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DURROW PARISH NEWSLETTER

Thoughts for the Day - Thunderclap...

Fate will sometimes deal a blow and hurl a bolt at you, like a sudden slap of thunder bursting in the blue. Then how silly seem the things that riled you yesterday and you wonder why you fussed in such a foolish way. Any time a thunderclap may smash your world apart so if things are going well be grateful in your heart. When some trifling thing annoys you do not carp or whine. Make the most of sunny days. Be happy while it's fine.

LOCAL news:

THIRD LAOIS DURROW SCOUTS: Summer is over and every section finished last year with a very successful camp. Our Beavers group went to Fota, Co. Cork while our Cubs section went to Castle Saunderson in Co. Cavan. Our Scouts group went to Camp 4, also in Co. Cavan. The Scouts are getting ready for a new exciting year and plans are being prepared for the coming year which includes days out, camps and meetings at the den. This year promises to be the best year ever and we look forward to sharing all our news throughout the new season! Watch this space!

CULLOHILL-DURROW FLOWER & GARDEN CLUB: The Cullohill-Durrow Flower and Garden Club will meet in Cullohill Community Centre on Monday, September 12th at 8pm. Helen Lucas of AOIFA will be our demonstrator. Ladies don't forget our competition "Last of the summer wine"! Looking forward to seeing everybody on the night and visitors are always welcome.

IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE: The mobile unit of the Blood Transfusion Service will visit the Castle Arms Hotel, Durrow on Tuesday September 13th from 4.30pm to 8.00pm. With over 3,000 donations needed each week and the demand exceeding the supply, we appeal to as many people to come and donate blood. Your donation will make a huge difference. Please set aside an hour to come and donate blood this Tuesday. We look forward to a having a big attendance at this clinic. Do bring a friend!

CULLOHILL ICA GUILD: The Cullohill ICA Guild met at the Community Centre in Cullohill on Tuesday nightlast. Votes of Sympathy were extended to Dunphy and Begadon Family on the death of Simon. Ar deis De go raibh se.

There will be a Product Day in Ballacolla on Saturday, October 8th and a Federation Meeting will be held in Castletown on Wednesday, September 28th. Pilate classes will commence in Cullohill Community Centre on Tuesday, October 4th at 2pm in afternoon and will continue until Tuesday November 15th. Non-members are always welcome. The instructor is Julia Maguire who is well known to all in the community. Breda Dunphy and Mary Walsh won the raffle on the night and the next meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 4th at 8pm.

CAKE SALE: Durrow Community Council will hold a Cake Sale in the Presentation Centre on next weekend, Saturday 17th September after 7.00pm Mass and on Sunday 18th September after 11.00am Mass. This fundraiser is in aid of our Senior Citizens recent outing and upcoming events. Your support of this worthy cause will be very much appreciated.

HARPS JUVENILE CLUB: Come join us for our Hurlathon at The Harps GAA grounds in Durrow this Saturday morning, September 10th from 9am 'till 9pm where all teams will take part displaying their skills at the Ball Wall and also on the field of play. Sponsorship Cards are now available from all players and mentors, so please be as generous as possible and support our stars for the future! We hope to see you there!