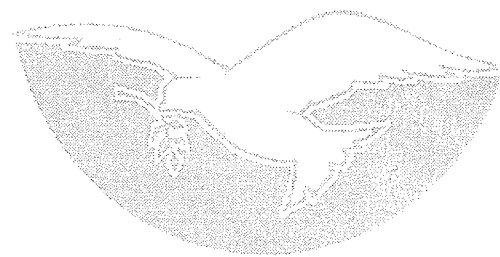


THE PRINTER

*Without him tyrants and humbugs in all countries
would have their own way. He is a friend of intelligence
and thought,
a friend of liberty, of freedom, of law,
indeed, the friend of every man who is a friend of order.*

*Of all inventions, of all discoveries in science and art,
of all the great results in the wonderful progress of
mechanical energy and skill,
the Printer is the only product of civilization necessary to
the existence of free men.*

Charles Dickens, c. 1850



THE CARDINAL PRESS

Maynooth, Co. Kildare.

(01) 628 6695

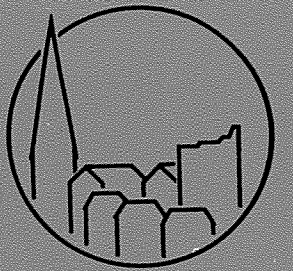
General Colour Printers

The Maynooth Newsletter

Issue No 226

May 1996

Price 70p



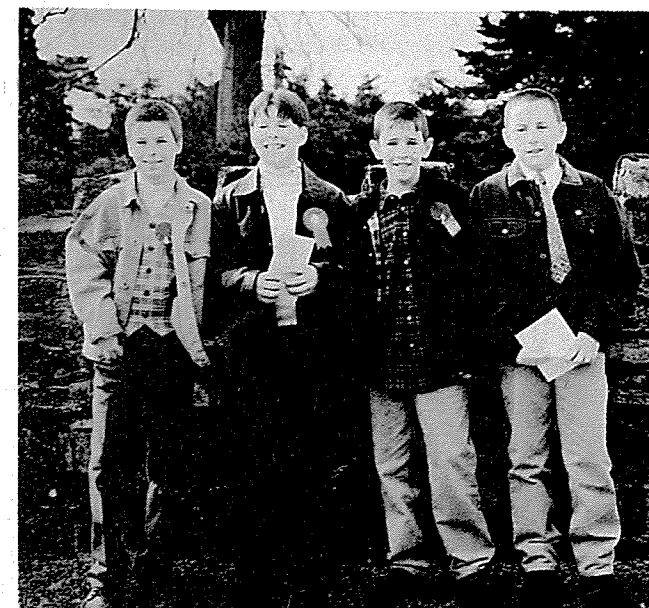
Confirmation Day



Finbarr O'Gorman & Pierce O'Connell



Gillian Corbally and her mother at confirmation



*Owen Macken, Padraic Nevin, Thomas Flatley
and Ronan Farrell*



*Fiona Mulcahy, Gillian Corbally, Sally-Ann Grassie
and Ruth Cahill*



**481 The Crescent, Straffan Road,
Maynooth, Co. Kildare.
Telephone: (01) 6290452**

• PROFESSIONAL CHILD CARE DEVELOPMENT •

KINDER CRESCENT

is a beautifully-equipped and professionally run
Nursery and Montessori School

Our facilities include:

- Montessori School — age 3 to 5 years — 9.30 a.m.-12 noon
- Hot Meals provided
- Garden Play Area
- Free Montessori Tuition for children attending Nursery
- Nursery open all year round from 7.30 a.m. - 6.00 p.m.
- We cater for babies from 3 months to school-going age
- Qualified Experienced Staff
- Fully Insured

For further information contact:

SHARON or YVONNE

Contents

**MAYNOOTH NEWSLETTER
PUBLISHED BY
MAYNOOTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

Editorial Board

Patricia Condon

Peter Connell

Paul Mooney

Séamus Callagy

Community Council Staff

Maeve McCullagh

The opinions and statements expressed in the articles are those of the contributors and not necessarily those of the Editorial Board. All material to be included in the next edition of the Newsletter should be addressed to:-

**The Editor, Maynooth Newsletter, Town Centre Mall,
Maynooth Tel. 01-6285922**

Maximum number of words 500 per article

Copydate: Friday, May 17th, before 5 p.m.

Diary Dates

Sunday 12th May: The Tony Smith Memorial Walk, will take place from the Post Primary School at 3.00 p.m.

The Maynooth Old People's Committee May Party takes place in the Post Primary on 12th May starting with mass at 3.30 p.m.

Tuesday 28th May: Reminder that any objections to the draft plan must be registered before this date!

Bookings are still being taken for Lucan Community College Language Summer School, which takes place during the month of July. Application forms and further information available from the College. Tel: 6282077 (Office Hours).

Kildare - Mayo Association: Irish night in Johnstown Inn Kill on 10th May 9 - 2 a.m. - Tickets £6.50. Ph: 6285343 / 045 - 436162 / 045 - 431396.

EDITORIAL

A recent banner headline in the Liffey Champion ran - 'Council Split' - referring to Maynooth Community Council. The piece which followed mentioned 'dissenters', 'strangle-holds' and 'agreed deals'. All this was in the context of a claim that the Labour Party has a 'traditional hold over Maynooth Community Council'. The Liffey Champion certainly knows how to make news. What it doesn't appear capable of is reporting the truth. Its banner headline was sensationalist, inaccurate and a gross injustice to the excellent work done by the Community Council over the past decade. Having attended Community Council meetings on a regular basis for eight years and served on a number of its sub-committees, this writer can report that the focus of activity is on serving the community, assisting in a range of community activities such as the Summer Festival, the St. Patrick's Day Parade and the publication of the Newsletter. Alongside this the Council sponsors valuable Community Employment Schemes which have an excellent record in placing its workers in employment. Unfortunately none of this found its way into the Liffey Champion article. Many people who involve themselves in community affairs are also active in political parties. The last four chairpersons of the Community Council were all members of political parties and their political allegiances were publicly known. None abused their position. And of course it is vital that this should remain the case in relation to all who hold positions on the Council. This is not because deals were done in advance, as suggested by the Liffey Champion. Rather, it is difficult to persuade people to put their name forward for what is voluntary, unpaid and - if the Liffey Champion is anything to go by - thankless work. As regards those 'dissenters calling for change' as the Liffey Champion puts it, the essence of democracy is all about putting forward your point of view without fear in public and persuading others to agree with you. The Newsletter hopes that the Community Council will continue to offer a forum for honest debate on issues of importance to our town. It also hopes that Liffey Champion reporters work a bit harder to uncover the whole truth when writing their next story about Maynooth.

Contents

Editorial	3
Maynooth Community Council Notes	4
Letters to Editor	8
Residents Association	9
Clubs And Organisations	10
Hobbies And Interest	32
Features	38
Party Political	60
Sports	64
Crossword	67
Acknowledgements, Birthdays ...	68
Editorial Statement	70

Maynooth Community Council Notes

MAYNOOTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

Maynooth Community Council Festival week will take place from Sunday 14th July to Sunday 21st July, a full programme of events will be published in next issue.

C.I.C. NOTES

Question:

I am concerned that I may be paying too much tax. How can I find out if I am?

Answer:

If you haven't already received it, you should within the next few weeks receive from your Inspector of Taxes a "Notice of Tax Free Allowances" for the coming year. If you haven't received one by now contact your Tax Office. It may be an oversight, in which case one will be issued, or it may be that you didn't make a tax return when requested to do so. If so, go to your Tax Office and make a tax return.

Your employer will receive a Tax Free Allowance Certificate which will indicate only your weekly / monthly tax free allowances. The employer is obliged to deduct tax accordingly. Your Notice of Tax Free Allowances will list on the left hand side your allowances e.g. if you're single £2,650 - married £5,300, V.H.I., Mortgage Interest etc. (there is no PRSI allowance, used to be £140).

On the right hand side will be deductions such as Social Welfare payments or if there was an underpayment of tax in the previous year.

You should check carefully your TFA Notice and notify your Tax Office if there is an error or allowances that you should have claimed for. If you do not notify your Tax Office then you may get less tax allowances and so pay more tax than you should.

C.I.C. Opening Hours:

Monday - Friday: 10.00 a.m. - 4.00 p.m. (Above Kehoe's).
Monday: 2.00 p.m. - 4.30 p.m. (Celbridge Library).
Tuesday: 1.00 p.m. - 2.00 p.m. (Maynooth College).
Tuesday: 2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m. (Maynooth Library).
Wednesday: 11.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m. (Dunboyne Community Centre).
Thursday: 10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. (Leixlip Library).

MAYNOOTH TIDY TOWNS COMMITTEE

At time of writing we are currently working on our entry for the 1996 Tidy Towns Competition. Next month we will advise on new developments in this competition.

We will also be advising on the Tidy Area/Shop Front Competition. We have been asked by the Community Council to revive and reorganise this competition after a lapse of a few years.

Finally, we wish Martin Sherry, Supervisor of our Fás/Tidy Towns Community Employment Project every success as he starts the supervisory development course for 1996.

Once again we appeal to those attending Mass to refrain from parking cars on the island opposite the church. Apart from damaging the green area by parking on the edge, it is also dangerous for traffic on this road by cutting down the through flow of traffic.

Richard Farrell. P.R.O.

JIM'S SHOE REPAIRS

Maynooth Shopping Centre

Ladies & Gents Heels While U Wait
Shoes Stretched • Heels Lowered
Gents Leather Soles Stitched On



Key Cutting Service
Now Available



Located End Unit
Opposite Rear Car Park Entrance

KIERNAN'S

Main Street, Maynooth. Tel 628 6294

Groceries • Confectionery
Cooked Meats • Stationery • Newspapers
Chocolates
Fancy Goods • Toys
Large Selection of Greeting Cards

Open 8.30 a.m. - 7.00 p.m. everyday

EBS **COONAN** 
Building Society

**SPECIALISTS IN HOUSE SALES &
COONAN FINANCIAL SERVICES**

ARE YOU CONSIDERING SELLING YOUR HOUSE?

**NOW
IS THE RIGHT TIME**

**WE HAVE A NUMBER OF CASH CLIENTS
ANXIOUS TO BUY PROPERTY IN MAYNOOTH**

**FEES FREE
MORTGAGES!!**

- NO VALUER'S FEE!
- NO ACCEPTANCE FEE!
- NO LEGAL FEE!

RATES FROM

5.6% (APR 6.9%)

CONTACT: PATRICIA CAHILL

Main Street, Maynooth, Co. Kildare.

Tel: 01-6286128. Fax: 01-6286726

Maynooth Community Council Notes

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Rules of the road....

When it comes to traffic manners it seems that habit takes precedence over what it says in the great blue book! However with all the development of Maynooth in recent years, we can no longer just abandon that faithful horse on wheels like we used to. Gone are the days when you can drive your mechanical armchair right up to where you want to go, get out and put on the hazards and wander about at your leisure. Bus pull-in points are not tailor-made spaces for safe all-day parking either! Before you think that I am the dreaded pedestrian who thinks that cars should be banned, fear not, they will finally appear to reclaim the footpaths when the kerbs are raised.

My own opinion is, fair play to those who ignore the rules there are because they want to do so. However, I bet they are the very same people who complain if they are sitting in traffic behind a parked car! With the creation of extra parking off the town centre, let's hope the situation will improve. Now the most important thing is for the lorry with the yellow paint to arrive and make it's mark.

Railway Station Car Park.

This was supposed to be reopened last October, but while it now looks almost complete it's still not accessible to us. The slope of the entrance has been flattened somewhat but it also has been narrowed. A new positive feature is the footpath on one side.

Why am I telling you all of these details? Well, let me make a prediction. The Straffan Road is no longer the road it used to be. It's faster, wider and busier and it now includes a cycle track.

It is going to be particularly difficult to turn right from the station carpark heading towards the M4, because of the above. Unless we are very careful, to quote the Elvis Costello song, 'accidents will happen'. Let's see how it goes but make sure that we blow the whistle before, some wet wintry evening, someone ends up with an unfortunate student lying on their bonnet.

Before I finish let me appeal to those who live near the station to take the opportunity for some daily walking exercise and leave some room in the Station Carpark for those who have to drive. Remember the number of people taking the train has increased significantly since we last used this carpark.

The Harbour.

It's official, strolling around the harbour is now a must for anyone on the Sunday buggy trip in Maynooth. Judging by the fattening of the swans the number of people making this

trip is increasing week by week, particularly with the summer weather here. The wonderful work by the Canal Group continues, with the wall now in sight of completion.

However, it is a terrible pity that those who use this area for regular socialising with friends do not take the trouble to carry their litter away with them. Litter is particularly unattractive in this area as well as being a danger to the swans.

Maynooth Development Plan.

By the time you read this there will be about three weeks left (until 28/5/1996) in which to register any objection to the proposals in the draft plan. A number of groups are working on submissions, but as each signed correspondence counts as one, it is important that you lend your support to any campaign that you feel deserves it.

As far as the Planning and Development group is concerned, it was amusing to hear recently that this group had disbanded because they could not agree on the issues. Let me confirm again, the views we expressed were those expressed to us, as that was our function in the process. We hope that our assistance was useful, particularly to those new to the whole process.

We are still here and will continue to look at ways in which the people of Maynooth can help to make this unique town the best place to live, remembering it can only be achieved with your support.

Paul Croghan
Chairman
Planning and Development

MARY COWHEY & CO. SOLICITORS

- Litigation & Accident Claims
- Wills & Probate
- Confidential Independent Legal Advice
- Residential, Commercial Sales & Purchases
- General Legal Services

Main Street, Maynooth, Co. Kildare
Tel. 628 5711 • Fax. 628 5613

The Orange Tree



A NEW RESTAURANT FOR MAYNOOTH!

Provincial French Cuisine

prepared and cooked with the freshest ingredients

Relax over a good meal and a bottle of our distinctive wine....

A la Carte Menu served from 6.30p.m.

Reservations 6291229

Mill Street, Maynooth, Co. Kildare
(behind Mill Wine Cellar)

Talk TRAVEL



Whatever your travel plan is for '96, make sure to make Travel Options in Maynooth your first 'port of call'. A wide selection of fares and options, combined with competitive prices and efficient service. Simply call or drop in and we'll be delighted to help you plot and plan your world travel exploits.

- **Faraway Places** round the world itineraries, Australia, Africa & beyond
- **Student/U26's** ISIC/EYC - special reduced worldwide fares
- **Inclusive Deals** sun packages, adventure and activity holidays
- **Europe by Rail** Interrail for over and under 26's, individual country and zonal rail passes
- **USA** great transatlantic fares, Amtrak, Greyhound and excursion options
- **Accommodation** Usit 'Check-Inn' accommodation service offers the best in hotel city deals
- **Summer Charters** Nice, Athens and other seat only options

Talk to Travel Options

**Ask about our fantastic
MAY SPECIALS**

Travel Options/Usit, 3/4 Castle Stores, Main Street, Maynooth. Tel: 628 9289

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

A chara,

I would like to make some comments on the plan proposed by Kildare County Council for the improvements of the Main Street area - or rather, on some of the negative reactions which this plan has generated. One of the key features of this plan is to give priority to traffic moving between the Main Street and the College. It seems to me that much of the opposition to this proposal has been created by nothing more than a knee-jerk anti-College mentality.

The protests emanating from Parson Street in particular seem rather short-sighted. The proposal to give priority to the College at the junction with Parson Street (which would involve road realignment at this point) would make Parson Street a safer place (a major demand in Parson Street these days) by slowing down traffic going in both directions. I do not believe that traffic coming from Parson Street direction would be greatly held up by the proposed new arrangement, as this traffic is held up anyway at the junction with the Main Street under the present arrangement.

The proposal to give priority to College traffic is not designed to bestow any privileged position on the College, but rather is mainly inspired by safety needs - especially of the very large numbers of pedestrians generated by the College. It has to be agreed that the

existing junction between Parson Street and the road leading to the College is extremely dangerous, for vehicles as well as pedestrians. Similarly, the proposal to have traffic coming from Bridge Street yield at the Main Street junction, will greatly benefit the large numbers of pedestrians who cross the street at this junction. There is not sufficient space at this junction for a mini-roundabout (the alternative solution) to function properly.

I must say that I am very disappointed at the short-term, narrow and opportunistic position taken by some people on this issue - a position which has simply ignored the broader, and very serious, question of public safety involved.

Is mise, le meas,

Prionnsias Breathnach

SAINT WOLSTAN'S

Dear Editor,

The year 1995/96 marks the 40th anniversary of St. Wolstan's Holy Faith Secondary School. This anniversary coincides with the relocation of St. Wolstan's to a new purpose built school on a new site elsewhere in Celbridge in 1997. Thus the school year 1995/96 marks the end of one era and the beginning of another.

To mark this occasion a group of past pupils have come together to organise a

Birthday Party in St. Wolstan's on Saturday 25th May, followed by a Celebration Dinner in the K Club that evening.

The day promises to be full of nostalgia, fun and entertainment. Tickets for either event are available from the Reunion Committee, St. Wolstan's.

Mary Stagg, Chairperson.

Further Information is available from:-

Louise Leonard 01 6288884
Margaret Cosgrove 01 6264351
Mary Stagg 01 6272149

Dear Sir,

As President of Maynooth Chamber of Commerce I would like to express the concern of the shop owners in the town in relation to a rumour that there is going to be restricted car parking on certain parts of the streets. Please note that the members of the Chamber would be those most affected by any parking restrictions, and therefore it is only right and proper that we should be consulted in relation thereto. I therefore look forward to hearing from you in relation to same and should a meeting be required I expect there should be no difficulty in arranging same with the committee of the Chamber.

Declan Foley

MULLIGANS

GARDEN SHEDS, KILCOCK
TEL. 01 - 628 7397

TOP QUALITY SHEDS AVAILABLE
FROM £159
ALSO SUPER LAP FENCING PANELS
6' X 6' £12.50

ALL TYPES OF
FENCING & TIMBER
SUPPLIED

MURPHY BROS.

UNDERTAKERS

TEL. 045 - 97397

COMPLETE FUNERAL SERVICE TO
MAYNOOTH & SURROUNDING AREAS
FOR MANY YEARS

TEL. NAAS 045 - 97397 DAY OR NIGHT
FUNERAL HOME NOW AVAILABLE
LOCAL AGENT: PADDY DESMOND
MAIN ST., MAYNOOTH. TEL. 628 6366

GREENFIELD ESTATE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

Our 1996 grass cutting campaign has just commenced. Our committee members will be shortly calling on residents for the annual subscription of £13 which was approved at the A.G.M. in March.

We will be talking to the residents on a number of other issues relevant to our estate, during the collection.

We are also looking for additional representatives from Maynooth Park and Laurence Ave. Those interested please contact our chairman Mattie Callaghan, 14 Straffan Way.

Richard Farrell (P.R.O.)

BEAUFIELD AREA RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION NOTES

The B.A.R.A. AGM took place on the 11th April. Thanks to all who attended.

A new committee was elected (see below). We would like to thank the outgoing committee for their support and dedication especially past chairman Mr. John Lawless.

Chairperson Tom Ball, 12 Beaufield Green,
Secretary Stephen McCann, 17 Beaufield Grove,
Treasurer Dave Hogan, 1 Beaufield Green,
P.R.O. Ken Prendergast, 15 Beaufield Green,
Bond Bridge Rep. Joe Geraghty, 6 Beaufield Green.

Road Representatives

The Lawn, Lynda Cullen, 8 Beaufield Lawn,
The Ave., Brian Staunton, 3 Beaufield Ave,
The Crescent, Dianne McCann, 17 Beaufield Grove,
The Drive, David Weafer, 13 Beaufield Drive,
The Grove, Carmel Owens, 19 Beaufield Grove,
The Close, Catherine Prendergast, 15 Beaufield Green.
The Gardens, Gerald Duffy, 18 Beaufield Gardens,
The Green, Grainne Kelly, 16 Beaufield Green.

For enquires please phone 01 6285583

Several topics were discussed at the AGM, plans for improving the general condition of the estate are being drawn up and the following are just a few items on the new committee's agenda.

- (A) Regular litter collection.
- (B) Regular Grass Cutting.
- (C) Replacement of road name signs.

(D) Rebuild of the shrub area in front of the shops.

Newtown Stores supports these ideas and pledged funds to finance half of the year's litter collection.

B.A.R.A. offers their full support to the Bond Bridge Action Group movement and wish them every success with their vital campaign.

We thank all residents who supported B.A.R.A. last year and welcome the newer residents to the estate.

Next B.A.R.A. meeting: 4th June in Caulfields Meeting Room at 8.30pm.

Ken Prendergast,
PRO, B.A.R.A.


JEAN'S FOODSTORE

MOYGLARE VILLAGE

TEL. 628 6494



**NEWSAGENTS • FUEL • TOBACCONIST
CONFECTIONERY • FROZEN FOODS**

Opening Hours
Monday - Sunday 7.30a.m. - 10.00p.m.
Saturday 7.30a.m. - 8.30p.m.



Carton Hall Service Station
Staffan Road, Maynooth. Tel. 629 0470
Now Open 24 Hours

- Mini Market with wide range of groceries, magazines tobacco, drinks and food
- Fresh French Bread baked on premises
- Pastries, Muffins, Doughnuts & a well stocked deli counter
- All grades of Petrol and Diesel

 Oil, Blugas & Briquettes 
Avail of our Friendly Service

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

BOND BRIDGE ACTION GROUP

CAMPAIGNING TO PUT LIVES FIRST

Following the recent public meeting, attended by almost 100 people, the Bond Bridge Action Group was given a mandate to act on behalf of the residents in the area. The campaign got a promise of support from the three T.D.s Bernard Durkan, Charlie McCreevy and Emmet Stagg, who attended the meeting. There was also strong support from the three County Councillors, Senan Griffin, John McGinley and Catherine Murphy, who were also present.

It was accepted by all at the meeting that the amount of traffic now using this bridge is of serious concern in regard to safety. A recent traffic survey showed that, between 08.55 and 10.05 (75mins.), 212 adults, 18 children, 10 vans, 4 buses, 12 H.G.V.s (Lorries) and 248 cars crossed the bridge. The action plan approved on the night was as follows:

- 1.- That Bond Bridge be treated as a project in its own right and not, as now, together with the Rathcoffey Road.
- 2.- To have priority rating raised from No. 16 to No. 1 on the County Council's Regional Roads Improvement listing and be forwarded this year (1996) for funding. County Council.
- 3.- Organise a petition letter and forward it to Kildare County Council.
- 4.- Object to any future development in the Newtown area on the grounds that it would add to traffic already using the bridge and therefore increase the danger to existing residents.
- 5.- If it was felt that if no progress is made on the issue, residents should hold a protest and block the bridge for a time.

Apart from the safety issue, questions were also raised with regard to the amount of levies raised to date and how some of this money has been spent. To avoid any future confusion it would be helpful if K.C.C. issued a detailed statement of all income and expenditure on this fund to date and explain exactly what work was carried out on Bond Bridge by the developer of the Meadowbrook estate at a cost of £40,960.

In closing we would like to thank all those who attended on the night and a special thanks to Pat Travers for this help.

The Committee
B.B.A.G.

