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## Glanmire Area Community Association

Good Luck to all the children who are competing in The Community Games, swimming, in Leisureworld, Bishopstown on Saturday 26 /1/19.

The swimmers are:

1. Tom O Connell, Glanmire
2. Kevin Murphy Glanmire
- 3.. Jamie Murphy, Glanmire.
4. Sean O Connell, Glanmire
5. Gabriela Sech, Glanmire
6. Orna Higgins , Glanmire
7. Evie O Connell, Marwood Way, Glanmire.
8. Shauna Murphy, Glanmire
9. Antonia Sech, Gllanmire
10. Isabel Kidney, Marwood Ave, Glanmire.

The next event for

Community Games is Art on in Belgooly in April . The age categories are U8, U10, U12, U14, U16.

All schools in Glanmire will be contacted prior to April to register any children who wish to participate.

## Directors Cut

Hi All,

The following is an update from the Glanmire Environmental Team.

### Positive Note

The Basket Ball Court has been kept in good condition, no broken glass, no fires and litter free, the teenagers have been using the black bags provided, a big thank you for all users of the basketball court.

The park has been re-

spected with minimum litter and free from broken glass and fires, hopefully this respect will continue.

The litter bins are used and there could be more of them so please continue using the litter bins.

Please note that litter bins are not for household rubbish.

We will supply pickers and black bags to people interested in keeping Glanmire litter free. Please contact the community Centre.

The community becomes more aware of its beauty by playing an active part in keeping it beautiful.

### Not so Positive Note

The environmental team started back after the Christmas break on 02-Jan and from the 02-Jan to 17 Jan (10 working days) we collected 10 full truck loads of litter and rubbish,

The rubbish was collected from the side of roads where some people think its ok to throw their rubbish out of their cars onto our area.

Road side littering from cars, household rubbish tipping, dog fouling on pavements and general littering are the not so positive items we need to move into the positive.

We are fortunate to be living in a beautiful area with good community spirit. There are a small number of people that have this negative impact on our Community and hopefully cameras at these hot spot areas will help to minimize this negative affect.

Regards  
Pat Stacey



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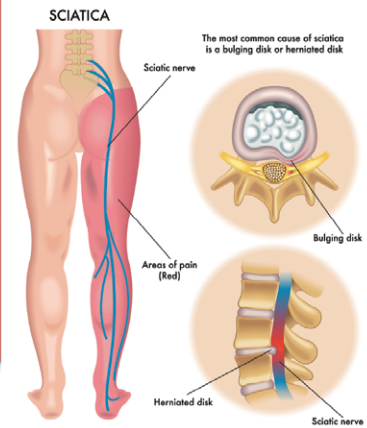
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## "NÍL AON GLEANNTÁN MAR DO GLEANNTÁN FÉIN" GLOUNTHAUNE NEWS BY "THE FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT"

### DÁIBHÍ Ó BRUADAIR

**DÁIBHÍ Ó BRUADAIR** was one of the most significant Irish language poets of the seventeenth century and was one of the first to live solely from his poetry. A monument which was sculptured by Clíodna Cussen stands in his memory at Springfield Castle; home of his patrons the Fitzgeralds of Claonghlais, Broadford, Co. Limerick. It was unveiled by President Mary McAleese on May 4th. 1998, three hundred years after his death.



Plaque Springfield Castle

The wording on the plaque at the entrance includes the following quote from Ó Bruadair; "Dúnadh duanach duasach dreamach" which means; "a mansion abounding in poetry, rewards and crowds of people". "Dúnadh" also means "fortress-like" and was important in the uncertain times that Dáibhí Ó Bruadair lived. What has all this got to do with those residing at this the favoured side of the meandering border? Well the person that brought the superb subject to attention is Knockraha resident Hugh Cronin whose knowledge of this and other such local topics of interest is remarkable. Hugh takes up the story; "The rural area in the north of Glounthaune Parish is infused with a rich history.

The Ordinance Survey Map charts an intricate tapestry of settlement stretching back thousands of years. The standing-stones and ring-forts of our ancestors still stand proudly in the fields. The Christian era is dominated by the ancient ecclesiastical Parish of Kilquane and records of this site can be traced to the late eleventh century. Famously, the people of Knockraha played a brave part in Ireland's fight for freedom; hosting two bomb factories and an infamous prison during the revolutionary period. However there is one son of our parish who, though renowned in his time, is now largely forgotten. The bard of Ollamh held a position at the pinnacle of Gaelic society. These Filí were as famous and esteemed as Ed Sheeran or Bono are today. Bardic scholars recorded the history and genealogy of our people. They had the power to make or break a Chieftain's reputation with the stroke of

a quill. Every wealthy Irish and Norman family required the services of a 'poet in residence'; and Dáibhí Ó Bruadair from Knockraha, born in 1625, was the most skillful and celebrated bard of his time. A 1768 Census of the Barony of Barrymore places the Ó Bruadair family farming one hundred and sixty seven acres in the townland of Monaneague which is one mile north of Knockraha. His family had to be wealthy as few could afford education at that time. Contemporary records show that Ó Bruadair was educated at Dámhscoil na Bhlaran under the patronage of Diarmaid Mc Carthy, Gaelic chief of Blarney Castle. These studies involved a fourteen year apprenticeship under a master poet. The young Ó Bruadair learned Latin, genealogy, seanchas, history and the complex poetic metres and styles, all off by heart. On qualifying as an Ollamh; Ó Bruadair secured privileged employment as Bard to the Fitzgerald family of Claonghlais near Broadford, Co. Limerick. Many poems written during Ó Bruadair's time serving the Fitzgeralds still exist. He recorded family events in verse as well as political commentary of National and International importance. But he never forgot home; also writing about the Barry's of Barrymore and the Cotters' of Ann Grove, Carrigtwohill. We know Ó Bruadair had a family as derived from the fact that An tAthair Chonchur, P.P. of Rathcooney wrote to his son in 1710.

