple were in no doubt about each others habits etc. That was Tom and Maura Mc Mullon. They were outright winners - congratulations. Maisie Corrigan compered the show and staff from the Community Council kept a close watch on the scores. A special thanks to all the couples for participating and giving us a great evenings entertainment and giving us a little glimpse into their personal habits - especially in respect to the unmentionables!

#### Old Peoples' Committee Cabaret - Caulfields - Tuesday 15th June

Mary Nolan, Margaret & John Walsh, Betty Higgins, Maureen & Paddy Malone, Ellen Leavey, Brigid Saults, Jack Cleary, Anne Kenny, Breed Fortune, Doreen Caffaney, Mary O' Connor and Liz Bennett were some of the large number of young at heart who enjoyed themselves on Tuesday the 15th last. The Committee did a great job organising this event. Tea, sandwiches and cake were provided. One particular lady, Liz Bennett was celebrating her 85th Birthday. Caulfields rose to the occasion by breaking open a bottle of champagne and even our esteemed politician, Minister Emmet Stagg T.D. got into the mood of things when photographed with the Birthday Girl, Liz. A cheque for £1,278 was presented by the Minister to Josie Moore on behalf of the Old Peoples' Committee.

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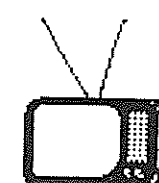
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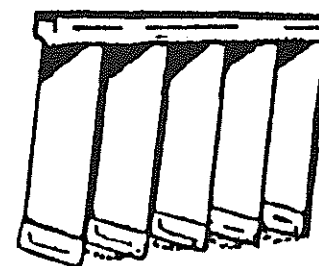
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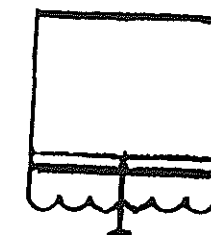
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### Smithwicks Table Quiz - G.A.A. Club - Wednesday 16th June 1993.

The brains of Maynooth were stretched to their limits in the G.A.A. Club on the evening of Wednesday 16th June when they were put under pressure - but don't blame Jack - during the Smithwicks Table Quiz. From general knowledge to sports questions one could almost hear those brains rattling, then like computers spill out their answers and put them on the sheets provided. Mr Spock's home, Superman's arch enemy, Yogi's pal, the Black Pearl of Inchicore, Broken Glass, The Berlin Wall, Farewell to Arms, Mein Kampf, Al Capone, even the names of the people running the Community Council. These were some of the topics asked by Peter Hussey who compered the Table Quiz. The winning team with 93 points out of a maximum of 100 was Declan O'Connor, John McGarry, Ben Daly and Paul Daly. (The same group won last year). Second place with 92 points was Noel Morgan, Ciaran Tierney, Tony Clinton and John Nagle.

### Irish Dancing, Accordion Band, Folk Dancing and Set Dancing, Maynooth Brass and Reed Band - G.A.A. Club - Thursday 17th June.

The people of Maynooth and especially the children enjoyed a very pleasant evening on Thursday 17th June in the G.A.A. Club. The children in their beautiful costumes looked splendid and their performance was superb and a joy to watch. The Folk Dancing provided by the Claddagh Folk Group from Dublin was extremely entertaining. The children enjoyed participating in the less complicated steps of some of the Folk dancing which they were invited to join. We were treated to folk dancing from Holland, Poland and Germany to mention but a few. Some of the choreography was sheer gentleness in its execution whilst others demanding extremely aggressive steps was executed with skill in its interpretation. One particular Folk Dance from Holland called "Throwing Away Your Wife" demanded great foot work and execution. The Irish set dancing which followed the Folk dancing was also enjoyable and it was interesting to see the common steps and movements the Irish set dances have with our European Folk Dancers.

### CAR TREASURE HUNT RESULTS

1st Team	John, Mary, Cian McGinley, Willie Saults.
2nd Team	Paul & Eileen O'Brien & Family

### MAYNOOTH BARPERSON 1993 - THE ROOST

Sunday night 20th June saw Mel Farrell of The Roost winning the Maynooth Barperson 1993 with 885 votes. Joan Healy of Caulfields got into second place with 620 votes. Third was Ben Mee, GAA, with 310 votes, and Annie Chandler of The Leinster Arms came 4th with 186 votes.

### EUGENE IS BACHELOR OF THE YEAR

One of the highlights of the Maynooth Festival must be the Bachelor of the Year Award and going by the large crowd that packed into Caulfields on Friday night proves just how popular this event is.

The participants were dressed to kill and watching each one of

them being escorted by one of the fair sex I could not help but wonder how they had not already been "nabbed".

Maisie was once again the compere and in her capable hands everything went like clockwork. Each participant was questioned closely about "What they looked for in a woman?" or "What hobbies, if any?" Depending upon the answers to these questions and after rendering a few verses of a song or telling a joke, the judges awarded points. The judges were Ann Carey, Anne Naughton, Mary O'Melia and Maurice Byrne who was the representative for Guinness, our main festival sponsor.

Not unlike the Talent Competition earlier in the week the adjudicators had their work cut out. There was very little between any of the participants. However, when the winner was announced, the crowd roared their approval of the Judge's decision for the Bachelor of the Year Award went to none other than Maynooth's own Eugene Fitzpatrick.



Maynooth Bachelors

### GAELIC FINALS

#### Conway Diggins Trophy- Sunday 20th June

An internal match was played by two teams of under-age players (8 -12 year olds) on Sunday afternoon at 2.p.m.

#### Hurling Final - Garda Perpetual Trophy

This was also an internal match by two under-age players. A good crowd attended both games and was enjoyed by all. Trophies were presented to the respective Captains by Pat Nevin, Chairman of the G.A.A. under-age committee, and medals were presented to all the teams.

### TUG O' WAR WINNERS

The Maynooth Festival Tug O' War Tournament was held on Sunday 13th June. The weather was perfect for the occasion and there was a large attendance as eighty contestants battled it out for the honours. There was a substantial assortment of prizes up for grabs, provided by the generous support of the Leinster Arms, Caulfields, the GAA Club, Bradys and the Roost. The referee for the occasion was Mr P. J. Bennett who did an excellent job. The day was organised to provide a bit of fun for local people. If the spirit of the occasion was marred in

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any way it was due to unforeseen circumstances and I take my share of the blame for that.

The winners of the *untrained section* were the Leinster Arms B Team of Larry McEvoy, Mark McEvoy, Martin Murray, Mick Bergin, Jim Heffernan, Liam Fitzharris, Jack Dumphin, Paudi O'Sullivan and Frank Kilrane. Only two or three of this team were local while some of the others pulled for the famous Brays team of the late 70s and early 80s. They claim that they have not trained in recent years. Runners-up in this event were the Brady's B team. In the womens' section, the winners were the Green Army of Helen Finan, with the Brady Bunch of Rachael Cassidy as runners-up. This competition showed the true spirit of the festival with no stalling or delaying tactics. In the *trained section* there was a varied assortment of outfits. Sean Hyland entered a relatively young and inexperienced team. There were some great battles with the Leinster Arms B team winning outright. Runners-up were Brady A team of George Gallagher, Brendan Canley, John Gallagher, John O'Mahony, Anthony Mooney, Tony Dempsey, Aidan Mulhall and Sean Darcy. It is interesting to note that the winners were not facing the best of Maynooth as our talent was spread throughout three teams. The Leinster Arms A team were in third place. I leave the last words to John Gallagher, who a month ago said "When it starts, it starts - it's only a bit of crack - who knows what will happen." When I asked John O'Rourke did he hear about the Tug O' War, he said "It wasn't on the six o'clock news anyway".

Mick Scanlon nominated Nicholas Donovan for the Oscar. Finally, to the friends whom I can count on for their support - thanks. The mission goes on.

Willie Healy



**The Green Army**  
L - R: Back Row, Martina Finan, Grainne Farrelly, Helen Finan (Capt), Jene Redmond and Ann Finan.  
Front Row, Patricia Nevin, Breda Murphy, Sinead Hickey and Hillary Donovan.



Back row L - R: Danny Casey, Tony Dickinson, Donal Finnan and Martin Tarpey.  
Front Row: Dave Heslin, Tony Holloway, Martin Fahy and Nicholas Donovan.

### COMMUNITY FESTIVAL GUINNESS 7-A-SIDE INTER AREA SOCCER.

We are very thankful to Guinness Ireland for again sponsoring the Trophies. This year we had a mens tournament for the Donovan Cup and unfortunately there was no women's competition for the Geraghty Cup as not enough teams entered. The tournament attracted 10 mens teams:

New Greenfields; Ballyygoran Stud; Moyglare Village; Meadowbrook; Amalgamated Unt.; Cluainn Aoibhinn; Kingsbry; Brookleigh; Greenfield Utd; and College Green. It was run off on a league waves initially with two sections of 5 teams each. Section 1 was easily won by College Green but the runner up in this section went all the way with Kingsbry Greenfield Utd. and Cluainn Aoibhinn on equal points going into the last games Kingsbry who were very unfortunate and Greenfield Utd. despite the presence of Jack Charlton's cap, lost out and Cluainn Aoibhinn qualified for the semi finals. Section 2 was a more clear cut affair with Ballygoran Stud winners without losing a match and Amalgamated Utd close runners up. In the semi finals College Green overcame the favourites Amalgamated Utd 3 - 1 in an excellent encounter. A depleted Cluainn Aoibhinn team put up a fantastic performance against Ballygoran Stud to only go down 3-2. This despite the fact that they lost Billy Glennon who was one of the best players in the tournament, through an ankle injury half way through the match. We wish Billy and the other players who were injured a speedy recovery. The final was therefore contested between two teams who had never entered before - College Green V Ballygoran Stud. The first half was very closely contested with College Green leading 2-1 after a brilliant Paddy McGovern headed lob mid way through the 1 half. College Green went 3-1 ahead two minutes into the second half with a scorcher into the left hand corner from Mark Ryan from 18 metres. A goal from Frank O'Brien, the Ballygoran Captain, from a 30 metres free kick three minutes

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later made it 3-2. However, College Green then took control and added a fourth eight minutes into the half. Mark Ryan finished it off with his second and College Green's fifth goal following very good approach work from Paddy McGovern. Tony O'Connell, the College Green captain and Peter Connell, of the Newsletter Editorial fame, defied all the pressure Ballgorman could come up with and the game ended 5-2 to College Green. It was a great sporting final from two very good teams. Congratulations to both and thank you to all teams who took part. I would like to thank Willie Saults, Cian McGinley and Tom Dempsey who helped in putting up the nets and marking the pitch in the pouring rain each evening. Maybe we should consider running it in the winter time in future we might get better weather! A last word of thanks to our referee Michael Hegarty, who did trojan work in difficult circumstances.

*John McGinley*  
Organiser

## CHILDRENS TREASURE HUNT

1st Prize: Eamonn & Fintan O'Donohue, Tara & Ciaran Walsh.  
2nd Prize: David Hawkins, Shane Burke, Brian & Tom Tracey.  
3rd Prize: Gerard McMahon, Stephen O'Sullivan and Gearoid Higgins.

## MAYNOOTH GARDA PERPETUAL CUP

The game took place during festival week and was very successful. The teams were Maynooth Town F.C. v Esker Celtic Lucan school boys under 11. There was a large crowd in attendance and the match was close fought and entertaining. Maynooth were 1 goal down at half time but came back with goals from Niall Bright and William Farrelly to win 2-1. Presentation was made by local Garda Peadar Haren on behalf of the local Gardai.

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## ACTIVE AGE GROUP

Our next meeting takes place on Monday, September 6th. We are suspending our meetings for July and August as many of our members will be on holiday. We look forward to seeing new members in September. Our meetings take place in the Health Centre, The Harbour, Maynooth and they are open to anyone over 55 years.

*W. Geoghegan P.R.O.*

## GARDA TALK

### Vandalism

What is it? The term vandalism is open to many interpretations; however it is generally identified as wanton destruction and damage carried out for trivial motives or because of irresponsible behaviour, carelessness and disregard for the common good. Its degree of seriousness ranges from minor damage, i.e. shrubs and small trees to the more serious element, breaking car windows, aerials, or indeed windows of shops, business premises and private houses. How much does it cost: Quite simply a lot of scarce money that could be better utilised; it affects our environment and also the quality of our lives; this begs the question, Who pays the bill: We all pay through higher charges, premium payments etc. The classic case is the damaged Telephone Kiosk - An emergency has arisen and the phone is out of order because of an act of vandalism and so the services we need most cannot be contacted; on top of this inconvenience the Telephone Company must repair the Kiosk and this cost eventually has to be passed onto us. This money spent on unnecessary repairs should in fact be available to improve the relevant Service. Why do people commit Vandalism: Culpabilities can be apportioned to a variety of sources - the individual, parents/guardians or indeed the way society is structured and the resulting sets of values that we hold. Now that the long summer holidays are with us, we advise parents that they have a responsibility to ensure that their children are accountable for their activities at all times; responsible parental supervision is the foremost deterrent to most wrongdoing: Parents, always know, (1) Where your children are; (2) Who they are with; (3) What time they are due home. The Public can help by reporting all sightings of vandalism to the Gardai with any useful information that might assist in the identification of the culprits; be assured that any such information will be treated in the strictest confidence; this is your community with all its ancillary facilities - **Be aware and take pride in Maynooth.**

### Sponsorships

The local Gardai were pleased to have sponsored some events associated with the Maynooth Community Festival - Boys U/11 Soccer event - Let's hope Jack Charlton's squad will be the eventual destiny of some of Gerry Folan's young prodigies; - also the Under Age Hurling competition - it's our wish that Croke Park will be the destiny of some of Kieran Diggins young competitors. By the time this issue is circulated the finals will be played; we wish the young people involved and their organisers every good wishes.

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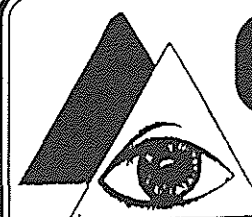
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## Clubs & Organisations

### Congratulations

Congratulations and very best wishes to Peter Kearney on his recent promotion to the Rank of Sergeant. Peter was a very popular member of the Maynooth Gardai; he was equally held in the highest esteem with his colleagues in the Station and the general public. He was a young man of great energy and initiative and his services will be greatly missed. By the time you will read this, Peter will have settled in his new Station at Tullow, Co. Carlow. Bon Voyage and best wishes to Peter and his family in the future.

### ILEOSTOMY ASSOCIATION

On behalf of The Ileostomy Association I wish to thank all the people who sponsored the Ladies in the recent Womens mini-marathon, also thanks to the ladies who participated in the marathon on the day.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated by the Association.

