

Blackstairs Vintage Club will review 2012 and make plans for 2013 at their annual general meeting on Thursday March 7th in Roberts Lounge at 8-00 pm sharp. All members and new members are very welcome, and any one that has an interest in restoring or preserving items over forty, fifty years old. Members will also make plans for the St. Patricks Day Parade floats and participation. A full turn out expected.

St. Patricks Day Parade A meeting of St. Patricks Day Parade organising committee along with representatives from all the clubs and organisations in the Parish on Tuesday March 5th in Roberts lounge at 8-00 pm. The Parade needs a big input from all the clubs and organisations and businesses to make it attractive for the people and visitors watching all new ideas welcome.

The St. Patricks Day Parade organising committee wish to acknowledge and thank all who supported last weekend's Church gate Collection which raised 414 euro.

Scor Sinsir Naomh Eoin GAA Club won the Aithriseoireacht (Recitation) and Nuachleas (Novelty Act) at the Carlow Senior Scor final in Myshall Community Centre on Saturday last. Catherine Kealy gave a great rendition of 'A Lament for Owen Roe O'Neill,' in the Novelty Act Sean Keogh was trying to get Willie Eustace to do him a favour on the 'Saucy Lily'. The winners now go forward to the Leinster semi-final on Sunday March 10th in Clonaslee Laoise at 5-00 pm. Carlow compete with Laoise, Wexford, Meath, Offaly and Dublin

Myshall/Drumpea Social History Group A meeting of the group will take place on Monday, 11th March at 7.30 p.m. in the Naomh Eoin Clubhouse to discuss putting a float in the St.Patrick's Day Parade.

Myshall ICA 5 day Coach Tour from Sun June 9th to Thursday June 13th . Price €320 includes 4 nights dinner, B & B and day trips each day. Contact Ann 087 9404194, Mary 059 9727411, Nellie 059 9157696. Non members welcome

Patchwork Classes in Myshall Community Centre starting Tue Feb 26th at 7.30 pm. The course of 6 classes is organised by Myshall ICA with the support of Carlow VEC and is open to non members. Fee €25. Places are limited so early booking is essential. Contact 087 9404194

Juvenile Badminton County Championships held at Old Leighlin are listed below. Again Myshall done really well bringing home loads of silverware so well done to all! This is the second year of the Championships, it was revived last year after many years of not being played and it was lovely to see all the enthusiastic kids playing and enjoying themselves. A word of praise for the clubs who are encouraging their young people to play the sport, all players themselves who give their time freely to ensure the sport grows and develops over the coming years - clubs represented yesterday were Myshall/Drumpea, Carlow Lawn Tennis Club, Y.M., Kiltegan.

A special word of thanks to our own Edel Jordan - Carlow Juvenile Chairperson who put in such great effort to make yesterday happen, well done Edel!

DOUBLES U/9 W: Caoimhe Jordan + Kim Doyle MYSHALL

U/11 Girls R/U: Caoimhe Jordan + Therese Nolan MYSHALL

u/11 Boys W: Fiach Kavanagh + Colm Beck MYSHALL

U/13 Girls: S: Aine Behan + Mary O' Sullivan MYSHALL

U/13 Boys R/U: Fiach Nolan + Oisín O' Brien MYSHALL

S: Tommy Dunne + Fiach Kavanagh MYSHALL

U/15 Girls S: Rebecca Byrne + Ayla Barrault MYSHALL

U/15 Boys S: Michael Kavanagh + David Nolan MYSHALL

SINGLES

U/13 Girls W: Rebecca Byrne MYSHALL R/U: Aine Behan MYSHALL

U/13 Boys W: Fiach Nolan MYSHALL U/15 Girls R/U: Rebecca Byrne MYSHALL

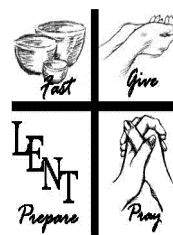
U/15 Boys R/U Michael Kavanagh MYSHALL



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Lent is a time when we, as Christians, prepare to celebrate the most important feast in the Church year, Easter
Lent comes from the old English word Lente, which means lengthen. Lent is celebrated during the season of Spring and in Spring our days lengthen or get longer

Masses for the coming week – Myshall

Sun 3rd at 11 am

Mon 4th at 7.30 pm

Tue 5th at 9.30 am

Wed 6th at 9.30 am

Thur 7th at 9.30 am

Fri 8th at 7.30 pm

Sun 10th at 11 am

Reader: Myshall

Sun 10th: Tommy Murphy

Eucharistic Minister:

Sun 10th: Helen Smithers

Masses for the coming week-Drumpea

Sat 2nd at 7.30 pm

Sat 9th at 7.30 pm

Reader: Drumpea

Sat 9th: James Whelan

Parish Notices

- **Liturgy Meeting** for all Readers and Eucharistic Ministers to discuss and organise Easter Ceremonies in the Sacristy, Myshall Church has had to be postponed from March 4th and will now be held Tuesday March 12th at 8 pm
- **March Anniversary Masses** will be as follows:
Drumpea Church on Saturday March 23rd at 7.30 pm
Myshall Church on Sunday March 24th at 11 am

Parochial Collections February 23/24

Offertory: € 542.00 Envelopes: 320.70

Annual Church Gate Collection in aid of the Carlow branch of the Multiple Sclerosis Society will take place on Sat.2nd and Sun.3rd of March. Your support would be very much appreciated.