Life was good for Ó Bruadair as exemplified in the love poems he wrote to celebrate marriages and elegies celebrating his patrons. But clouds had begun to darken the horizon for Ó Bruadair. Cromwell, the Treaty of Limerick and the Flight of the Wild Geese saw the rapid demise of our ancient Gaelic way of life and the tide of Ó Bruadair's fortune rapidly began to ebb. The Fitzgeralds lost their lands to English planters and the Knockraha poet found himself all but destitute. The poems he wrote from the sixteen seventies to his death in 1698 portray a man angry with our new English masters who did not appreciate the arts. He was particularly bitter with his fellow Irish for abandoning their culture, heritage and religion. He was exceptionally fluent at composing poems in English but he described the language as being harsh 'garbh-béarla' and unfit for the spoken arts. Pádraig De Brún records Bruadair as passing away in humble circumstances in his native Knockraha at the turn of the seventeenth century. The modern poet Michael Hartnett published a translation of his works

in 1985 and MacElean wrote a three volume anthology of all his poems in 1910. Alas, there is no plaque in our locality that records his life or even a stone that marks his grave. The most learned and illustrious ancestor of our parish remains an obscure resident of university libraries. But Gearóid Ó Murchadh bestowed Ó Bruadair the most fitting of epitaphs writing; 'Yeats and Ó Bruadair's poetry stand out from all other poetry, in Irish or English, by their fellow countrymen' – not bad from a fellow from Knockraha!"

**THIS IS THE BICENTARY YEAR** of Glounthaune Village, formerly New Glanmire, and its historic background was detailed in last month's edition. The following extracts from Guy's Postal Directory of 1875 give a flavour of life in our locality in the early years.

**QUOTE:** "The Glounthaune, or New Glanmire, sub post office is seven miles from Cork on the road to Youghal and Queenstown. The Queenstown Junction GS&W rail station is scarcely half a mile from the village with trains every hour. The Lee enters almost opposite Passage and flows through Bury's Bay as far as Glounthaune and it exposes a large track of slob land when it recedes. However this waste is being gradually reclaimed by the owner; Captain P. Bury, J.P. of Little Island.

Between the Junction and Carrigtohill lie Brown Island and Harper's Island. Mails arrive at 6.30 am and 2.30 pm and are dispatched at 10.00 am and 9.00 pm. The Post Master and Station Master is H. Ryan. The registrar of deaths, births and marriages is Dr. D. B. O'Flynn. Petty Sessions of the District are held at Riverstown every second Tuesday and the court clerk is J. Kennedy. Quarter Sessions are held in Cork and the resident magistrates are J. S. Macleod and W. Starkie. The sub inspector of the constabulary is George D. Mercer and the constable is M. Trumble. Justices of the Peace are Albert Francis Roche of Johnstown and Captain R. N. Stuart of Combermere.

The Gentry and Clergy are Ludlow A. Beamish, Annmount, Captain Richard Pigott Beamish, Ashbourne, Rev. James Clancy P.P. who resides at Little Island and Rev. John Daly C.C. There are one hundred and forty pupils at the National School and Mr. Herlihy is teacher. The vintners are Margaret Ahern, Glounthaune, Michael Barry, Annmount and James Donohue, Glounthaune. The principal landholders are: Timothy Ahern, Ballinglanna, John Cotter,

Lackenroe, Thomas Donovan, Sunville, Thomas Donovan, Ballycurreen, Owen Edwards, Ballycurreen, Edward Geary, Lackenroe, Patrick Gleeson, The Highlands, James Harte, Rowgarrane, John Martin, Killahora, Michael Moore, Rowgarrane, Joseph Martin, Misor Hill, Michael Mc Carthy, Ballymacandrick, Patrick Mc Carthy, Rowgarrane, Timothy Mc Carthy, Rowgarrane, Michael Mc Carthy, Rowgarrane, Bartholomew Murphy, Annmount, Denis Twomey, Rowgarrane, John Wakeham, Johnstown and Denis Donohoe, Lackenroe." **UNQUOTE.**

The Directory of 1914 shows further interesting details. Miss Mary Ahern was postmistress of the Post & Telegraph office and Glanmire was the nearest Money Order office. P. Bowley was Station Master of Queens-town Junction. The New Glanmire dispensary was open Mondays' and Thursdays' from eleven a.m. to twelve thirty p.m. and the Medical Officer was Dr. Michael P. Dunlea of Riverstown.