*Mary McTernan*

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### KILCLONE LADIES G.F.C.

I would like to thank the Kilclone Mens G.A.A. for their support to date. I would like to express my gratitude, for the use of the pitch and dressing rooms for without these facilities Kilclone Ladies would be non-existent.

I would like to wish the girls the best of luck in their exams and hopefully get the results that we've been getting to date with the football!!

I would like to thank the parents who come and support the girls when playing home or away. The way Ladies Football is seen as a "Mickey Mouse" game, we need your support a lot to prove to these people that Ladies Football is just as physical and competitive as mens. I'm only in it for fun for the girls and they are in to win and enjoy it. They are the best team I've dealt with to date, but what keeps us together is the support and commitment we give each other as a team, both on and off the field. I haven't regretted it and I've enjoyed every minute of looking after them.

What saddens me most is the lack of parental involvement in G.A.A. for kids when they play home or away matches. But what's more precious, you or your child? I know what it meant to me as a child having my family there. It makes you feel confident, competitive, happy and secure and want to win and that's what I feel G.A.A. is all about especially for kids and adults (male or female). I set up a football team because I wanted to do something for the kids in the area and I saw a need for it. The girls ages range from 13 up to 20. I enjoy it and I don't expect credit. I have a lot of admiration for the people who set up and run GAA and wish them well.

So, come on everybody, lets give our kids the best years of their lives, you never know you might enjoy it and maybe bring back a few happy memories!! Training - Tue and Thur 6-7pm.

*Karen Nolan, Manager of Kilclone Ladies GFC*

### MAYNOOTH ATHLETIC CLUB

#### Kildare Championships

Boys U/9 60m: Stephen Healy 3rd. 80m: Pierre Ennis 1st.  
Long jump: P. Campbell 1st, P. Ennis 2nd.

Boys U/9 Relay: Maynooth 1st. (P. Ennis, D. Adderley, P. Campbell and R. Bruton).

Boys U/10 60m: P. O'Rourke 1st, M. Sweeney 3rd. 80m: P. O'Rourke 1st, M. Sweeney 3rd. Ball Throw: A. Baxter 1st, P. O'Rourke 3rd. Long jump: P. O'Rourke 1st, M. Sweeney 3rd.

Boys U/11 Hurdles: D. Campbell 1st. 60m: P. King, 1st. 80m: P. King 1st, R. Leavy 2nd. Long jump: D. Campbell 1st, P. King 3rd. Ball Throw: D. Campbell 1st. 600m: P. King 1st, D. Campbell 2nd. Relay: Maynooth 1st. (P. O'Rourke, D. Campbell, P. King, R. Leavy).

Girls U/12 100m: M. O'Sullivan 3rd.

Boys U/12 300m: C. Diggins 1st. 600m: C. Diggins 1st. Shot: C. Diggins 3rd. Long jump: C. Diggins 3rd. Walk: K. Ennis 1st.

Girls U/13: 100m: S. Commene 2nd. 300m: S. Commene 1st. 600m: S. Commene 2nd. Relay: Maynooth 3rd. (S. Commene, S. Adderley, M. O'Sullivan, E. King).

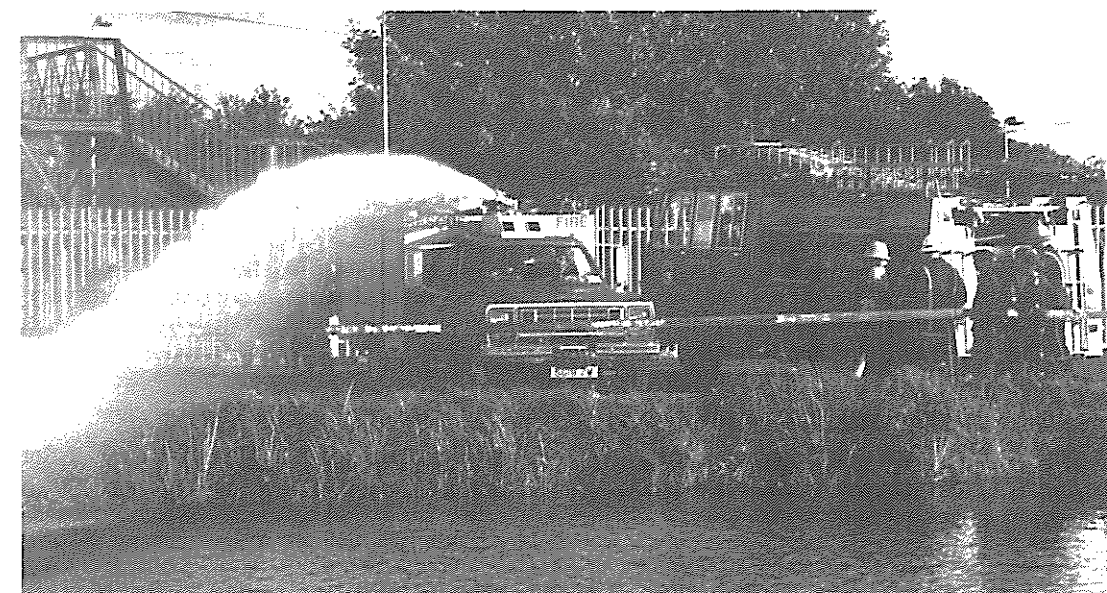
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## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993

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**Guinness Jazz Band in the Roost**



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**Car Trials at the Mart**



## Clubs & Organisations

**Boys U/13 100m:** D. O'Rourke 1st. 300m: D. O'Rourke 1st. Long Jump: D. O'Rourke 3rd. Hurdles: D. O'Rourke 1st. 600m: D. O'Rourke 2nd. Shot: D. O'Rourke 2nd. Relay: Maynooth 2nd. (P. O'Rourke, K. Ennis, C. Diggins and D. Carr).

**Girls U/14 600m:** M. Gillick 1st. Walk: M. Gillick 2nd. High Jump: M. Gillick 3rd.

**Boys U/14 Discus:** J. O'Shea 2nd.

**Veteran Ladies:** 100m: N. McTernan 1st. 800m: N. McTernan 2nd. 1500m: N. McTernan 2nd. 100m: M. Gleeson 1st.

**Veteran Men:** 0/35 1500: J. Campbell 1st. 0/45 100m: P. King 1st, J. O'Rourke 2nd and D. Jolley 3rd. 800m: L. McNamee 1st and D. Jolley 2nd.

**Relay 1 Maynooth** (P. King, J. O'Rourke, J. Campbell and R. McTernan).

**Senior Ladies:** Shot: 2 N. McTernan.

**Senior Men:** 400m: 2 J. Campbell 3 L. McNamee. 1500m: 3 J. Campbell, 5000m: 3 L. McNamee 2nd Team Maynooth (L. McNamee, J. Campbell, M. Cunningham, D. Jolley).

All above qualified for Leinster. Also qualified in 4th positions.

**U/11 Hurdles:** M. Sweeney. **U/13 Hurdles:** C. Diggins. **U/12 100:** C. Diggins. **U/8 60m:** F. Molloy. **U/12 Shot:** D. Carr. **U/17 1500m:** M. Cunningham. **U/13 Jav:** D. O'Rourke. **U/10 Long jump:** A. Baxter. **U/12 Walk:** D. Carr. **U/9 80m:** D. Adderley. **U/17 400m:** M. Cunningham. **U/12 600:** M. O'Sullivan.

**Forthcoming events:** Veterans Leinster Championship: 19th and 20th June. Leinster Juvenile Championship: 26th and 27th June. Co. Kildare Community Games Finals: 3rd and 4th July. All Ireland Veteran Championship: 3rd and 4th July. All Ireland Juvenile Championship: 17th and 18th July.

Maynooth Athletic Club would like to take this opportunity to thank Marie Gleeson, Noelle McTernan and Frances Kearney. They all ran in the Evening Press 10K and raised much needed funds for the club.

## OLD GREENFIELD ACTION GROUP

Arising from a meeting of residents in the GAA Club an action group watchdog committee was formed - Chairperson Manus MaCarron, Secretary Sadie Nolan, P.R.O. Anne Birchall.

### Cul-de-sac Greenfield Lane

The main aim of this group is to be successful in getting a cul-de-sac made of Greenfield Lane. We wish to thank everyone for their support during our protest each morning and evening. Following a meeting which was held Thurs 17th June, ICA Hall 8.30pm, it was decided to allow two weeks for all relevant decisions to be made on our cul-de-sac. If we do not see a positive result by then we will once again be out in force and unity to defend our aims i.e. Protesting! We wish to take this opportunity to thank our local Gardai for all their help and advice. We wish to thank and advise our local Cllrs, T.D's. and our Junior Minister that we are determined and completely unanimous in our aim and will be out again in force if we see fit!

*P.R.O. for group*

## ROYAL CANAL AMENITY GROUP NOTES

### Steam Train

Many of you will have travelled on and enjoyed the steam train. The train made two trips Dublin - Maynooth - Enfield and return. The event was a great success and we thank all those who helped on the day. There is something very majestic about steam trains as they "puff" their way through the countryside; alas we don't see it often enough.

### Annual Collection

This will take place from Thurs. 22nd July to Sunday 25th July. Your usual generous response will be much appreciated.

### Good News

The Chairman and committee would like to take this opportunity to extend good wishes to Gerry McGlinchey, (one of our long serving committee members), who is making a satisfactory recovery after a second major operation.

### Bereavement

The committee extends sincere sympathy to Geraldine O'Sullivan and family on the untimely death of her husband Hugh. Hugh was for some years a loyal committee member while he and his family were resident in Maynooth.

### Works Update

Phase two will soon commence in the main harbour in Maynooth. This will be a continuation of the great work which has been completed to date. More about this in the next issue.

### Safety First

Finally with the advent of school holidays we issue our usual reminder about safety in the vicinity of the canal. Water levels are quite high at present due to the recent heavy rainfall so :-

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- Interfere with swans, ducks or waterhens

### Do - Enjoy the canal

- Take home your litter
- Take care when walking on canal banks
- Keep canoes and boats well away from swans, ducks and waterhens

Gerry Fitzpatrick P.R.O.

## BAND BULLETIN

### June

The rain in Spain stays mainly on the plain but in the words of the immortal Dub "in Oireland in JEUNE Dis year it rained bleedin' everywhere." Here in Maynooth you could take a punt to Parson Street, a kayak to Kildare Bridge or go the 'Hole Hog' and club together, pitch your canoe on Tony Bean's Pitch and Putt course and play "Find the Green". (Sorry Tony, we all felt really sorry for your plight).

What has all this got to do with the Band you might ask. Well despite all the aforementioned rain we still managed to get through the engagements listed in the June BULLETIN. We even improvised by transforming the outdoor recital in the Square on the Thursday of Community Week into an indoor concert in the Band Hall which was thoroughly enjoyed by those who braved the weather. Thankfully our second recital of Community Week in the Harbour on Sunday was completed in ideal conditions in front of a large and appreciative audience. We were due to play from 2 to 3 o'clock but even though going over our time we felt our listeners would have stayed on much longer.

### Leixlip

I'm afraid that due to our busy schedule our Musical Marathon has been deferred until later in the year (watch this space) but on Sunday 6th June we took part in a Marathon of a different kind in Leixlip. The Parade to get their Salmon Festival off to a start began in Confey and wended (maybe wobbled is the correct word) its way to the Rye Vale Tavern Car Park via (please note v-i-a) Galvins Cross, past the GAA Club, Castletown Estate, Celbridge Road, and down the steps behind the Church to the Car Park. It was a heavy humid day - remember the June Bank Holiday? - and I think it was the first time I can remember where the Band managed to have a Parade and a Sauna at the same time.

### Dun Laoghaire

We survived through and headed off to The People's Park in Dun Laoghaire on the following Sunday. We were on tenterhooks throughout the day wondering if Mick Dempsey was going to make it back home. Remember last year at the same recital he was carted off to hospital? Well history did not repeat itself and he left the Park in a white Toyota car instead of a white Ford Ambulance, much to the relief of all.

### Galway Festival Parade

We travel to Galway on next Sunday (27th June) for the annual Feile na Gael Hurling Festival Parade which brings young hurlers from all over Ireland together in competition. It is a spectacularly colourful Parade with plenty of bands and every colour and design of jersey you could imagine. I hope to have news on this and all the happenings to date in our next BULLETIN. See you then.

## MAYNOOTH I.C.A.

### Mary brings honour to Maynooth ICA Guild

A member of the Maynooth Guild of the Irish Country Women's Association, Mary Flynn, has been placed second in the national finals of Nitromors Restoration Challenge, 1993. Nitromor's Marketing Director, Gerry Dennehy presented Mary with two 18th century framed prints and a piece of Cavan Crystal in Newman House, Stephen's Green, on the night of Tuesday night, May 18th.

RTE's 'Live at Three' furniture expert, Gerry Griffin, was the judge at the finals.

Mary, along with Dolores Brophy, Naas, was chosen at the Kildare finals in Ardclough, Celbridge to represent the county in the final against 22 other ICA federations.

Limited in her project choice due to a size restriction of 2.5 cubic feet, Mary finally, after attending many auctions in Celbridge, opted for restoring a 70 year old piano stool given to her by a friend.

Taking a photograph of her 'project' before she got to work, Mary spent two months stripping it down, polishing and reupholstering it.

However, the long and dedicated hours of work have paid off for Mary as she now has a piano stool worth £200.

All she needs now is a piano to accompany the stool!

Mary, who has been a member of the Maynooth ICA Guild for the past five years is married to Christy. With their four children Damien, Eric, Sonya and Christopher, they live in Derrinstown Stud, Maynooth.



Pictured at the recent Nitromors challenge in Newman House, were Gerry Dennehy, Sales & Marketing Manager, Evode Industries, Mary Flynn, Kildare (2nd place) and Bridin Twist, ICA National Contest Chairwoman.



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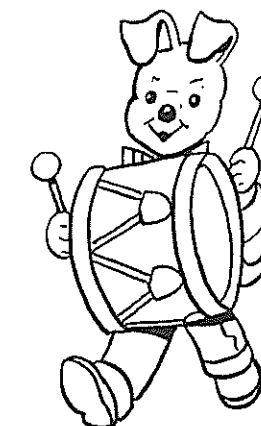
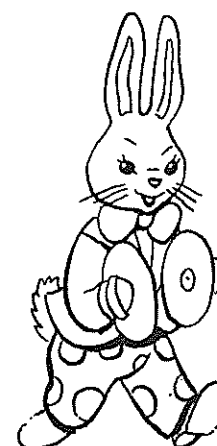
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### I.C.A. NOTES

The June meeting of Maynooth I.C.A. was held in the I.C.A. Hall on Thursday 3rd June at 8.00 p.m. Our President, Imelda Delaney commented on how nice our hall was looking now and thanked all the ladies who helped with the papering and painting. She also said that she was very grateful to Mr. Padraig Carney who gave so freely of his time to paint the ceiling. Imelda said the Old People's committee has expressed its gratitude to the I.C.A. ladies who helped with the catering and to the drama group who put on their play for the senior citizens party on May 16th for Active Age Week. At that event Josephine Moore presented a hard back copy of the book "Recollections" to our President and thanked the I.C.A. for the use of the hall for their morning club.

