

SATURDAY MARKET: Durrow Saturday market is open every Saturday from 9am to 12.30pm in the Computer Centre beside the RC Church on the Kilkenny Rd. Potato's and Fresh Veg are available, to book your favourites please ring Marie on (087) 7742506. Home Baking from Bernie Brennan is also available with a selection of fresh breads, scones, tarts and cakes. You can also book cakes for parties etc...

LIONS AFC: 41st Annual Monster Christmas Draw Results: First - Monster Hamper: Babe Duggan, Tubberboe; Second - Full Lamb: Eddie Cleere, Carrigan St; Third - Hotel Break: Shelly O'Keeffe (nee Dunne); Fourth - Hotel Break: Aidan Dunphy, Ballacolla c/o Daybreak; Fifth - Sports Voucher: Cormac Diver, Fairgreen, Ballyragget; Sixth - Voucher for Ashbrook Arms: Jack Downey, Tubberboe. A big congratulations to all and Thank You to all you supported.

CULLOHILL COMMUNITY CENTRE SQUASH COURT: We hope to commence a Squash League/Tournament in the very near future and are looking for players!!! All levels of experience are welcome as everyone will play against opponents of their own standard. Squash is a game that can be enjoyed by all - it is great fun and great exercise. If you are interested, please contact any member of the Cullohill Community Centre Committee.

GRANTS FOR 2016: Laois County Council Arts Office invites applications for the following awards and opportunities to individuals/groups and organisations from County Laois: Arts Act Grant 2016, Tyrone Guthrie Residency Bursary Awards 2016, Artist in School Scheme 2016 and Culture Night 2016. For any further information on these grants please contact: The Arts Office, Laois County Council, Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise, Co Laois. Tel: (057) 8664033/13 or email: artsoff@laoiscoco.ie or visit www.laois.ie online. The closing date for all of the above grants is 18th February, 2016.

ARTHRITIS IRELAND LAOIS BRANCH: Our group will still meet socially each Wednesday evening at 7pm for the cuppa and a chat at O'Loughlins Hotel, Main St, Portlaoise. All welcome! We are also planning some other activities for 2016 to include a six week course of "Gentle Zumba Classes" commencing on January 26th. The Local Branch can be contacted by phone on (089) 2525344.

Classified Ads

DURROW CREDIT UNION: Why not put your savings to work in Durrow Credit Union and avail of our new Savings Secured Loan at a rate of 4.99%? Other loans available are: Car Loan at 6.99% and Student Loan at 6.5%. Durrow Credit Union also offers Savings Stamps which prove very popular while saving for all those special occasions or not so special such as Home Insurance, Car Tax and Insurance & many other impending expenses. PayPoint is also a facility provided to allow you to pay ESB, Bord Gais, Eircom and County Council Rent. Top Ups are also available for Vodafone, O2, Meteor & 3Pay with no surcharges. So call into us anytime to avail of these services or make an enquiry on Phone: (057) 8736522, Fax: (057) 8736957 or email info@durrowcu.ie today!

LOOKING FOR A WEBSITE? Get your Business online now. Websites for Business or personal websites. Very affordable rates. Contact Andy on (083) 4554040 - note the new number!

PHOTO REPAIR AND ENHANCEMENT: If you have any old or damaged photographs that you need repaired, enhanced or manipulated, please contact Andy, 16 Derrywood, Durrow on (083) 4554040. Initial repair and one 5" x 7" print - €25. Each additional 5" x 7" print thereafter - €5. Visit www.noalphabet.com online!

CLANCY PVC WINDOWS AND DOORS: PVC Windows and Doors supplied and fitted. Also service and repair of same. Contact Liam Clancy (087) 7561445.

CLANCY HURLS: Hurls, any size, any style. Contact: Brian Clancy on (086) 8894166.

MANOR STONE GARDEN CENTRE: Junction 3 on the M8 outside Ballacolla. Phone (057) 8734870. New Garden Centre and Gift Shop now open. Brighten up your home and garden with our wide selections of plants, homeware, giftware, tools, pet accessories, outdoor living and much more! Landscaping and garden maintenance available.

ACUPUNCTURE AND HERBAL MEDICINE: Margaret Hennessy, Main Street, Abbeyleix. Phone: (057) 8730681 or (087) 2319403. RGM. RM. RSCM. Dip ACU. Dip Chinese Herbs. Lic Acu (Nanjing) China. Stress-Fatigue-Migraine-Joint & Muscle Pain, Post Menopausal Symptoms-PMT and many other conditions catered for.

SUSAN'S FOOT CARE THERAPIST: Foot Care Treatments: Nail Trimming, Corn and Callus Removal, Verrucae Treatment, Ingrown Nails and Fungal Nail Treatment. Home Visits only. Contact Susan on (087) 3302342.

CASTLE ARMS HOTEL: Castle Arms Hotel are delighted to launch their mouth-watering Christmas Table d'ôte 4 course menu including a half bottle of wine for €35pp for the month of December. Available in O'Murchú's Bar every Friday and Saturday from 4pm to 9pm. For bookings please Call Us on (057) 8736117.

LAPTOP + COMPUTER SERVICING AND REPAIR: Is your laptop running slow?, full of pop-up ads? and generally frustrating to use? Call Laois Computer Services on (057) 8740930 - Phone 6pm-10pm and 10am-6pm weekends.

DURROW VILLAGE COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY: Eva-Maria Dunne - Dip. Counselling & Addiction, Hons BSc. Counselling & Psychotherapy. Addiction, Anxiety & Depression, Bereavement & Loss, Sexual Abuse/Rape, CBT, Self Awareness & Confidence Training, C.V & Interview Preparation, Childhood Issues, Crisis Pregnancy, Parenting, Post Natal Depression, Marriage & Relationships, Sexuality, Eating disorders, Weight Management & Nutrition, Financial Management and General Well Being. For a free confidential consultation, Phone (089) 4400758 or (057) 8740719. Secure Private Office (Durrow). Email: dunnetherapy@gmail.com

NEXT NEWSLETTER: The next newsletter will be on sale weekending **January 30th & 31st.**

ADVERTISE HERE: All adverts must be booked with Angela Drennan (087) 1928522 or Mary Walsh (086) 3055157. Advertisements cost €2 per issue of Durrow Parish Newsletter and must be paid for in advance.