The Officer in Charge of New Glanmire Barracks was Sergeant T. Bergin and Cornelius N. Murphy and Mrs. E. Moylan were the National School teachers. There were three vintners listed: Ellen Walsh, Annmount, Michael Manning, Killacloyne and Thomas Donnelly. Hannah Keniry was a shopkeeper, Daniel Long of Annmount, a smith and W. Leahy of Annmount, a carpenter.

Named landowners included: John Fenton, Upper Killahora, William Willis, Sunlodge, Matthew Murphy, Windsor Hill, William Murphy, Annmount, Mrs. D. Murphy, Upper Killahora and James O' Connor, Sunville. Residents listed included: RH.DL Beamish, Ashbourne, Thomas Ross, Windsor Hill, Francis Coffey, Johnstown House, William Twomey, Killahora House, John DL. JP Murphy, Annmount House, Brigadier General WRB. CB. DSO Doran, Very Rev. T. Canon Fleming P.P., Rev. Timothy Mc Carthy C.C., Captain W. Nicholson, Killahora Lodge and Mrs. Wakeham, Johnstown Villa. Well, there are many changes since these directories were published; one hundred and forty pupils attending the national school, two mail services with the last dispatch at nine p.m., a dispensary and an RIC Barracks in the village. Where is Ballymacandrick and Misor Hill? Bury's Bay is referenced. The Parish Priest residing in Little Island - a 2019 publication would make very interesting reading!

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## Gardening with Charlie Wilkins



Charlie Wilkins

### SOMETHING SPECIAL

The heartbeat of the garden has slowed to alpha pace. Its eyes are drowsy. The extravagance of summer is a distant memory. In places, the land is flooded, but it waits, subdued and hidden until conditions improve. Temporarily humbled by the pervasive strength of winter it bides the days in the full knowledge that winter cannot remain strong beyond its time.

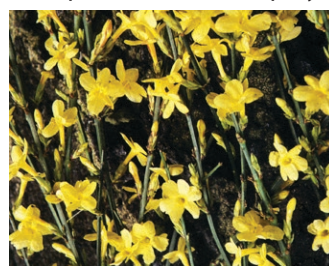
The wind, which never really ceased last year, remains cold even when temperatures climb to almost double figures. It blows in from over ten miles of open countryside to whistle down through this high-altitude garden, dulling my enthusiasm for activity and deadening the ache for a chance to be up and doing. When it sometimes dies to a breeze, odd little jobs are willingly sought, although nothing excessive or demanding is ever undertaken at this challenging time of the year. Heavier, harder, and more difficult work is laid aside for the brighter days just ahead. February may provide some welcome distractions (snow perhaps but not a return of the Best from the East!) for I have grown uneasy indoors and look forward to being out again in my own special place. And yet, even on the

wettest and dullest days there is always something in the garden (it seems) to lift my spirits! With no weeding, staking, or planting to be done I can take time to peruse whatever plucky plants are attempting to flower. Behind the bungalow on this dreadfully wet afternoon I can see a few miniature posies of Viburnum, some delicate hardy cyclamen, (cyclamen coum) and most captivating of all, an early Lenten rose. Peeping further into the gloom my gaze settles where a specimen of winter Jasmine is flowering unnoticed. The sight lifts my spirits. It grows against a cold, shady pillar, facing into the east light with a determination that equals the biting winds that blow in from that quarter. Here's a shrub of perfectly mounded proportions which every winter garden should boast, for it covers itself (in summer with tiny green leaves) and between November and March, with masses of star-shaped butter yellow blooms. This is truly a totally obliging, reliable plant.

I love the way it spills and arches forward from its planting station, how it roots of its own accord if allowed dip into the soil, and how it blooms as outlined from November right through to

spring.

The one attribute this plant loses out on is perfume. A blade of grass, a snowflake, an autumn leaf has more scent than nudiflorum, but even so, do not despise the ordinariness of this winter wonder. It is a dependable standby, an easy-to-please, grow-anywhere 'climber' of modest drooping nature. Use it as a tightly clipped feature around your porch or allow it to cascade as a golden waterfall in whichever part of the garden you choose. Either way it is beautiful, and it needs absolutely nothing. No special diet, no sprays,



Winter jasmine

not even sunshine.

For all that, it benefits from one little bit of important cultural attention. Cut back it really hard in March so that fresh shoots are immediately encouraged. These will be the ones to carry the blooms the following winter and spring.

### THE FEBRUARY GARDEN

It was warm enough one afternoon of late for a short stroll around the garden, and in one of my sunny stopping places I paused to look lazily at hordes of winter gnats dancing and twirling and tumbling in the low-angle sunlight above a musty-damp evergreen hedge. Abundant everywhere in winter, males form dense mating swarms rising and falling in unison until they eventually are obliged to rest among the spindly branches and sheltering evergreen leaves. The dance and choreographic display resumes at intervals and continue for as long as the weak daylight remains. Their resulting larvae feed on decaying foliage whilst the adults opt for little more than nectar and plant juices. Related species which are hard to identify properly include midges and mosquitoes, and

these will bite (man and animal) even in winter, rising lumps and hives on those who are unfortunate enough to be attacked.

