

**WHIST:** The Results of the Killermogh Whist Drive for February are: Top Score - Erin Lalor; First Lady - Josie McCartney; Second Lady - Patricia Delaney and Rose Cunningham (Tied); First Gent - C. Galvin; Second Gent - Paul Kavanagh; Quarters - Kathleen Kavanagh, Rory O'Shea, Noreen Ni Leighin and Kathleen Kennedy; Juvenile - John Bailey. The raffle winners were: Ray Seale, John Bailey, Valarie Stanley, Billy Carter and Madge Brennan. The next Whist Drive will be held on Thursday, March 23rd at 8.30pm in the Parochial Hall, Cork Rd, Durrow. All are most Welcome.

**CULLOHILL COMMUNITY CENTRE: *Progressive 25 Card Games*** are held in the hall every Sunday night at 8.30pm sharp followed by tea and sandwiches. Please support!

**DOG WASTE:** There is a noticeable increase in Dog Waste (which is an environmental pollutant) around Durrow. It has been estimated that a single gram of dog waste can contain 23 million fecal coliform bacteria, which are known to cause cramps, diarrhoea, intestinal illness, and serious kidney disorders in humans. Please clean up after your dog and be vigilant in doing same, even if nobody is looking.

**LEGO:** Durrow Library are looking for donations of old and new Lego in order to start a Lego Club aimed at children from the age of 6 up. Please contact Lori at the Library or to [Imoriarty@laoiscoco.ie](mailto:Imoriarty@laoiscoco.ie) by email. Your donation would be greatly accepted and appreciated.

**DURROW SCARECROW FESTIVAL:** DDF will have a specialised award in this years scarecrow festival. The award which started last year saw Erkindale Drive winning with their fantastic display of Scarecrows and this year DDF will continue this Local Community Award! A prize of €200 will be awarded to the best area for displaying scarecrows. A minimum of ten scarecrows must be on display to be considered for this award. There is no separate entry required, the judges will consider each area in their judging process. The Square, Old Esso Station and any DDF Display Scarecrows will be excluded from this judging process. Areas will be judged as follows: Cork Road and Patrick Street, Barnhill and Carrigan Street, Erkindale Drive, Swan Road, St. Fintan's Terrace, Mill Road to include Green Display Area, Derry Road, Chapel Street and Mary Street, Sean Doire, Derry Wood. DDF will be running workshops to assist you in your creations coming up to the festival, please keep an eye out on facebook and website for details, our committee members are ore than happy to assist you with your creations.

**DURROW-CULLOHILL PARISH ANGLERS:** A pike fishing competition for the Harold Lawlor cup was held recently and the Winner was - Tommy Coffey; Second - David Walsh; and Third - Seamus Coffey. The first trout fishing competition of the year will be held on St. Patrick's Day for the Michael Walsh Cup. Fishing starts at 10am and weigh-in will be at 6pm in the Durrow Inn. Entries taken at Lawlor's Flower Shop from 9.30am. On Sunday March 19th there will be a Trout Fishing competition for the Billy Lawlor Memorial Cup. Fishing from 10am with the weigh-in at the Durrow Inn at 6pm. Entries taken at Lawlor's Flower shop from 9.30am. Membership cards are available in Lawlor's Gala, Daybreak, Lawlor's Flower Shop and from Michael Walsh. Membership cards are available in Lawlor's Gala, Daybreak, Lawlor's Flower Shop and from Michael Walsh. Membership Fees for the year are as follows: Senior €40, OAP and Juveniles €5. Day permits will cost €15. Grantstown Lake: Senior €30, OAP and Juveniles €5 euro and Day permits will cost €10.

**LAOIS KAYAK AND CANOE CLUB: 11K Race:** Congratulations to one of our Instructors and fellow kayakers Matt McGrath on his third place win in the 11k fast flowing race in Athy on 5th March.

**Galway Fest 2017:** Best of luck to all out paddlers who will participate in this weekends Paddlefest in Galway in both the Whitewater and Freestyle events.

**Freestyle Team Trials 2017:** The Freestyle 2017 Irish Team Trials will take place in Nottingham this year and interested freestylers should contact the Irish Freestyle Team page directly for further details.

**Durrow Scarecrow Festival 2017:** LKCC are really excited to again be involved in this years scarecrow festival. It's an event not to be missed and is a huge asset to the community as a whole. We look forward to assisting Durrow Development Forum in the different events and to seeing you all over the festival.

**Interested in Kayaking:** Our summer kayaking training and introduction sessions will begin soon and details will be posted to our Facebook Page. We will also have a Level 2 refresher course starting, details will also be posted on Facebook. Mid-Week Paddling will start again on Wednesday evenings, once the evenings are longer. If you are interested in taking up paddling, we will be having training sessions in the coming months as the evenings get longer and these sessions are a perfect opportunity to try it out. Please keep an eye out on Facebook and on our website for details at [www.laoiskayak.com](http://www.laoiskayak.com) online.

**THE HARPS CAMOGIE CLUB:** Indoor Camogie training commenced in Cullohill at 7pm on Monday last. Girls from U6 to U10 are all invited to attend. The training will continue for four weeks. Fee €1 per night. Further information from Mary Donohue (087) 2866147.

**LIONS FC:** The Lions are holding a Table Quiz in Dec's Bar this Thursday night, 16th of March at 9.30pm. Teams of four cost €40 and there will be a raffle on the night. David Finnegan will be the quizmaster and promises a distinctly Irish theme in keeping with St. Patrick's Weekend! We hope to see you there!