Our members have done very well of late in I.C.A. organised competitions. In the Kildare federation final of the Make and Model we got three 2nd places - Mary Bradley for "after six wear", Mary Halton for crochet and Betty Moore in the heavy suit section. We also took home the 1st prize in the novelty section. Well done to Rosemary, Enda, May, Mary, Veva, Kay and Betty. We were represented in the All Ireland old time waltzing competition by Una, Kay, Mary and Veva who did us proud. Mary Flynn did exceptionally well in the furniture restoration competition sponsored by "Nitromors". She was placed 2nd in Ireland for the wonderful restoration work which she did on a piano stool. Certificates of Merit in drama from Kildare I.C.A. federation were received by Ann Broughan and Breada Cronin for their outstanding performances in the play "Summer Belles". Our President congratulated all the ladies who did so well in all the competitions and she also wished Breada Donovan every success as our representative in the Sales Person of the year competition.

Some of our members are off globe trotting again this year with a trip to Italy in September and a trip to Paris/Strasbourg in November. Further information on the tours can be got from B. Duffy on Italy and M. O'Gorman on Paris/Strasbourg.

The raffle winners were - 1st T. Mooney, 2nd M. Bradley and 3rd M. O'Gorman. The competition winners were - 1st K. Burns, 2nd I. Delaney and 3rd M. Gee. Next month's competition will be a "tea brack". At the end of the meeting our hostesses treated us to tea with scones and biscuits, while we listened with interest to a talk given by Bernadette on Australia. Bernadette had also brought along lots of Australian memorabilia for us to view, and if all that wasn't enough for one night we also managed to hold an auction to raise money for the hall redecoration. Marion and Kay proved to be excellent auctioneers - so Gerry Brady had better watch out!

Craft nights and badminton mornings will be ending at the end of June as all the ladies will be taking a well earned rest for the summer. They will resume again in September.

Next month's meeting will be on Thursday 1st July at 8.00 p.m. Anyone interested in joining our very active guild will be made feel very welcome if they come along to this meeting. Finally, ladies please support our Annual Show on the 9th and 10th July in the Post Primary School, especially the classes confined to Maynooth I.C.A. members.

Connie Harpur  
P.R.O.

### LARAGHBRYAN CEMETERY

At a recent meeting of Maynooth Community Council one of the local topics discussed was the bad state and condition of Laraghbryan Cemetery. It was decided that a sub-committee be formed to try and organise some way of tackling and dealing with this problem. A meeting was arranged, and a committee formed calling themselves the Laraghbryan Cemetery Action Group.

At present members of the above committee are involved in trying to tidy the entire graveyard and because of the current state of the graveyard, you will appreciate that it is a difficult task. We are therefore appealing to the people of Maynooth to come forward and put in some work in the next couple of months so that it can be put into a manageable state. This is not a once-off clean-up and we intend for it to be on-going throughout the year. For those who intend to help in the clean-up, please use the barrels that will be provided to dispose of the rubbish.

There are a number of broken headstones lying idle that need urgent attention, please do something about them. If you are interested in helping in any way, you can contact the undersigned through the Community Council Office.

Dominic Nyland

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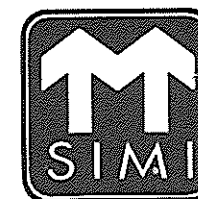
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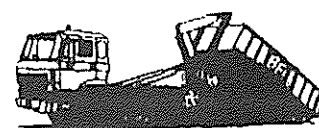
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### MAYNOOTH SWIMMING CLUB

The A.G.M. took place on the 8th June '93. There was an extremely poor turnout, much to our disappointment. The Committee plus three parents attended. The past Committee has agreed to go forward for another year.

The Committee is as follows:

Chairperson: Mr. Owen Byrne  
Secretary: Ms. Aine Hearn Kennedy  
Treasurer: Ms. Fionnuala McManus  
Asst. Treasurer: Ms. Brid Keenan  
P.R.O.: Ms. Margaret O'Neill  
& Ms. Claire O'Rourke.

We are appealing to parents of Club members to help with bus and pool supervision, especially fathers, as boys need male supervision in dressing rooms.

Our senior Gala was held on 12th June '93. We had a big turnout and our Chairperson, Mr. Owen Byrne, presented the prizes.

The winners are as follows:

#### FIRST BUS

##### Front Crawl

##### Senior:

##### Higher Level:-

1. Eloise Nic An Airchinnigh
2. Deirdre Devaney
3. Clodagh Butler

##### Lower Level:-

1. Sharon McLoughlin
2. John Healy
3. Damien Travers

##### Intermediate:

##### Higher Level:-

1. James Mullarkey
2. Alan Baxter
3. Yvonne O'Shea

##### Lower Level:-

1. Gillian Corbally
2. Mark Dunne
3. Catherine Gallagher

#### Breast Stroke

##### Senior:-

##### Higher Level:-

1. Meadhbh McManus
2. Sorcha Callaghan
3. Clodagh Butler

##### Back Crawl

##### Senior:

##### Higher Level:-

1. Eloise Nic An Airchinnigh
2. Deirdre Devaney
3. Sorcha Callaghan

##### Lower Level:-

1. Emma Cullinane
2. Sharon McLoughlin
3. Dermot O'Rourke

1. James Mullarkey
2. Brian O'Rourke
3. Alan Baxter

1. Gillian Corbally
2. Mark Dunne
3. Grainne McManus

##### Lower Level:-

1. Dermot O'Rourke
2. Sharon McLoughlin
3. Cathy Kelliher

### SECOND BUS

#### Front Crawl

##### Higher Level:-

1. Louise Gannon
2. Susan Farrell
3. Catherine Duff

##### Lower Level:-

1. Brian McLoughlin
2. Catherine Gannon
3. Deirdre O'Rourke

##### Intermediate:-

1. Conor Gannon
2. Sandra D'Arcy
3. Richard Leavy

#### Back Crawl

##### Higher Level:-

1. Louise Gannon
2. Susan Farrell
3. Catherine Duff

##### Lower Level:-

1. Brian McLoughlin
2. Martin Dolan
3. Denise Dolan

##### Intermediate:-

1. Conor Gannon
2. Sandra D'Arcy
3. Aidan Molloy

#### Breast Stroke

##### Senior:-

1. John Flatley
2. Louise Gannon
3. Susan Farrell

We would like to thank all those who helped during the year, especially Bus Drivers, Instructors and Parents.

Any members who have not returned their enrolment forms for September please do so immediately to any member of the Committee.

*P.R.O. Margaret O'Neill, Claire O'Rourke*

### CITIZENS INFORMATION CENTRE

#### Know Your Rights

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This column has been compiled by Maynooth Citizens Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the public.

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## Residents' Association

### GREENFIELD ESTATE RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

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The association is currently ascertaining all the facts in relation to the new link road in Straffan Road and its impact on Laurence Ave. Residents will be informed when all the information has been collated.

Enjoy your holidays.

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## Features

### FIREMEN HONOURED FOR THEIR COURAGE

Over 70 years of collective fire-fighting service to the local community by three Maynooth Firemen was applauded recently. In recognition of their invaluable service, courage and dedication to the people of Maynooth and surrounding areas, Station Officer Michael O'Riordan, John Coakley, and Caoimhin Behan were presented with certificates and medals by Junior Minister Emmet Stagg.

At the awards ceremony, Mr. Coakley was congratulated for a commendable 30 years of fire-fighting service, and Mr. O'Riordan and Mr. Behan were each awarded for 20 years of service.

### MAYNOOTH CHARITY CYCLISTS FROM MALIN TO MIZEN HEAD - 420 MILES

It is as a result of the endeavours of people like Gardai Pat Carr and Con Hayes of Maynooth, the Ann Sullivan Foundation for Deaf and Dumb Children will shortly receive a cheque for over 25,000 punts. They deserve our warmest congratulations and heart felt praise. Pat and Con plus 38 others cycled 420 miles from Malin Head in Donegal to Mizen Head in Cork for this worthy cause.

#### Training

Serious training began after Christmas. For Con Hayes the challenge presented an opportunity to discard extra weight and sure enough once training commenced the pounds began to fall off. Con lost one and half stone from 13th February to the end of May.

Each week Pat and Con would spend many hours in the saddle. It must be said however that there is a dispute as to whether Pat rode a bicycle at all. Some say it was a gate on wheels and ever since his bike is now known as the "Gate". Cycling 420 miles on an ordinary racing bicycle is tough enough but to cycle on a bicycle with stabilizers, carrier and mudguards must amount to masochism of a very high order.

Con's bicycle conformed to the more conventional. The only thing odd about his bicycle was that the bicycle was made up from several other bicycles. The important factor was it got him from Malin Head to Mizen Head and is showing very little for the wear - a bit dirty perhaps, but that's all.

#### The Long Haul

On 24th May they began the long haul. Everything was organized down to the last detail. Frank Furlong, Manager of AIB in Crumlin was responsible and he executed everything with military precision. Hotels, meals, back-up teams, publicity etc., everything went like clockwork. As the cyclists reached each town or village they were greeted by throngs of people lining the way, applauding and giving encouragement and of course generously giving money.

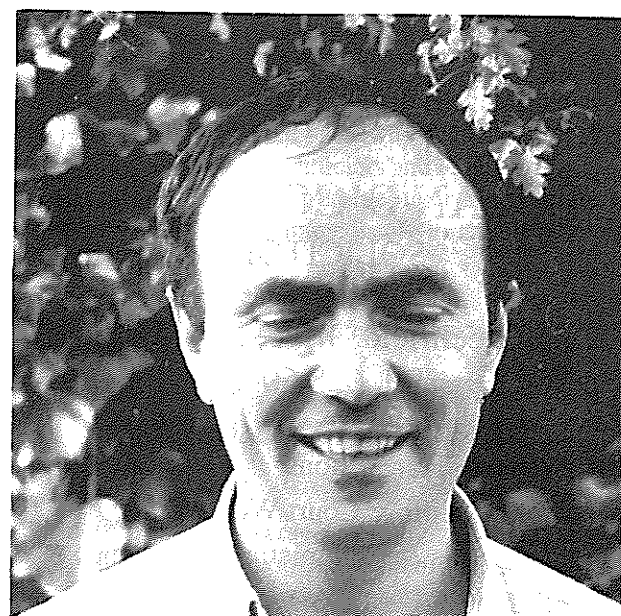
#### Stamina

In general the weather was extremely favourable. Considering it was one of the wettest Mays in the history of Records the West Coast of Ireland was lucky. Whilst we on the East Coast

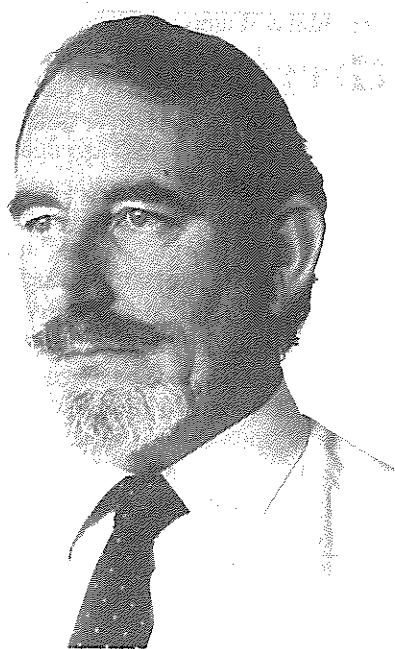
were washed out Con and Pat were enjoying excellent weather except for one day. The route the cyclists took after they had completed the first 20 miles from Malin Head to Ballyliffen on Sunday was: 1st Day - Ballyliffen to Bundoran, 2nd Day - Bundoran to Galway, 3rd Day - Galway to Mallow, 4th and final Day - Mallow to Mizen Head.

Asked if at any time either Pat or Con felt like pulling out, Pat felt pretty bad on his way into Galway. Con felt like throwing in the towel on the first day as he was nearing Bundoran but sheer stamina helped him out. Both cyclists felt that they could have done with more training in mountainous terrain. Even though they both had cycled each week for 6 hours duration conditions along the west coast were much more mountainous than around Maynooth.

To Pat and Con and to the other participants we say, Well Done.



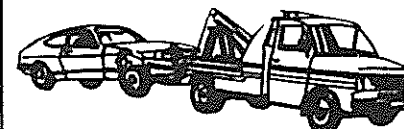
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## Features

### THE JOYS OF MOTHERHOOD

"Hey Mam, where are you Mam, I can't find you". Little footsteps can be heard roaming around the house in search of the elusive presence that is the centre of his little world, yes you've guessed, MAM. She sinks lower into the bath hoping something will distract him along the way, maybe a toy he hasn't played with for some time or a cartoon on the T.V. She looks at her watch, five minutes, not bad quality time to have achieved in one morning. Can she extend it to ten or maybe even fifteen, not a chance, she's been nabbed. POW, in he bursts, into the bathroom. Her solace has been destroyed. "Maam, there you are, I've found you", a little pause, then the inevitable "Can I get in with you?". What can she say, if she says no, he'll hound her until she gives in, rubber ducks and Barbies, boats and cars will be tested for their water resistance. Her resistance is rather less, however, she gives in, better to have him in the bath with no clothes on than have the bath all over his clothes.

His big brother however has a different approach. "Mam, can I get in when you get out - but Mam, when you get out how low will the water go. However if he's really feeling diplomatic he may put it differently "When you get out will there be any more hot water for me to fill the bath back up".

Now going to the toilet is a whole different ballgame - half pint's approach is "Mam, what are you doing, can I sit on your lap". Now at three and a half he must have a fair idea what the story is but as far as his little mind registers, Mam is sitting down, (never mind where) and that means a chance to sit on her lap and have a chat about current affairs. Funny now, diplomacy and all that aside, his big brother wouldn't dream of coming in for a chat if Mam has been in this particular room for more than three minutes.