Nearby, on a west-facing ivy-clad wall, large pregnant blue-bottles are sunning themselves on the variegated leaves, having supped on the dark juicy berries. Is this where these dipterous creatures overwinter? It makes me wonder. The small, round, unfamiliar sun, flat as a sovereign thrown on a grey silk table-cloth, continued to shine from a denim-blue sky and in a moment of relaxation I could have sworn it was April. Closer still, a shoot of fuchsia, a scrap of campanula and an early daffodil bloom. Things are still slow-growing, but underground the activity is reaching hectic proportions. Winter may indeed be a contemplative season full of mystery and silent growth, but those dramatic (if fleeting) observations from the bleakness of

the ground and the emptiness of the trees raised my hopes and inner spirits! Like all gardeners I tire of tasting the monotony of grey skies, endless rainfall and barren, sodden soil. Still, I rejoice in the knowledge that light and warmth will soon be filling more and more of each passing day. My enthusiasm rekindled, I move inside. CAMELLIAS; The most joyous flowering of the next few months will be from camellias, and already, the blush pink and shell white blooms of a pot-grown Sasanqua 'Lucinda' are giving a welcome mid-winter lift. To think that two years ago this was almost 'thrown at me' at a well-known garden centre (because it was such a slow seller) beggars belief. In another area, the very lovely single red Sasanqua Camellia 'Yuletide' will soon be in bloom adding to the general post-Christmas garden scene. If searching for one of these, try Hillside in Glounthaune!



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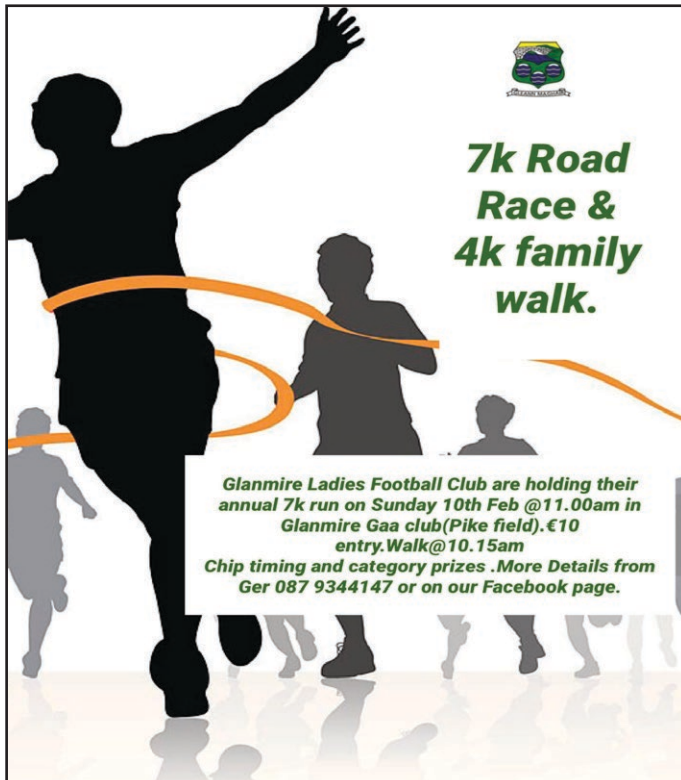
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**Glanmire Social/Awards celebrating our 2018 season**

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The night was filled with laughter, dancing and trophies won by all our age groups.

**Kate Hannon**

Congratulations to Kate Hannon who received the youth City and County Sports award for December (2018), in recognition for her contribution and performance in the All Ireland Final. Her passion, skill and determination that she shows at every match was evident on the day and was very much deserving.

From a very young age Kate was highly skilful and competitive, and during her summers off could be spotted in the Pike taking frees, soloing and even using her dad or brothers as goalies so she could



Glanmire/cork players Niamh, Shauna, Aimee, Kayla, Caragh and Orlaith

practice, this has paid off for Kate in the shape that her continuous practicing has seen her feature and playing a leading role in all under age cork teams 14, 16 and minor levels, Kate also featured on the Cork senior panel in 2018, while also playing on her college team.

**New players**

Would you or someone you know like to play with Glanmire ladies football club either socially or competitively? We are always welcoming of new players or players who may want to come back to play.

For any enquires contact **Development Officer Mark** on **086 8685489** OR check out our Facebook/twitter pages.



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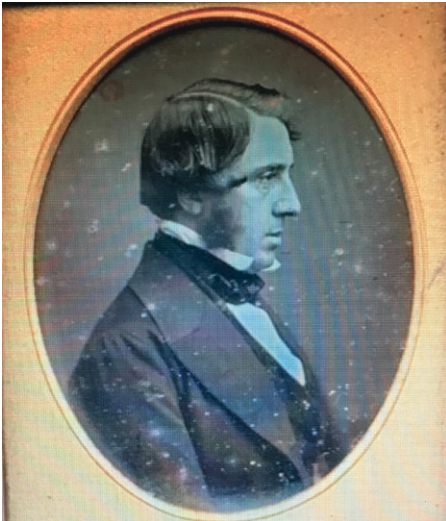