Drumpea National School Enrolment dates for new entrants for September 2013 will be from Monday March 4th to Friday March 15th. Enrolment forms can be collected in the school

MYSHALL COMMUNITY CENTRE

The next meeting of Myshall Hall Committee will take place on Thursday March 7th at 8.30 p.m. with the entry for the St. Patrick's Day Parade high on the agenda. Having won the 'most comical' item for the past two years we are going for three in a row this year so other clubs should watch out!

MYSHALL MUINTIR NA TÍRE

The next meeting of Myshall Muintir Na Tíre will take place on Thursday March 14th at 8p.m. in Myshall Community Centre - the attendance has been very good recently so we hope to see everyone interested in the development of the locality attending.

Meeting in the Adelaide Church on Tuesday March 5th at 8 pm with regard to the September Celebrations. All are welcome.

MYSHALL/DRUMPHEA SENIOR CITIZENS committee are organizing a group of their members to attend the Isla Grant concert on Saturday 9th March @8pm in the George Bernard Shaw Theatre in Carlow. Anyone interested in booking a seat please give your name to any committee member. A bus will travel from Myshall, seats are limited and will be given on a first come basis. Bus leaving Myshall at 5.15pm sharp, travelling to the Talbot for meal at 6pm. Concert starts at 8pm.

Congratulations to Ger Keogh Aclare who was Senior Recitation Winner at the recent Kilanerin Opportunity Knocks.

The Kildavin / Clonegal Drama Group will again stage their hilarious production of "The Wake" by M. J. Ginnelly on Sunday 10th March in Spellman Hall, Kildavin at 8.00 p.m. Come along for a night of live comedy at its best, this event should not be missed.

We remember in our prayers those who have died recently



Margaret Kavanagh, Lusk Co Dublin formerly Coolasnaughta
Michael Eyres, Carlow

May they rest in peace
Our sympathy to their families and those who mourn

MYSHALL GAA LOTTO

No Jackpot Winner

Numbers Drawn **3 : 10 : 22 : 23**

Match 3 winner received € 100 each:

Just 4, c/o Noel Minchin; Edel Jordan Milltown

Sellers Prize: Sean Ryan, Milltown

Next Weeks Lotto: High Nellies on Tue March 5th at 10.30 pm

**NEXT
WEEKS
JACKPOT
€6800**

Myshall Camogie club and Naomh Eoin GAA club are holding a presentation night in Myshall Community Centre on Saturday 2nd March 2013. The girls are looking forward to being presented with their All Ireland medals and the minor lads will be presented with their medals. A great night is guaranteed, Helter Skelter will provide the music and a special guest will also be in attendance. We look forward to having this very special night in our own local community centre and we hope all locals will support the event. Tickets available from Sheila 086 3789164 Mary 086 1504904 Michael 087 90349378

Myshall Camogie Club held their AGM last week, the following officers were elected

Chairperson: Mary Nolan V-Chair: Katherine Foley

Secretary: Olivia Maye Ass Sec: Olivia Jordan Child Liaison Officer: Tara Wilson

Treasurers: Joanne Joyce and Sheila Ryan Registrar: Olivia Jordan PRO: Marian Doyle

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, St Andrews Church Bagenalstown every Tuesday at 7.30 pm (Rosary will be recited at 7 pm) until April 9th .

Speakers: March 5th - David Flaherty March 12th Speaker from Cernacolo , Knock

Drumpea Community Centre

Social Dancing in aid of Drumpea Community Centre in conjunction with Carlow Lions Club on Tuesday March 12th in the Seven Oaks Hotel, Carlow. Dancing from 9.30 to 12. Tickets €7 available from committee members. . Your continuous support is greatly appreciated.

Pilates Classes continue in Drumpea Community Centre on Thursdays at 8 pm

Knitting Classes - Bring your knitting up to a professional finish . If you would like to learn or improve your knitting skill call Helena at 9157814 or 085 1218810. It is hoped to organise either a morning or evening class.

Drumpea N.S. Table Quiz The annual table quiz in aid of Drumpea N.S. will run on Friday 15th of March at High Nellies Pub at 8.30pm. €20 per table of 4. Cash Prizes. Please support this fun event.

Myshall Community Games our club was represented last week in Ardattin for the first time in u/11 & u/14 mixed tag-rugby. The boys & girls trained hard for this competition and did really well in both age groups. They learned a lot on the day and are determined to bring home some medals next year. Well done to them and their trainers. Cycling on grass competition for boys & girls u/12 & u/14 coming up soon in Ardattin, anyone interested please contact 086 1504904 or 085 2021502. Anyone interested in swimming should

contact either of the above numbers. Good luck to the boys u/13 Futsal team competing on March 3rd.

Derek Ryan 'Live in Concert' with Special Guest Brendan Shine on Thursday 25th April in The George Bernard Shaw Theatre, Carlow. Tickets €19.50 now on sale from Box Office 059 9172400. The perfect Mother's Day Gift.