

New Inn/Bullaun

Jan 14th 2017

World Day of Migrants & Refugees

Mass Ints- Sat 8pm.

Ints- Sat 13th Peter Joe Donohue 8pm

Sat 20th Cyril Tierney (2nd anniv) 8PM

January- Eucharistic Ministers-Patricia Kenny, Kitty Ryan. **Reader-** Marian Kenny. **Altar Society-** Kitty Griffin & Mary Dwyer.

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Mass Times: Sun 11.30am

Ints -Sun 14th Nancy Wade. Months Mind 11.30am.

Sun 21st Cepta Carty & deceased members 11.30am.

GENERAL

Sarsfields Lotto Nos 6.26.28.29. No winner. 1 match 3. Next weeks jackpot €13,300 and the draw will be held in Garveys Bar. GAA Club would like to thank all members for their support during the past year. Anyone who would like to become more actively involved in the Club is invited to attend our first Finance Committee Meeting for 2018 which takes place on Monday 15th January at 8pm in Arus Mhuire. Please feel free to call or text any Club Officer for further information or come along on the night. **Camogie Club** congratulate Tara Kenny on been chosen for the Galway Sports Star Camogie award which she will collect at a banquet in the Galway Bay Hotel later this month. Date for Your Diary: All Ireland Club Senior Semi-Final; Sarsfields v Burgess-Duharra (Tipperary) Sunday 28th January 2018 in Banagher Gaa Grounds at 2pm.

Country and Ceili Concert in The Loughrea Hotel and Spa on Saturday Feb 3rd at 9pm in aid of Gorta Africa Self Help Projects. In April 2018, Ollie Fahy will be part of a group of 14 to travel on a 10 day trip to Zambia to work with the Alan Kerins African Projects. The Concert on Feb 3rd features for one night only after 20 years, the reunion of “The Golden Arrows” supported by “Tailors Twist”, “Class Act” “Keystings” & Kilnadeema Comhaltas & Friends for what promises to be a night of Entertainment, Dance and Celebration. Tickets €10 available at the Hotel or Tom O’Brien’s Main St. Raffle also on the night. Ollie’s fundraising page can be found

at https://www.altruism.ie/fundraising_page/ollie-fahy-fundraising-page-for-gorta-self-help-africa

Community Games - As Community Games Season gears up once again, be sure to Like, Share and Follow the Bullaun/New Inn Community Games Facebook Page to keep informed of Rules, Closing Dates, Qualifying information etc. **Retrouvaille** – A Lifeline for Married Couples: * Do you want to improve the

communication with your spouse? Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you hurt, frustrated or angry with your spouse? Does talking about it only make it worse? The Retrouvaille programme can help marriages at all stages. *Next programme starts 2nd – 4th February 2018.* For information contact Tony & Anne (01) 495 3536, Mike & Anne (01) 450 0922, text or call 086 413 5440, or [email info@retrouvaille.ie](mailto:info@retrouvaille.ie) or visit

www.retrouvaille.ie. **Killalaghton Drama Group** presents their three act play THE MAIDEN AUNT by Jimmy Keary on Friday 19th and Saturday 20th January @ 8.30 pm in Killalaghton Hall. **St. Killian’s progressive 25** card game has started back on Monday nights at 9pm. **Literacy and touch typing course** suitable for all children including those with dyslexia, dyspraxia and other learning difference, specifically designed to improve reading, spelling and teach touch typing. Now enrolling for new term in Gaelscoil Riada, Athenry. Limited places Please contact Martha or Michelle on [087 4529315](tel:0874529315) **The Annual Mummers Festival** is re- scheduled for Saturday January 27th 2018.

The Senior Citizens / Retired party is next Sunday 21st Jan @ 1.30pm in Wards Ballyfa

Dog Owners -Please make sure your dog /dogs are locked up at night and supervised at all times during the daytime. A lot of sheep has been attacked in the area in recent times. This is very near the lambing season and please take responsibility of where your dog is at all times. **Cura 2nd basket collection** next weekend. Cura does great work in responding to crisis pregnancies. **Poor Clares in Galway** are hosting a Cloister day on Jan 27th 10am – 8pm. This is designed to help young women between the ages of 21 and 40. Contact Sr. Faustina at poorclaresgalwayvocations@gmail.com. Week of prayer for Christian unity is from Thurs 18th Jan – 25th.

Something to think and pray about this week -Life is often a desert; it is difficult to walk in life, but if we trust in God it can become beautiful and wide as a highway. Never lose hope, continue to believe, always, in spite of everything. When we are before a child, although we have many problems and many difficulties, a smile comes to us from within, because we see hope in front of us: a child is hope. And in this way, we must be able to discern in life the way of hope which leads us to find God, God who became a child for us. He will make us smile; he will give us everything.

(Pope Francis