# Denny Lane

Náisiúnaí, Scríbhneoir, Fear Gnó

Micheál Ó Súilleabháin

Duine tábhachtach i stair an 19ú Céad i gCorcaigh agus in Éirinn is ea Denny Lane. Saolaíodh é in 1818 agus fuair sé bás in 1895. Inniu aithnítear an t-ainm mar údar an bhailéid 'Carrigdhoun' ach bhí sé bainteach le mórán gnéithe de shaol a linne. Bhí feirm ag a shinseanathair, Maurice, i gCloich Philib i bparóiste Mhaigh Teichigh. Siopadóir ba ea a sheanathair, Denis, agus tionsclóir ba ea a athair, Maurice. Duine de mheán aicme Caitliceach na linne ba ea Denny, mar sin. Ní raibh an córas oideachais náisiúnta fós bunaithe ina óige. D'fhreastail sé ar bhunscoil phríobhádeach, Millikin's Preparatory School agus ina dhiaidh sin ar Hamblin and Porter's. Bhí béim ar an gcuraclam clasaiceach agus ar mhatamaitic ann. Fuair sé scoláireacht ansin chun freastal ar Choláiste na Tríonóide. Rinne sé staidéar ar an dlí ann agus glaoth chun an bharra é. Bhí tionchar ag an am a chaith sé i gColáiste na Tríonóide ar a dhearcadh polaitiúil. Chuir sé aithne ar dhaoine mar Thomás Dáibhis agus Charles Gavan Duffy ag an am seo. Bhí gluaiseacht Reipéil Dhomhnaill Uí Chonaill chun tosaigh ag an am agus ghlac sé páirt ann. Scríobh sé filíocht agus altanna don 'Nation', nuachtán a raibh Gavan Duffy ina eagarthóir air. Foilsíodh dánta dá chuid ann. Ina measc bhí 'Lament of an Irish Maiden' nó mar is fearr aithne air, 'Carrigdhoun'. Baineann sé le teitheadh na nGéanna Fiáine ó Éirinn sna 1690idí.



Denny Lane

Ag an am seo, bhris aighneas amach idir lucht leanúna Dhomhnaill Uí Chonaill agus baill Éire Óg maidir le húsáid an fhoréigin agus, dá dheasca, d'éirigh Denny Lane as gluaiseacht an Reipéil in 1846. Bhí baint ag Denny ina dhiaidh sin le bunú clubanna ar fud Chontae Chorcaí chun neamhspleáchas a bhaint amach. Cé go raibh an-mheas aige ar John Mitchel agus ar William Smith O' Brien, bhí sé amhrasach faoin dul chun cinn a bhí á dhéanamh ag poblachtachas. Bhí

Denny Lane ag dul timpeall ag tabhairt óráidí ar son an neamhspleáchais agus mheas na póilíní, áfach, go raibh sé agus daoine eile ag spreagadh ceannairce. Cuireadh Habeas Corpus ar fionraí agus caitheadh é agus daoine eile i bpríosún. Chaith sé ceithre mhí i bpríosún Chorcaí i dTobar i an Domhnaigh.

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**DENNY LANE'S**  
PRIZE MEDAL  
**SILVERSPRING**  
**STARCH**

Fógraíocht

Nuair a fuair athair Denny bás in 1845, fágadh drioghlann i mBaile an Ghleanna, Gleann Maghair agus cuid mhaith talún le hoidhreachtaí aige. Ní raibh an t-am go maith do thionscal na dí, áfach. Bhí éifeacht ag gluaiseacht na measarthachta a thosaigh an tAthair Maitiú agus ag an nGorta Mór ar an éileamh ar alcól. Bhí muintir Lane bainteach le mórán fiontar, muileann plúir, muileann arbhair, grúdlann a rinne leann i mBaile Roisín. Fuair muintir Arnott úinéireacht ar an ngrúdlann seo níos déanaí agus, ar deireadh, cheannaigh Grúdlann Murphy's é. Dhúnadar síos é in 1901. Bhí drioghlann ar léas ag Denny Lane i mBaile Roisín tamall. Ba iad muintir Lyons a bhunaigh é sna 1820idí. Thugtaí gual le haghaidh na drioglainne suas abhainn na Glaise Buí go Cé Ghleann Maghair.

Ba é an fiontar ba rathúla a raibh baint ag Denny Lane leis ná Oibreacha Stáirse Silversprings. Bhí an comhlacht lonnaithe i sean-mhuileann olla Thomas Lyons ag Cnoc Uí Charragáin. Bunaíodh an comhlacht stáirse in 1883. Rinne sé stáirse ríse de chineál ard agus bhí 50 duine fós fostaithe ann nuair a dhún sé síos go déanach sna 1920idí. Dealraíonn sé go raibh tionchar ag náisiúnachas Denny Lane ar a chuid fiontar. Theastaigh uaidh fostaíocht a chruthú agus chreid sé go láidir gur cheart gnó Éireannach a chur chun cinn agus bunábhair na hÉireann a úsáid i gcónaí nuair a bhí siad ar fáil. Bhí sé tar éis scrúdú a dhéanamh ar an réabhlóid thionsclaíoch i Sasana agus chonaic sé na deacrachtaí a chruthaigh monarchana ollmhóra do shláinte agus do shaol na n-oibrithe iontu. B'fhearr leis go mbeadh monarchana beaga in Éirinn bunaithe faoin tuath agus go mbeadh coinníollacha maithe ar fáil do na hoibrithe. B'fhéidir go raibh baint ag a choinsias sóisialta leis an easpa ratha, i gcoitinne, a bhí ar a chuid fiontar. Eisceacht ba ea na hOibreacha Stáirse.