Girls now are a whole different kettle of fish, bathtime and loo time aside, they have their own charm, if not as much tact. "Yes Mam, your hair is lovely like that, it doesn't make your face so fat," or when looking at an ad for Slimfast "Hey Mam, that looks good, why don't you try that" and all of this said with the sweetest of smiles and not an ounce of spite. Another amusing tactless comment has to be "Hey Mam, when you met Dad first were you slim" and of course Dad nearly chokes in his chair whilst trying to stifle a laugh.

Making sure children know exactly what to say when being sent on an errand is often a tiresome task. Mam tells the child what to say and do and inevitably somewhere along the way the message gets twisted around. Girls like to think they have everything in hand and 6 year olds like nothing better than to organise younger siblings. This particular six year old was sent out to find her younger brother's missing tractor and was told to go door to door and enquire whether anyone had seen it or if some child had brought it home by mistake. Having given her younger brother his instructions as he was accompanying her on this errand, and thoroughly enjoying being in charge of such a mission, she decided to double check at the last minute. She turned around as she was walking out the front door and promptly enquired "Mam, sure we're not to say when we knock on people's doors, "Have you got a stolen tractor in your back garden?"

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Amenity member	£20		£40	£55	£72	£90
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**SPECIAL OFFER:** Book your children in before June 21st and go into a draw for money-back special offers for four lucky people.

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■ Bus fares for Leixlip area: Members: £2.50 per child. Non-member £3.00 per child

### BOOKING FORM

Please fill in relevant details and tick boxes where necessary and return to Centre:  
Surname & Christian name(s) Age Address

1. ....	Pick up point:.....
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Summer camp 1	<input type="checkbox"/> July 5th-9th July			
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Summer camp 6	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 16th-20th Aug.			
Summer camp 7	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 23rd-27th Aug.			



## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



Brigid Sauls and Jack Cleary at Old Peoples Cabaret



Liz Bennett and Mary O'Connor at Old Peoples Cabaret



Mrs. Kenny, Mrs. Fortune and Mrs. Gaffney enjoying themselves at the Old Peoples' Cabaret

## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



Enjoying the festival fun in the Roost



Having a well earned drink after running the Womens' Mini Marathon



All smiles during Festival Week



## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



Ann Naughton, Mary O'Melia, Maurice Byrne Guinness Rep.,  
Ann Carey Caulfields at Bachelor of the Year



Tom and Maura McMullon, winners of Mr & Mrs Competition and Frances Daly C.I.C.



Winners of Talent Competition  
L - R Loman Behan 2nd, Karen Conroy 3rd and Alex Wallace 1st

## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



Committee Members - Old Peoples' Committee  
L - R Catherine Mulready, Rose Bean, Trish Cusker enjoy the cabaret in Caulfields



Enjoying Old Peoples' Cabaret in Caulfields  
L - R Mrs. Waldron, Mrs. Tracey and Mrs. Hickey



Supplying the music for the cabaret in Caulfields are Kevin McGovern and Josie Moore



## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



Enjoying Guinness at the launch in the Roost

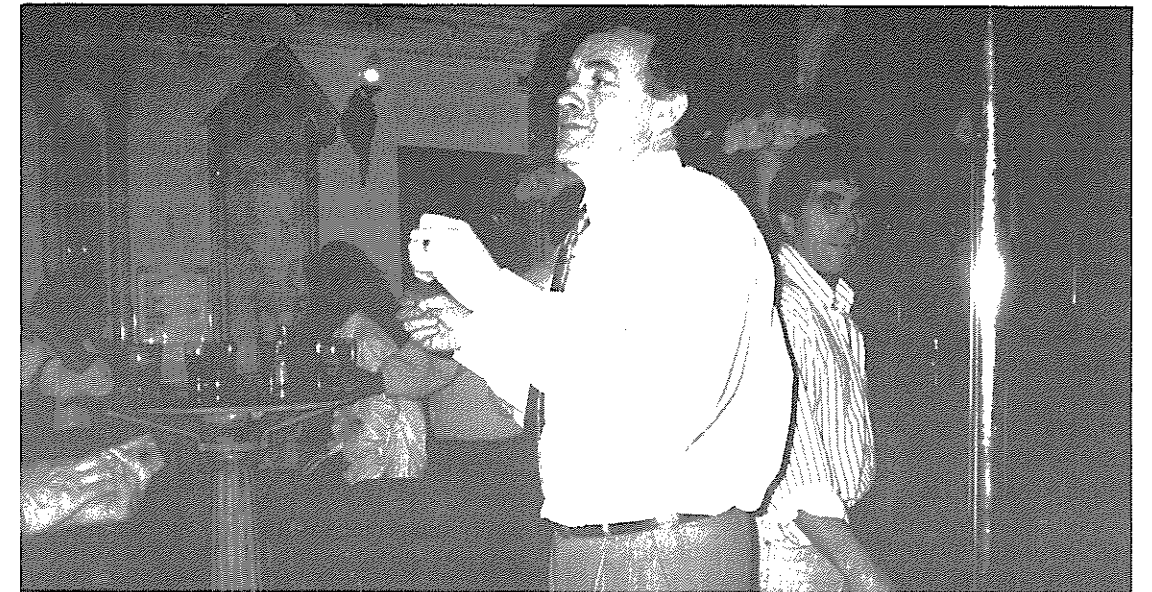


Something to smile about at the launch of the Festival



Enjoying Guinness are the Lawrance Brothers, Geraldine Delaney and Friend

## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



Barperson 1993 - Mel Farrell - The Roost



Mel in fine voice during the sing song in the Roost



Phil McDermott and Gerry Fitzpatrick supplying the music for sing song in the Roost



## Features

### DELICIOUSLY SIMPLE

#### Sultana Slab

Serves :- 6 - 8  
Preparation:- 25 minutes.  
Cook:- 1 1/4 hours

1lb/450g Sultanas  
3 Eggs  
12oz/350g Caster Sugar  
2tsp/10ml Almond Essence  
8oz/225g Butter  
12oz/350g Plain Flour  
2tsp/10ml Baking Powder  
8 x 12in/21 x 31 cm Roasting Tin

- Preheat oven to Mark 3/325°F/160°C. Grease the roasting tin.
- Place the sultanas in a saucepan and cover with water, bring to the boil and cook for 15 mins. Meanwhile mix the eggs, sugar and almond essence in a large mixing bowl.
- Drain the sultanas and put them back into the saucepan with the butter. Stir occasionally over a low heat until the butter has melted. Remove from the heat and add to the egg mixture.
- Finally add the flour and baking powder and mix together thoroughly. Pour the mixture into the tin and bake for 1 1/4 hours until golden brown.
- Leave in the tin for 5 mins. before cooling on a wire rack.
- When cool, cut the cake into slabs.

This cake freezes really well. Keep some out to eat immediately after baking and freeze the rest. Each piece will take about an hour to defrost thoroughly at room temperature.

### GARDENING HINTS

Well July is here again and hopefully the bees are buzzing and the children are playing in their paddling pools (As I am writing this in the May rain!) There is not too much to do this month just a little bit to get you out in the sun to top up your tan.

- Mow the lawn regularly unless the weather is dry then you should raise the blades on your lawn mower. Scarify patches of creeping weeds and surface running grasses before mowing. Feed lightly in early July. Apply weed killers and irrigate as necessary.
- Clip hedges. Continue pruning shrubs. Begin taking cuttings.
- Spray for greenfly on roses if they appear. Apply more fertilizer to encourage more flowering. Remove suckers.
- Hoe flower beds as soon as weeds appear. Water young plants as soon as a dry spell occurs. Check gladioli and dahlia are well staked. Clematis montana are liable to branch congestion, so prune to ease over crowding.
- Plant out winter cabbage, cauliflower and broccoli. Make late sowings of lettuce, beetroot and peas. Sow spring cabbage late in the month. Small onions can be dried during this month. Raspberries and redcurrants require summer pruning.
- Thin out apples and pears if necessary. One fruit per 15 cm of branch is enough. Water newly planted trees.
- Paint shading material onto the glass if you have a greenhouse. Sow primula and cineraria seed. Coleus are ready for cuttings.

- Continue regular watering and feeding of house plants. Watch closely for pests, especially red spider mites and greenfly.

#### TOMATOES

Outdoor tomatoes can be planted in early June. Before planting 3-4 oz per sq yard of tomato fertilizer should be added to the soil. Plant 18 in apart and water well. After planting loosely tie the stems with soft garden string to supports at 12 in intervals. Remove any side-shoots (except on bush varieties). Stop each long-stemmed plant 2 leaves beyond the 4th truss as the fruits begin to develop. Continue to remove any side-shoots induced to grow as a result of stopping. Spray against potato blight. Water and liquid feed regularly. During mid-September cut the strings and lay the plants on a bed of straw. Cover with cloches and continue to water without wetting the fruit.

Apply sun protection 25 and head out into your garden for a spot of light work.

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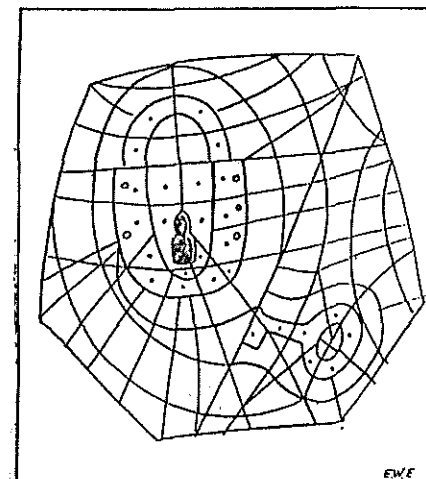
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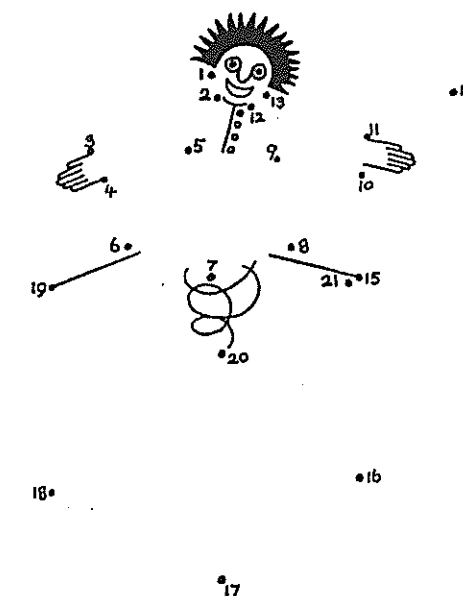
#### FUN PUZZLE



Shade in the dotted areas and find the hidden objects.

#### JACK-IN-THE-BOX

When the lid is opened out springs Jack. To draw him start at number 1 (It is on the left hand side of his head).



#### ON THE BEACH

How many things in this picture begin with an S? You should find seventeen.



Sun, seagull, sea, shells, sand, starfish, shrimp, shoes, strawberries, sandwiches, socks, sandals, sunshade, spade, swimsuits.

#### WINNERS OF JUNE COLOURING

##### COMPETITION

##### 4-7 YEARS

##### 8-12 YEARS

<b>1st</b>	Darren Hayes 79 Moyglare Village	Michelle Cunningham 79 Maynooth Park
<b>2nd</b>	Aoife Foley Baltracey Donadea	James Cullen Baltracey Donadea
<b>3rd</b>	Karen Corcoran 44 Laurence Ave	Michelle McGovern 820 Greenfield

### MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA VISITS MAYNOOTH

#### GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO.

The above Latin jubilation is the only way to describe how the people of Maynooth felt after they had been honoured by the visit of a legend, some say a saint, in her own time on Tuesday 1st of June last. It is poignant to note that on this occasion her visit took place on the day following the feast of the Visitation of Mary the Mother of God.

Whilst Mother Teresa's visit to Maynooth had been planned for months her recent fall had put the whole visit in doubt. Though frail looking she may be, a little thing like three broken ribs was not going to deter such a determined person as Mother Teresa of Calcutta.

To the casual visitor passing through Maynooth that day nothing unusual appeared to be occurring. There was the usual traffic jams, people were doing their shopping and everything was normal but behind the scenes the Gardai were very busy as were the staff in St. Patrick's College preparing for their distinguished visitor.

Each year the students at Maynooth College organise the Trocaire Annual Talk, inviting a dignitary to speak on a Third World issue. This year the students invited Mother Teresa to give the talk. Despite her recent illness, already mentioned, Mother Teresa agreed to continue with her visit to Ireland and particularly to be present in Maynooth on Tuesday 1st June. The format was somewhat different than in previous years as the event was planned to be an evening of prayer with Mother Teresa, during which she addressed the congregation. The students put great effort into planning the event and it proved to be a beautiful liturgical occasion.

Mother Teresa and her entourage were escorted by Gardai outriders arriving at the side entrance of the Chapel at approximately 6 p.m. She was received enthusiastically by Cardinal Daly and a number of bishops and clergy from all over Ireland. Upon entering the building Mother Teresa kindly consented to allow the Press to take photographs after which she met Trocaire members at the side of the Chapel.

Upon entering the altar she was greeted by tumultuous applause from an overcrowded College Chapel for the congregation which had participated in the liturgical music and meditations from 5 p.m. were now joined by Mother Teresa in reflection, blessing and lighting of the Commemorative Candle and Intercessions read in several different languages from Croatian, Italian, Kiswahili to Russian. The congregation with their candles held aloft, created the atmosphere of a Pilgrimage gathering in Lourdes. The local Gardai who were guarding Mother Teresa became involved in the ceremony. They began assisting with the lighting of the candles.

Her address to the congregation on the need for prayer was quietly spoken. Prayer, she said was the way to love and peace in the family and community. Her short speech to the congregation was followed by questions from two Maynooth College students. One of the two questioners asked whether she was concerned about the fall in numbers of vocations. She replied that she has spent much time thinking about this issue. "I have thought very much about that but I believe it is going to increase again", and she asked the congregation to pray for families and individuals who do decide to take up vocations.

Asked what she feared most, she answered simply but quite firmly "sin".

When the evening of prayer had ended Mother Teresa made her way out of the College Chapel. By the time she had got to the side door a large number of the original 1,000 plus congregation had made their way around to the side of the chapel hoping to get a final glimpse. Some began to run down towards the main gate thinking the cavalcade would shortly arrive. However, Mother Teresa had a few further engagements prior to leaving the college.