LIVE WIRES

IRONING SERVICE

**Fast, efficient
24-hr service**

• From 15p per item •

Castletymon & Old Bawn Shopping Centres

Phone 451 4031 • 462 0914

Mobile 088 581986

MAYNOOTH 628 5005

Free collection & delivery service

GERARD MULCAHY

FAMILY BUTCHER

GREENFIELD SHOPPING CENTRE

PH: 628 6317



ORDER NOW
FARM FRESH TURKEYS
Finest Quality

We sell only Prime Heifer Irish Beef

Specialists in: -

Pale Hams • Smoked Hams • Mulcahy Low Salt Homecure
Fillet of Ham • Spiced Beef • Mulcahy Pork Sausages

Our Speciality Made Daily - Sausage Meat and Stuffing



The Attic

Swop Shop Plus

Mill Street, Maynooth - 628 9713

Swop Shopping

Fashion and Accessories

**Now accepting Debs dresses and garments
for our Summer collection - must be in
pristine condition and under 2 years old**

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

BAND BULLETIN

They say success breeds success and this is definitely true in the case of Maynooth Band.

April Success

Following on our big wins in Maynooth and Limerick on St. Patrick's week-end we entered the All-Ireland Junior Military Band Competition held in Crumlin on 21st April. This was our first time to compete in these prestigious championships since 1976 (yes that was 20 years ago) when some of our current members were not even born. Our main objective was to get back into a competitive vein and to test the quality and content of our musical ability, recital-wise, rather than our marching strength. We had practiced with a purpose over the three to four weeks before the contest and were determined to put on a good show and not let Maynooth down. The day of the competition dawned and we went out and kept the flag flying, put all our practice into reality and then sat back to await the adjudicators marks. Imagine our surprise, as the marks came through one by one to find we had won the cup for Second Place, way beyond our most optimistic hopes.

The cheers are still ringing as I write these notes, having conquered bands from Templeogue, Walkinstown and Lucan. We now plan to return next year with our eyes on that coveted first place which will rise us to All-Ireland Intermediate Level. A special tribute is due to all the boys and girls who worked so hard to earn this success and it augurs well for the coming years.

Charity Dance

The Fund Raising Dance for the Irish Cancer Society also on 21st April, was a great success and helped to boost the coffers of this worthy cause. Special thanks to the Glenroyal Hotel for donating the use of the function room, the band Bourbon Street for playing free of charge for the night and to those who donated spot prizes. A special word of congratulations to our Social Committee including Kevin Boyd, Elaine Bean and Mark McCarron who worked so hard to make this a worthwhile success.

Telethon

We were delighted to be associated with the County Kildare Section of the 1996 Telethon when we took part in a marvellous combined concert in the Garrison Church in the Curragh Camp. At the time of writing this event has yet to take place but we hope to let you know how this went in our next Bulletin.

Summer Engagements

Don't forget to book the Band in good time as our summer schedule is starting to fill up already. Please write to our secretary Deirdre Stynes, Moneycooley, Maynooth giving plenty of notice for your event.

That's all the news for April, hope to give you a more detailed run down on all our plans for the summer, next month.

FLOWER & GARDEN CLUB

A record number of entries made our annual Spring Show held recently in the G.A.A. Hall a great success.

First prize winners were:

- Class 1.- Dinner "Table Exhibit" - Kitty Core; Winner of the Satchwell Cup.
Class 2.- "Spring Basket" - Phil Webster; Winner of R.H.S.I. Spoon.
Class 3.- "Twist & Shout" - Imelda Desmond; Winner of Flower Pot Cup.
Class 4.- "The Garden in Spring" - Kathleen Cleary.
Class 5.- "Design for Living" - I. Desmond; Winner of "Best at Show" Ulster Bank Cup.
Class 6.- "Harmony" - Jean Fletcher-Jones.
Class 7.- "Boudoir" - Jean Fletcher-Jones; Winner of the A.O.I.F.A. Cup.
Class 8.- Flowering Shrub - Phil Webster.
Class 9.- Daffodil - I. Desmond; Winner of R.H.S.I. Spoon.
Class 10.- Vase of Flowers - Sarah Angel.
Class 11.- Tulips - Teresa Ledwith; Winner of Bradshaw Cup.

The committee are grateful to the following who donated prizes:

Maynooth College - Larine Garden Centre - Orchid Garden Centre - The Abbey Garden Centre - Country Blossoms - The Flower Pot - Maynooth Book Shop - Just Gifts - Katie's Flowers and all members who donated prizes.

Our next meeting on 21st. May, in St. Mary's, Maynooth College, will be a demonstration by Susan Mulvihill. Admission £3.00. Non members welcome.

I. Desmond. P.R.O.



Diathermy & Beauty Clinic

Ann Carey, B.C. C.I.D.E.S.C.O. A.D.D.

Cameo



Main St., Maynooth (beside Barry's Newsagents)
Phone: 628 6272

Specialising in Electrolysis

Diathermy for Broken Veins, Skin Tag Removal
All other treatments including Cathiodermie Facial,
Aromatherapy, Facials, Eyelash Tinting, Manicures,
Waxing, Ear Piercing

Turbo Sunbed

New advanced Faradic Inch-loss machine

Gift Vouchers Available

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

COMMUNITY GAMES



Stephen Curran, Barry Hogan, Finbarr O'Gorman, Tommie Fox and Richard Farrell National

Winning Project Team:

Stephen Curran, Barry Hogan, Finbarr O'Gorman, Tommie Fox.

Project

The U.13 Boys Team did us proud at the County Finals in Nurney, coming home with Bronze medals.

The Committee are grateful to Mary O'Gorman for co-ordinating this event.

This years events are well under way. It is encouraging to see the boys and girls turn out in such vast numbers. Our swim this year takes place on 11th May in Stewarts Swimming Pool, Palmerstown. Registration takes place on the day. Being capable of swimming one length of the pool is the minimum requirement on the day - ages: Boys and Girls 8 - 16 years.. Remember it is not necessary to be a member of a swimming club to take part in the Community Games Swim.

We congratulate all the children who have taken part in events already.

Gymnastic Medal winners:-

Girls U10

1st Lauren Edderly

U.12

1st Cheryl Naughton

2nd Emma Higgins

3rd Ashling Bean

U.14

1st. Rachel Cunningham

U.16

1st Róisín Farrelly

Boys U.8

1st Ciaran Dooley

2nd Michael Brennan

3rd James Molloy

U.10

1st Brian Bean

U.12

1st Darryl O'Connell

Quiz

Two teams went forward this year to County level in the U.14 event, unfortunately they failed to qualify, but hopefully will have better luck next time around.

Teams

Team 1 James Mullarkey, Brendan Coffey, Donal Houlihan, David Harpur.

Team 2 Padraig O'Sullivan, Brian Downey, Patrick O'Rourke, Stephen Broderick.

We are grateful to Brian O'Malley for co-ordinating the quiz event once again.

Draughts

This year was very good for both draughts teams, U.14 and U.10. They both progressed to semi-final stages. The U.14's were beaten by Crookestown 9 - 1, but this score does not reflect the closeness of the games. The U.10's were beaten by Carbury 5½ - 4½. This match went down to the last game. The young players have gained valuable experience that should stand to them next year. The committee are very grateful to Mr.O'Connell for his co-operation and use of the Boys' National School facilities and also to Brian Galligan for co-ordinating the draughts event again this year.

Team U.14

Donal Houlihan (Capt.) Paul O'Flaherty, James Mullarkey, Ciaran McCullagh, James Hoare, Pierre Ennis and Aoife Tracey.

Team U.10's

Peter Lawlor, (Capt.) Aidan Corkery, Paul Nelson, Tadhg Dunne, Gerald Hoare, Martin Hoare.

Pitch & Putt

This years area competition takes place at Tony Bean's Pitch & Putt course, Dunboyne Road on 16th May (Ascension Thursday) at 2 p.m. This competition is open to boys and girls U.16 years.

Modelling Competition

Congratulations to Matthew O'Gorman who has won his way to the national finals at Mosney later in the year. This is a splendid achievement for this young boy and we wish Matthew lots of fun and success at Mosney.

Grass Cutting Service

No Garden Too Big or Small

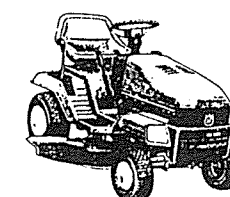
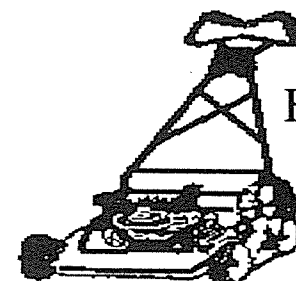
Also Hedge Trimming Service

Contracts Welcome

For a Professional Service at a keen rate

Contact: Alan Bradley
at

01-6285387

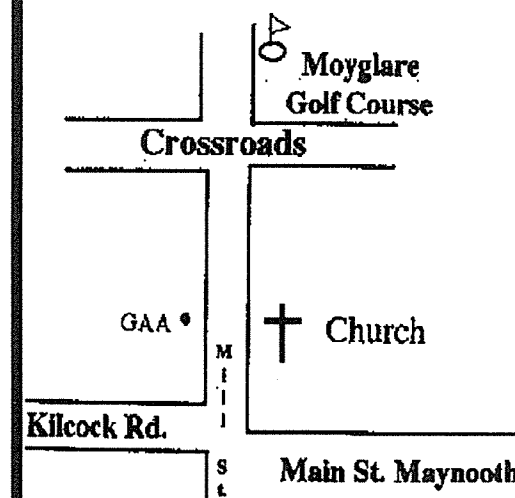


MOYGLARE GOLF COURSE

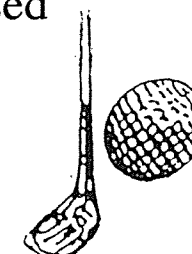
PAR 3

Maynooth, Co. Kildare.

Telephone: (01) 628 9021



Management Now Passed
from *Joan Kelly*
to
Jean Leonard



Golf Clubs & Trolleys for rent

L

- 7 Days
- Professional Tuition
- Student Discounts/Gift Tokens
- Male and Female Instructors
- Free Collection/Dropped Home
- Covering All Northside Areas
- We have an instructor A.D.I.R. experienced in pre-test work located in Naas for all your pre-test lessons
- Car & Truck Hire for Test
- 90% Success Rate

MAYNOOTH DRIVING SCHOOL

CARS & TRUCKS

**PRE-TEST
COURSES**

9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

TELEPHONE: 6287368

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

Basketball U.16 Boys

Congratulations to this team on winning gold medals at the competition at Newbridge on 20th April last. The boys played with great determination and confidence on the day. A good all round effort by everybody on the team. We wish the boys good luck in the next round.

Team

David Reidy, Peter Kinsella, Conor O'Shea, Robert Hayes, Mark Dempsey, David Garnett, Kevin Langen, Alan Baxter, Robert Hammond, Pierre Ennis.

Scores: Maynooth 10 Crookestown 3
Maynooth 10 Confey 5
Maynooth 14 Rathangan 7
Final: Maynooth 16 Crookestown 3

Team trainer and coach: Elaine Fleming

Team Co-ordinator: Jim Fleming

Basketball U.16 Girls

Congratulations on winning gold on 21 April last at Newbridge. This team have now advanced into the 'A' Section. Maynooth's good form continued with a splendid victory over a much fancied Sallins team in the final.

Team

Brid-Ann O'Shea, Rachel Watson, Karen Brady, Claire McCarrick, Ciara Baxter, Emma Fleming, Lynn Brennan, Sharon McLoughlin, Rebecca Flynn and Ciara O'Neill.

Trainer: Jim Fleming

Basketball U.13 Girls

Well done girls on winning silver medals at Newbridge on 21st April. Score:- defeated 11 - 4 by Confey. This was an enjoyable game despite the scoreline which does not do justice to the girls' great efforts.

Team

Lorraine Dunne, Claire Keogh, Ruth Cahill, Yvonne O'Shea, Gillian O'Hurley, Maeve O'Neill, Avril Tuke Ciara Leahy, Sally-Anne Grassic, Sorcha Crosbie and Lisa Finnan.

Trainer: Emma Fleming

Team co-ordinator: Jim Fleming

The committee are grateful once again to Jim Fleming for managing the basketball. This proves a very popular event each year and considering the enormous amount of training and organisation involved in putting four teams forward Jim certainly deserved this reward. We wish the boys and girls continued success in the next round.

Collection

Our fundraising collection this year was a great success and

the committee are very grateful to all the contributors as this is our only means of fundraising to keep the games up and running here in Maynooth. A huge thank you to the many parents who helped collect at the shopping centre and also the door to door collection.

The committee appreciate the assistance of Londis, Supervalu and Quinnsworth supermarkets for supplying the refreshments at the various events.

County dates worth noting:

Swimming: 8th June, Newbridge
Gymnastics: 11th May, Athy

Kathleen Mullarkey

Secretary



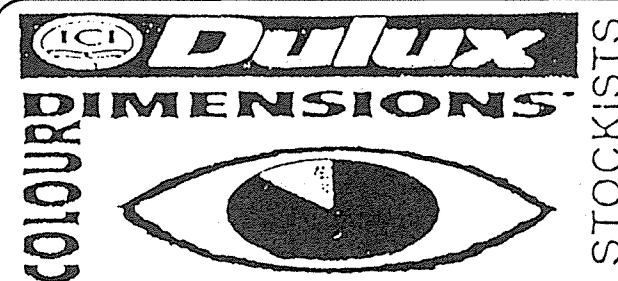
Eoghan McCarton gold medalist in the Art competition with Chairperson, Marie Gleeson.



Community Games U14 draughts team L-R: James Hoare, Ciarán McCullagh, Aoife Tracey, James Mullarkey and Donal Houlihan.

UA BUACHALLA HARDWARE

Main Street, Maynooth. Tel. 01 - 628 6202



Over 1600 Colours
to choose in any finish
you require
mixed while you wait

SPECIALS

Dado Rail	—	£ 3.79, 8 ft.
2 x 1 PAO	—	£ 1.37, 8 ft.
T. G. & V. Sheeting	—	£ 8.39
Pine Shelving 2 ft.	—	£ 3.99
Pine Shelving 3 ft.	—	£ 4.95
Pine Shelving 4 ft.	—	£ 5.49
Vileda Mop & Refill Free	—	£ 6.98
Addis Mop	—	£ 8.23
Rotary Clothes Line	—	From £15.35
Clothes Line Poles	—	£21.98
Bulbs	—	£ 3.90 per 10
Plugs	—	69p each
Jug Kettle	—	From £12.59
Steam Iron	—	From £18.95
10L Emulsion	—	£14.95
2 1/2L White Gloss	—	£12.19
5L White Gloss	—	£20.95
2 1/2L White U/Coat	—	£11.79
5L White U/Coat	—	£20.45
5L Dulux Trade White	—	£13.69
10L Dulux Trade White	—	£20.98
Paint Brushes	—	3 for £2.19
Wheel Barrow	—	£29.98

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

LION'S CLUB

Charter Night

The Maynooth/Kilcock Lion's Club will shortly be hosting their Annual Charter Night, a large attendance of Members and Supporters are expected at the Banquet. Special guests will include District Governor Pat McCool, Gerry Fitzmaurice, Past President of the Limerick Lions Club, Lions Extension Officer Eddie Davis, Lion President Dermot Lally and President Elect, Lion Peter O'Sullivan. The occasion, the now traditional celebration of the President's highly productive term in Office. Over the year President Dermot has brought a new dynamic to the Club with Membership up and a host of highly successful activities fulfilled. Projects like "Holidays for our Senior Citizens", "Youth Exchange", "Garda Band Concert", "Pony Show", in aid of St. Raphaels "Circus Night" for the Children, "Entertainer of the Year" over "55", "Food Appeal" at Christmas, "Peace Poster", "Medic Alert", "Fashion Show" and our major project over the last three years "Sheltered Housing".

President Dermot has been one of the mainsprings in bringing this project to fruition, when bureaucracy and red tape appear to stagnate, he identified the solidifying agent and with unique powers of persuasion kept the momentum in flux. Now as it reaches its final stage of construction we would expect to have the houses in occupation by early Autumn and the Day Care Centre up and running. We are indeed privileged that Her Excellency President Robinson who has shown a keen interest in this project over the past year, will visit Maynooth to open the centre in the late Autumn. A formal announcement of the date and the final arrangements for the President's visit will be made by Lion President Dermot in the Glenroyal on the night of his Charter, the 17th May next. Dress formal, music by Freddie and the Pacemakers. There are a limited number of tickets left and they may be had by contacting any Member of the Lions Club or from my good self. Cecil H. Lyons, P.R.O. Sheltered Housing Project, on behalf of the Maynooth/Kilcock Lions Club. Telephone No.: (045) 869183 or (01) 4750220.



Est. 1981

DECLAN FOLEY SOLICITORS

GLENROYAL CENTRE

TEL.: 628 9111



MAYNOOTH CREDIT UNION

The last time I was here I was writing about borrowing from the Credit Union. I suggested that, all things being taken into consideration, your Credit Union was the best means of borrowing money. Why should you borrow from your Credit Union? Well, because your Credit Union here in Maynooth is owned by its members living and working in Maynooth, it is run for the benefit of the members elected at the A.G.M.

How do you know you are getting a fair deal from the Credit Union?

Just compare the costs.

Borrow £1,000. and repay it in equal monthly instalments over one year. You will repay £1,065, One thousand pounds **Principal and sixty five pounds in interest.** There are no extra costs or charges.

Your Credit Union provides automatic life insurance at no direct cost to the member on most loans. The Credit Union also offers a reasonable dividend (last year 4%) on members savings, even when they are repaying a loan.

Remember, if you are planning to buy a new car, build that long promised extension, take off on an exotic holiday or buy that computer, T.V., dishwasher etc. If you need to borrow, talk to your Credit Union. We are here to help. Our motto - Not for profit but for service.

Just a reminder. Since you joined the Credit Union have your circumstances changed? Do you need to revise your form of nomination? Please check the next time you call into our office.

Michael Mooney

B. Hennessy

HEATING & PLUMBING

MAINTENANCE, REPAIR

& ALTERATIONS

PHONE 629 0153

DR. LINDA M. FINLEY - McKENNA

CHIROPRACTOR

Dublin Road,
Maynooth,
Co. Kildare.

Tel: 01-6285962

4 Belgrave Road,
Rathmines,
Dublin 6.

Tel: 01-4970174

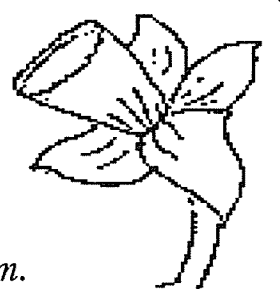


ALL HOURS BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

	MAYNOOTH		RATHMINES
Tues	10.00 am - 1.00 pm 5.00 pm - 8.00 pm	Mon & Thurs	10.15 am - 12.30 pm 4.00 pm - 8.00 pm
Wed	5.00 pm - 8.00 pm	Wed	10.15 am - 12.30 pm
Fri	10.00 am - 12.00 noon 4.00 pm - 8.00 pm		



MAYNOOTH'S THRIFT SHOP
"FRED'S FASHIONS"
GREENFIELD SHOPPING CENTRE. TEL: 6289643



Next to New Clothing For All The Family
Business Hours: Tues/Wed/ Thurs/Fri. 11am - 1.30pm.

ALL PROCEEDS IN AID OF THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Donations of Quality Clothes, Bed Linen, Bric-a-Brac and Toys in Good Condition
Only Accepted, and may be Delivered Direct to the Shop during Business hours.

Thank You One And All

CELLCOM COMMUNICATIONS

SALES • ACCESSORIES • CONNECTIONS • TRADE INS

NEC P100

£130
INCL VAT

SUBJECT TO CONNECTION

EIRCELL

NEW ANALOGUE (088)

NOKIA 2010 G.S.M. £105
MOTOROLA 7500 £149
ERICSSON 337 G.S.M. £248

FREE DELIVERY SERVICE

NOT SUBJECT TO CONNECTION ALL PRICES INCLUSIVE OF VAT @ 21%

SECONDHAND CELLULAR PHONES FROM £60
ALSO CAR-PHONES, CAR-KITS, BATTERIES ETC.

MITSUBISHI
MT-9

£130
INCL VAT

EIRCELL Personal

NEW GSM (087)

MOTOROLA 7200 G.S.M. £99
NOKIA 2110i G.S.M. £248
MITSUBISHI MT 20 G.S.M. £248

FREE LEATHER CASE WITH ALL NEW GSM PHONES

PH: 01 6283833/34 OR (088) 620300 ANYTIME
MAIN STREET, LUCAN (OPP. BOYS NATIONAL SCHOOL)

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

MAYNOOTH I.C.A. NOTES

The April meeting of Maynooth Irish Countrywomen's Association took place in the ICA hall on Thursday 4 April. Mrs. Marion Souhan congratulated the ladies on their great win in the AIB Guild Project. Our Guild beat strong opposition from nine other Guilds to take the top prize in this county competition in Kill GAA Centre on 12 March. "It was a great joy for me to accept the prize on behalf of Maynooth", said Marion.

Daffodil Day - £880 Collected

Members of Maynooth ICA are delighted with the public response to their Daffodil Day collection which raised £880 for the Irish Cancer Society. We would like to thank everyone who contributed to the collection. We would also like to thank the Transition Year students of Maynooth Post Primary School who helped us with the collection.

Ladies from our Guild will be collecting at the church gate in Maynooth on 27 - 28 April for the National Council for the Blind.

Trip to An Grianan

The trip to An Grianan on Tuesday 2 April was a great success according to Kay Burns. Kay, who organised the trip, said that twenty ladies travelled by coach to the College and thoroughly enjoyed the classes and food. Another trip to the College has been arranged for 9 May.

Effective Speaking Postponed

The effective speaking classes scheduled to start on Monday 15 April have been postponed, due to the instructor being ill. The class will take place after the Summer break. Members who are interested in these classes should check with our Arts Promoter in early September.

Crafts Spectacular

The 'Crafts Spectacular' will take place in Kill GAA Centre on 22 May. This is a County Craft competition open to ICA members. County Crafts Promoter, Mrs. Eileen Beatson has organised this new event which is replacing the County Make and Model this year. There will be entertainment on the night and all the crafts entered in the competition will be on display.

Activities

Badminton for ICA members is on in the Parish Hall each Tuesday and Thursday morning, starting at 10.30 a.m. Crafts take place in the ICA Hall on Mondays at 8.00 p.m. and Wednesdays at 10.30 a.m. Mary O'Gorman, Crafts Promoter, will have the results of 'The Most Unusual Pincushion' competition at the May guild meeting. Calligraphy classes are in the ICA Hall on Friday nights at

8.00 p.m.

Trip to 'Return to the Hill' in May.
Bowling in Palmerstown in May.

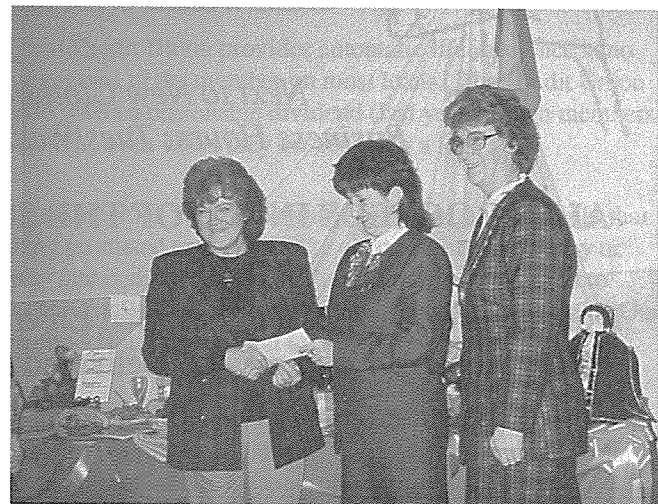
Federation Meeting

The Spring Federation meeting was held in CBS, Naas on 21 March and the following are some of the items to note:-

Federation Drama Festival in November '96.
Council AGM in Athlone on 15 May in Hudson Bay Hotel.
Federation AGM in Caragh on 30 May.