Bhí an-bhaint ag Denny leis an Cork Gas Company. D'oibrigh sé ann mar

bhainisteoir agus mar phríomh-innealltóir idir 1856 go dtí 1895, nuair a fuair sé bás. Sna blianta seo bhí an gás á sheachadadh ar fud na cathrach mar fhoinsé cumhachta do theaghlaigh agus do thionscail. Úsáideadh an gual mar bhunábhar don ghás. Bhí suim ag Denny sna hiarnróid, chomh maith agus bhí sé ina stiúrthóir ar an Blackrock and Passage Railway agus ina leas-chathaoirleach ar an Macroom Railway Company. Bhí sé ina stiúrthóir ar Bhord Cuain Chorcaí, chomh maith.

Luaigh mé níos luaithe go raibh coinsias sóisialta ag Denny Lane. Thuig sé go raibh sé féin go maith as agus go raibh an-bhochtanas ina thimpeall. Chabhraigh sé le daoine bochta le linn an Ghorta agus go rialta ina dhiaidh sin. Nuair a fuair sé bás, chaoin na daoine bochta é go mór. Thuig sé tábhacht an oideachais ag am nach raibh mórán tacaíochta á tabhairt ag an stát. Chreid sé go speisialta san oideachas Caitliceach agus bhronn sé deontais airgid ar institiúidí oideachais, an Mhainistir Thuaidh san áireamh.



Plaic ar an Meal Theas

Fuair Denny Lane bás ina theach cónaithe ar an Meal Theas in 1895. Tá plaic ina onóir ar fhallaí an tí inniu. Bhí saol iomlán caite aige agus is cinnte go ndeachaigh a chuid iarrachtaí sa tionsclaíocht, sa pholaitíocht agus i saol na mbochtán chun tairbhe do mhórán. Tá sé curtha i reilig Mhaigh Teiche, áit dhúchais a shinsir.

\* Tá páipéir Denny Lane ar fáil sa Cork Archives Institute

## Gluais:

gnéithe = aspects

curaclam = curriculum

Géanna Fiáine = Wild Geese

poblachtachas = republicanism

drioghlann = distillery

grúdlann = brewery

gluaiseacht na measarthachta = temperance movement

fiontar = enterprise

coinsias = conscience





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## Plans for new Glanmire signage well under way

The proposed new signage to identify (and brand) the Glanmire area and its individual townlands is well under way. It is intended that the new signage will be positioned on the roadsides of all main roads leading into the greater Glanmire Area - from the City, from the west, via Mayfield from the north - off the M8 Motorway (Exit 18) and from the East along the N25 Midleton Carraigeway.

The signs (artist's impressions shown below) will be free-standing double-sided, monolith signs. The larger signs with Glanmire only, will be on the main approach roads, with four slightly smaller signs for the individual townlands - Sallybrook, Hazelwood, Brooklodge and Riverstown.

The overall concept stems from the River Glasaboy, the most dominant natural feature of the Glanmire River Valley. The river is represented by the four stainless steel vertical bars which intertwine in a swirling effect at the top to suggest the flow of the river from source to sea.

As branding for Glanmire, they are intended to be civic in nature rather than commercial, and as such we deliberately set out to differentiate them from commercial signs by using uncoloured materials - aluminium, steel, stainless steel and concrete. The only concession regarding colour is the rust effect oval panel which carries the name Glanmire or the name of the individual townlands. The overall sculptural effect will be aesthetically pleasing adding prestige to the Glanmire area.



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Iris Wilkins McCarthy brings her pick of photographs from around Mayfield.  
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Aaron Casey

Well done to Aaron Casey in fifth year Mayfield Community School who has been awarded a scholarship to study at the Institute of Arts in Barcelona for a week in July.



Cllr. Joe Kavanagh Local Election Launch



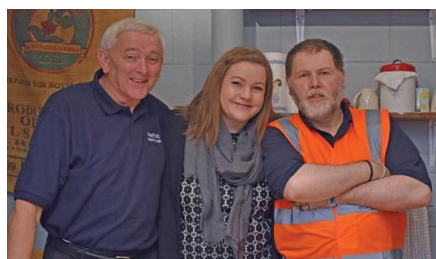
Mayfield Mens Shed



Mens Shed with Mick Finn



Mayfield GAA - Rebel Og Awards Night







### Mayfield Ladies GAA who are the East Cork Minor Championship Winners



Mayfield Ladies GAA Winners



### Labour Party Election Candidate John Maher visits his old school Mayfield Community and presents the Woodwork and Metalwork rooms as well as the Mens Shed with first aid kits.



### Jack O Driscoll Football Blitz Fundraiser held in Sarsfields Hurling Club







## Dr. John Sheehan

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## WHAT IS MENINGOCOCCAL DISEASE?

Meningococcal disease is a serious illness caused by the bacteria *Neisseria meningitidis*. This bacterial infection can cause meningitis (inflammation of the lining around the brain) and septicaemia (blood poisoning).

