

SCARECROW SUMMER CAMP: If you are interested in helping out at the Durrow Scarecrow Summer Camp which runs from Monday 25th July until Friday 29th July during the mornings, please contact Evelyn on (087) 9194428 as soon as possible!

MONSTER BINGO: With €5,000 prize money up for grabs on Sunday 3rd July in the Mountrath Marguee Festival which will be held at the GAA Grounds in Mountrath from 3pm, great craic is assured. Double books €15, Single book €10 and Single sheets €2. All welcome.

THIRD LAOIS DURROW SCOUTS: We are always on the lookout for new scouters. Maybe you were a leader previously and after your kids grew out of scouts, you left, by choice or not, maybe you would like to join us again and share your skills with new kids and new leaders alike. Or maybe you know someone that would enjoy being outdoors and join the big scout family. And even if you never did scouting but enjoy walking and challenging yourself, you should give us a shout and come and meet one of our sections. For more information about our group, please contact Delphine Lawlor on (086) 3655178.

SUMMER CAMP: Get-out-Get Active Summer Camp is on from July 11th to July 15th daily from 9.30am to 3.00pm. Open to children from age 4 years to 12 years old - all are welcome. For more details contact Sinead Curran (087) 2943889 or sineadcurran@msn.com or at Our Lady's Meadow School, Durrow.

FISHING: Durrow-Cullohill Parish anglers held the second round of the Richard O'Rourke Memorial Trophy on Sunday in Grantstown Lake for course fishing. The winner was Patrick O'Regan Second - Jonathan Stapleton and Third - Mick Walsh. This Sunday, June 19th the club are holding a trout fishing competition.

LAOIS KAYAK & CANOE CLUB: *Summer Kayaking*: The regular weekly kayaking will be every Wednesday night from 7.15pm to 9.00pm for club members. If you don't yet have your own equipment there is a small charge of €5 for the hire of same. Weekend kayaking, trips and events are updated on our club members Facebook page, our Viber group and our regular Facebook page so please keep an eye out on same.

Thanks: A special thanks to the LKCC instructors and trainee instructors Brian, Mick, Fergal, Karl, Calvin and Jordan for bringing another group of kayakers up to Level 2 - well done to all the adults and children who passed their 2 kayak assessment on May 28th last.

Blueway 10K: Laois Kayak and Canoe Club are excited about linking in with the Kilkenny Aqua Canoe Club for the Blueway10K training programme. Both clubs have lots of experienced paddlers and instructors to help you improve your paddling skills - whatever your level. The Blueway 10K is FREE and is a great opportunity to meet and develop with the local kayaking community. All gear and equipment will be provided.

Congratulations to LKCC Instructors Matt and Brian who recently competed in the Red Bull Soap Box Race in Cork in their 'Raging Kayak', a great weekend was had by all.

HARPS CAMOGIE: Hurl Smart Week began on Bank holiday Monday with our U12s, who received training in various drills and competed in soloing relays, ball hopping competition etc... Some amazing scores were achieved (We think it may have been to some dubious counting!). The U14s were out the next evening and on Friday where they also practiced a number of drills, skills and took part in a wall-ball session. The Senior girls also participated and had training sessions on Thursday and Saturday.

Our Juveniles - U6s, U8s and U10s - received coaching in various different skills from our Senior players on the Thursday evening. Our Camogie Fun Day took place on Saturday and all the girls from U6 to U14 participated in a number of fun drills and games, with our Senior players looking after the older age groups. The day was a great success. We are now entered into a draw to play in Croke Park in August. Lets hope we get lucky!

Feile Skills: Eimear Fitzpatrick, having won the Laois Feile Skills competition, represented the County in the All-Ireland competition which took place in Abbottstown last Saturday where she preformed very well. Well done Eimear.

Under 8s: Congrats to our U8 team who played Ballacolla on Thursday evening and played excellent camogie. A great turn out with 20 girls each playing an important part in their overall success. Well done to the girls. Next week, they will take on Abbeyleix.