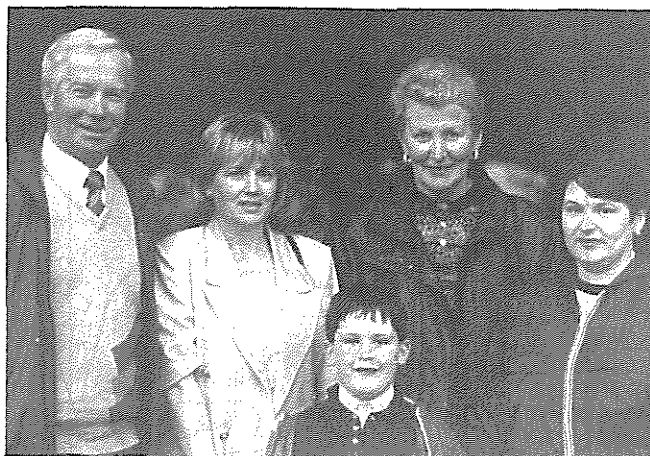
Her first call after the Evening of Prayer was to the students at Maynooth College. There she spoke on Third World issues. Later Mother Teresa met a group from Armagh led by Canon McDonald and Cardinal Daly.

Mother Teresa left Maynooth at approximately 9 p.m.

For those of us who were fortunate to have either met her face to face or even just got a glimpse, the occasion was one of deep spiritual and joyful emotion. Many people with whom I spoke to after the Evening of Prayer were filled with a great sense of joy having been privileged to be in the presence of a living saint.



Mother Teresa of Calcutta on her visit to Maynooth in June



At Mother Teresa's visit to Maynooth were from left to right Michael Meally, Breeda Behan, Delma Meally, Martin Fury and Shiela Fury all from Maynooth attended the Evening Prayer in honour of Mother Teresa. They all felt they had been in the presence of a Saint.



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## STREET TALKING

## CURTAIN RAISING IN MAYNOOTH

The people of Maynooth will be glad to hear that Maynooth Curtains have not moved out of town. In fact Seamus Murray, his wife Patricia and Mary Jennings have only moved a stone's throw from where they were in the Mall to the premises formerly known as the Green Door on Main Street and for those of you who can recall that song I can assure you Seamus is keeping no secrets behind this Green Door.

Whilst there is lots of traffic on the Main Street where Seamus has now set up his business there is ample space for parking. What struck me on entering Maynooth Curtains was its refreshing bright appearance. There are rows upon rows of rails laden down with sample stocks of curtains from which customers will have excellent choice. So, if you are thinking of brightening up your living room or bedroom or you are fed up looking at those drab old curtains you need go no further than Maynooth Curtain's new premises on Main Street, Maynooth. Seamus's own background is quite impressive. After finishing his Leaving he applied for a job in Arnotts. In those days most interviews for employment in Arnotts would take place in the Gresham Hotel. The successful applicant would then be placed in a particular department. Seamus was assigned to the curtain department and he has been curtain raising ever since. So Seamus, take a bow.

For over 9 years Mary Jennings has helped Seamus and Patricia in building an excellent business and many people in Maynooth have come to appreciate their expert assistance.

It is hoped that Maynooth Curtains will continue to prosper and we, the staff in the *Newsletter*, wish Seamus, Patricia and Mary every success on their move to Main Street, Maynooth.

## A NEW AUCTIONEERING ALLIANCE IN MAYNOOTH.

It must be said that Regan Cleary Estate Agents know where they are going. Both Frank Regan and Brian Cleary see the enormous potential and future their Company have in Maynooth and surrounding areas into the next century. Frank Regan is a well known businessman in Maynooth. For the past six years Frank has successfully run Regan Independent Brokers & Mortgage & Insurance Brokers and Frank Regan & Company Auctioneers & Estate agents. It is in this latter field of business where he feels the need for expansion.

Brian, formerly of E.A. Coonan, Gunne Estate Agents and Jones Lang Wootton has formed a new estate agency partnership with Frank. The firm will be known as Regan Cleary Estates and are based in Maynooth House, Main St., Maynooth, Phone 6285377. The partnership will be dealing in all aspects of property, including residential, land and country, commercial, valuations, rent reviews and lettings. Independent mortgage advice with keenest rates available on all types of property. Frank for many years worked in Merrion Square, Dublin as an independent broker and auctioneer prior to setting up in Maynooth. He is a keen G.A.A. fan who played for his county. He is also a rugby supporter and is currently president of the North Kildare Rugby Club. Frank, who hails from Roscommon is married to Annette and has two children.

Brian comes from Sligo and is a soccer enthusiast and plays for Pegasus in the Leinster Senior League.

Regan Cleary Estates are members of The Institute of Professional Auctioneers and Valuers. Both Frank and Brian are firm believers of the personal "open door" approach and, with Mary

Flannery from Galway who is the Office Administrator and who is well known and respected in Maynooth, this friendly open door approach already exists as many in Maynooth can verify. This partnership makes good sense from another point of view. With the new motorway about to open Maynooth will become, in the words of Brian "an investment town". Buying a house in and around Maynooth will make sense as the centre of Dublin will be less than 20 minutes drive away. Indeed as a result of the new infrastructure the private and commercial life of Maynooth stands to benefit enormously. Frank and Brian hope the development of Maynooth Town Centre by the County Council and Business people will take place and that there will be an overall improvement of footpaths etc. With Maynooth's fine heritage, its mix of University town, country and farm offering wonderful opportunities the future looks good for Maynooth and Regan Cleary Estate Agents. We wish them well.



Brian Cleary (left) has joined Frank Regan (right)  
Estate Agents in Maynooth

## PHOTO AWARD FOR GERRY MAC CANN

Gerry MacCann, who has been living in Maynooth since 1988 is now a well established photographer in the area. Gerry was trained in photography at the Crawford School of Art in Cork and the National College of Art and Design in Dublin, and has been awarded his Licentiatehip of the Irish Professional Photographers Association. The presentation was made to him by Ronald Norton, AIPPA, President of the Association. Gerry also lectures and teaches in photography at the Rehabilitation Institute's National Training College in Dublin, where he trains photographic assistants. He has always been interested in photography and has a great interest in the arts. Through his photography he has captured many social events, weddings and local scenes in the last five years producing many award winning pictures. Some of his work has been featured in the "Maynooth Newsletter". Gerry is hoping to have an exhibition in Maynooth shortly, where some of his finest pictures can be viewed by the public. Persons wishing to contact Gerry about photography, his telephone number is (01) 6286488.

## DUNBOYNE FARM MAKES £2,650 PER ACRE

Coonan's Estate Agents, Maynooth, Co. Kildare recently sold by auction a residential farm extending to 86 acres at Butlerstown, Dunboyne, Co. Meath for the excellent price of £232,000.

continued

## C.K.R. News/Current Affairs and Sports Schedule

97.6FM

• News on the Hour •

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## WEEKDAYS

6.35a.m.	Farming Weather Forecast
6.40	Road Conditions/Road Works
7.15	Telecom Diary
7.30	Morning Papers
7.50	CKR Job Spot
8.00	National/International News
8.15	Traffic News
8.20	National/International Headlines
8.30	Obituaries
8.40	National/International Headlines
8.45	Traffic News
9.00	National/International News and Sports
9.10	Newspaper Headlines
9.30	Telecom Diary
9.45	CKR Job Spot
10.05	Obituaries
11.00	Regional News Headlines
12.50 - 1.00p.m.	Regional News and Sport with Tom Dowling, Caroline O'Brien, Majella Duane and Declan Moroney
2.00 - 3.00p.m.	POINTS OF VIEW-current issues and guests with Tom Dowling

3.00p.m.  
5.00 - 5.25pmRegional news headlines  
"Inside Leinster" with Tom Dowling, Caroline O'Brien, Majella Duane and Declan Moroney.

## SATURDAYS

News on the hour and Regional News bulletin at 10.00a.m.; 12 noon; 1.00p.m. and 6.00p.m.

10.00 - 11.30a.m.  
2.00 - 6.00p.m."An Bóthar Eile" with Ann Conway  
"Saturday Sports Beat"  
Ronan Jennings and Clem Ryan with results as they come to hand  
Sports Roundup with Clem Ryan

5.30 - 6.00p.m.

## SUNDAYS

News on the hour

1.00 - 2.00p.m.

"Country Forum" with Jim Norton and Monica Carr

2.00 - 7.00p.m.

"Sunday Sports Beat" with Ronan Jennings and Clem Ryan  
Sports Roundup with Clem Ryan

6.05 - 6.40p.m.

## SATURDAY PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

"News on the Hour"

Regional News Bulletin at 10a.m.; 12.00noon; 1.00p.m. and 6.00p.m.

7.00 - 10.00a.m.	SATURDAY SHOWTIME with Chris Walsh. Entertainment for all the family including birthday wishes and phone-fun with the little ones!
10.00a.m.	News and Obituaries
10.00 - 11.30 a.m.	AN BÓTHAR EILE with Anne Conway. Youth and Community activities, book reviews, competitions on CKR's bilingual magazine programme.
11.30 - 2.00p.m.	Noel McCaul's Essential Collection - his own personal selection of quality music. Solid Gold Hits and Fascinating Trivia.
2.00 - 6.00p.m.	SATURDAY SPORTSBEAT with Ronan Jennings and Clem Ryan. Music and fast moving up-to-the-minute coverage of sport through the afternoon. Sports news with results as they come to hand.
5.30 - 6.00p.m.	Sports roundup - results and match reports from all the day's action with Clem Ryan.
6.00 - 9.30p.m.	HEARTBEAT with Sean Ferguson. Classic songs of passion and romance including Classic Heart-beat from 8.00 - 8.30p.m.
9.30 - 2.00a.m.	NIGHTSHIFT with John Troy. A personal selection of quality music past and present.

## SUNDAY PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

"News on the Hour"

7.00 - 11.00 a.m.

SUNDAY MELODY with Brendan Bambrick - Easy listening sounds for Sunday morning.  
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1.00 - 2.00 p.m.

COUNTRY FORUM. Jim Norton and Monica Carr with CKR's rural magazine show -including gardening advice and consumer information - topical provocative and entertaining.  
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2.00 - 3.00 p.m.

3.00 - 7.00 p.m.

SUNDAY SPORTSBEAT with Ronan Jennings and Clem Ryan. Music and fast moving up-to-the-minute coverage of sport throughout the afternoon. Sports news with results as they come to hand. Sports roundup. Results and match reports from all the day's action with Clem Ryan.

6.05 - 6.40 p.m.

7.00 - 8.00 p.m.

LEISURE TIME LISTENING. Light classical music and song with John Sheeran.

8.00 - 10.00 p.m.

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## Features

The property was sold in two lots as follows:

Lot 1: Residence on 29 acres for £126,000

Lot 2: Non-residential lands, 57 acres for £106,000

The agents expressed themselves extremely happy with the price achieved and remarked that it was a further indicator of the general overall improvement in the property scene.

The solicitors acting for the vendors were Malone & Martin, Trim, Co. Meath.

### NEW STATION MASTER IN MAYNOOTH

Brendan Mulligan, married and living in Celbridge, has been appointed as the new Station Master at Maynooth on the 15th June. Brendan joined Dublin Bus as a driver in March 1983. After a short time he began working in the Rail Freight Department. He was later promoted and made Clerical Officer in the Human Resources Department in Connolly Station. Brendan is a keen golfer and tries to play every weekend. He has a Diploma in Industrial Relations from the National College of Industrial Relations (NCIR) in Ranelagh and is at present pursuing a BA in Personnel Management in NCIR. During his term here as Station Master he would like to see an upgrading in the rolling stock and hopes for an improvement in the quality of the service with the possible use of a double line between Maynooth and Dublin.

We wish Brendan well in his new appointment.



Brendan Mulligan,  
new Station Master  
in Maynooth

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In the tears of creation  
You were born to me.  
A testimony to the greatness of God  
And his powers of creation.  
You shared your body  
In mind, soul and emotion with the life in you.

II

What tribute can man give to the giver of life.  
To the sufferer of pain.  
For no man can explain this mystic experience,  
That can compare to the wonder of the cosmos.

III

In the cry of the first rays of light,  
You came into the world.  
I gazed into your eyes and in the pools,  
Of your reflection a soul of live shone.  
And the bond of love was eternally made.

IV

From woman, man is born.  
From you a gift so precious was given to me.  
Let me carpet your feet in petals of rose.  
And soften your passage through life  
With tender love.  
For nothing can compare to the life you gave to me.

*Eamonn Daly*

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## Features

### A SPECIAL SERVICE FOR ANDES VICTIM

A special service for Graham Hall Whittaker, the son of a Maynooth lecturer who was killed when he fell from a mountain face in the Andes, was held in St. Mary's Parish Church, Maynooth last month.

The 24 year old man was one of two climbers who died when they lost their footing and fell while climbing a difficult peak in the mountain range, 600 miles south of Lima, the Peruvian capital. His companion was Stephen Kelsey, from South Africa. Although he fell to his death on Friday 14 May, his shocked parents were starved of information about their son's fatal accident. Up to a week later, Peruvian authorities were still trying to recover the bodies.

His father, Peter, is a lecturer in the Biology Department at St. Patrick's College, Maynooth. Speaking to the Leinster Leader - he confirmed that his son's body had been found over the weekend, and they are expecting an inquest. His remains were cremated before they were flown back to Ireland for the service on Monday.

Graham was one of a 4-strong team, which included 2 English women. The experienced climbers had set to climb separate faces of the mountain range. The bodies of the two men were discovered when the women returned to the rendezvous point. His family are originally from England, and Graham is the eldest of four children. A biochemical engineer who graduated from University College of London, Graham had been living in London for the past 7 years.