There are different groups of the *Neisseria meningitidis* bacteria that cause meningococcal disease. Before the introduction of the meningitis C (MenC) vaccine in 2000, groups B and C caused most cases of meningococcal disease in Ireland. Thanks to the MenC vaccine against group C bacteria, the number of cases of meningococcal disease due to group C bacteria has fallen dramatically. Most cases are now caused by group B bacteria. Unfortunately there have been two fatalities from Men B in Ireland this winter.

Meningococcal C vaccine for protection against meningitis C infection has been given to children in Ireland since 2000. Since the vaccine was introduced in late 2000, the number of cases of meningococcal disease, due to group meningococ-

cal group C bacteria, has declined dramatically. The number of reported cases has fallen from 139 in 2000 to just 6 in 2014, a reduction of 96%

Meningococcal bacteria can live at the back of the throat or in the nose. Most people, who carry these bacteria (carriers), remain well but they can spread the bacteria to others through coughing, sneezing, or kissing.

Meningococcal disease may occur at any age but the highest rate of meningococcal disease occurs in children under 5 years of age. Meningococcal B disease is most common in children under one year of age. The next highest risk group are young people aged 15-19 years. MenB vaccine has been shown to be very effective and safe, providing 88% protection against MenB bacteria types.

The onset of meningococcal disease can be very swift. The symptoms of meningococcal disease include fever, a stiff neck, headache, joint pains, and a rash. If you think your child has signs of meningococcal

disease seek medical help immediately from your G.P, SouthDoc or Emergency Department. In some cases acting quickly to get medical help can mean the difference between life and death.

Meningococcal disease is a very serious life threatening illness.

Of the people who get meningococcal disease:

- 1 in 20 will die
- 1 in 10 people who recover will have a major disability such as deafness, brain damage or loss of fingers, toes, hands, feet, arms or legs.

Early diagnosis leads to early treatment with antibiotics and a greater chance that the person will make a full recovery. Early diagnosis is the key so if you suspect that someone may have meningitis or septicaemia seek medical attention immediately.

All children are offered MenB vaccine at 2 and 4 months of age with a booster dose of MenB vaccine given at 12 months.

Children under 1 year of age are most at risk of getting MenB and should be vaccinated.

The MenB vaccine was in-

troduced in Ireland for all children born on or after 1 October 2016 because children under one year are at the highest risk of meningococcal B disease.

Any child born on or after 1st October 2016 who has missed a dose of MenB vaccine can still get it from their GP. Contact your GP today to make an appointment. The HSE should introduce a catch-up programme for the MenB vaccine.

After getting the vaccine, your child may have discomfort, redness or swelling around the area where the injection was given. They may be irritable and have a fever.

Of the children who are immunised:

- 1 in 2 will have a fever
- 1 in 10 will get discomfort, redness or swelling where the injection was given or will have a fever
- 1 in 100 may get a high fever
- Children usually recover from these minor side effects within a day or two

More information is available at HSE.ie or [www.meningitis.org/ireland](http://www.meningitis.org/ireland)

## Upper Glanmire ICA

### Update on Guild activities

• January is a quiet month, as we don't have a meeting, but 24 members enjoyed a lovely meal at the Barn restaurant on the 6th January "cf: Our F.Book page for photos.

• At our February meeting, we will hold a Bring and Buy Sale to raise funds for our Guild activities



Pauline O Callaghan and Rita Cloghessy at the Barn Restaurant on the 6th January



Mary Cashman and Mary O' Dowd at the Barn

during the year. Some really great bargains can be got at this event.

### February Recipe :

#### Chocolate Cookies

#### Ingredients

- 4 oz soft brown sugar
- 6 oz plain flour
- Pinch of salt
- 3 oz of butter (not marg)
- 1 egg
- 4-6 oz of broken choc pieces



Kitty O Flynn, Betty Burke and Peggy Murphy at the Barn

### Method

Grease 2 baking sheets (swiss roll tins)

- chop up your chocolate into small pieces
- Beat your sugar and butter until light in colour, but not too fluffy.
- Add your egg, flour and salt. Mix well. Add chocolate pieces. Mix very well again.
- Spoon 6 small heaps onto each tray. Flatten slightly with a fork.
- set trays aside in the fridge while oven heats to 200° (I find that they



Chocolate cookies

maintain their shapes much better when you transfer them straight from the cold fridge to a very hot oven)

- Cook until light brown.....10m. Remove from oven, and leave to harden on the trays for 20m approx.
- Children love these with a glass of milk.