Spanish Night

Mrs. Helen Finn, International Officer, arranged a most enjoyable Spanish Night at our April guild meeting. After our meeting, Helen gave us a short talk on Spain, its people, weather, history, etc. There was also a display of the winning project in the AIB competition. Mrs. Ursula Walsh gave a verbal presentation on Dolores Ibarruri, which formed part of this winning project. The night ended with cheese and wine to celebrate our Spanish win.



Marion Souhan, President accepting the prize from A.I.B. representative on behalf of Maynooth Guild

Annual General Meeting

The AGM of Maynooth ICA will take place on Thursday 2nd May in the ICA Hall, The Harbour, Maynooth at 8.00 p.m. We would ask all members to please attend this meeting. The meeting is also open to anyone interested in joining our guild. This is the ideal time to join the ICA. For a small membership fee (£18 in 1996) you can avail of the many activities, courses, trips, etc. on offer, as well as making many new friends. At present we have over fifty members of different ages, backgrounds and interests. We have a very active guild and we warmly welcome new members.

*Connie Harpur,
PRO, Maynooth ICA.*

Paddy Power

BOOKMAKER

WE ARE ON THE MOVE !

DURING RENOVATIONS TO OUR EXISTING PREMISES

ON THE MAIN STREET

WE WILL BE LOCATED IN THE GLENROYAL CENTRE.

WE APOLOGISE FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE CAUSED.

Oliver Reilly

Prosperous, Naas, Co. Kildare. 045-868230 / 045-868482 - 24 Hour Service

Undertakers and Complete Funeral Furnishers

Wreaths

Headstones

Mourning

Funeral Parlour at Town Centre Mall, Maynooth & Kilcock
Undertakers to Maynooth Mortality Society
(Funeral Parlour Free)



Particulars & Arrangements Contact:

Paddy Nolan (Sec), 7 Castlebridge, Maynooth. Phone: 6286312
and Paddy Malone, Ballycahan. Phone: 6287074

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

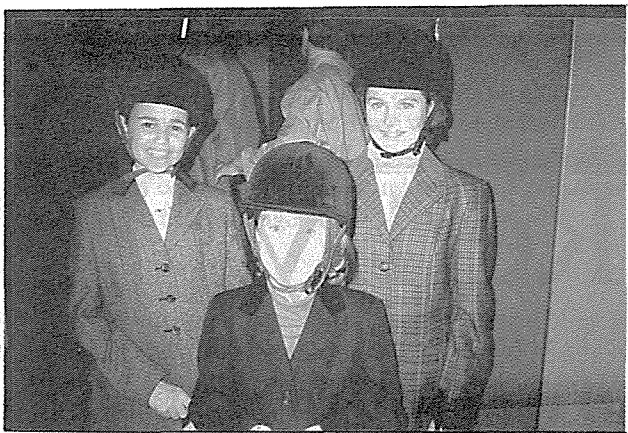
MAYNOOTH KILCOCK LIONS CLUB ANNUAL FASHION SHOW

This year's show was held in the Glenroyal Hotel on Thursday April 18th, and as always, was in aid of the Old Folk's Mosney Fund.

It featured the latest Spring and Summer fashions for ladies, men and children from Tinkerbell, Moulin Rouge Boutique, Equestrian World, Loretta's Boutique (Clane), Dawson's Menswear, Hula Bou and a special glimpse of the exclusive designs from Lyn Mar.

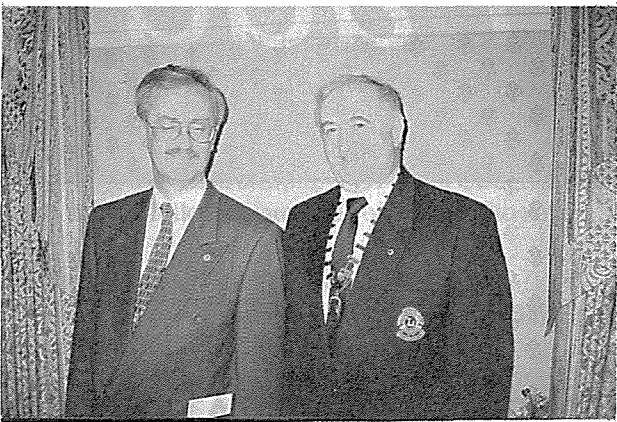
It was Cathriona and Eoin who started the show displaying beautiful Communion wear from Tinkerbell, followed by sports and dresswear. The kids were very enthusiastic about their modelling debut and certainly got the evening off to an excellent start!

This lively display was followed by a large selection of very smart and sophisticated clothes from Moulin Rouge and also some very nice casual wear.



Three young models presenting us a selection of clothes from Equestrian World

Equestrian World then provided us with a display of riding outfits for both children and adults. Maria and Veronica, two of the models for the night, looked very much the part in their riding jodphurs and wax coats, while Micheál and Peter looked all ready for action in their slacks, sweaters and riding boots! After this sporty selection, it was time for an interval during which raffle tickets were sold and were in great demand for the superb prizes which were on offer. Some of the prizes included a £100 gift voucher for Dawson's Menswear, a five-piece stainless steel cookware set worth £90 from Coopers, £50 gift voucher from Hula Bou Boutique, a meal for two in the Moyglare Manor and the special prize of the night was a weekend for two in the Corrib Great Southern Hotel in Galway.



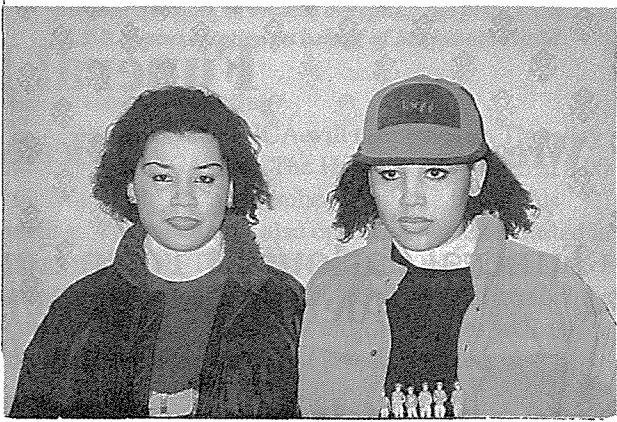
James Kelly M.C. for the Fashion Show and Dermot Lally, President - Lions Club

James Kelly was M.C. for the night, a member of the Lion's Club and past president, while Margaret Kenny was compere, both did an excellent job despite some last minute changes.

The interval was followed by a selection of clothes from Loretta Boutique in Clane, the main colour themes being pink and green, and beautiful pastels setting the fashion for Spring/Summer.

Dawson's Menswear then provided Peter, Gavin and Micheál with a chance to prove themselves as absolute naturals at the modelling business - they sported some lovely casual wear.

However, it was only when Vincent, Martin, and John appeared on the catwalk that the ladies in the audience lost control in a frenzy of cheers and claps as the gentlemen modelled beautifully tailored suits in a most relaxed and confident manner!



Beautiful Model twins Maria and Veronia Charmant.

WESTSIDE WASTE



- Industrial
- Domestic
- Commercial
- Mini, Standard
- Large / 2-in-1 / Roll on
- Guaranteed Prompt Service
- Keen Rates

6289479 / 6289480 / 6289544

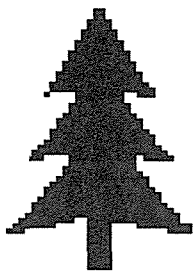
Mobile 088 - 553315

Leixlip Road, Maynooth, Co. Kildare

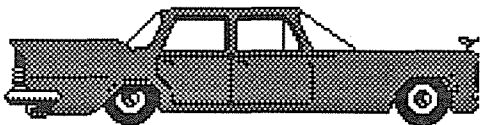


Maynooth Credit Union Limited

Credit Union House, The Harbour,
Maynooth, Co. Kildare. Tel: 6286741
Home Union House & Contents Insurance



CHRISTMAS



CAR LOANS



HOLIDAYS

Budget Account



EDUCATION



HOME IMPROVEMENTS
V.H.I. Group Membership

CAN YOU AFFORD NOT TO BE A MEMBER?

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

Things quietened down again as the ladies reappeared in a great selection of fabulous bright floral dresses and skirts from Hula-Bou.

The highlight of the evening was the modelling of fantastic knitwear from Lyn Mar. The models showed us stunning soft cream fine wool knits - designs which are both unusual and exclusive and available only from Lyn Mar in the Powerscourt Design Centre in Dublin.

Lyn Mar was the Late Late Show 1992, 1994 Award Winning Irish Fashion Designer. It was an absolute treat to see her clothes modelled here and most especially her award winning chiffon knit wedding dress worn beautifully by Tara.



Tara, modelling the wedding dress which won Lyn Mar the Irish Fashion Designer Award, accompanied by Michéal.

The show was rounded off by a speech of appreciation from Dermot Lally, the residing President of the Maynooth-Kilcock Lion's Club.

A most enjoyable night was had by all!

MAYNOOTH GOLFING SOCIETY

Secretary: G. McTernan, Captain: D. Nyland, Treasurer: S. Tracy, Vice Captain: G. McTernan.

Kilcock 23/03/96
Eddie Kavanagh Memorial Cup
Overall Martin Foy 45 pts (Back 9)

- Class 1**
1st Terry Moore 45pts
2nd Ray Delemere 40 pts
3rd Joe Moore 34 pts
- Class 2**
1st Willie Moore 40 pts (Back 6)
2nd Billie Condrón 40 pts
3rd Paul Ryan 38pts

- Class 3**
1st Tom O'Haire 41 pts
2nd Seán Moore 35 pts
3rd Seán O'Connell 32 pts

- Front 9** Joe Greene 19 pts
Back 9 John Doyle 17 pts

- Visitors**
1st Barry Desmond 35 pts (Back 9)
2nd Frank Desmond 35 pts
3rd Ted Kehoe 34 pts
4th Emmet Savage 33 pts

2's Club F. Desmond, N. Brady, J. Moore, T. Harnett, B. Condrón.

Martin 'Master' in Kilcock

Martin Foy overcame damp conditions and 47 other competitors to win Maynooth Golfing Society's first outing of the 1996 season. The 'Eddie Kavanagh' memorial Cup provided the winner (with 45 pts on the back nine) with his first overall thus emulating his father's successful win in Tullamore last year. Bronagh Kavanagh presented the cup to Martin in Caulfields after which a sing-a-long took place.

Next Outing Moate 20th April.
Following outing Enniscorthy/Courtown Weekend 24/26th May.

HUGH McCARTAN SMITHSTOWN MOTORS LTD. TEL. 627 1716

Service & Repairs to all Makes of Cars
Vans & 4x4 Jeeps

Crash Repairs • Insurance Estimates Carried Out
Replacement Engines • Gearboxes
Clutches Fitted • Breakdown Service

Opening Hours: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. Mon. - Sat.

MOVIEMASTER

GLENROYAL SHOPPING CENTRE
MAYNOOTH
TEL. 628 9230

MAY RELEASES

BIGGER : BETTER

1st	Chameleon	22nd	French Kiss	99p Same-day Return
8th	To Die For		Canadian Bacon	
	Sahara		Hourglass	
	Hatchet Man	24th	Jade	
	The Net		To Wong Foo	
13th	Murder in the First	31st	Goldeneye	
14th	Bad Company			
	Crimson Tide			
	Funny Bones			

Multi-Night Rental on £1 movies

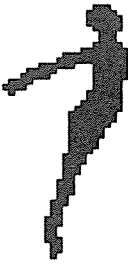
Ex-rental movies for sale
from £5

11a.m. - 12p.m. 7 days a week

MEADOWBROOK HEALTH & FITNESS CLUB Enfield, Co. Meath. Phone: 0405 - 41280

HEALTH CLUB:

- Open for 6 Months & 12 Months Membership
 - 1 x Trial £7.00 (No Need to Book)
 - 4 weeks £25.00 Mon. - Fri. (2.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.)
 - Early bird swim, Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 a.m. - 8.30 a.m. £6.25 per week.
- Minimum membership 4 weeks. Starts 3rd June.



Saunas • Jacuzzi • Plunge Pool • Impulse Shower • Steam Rooms
Indoor Heated Pool • Outdoor Pool • Open 7 days a week

FITNESS CLUB:

Fully equipped Cardio-Vascular equipment.
Only 10 mins from Maynooth on N4.
Open 5 days a week.

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

ROYAL CANAL AMENITY NOTES

If any of our readers are out for a walk they should take a stroll down by the banks of the Canal and see the magnificent work that has been done by Tom Flately, Supervisor of the Royal Canal Amenity Group and his team of committed workers. Tom would also like to extend a special word of thanks to SIAC for the great work they have done, i.e. providing Liscannor finished slabs under the bridge and 50 metres up towards Leinster Park.

After many years of lobbying, the ESB pole at the entrance of the Harbour Field has finally been removed, with the result that all the cables are now underground. Our thanks to the ESB for removing the pole and to the Royal Canal Community Employment Scheme workers who dug the trench and laid the pipe across the road and up to the ICA Hall. Thanks also to the County Council workers who dug the trench along the entrance to their site. We also put underground trenching across the Harbour entrance to allow for public lighting on the east side of the Harbour. We will be contacting Kildare County Council shortly to make the necessary arrangements for same.

We now have a full complement of 18 Fás workers on the Community Employment Scheme under the supervision of Tom Flately. The eighteen workers now consist of three ladies, one of whom works alongside the men stonewalling, wall building, laying foundations and general outdoor work, and is doing a great job.

The CIE carpark will be reopened within the next couple of weeks and the carpark in the Harbour will be closed.

Freda Kelleher

M.C.L. CABS Ltd.

MAYNOOTH - CELBRIDGE - LEIXLIP

MAYNOOTH

6289222

6289558

6286539



CABS

COACHES

MINI BUS

CARLTON CLEANERS

Specialists in
Evening Wear • Curtain Care
Shirt Laundry Service

Same Day Service including Saturday
Open 6 Days

Maynooth Shopping Centre
Tel. 628 5511

KEELY'S CORNER

Main Street, Maynooth
Open 7 Days

Newsagents stocking all the leading dailys.
We have the best selection of cards in town.

Also a large range of novelty gifts,
cigarettes, sweets, boxes of chocolates, blank tapes
and batteries, etc.

Now Rehab Lottery Agents
Licensed to sell Stamps & Call Cards



VISUAL IMAGE PHOTOGRAPHY

01 - 628 6488

PHOTOGRAPHY FOR ALL OCCASIONS
DISTINCTIVE WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHY
CLASSICAL PORTRAITS IN YOUR OWN HOME
COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FOR BROCHURES

CONTACT: GERALD MAC CANN B.A. L.I.P.P.A.
AT 628 6488 FOR BOOKINGS

*Member of Irish Professional Photographers Assoc.
Member of the World Council of Photographers*

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

MAYNOOTH PEACE, RECONCILIATION & JUSTICE GROUP

A modest attendance was present for our April 3rd public meeting in the Library, entitled "Towards inclusive all party talks and a just and lasting peace". Michael Farrell, chairperson of the Irish Council for Civil Liberties and author of two outstanding books on the history of the North, "The Orange State" and "Arming the Protestants" was our first speaker.

He said that despite the dangerous situation with the ending of the I.R.A. cease-fire, significant movement had taken place with the emergence of new forces within the Loyalist movement and cross community talks involving women and other groups. The cease-fire should be renewed but to achieve this guarantees would have to be given by the British Government that decommissioning was not to be an issue at All Party talks and that the proposed new Northern Forum was not to be an impediment on the talks. Confidence building measures would need to be immediately introduced such as;
Prisoners - more releases of both Republicans and Loyalists. Immediate transfer of Patrick Kelly to Portlaoise (What if he dies in prison?)
Immediate release of the Casement Accused and the remaining U.D.R. prisoner.

Sinn Féin - British and Irish Governments must talk to them on the same basis as any other Party.

If and when All Party talks take place, the agreed arrangements should include:-

Policing - A new Force would have to be created including some existing members of the R.U.C. but also many new members from the Nationalist community.

Bill of Rights - For all, to be recommended by recognised international Human Rights experts. Special Powers of legislation should be removed.

Constitutional Structures - Unionists must have links with Great Britain and Nationalists with the Republic. This arrangement would require an effective role for the Irish Government within the Northern Ireland state, i.e. a form of Joint Authority.

Our second speaker was Dr. Martin Mansergh, head of research, Fianna Fail. He began by looking back in history and saying that for fifty years majoritarianism went virtually unchallenged in both parts of the island. In the North, except for some benefits of the British welfare state, the Unionist majority used what real power they had for their own benefit, and discriminated against a minority whom they

continued to fear. In the south, a far smaller more privileged minority with an important economic role, enjoyed toleration, which is a different thing from pluralism and that the victims of majoritarianism were to be mostly found in the ranks of the majority itself.

Speaking of the present, the Conservative Government has a very right-wing economic ideology, which led to the absence of tangible improvement of the ground in Republican and Loyalist heartlands. Also they saw their duty as being to keep the unionist happy and the new Unionist hard-line leadership scorns the overtures of the present Irish Government. Further, British Government from the Treaty of Limerick to the Government of Ireland Act of 1920 are past masters at signing up to guarantees, which then remain dead letters.

Saying North-South co-operation benefits all, had harmonisation of provisions on animal welfare been in place, Northern Ireland would have been in a stronger position to argue that their beef should not be classed as British beef.



L-R:- Martin Mansergh, Mary Cullen and Michael Farrell.

Saying he deeply regretted the breakdown of the IRA cease-fire, he stated that while partition was undoubtedly wrong and a breach of the principle of national self-determination at the time, people do not believe it is right or feasible, directly or indirectly to force an unwilling Unionist population into a united Ireland against their will. But Unionists have an equal obligation to win the consent of the Nationalists to a new genuinely democratic dispensation.

Finishing, Martin declared that it boils down to all sides giving a clear signal that they are willing to work for a peaceful accommodation, and that they accept, as John Major once said to Albert Reynolds, the need for a deep settlement.

A meaningful question and discussion session rounded off a very educative and enjoyable evening. We look forward to hosting similar events in the future.

Hilda Mooney, Hon. Sec.

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

MAYNOOTH PITCH & PUTT

It's that time of the year when Community Games loom large in the calendar of events. On Thursday the 16th May at 2.00 p.m. the qualifying round of the pitch 'n putt competition will take place. All players under the age of sixteen qualify to play in these games and it is hoped to have a girls' and boys' team. The rounds played on the 16th will decide the players going forward to represent Maynooth at county level. To date all of the teams going forward have done very well in the games.

On a different tack there is an on-going monthly draw open to all players. The prize is one year's free pitch and putt at our course and is entered simply by submitting a completed score-card into the draw box in the clubhouse. As well as all players using the leaflets dropped to them recently and those players who received mailshots can enter this draw by handing in their leaflets for inclusion.

In the meantime the course continues to be open seven days from 10.00 a.m. until dark.

MAYNOOTH SWIMMING CLUB

The final term of 95/96 season started on 20th April and will run until 29th June. Note the pool will be closed on May 11th (Community Games). There will be a free family swim on Saturday June 29th, no buses will run on this day.

Well done to all our members who took part in the St. Patrick's Day Parade fancy dress. All costumes were superb. Congratulations to our winners:

1st prize: Muireann O'Sullivan

Runners Up: Sarah Flatley
Eibhlin Carr
Aoife O'Neill

Our sincere thanks to Lavins, Séan Donovan and Bartons for their sponsorship.

Our A.G.M. will take place in June. Details next bulletin.

Joan Cooney
Mary Hoban
PRO

SEAN'S CABS

SEAN O'NEILL
RAILPARK, MAYNOOTH, CO. KILDARE

TELEPHONE:
01 - 6286002

MOBILE:
088 - 539616

Tir Na Nóg
IRENE McCLOSKEY
C.I.D.E.S.C.O. DIPLOMA & TUTOR

Including Facial Treatment, Aromatherapy
Remedial Camouflage Special Classes,
Arm & Leg Treatment
Rene Guinot, Cathiodermie, Bio-Peeling, Geloide
Prescriptions, Facials, Body Treatments, Sun Bed,
Electrolysis and Red Vein Treatments

Buckley's Lane, Main Street, Leixlip
Tel. 01 - 624 4366 • 624 4973

NEWTOWN STORES

Beaufield, Maynooth, Co. Kildare.
Tel. 01 - 628 5833

Opening Hours: 8.00 a.m. - 10.30 p.m.
Open every day including Sunday
Lotto Agent • Groceries • Fuel
Gas • Fancy Goods • Sweets
Cards • Magazines

Free Delivery Service

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

MOTHER & TODDLER GROUP

Looking for somewhere to go on a Wednesday morning?
Why not head up the Moyglare Road!

Many young Maynooth parents who are minding babies and toddlers at home find it difficult to get out of the house and meet people. In any case, many of them are new to the town and don't have friends to call on.



Action from the Mother and Toddler Group Meeting

One easy answer is the Mother and Toddler Group. Meeting every Wednesday between 10.00 a.m. and midday, it provides an ideal way for parents and children to mix.

The group meets in the Scout Den in the MADE centre which is situated beside the secondary school on the Moyglare Road. It is just a few minutes walk from the town centre. There is car parking and inside, space for prams and buggies.

Attendance varies with often twenty parents present - including some Dads - plus toddlers. The parents themselves help in organising games and sing-songs for the children. There is tea/coffee and biscuits for the parents and juice for the young ones.

To cover costs there is a small charge of £1 for members and £1.50 for non-members. This includes refreshments. Membership is £5. The group is not a crèche. You cannot drop kids off and go shopping. The group has some toys and any further donations are always welcome. Note: Dads are welcome too.

Mother & Toddler Group:

Venue: Scout Den, MADE Centre

Day: Wednesday during school terms

Time: 10.00 a.m. to midday

Charge: £1 for members, including refreshments

24 HOUR - 7 DAY

Express Cabs

 **6289866**

Car & Mini Bus Hire
MAYNOOTH

All Local Runs £2

SMALLWOOD MOTORS

Croghan House, Celbridge Industrial Estate,
Celbridge, Co. Kildare.

Servicing All Makes of Cars & Vans



Suppliers of New & Secondhand Cars
Contact 6288547 • 6271422

News-4-U

Glenroyal, Shopping Centre Tel: 6290994

OPEN 9.00 a.m. - 8.00 p.m. Mon., Tues., Wed., Sat.
8.00 a.m. - 9.00 p.m. Thurs., Fri.
9.00 a.m. - 6.30 p.m. Sun.

Stockists of Stationery, Magazines, Newspapers,
Call Cards, Stamps, Toys at very keen prices,
and a wide range of books by Irish Authors.
Now stocking Cré Porcelain & Kane Crafts
Ideal Gifts for Special Occasions

Agents for National Lottery Scratch Cards in the near future.

