

MYSHALL COMMUNITY CENTRE

Congratulations to Myshall Hall Committee on winning the most humorous entry in the St. Patrick's Day Parade. This was the 3rd year in a row for the committee to have taken this title. This year's entry depicted 'Myshall Hall Catering for Pope Francis' and the entourage included of course the Pope himself, Fr. Jack and some naughty nuns! The committee would like to continue apologising to all who use the Hall at this time for inconvenience caused while painting is being done and other refurbishment. Also we wish to sympathise with fellow committee member Agnes Fenelon on the death of her mother last week. Next meeting is on Thursday April 4th at 9 p.m.

MYSHALL MUINTIR NA TÍRE

This week's waste food Prevention tip is: Make stock with leftovers and then freeze as ice cubes for use when cooking – this works well with left over wine too. Next Muintir meeting is on Thursday April 11th at 8 p.m. and we hope to see a large number from the village there as the entry for the 2013 Tidy Towns will soon need to be filled in.

The Myshall ICA Summer Tour 5 day coach trip to County Clare staying at the Clare Inn, Dromoland from Sunday 9th June to Thursday 13th June. Price €320 includes 4 nights dinner, bed & breakfast and day trips each day - non members welcome. A deposit of €50 will secure a place. Contact 087 9404194, 059 9157696 or 059 9727411.

April Guild Meeting will be on Tuesday April 2nd in Myshall Community Centre.

Patchwork continues on Tuesday March 26th at 7.30 pm in Myshall Community Centre

St. Patricks Day Parade The organising committee wish to thank and acknowledge all the people that made the Myshall and Drumphea St. Patricks Day parade a success. A special thanks to all the clubs organisations and businesses that entered floats, to all the marching groups and a huge thank you to all the children that was present they are the stars of tomorrow.

Congratulations to the four people, Johnny Treacy, Pat Ryan, Danny O'Neill, Richie Kavanagh, who were presented with Lifetime Achievement Awards from the people of Myshall and Drumphea Parish in recognition of their consistent work for nigh on fifty years Thank You.

A sincere thanks to Nuala Quirke parade Grand Marshall and St. Patrick himself Peter Nolan to all the stewards and the Gardai who helped on the day. To the pupils from the three schools for taking part in the Art competition and congratulations to the winners, also to Josephine Slye and Michael Rice for their work behind the scenes. To all the people that supported the parade on the day Thank You.

A very special thanks to the musicians who provided excellent street entertainment, after the Parade Vincent Dunne, Sinead Nolan, Philomena Kavanagh, Eddie Sinnott, Ian Rea, Niall Toner, Noel McGarvey, Ben Nanery, and star of the show was special guest appearance Maurice Roberts on the saxophone. To Vincent thanks he was the man that pulled it all together.

The Prize winners were Blackstairs Vintage Club, Myshall Hall Committee they had a newly elected Woman Pope Frances in waiting although her advisors could lead her astray, St. Patrick better watch out. Myshall Drumphea Camogie Club, and Myshall Drumphea Social History Club.

Drumphea Community Centre Committee would like to thank everybody who supported the recent Social Dancing night in the Seven Oaks Carlow in conjunction with Carlow Lions Club. Your continued support is very much appreciated.

Items for inclusion in newsletter can be

- Left into the Parish Office
- Emailed to myshallparishnewsletter@hotmail.com
- By phone to the secretary at 9157731 by 8 pm each Wednesday



Myshall/Drumphea Parish Newsletter

Palm Sunday

24th March 2013

Price 25c

Phone Number: Parochial House 059 9157635

Fr O'Byrne can be contacted at any time through this number



On Palm Sunday, we commemorate Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem before his crucifixion. As Jesus rode into the city on a small donkey, the Jews gathered around him, throwing cloaks and palm branches on the road and exclaiming praises as he passed by. So at Palm Sunday Mass, there is a blessing of palms which the faithful hold as they process into church. The blessed palms are later kept in the home as a witness to faith in Jesus Christ. During Palm Sunday Mass, the Gospel account of the Passion of Christ is announced.

Masses for the coming week – Myshall

Sun 24th	at 11 am	Anniversary Mass
Mon 25th	at 7.30 pm	
Tue 26th	at 9.30 am	
Wed 27th	at 9.30 am	
Thur 28th	at 8.15 pm	Holy Thursday
Fri 29th	at 5 pm	Good Friday
Sat 30th	at 9 pm	Easter Vigil
Sun 31st	at 11 am	Easter Sunday

Reader: Myshall

Sun 31st: Marie Nolan

Eucharistic Minister:

Thur 28th: Helen Smithers

Fri 29th: Margaret Doyle

Sat 30th: Mary Keogh

Sun 31st: Helen Smithers

Masses for the coming week-Drumphea

Sat 23rd	at 7.30 pm	Anniversary Mass
Thur 28th	at 7 pm	Holy Thursday
Fri 29th	at 7.30 pm	Good Friday
Sun 31st	at 9.30 am	Easter Sunday

Reader: Drumphea

Sun 31st: : Sinead Kelly

Parish Notices:

- **Baptisms :**
Myshall Church on the 2nd Sunday of each month after 11 am Mass
Drumpea Church on the 3rd Sunday of each month at 12.15 pm
- **Parish Office** will be open every Wednesday from 9.30—11 .30 am
- **Easter Station** is due at this time please use pink envelope provided

Parochial Collections March 16/17

Offertory: € 397.00 Envelopes: € 274.50

Stations of the Cross in Myshall & Drumpea Church Good Friday at 3 pm

Myshall/Drumpea Community Alert

It has been decided to go ahead with a Text Alert System to help with the prevention of crime in our area. Within the next few weeks, representatives from each townland will call to houses and you will be asked to fill in a consent form giving your name, address and mobile number , if you wish to go on the system. The cost will be €10 per phone per year which will cover the cost of text messages and other expenses involved in setting up. Lets all gel together and help try and prevent crime in our area

Invalid & Housebound Visitation

Fr O'Byrne will visit the Invalids & Housebound on Wednesday March 27th as usual. If there is anybody who would like to be on the visitation list please contact the Parochial House

Anniversary Mass will be offered in

Drumpea Church on Saturday

March 23rd at 7.30 pm for the following:

John O'Neill, Drumpea

John Hogan, Coolasnaughta

Francis & Kathleen O'Brien, Coolasnaughta

Kathleen Kehoe, Rathcoole formerly

Coolasnaughta

Pat O'Brien New York & Coolasnaughta

Mary Treacy, Knocklonagad

James Kavanagh, Luton formerly

Raheenwood

Ellen Doran, Seskin

Catherine & Eileen Doyle, Seskin

Patrick & Katie Caulfield, Spahill

William Hudson, Seskin

Cecil Foley, Killoughternane

Patrick Kelly, Knockdrumagh

Tom Nolan, Knockdrumagh

Anniversary Mass will be offered in

Myshall Church on Sunday March

24th at 11 am for the following:

Paschal Jordan, Myshall

Seamus Lalor, Ballinrush

James & Margaret Smithers, Shangarry

Nicholas, Mary, John & Esther Maher,

Lismaconly

Thomas Nolan, Kilmaglush

Edward & Margaret Nolan, Kilmaglush

Michael Ryder, Coolasnaughta

Hugh Kavanagh, Raheenleigh

John & Katie Murphy, Shean

Frank & Mai O'Dwyer, Shean

Michael McLean, Myshall

Mary Howard, nee Mc Lean, Dublin

Annie Nolan, Straduff

Fr P.J Nolan, Myshall

James & Katie Smithers, Roslee

Michael Kavanagh, St. Oliver's Park

Bernard & Kathleen Nolan, Ballaghmore

MYSHALL GAA LOTTO

One Lucky Jackpot Winner

Shane Kavanagh, Aclare

Numbers Drawn 1 : 5 : 13 : 23

Match 3 winner sreceived € 50 each:

Jackie Nolan, Knockindrane; Lily Mullins, Milltown; Patrick

Kavanagh , Knocklonagad; Colm Kirby, Knockbrack

Sellers Prize : Paddy Quirke, Newtown

Next Weeks Lotto: Roberts, Myshall on Tue March 26th at 10.30 pm

**NEXT
WEEKS
JACKPOT
€2000**

Myshall/Drumpea Social History Group hold their March meeting on Tuesday, 26th @8.00

p.m. in Drumpea Community Centre

BINGO it's that time again already, BINGO GOOD FRIDAY NIGHT 29th March @ 8pm

SHARP in MYSHALL COMMUNITY CENTRE, also a raffle for EASTER HAMPER ON THE NIGHT.....SEE YE THERE...

Killoughternane School Re-Union

There will be a re-union of past pupils in Killoughternane School on August 24th 2013. If you know of anybody who went , or has any pictures or memorabilia from or about the school, we would be very interested to hear from you. We are currently trying to gather names and information to make this celebration possible.

Contact Details: Jim Quirke 0873167696, Mary QMahon 0873167696

Noel O'Sullivan 0872770488

Kieran Goss Concert

Kieran Goss who is currently on a sell out tour of Germany is doing a one-off concert in Killoughternane Hall on Friday 12th April. Some tickets are still available. Call 087 6759353 or 087 2612194.

Rambling House, Killoughternane Hall, Wed. 3rd April. If you have a story to tell, a song to sing, a tune to play, perhaps a dance, or just want to come and listen, come and join us. All visitors welcome, young and old.

Silage for sale in the Myshall area, phone 087-9014096

Knitting Class - beginning Tuesday March 26th at 11 am in tutors own home. Cost is €5 per class. Each class will be for 1 hour. If you have wanted to learn to knit or improve your knitting skills, this is the class for you. The aim of this 6 week course will be to improve your skills, giving your garments a professional look and finish. Contact Helena at 9157814 or 085 1218810

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.

We remember in our prayers those who have died recently



Andrew Redmond, Kildavin

Anna Byrne, Tinahely

Margaret King, London & Milltown

May they rest in peace

Our sympathy to their families and those who mourn