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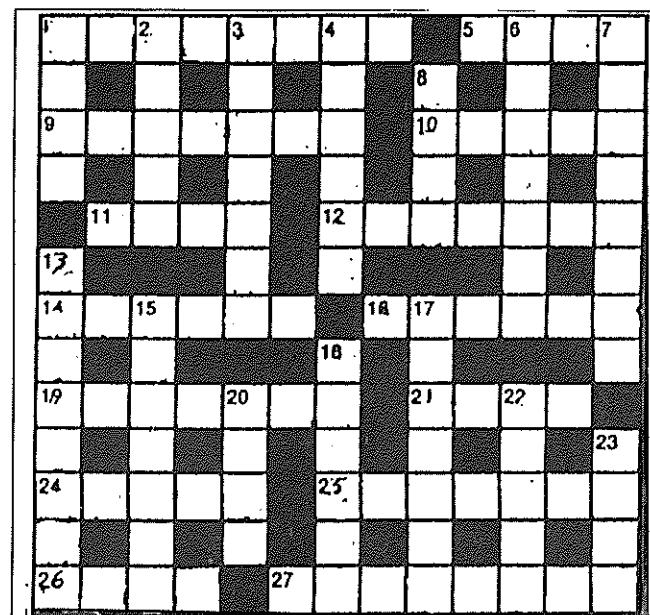
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### CROSSWORD NO. 68



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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Clues Across:

1. Tim opens way to favouring the family (8)
5. Dry and roasting in desert principally (4)
9. Weight-watcher, Mrs Mile goes jogging (7)
10. Walk, as old public transport requires a penny (5)
11. Cost one pound to touch (4)
12. Present; present; absent (7)
14. Dutiful respect for silver in house (6)
16. Learned cleric gets angry about puzzle (6)
19. British royalty offers alternative to turns (7)
21. Jetty that is in public relations (4)
24. Corner fish (5)
25. Cher holds on to suitable piece of writing (7)
26. Ride around is awful! (4)
27. We've a hat made for the sunny spell (8)

#### Clues Down:

1. Smell at front of aircraft (4)
2. Cost of public relations on diamonds (5)
3. Delay getting girl to transmit in reverse (4-3)
4. Sudden jump to left of centre? (6)
6. Raise and finish behind (4,3)
7. Favourite gets pound indeed to be run down (8)
8. Meatdish causes dampness when overturned (4)
13. Display on musicians; musicians on display (8)
15. Puzzle a German boss (7)
17. Tim fumbled about a plot to embed in . . . (7)
18. . . . nursery where a hundred lead a ragged cheer (6)
20. Get rid of outhouse (4)
22. More over (5)
23. At Liberty (4)

## Features

### SOLUTION TO CROSSWORD NO. 67

#### Across

8. Athenian 9. Pampas 10. Intone 11. Unopened 12. Shinto  
13. Asbestos 15. Mart 17. Jezebel 19. Acronym 22. Mare  
24. Amethyst 27. Leered 29. Engineer 30. Batons 31. Coward  
32. Cataract

#### Down

1. Stench 2. Denounce 3. Tiresome 4. Insular 5. Aplomb  
6. Embers 7. Category 14. Star 16. Alms 18. Edmonton  
20. Celibate 21. Overture 23. Attract 25. Taiwan 26. Yields  
28. Eunuch.

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## Political Party Notes

### FINE GAEL NOTES

#### Flood Chaos

The widespread and severe flooding in the Maynooth, Leixlip, Celbridge and Straffan areas which resulted from the heavy rains of June 10th and 11th highlighted the absence of any major disaster plan for Kildare. Bernard Durkan T.D. was first made aware of the flooding, while conducting clinics in Monasterevin, on the evening of Friday the 11th June. Despite constant efforts by him to contact senior Council officials he was, with the exception of the Chief Fire Officer, unable to do so. Having worked his way across the county he reached Leixlip at 1 a.m. on Saturday morning to find the houses of Mill Lane on the verge of being flooded. He personally had to obtain sand bags for the householders in that area so that they could protect their houses.

The only emergency service to perform its task in a proper and professional way in all this chaos was the fire brigade but in the absence of any back-up from other elements of the council they were not equal to the task. While the natural reaction is to blame the Co. Council for not having a plan to deal with emergencies the fault in fact lies with the Dept. of the Environment and the Minister Mr. Michael Smith. It is he who should name the person to take charge in the event of an emergency and specify what the chain of command should be. His continued failure to perform his duty in this respect means that we in Co. Kildare are faced with further disruption in the event of any future crisis such as heavy snow next winter. We call on Mr. Stagg, Minister of State at the Dept. of the Environment to bring this problem to the attention of his senior colleague.

#### Promises, Promises

In November of last year Mr. Spring, front bench spokesman and Labour Party candidate addressed a mass meeting of Aer Lingus workers and promised them that Labour in Government would preserve jobs and provide all the money necessary to make the company viable.

In January and February of this year when Digital were withdrawing from Galway and making 1100 workers redundant Labour Ministers maintained that this was one of the difficulties of dealing with multinationals where decisions were being made by executives and shareholders outside our jurisdiction and control, and with no commitment to the workers, the country, or the economy. Some Labour Ministers suggested that nationalisation of industries might be necessary to protect employment. Now that Mr. Cahill has delivered his reform package to the government with its 1530 redundancies it is time for the Labour Party to deliver on their promises and high blown rhetoric and not judge the issue.

#### Council Houses

The Governments intention to start building 3,000 Council houses this year might seem like good news for those on the Housing List. However this is not so. There are at present about 1,500 families on the Kildare Housing List. It is intended to start building 88 houses in this county in 1993. At this rate it will take almost 20 years to clear the present list. It is conceivable that many could be grandparents before they are housed.





Extra copies of the children's colouring competition page are available in the Community Council Office

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This category of the colouring competition is for 4 - 12 year olds.  
Closing Date for receipt of entries is Friday 16th July by 5.00 p.m.

## FESTIVAL WEEK 1993



In attendance at the Guinness Festival Launch were L - R Greg Cummiham Guinness, Senan Griffin Chairman Community Council and Councillor John McGinley.



Winning team in Guinness 7-a-side Inter Area Soccer Competition



Winning team in Smithwicks Table Quiz were L - R John McGarry, Declan O'Connor, Ben Daly, Paul Daly being congratulated by Guinness Rep Maurice Byrne.

## Political Party Notes

### LABOUR PARTY NOTES

#### Tony Smith Memorial Walk

The proceeds of the Tony Smith Memorial Walk 1993, which amounted to £1,278, were handed over to the Maynooth Old Folks Committee, by Minister of State Emmet Stagg T.D. and Cllr. John McGinley at a function for the Old Folks in Caulfields on June 15th. Again we thank the people of Maynooth for their continued generous support of our Walk.

#### Laurence Avenue

Following representations by Cllr. John McGinley, Kildare Co. Council have set in motion the necessary procedures to close off the exit to the Celbridge Road from Laurences Avenue. A petition carried out by Labour members last year had shown widespread support for this move. With the opening of the by-pass traffic on this road will substantially increase as Celbridge motorists will use this route to gain access to the by-pass. The closing off of this exit will prevent Laurences Avenue from being used as a 'rat run' by motorists wishing to avoid the traffic lights which will be put in place at the Straffan Road/Celbridge Road junction.

#### Hotel in Beaufield

Planning permission has been lodged for a 14 bedroomed Hotel adjacent to the shops in Beaufield. The Local Branch sees this as an attempt to get around the fact that developers have been unable to get a drinks licence for the pub. Planning permission was secured for the latter some years ago. Cllr. John McGinley has supported and will continue to support the Residents objection to this planning application. There is a great need for a hotel in Maynooth but not in the middle of a housing estate.

#### Upgrading and Enhancement of Main Street

At the request of local branch members Cllr. John McGinley has tabled the following motion for consideration at the next Celbridge Area Committee of the Council. 'That the following works be carried out in association with the revamping of the Courthouse, Market Square, Maynooth:-

1. Underground E.S.B., Telecom and T.V. overhead network in the Town.
2. Replace public lighting standards and lamps with units appropriate to the town e.g. Phoenix Park type.
3. Survey the lime trees in the town and replace where necessary.
4. Replace existing footpath surfaces with interlocking brick paving type.

We will keep you advised of progress in this matter.

#### Kingsbry

In response to representations from residents of Kingsbry, Minister of State Emmet Stagg T.D. requested Kildare Co. Council to serve an enforcement notice on the Developers of Kingsbry in an effort to have works completed in the estate. We are pleased to advise that the enforcement notice has now been served on the Developers.

#### Maynooth Employment Exchange

Minister of State, Emmet Stagg T.D., has been advised by the Minister for Social Welfare that the reason that queuing occurred outside Maynooth Employment Exchange was that claimants do not always adhere to their signing times, and that this caused unnecessary queues at certain times. Some 3,000 people are registered as unemployed at Maynooth Exchange and of these 1,200 attend each week to sign on and receive payment. The remainder are paid in their local post office. Each claimant has a specified time to sign on to ensure that there is no major amount of time spent queuing. The Branch will continue to monitor the position.

#### Joan Slade River

Arising from the flooding of houses in Parson Street on June 12th, Cllr. John McGinley has asked Kildare Co. Council to repair the wall that runs along the Joan Slade river. Residents advised that the water came through the wall and that if it was in a proper state their homes would not have been flooded. Minister of State Emmet Stagg T.D. has visited the residents affected and will support Cllr. John McGinley's efforts in this matter.

We are also requesting the Council to have the Joan Slade river cleared out.

#### Meadowbrook/Brookleigh

One wonders why Developers call estates Meadowbrook and Brookleigh when the brook which flows through these estates is littered with builders rubble. Cllr. McGinley and Minister Stagg have made urgent representations to Kildare Co. Council to have the developers contacted concerning the clearing out of the brook.

#### Labour advice Service

Minister of State Emmet Stagg T.D. continues to be available to the people of Maynooth every Saturday at 4.00p.m. in Caulfields (Private Meeting Room). Cllr. John McGinley can be contacted at 50 Greenfield Drive (6285293).

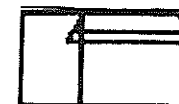
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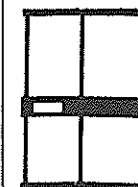
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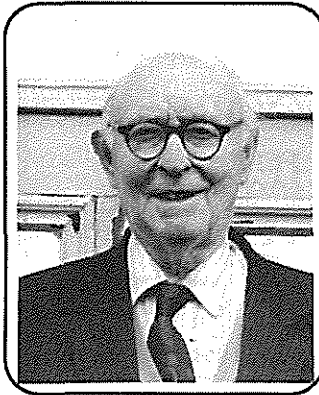
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## Muintir Má Nuad

### Phil Brady - Publican



Phil Brady has seen Maynooth grow from a population of 1,500 in 1923, when he first arrived here, to approximately 6,000 today. Phil, one of a family of nine, was born in Co. Cavan January 1907. He left Laragh, Co. Cavan at the tender age of 16 years to serve his time in a bar on Main St., Maynooth. The owner of the bar at the time was Mrs. Pitts, a widow, and at the time John Neary was the manager. Phil earned 5/- (5 shillings - old money) per week for the first year of his apprenticeship. In the second year he earned 10/- per week and in the third year 1 pound per week. In less than a decade he had not only acquired all the knowledge needed for his business, he became the owner and has run *Bradys Pub* ever since. In 1938 he married Breeda from Waterford and since then Breeda and Phil and eventually their children have successfully run the business.

Phil has kept in contact with the home house all his life. His Grandfather lived to 101 years of age and his Grandmother to 100 years of age, sister Katie 94 and Matty 92. Maynooth has become his adopted town. He has been involved in all its activities, the Mart, G.A.A. etc. down the decades. He is President of the local GAA Club and still enjoys watching a good match. Another interest Phil has is the dogs. He has had many winners and recently sold a dog for over £5,000. Phil has fond memories of the various characters of the town. People like Spot Bourke, Syke Doolin, Kidger Reilly and Jack Underwood. Some of our older readers will remember these great characters. Indeed Phil has rubbed shoulders with even Lords and Generals, including Lord Brockett of Carton House and Lord Carew of Castletown House. During the War many high ranking officers graced his parlour. Count John McCormack's son, Cyril and friend Matt McQuade, nephew of the late Archbishop McQuade stayed in his home. Father O'Sullivan, a convert and a relation of the Duchess of Westminster was a regular visitor. He is now blessed, having been beatified. Except for a touch of arthritis, Phil enjoys good health. He gets out and about, meeting the people, which he enjoys doing and visiting his family which are scattered all over. When asked what he thought about life in general today, he felt that the people are losing the art of conversation. We watch far too much television and there is too much violence and sex on the television and he considers it bound to be bad for the young people growing up today. "Today", he continued "one hardly knows your next door neighbour and in general there is not the same sociability that existed when I was younger. On a plus note Phil thinks the young people have better chances of education and have a better life style. Phil enjoys life. His parents and grandparents all lived to a ripe old age, so going on that basis, Phil could very well be interviewed again on his 100th birthday by another reporter from the Maynooth Newsletter. Congratulations to Phil and Breeda on their 55th Wedding Anniversary which was celebrated on 2nd June last!

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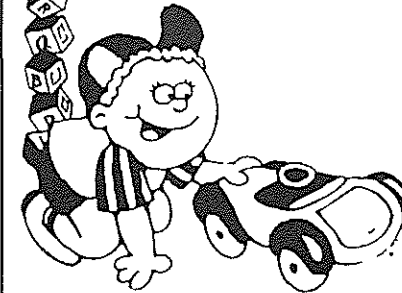
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## MAYNOOTH G.A.A. NEWS

## 1st Team Football

(1) Maynooth 1.11 Castledermot 3.5 (League-Home)

A game spoiled by a very strong wind. Maynooth had the wind in the 1st half and used it to advantage to lead by 9 points at the break. They could possibly have led by more but for an injury to the Castledermot goalkeeper which destroyed their momentum just when they had hit a purple patch. During this spell glorious points were driven over by Fagan, Riordan, Killoran and Nevin. The injury also seemed to spur on Castledermot who strung together a number of short passing moves which were not "nipped in the bud" by Maynooth. Slack marking led to the concession of a goal and a point which were invaluable to Castledermot as they turned with the wind in the 2nd half. It was backs to the wall with a vengeance in this half. Castledermot threw everything at the home side who buckled under the pressure and conceded two soft goals. The loss of Ken Killoran as half time approached didn't help either as it led to the withdrawal of Hugh Purcell from the fullforward position where he had been performing particularly well. Maynooth weathered the storm well however and could possibly have stolen the game at the death. **Scorers:** - Fagan 1.3; Riordan 4 pts; Killoran 2 pts; Purcell and Johnny Nevin 1 point each. **Best:** - Noel Reilly at 2; M. Nevin at 3; M. Kelly at 5; D. Mahony at 7; Fagan at 8; Riordan at 11 and Purcell at 14. **Referee:** - Andy O'Brien, Johnstownbridge.

(2) Maynooth 13 points Cappagh 1.4 (League - Home)

Short Mick Nevin, Ken Killoran, Aidan Burke, Joe Conway and Joey Nevin there were fears that Maynooth, taking the field against Junior C' Ship semi-finalists Cappagh, would be found wanting. The fears were never realised however and Maynooth finished by far the better side despite hitting a bad patch just after half time when they conceded a goal to Cappagh's opportunist corner forward Joe Dooley. They were fortunate during this period not to concede a further goal, averted only by Reilly's bravery, and a string of points to a Cappagh forward line which persisted in kicking scorable frees from the hand not the ground. It would have been a travesty of justice however if Maynooth had lost because when they were on top they took some splendid scores with Garvey, Riordan and Nolan well to the fore. Goal chances abounded too in the 1st Half but were not snapped up. **Scorers:** - Paul Garvey 5 pts; Joey Riordan 3 pts; John Nolan 2 pts; Killian Fagan, Seanie Molloy and Johnny Nevin 1 pt each. **Best:** - Reilly, Ennis, Kelly, Stynes, Mahony, Fagan, Garvey, Molly and Riordan. **Referee:** - Pat Larkin, Kilcock.