For Relaxing Shopping Friendly Service
News-4-U is the Place For You

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

NO NAME CLUB

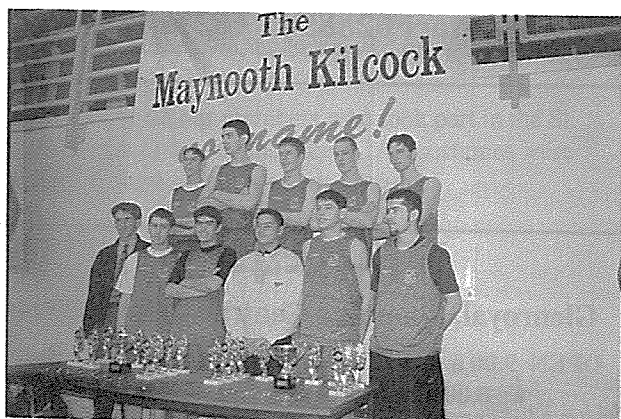
On Friday the 29th of March Maynooth Kilcock No Name Club sponsored an inter-schools basketball tournament, in Maynooth College. The schools participating were Maynooth Post Primary, Scoil Dara Kilcock, Coláiste Chiaráin Leixlip, St. Wolstans and Salesian College, Celbridge.

The day was a great success and was enjoyed by all participants. A surprise visit by Jason Sherlock added to the excitement. The finalists in the Girls tournament were Scoil Dara and Coláiste Chiaráin. The winners were Scoil Dara.



Scoil Dara's winning team at the basketball tournament with Dermot Sheehan.

The Boys finalists were Salesian College and Maynooth Post Primary, the winners were Salesian College.



Winning Boys' team, Salesian College with Jason Sherlock

A special thanks is due to Paul Davis, Sports Officer Maynooth College for the facilities, the Maynooth Gardai who sponsored the cups, Tommy McDonnell of the Sports

Locker Maynooth and of course the Hosts and Hostesses and Adult leaders of the club.

On Friday night last the 12th of April Maynooth Kilcock No Name Club hosted the National Finals of "The No Name! Club Cabaret Awards 1996". The night was a great success, with everyone enjoying themselves. The Standard of cabaret act was the highest yet seen with Saggart Rathcoole No Name Club coming out as eventual winners.

This was followed on Saturday night by the National finals of the Host and Hostess of the year 1996, this event hosted by the Lucan No Name Club was compered by Ray Darcy and was also a very enjoyable evening. Sheelagh Brady the Maynooth Kilcock No Name Club representative was unlucky to be just beaten, however all involved with the club wish to thank her the way she has represented the club throughout the competition.



Ray Darcy and Sheelagh Brady at the awards night

DERMOT KELLY LTD. KILCOCK TEL. 01 - 628 7311

FOR TOP VALUE CONTACT US FIRST
FOR BODY REPAIRS, SERVICE & PARTS

NEW & USED CARS & VANS
TEXACO HEATING & FUEL OIL

TEL. 01 - 628 7311

BEAUFIELD CHILDCARE

Montessori, Playschool and Crèche

- Hot meals and snacks provided
- All staff qualified
- Members of N.C.N.A.
- Children 3 months to school going
- Fully insured



Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 7.30a.m. - 6.00p.m.

Phone Pamela Bryan, Mont. Dip. Ed.

26 Beaufield Gardens, Maynooth. Tel: 01 - 6290002

P. BRADY

Clock House, Maynooth, Co. Kildare. Tel: 6286225

LOUNGE & BAR

Bus Stop

**SOUP • SANDWICHES • TEA & COFFEE
ALWAYS AVAILABLE**



For Best Drinks and Delicious Pub Grub

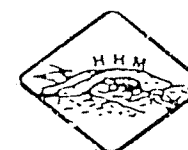


Haven Hire Maynooth
Dublin Road
Maynooth
Ph: 6291134
Fax: 6288602

HAVEN HIRE LTD.

Branches:

Haven Hire Celbridge
Main Street
Celbridge
Ph: 6288171
Fax: 6288602



Monday to Friday
8.30a.m. - 1.00p.m.
2.00p.m. - 6.00p.m.

Hours of Business:

Saturday
8.30a.m. - 1.00p.m.
2.00p.m. - 5.30p.m.

WE HIRE: Telescopic Fork Lifts, Mini Diggers, Paving Equipment, Concrete Mixers, Dumpers, Kango Hammers, Angle Grinders, Floor Sanders, Power Screeds, Poker Vibrators, Concrete Saws, Water Pumps, Scaffolding, Drills, Rip Saws, Chain Saws, Ladders, Welders, Rotovators, Lawnmowers, Block & Tile Elevators, Vibrating Rollers, Block Grabs, Sit-on Rollers, Plus A Lot More. **WE NOW HIRE BOUNCING CASTLES!**

SALES • HIRE • SPARES • SERVICE

Clubs, Organisations, Societies

MAYNOOTH OLD PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE

I mentioned in last month's issue that our Easter Party would be a little different this year. Well, it certainly was. I would describe it as one of the nicest days in our calendar of events.

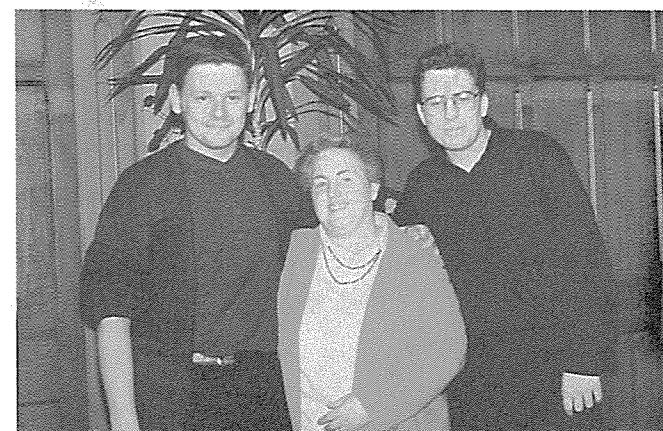
Just over a hundred of our Senior Citizens, including our guests from Leixlip, arrived for Mass at 3.00p.m., celebrated by Father Frank Duhig. In his homily he welcomed us all to the College and spoke of the history and links between the College and local community.

After Mass we watched a video on the history and places of interest within the College. This was followed by dinner in the students' refectory, and I take this opportunity to thank Michelle and staff for the kindness and courtesy shown to all of us.

Full and barely mobile, we made our way over to the big chapel. What a treat was in store for us there! After a short talk on the chapel itself the choir entertained us in concert, which can only be described as a divine experience. This indeed was the highlight of the day. Their poignant rendition of "If I could help somebody", turned the moment gold.

We then returned to the "ref" for a most welcome cup of tea before taking our leave.

In the early years our Committee had very strong links with the students in the College, but with the passing of time the bond seemed to slacken. April 21st 1996 hopefully will be remembered as the day the bond was renewed and strengthened between the two communities.



Josie Moore with Liam Enright and David Bracken, organisers of the College visit

Of course behind all these events there is always somebody responsible, so I take this opportunity to thank Liam Enright, David Bracken and their group of students who liaise with our Committee on an on-going basis.

Our next event will be our May Party which will take place in the Post Primary school on Sunday May 12th, starting with Mass at 3.30p.m. Transport as usual. The Tony Smith Memorial Walk will coincide with this event and will start from the same venue at 3.00p.m. Let me remind you also

that although the "walk" is organised by the Maynooth Branch of the Labour Party, all monies collected in sponsorship go to our Fuel and Social fund. So whatever your political persuasion, do give your support, and if you have an hour to spare on the day why not join the walkers, then we will all benefit.



Enjoying afternoon tea in the College Refectory

May is now recognized as the month of the arts. This is a time when older people throughout Ireland are invited to join in for Bealtaine, a Maytime Arts Festival which celebrates creativity in older age. Events will take place in towns and villages throughout the country and everyone is welcome to join in. The focus is especially on encouraging the participation of older people in the arts as performers or audience, artists or critics, actors or viewers. The festival, which will run for the month of May, has been organised by Age and Opportunity in conjunction with the Museum, Theatres, Art Centres, Active age groups and older peoples committees across the country. So, with that in mind we ask all our Senior Citizens to join in this event. Those of you who can paint, draw, write, do needle work, in fact any art form, are welcome, and all your work can be displayed in the Library.

The name Bealtaine was chosen for this celebration of the arts because of its evocation of springtime, freshness, renewal and fire. In this ancient Maytime festival, hearth fires were traditionally extinguished on May Eve and re-lit from Sacred fire on May morning. The Bealtaine Festival of the Arts is a celebration of creativity in Older Age which renews and refreshes. It may, perhaps, rekindle embers that have been quietly glowing through the years waiting for a chance to burn brightly.

Our annual outing takes place on Saturday June 1st. All our Senior Citizens who wish to go should have their names in by May 17th. Our format will be slightly different this year as we hope to visit the Leisure area in Blessington and take a trip on their riverbus around the lakes. Anyone who is water shy can stay on land and enjoy the scenery. All we need now is the Sun.

J. Moore

Photo Spread



*Committee members at Awards Night for No Name Club
L-R: Clare Higgins, Evelyn McGrath and John Lambe*



Enjoying the Old Peoples Dinner in the College



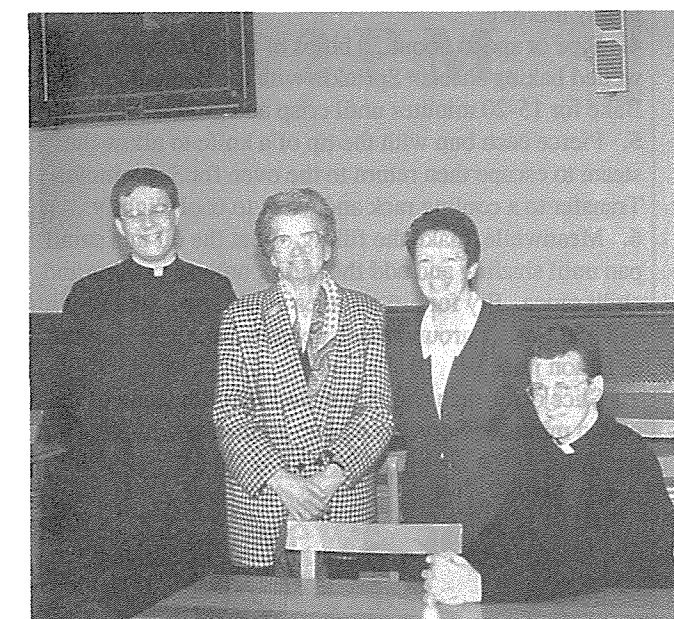
*Kathleen Bennett "doing her thing" at the
Old Peoples' Dinner in the College*



David Bracken and Gretta Payne on College Tour



*Most romantic couple Pat & Maureen Malone
at Old Peoples Party*



*Michelle, Catering Supervisor (Ref) with Ita McTernan
and two of the students from choir*

DELICIOUSLY SIMPLE

Prawn Choux Bites

Preparation: 40 minutes; cooking: 30 - 35 minutes.

CHOUX PASTRY

50g/2oz butter
65g/2½oz plain flour, sifted
2 eggs, size 3, beaten
2 tsp sesame seeds to sprinkle

FILLING

2 tsp sesame oil
3 spring onions, trimmed and finely chopped
225g/8oz peeled prawns, thawed if frozen and patted dry with kitchen paper
2 tsp chilli sauce
squeeze of lime or lemon juice
lime wedges to garnish

(Makes 20)

1. Preheat oven to 220C/425F/Gas Mark 7.
2. To make the pastry, place the butter and 150ml/½pt water in a pan. Heat gently until the butter melts then bring to the boil. Remove from the heat and quickly stir in all the flour. Return to the heat and beat until the mixture comes away from the sides of the pan. Leave to cool for 2-3 minutes.
3. Gradually beat in the eggs to make a smooth, firm, glossy mixture.
4. Pipe or spoon about 20 blobs of the mixture on 2 wetted baking sheets. Sprinkle with the sesame seeds. Bake for 15-20 minutes until crisp and golden.
5. Pierce each bun with the tip of a knife to allow the steam to escape then return to the oven for 3-4 minutes. Transfer to a cooling rack and leave to cool slightly.
6. Meanwhile, make the filling. Heat the oil in a small pan until sizzling and add the spring onions, prawns and chilli sauce. Fry for 5-6 minutes until crisp. Season with salt and freshly ground black pepper and stir in the lime or lemon juice.
7. Slice open each choux bun and fill with some of the prawn mixture. Serve on a plate garnished with lime wedges.



Cheesy Vegetables With Tagliatelle

A colourful mix of two standbys - cauliflower or macaroni cheese

1½ lbs/700g mixed fresh broccoli and cauliflower florets
6oz/175g fresh baby corn cobs
8oz/225g dried tagliatelle
2oz/50g butter
2oz/50g flour
1pt/600ml milk
3oz/75g Cheddar cheese, grated
1oz/25g fresh breadcrumbs, toasted
Garlic bread, to serve

1. Cook pasta in lightly salted boiling water for 10 minutes until al dente.
2. Meanwhile, cook vegetables in lightly salted boiling water for 5 minutes until just tender.
3. Melt butter in a saucepan, add flour and cook for 1 minute. Gradually add milk and bring to the boil, stirring constantly, until sauce thickens. Simmer for 1 minute. Stir in cheese and season to taste.
4. Drain vegetables, add to cheese sauce and mix until coated. Drain pasta and divide between plates. Spoon vegetables and cheese sauce over and sprinkle with breadcrumbs. Serve with garlic bread.

Mango Ice With Cream Cheese

Serves 4

1 large fresh mango or a 15 oz (425g) can of mango pieces
Juice 1 lemon
8oz (250g) cream cheese
1 tablespoon honey
Large pinch of ground cardamom, optional

Skin and stone the fresh mango, or drain the juice from the canned mango. Put the fruit into a food processor with the rest of the ingredients, or sieve the fruit and mix in the other ingredients until smooth. Pour into a plastic container and freeze until firm. Allow to soften for about 30 minutes in the fridge before serving.



KILDARE — MAYO ASSOCIATION



IRISH NIGHT



IN JOHNSTOWN INN,
KILL

FRIDAY 10TH MAY 9 - 2 P.M.

Bar Extension + Supper

Tickets £6.50

Ph. 6285343 Maynooth

045-436162 Newbridge

045-431396 "

045-866134 Naas



GARDENING HINTS



It is sometimes difficult to imagine how gardeners managed before there were garden centres. However, they are far from being the only source of plants and you may do just as well - or sometimes better - to look elsewhere. There are, for instance, many general and specialized nurseries, most of which sell direct to the public on site as well as by mail order. Large supermarkets and department stores often sell plants, too. Always put quality before economy, and make sure that the plants you buy are clearly labelled so you know exactly what they are. Even when your stock comes to you through a network of gardening friends, be choosy about the plants you accept.

Bedding Plants

Since annual plants complete their life cycle in just one year, and biennials in two, they can easily be grown from seed. There are, however, good reasons for buying young plants.

One packet contains a large quantity of seeds, and you may need only a few plants for window-boxes or growing bags; alternatively, you may want just a small sample of a new line of vegetables. Or the plants you choose may be half-hardy - such as marigolds, petunias, tobacco plants and tomatoes - and need protection from frost as seedlings. It is an easy short cut to let the garden centre deal with the delicate early stages of such a plant's life, and just buy stock when it is ready for planting in the garden.

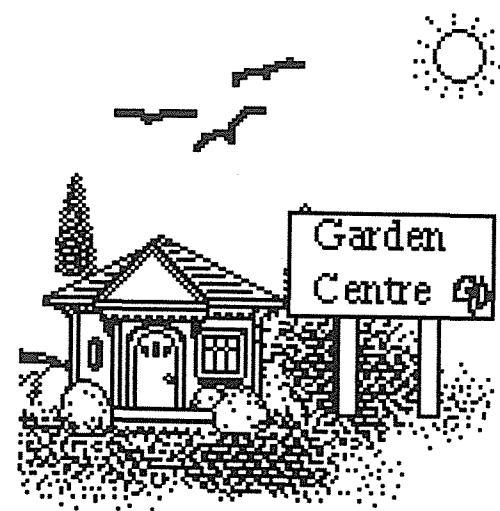
Space is another factor, since biennials, such as wallflowers and sweet williams, take two years to produce flowers and they need to be sown outdoors in late spring the year before flowering. For the small garden at least, it makes sense to occupy that space with other plants and buy

already growing biennials in autumn for flowering the following year.

Plant lots of summer bulbs for a garden full of colour and scent. Garden centres are full of bulbs at the moment so look out for lilies, gladioli, galtonias, zantedeschias, nerines, Amaryllis belladonna and many other delights. They're really easy to grow, just plant them 2-3 times deeper than their height and put them on a layer of grit if you have a heavy or clay soil, to stop the bulbs rotting.

Sow your own salads and enjoy a tasty treat. Even the smallest garden has space for a few plants of salad rocket with its lovely peppery leaves, red oak-leaf lettuce, crispy Iceberg lettuce, Lettuce 'Lollo Rosso' and the freshest watercress. Grow them in gaps among flowering plants in the border or in tubs on the patio. Sow seeds sparingly in succession throughout the summer and enjoy fresh salads for months.

Don't forget to protect tender plants from frost. Sunny days can be deceptive and one sharp frost will kill half-hardy plants.



DAWSON'S MENSWEAR

Full Spring/Summer range now in stock

All leading brands

Magee • Riccia • Statz • Elmior • Tricot

Bugatti • Benvenuto • Rocola

Dress Suit Hire Available

Open: 9.30 a.m. - 6.00 p.m. Monday - Saturday

Late Night Opening Friday 8.00 p.m.

Main Street, Maynooth, Co. Kildare. Tel. 01 - 628 9555

TOP OF THE CROP

Main Street, Maynooth.

The Fruit & Veg. Shop

WHOLESALE / RETAIL

TEL: (01) 628 6586

Visit our Fish Shop
Huge selection available

◦ Sample our **NEW** Fresh Breads Baked Daily **IN SHOP**

◦ See our **NEW** Enlarged Shop. More comfort.

More Convenience. Bigger Range of Goods

OPENING HOURS

Each day - Monday - Saturday to 6.30 p.m. - Fri to 7 p.m.

Hitchin Post Restaurant

Leixlip Ph. 624 4704

4 Course Communion Lunch £7.95

Children's Menu £4.00

Food Served in Bar

All Day

7 Days

Lunch Mon - Sat. 12.30

SPECIAL FROM £3.50

Sunday Lunch

Served All Day

Restaurant also Available

DONOVAN'S

Main Street, Maynooth
Greenfield and Maynooth Shopping Centre

MAYNOOTH POST OFFICE
FOR ALL YOUR STATIONERY
CARDS AND MAGAZINES

POST OFFICE OPEN
DURING
LUNCH HOUR

LONDIS SUPERSTORE
COMPETITIVE FAIR PRICES

14 HOURS PER DAY
7 DAYS PER WEEK

*Join our Christmas
Savings Club*

Any amount large or small.

You select your hamper from our very
large selection.

(Toys may be included)

FREE DELIVERY - GROCERIES/COAL/GAS/BRIQUETTES

PHOENIX NEWSAGENTS

LARGEST SELECTION
OF GREETING CARDS

IN TOWN

COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION AND EXAM CARDS

SEE OUR NEW
ENLARGED

MAGAZINE SECTIONS

THE COFFEE KITCHEN

All Home Cooking

Full Irish Breakfast All Day With Homemade Bread

Try Our Homemade
Lasagne • Quiche
Shepherd's Pie • Soups
All Made Fresh Served With
Homemade Fresh Chips

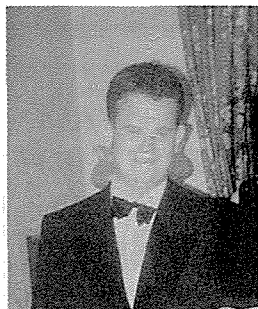
Homemade
Cheesecake • Carrot Cake
Pies • Tarts • Scones
Lemon Meringue • Rock Buns
Brown Scones • Special Recipes

STILL AT LAST YEARS BACK TO SCHOOL PRICES

Maths Sets <i>Lowest Price</i>	Wooden Rulers <i>Lowest Price</i>	Pritt Sticks <i>Lowest Price</i>	Business Studies 1 • 2 • 3 <i>Lowest Price</i>
200 Page Refill Pads <i>Lowest Price</i>	Ring Binders <i>Lowest Price</i>	Pencil Parers <i>Lowest Price</i>	10 Pack 120 Page Copies <i>Lowest Price</i>
Helix Pencil Cases <i>Lowest Price</i>	Boss Highlighter <i>Lowest Price</i>	Pencils <i>Lowest Price</i>	Nature Study & Project Copies <i>Lowest Price</i>
A3 Sketch Pads <i>Lowest Price</i>	Dock Wallets <i>Lowest Price</i>	Protractors <i>Lowest Price</i>	Helix Cartridges <i>Lowest Price</i>
Bic Roller Pens <i>Lowest Price</i>	Punched Dockets <i>Lowest Price</i>	4 Colour Pen <i>Lowest Price</i>	Lever Arch Files <i>Lowest Price</i>

Features

CATERING MASTERMIND FROM MAYNOOTH TO REPRESENT IRELAND



Graham Loane

Athlone R.T.C. has always had a reputation as one of Ireland's premier catering colleges, but the icing was put on the cake last week when two of its students answered their way to a European Catering Quiz final in Berlin later this year.

The two Professional Cookery students won the national quiz heat in Galway and will go on to represent Ireland at a Euro-Quiz final which takes place on the fringes of the Culinary Olympics, when the world's greatest chefs meet to perform the kitchen equivalent of the four-minute mile next September.

The dynamic duo - a combination of masterminds and masterchefs - are Ferbane's 19 year-old Fergal Nugent and 21 year-old Graham Loane from Moyglare Village, Maynooth, Co. Kildare. But they won't have much time to bask in their achievement as they prepare for their final exams at the college this week before heading off on six-months work experience.

The two kitchen boffins say they couldn't have had a better preparation for their end-of-year exams than testing their brains against the finest that Ireland's catering colleges had to offer.

"We put a lot of work into it," Graham said, "but we were very well prepared from the work we do here. It basically covered all aspects of what we are studying so it was good revision for our exams as well."

They qualified to represent Athlone R.T.C. in an earlier heat in the college and will now represent their country as the top two out of over 1,000 catering students nation-wide. They were able to flex their mental muscles, answering questions about all aspects of food and wine, catering, kitchen management and the business elements of the industry.

Graham is eagerly looking forward to the contest in Berlin and the prospect of winning a trip to the U.S. His culinary knowledge has already earned him medals, certificates, cameras and an all-expenses paid trip to Germany. But before that he has six months work experience to concentrate on.

Fergal will be going to the famous Great Southern Hotel in Galway's Eyre Square where he will be putting the training he got at Athlone into practice during the busy summer season ahead. He hopes to go on to a full-time career in Ireland's rapidly expanding catering industry.

Graham will be cooking in the splendid setting of the Derryclare Restaurant in Clifden in Connemara. He did a stint there last year as well and, recognising his talents, the Derryclare has asked to have him back again this year.

So if you happen to be dining there this summer and you feel like being awkward and testing the kitchen staff's culinary knowledge, don't say you weren't warned!

TRANSITION YEAR PUPIL GETS FIRST PLACE IN FEIS MAITIÚ

Congratulations to Marie Nangle who won First Place in the under 17's, Junior Poetry Recital, Feis Maitiú competition 1996.

The judge, in awarding Marie First Place, said of Marie's Recital; "A most succinct piece of work. You painted a very clear picture of Emily Dickinson."

Marie portrayed facets of Emily's character through powerful presentation of well chosen excerpts from Emily's vast collection.

Marie has been a pupil of MS McDonald's Speech and Drama classes for over six years.

Lucan Painting and Decorating Service

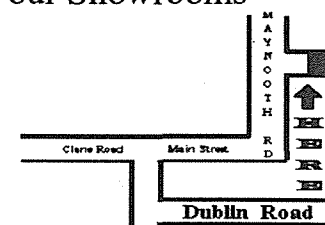
Colm Mee

Interior and Exterior
Paper Hanging and Sponging
Spray Painting and Maintenance

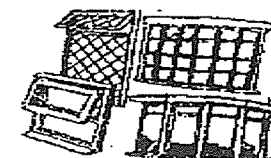
Phone: 621 1410

KEANE WINDOWS

Your Local Window Company
with 13 Years Experience
Visit our Showrooms



We Design & Manufacture
• Windows • Doors • Patio Doors • Shop Fronts
• Secondary Glazing in PVCu & Aluminium.
White, Bronze, Woodgrain & Oakgrain



We Repair

Windows, Doors, Patio Doors, Shop Fronts, Double Glazed Units, Glass, Mirrors, Table Tops, Handles, Hinges, Locks, Wheels & Glass Cut to Size.

Monatrea Ind. Est., Maynooth Rd., Celbridge, Co. Kildare Ph: 6274455 Fax: 6274456

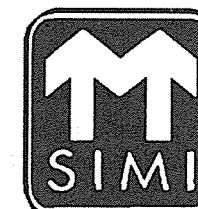


Liam Duff

Gragadder, Kilcock, Co. Kildare.

Tel/Fax: (01) 6287434

Mobile No: (088) 579400



MOTOR BODY REPAIRS
AND COLOUR MATCHING
SPECIALISTS

24 HOUR RECOVERY SERVICE

BLOWTHERM SPRAY BOOTH

CAR-O-LINER PULLING
AND MEASURING
SYSTEM

MEMBER OF THE SOCIETY OF THE IRISH MOTOR INDUSTRY AND
VEHICLE BUILDERS & REPAIRERS ASSOCIATION

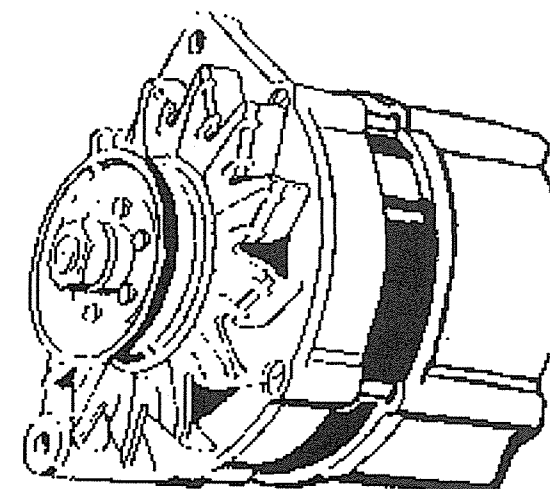
O'NEILL'S AUTO ELECTRICAL

Dublin Road, Maynooth.

Tel: (01) 6286611

**STARTERS
ALTERNATORS
DYNAMOS**

12 or 24 Volts
Repairs or Exchange Units



Features

REVIEW "AN TIMIRI", MARTA 1996

Tharla "Réabhlóid Chultúrtha" (chun téarma nua-aimseartha a úsáid) sa tír ag deireadh na 19ú aoise agus sa chéad scóir bliain den 20ú aois. Tosaíodh ar chothú spiorad náisiúnta i gcúrsaí litríochta, ealaíne, spóirt, tionscail, agus go háirithe i gcúrsaí teanga bhí borradh a bhfuil a rian le feiscint fós céad bliain níos déanaí. Ó thaobh na teanga de, bhí áit lárnach ag na timirí i saol Chonradh na Gaeilge anuas go dtí bunú an tSaorstáit. Mar a deir an t-údar i gcéad chaibidil an leabhair seo: "Ní hamháin gurb aspail ar son na Gaeilge iad ach aspail ar son an náisiúnachais chultúrtha."

Ag an tráth ba laige ina saol don teanga Ghaeilge, thuig daoine mar an tAth. Eoghan Ó Gramhnaigh, Dubhghlas de hÍde, agus Eoin Mac Néill, an gá le heagrafocht úr chun an teanga a shabháil agus bunaíodh Conradh na Gaeilge in 1893. Trí bhliain níos déanaí fuair Pádraig Ó Maoláin bás i Nua Eabhrac agus d'fhág sé airgead (£2,000) le huacht ar son chaomhnaithe na teanga Gaeilge. Bhí T. D. O'Sullivan, M.P., ina iontaobhaí ar an gciste sin agus bheartaigh sé ar an airgead a infheistiú agus an t-ús a thabhairt do Chonradh na Gaeilge chun Timirí (nó múinteoirí taistil) a fhostú.

Tugann Colm Ó Cearúil, ar garmhac é do dhuine de na timirí (Seán Ó Cearbhail 1875-1935), toradh a thaighde ar fhoinsí Chonradh na Gaeilge sa saothar seo. Níl ann ach leabhar beag (115 leath, téacs, móide liostaí na dtimirí le mion-bheathaisnéisí de 13 díobh, liosta na gColáistí Samhraidh, foinsí, is dhá innéacs), ach is mór an méid eolais a d'éirigh leis an údar isteach sa spás sin.

Roinneann sé an 74 timire atá luaite aige sa leabhar ina ngrúpaí: "ceannródaíthe", "daingnitheoirí", "timirí forleathana", "cigirí timireachta". Cuid díobh sin tá a n-ainmneacha i mbéal an phobail ó shin, m.sh. Tomás Bán Ó Concheanainn ó Inis Meáin, an chéad duine a fostaíodh ina thimire. Tugtar blas den obair cheannródaíochta a bhí ar siúl ag Tomás Bán is na timirí lustha eile — an scéal a chasadh ón náire a bhíodh ar dhaoine labhairt ina dteanga dhúchais, fadhbanna leis na scoileanna a bhí ina ngléas gaildaithe tríd is tríd, ach tacaíocht láidir a fháil ón chléir i mórán áiteanna. Tá cur síos ag an údar freisin ar mar a chuir an chorrail pholaitiúil sa tír ó 1913 go 1923 isteach ar shaothrú is leathnú na Gaeilge.

Táimíd go léir faoi chomaoín ag na timirí is na múinteoirí taistil a shaothraigh go dicheallach i mblianta tosaigh na haoise seo, go minic agus iad ag cur a sláinte i mbaol. Tá cúis breise agamsa bheith buíoch de mhuintir Uí Chearúil, mar ba é athair Choilm, Dónal Ó Cearúil, a chéad-bhronn an Fáinne orm sa Tulach Mhór na blianta ó shin.

Séamus Ware

Maynooth Secretarial Services

Maynooth Community Council
Main Street, Maynooth (Above Kehoe's)

Word Processing • Typing
Minutes • Letters
Theses • Photocopying, etc.

Service Confidential - Contact 628 5922
10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Mon - Fri

DISABILITY AWARENESS

On March 29th in the Community Council Offices a Disability Awareness Forum was held. It was attended by most of the Community Council workers and the proceedings were led by Brian Miller, N.R.B. (National Rehabilitation Board) Area Manager for Kildare and West Dublin and Christy Keely, a volunteer with the NRB (who has Cerebral Palsy).

The two gentlemen, Mr. Keely and Mr. Miller, were very approachable and helpful as we explored our own attitudes to various degrees of disability and how we could amend same. There are two general attitudes to people with disabilities; one, the tendency to smother the person and try to protect them from life; and the other extreme of distancing oneself, unable to cope.

Do's and Don't's

Don't use words such as handicapped, spastic, cripple, victim of, invalid, wheelchair bound, mental handicap, suffering from.

Don't use medical labels.

Don't make assumptions about a person's condition or abilities.

Some common courtesies/etiquette rules to follow:

Do speak slowly (for a deaf person who may be lip reading, only 3 out of 10 words are visible on the lips)

Use gestures and facial expressions.

Be patient with someone who may have a speech difficulty.

Don't finish sentences for the person, lean on/touch wheelchair it's part of the person's space.

Do speak directly to the person (even if an interpreter is present)
Do offer help to a wheelchair user or someone using crutches
But wait until they accept your offer and let them tell you how to help.

Do discuss access problems and possible solutions with the disabled man or woman, treat the person as an adult.

Don't ignore the disability this will only lead to awkwardness
Don't be afraid to say normal things like "see you later" or "I better run".

Book of the Month

Maynooth - Má Nuad

A short historical guide

By Mary Cullen

Line Drawings by Suzanne Pegley

Price £4.95

Available from

The Maynooth Bookshop

The Square, Maynooth

Phone 6286702

"EL DORADO" TAKE AWAY

GREENFIELD SHOPPING CENTRE
MAYNOOTH. TEL: 6285913

*A wide range of food at
the very best prices.*

Try our delicious kebabs:

*Southern Fried Chicken
Kebabs, Donor Kebabs and
Mexican Taco*

*We also sell cigarettes,
chocolate and milk.*

**Wishing All The Students Good Luck
in Their Exams**

OPENING TIMES:

12.30 p.m. - 12.30 a.m. Mon-Sat • 5 p.m. - 12.30 a.m. Sun

Features

FILM REVIEW

TWELVE MONKEYS

This is a very good film. From the director of "Brazil", "Baron Munchausen" and "The Fisher King" you would expect a visual treat, but, in this film, Terry Gilliam delivers more than just stunning imagery, he delivers a story that keeps your interest for 2 hrs and 10 mins.

The critical re-evaluation of Bruce Willis, which began with "Pulp Fiction", will continue apace after this performance as James Cole, the convict from the future sent to isolate a pure strain of the germ that kills 5 billion people in December 1996.

Yes, this is another apocalyptic film to unsettle you as the next millenium approaches, and yes, the phrase "nightmarish vision" will no doubt spring to mind, but this is not a film of unbroken darkness. Gilliam illuminates the screen with pictures of stunning beauty in between bouts of techno overload. He also uses the Cole character to portray a yearning for the simple things which both we and time have forgotten. It is in Willis' performance, a mix of violence and vulnerability, that the film scores in the accessibility stakes.

Brad Pitt plays a lunatic, or not, who pops up in Willis' time travels. Although not as good as Willis, Pitt is also entertaining and keeps the plot moving with his demented ramblings.

To sum up in one of those X film meets Y film summaries, "Twelve Monkeys" is "The Fisher King" meets "Outbreak" with echoes of films you've probably never seen but you know are there. It's that kind of film. If you liked "Seven" and any of Terry Gilliam's films, then you will like this one - if you didn't, give it a chance, it's as good looking and heavily layered a film as you are likely to see.

Due out soon on video.

FIRE ENGINE

The restoration of the vintage Austin Fire Appliance ZW8599 was successfully completed on the morning of St. Patrick's Day. As hoped, it was seen driving through the streets of Maynooth in the parade. This was a dream come true for the Maynooth Fire Brigade, myself, Claire, Niamh and our Gaisce Award Leader, Martin Hewitt. Working on the appliance was a worthwhile experience for all involved, and proved itself a very successful one.

There are numerous people who have to be thanked for their generosity and time. If it were not for them, the Austin would never have been restored. They were John Wheatley, a coachbuilder in Drogheda who gave us the coach varnish, Murphy's Autos for the clutch and ignition, the paint for the interior of the appliance was given by Housepride, Maynooth, the timber by the D.I.Y., Old Hill, Leixlip, the floor covering donated by Larry Harte and fitted by Leonard Murphy, the steel by Pat Craig, the red paint for the exterior of the appliance by Akzo Nobel, Sutton, the transfers by Griffith J. Roberts, Bartons Bus garage for the appliance they gave us to steamwash the Austin, and to Phillip Bedford who gave us the loan of a spray gun to spray paint the appliance. Thanks also to the Tallaght Fire Brigade for their hospitality at their Vintage Ambulance and Fire Appliance rally, which was on St. Patrick's afternoon.

Claire, Niamh and myself would like to give a special thanks to Peter, Brendan, Christopher, Joe, Lennie, Ollie, Paddy, Phillip and Tony for making us so welcome in their Fire Station and for providing the tea and biscuits, and to our Gaisce Award Leader Martin Hewitt for all the help he gave us during our Gaisce Challenge.

You can look forward to seeing the ZW in many more parades and rallies nationwide.

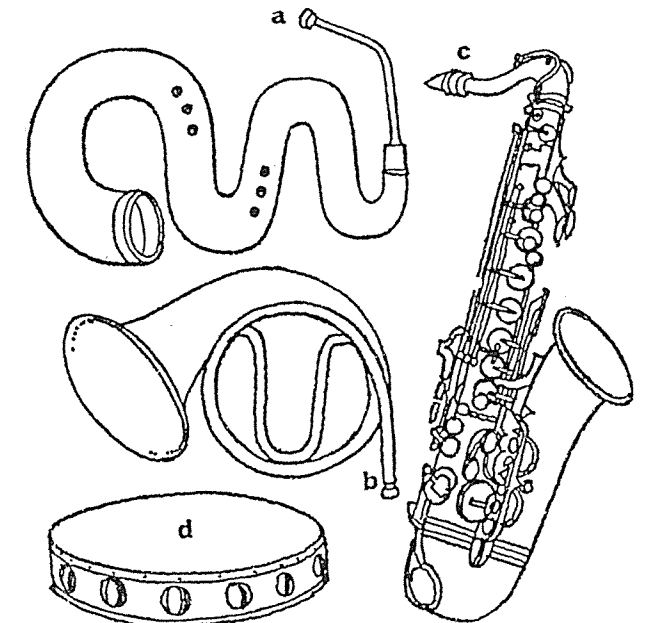
Clodagh Ryan.



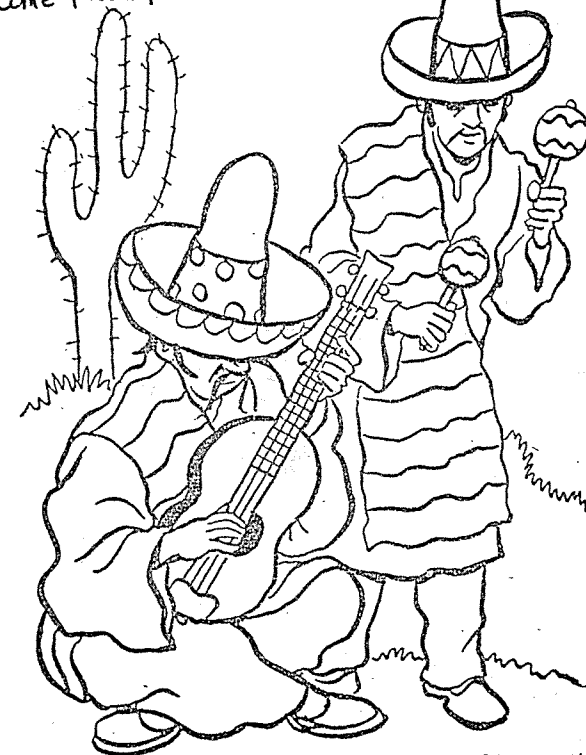
Children's Corner



Guess the Nursery Rhyme?



What country do these men come from?



WINNERS OF MARCH COLOURING COMPETITION

4-7 YEARS

1st.
Aisling Leavey
839 Greenfield
Maynooth

2nd.
Adrian Harpur
11 Woodlands
Maynooth

3rd.
Elaine Houlihan
Cowanstown
Maynooth

8-12 YEARS

1st.
Niamh Byrne
4 Rockfield Manor
Maynooth

2nd.
Sarah Prendergast
15 Beaufield Green
Maynooth

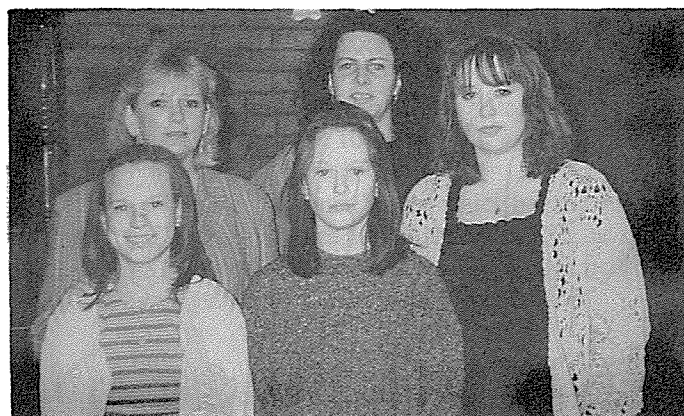
3rd.
Aileen Devaney
19 Greenfield Dr.
Maynooth

The Tender Touch Beauty Salon
Fiona Powell — Authorised Salon for Academie, Paris
Centre Point Shopping Mall, Maynooth
Phone: 628 9731
I.T.E.C., C.I.B.T.E.C., C.I.D.E.S.C.O. DIP.
Including Slendertone to reduce inches
G.S. to break down cellulite
Back & Body Massage
Facials, Bio Peeling, Eye Care, Aromatherapy,
Waxing, Nail Care, Make-up and Super Turbo Sunbed
This month's special: Leg Waxing Course.
Six leg waxes for the price of five.

MICK'S CABS
RELIABLE SERVICE
PHONE: 088 663032

Features

CONFIRMATION TWINS



*Confirmation Twins, Aisling and Stacey McMechan
with family and friends*



*Brian and Andrew Lynch after making their
confirmation*

GARDA TALK

Holidays

As we approach the holiday period once again, we would appeal to householders to make contact with a trustworthy neighbour to keep a watchful eye on their residence while the house is vacant. It is imperative to notify the Gardai of the period of absence, and leave a contact number where a keyholder may be contacted. Follow these simple guidelines:

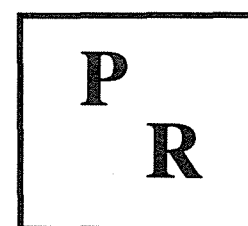
- 1) Lock all windows.
- 2) Don't hide keys, leave a spare with a friend.
- 3) Cancel milk and papers. Have a neighbour collect flyers from door.
- 4) Lock up ladders and tools.
- 5) Consider a timing device for activation of lights at night.
- 6) Examine access to side of house. Fit a side gate with locks.

Again we make a special appeal to all residents to report suspicious activity to Gardai. Thank you to all the concerned residents who have taken the time and trouble to ring us. Please ring us immediately if you observe anything which you feel uncomfortable about or find suspicious in any way.

Phone No. Maynooth Garda Station — 01 6286234.
Naas Garda Station — 045 897333.

GEARÓID SPEECHLESS

The family and friends of Gearóid McTernan held a surprise party for him in the G.A.A. Club on Thursday the 18th April to celebrate his 80th birthday. A great night was had by one and all with special visits from his sister Chris (Ballinamore), brother Cathal (Dublin) and Fr. Paul, formerly based in Maynooth. One close relative said it was the first time they had seen Gearóid "Stuck for words" in his state of shock when the surprise was sprung upon him. At the end of the night Gearóid said "I hope the 90th is as good" as he gave his rendition of "Sean South of Garryowen".



**PAT REID
& CO. LTD.**

Laragh, Maynooth
Tel. 01 - 628 6508
Mobile: 088 - 575590

Washing Machines • Dishwashers
Electric Cookers • Tumble Driers
Vacuum Cleaners • Kettles, etc.

REPAIRS & SERVICE

GARDEN WORLD GARDEN CENTRE

Come to the Garden Centre with a difference

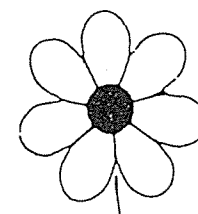
THE SQUARE, MAYNOOTH

TEL: 6289465

Back open 7 days a week

Opening Hours:

Monday-Friday 10.00-5.00
Saturday 10.30-5.00
Sunday 2.00-5.30



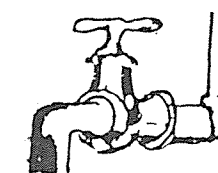
- Trees and Shrubs
- Suttons Seeds
- Shamrock Products
- Wicklow Wood Products
- Summer Bulbs
- Roke's Stoneware
- Alpines and Perennials

SPECIAL OFFERS

"We have time to serve you"

PLUMBING AND HEATING

- 24-HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE
- CENTRAL HEATING (OIL & GAS)



- BOILER SERVICING
- ELECTRIC SHOWERS
- FREE ESTIMATES

For excellent value and professional services:

DECLAN GILICK, 13 Rockfield Park, Maynooth
Telephone: 6289926 Mobile 088 671000

THREE PIN ELECTRICAL

Stockists of a wide range of electrical appliances

WE ALSO STOCK SPARE PARTS FOR

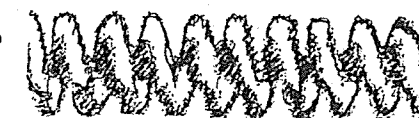
- Washing machines
- Vacuum cleaners
- Cookers
- Tumble dryers
- Dishwashers, etc.

DOMESTIC APPLIANCE REPAIR SERVICE

**We repair and guarantee washing
machines, vacuum cleaners, cookers, etc.**

NOW OPEN AT

**The Square, Maynooth,
Co. Kildare.**
Tel/Fax: (01) 6291106



Features

MAYNOOTH POST PRIMARY PARENT/TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Supper Dance Success

Over 200 persons attended a very successful Fund Raising Supper Dance in aid of Maynooth Post Primary Parent/Teacher Association. The function was held in the new school hall; a venue which provided the organising committee with some challenges and opportunities. Challenges in that alcohol could not be sold and smoking was not permitted under regulations. These challenges were turned, by the organising committee, into opportunities in that some people attended because there was no smoking permitted and for those who desired alcohol, they came prepared with their own supply.



Seamus and Josephine O'Connor opposite Pauline and Edward McCarthy, at the Post Primary Supper Dance

The cold supper, consisting of a selection of meats, fish (including salmon), rice, dressed vegetable etc. were provided by an external catering service. The tea, coffee, and biscuits, which were extra, were provided by the hard working committee. Everyone had plenty to eat and was impressed with the quality and quantity. The surplus food was kindly distributed within the community.

The dancing was enjoyed by all to music by Roots. As the event was a Fund Raising activity, with a social element included, many parents chose to contribute to the fund by purchasing a ticket for £5 although they did not attend. Any parents who would still like to contribute to the Parent/Teacher Association may do so by contacting any committee member or by returning the slip at the end of the notice, which your child received on the last day of school before Easter, to the school marked F.A.O. Mr. T. Ashe, Principal.

The committee, consisting of 18 dedicated Parents plus Teacher representatives, believe that the role of the Maynooth Post Primary Parent/Teacher Association is a very important one. Your support is always welcome. Motto "Investing in our Children's Future".

Dermot Nangle, Chairman

Advertisement Rates of Maynooth Newsletter

Full Page£55.00
Half Page£30.00
Third Page£22.00
6cm x 8.5 cm . . .£16.00

(Classified £4 for 25 words
16p per word thereafter)

20% Discount:
Paid in advance for 6 months or more

10% Discount:
New Business 1st Ad.

LUCAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Summer School

Bookings are still being taken for Lucan Community College Language Summer School which takes place during the month of July. The four week programme is aimed at Leaving Certificate students who are studying French and German, and both Leaving Cert and Junior Cert students in the case of Irish. The emphasis will be on oral and aural as well as written. There will be a terminal examination and a certificate awarded showing results achieved.

The cost of the course is £100.00. Application forms and further information are available from the College. Tel: 6282077 (office hours). Tel: 4591567 and 6271094 (after office hours).

See more of the world with Skylet Road sunglasses from *Carl Zeiss*

The very latest in sunglass lens technology brings you . . .

. . . outstanding contrast
. . . natural colour rendition
. . . full UV protection
. . . greatly reduced glare
. . . resistance to breakage
. . . light weight

Ideal for motorists and sports enthusiasts, these truly astounding sunglasses provide optimum visual performance even in dazzling sunshine



Mullins & Henry
OPTOMETRISTS



9 Main Street, Leixlip
Co. Kildare 624 3964

Market House, Dublin Rd.
Maynooth 628 6606

12 The Village Centre
Lucan 6282062



Kinderland Fashion

FOR GREAT VALUE

A Wide Range Of Children's Clothes From
Newborn To Teens

Now In Stock

Zest - Steilman - and Peppermint Rock

TRADING IN CLANE (045-868387) AND KILCOCK (6284295)

Opening Hours 10.00 a.m. - 6.00 p.m. Monday-Saturday

Features - Poetry

CANAL BANK WALK

A phone rings in the middle of a field
And the daffodils stand to attention
The young fishermen wait
With bated breath
And the daffodils stand to attention
The swans flirt with elegant grace
And still the daffies stand
My friend the duck quacks amicably by
The daffodils stand to attention
The wind blows with threatened ferocity
The daffodils stand to attention
A young girl plays with her new dog
The daffodils guarding closely
I sit and write a man walks on
The daffodils stand to attention
A floating duck quacks amicably by
Pink bog roll flutters in the breeze
Birds sing; two magpies gleam
As I walk home
The yellow sentinels stand

Sarah O'Connor

My Garden

I reap my fortune of fertile soil
Growing vegetation at my pride
A garden full of my care and toil
With mother nature at my side
Soil a foundation of plant life
Growing trees and shrubs so well
Seedlings grow with little strife
My reward only time will tell
Seasons changing from year to year
Making my garden look its best
Winter time gradually comes near
Leaving growth barren and to rest
Spring time comes sprightly free
A careful time in life to grow
A busy time in the year for me
Sowing my seeds from row to row
When my garden is at full prime
I sit back and admire it so
Fortune of nature been all mine
As I helped it all to grow
My garden is part of me
That is life created by the sun
My enchanting garden forever to be
When my days are over and done.

Patrick Murray

THING MARK TWO

Augustus the different Duke
Displayed his familiar frown
The Romans never got to Maynooth
But Freddy made us a Roman town
Mr. N. Meagher with his haughty air
sold us a Modernist line
He built us a Thing with a Brutalist ring
And created a jax of renown
Next to the Left by manouvering deft
with financial forces from left over sources
They rendered that double-you-see down
Appeared the erection in search of perfection
Of four gorgeous holes surrounded by walls
Of blue burnished limestone with fossil and frieze on
A dee-eye-wye ruin or something to woo in?
Its function has yet to unfold

Is this invention Phil Brady's extension?
Or a fitness machine for the crew from Larine
Or Hanna's rebuke for authorities stroke
You cannot go in it without going through it
Perhaps it's an early Black Hole

The Courthouse was splendid
With the front in the end o' it
Till the Tans crossly tendered it
Could this be Hamar's Gallows?
Or the great axle bracket for Kavanagh's Big Wheel

A tourist from Chester in toga with vestir
Requested a quorum to meet at the Forum
To assess the fate of this Olympian Gate
We Romans will not come to rue in

If a limestone a day helps you work rest and play
With track and field football and swimming all zoned
And highways that meet at the point of this clone
Tis Maynooth for the two eight Olympics

Apol O'Dorus

NUZSTOP NEWSAGENTS

Main Street, Maynooth

Agents for Lotto • Lottery Cards • Call Cards
Stamps
Grocery • Confectionery
Large Selection of Cards, Toys
Fresh Sandwiches & Rolls Daily
Why not ring in your order ?
Phone: 628 6072

Opening Hours: Weekdays 7 a.m. - 9.30 p.m.
Sat. 8.30 a.m. - 9.00p.m. • Sun. 8.30 a.m. - 9.30p.m.

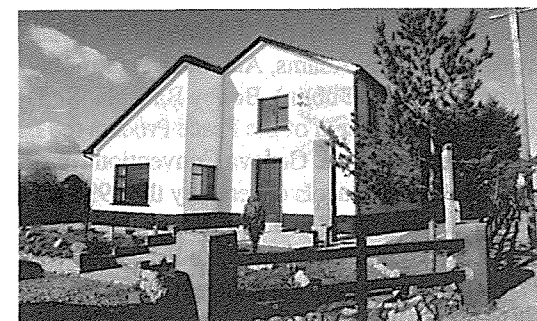
FRANCIS DAVEY AUCTIONEERS

BRIDGE STREET, KILCOCK, CO. KILDARE. Tel: (01) 6287238
Fax: (01) 6287930

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY
DELIGHTFUL 4 BED TWO STOREY COTTAGE ON C 1/2 ACRE
AT BALLINAKILL, ENFIELD, CO. MEATH.

This is an opportunity not to be missed!

Delightful 4 bedroom residence on circa
1/2 acre located c2 miles Enfield. Nicely
decorated and presented, this house has an
immediate welcoming feeling - one of
warmth and comfort. Accommodation
includes: porch/hall, kitchen, back hall, living
room, bathroom, laundry room, 4 bedrooms
and attic room.



NEW OFFICE SUITE TO LET IN KILCOCK
Contact Sale Agent

QUINNSWORTH *at your service*

Great range of food, wine & spirits

Free Delivery Service

Opening Hours: Mon-Wed 9a.m. - 6p.m.
Thurs & Fri 9a.m. - 9p.m.
Sat 9a.m. - 6p.m.

PHONE 6286321

SAOIRSE

SAOIRSE is the campaign to free all those from any side imprisoned due to the conflict in the six counties. SAOIRSE is open to those of any political persuasion. Sponsors of SAOIRSE include: Seán Haughey T.D., Eamon O Cúlv T.D., Sean Power T.D., Patricia McKenna T.D., Brian Crowley M.E.P., Gerry Adams, Ald. Sean Dublin Bay Loftus (Lord Mayor of Dublin), Bobby Ballagh. SAOIRSE demands that in the context of the Peace Process the British Government implement the Geneva Convention Amendment Act 1995. The two protocols covered by the 1995 act are:

1. Protocol 1 applies to 'armed conflict in which people are fighting against colonial domination and alien occupation, against racist regimes in the exercise of their right to self determination'. Combatants under this protocol are entitled to be treated as Prisoners of War, and therefore to be released at the end of the conflict.

2. Protocol II applies to 'armed conflicts which take place in the territory of a high contracting party between its armed forces and resident armed forces or other organised armed groups which, under responsible command exercise such control over a part of its territory as to enable them to carry out sustained and concerted military operations and to implement this protocol'.

Under Article 6: 'At the end of hostilities, the authorities in power shall endeavour to grant the broadest possible amnesty, so under it's terms, the prisoner, the state the prisoner is held in and the state to which the prisoner wishes to be transferred to must agree before any transfer can go ahead. In the case of Irish Republican Prisoners held in Britain, the Irish Government has indicated it's willingness to accept the prisoners, all the prisoners have applied for a transfer, but the British Government has yet to sanction even one transfer. This is in contrast to the U.S. Government, which transferred Michael Martin within six weeks of Irelands ratification. Pat Kelly's case is most urgent, given his medical condition, but it is important to note that all of these prisoners are legally entitled to a transfer under International Law.

Persons who have participated in the armed conflict, to those deprived of their liberty for reasons related to the armed conflict, whether they are interned or detained.'

Of Course the British Government still argues that it has no political prisoners and will say that these protocols do not apply to the Irish conflict.

A SAOIRSE group has been formed in Maynooth, and anyone interested in joining should contact this number: (01) 8727096.

We are planning to hold a White Line picket at the bridge in Celbridge on the 3rd May. All welcome, wear a Green Ribbon to show your support for political prisoners. The White Line picket is to show support for Irish Political Prisoner Pat Kelly.

THE PAT KELLY CASE

Taoiseach John Bruton, Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs Dick Spring, Fianna Fáil leader Bertie Ahern, Sinn Féin President Gerry Adams and P.D. Leader Mary Harney have all now called on the British Government to show compassion by transferring gravely ill republican prisoner Pat Kelly to Portlaoise prison.

Pat Kelly is suffering from cancer and may only have a short time to live. SAOIRSE is campaigning for his release to spend what time he has left with his family. Pat, who is from Laois, suffered a recurrence of skin cancer while in prison in England which worsened because of prolonged medical neglect. Although since transferred to Maghaberry Prison in the North, Pat is now in a very serious condition. His application for repatriation South of the Border to spend his remaining months close to his family has been turned down by the British Home Secretary Michael Howard.

During the latter part of his years in English prisons, Pat spent six months in Whitmoors prison special secure unit where, like in previous prisons, he was denied medical treatment. It was only after embarking on a protest and a top level intervention by Tánaiste Dick Spring that he was eventually allowed to see a specialist and was operated on last year. Throughout his time in hospital Pat was chained to a warder and surrounded by armed police. Afterwards Pat was returned to the inhumane conditions of Whitmoor Prison's high security special secure unit. It was soon discovered that the operation had not been a success. A specialist recommended further immediate surgery on a lump under his arm.

Pat was refused a transfer to Portlaoise prison which is six miles from his family home but was eventually moved to Maghaberry prison near Belfast last December. He was operated on again in mid January but accepts that his condition is terminal.

'I know that I am going to die' says Pat. 'What I require now is to get out of prison to spend time with my child and family'. Irish T.D.'s from across the party-political divide have been joined by U.S. Members of Congress and the Senate highlighting Pat's case and called on the British Government to show compassion. But as Pat's condition weakens, his transfer application still remains blocked by the British Home Secretary Michael Howard.

The International Convention on the Transfer of Sentenced Prisoners which the Irish Government officially ratified on 1st November 1995, entitles all Irish Prisoners serving sentences in countries which also are signatories to the convention to return home to serve the remainder of their sentences nearer their families.

CPL MOTOR FACTORS

MAIN STREET, MAYNOOTH, CO. KILDARE

TEL: (01) 6286628 / 6286301

PARTS AND ACCESSORIES FOR ALL MAKES OF CARS,



TRUCKS AND TRACTORS



BATTERIES, PLUGS, EXHAUSTS & BRAKE PADS

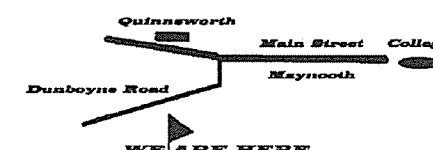
Maynooth Pitch & Putt

Dunboyne Road. Tel: 01 628 5233



18 Hole Course

18 Hole Course



2 Minutes walk from Main Street
Award winning course
Venue for '95 County Finals
Open all day everyday
Everything for hire
No two holes the same



18 Hole Course

18 Hole Course

MAYNOOTH CARPET CENTRE

MAYNOOTH SHOPPING CENTRE, DUBLIN ROAD, MAYNOOTH. 01-6290261

- CARPET AND VINYL SPECIALISTS
- EXTENSIVE SELECTION OF CARPETS AND VINYLs
- QUALITY DOMESTIC AND CONTRACTS
- OUR PRICES INCLUDE FITTING AND UNDERLAY
- BEDS AND BEDROOM FURNITURE
- CURTAINS MADE TO MEASURE



LET US GIVE YOU A FREE ESTIMATE FOR A PROFESSIONAL FITTING
10% DISCOUNT ON ALL BEDROOM FURNITURE
ALSO A SELECTION OF BARGAIN OFF CUTS

OPENING HOURS MONDAY - SATURDAY 9.30a.m.-6.00p.m. LATE NIGHT FRIDAY TILL 9.00p.m.

Features

SCOIL UI FHIAICH

Scéalta ó Ghaelscoil Mhaigh Nuad

Bhí an chéad oíche sóisialta againn le gairid, oíche mór ceol agus damhsa. Tháinig slua mór ceolteoirí go dtí an gclubáras oíche Dé hAoine ab 12 d' Aibreán. Bhain gach éinne taitneamh ón gceol agus bhí an-oíche againn.

Parents and friends of Scoil Uí Fhiaich recently enjoyed a fun filled night of traditional music and dance. This first social outing of Maynooth's Ghaelscoil was held on 12 April in The G.A.A.'s clubáras on the Moyglare Road. The event was organised by Cairde Scoil Uí Fhiaich, the scoil's parents coiste who look after the scoil's fundraising. All concerned gave of their time and talents to this worthy venture, which will secure a permanent place for the Irish language and a cultural enrichment for the town of Maigh Nuad.

The coiste wish to thank the 'meitheal mór ceoilteoirí', who made the night a great success. Ina measc bhí ár Jonathan Meade agus Ger Scanlon féin, nár leagadh Dia do stór a Phaddy agus Bríd binn an bodhrán Furlong, Peadair O Briain is raidhse aoi-cheolteoirí. We wish to say a mfile buíochas to our sponsors for the night:-

Michael Tennyson; Mill Tavern, Maigh Nuad; Hutton & Meade motor's, Portland St. North Circular Rd. B.A.C.; Jean's Foodstore, Moyglare Village. Máire Ní Ghúil, Maigh Nuad.

We greatly appreciate the support of mhuintir Mhaigh Nuad and look forward to your continued support in the future.

The Coiste Chomhairle/Advisory committee organised a meeting of all parents with children enroled in the scoil up to the year 2001, on Thursday the 25th April in the G.A.A.'s clubáras, Moyglare Rd. The meeting was chaired by Noel ó Raghallaigh who outlined the key issues to be addressed in the formulation of a scoil policy. The parents were then addressed by Ger Scanlon who advised on a school code of discipline, and school ethos. The assembled participants broke into workshops and the views of the parents documented by each group's secretary. The coiste chomhairle are currently collating all the views which will form the scoil's policy.

This scoil policy together with a brief history and a list of our sponsors will be published and available as a souvenir booklet prior to our opening day 2/ September 1996.

Beir bua agus beannacht.

Noel O Raghailigh Betty O'Hare Jonathan Meade
Coiste Chomhairle Cairde Scoil Uí Fhiaich Ofigeach
Chaidrimh Phoiblí

STREET TALK

New Electrical Store

Trim-Kiltale partnership of Mark Farrelly and Gerard Murphy start business at the Square, Maynooth. Mr. Farrelly has worked for years in Leonards' Hardware, Trim. Their new electrical store puts the emphasis on servicing and if they can't fix whatever it is; they'll sell you another one! They also hope to eventually stock a good selection of CD's and tapes for all you music lovers out there.

New Doctor in Glenroyal Complex

Originally from Cork, Dr. Dennis Gaffney has ten years previous experience in Edinburgh, Scotland. However, having worked in the Maynooth-Leixlip area in the past, Dr. Gaffney hankered after a private practice in this location close to the suburbs of Dublin. Dr. Gaffney hopes to incorporate a women's surgery with the help of two local nurses.

Paddy Power's Bookies open in Glenroyal Complex

A new bookies will open in the Glenroyal Shopping Mall on Wednesday 17th April.

Hair Craft

Mill Lane, Kilcock

By Dorothy

Ph: 628 4099

Opening Hours 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Tues. to Sat.

Late Night Thursday 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

The Specialists in cutting, perming and colouring in your area.

Appointments not always necessary.

Gift Tokens available

**£5 off Deep Heat
Conditioning Treatment**

Tues. to Thurs. to end of May

BARRY'S NEWSAGENTS

Newsagents - Tobacconist - Confectioners

Telephone: 628 5730

Selection of Lighters • Stationery

Parker Pens • Gift Ware

Cooked Meats a Speciality

CIE Commuter Tickets Weekly, Monthly

Student Monthly & Family One Day

Opening Hours: 6 a.m. - 10 p.m. Mon - Sat.

6 a.m. - 9.30 p.m. Sunday

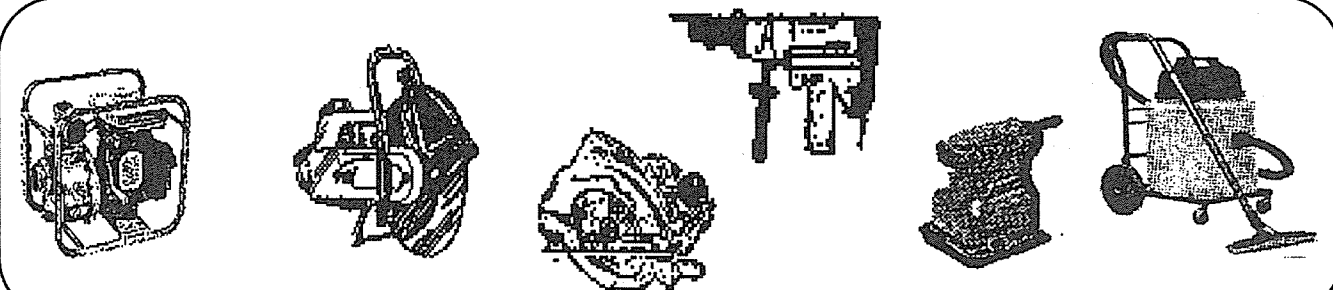
MAYNOOTH HIRE

Mill Street, Maynooth. Tel. 6290100

Specialists in

HIRE - SALES AND REPAIRS

You Require it - We Hire it!



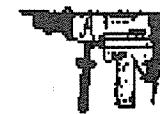
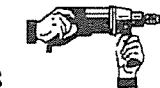
FOR TRADE, INDUSTRY & DIY

- BUILDING • DECORATING • CLEANING
- GARDENING • HEATING & ACCESS EQUIPMENT
- DELIVERY & FULL BACK-UP SERVICE

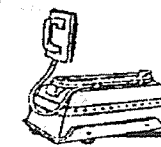
We Hire

BUILDERS' EQUIPMENT

DIESEL - PETROL - ELECTRIC
CEMENT MIXERS
SMALL - LARGER REVERSIBLE
PLATE
COMPACTORS
CONCRETE SAWS
SMALL - LARGE VIBRATING
ROLLERS
DEMOLITION HAMMERS
CORE DRILL
ROADCUTTING SAW
PILE DRIVERS
TRANSFORMERS
GENERATORS
TYRLON GUNS
ANGLE GRINDERS
CONCRETE BREAKERS
JIGSAW
TILE CUTTERS
FLOOR SANDERS
WATER PUMPS
ROAD COMPRESSORS
CHASING HAMMERS
MINI DIGGERS
ORBITAL SANDERS



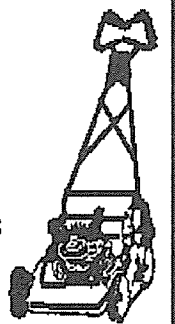
PAINT SPRAYERS &
COMPRESSORS
ASSORTED LADDERS
MINI GRINDERS
STAR ROLLER
WATER PUMPS
RIP SAW
ALLOY SCAFFOLDING
DE-HUMIDIFIERS
MOBILE WELDERS
SPACE HEATERS
FLOOD LIGHTS
BLOW TORCHES
CAR TRAILERS
POWER WASHERS
INDUSTRIAL VACUUMS
POWER FLOATS



D.I.Y.

WALLPAPER STRIPPER
CARPET CLEANER
MINI DIGGERS
ALLOY SCAFFOLDING
TRESTLES
CAR TRAILERS
STEAM CLEANERS

POWER WASHERS
GENERATORS
ANGLE GRINDERS
LADDERS
BELT SANDERS
ORBITAL SANDERS
FLOOR SANDERS
TILE CUTTERS
BLOW TORCHES
TYRLON GUNS
DEMOLITION HAMMERS



GARDEN EQUIPMENT

DOMESTIC & COMMERCIAL
LAWNMOWERS
HEDGE TRIMMERS
GARDEN ROLLERS
STRIMMERS
BRUSH CUTTERS
SEED SOWERS
FERTILIZER SPREADERS
POWER WASHING
ROTOVATORS
KNAPSACK SPRAYERS
MINI DIGGERS
LAWN SCARIFIERS
PILE DRIVERS

SALES

• OPEN 6 DAYS •

REPAIRS

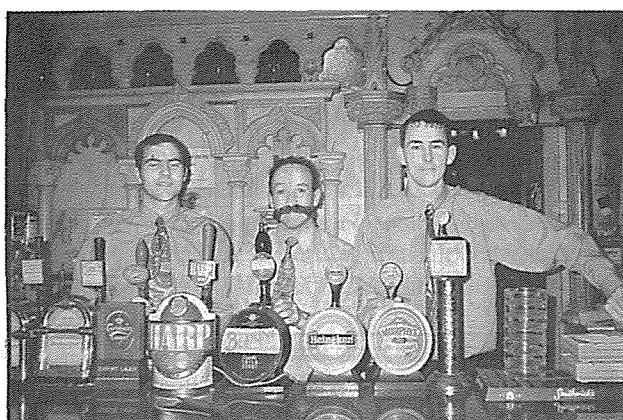
Features

HOME TO ROOST

Unless you've just returned from far away places or have just come out of winter hibernation, you can't have helped but notice that there are changes taking place in The Roost.

Since St. Patrick's weekend the pub has been under new management.

The new owners Louis and Helen Fitzgerald of the Fitzgerald Group, who also own The Poitín Stíl, Palmerstown House and The Big Tree to name but a few, bought the premises from Noel and Ann Cassidy as they saw a market open for expansion within a growing community.



Stuart Brennan, Paddy O'Brien, Manager, and Eddie Fitzgerald, Head Barman, all prepared to make you feel at home in the Roost

The new manager Paddy O'Brien and head barman Henry Carthy and Eddie Fitzgerald along with other bar and floor staff are steering The Roost into a new era with their friendliness and efficiency.

There have been noticeable changes taking place. There are a team of floor staff who, before you give them your order, have your drink brought down to you with speed and a friendly smile!

There are new drinking products available and a cocktail hour when you can purchase two cocktails for the price of one.

There is a big screen in the lounge and a T.V. in the bar where customers can watch the big matches and videos. According to Eddie Fitzgerald this is in keeping with the Fitzgerald Group's policy of expanding services for customers.

One of the biggest changes to have taken place has been the introduction of music and gigs on the premises. The Roost will have gigs at weekends and just last month the Guinness Jazz Band played to a packed venue.

The management also welcome impromptu musicians and traditional seisiúins. So if you've got a lilt in your voice and can play an instrument why not get together with a group for some craic in The Roost. You're more than welcome and Eddie says if you're good enough you might even get a pint!

There are also long term plans in the pipeline for expanding The Roost but these are well under wraps. One thing's for sure, there's a lot happening in The Roost and you'll be guaranteed a night's craic should you pop in!

"CONTINENTAL CHARM IN MILL STREET"

On the 19th April, The Orange Tree, the latest addition to Maynooth's bevy of restaurants had its official opening. C.K.R. broadcast live from the location behind the Mill Wine Cellar, Mill Street, Maynooth. The sun shone warmly on the proprietors as they had their photos taken in the beautifully renovated gardens. They plan to use these gardens as a focus for summer dining and indeed if the weather on the day was anything to go by business should be blooming before long.