(3) Maynooth 3.13 Caragh 8 pts (Sallins Tournament)

Caragh who were close to full strength and had been unbeaten prior to this game were no match for a Maynooth side who played competent, confident football all through. Maynooth led from start to finish and indeed the game was effectively over at half time by which stage they led by 1.8 to 4 pts. Maynooth, who are the holders, went on to totally outplay their opponents in the 2nd Half to emerge comfortable winners. **Scorers:** - Edwards 1.4; M. Nevin 2 goals; Garvey, John Nevin, Molloy and Dave Faherty 2 pts each; Fagan 1 pt. **Best:** - Sheeran, Reilly, Ennis, M. Faherty, M. Nevin, John Nevin, Edwards and Dave Faherty who got a chance to stretch his legs on this occasion and capped a fine performance with 2 excellent points from acute angles.

(4) Maynooth 11 pts Celbridge 1.8 (League - Home)

An excellent game on a very heavy pitch ended all-square. It was an equitable outcome to a game which flowed from end to end with many passages of great football and some excellent scores being taken by both sides. Maynooth started the better with Garvey (2), Edwards and Riordan tapping over points. Celbridge rallied and with Paddy Dowling, Brian Donovan and Georgie Bagnall particularly effective they went on to lead by a point at the break. On the resumption Celbridge took over for the first 10 minutes and at this stage led by 5 pts. Maynooth put in a storming finish however and fighting tooth and nail for every ball they deservedly took a share of the spoils. **Scorers:** - Paul Garvey 4 pts; Joey Edwards 2 pts; Johnny Nevin, Mick Nevin, John Nolan, Liam O'Toole and Joey Riordan 1 pt each. **Best:** - Dave Faherty, Reilly, Ennis, M. Nevin, Kelly, Stynes, Fagan, Burke, Edwards, Johnny Nevin and "Spin" Nolan. **Referee:** - Niall Mooney, Clogherinkoe.

As a consequence of the above results Maynooth lie in 3rd position in the table - 3 points behind leaders Carbury. They have 3 more games to play - Carbury (Away), Grange (Home) and Championship conquerors Two Mile House (Home).

## Underage:

## Under 10.

(1) Maynooth 3.2 Leixlip 3 pts (Community games)

Despite the eligibility date of 1st August rather than 1st January which resulted in Maynooth losing more than half their team they still proved much too strong for Leixlip and qualified for the next round against St Mary's, Allen. While the established players were the key to victory it was gratifying to see great performances from Fintan O'Donoghue, Stephen Curran, Daniel Adderley, the Conways and supersub Gary Connellan. **Scorers:** - Pierre Ennis, Derek Connellan and Philip Campbell 1 goal each; Gary Connellan and Jason Murtagh 1 point each. **Best:** - Ennis - man of the match yet again; the Connellans, O'Donoghue, Curran, Fleming and Murtagh.

(2) Maynooth 5.7 Confey 4pts (North Kildare League)

Maynooth clinched the Under 10 League title for the second year running with a clinical defeat of Confey who battled gamely but had no real answer to Maynooth's "mean machine". It took the side some time to get into its stride but once they got moving there was no stopping them - Dean Conway starred between the posts, Killian Carr had his best game of the year, Derek Connellan, Pierre Ennis, Alan Baxter and Patrick O'Rourke were unstoppable in their respective positions and Aidan Molloy, Graham Quinn, Stephen Healy, Joe Fleming, Donal Houlihan, Daniel Adderley, Peter Sheehan and Stephen O'Malley were not to be overshadowed as they played their hearts out. **Scorers:** - Ennis 2.2; Baxter 2.1; O'Rourke 1 goal; Sheehan, O'Malley, Connellan and Fleming 1 pt each.

(3) Maynooth 1.9 St. Mary's, Allen 2.0 (Community Games-Away).

Maynooth started well and looked as if they would overwhelm the home side. They raced into a 5 point lead but then slackened off allowing Mary's to gain a foothold. It was a close - run affair until half time at which stage Maynooth led by 1.2 to 1 goal. The 2nd Half was a different proposition altogether as Maynooth took the game to their opponents at every opportunity rattling over 7 points with only a one goal response from St Mary's. Ennis, Connellan and Joe Fleming were rampant during this period and defied all the efforts of the Allen - based side, whose goal, which was of the consolation variety, came

too late to affect the issue. **Scorers:** - Ennis 1.5; Brian Downey 2 pts; Joe Fleming and Fintan O'Donoghue 1 pt each. **Best:** - Adderley, Healy, Connellan, Martin Conway, Ennis, Fleming, O'Donoghue and Fergie Devereaux.

(4) Maynooth 3.2 Confey 4 pts (Community Games)

**Scorers:** - Philip Campbell 2 goals; Fergie Devereaux 1 goal; Mark Cummins and Pierre Ennis 1 pt each. **Best:** - Dean Conway, Fintan O'Donoghue, Daniel Adderley, Martin Conway, Derek Connellan, Pierre Ennis, David Comerford, Philip Campbell and Mark Cummins. Maynooth qualified for the Community Games Final with a hard-earned victory over a very determined and well-balanced Confey side. Maynooth had to fight to the bitter end and on this occasion it was the defensive rearguard who deserved the bulk of the credit. After an early flourish which yielded 3 goals to Maynooth the defence were put under severe pressure by Confey, but never gave an inch with tigerish tackling by O'Donoghue, Adderley, Curran, Healy, Connellan and Martin Conway. Dean Conway was brilliant in goal bringing off a series of goal line clearances and tipping goal bound shots over the bar.

## Community Games Final

## Under 10 V Round Towers (at Sallins).

## Round Towers 4.3

**Scorer:** - Brian Downey 1 goal. **Best:** - Stephen Healy, F. O'Donoghue, Daniel Adderley, Stephen Curran, Pierre Ennis, D. Comerford and M. Conway. Maynooth were up against it in this game opposed as they were by a very strong Towers side. Their cause wasn't helped by the concession of an early goal and by not taking 3 goal chances which went abegging in the 1st half. They kept plugging away however and with the help of a Brian Downey goal they were only a single point in arrears at half time. In the second half, try as they might, they just could not contain the physically stronger Towers lads who went on to deservedly get the gold medals. Maynooth were certainly not disgraced in their first final however and with 14 of the side eligible again next year they have a lot to look forward to. All in all it has been a marvellous year for the Club's Under 10's with the League title, Schools Championship and community Games Silver medals to boast about. Great credit and congratulations are due to them. With the proper amount of dedication and commitment there is no reason why these lads cannot go on to secure further honours in the years ahead. **U/14**

21.5.93 Maynooth 5.10 Celbridge 0.6

This was a game which Maynooth dominated completely and could have won more comprehensively. It was our first win in the League and is a sign that the team is shaping up nicely and that the training is paying off. **Scorers:** - J. O'Shea was the top scorer with 2.5. Other scorers were Marty Byrne, Conor Lyons, Mick Tomelty, Brendan Mooney and Vinny Nevin. **Best for Maynooth** were Marty Byrne, Vinny Nevin, John O'Shea, David Coughlan and Alan Nugent. **Man of the Match:** - John O'Shea.

4.6.93 Maynooth 3.7 Rathangan:- 3.7

This was a match we should have won by twenty points. We failed to put away our numerous scoring chances including a penalty. However, we played some good passing football and if the team can find it's shooting boots we'll do very well. **Scorers:** - John O'Shea (2.3), Mick Tomelty (0.1), Brendan Mooney (1.0), Adrian Boylan (0.1), Vinny Nevin (0.1), Marty Byrne (0.1). **Best for Maynooth:** - Piers Ryan, Alan Nugent,

Matthew Callaghan, Aidan O'Brien, David Coughlan, Marty Byrne and John O'Shea. **Man of the Match:** - David Coughlan. **Under 14**

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## Under 16

28.5.93 Maynooth 3.5 Sarsfield 1.8

From the throw in Maynooth took control of this game with a good mid-field pairing of Jamie Lawlor and Mark Nugent and determined central displays by Ronan Murphy, centre half back and Bill Glennon, centre half forward. After some Sarsfield pressure a switch from full forward to full back by Robert Casey sealed the Maynooth defence where Casey showed great potential. With Mick Bennett now at full forward every attack was dangerous. Joe Rossiter was fouled with a goal certain. He converted his free to open the score. Sarsfield replied with a good goal before Casey moved back. Lawlor took possession midfield and finished a great run with a blistering shot to the net. Billie Glennon scored a fine point from 40 yards before Lawlor again struck to find the net. The second half saw Sarsfield come within 3 points, but then a great shot by Bennett was blocked and Alan Gaffney finished a fine opportunist goal. Points followed by Mark Nugent, Bennett and a great display by Daragh Moen brought another victory to Maynooth under 16 footballers.

## Junior Hurling V Crinkle in Birr

On a beautifully prepared stadium in Birr Maynooth G.A.A. arrived back in the Junior Hurling scene. Crinkle hosted this challenge and the defeated county finalists gave a superb display of hurling for the benefit of this up and coming Maynooth side. Though Maynooth may feel they have a long way to go before they reach the standard of Crinkle they are encouraged by fine displays by Danny Casey, Killian Fagan, Pascal Ennis as well as Peter Carey, Pat Farrell, Bryan Nevin, Tom Coffey. We would like to thank Crinkle for their hospitality on our visit and hope that in the near future we can return them a challenge on our own grounds.

## Junior Hurling V Kilcock (League)

Maynooth 5.0 Kilcock 2.7

Maynooth put up a brave fight to hold an experienced Kilcock side within shouting distance in their first Junior League outing in some years. Old stalwarts like Mick Gahan (Captain), Paddy Boyce inspired young players such as Peter Lacey, Stephen Noonan and Hugh Nevin to lay the foundation for attaining greater heights in hurling again for the Crom Abu.

## Junior Hurling V Kildalkey (Meath) - (Challenge)

Maynooth scored 1.6 in this challenge against a mostly senior side from Kildalkey. Good displays by Comerford, Gahan, Coffey encouraged a better grade of hurling from up and coming hurlers such as minors P. Lacey, H. Nevin, P. Farrell, J.S. Noonan and D. Corcoran, Matt Carroll, Bryan and John Nevin, Frank Desmond, M. Faherty and Mick Barry.

## Junior Football League

Maynooth 1.10 Kilcock 1.7

Maynooth had a good win over Kilcock in this Junior football league match played in Maynooth. Maynooth got a great start and by half time were 1.6 to 2 points ahead. Kilcock improved in the second half but Maynooth held out for a good win. **Best for Maynooth:** P. Nevin 1.1, D. Murray 4 points,



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M. Donnelly 2 points, H. Purcell 3 points, C. O'Grady, M. Gahan, M. Flaherty, D. Casey.

Maynooth 3.17 Robertstown 1.4

Maynooth had a very convincing win over Robertstown in this Junior football league match. Maynooth got a good start and were 3 points up after 5 minutes.

Robertstown struck back with a goal but from this on Maynooth were on top and by half time were 2.12 to 1.1. The second half was much the same with Maynooth on top and ran out easy winners.

**Best for Maynooth:** D. Murray 6 points, D. Fleming 1.3, M. Madden 1.1, P. Nevin 1 goal, J. O'Toole 4 points, O. O'Neill 1 point, M. Donnelly 1 point, H. Nevin 1 point, H. Purcell, P. Kearney, B. Nevin, D. Cusker.

Maynooth 1.7 Cappagh 1.4

Maynooth travelled to Cappagh and scored a good win. Maynooth just about got there.

**Best for Maynooth:** H. Nevin 1.2, D. Murray 2 points, O. O'Neill 1 point, D. Fleming 1 point, M. Donnelly 1 point, J. O'Toole, H. Purcell, B. Nevin, M. Flaherty.

**Junior Football League**

Maynooth 2.5 Straffan 1.3

Maynooth were leading at half time by 1.5 to 2 points. E. Dunne's outstanding second half display further helped Maynooth to collect the points.

**Best for Maynooth:** D. Murray 1.2, M. Donnelly 1.1, D. Casey 1 point, E. Leacy 1 point, E. Dunne, P. Kearney, J. O'Toole, D. Corcoran.

**Junior Hurling League**

Maynooth 0.5 Kilcock 2.8

Maynooth back in Junior hurling after a long spell gave Kilcock a very good match. Both teams were slow to start. Kilcock took their chances and by half time were 1.4 to 1 point ahead. Maynooth tried hard in the second half but could not get on top.

**Best for Maynooth:** P. Leacy 4 points, P. Ennis 1 point, S. Noonan, K. Fagan, M. Gahan, S. Ryan.

Maynooth 3.1 Celbridge 2.2

Maynooth got their first win in Junior hurling league. Playing some good hurling, they led at half time by 2.1 to 1.2., but with a fine display by A. Twomey, K. Fagan and P. Ennis, they held on to their 2 point margin at the final whistle.

**Best for Maynooth:** A. Twomey 2.0, S. Gaffney 1.0, M. Madden 1 point, P. Ennis, K. Fagan, M. Gahan.

**North Kildare League**

**Under 10 Juvenile Hurling**

Ardclough and Celbridge and with 2 games to go against Confey and Leixlip are in a strong position to win this league. Mark Cummins, Pierre Ennis, Morgan Sweeney, Kevin Gannon, James Mullarky, Sean Og Farrelly, Aidan Molloy and Enda Diggins, have been in outstanding form for this good all round team.

**Under 11**

This team has a win over Kilcock and a draw with Corracholill to show for their efforts. They are depleted by the under 10 playing the same night but fine showings by Peter Guinan, Sean O'Flaherty, Tommy Masterson, Shane Devereux, Mikey Gleeson and Damian Travers and the others are keeping them in contention in their matches to the end.

**Under 13**

With two matches to go they are out of contention for honours in a very strong league. Conor Diggins, Tom Mullarky, Seamus Cummins, Brendan Keogh, Michael Ryan and Karl Ennis have been in fine form for this team.

**Bord na nOg**

**Under 12**

They are in the semi final against Rathangan after a great series of wins. This is a good side with most of the stars on the under 13 side available as well as the best of the under 11's and they could well win this league.

**Under 14**

After losing the first game to Broadford they bounced back for a series of good wins which should see them through to the knock out stages. Matt Callaghan, Rory Kelly, Eoin Nevin, John O'Shea and Sam Guinan have been playing impressively for this side.

**Under 16**

These lads have completed the league section unbeaten and await the knock out stages after exams are complete. Stephen Brennan has been in tremendous form for them, ably assisted by Mickey Bennett, Ronan Murphy, David Moore, Justin Moran and Pearse Ryan.