L-R: Kathryn O'Toole, Tommy Greene, CKR Radio; Sandra Eglinton, Gillian O'Connor and James McCutcheon, Orange Tree staff.

The premises are a credit to the designers, Suzanne McCutcheon and Hildagarde Crimmins. The interior walls are bare stone and the seating arrangements are comfortable and relaxed, with a warm and inviting colour scheme. Mr. McCutcheon wanted to create an ambience redolent of laughter and laid back enjoyment. I think he has achieved this goal admirably. I am looking forward to dining here in the very near future!

The restaurant caters for occasions of every description: communions, weddings, and outdoor dining. The proprietors hope to concentrate on outside catering for parties or receptions. On this afternoon, the grand prize was home catering for a party of six complete with champagne and waiter service. The draw took place between 3.30p.m. and 4p.m. live on C.K.R.

The menu has a distinctly continental flavour which seems guaranteed to satisfy customers. There is an a la carte menu available from Tuesday to Saturday and set lunch menus, all of which had my mouth watering as I browsed through them. I feel sure that anyone dining in The Orange Tree will be treated not so much as a client, but as a welcome guest.

THE ROOST

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Best Drinks

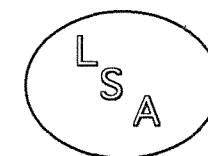
Food served daily

Live Music

on

Bank Holiday Saturday 4th, Sunday 5th & Monday 6th May

LS
AUTOS



Ballygoran, Maynooth, Co. Kildare.

Telephone: (01) 6285532. Fax: (01) 6286777

1994 - Legacy Estate
1994 - Subaru Imprezza (Saloon)
1994 - Subaru Imprezza (Sports Wagon)
1994 - Subaru Vivio 4WD
1993 - Subaru Imprezza 4 X 4
1993 - Peugeot 106
1992 - Suzuki ALTO
1992 - Sunny Diesel
1990 - Legacy Saloon
1989 - Renault 5 Diesel
1988 - Leone 1.6
1987 - Sierra 2.0
1987 - Kadett 1.6 Diesel
1987 - V.W. Passat Diesel
1987 - Sunny Diesel
1987 - Opel Kadett



MAIN
SUBARU
DEALER

FULL RANGE OF 2WD
AND 4WD MODELS IN
STOCK

Panel Beating - Spray Painting - Servicing
Modern Chassis Alignment Equipment - Car Sales

24 HOUR RECOVERY SERVICE - TEL. 088-572726

Features

VIDEO REVIEW

Apollo 13 (P.G.)

Starring Tom Hanks, Kevin Bacon and Bill Paxton in the true story of the Apollo 13 Moon Mission in 1970. From 205,000 miles out in space comes the now-famous radio message "Houston, we have a problem", and so begins the race against time to bring the three man crew, led by Jim Lovell (Tom Hanks), back to Earth. Those of you who remember the incident will know the outcome, but that won't take away from your enjoyment of what is an excellent film. Well acted, well directed and the attention to detail is terrific; What can I say!? This is a brilliant movie and well worth two and a quarter hours of anyone's time. Highly recommended.

Clueless (12)

Cher (Alicia Silverstone) is sixteen, wealthy (naturally), gorgeous and, like all sixteen year olds, knows everything as do all her oh so beautiful friends. Everyone has perfect MacLeans smiles, perfect hairstyles, perfect California tans, and they are all perfectly shallow. Set in Beverley Hills (where else?) with a plot that would insult anyone with an I.Q. in double figures, this film is absolute rubbish. In fact clueless as a title is so apt to describe this miserable offering. If I knew where the producer and director lived, I'd go around and make a citizen's arrest on the grounds of disturbing me while I am doing more interesting things like watching the dog moult. Rubbish. Don't bother. Take up train spotting...

Casper (P.G.)

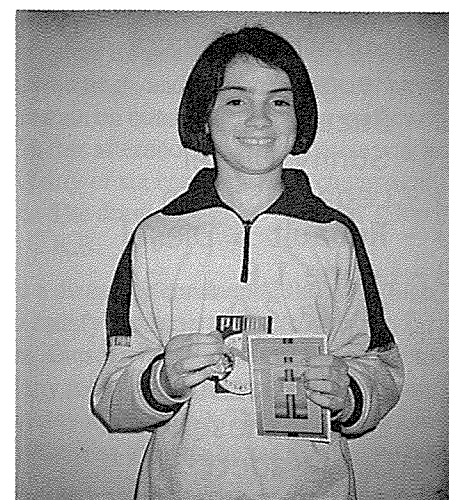
Casper the Friendly Ghost (remember the old comics?) is the basis for this film, which is not all that bad. It seems to be aimed specifically at children but adults will enjoy it just the same. It's just harmless fun; Casper and his three uncles - Stretch, Stinkie and Fatso cause all sorts of problems for little Kat Harvey and her father who is a "Ghost Therapist". The special effects are computer generated and are excellent, as is the whole film, but remember: adults must be accompanied by a child!

The Write Stuff

A pupil from the Presentation Convent School, in Maynooth has won second place in the 5th/6th class category, at the Kildare Regional Final in the I.N.T.O. Handwriting Competition.

Orlaith Tobin aged 11 from Railpark is in 5th class at the school. She received her prize of a silver medal and a £10 book token at a reception held in the E.B.S. office in Athy on Tuesday 2nd April.

The competition has been running for three years and is sponsored by the E.B.S.



J.W. Mulhern & Co.

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

B. MULHERN, B. Comm. F.C.A.

- Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors
- Fees discussed before any assignment
- Insolvency & Management Consultants

13/14 South Main Street, Naas, Co. Kildare
Tel. (045) 866535/866521 (01) 6286751
Fax: (045) 866521

RICHARD'S HARDWARE

DUBLIN RD., CELBRIDGE, CO. KILDARE

TEL: 6288545 • 6271529

SUPPLIERS OF CEMENT, SAND, GRAVEL
PLASTERBOARD, TIMBER, PLYWOOD,
FELT, INSULATION AND PLUMBING
MATERIALS

OPENING HOURS MON - FRI 9.00 - 5.30

SATURDAY 9.00 - 1.30

OPEN DURING LUNCH

MAYNOOTH PHOTO CENTRE

MAYNOOTH PHOTO CENTRE • DUBLIN ROAD • MAYNOOTH Tel: 628 5607

FREE 8X6 Enlargement with every Communion Film Developed

We Process Every Type of Film - Better!

MUCH BETTER COLOUR

MUCH BETTER DEFINITION

Superb Quality Fuji Film Processing

And if you have any problem with your camera

We can help - Just Ask!

We also offer a complete

Framing Service

Any Size or Colour

For Prints, Oils or Water Colours

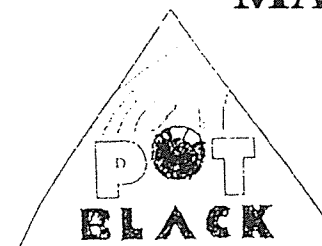
Call for a very competitive quotation

Every Film processed comes with Album

MAYNOOTH SNOOKER HALL MAIN STREET MAYNOOTH

12 SNOOKER TABLES

£3 per Hour



3 Super League Pool Tables
Improve Your Game



Coaching Available From Ireland's Top Coach

Helen's

Hair

Athlone

NEWTOWN SHOPPING CENTRE

MAYNOOTH

Phone No. 01 - 6289693

Ladies and Gents

THE NEW DIGITAL CONTROLLED TURBO SUNBED

Book now for that Healthy Glow

Last Month of Special Offer £25 for 10 sessions

1st year Apprentice Required

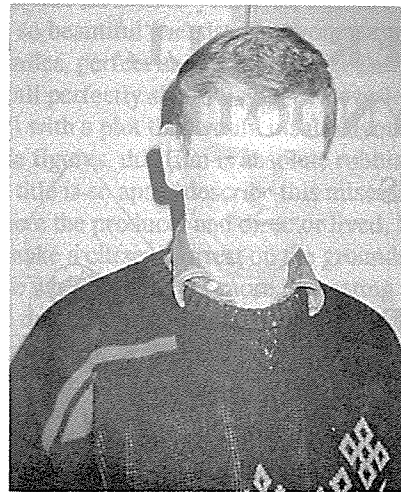


THE WORD ON THE STREET

The new Development Plan for Maynooth is currently on display in the local library. It is there for all residents to view and anyone wishing to lodge a submission with the County Council may do so, before 25th May.

There has been a lot of reaction to the plan especially in relation to the three areas where major rezoning is to take place, Carton Avenue, Celbridge Road and Moyglare Road.

We sent two of our roving reporters out to put their ear to the ground and find out what the word on the street is to the Development Plan.



Ollie Bright from Kingsbry, Maynooth, "there has been enough residential development"

Ollie Bright from Kingsbry, pictured above, took time out to tell us he was against the proposed developments for Carton Avenue. According to Ollie, there has been enough residential development. The "look" of Carton Avenue would be destroyed if the plan is to go ahead.

Adrian Byrne from Lucan and Michael Farrell from Straffan had very strong opinions against the developments at Carton. Adrian Byrne said that it would change a "green environment into a grey environment". Michael Farrell felt it would be disgraceful not to maintain a "green belt" up at Carton Avenue and if development goes ahead we will end up with a "concrete jungle".

One very vociferous local man had a lot to say on the matter. He firmly believed in all the proposed developments and he was very adamant that such developments should continue in Maynooth.

Billy Higgins, a security guard in the College, felt that

Carton Avenue should be left undeveloped, as Maynooth will end up being over populated but with very little amenities.

These are just some of the reactions to the plan. Remember



Adrian Byrne from Lucan and Michael Farrell from Straffan had very strong opinions against the developments at Carton.

it's your town and your environment- so find out more about the plan and if you're not happy with it then get in contact with your local councillor.

*Complete Accountancy Service Available
No Assignment too Big or too Small*

Personal Attention of Qualified Accountant
VAT • PAYE • Ledgers • Costing
Stock Control • Annual Accounts • Returns
Cash Flow • Budgets etc.

Contact
MICHAEL GLEESON, FCMA

5 Straffan Way, Maynooth
Tel. 628 5246



Extra copies of this page are available in the Community Council Office.

NAME _____ AGE _____

ADDRESS _____

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE ORIGINAL WORK OF ENTRANTS.

This category of the colouring competition is for 4-12 year olds.
Closing date for receipt of entries is 17th May by 5 p.m.

Party Political

MAYNOOTH LABOUR PARTY NOTES

Carton Avenue Action Group

At a meeting chaired by Minister Emmet Stagg and held in the Glenroyal Hotel on March 20th, the Carton Avenue Action Group was formed.

We wish them well in their work to reverse the decision by Kildare County Councillors to zone the lands adjacent to Carton Avenue from Green Belt to Housing, Industry and Green Belt. We offer them our full support in the campaign.

Discretionary Grants

Following representations by Cllr. John McGinley and Minister Emmet Stagg we are pleased to announce that the following amounts have been agreed for road improvements in the Maynooth area.

- 1.- £160,000:- Celbridge Road from the junction with Straffan Road up to the new bridge over the Motorway.
- 2.- £25,000:- Traffic calming measures in Parson Street. The details will be agreed with the County Engineer at our meeting on the 10th May.
- 3.- Carton Court Estate:- Pot-hole repairs and complete surface dressing.
- 4.- Cluain Aoibhinn:- As with Carton Court £14,000 between the two estates.
- 5.- Leinster Cottages,
No's 11 to 18 :- Surface dressing.
- 6.- Moyglare Road:- £23,000 to continue road improvements up to Anne's Bridge and footpath up to the Nursing Home.
- 7.- Dunboyne Road:- £6,000 for setting back the kerb and widening. This work to be carried out only when the heavy traffic has been successfully diverted to the Blacklion Road.
- 8.- O'Neill Park:- Footpath improvements.
- 9.- £40,000:- Barberstown - Maynooth Road. A holding exercise until a proper job is carried out, hopefully in 1997.
- 10.- £55,000:- To reconstruct and resurface the road from Taghadoe Cross to Ladychapel.
- 11.- £16,000:- Surface dressing at Ladychapel on Main Road to Rathcoffey.

Greenfield Drive/Carton Court

On the proposal of Cllr. John McGinley the following was included in the Maynooth Draft Development Plan:-

"Ensure that existing cul-de-sacs in Greenfield Drive and Carton Court are retained as such and are not used as vehicular access points to adjoining lands to the south."

Newtown Road to Straffan Road Link Road

Cllr. John McGinley proposed and had the following included in the Maynooth Draft Development Plan:-

"Build in passive traffic calming measures along the proposed new road connecting Straffan Road to Meadowbrook."

New Public Car Park

The County Engineer has been requested by Cllr. John McGinley to provide public lighting in the new car park and at the pedestrian exit on Doctor's Lane.

Gardai to attend Meeting

Maynooth Gardai have been invited to attend the next meeting of the Area Committee on the 10th May to discuss enforcement of by-laws and issues such as vandalism and crime.

Blocked Shores at Newtown

Bord Gais Eireann advised Minister Emmet Stagg that they would meet with officials from Kildare County Council with a view to clearing the blocked shores at Newtown.

This problem should now be resolved.

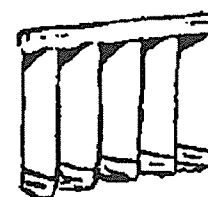
Tony Smith Memorial Walk

The Tony Smith Memorial Walk in Aid of Maynooth Senior Citizens Committee will be held on Sunday May 12th at 3.00 p.m.
We thank the people of Maynooth for their continued support.

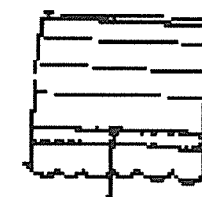
Pound Park

Councillor John McGinley has asked the County Engineer to carry out the following work:-

- 1.- Restore fencing at the river as there is a serious danger to children.
- 2.- Replace the three silver birch trees removed by S.I.A.C.
- 3.- Sow grass seed where required.
- 4.- Remove the work cabin from the park.



DENIS MALONE BLINDS



**Your Local Blindmaker
Factory Prices
Over 20 Years Experience**

**BLINDMAKERS LIMITED
COOLDRINAGH, LEIXLIP.**

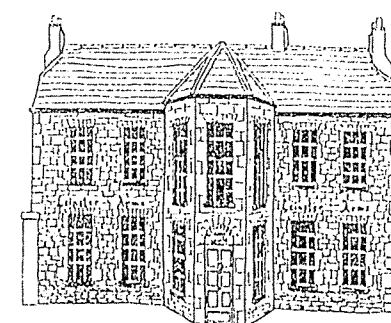
Phone: 6210100 Anytime

Mobile: 088 539628

We manufacture top quality Roller, Venetian and Vertical, Blackout, Velux, Conservatory and new Type Wood Venetian Blinds.
Also Blinds made from your own Curtain Material.
Full Repair Service to all types.
Have your old roller blind reversed.

THE LEINSTER ARMS MAYNOOTH

Live Music Every
Thursday and Sunday Nights
Promotion Nights with D.J Don
Every Tuesday Night



MUCKY PUPS DOG GROOMING



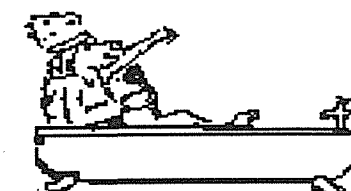
Clipping, Trimming

Hand Stripping



Shampooing
Ears, Nails, etc.

**Phone (evenings for appointments)
045-869196 - ask for TONI
Baltracey, Donadea**



SINN FEIN NOTES

Dublin West By-Election

Sinn Fein members from the Maynooth area participated in the recent Dublin-West By-Election campaign gaining valuable experience in electioneering. The result of this By-Election, with 56% of votes cast for anti-government socialist candidates, sent a clear message to the two so-called socialist parties currently in government. Only 44% of the electorate turned out to vote, indicating a massive alienation with the political process.

The double taxation of water charges was central to this By-Election not only as the issue around which militant Labour candidate Joe Higgins battered the Labour party but also because it demonstrates the hypocrisy of the two "left-wing" parties in the Dáil.

Even a cursory glance at back issues of the "Maynooth Newsletter" will confirm this. Take for example Labour party notes of April 1988;

"At a recent meeting the Maynooth branch re-affirmed its total opposition to local charges and all members were very critical of the increased level of charges imposed by the Council. Addressing the meeting both Emmet Stagg T.D. and Cllr. Colm Purcell outlined the cynical way in which Fianna Fáil had handled the issue at Council level. It was pointed out that despite Fianna Fáil promises to abolish local charges both before the 1985 local elections and again before last year's general election, the level of charges had, in fact, increased by 250% since Fianna Fáil gained control of the Council three years ago. Both councillors stated that they were confident that voters would remember Fianna Fáil's treachery and would not be conned on this issue again."

It is U-turns like this, as well as the various scandals, which have created a massive alienation from the establishment parties and indeed from the political system itself. However, indifference and apathy never changed anything and change is possible. Anyone wishing to forge a radical socialist alternative to the bankruptcy of Fianna Fáil and Fine Gael and to the treachery of Labour and the Democratic Left should contact Sinn Fein at (01) 8734931.

Are Sinn Fein not just another version of 'vote for me'? No, Sinn Fein's approach to politics is centred on campaigns rather than elections. I would urge anyone, Sinn Fein supporter or otherwise who wishes to make a difference to

issues such as service charges, unemployment, housing, etc.... to contact the above number and help form a community response to the problems the people of Maynooth face. You cannot sell yourself out.

Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Equality

Following the introduction of a new policy document on Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Equality at our Ard Féis, we have decided to make contact with the Lesbian and Gay Society in St. Patrick's College with a view to helping them combat the unjust discrimination and hostility they face.

Fine Gael Community News - A comment
I note with interest the production of a local newsletter by Fine Gael, which details the budget's social welfare increases and informs us that Minister Durkan is in the Roost at 4.30 every Saturday. I would urge all those who are on Unemployment Assistance to go there and personally thank Minister Durkan for increasing assistance to £62.40 from £60.40. This has made a substantial difference to the lives of many of the victims of years of government vandalism.



Weight Watchers Slim & Trim '96

See results fast - it's never been easier

1 Phibsboro Road, Dublin 7. Tel: 830 6665, 8306511 Fax: 830-3160

*Our new programme is faster and more efficient
than ever before!*

*Designed to suit your lifestyle - it is easy to follow with
over 125 delicious meals that all the family will love.*

Special Offer

JOIN OR REJOIN FOR ONLY £6.00
SAVE £ 2.50

NEW OPENING: MAY 2

Maynooth: Boys National School, Thursday 7.00 p.m.

OTHER CLASSES IN THIS AREA

CELBRIDGE Community Centre, The Mill, Wednesday 7.00 p.m., Thurs 10.00 a.m.

KILCOCK Scoil Dara, Tuesday 7.30 p.m.

LEIXLIP Scoil Mhuire, Tuesday 6.00 p.m. & 7.30 p.m.

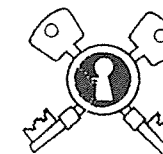
LUCAN Spa Hotel, Tuesday 9.30 a.m., Thursday 6.00 p.m. & 7.30 p.m.

Professional Locksmith Services Limited

Over 18 years experience

Locksmiths & Safe Engineers — Covering the Leinster Region

Telephone (01) 6284036 Mobile 088 630870



- Intercom Systems & Access Controls
- Electric Locks
- Master Key Systems
- Safes, Filing Cabinets repaired & serviced
- All types of locks, supplied & fitted
- Repairs to Aluminium Door Locks

May Offer

5 lever Deadlock
Supplied & Fitted £35

CAUFIELD'S

MAIN STREET MAYNOOTH PH: 628 6208

Bar

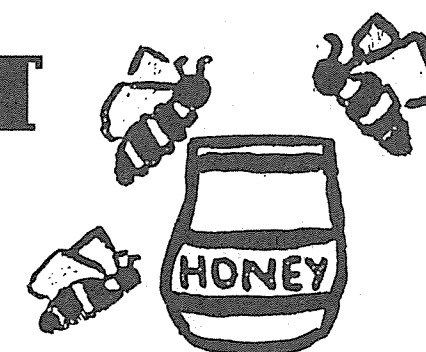
Lounge

Food Served Daily

TOASTED SANDWICHES / SOUP & ROLLS / TEA & COFFEE

Friendly Staff & Service

THE HONEY POT PLAYSCHOOL



Book Now for September

Monday to Thursday 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. Children 2½ to 4 years

Call Alison at 628 6187, 79 Rail Park

GAA NOTES

U/13 Football: North Kildare League:

Carbury 5-5; Maynooth 4-7

A very understrength Maynooth team travelled to Carbury on Saturday, March 23rd, and in a very entertaining game were unlucky not to take both points. The fact that Maynooth could only field ten players against twelve for the opposition speaks highly of the team. Every player ran himself to a standstill and they led by six points midway through the second half. However, Carbury put in a strong finish and with the last kick of the game scored the winning point. It was rough justice on Maynooth, who held the upper hand for most of the game but missed too many chances in the second half. However, the most worrying aspect was the fact that only ten players turned up for the match. Best for Maynooth were Pierre Ennis, Patrick O'Rourke, Morgan Sweeney, Peter Sheehan, Joseph Brennan, Fergus Devereux and Donal Houlihan. Brian Downey, Stephen Curran and David Redmond also played their part. Scorers: P. O'Rourke 1-4, P. Ennis, 1-2, M. Sweeney 1-1, P. Sheehan 1-0.

Junior Football League Division 3C

Maynooth 2-11; Leixlip 0-4

Maynooth's third team got their season off to a good start with a very good win over Leixlip in Maynooth on Monday, 15th April. Maynooth were on top right throughout this game and at half time were 1-8 to 0-1 ahead. The second half was much the same. Best for Maynooth were D. Miels 1-3; J. Murray 1-2; D. Grehan 0-3; P. Doyle, M. Kelly, P. Byrne 0-1 each; S. Cushen, P. Murray, G. Thompson. Leixlip: E. Vaughan 0-2; C. O'Mara 0-1, D. Kelly 0-1, D. Burke, R. Levelle.

Junior Football League Division 2

Maynooth 0-4; Monasterevin 0-13

Maynooth were well beaten in their first match in Division 2. They played their best football in the first half and were only three points down: Monasterevin 0-4, Maynooth 0-1. Monasterevin were on top in the second half and ran out easy winners. Best for Maynooth: J. Edwards 0-4, D. Fleming, K. Dunne, M. Flaherty, S. Molloy.

Senior Football League Division 2

Maynooth 2-12; Sallins 2-4

Maynooth got off to a good start and were two points up after 10 minutes. Sallins got their first score, a goal, after 15 minutes. But this brought Maynooth to life and two goals, the first by Paul Garvey and the second by Hugh Nevin, left Maynooth ahead at half time by 2-7 to 1-3. Sallins were first to score in the second half, a point. There were further points by Maynooth before Sallins got their second goal with ten minutes to go. Maynooth ran out easy winners in the end. Maynooth scorers: Paul Garvey 1-5; Hugh Nevin 1-2; Joey Riordan, Hugh Purcell, Joey Nevin, Thomas Farrelly and David Mahoney 0-1 each. Also to play well: Mickey

Noone, Paul Stynes, Eamon Dunne and Killian Fagan.

Keogh Cup — Senior Football Tournament

Maynooth 0-16; Nurney 0-4

In the first round of the Keogh Cup, Maynooth travelled the long journey to Nurney and came away very good winners. Maynooth, completely on top in the first half, led at half time by 0-11 to 0-1. Nurney tried hard in the second half but could not break down the Maynooth defence. Best for Maynooth: Paul Garvey 5 pts., Eamon Dunne 3 pts., Hugh Nevin 2 pts., Joey Riordan 2 pts., Sean Molloy 2 pts., Liam O'Toole 1 pt. and Joey Edwards 1 pt. Also to play well: Joe Rossitor, Eamon Gallagher, Peter Burke.

Senior Football League Division 2

Maynooth 0-11; Kilcullen 1-6

Maynooth, playing with the wind in the first half, found scores hard to come by. On top right throughout the first half, they could only lead by two points at the break. The half-time score: Maynooth 0-7, Kilcullen 1-2, Kilcullen's goal coming on the stroke of half-time. The second half started well for Maynooth. Now playing against the wind, they got two quick points. Kilcullen fought back and with five minutes to go were only one point down. Kilcullen pressed hard for the point to give them a draw but Maynooth broke down the field and a good point by Sean Molloy sealed victory for Maynooth. Maynooth scorers: Johnny Nevin 3 pts., Joey Nevin 2 pts, Paul Garvey 2 pts., Killian Fagan 1 pt., Joey Riordan 1 pt., Eamon Dunne 1 pt., Sean Molloy 1 pt. Also to play well: Mickey Noone, Mick Nevin, David Mahoney, Thomas Farrell, Peter Burke.

Junior Football League Division 2 fixtures

Monday, 15th April: Maynooth v. Monasterevin, away, 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 22nd April: Maynooth v. Suncroft, home, 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 29th April: Maynooth v. Rathangan, home 7.15 p.m.

Tuesday, 7th May: Maynooth v. Clane, home, 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 13th May: Maynooth v. Confey, away, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 20th May: Maynooth v. Naas, away, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 27th May: Maynooth v. St. Kevin's, away, 7.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 4th June: Maynooth v. Celbridge, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 10th June: Maynooth v. Round Towers, away 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 17th June: Maynooth v. Kill, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 24th June: Maynooth v. St. Laurence's, home, 7.30 p.m.

Junior Football League — Division 3C — fixtures:

Monday, 15th April: Maynooth v. Leixlip, home 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 22nd April: Maynooth v. Confey, away, 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 29th April: Maynooth v. Carbury, away, 7.15 p.m.

Tuesday, 7th May: Maynooth v. Kilcock, home, 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 13th May: Maynooth v. Ardclough, away, 7.15 p.m.

Monday, 20th May: Maynooth v. Naas, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 27th May: Maynooth v. Rathcoffey, away, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 20th May: Maynooth v. Naas, home, 7.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 4th June: Maynooth v. Straffan, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 10th June: Maynooth v. St. Kevin's, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 17th June: Maynooth v. Robertstown, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 24th June: Maynooth v. Clogherinkoe, home, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 1st July, Maynooth v. Caragh, away, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 8th July: Maynooth v. Cappagh, away 7.30 p.m.

Bord na nOg Under 14 Football, 1996

Friday, 26th April: Maynooth v. St. Laurence's, away.

Friday, 10th May: Maynooth v. Suncroft, home.

Friday, 24th May: Maynooth v. Round Towers, home.

Friday, 31st May: Maynooth v. Naas, home.

Friday, 7th June: Maynooth v. Celbridge, away.

Friday, 14th June: Maynooth v. Balyna, home.

Friday, 21st June: Maynooth v. Confey, away.

Under 16 Football League fixtures, 1996:

May 3rd: Maynooth v. Carbury, away.

May 17th: Maynooth v. Leixlip, away.

July 19th: Maynooth v. St. Cocoa's, home.

July 26th: Maynooth v. Naas, home.

Lotto result 31/3/96: Jackpot £850: Numbers 7-13-17.

No winner, 5 x £10. Bridie Doran, Colm, c/o Bar, Cormac Ashe, Conor O'Connor, Joe Glennon.

Lotto result 7/4/96: Jackpot £900: Numbers 2-11-18.

No winner, 5 x £10. Micheal Garvey, Eric Gaugheran, Aileen Geraghty, Carmel O'Dea, Anne Naughton.

Lotto result 14/4/96: Jackpot £950: Numbers 4-6-21.

No winner, 5 x £10. Mrs. E. Halligan, Liam O'Toole, Pius Kelly, Handball Club, Catherine Ash.

Maynooth GAA Golf Classic in aid of club development will be held on Friday, 7th June, 1996, in Kilcock Golf Club. Team of 4 — £100. Societies and teams welcome. Time sheet all day, contact Tommy Fay at 6289193 after 5 p.m. 6286161 from 9 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. Presentation night in Maynooth GAA Clubhouse same night. All welcome. Come along and have the craic. Bar extension and music.

Kildare Intermediate Hurling League

At: Clane Date 21/04/96

Final Score: Maynooth 0-4: Clane 0-4:

The very wet conditions made hurling virtually impossible but nevertheless both teams served up a very exciting contest right up to the final whistle. Maynooth were short quite a few regulars for this tie but showed great fire and determination against a well balanced Clane side. Clane led at half time by 0-3 to 0-2. Manager Pat Nevin introduced Killian Fagan to the fray for Maynooth at the start of the second half and he helped to inject new life into the forward line which had created many chances but were unable to convert them to scores. In fairness however the pitch turned into a quagmire in the second half, and this accounted in no small way for the low scoring. Maynooth finished the stronger but in the end a draw was a fair result. Best for Maynooth were: Sean Cusker, Mick Yahan, Mick Nevin, Johnny Nevin and Killian Fagan.

Team and Scores:

Andrew Fay, Ronan Murphy, Sean Cusker, Mick Yahan, Senan Griffin, Mick Nevin, Padraic Ward; Hugh Nevin, Tom Farrell; Stephen Brennan (0-3), Johnny Nevin, Joey Nevin (0-1), Mark Nugent, Eamon Toomey, Tom Coffey.

Subs.-Killian Fagan for Tom Coffey, John O'Brien for Eamon Toomey.

Kildare Minor Hurling League Date: 21/4/96:

At Maynooth:

Final Score

Broadford 2-2; Maynooth 0-2:

The weather conditions made hurling very difficult for both teams. Maynooth matched their counterparts in hurling craft and skill but physically Broadford were a much stronger outfit and tended at times to use over robust tactics to contain Maynooth. The first half was quite even with Broadford having the edge on the scoreboard leading by 1-1 to 0-2. In the second half Maynooth put in a very determined effort and had a goal from Seamus Cummins disallowed where the referee adjudged that the ball had gone wide. With 10 minutes to go Maynooth corner back Tommy Masterson received a nasty knock to the head resulting in a Broadford player being sent to the line. This incident seemed to unnerve the Maynooth lads and Broadford scored a second goal to put the result beyond doubt. It must be noted however that this is a very young Maynooth team with the average age of the players 16 yrs and the management should be encouraged by their gritty performance.

Sport

Best for Maynooth were Matt Callaghan, Eoin Nevin, Tom Mullarkey, Alan Nugent, Stephen Brennan, Declan Buckley and Brendan Keogh.

Team and Scorers: Donal Lennon, Karl Ennis, Matt Callaghan, Tommy Masterson, Robert Hayes, Eoin Nevin, Tom Mullarkey, Stephen Brennan, (0-2) Alan Nugent, Vinnie Nevin, Declan Buckley, John O'Shea, Brendan Keogh, Seamus Cummins, Conor Diggins.

Bórd na N-óg Kildare Hurling League- U/14 Date: 20/4/96 At Ardclough.

Final Score Maynooth 3-8, Ardclough 1-2.

After being narrowly beaten in their first league encounter against Celbridge, Maynooth bounced back with a very competent performance against Ardclough. The game was played in a downpour but the Maynooth boys did not let the conditions affect them and were always in control against a very resilient Ardclough side who fought bravely to the bitter end. Ardclough were unfortunate to lose one of their players with a hand injury just before half-time. It is difficult to single out any individual players on the Maynooth side but both Tommy Masterson and Mikey Gleeson were outstanding at full back and centre field, respectively. Other to impress for Maynooth were Padraic Nevin, Aidan Molloy, Sean O'Flaherty, Mark Kavanagh, Peter Guinan, and Morgan Sweeney.

Team and Scores.

Stephen Kelly, Padraic Nevin, Tommy Masterson, Aidan Molloy, Christopher Flynn, Sean O'Flaherty, Joe Brennan, Mark Kavanagh (0-1), Mikey Gleeson (1-5), Peter Guinan, Eoin Murray, Morgan Sweeney (0-1), Sean Brady (0-1), Damien Travers (1-0), Peter Sheehan (1-0).

Subs: John Kinsella, Donal McCarthy, Alan Nolan.

At Ardclough: Date 20/4/96 Bórd na N-óg Kildare U/12 Hurling League Division 1.
Final Score: Maynooth 4-4: Ardclough: 0-1

On the 20th of April 1996, Maynooth played Ardclough at Ardclough. After the disappointment of being beaten by Celbridge in their first match, Maynooth were anxious to make amends. Mick Gleeson opened the scoring for Ardclough with a point from play after 9 minutes. Two minutes later James Mullarkey scored a great goal for Maynooth after connecting with a glorious side line cut from Mark Cummins. The same player added to his tally in the 13th minute with a point from play. Maynooth proceeded to dominate the game with further points by Pierre Ennis and James Mullarkey leaving the half time score Maynooth 1-3, Ardclough 0-1.

The second half followed the same pattern as the first with Maynooth totally on top. Pierre Ennis having moved to midfield in a switch with Kevin Gannon struck for a goal after

5 minutes and not to be outdone James Mullarkey doubled his goal tally in the 11th minute. The scoring was completed by a Pierre Ennis point from free after 16 minutes and a goal from the ever busy Ciaran Walsh on the stroke of full time.

Best for Maynooth; Alan Sweeney, Brendan Coffey, Pierre Ennis, Mark Cummins, Kevin Gannon, Fergal Molloy, James Mullarkey and Ciaran Walsh.

Team and Scores;

David Comerford, Fergal Molloy, Alan Sweeney, Brendan Coffey, Pierre Ennis (1-2), Enda Diggins, Mark Cummins, Kevin Gannon, Jamie O'Neill, James Mullarkey (2-2), Neil Cusker, Ciaran Walsh (1-0), Gerard Hoare. Subs.- Andrew Higgins for G.Hoane, Brian O'Malley for Neil Cusker.

MAYNOOTH TOWN A.F.C

We had hoped to commence clearing our backlog of matches, but the continuing wet weather remains a major obstacle. Even as I write we are calling off this weekend's games of 20th and 21st April. We are concerned with the number of mid-week games now imminent. School exams will clash with our older school boy games. As exams will have prior importance we would hope to reduce the backlog as quickly as possible.

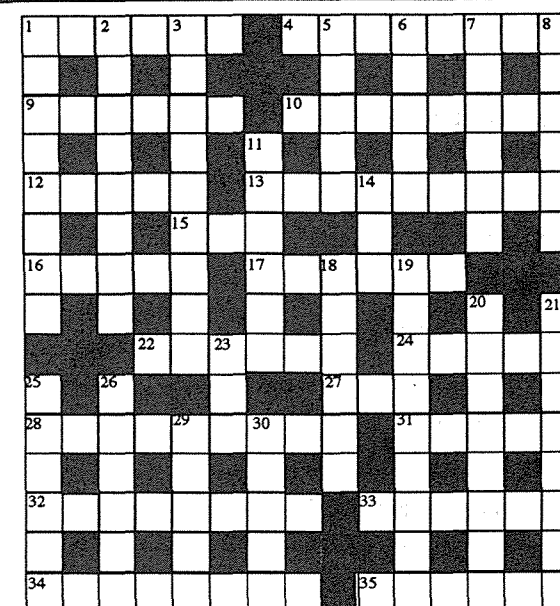
One of the highlights of our season takes place while going to print. Our under 11 team pay a visit to Old Trafford to see Manchester Utd play Notts Forest on Sunday 28th April. Our young members and their minders depart on Saturday 27th April and return on Monday 29th April. A full report on the trip warts,n all will be published in next issue.

Dr. D. Gaffney
General Practitioner

Glenroyal Shopping
Centre

Tel. 01 - 6291169

Crossword No. 102



Entries before 5 p.m. Friday, 17th May, 1996

Name _____

Address _____

Across:

- 1 Haul the Queen back to have a look (6)
- 4 Animals, male, get together for the drover (8)
- 9 Could be this has one, two or three rings! (6)
- 10 At the last stop, you can make a sure mint (8)
- 12 In the lead! Keep it under your hat! (5)
- 13 The chamber pot with the gold inside is for the officer (9)
- 15 With the cup you might get a touch of wind (3)
- 16 Happiness about the note for the common land (5)
- 17 The rodent gets a colour to get the cane (6)
- 22 Notice the spot will stick (6)
- 24 Whichever way you look at it, it's the principle (5)
- 27 Part of her leg before she was married? (3)
- 28 Sounds like a block and a Hallowe'en cake are the curios! (9)
- 31 To be assessed you need to tread warily (5)
- 32 Funny! It's me ate the valuation (8)
- 33 Ron with the taxi is in his element (6)
- 34 Public order offence? It was in the southern copy of the paper! (8)
- 35 If she's taking the alien in, she should have bed linen (6)

Down:

- 1 To renew your battery, you have to pay twice! (8)
- 2 Rene! Drag this around for the groundsman! (8)
- 3 One of Oliver Cromwell's pals? (9)
- 5 The Resident Magistrate will give you one unit of heat (5)

Special Prize!

BOOK VOUCHER

Give yourself the luxury of browsing and choosing the book(s) which takes your fancy from the wide selection available in the store of our sponsor

The Maynooth Bookshop

The Square, Maynooth

- 6 Arrived with nothing but the brooch! (5)
- 7 He's a wise adviser, but still you almost torment him (6)
- 8 The watchman is senior in the hut (6)
- 11 Sounds like what the press-gang's after; to amass interest (6)
- 14 In school, what the cat sat on (3)
- 18 The ditch has the fish right inside (6)
- 19 At the farm you'll discover what happened later (9)
- 20 Let the horse out; he's not very reliable! (8)
- 21 The learners had the stud on the awkward nets (8)
- 23 The tramp lost nothing on the range (3)
- 25 Don't worry so, Bess; it will take over your mind (6)
- 26 Taking the article from jail, Edward left her at the altar (6)
- 29 Notice Timothy is a bit backward, but let him in anyway (5)
- 30 In proportion, get almost the full allowance (5)

Solution to Crossword No. 101:

Across:

1, Murmur; 4, Bassoons; 9, Delude; 10, Motivate; 12, Cater; 13, Overgrown; 15, Won; 16, Noose; 17, Defect; 22, Orange; 24, Roach; 27, Bat; 28, Spiritual; 31, Hedge; 32, Eleventh; 33, Traced; 34, Theatres; 35, Temper.

Down:

1, Medicine; 2, Relation; 3, Underwear; 5, Abode; 6, Swing; 7, Orator; 8, Sienna; 11, London; 14, Rye; 18, Feeble; 19, Carthorse; 20, Handicap; 21, Shredder; 23, Ant; 25, Assert; 26, Silene; 29, Inert; 30, Untie.

Winner of Crossword No. 101:

Patrick Donoghue
171 Kingsbry, Maynooth.

Birthdays, Sympathies, Acknowledgements

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The wife, sons and daughter of the late John (Sonny) O'Neill, The Green, Maynooth, wish to thank all those who sympathised with them in their recent very sad loss. Those who called personally to the house, attended the removal, funeral mass and burial, those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes, a special word of thanks to Dr. Cowhey, the doctors, nurses and staff of Blanchardstown Hospital, also very special thanks to Fr. Supple, Fr. Cogan and Fr. Sheridan, sacristan and Mass servers. Heartfelt appreciation to each and everyone. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions.

SYMPATHIES

Sister, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends of Brigid (Bridie) Nolan, Maynooth, late Tennisrath, Co. Laois and Dublin.

Husband, daughter, sons, daughters-in-law, nieces, nephews, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, brother, sisters, relatives and friends of Mary Parker (nee Nolan) 24 Kingsbry, Maynooth.

Sons, daughter, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, nieces, nephews, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives and friends of Mary Moran (nee Larkin) Dunboyne.

Brother, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews, great-grandnieces, great-grandnephews, relatives and a large circle of friends of Kathleen (Ciss) O'Neill, Old Greenfield, Maynooth.

BIRTHDAYS

Greetings and good wishes to Joe O'Neill, Greenfield; who celebrates his 80th birthday May 6th. From your loving daughters, sons and all your family.

Belated good wishes to Paddy (Ginger) Malone, Double Lane; who celebrated his 80th birthday April 18th from all the family.

Mary Harty the Maws, Kilcock; age 16 April 10th, Best wishes from Daddy, Mammie and brother Patrick.

Gillian Donovan Greenfield; age 8, April 15th, Happy Birthday from Daddy, Mammie and brother Stephen.

David Newton, Greenfield; age 17, April 9th. Best Wishes from Dan and Babby.

Mrs. Julie Donovan, Greenfield, April 5th. Best Wishes from Nicholas and Lorraine.

Ted Connolly, Greenfield, April 14th.

Pat Burke, Newtown, April 14th.

Mark McEvoy, Greenfield. 26 on April 8th. Best Wishes from Daddy, Mammy and all the family also to Jamie, grandson age 2.

Geroid McTernan who was 80 on April 18th.

Doreen Fortune, Parson St. May 6th.

Declan Burke, Newtown, May 22nd.

Marie Burke, Newtown. Age 13, May 15th.

"The Twins" Mrs. Essie Brady, Highfield, Kilcock.

Peter Connor, Greenfield, Maynooth. May 4th.

Mrs. Connie Burke, Newtown, May 14th.

Martin McTernan, Laurence Avenue, May 26th.

Peter McTernan, Dunboyne, May 11th.

CONGRATULATIONS

Belated Congratulations to Carmel and Ted Farrelly, Kilcock Road, who celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on March 31st. And to daughter Audrey 21st birthday March 30th. From all your friends and family.

Congratulations to John and Anita Corcoran, Meadowbrook Crescent, on the birth of their daughter Taylor Katie, a sister for Daryl, John and Shannon.

Kennedy Woodcraft Ltd.

JOHNINSTOWN, MAYNOOTH

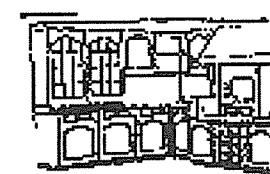
TELEPHONE: (01) 6288086

FAX: 6270020

KITCHEN AND BEDROOM UNITS

WE CAN SUPPLY A COMPLETE RANGE OF

- Natural Oak
- Mahogany
- Pine
- Laminated Colours
- Texture Melamine



- Worktops
- Stainless Steel Sink Tops
- Wire Baskets
- Towel Rails
- Cutlery Insets
- Waste Bins
- Extractor Fans



10a.m. until 8p.m. Monday to Friday

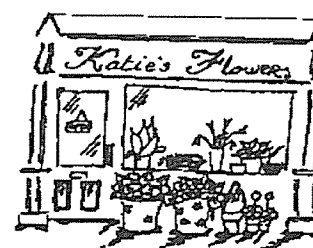
10a.m. until 5p.m. Saturday

Quotation and Planning Service

KATIES FLOWERS LTD.

College Corner, Maynooth, Co. Kildare.

Telephone: Shop, 01 6289310. Workshop/Studio, 045 69394. Fax: 01 6289310



**Beautiful Communion Head Dresses
in Silk, Dried or Fresh Flowers
from £12.00 - £25.00
Hand made by Katies Flowers**

Phone (01) 6289310 now with your order and pay by credit card.
All Major Credit Cards Accepted

- Teleflorist Worldwide -

HEATING SERVICES

Oil Fired Boiler Burner Service

Heating Systems Maintenance

Heating Efficiency Testing

~~You could be wasting over 50% of your oil~~

24 HOUR SERVICE - 7 DAYS A WEEK

Dermot Bradley
49 Cluain Aoibhinn, Maynooth
Phone: 6285387

CLASSIFIEDS

PARENTS OF TWINS including children at secondary level, please contact **Mairead Hilliard** at 6282618 for a message concerning child benefit payments.

LOST AND FOUND: Gold Ladies watch found in the vicinity of the Parish Hall. Contact Parish Hall Tuesday or Thursday at 10.30 - 12.00.

ROOF REPAIRS: Tiles, Slates, leaks, flat roofs and new roofs. Prompt Service. Phone: 01-6268638 or 01-6231148.

PORTRUSH: Houses and Harbour Holiday Apartments to Let, July and August - central to all Amenities
Strictly Families only. Phone: 08 01265 823853

NOVENA

Prayer to the Virgin Mary (Never known to Fail)
O most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendour of Heaven, blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this necessity... O Star of the Sea help me and show me here you are my Mother, oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in my necessity, there are none that can withstand your power, O show here you are my Mother, O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times), Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands, (3 times), sweet Mother, I place this cause in your hands, (3 times) O thank you for your mercy to me and mine, Amen.

This prayer must be said for 3 days, and after that the request will be granted, (the prayer must be published).

SOCIAL WELFARE FACILITATOR

Will be in

Maynooth Community Council Offices
Friday 3rd May
from 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 p.m.

And

Resource Centre Leixlip
From 2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m.
and every 2nd Friday

EDITORIAL STATEMENT

The **Maynooth Newsletter** is published as a service to the people and organisations of the neighbourhood. It is an 'open access' publication and will generally carry any material submitted to it, subject to the law of the land and to editorial judgement. This judgement is exercised by the editorial committee in order to preserve the independence and balance of the Newsletter. The committee reserves the right to alter, abridge or omit material which in its opinion might rend the Newsletter the promoter or mouth-piece of sectional interests. Any contributor seeking further guide-lines in this matter is invited to contact the committee.

NOTE TO CONTRIBUTORS

We request all our contributors to make sure their material is legible. If possible, material should be typed, but as not everyone has access to typewriters, the best way to present material is to use either neat legible writing or block letters, on one side of the paper. In future all Letters to the Editor must have the writer's name and address available for publication.

We emphasise that material submitted after the copydate will not be accepted and will be withheld until the following copydate.

All Material Copyright Maynooth Newsletter 1996.

RIGHT TO REPLY

In fairness to our readers and given that this magazine is not insured against libel damages or cost, we undertake the following: In case of errors of fact we will publish corrections when we become aware of such.

In the case of unfairly impugning the reputation of any person we hereby offer that person or their representative the right to reply in this magazine subject only to reasonable length, the laws of libel and our right to respond to such reply.

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.

Community Council & Newsletter Staff



£50,000 Term 20 years Mortgage
for

£78.60 per week (Gross)
£59.72 per week (After Tax Relief) @ 48%

For full details on this special offer call
Ethel Beattie on 629 0011

No Fees

Regan
INDEPENDENT MORTGAGE SHOP
IBBA BROKERS
INVESTMENT • FINANCE • INSURANCE
MAIN STREET, MAYNOOTH, CO. KILDARE
Tel. 01-6285377 Fax 01-6285516

Free Survey

We are the ONLY Independent **IBBA** Brokerage in Maynooth

SUMMER MARCH