**Schools**

A team representing the primary school has been competing at under 13 level and with only one loss (to Johnstownbridge) to date also look like making the play offs. Rory Kelly, Tom Mullarky, Seamus Cummins, Mark Quigley and Brendan Keogh have been in good form for this side.

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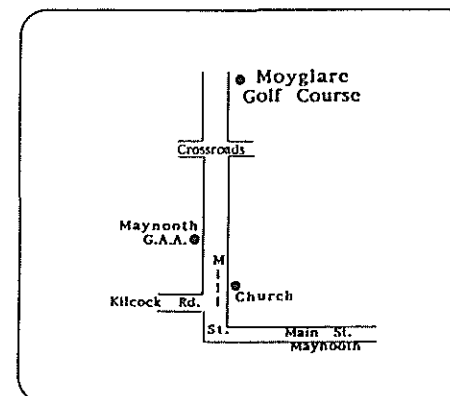
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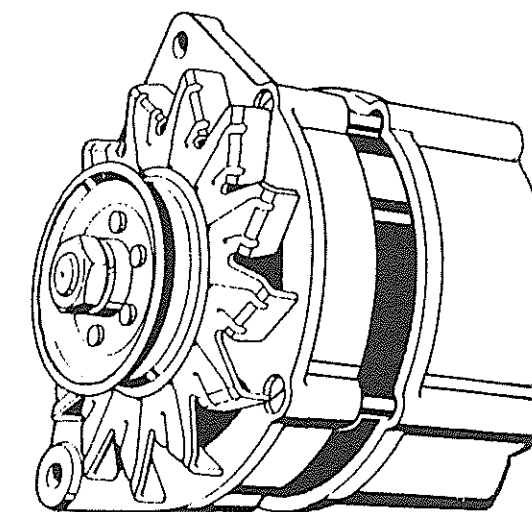
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With the senior season and schoolboys' season both now closed it is now up to our girls' team to keep the flag flying during the Summer months. The main honours this season must go to our U/14 Boys team who have completed a fantastic season by being crowned D.D.S.L. South champions. Having lost only once during a hard league campaign is an indication of the commitment and dedication shown by the whole panel. Reaching the Cup Semi-Final only to be beaten by the odd goal in three by Mount Merrion was the only disappointment in a season which had many notable performances.

In a few years time it is hoped that most of those lads will be the nucleus of our Senior teams. All league tables were not published at this time and final league positions are not finalised. Our first team should finish second or third in their division after coming with a late run while the second team should hold a position about two thirds down the table. The U/12 team completed their season without much success, but the experience gained in their first year should help them in the future. Our U/11 team have finished mid-table after some very notable performances throughout the season. The girls team as stated have now started their league campaign and we hope for good things from them. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Maynooth Garda Social Committee for presenting the club with a Cup for under age competition. The club have recently been presented with two sets of playing gear. Mick Hyland has kindly presented one set of gear to the U/14 side and it is appropriate that they should be wearing it for the culmination of their league success. Karmac Construction (James Kearney) Longford have sponsored a set of gear for our girls team and we trust that they will have rapid success in their new strip. The club is deeply indebted to all concerned and we wish the donors every success in their own business.

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**Happy 13th Wedding Anniversary** to our dear Mam and Dad on July 5th, from your loving sons Richard and Thomas xxxxx

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**Extra** activities for 12 yr. olds and over. [See also regular programme]  
In order to take part in any activity, Day or Night [You must be registered with Project].

## MAYNOOTH SUMMER PROJECT 1993 July 6th - 29th

Day/Date	Time	Meeting Place	Activity/Venue
<b>WEEK 1</b>			
Tues. July 6th	10.30 - 12.30	I.C.A. Hall	Registration £1.50
Wed. July 7th	2pm - 5pm	Boy's School	Soccer/Tennis/College (runner or runner boots only)
Fri. July 9th	9pm - 1.30am	Greenfield S.C.	Barbeque / Donadea £2
<b>WEEK 2</b>			
Mon. July 12th	2pm. - 5pm.	Boy's School	Pitch & Putt £1
Mon. July 12th	8pm. - 11.30pm	Greenfield S.C.	Bowling / Tallaght £3.50 [Mc Donald's Extra]
Thurs. July 15th	8am. - 4pm.	Greenfield S.C.	Templemore Garda College £3 Limited Nos
Fri. July 16th	2pm. - 5pm.	Boy's School	Soccer/Tennis/College
<b>WEEK 3</b>			
Mon. July 19th	2pm. - 5pm.	Boy's School	Pitch & Putt £1
Mon. July 19th	8pm. - 11pm	G.A.A. Club	Disco £1 Adm.
D.J. Derek Mee <u>Age Limit 12 - 16</u> <u>Mineral Bar only</u>			
Tues. July 20th	2pm. - 5pm	Boy's School	Soccer/Tennis/College
Fri. July 23rd - Sun. 25th		Greenfield S.C.	Camp/Ballinakill £20
Bus leaving Greenfield S.C. Fri. 23rd 2pm Return Sun. 25th arr. 6.30pm Greenfield S.C. <u>Parents please collect children on time</u>			
<b>WEEK 4</b>			
Mon. July 26th	2pm. - 5pm	Boy's School	Pitch & Putt £1
Mon. July 26th	8pm. - 11.30pm	Greenfield S.C.	Bowling Tallaght £3.50 [McDonald's Extra]

Fishing each Tuesday from 13th - 27th July 7.30pm. - 9pm. prizes awarded

[All prizes awarded at concert on July 29th final day of Project]

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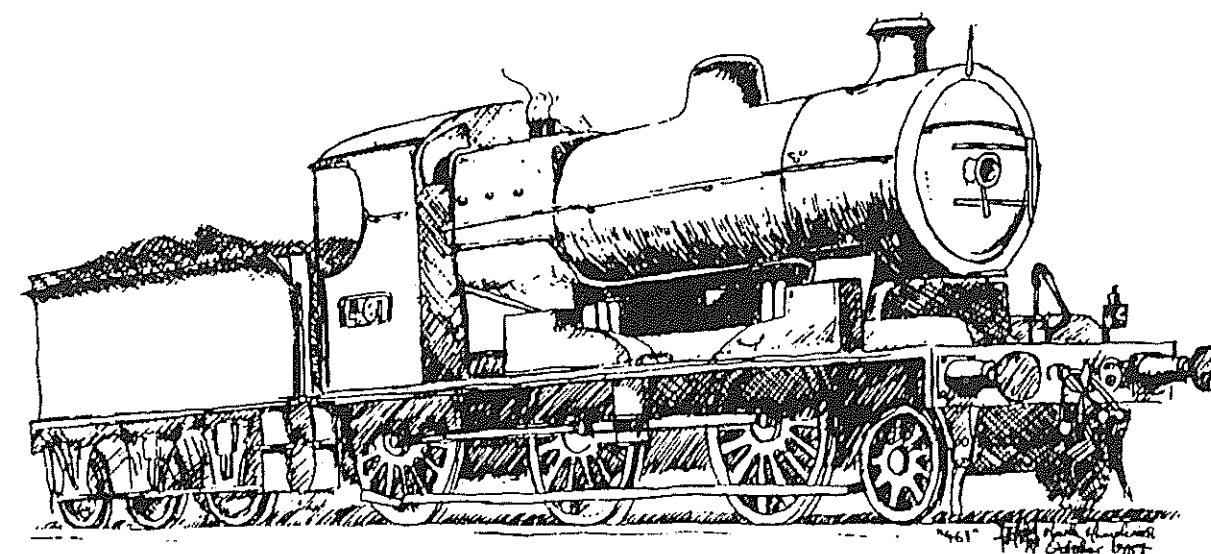
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Tues July 6th	10.30am 12.30pm	I.C.A. Hall	Reg. £1.50 [Runners or Runner Boots only]
Wed. July 7th	2pm - 5pm	Boy's School	Soccer/Tennis / College
Wed. July 7th	7.30pm	Boy's School	Film 50p
Thurs. July 8th	9.30am - 5pm	Greenfield S.C.	Swimming St. Paul Raheny £3 Bring Packed Lunch [Please bring Swimming hat]
Fri. July 9th	10 - 5p.m.	Greenfield S.C.	Barbeque-Donadea £2.00 Bring Packed Lunch/Raincoat
WEEK 2			
Mon. July 12th	2 - 5p.m.	Boy's School	Pitch & Putt £1. 0/10's Crafts 20p
Tues. July 13th	12.45-5p.m.	Greenfield S.C.	Bowling Tallaght £3.50 or Captain Venture Tallaght £3.50 [Bring Packed Lunch]
	7.30 - 9p.m.	Canal	Fishing
Wed. July 14th	9a.m.-5p.m.	Greenfield S.C.	Trip-Glendalough £3.00 Bring Packed Lunch
	7.30p.m.	Boy's School	Film 50p
Thurs. July 15th	8a.m. - 4p.m.	Greenfield S.C.	Templemore Garda College £3.00 0/12's Limited No's Also New Grange Farm £3.00
	9.30a.m-5p.m.		
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WEEK 3			
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Tues. July 20th	2 -5 p.m.	Boy's School	Soccer / Tennis - College
	7.30 - 9 p.m.	Canal	Fishing
Wed. July 21st	2.30 p.m.	Boy's School	Table Quiz
	7.30 p.m.	Boy's School	Film 50p
Thurs. July 22nd	9.30 a.m. - 5pm	Greenfield S.C.	Swimming St. Paul's Raheny £3.00 Bring packed lunch Also swimming hat. Camp - Ballinakill £20.
Fri. July 23rd - Sun 25th		Greenfield S.C.	
Bus leaving Greenfield S.C. 2p.m. Return Sun 25th arr. 6.30p.m. GF. S.C. Parents please collect children on time.			
WEEK 4			
Mon. July 26th	2 -5 p.m.	Boy's School	Pitch & Putt £1 0/10's Crafts 20p
Tues. July 27th	12.45 - 5p.m.	Greenfield S.C.	Bowling - Tallaght £3.50 Bring packed lunch. or Captain Venture £3.50
	7.30 - 9 p.m.	Canal	Fishing.
Wed. July 28th	9.30 - 5 p.m.	Greenfield S.C.	Trip - Ashtown Castle Park £2.50 Bring packed lunch.
	7.30 - 9 p.m.	Boy's School	Film 50p
Thurs. July 29th	2 -5 p.m.	Parish Hall	Concert Final day of project.

Those wishing to take part in concert should give names on morning of registration.  
All trophies, medals etc. won during project activities, will be presented at concert. ( Parents and families welcome.)

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" The Sea Breeze "  
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## Birthdays

Love & Best Wishes for a very **Happy Birthday** to Regina McGovern 820 Greenfield, aged 6 years on July 12th. From Nannie Una and Uncle Kevin, also Happy Birthday From Joan & Tom in Moyglare.

**Happy 6th Birthday** on July 12th to Regina McGovern, 833 Greenfield. With love from Mammy, Daddy, Karina, Stacey, Michelle and Debbie. Hope you have a great day.

To Regina wishing you a very **happy 6th Birthday**. July 12th Love from Noel, Marie, Richard & Thomas.

**Happy 6th Birthday** to Regina McGovern, July 12th Love from your Nannie Flynn & Family, in Kilcloone.

**Belated Birthday wishes** to Margaret Nolan, Newtown, Maynooth also to Norman Birchall No. 1, Greenfield, Maynooth.

**Happy Birthday** to Elizabeth Nolan on 29th July, love Mam and Dad.

**Happy Birthday** to Tony Bean, Nuada, Dunboyne Road, Maynooth who celebrates his birthday on the 7th July, from his wife Mary and family, also his parents Liam & Margaret and his brother Thomas.

**Happy Birthday** to John & Annie Walsh, Mulhussey, Kilcock, and Michael Connely, Jnr. Pagetown, Maynooth. Love Maura & Mickey.

**Happy Birthday** to Karen Cullen, the best wife in the world, from your loving husband Harry.

## GOOD WISHES

We wish Kehoe's Delicatessen every success on their refurbishment following the recent fire damage.

## CONGRATULATIONS

**Congratulations** to Christina Cullen, 13 Vanessa Lawns, Celbridge, age 6 for winning a bronze medal in the U/8 Section of the Community games. Good Luck in the finals in Athy in July.

**Congratulations** to Martin and Eva Whelan, Newtown Road, who celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary June 10th. A reception attended by family, relations and a host of friends was held in Celbridge House and a wonderful time was had by all celebrating the happy occasion.

**Congratulations** to Deirdre on graduating from Ballsbridge College from Mammy, Daddy, Damien and Martin.

**Get Well wishes** to John Reid, Railpark, Maynooth who is in Blanchardstown Hospital, from Liam and Margaret Bean and family, Dunboyne Road, Maynooth

## Sympathies

Wife, Son, Daughters, Brother, Sister, Son-in-law, Daughter-in-law, Grandchildren, relatives of the late Paddy Timmons, Newtown, Maynooth.

Sons, Daughters, Sons-in-law, Daughters-in-law, Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, Nephews, Nieces, relatives and a large circle of friends of the late Joan Farrell, Easton Road, Leixlip.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

**House to let :** Meadowbrook Estate 3 Beds. Sleeps 5. All electrical equipment and furniture provided. Available from 30th July. Minimum 1 year lease. Telephone 01-6286684

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## Results of "Dad's Army" Photo in March '93 Newsletter.

L.-R. Back Row; Sergeant Rossitor, Jack Keyes, Phil Brady, Laurence (Lar) Keely, Matt Weafer, Dos Caulfield, Dick McKenna, Ned Smyth.  
L-R Middle Row; Stephen Keane, Phil Dobson, Cyril Wing, Tom Ahern, Paddy Freyne, Davie Lawlor.  
L.-R. Front Row; Dick Bean, Mick Kelly, and Joe Leonard.

## If something happens to you, what happens to them?

If you contract a serious illness, it isn't just you that suffers - your family's security does too. And what is more worrying still is the fact that a 35 year old male has a one in three chance of suffering a heart attack before retirement.

## Frightening, isn't it?

## Regrettably it's true!

Most people, however, do recover from serious illness though it often requires a change in lifestyle - reduced working hours, home help, nursing care, alterations to the home. Sometimes the greatest long term effect of a serious illness is on the financial well-being of the family. A Critical Illness Policy is the ideal protection. It provides valuable protection against the diagnosis of serious illness including cancer, heart attack, stroke, open heart surgery, permanent disability, paralysis, major organ transplant, multiple sclerosis, kidney failure, the list goes on.

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