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## Lá Spóirt 2018: Rás Sealaíochta: Sóisir

Bliain	Áit	Dalta 1	Dalta 2	Dalta 3	Dalta 4
1	An chéad áit	Mel Breathnach	Ethan Ó Baoill	Selena Ní Riordáin	Laoise Ní Aodha
1	An dara háit	Áine Ní Chadáin	Sibéal Ní Cheallaigh	Neil Ó Cochláin	Art Ó Mearáin
1	An tríú háit	Alex Ó Foghlú	Conchú Ó Gabhann	Doresa Ahmeti	Kira Vorhins
2	An chéad áit	H. Ní Mhuirthile	Cillian Mac Cárthaigh	Clodagh Ní Shionnaigh	Flynn Ó Briain
2	An dara háit	Seán Ó hOistín	Seán Mac an Adhstair	Ellen Ní Bhrádaigh	Ellie Kate Ní Luasa
2	An tríú háit	Vivienne Ní Ghliasaín	Anna Ní Chaoimh	Daithí Ó hUaine	Tomás Ó Luain
3	An chéad áit	Dónal Conchubhair	Daithí de Barra	Oisín Ó Donnabháin	Tomás Mac Gearailt
3	An dara háit	Naoise Ó Mearáin	O. Mac Seo. Mac Shim	Amy Ní Néill	Flyod Ó Cúipéir
3	An tríú háit	Sorcha Ní Dhonecha	Conchúr Ó Drisceoil	Leah Ní hÓgáin	Jake Ó Drisceoil

## Lá Spóirt 2018: Rás Sealaíochta: Sinsir

Bliain	Áit	Dalta 1	Dalta 2	Dalta 3	Dalta 4
4	An chéad áit	Fiachra Ó Luanaigh	Lúcas Mac Aogáin	Riona Ní Chruaioi	Róisín Ní Shuilleabháin
4	An dara háit	Tomás Dupas	Clodagh Ní Fhinn	Briain Ó Gráda	Zoe Ní Craith
4	An tríú háit	Tomás Ó Lonergáin	Pádraig Mac an Rí	Leah Ní Bheirne	Kaela Ní Leannacháin
5	An chéad áit	Ellie Ní Thuama	Leah Ní Thuama	Tomás Ó Foghlú	Eimhin Ó Rothlín
5	An dara háit	C. Áine Ní Cárthaigh	Elaine Ní Mhurchú	Seosamh Ó Lonergáin	Séamus Ó Muireasáin
5	An tríú háit	Jake Waterman	Oisín Ó Duinneacha	Seán Mac Íomhair	Áine Ní an Rí
6	An chéad áit	M. Ní Uibh Aillile	Edel Ní Lonergáin	Ceilián Ó Laoi	Draig Mac Einrí
6	An dara háit	Séamus Ó Murchú	Annaliese Ní Mhurchú	Niall Cnoic	Christine Ní Fhloinn
6	An tríú háit	Gael Breathnach	Gearóid Pléimeann	Con Ó Brudair	Dónal Ó Tuama

## Lá Spóirt 2018: Roinnt Buaiteoirí



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Bhronn an Colaiste Ollscoile, Baile Átha Cliath scoláireacht iontrála ar Éabha Ní Phaidín, thuas, agus bhronn an Colaiste Ollscoile Corcaigh scoláireacht iontrála Quercus ar Shéamus Ó Murchú ar n-íardhaltaí.



Thuas tá daltaí i bhfochair an aoichainteora Elizabeth Moore. Is léachtóir i Elizabeth san eolaíocht fhóirínseach in Institiúid Teicneolaíochta Luimnigh. Thug sí léacht a bhí thar a bheith suimniúil faoin ábar. Thíos tá daltaí ag baint taitnimh as an gcúairt a thug an ceathrú bliain ar pháirc sacair Bayern Munich.

## Gleann Maghair Abú



Chuireamar fáilte Uí Cheallaigh roimh ár ndaltaí agus ár n-íardhaltaí a ghlac páirt i gCraobh na hÉireann, Sóisir na gCailíní, sa chaid, le club caide Ghleann Mhaghair le déanaí. Is iad a thug an sway leo i ndóthair sa bhabhta craoibhe agus déanamid go léir idir bhainistíocht, mhúinteoirí, tuismitheoirí agus daltaí comhghairdeas ó chroí leo as an ngaisce éachtach a rinne siad. Bhí na daltaí/íardhaltaí seo a leanas ar an bpainéal: Ava Ní Chiardha, Riona Ní Chruaioi, Carol Áine Ní Cárthaigh, Ally Ní Cárthaigh, Rachel Ní Chéilleachair, Síofra Ní Fhionnagáin, Niamh Ní Ailín, Jane Ní Ailín, Ruth Ní Cárthaigh, Ellen Ní Mhurchú, Annaliese Ní Mhurchú.

## Caith Amach É

## McAfee ar Cuairt



Bhí Caith Amach É ar cuairt sa scoil roimh an Nollaig. A leithéid de mhaidin! Bhaineamar súp as an seó. Cuireadh an tsraith pictiúr in ár láthair le greann agus le spraoi. Bhí an-ord agus eagar ar an gceardlann. Chuir an ocaid go mór len ár nGaeilge. Tugadh cuireadh do dhaltai an tséú bliain páirt ghníomhach a ghlacadh sna himeachtaí agus chuir an méid seo leis an spraoi a baineadh as na himeachtaí. Go raibh míle maith agat a Iníon Ní Argáin, Roinn na Gaeilge a d'eagraigh gach aon ní.

Domhnach is dálach, táimid ar an airdeall go gcuirtear an chomhairle is fearr is féidir linn ar ár ndaltaí, maidir le sábháilteacht ar an idirlíon. Is chuige sin a d'eagraíomar cuairt chun na scoile ó shaineolaí de chuid McAfee, mar a bhfuil Oliver Ciappara thuas, a chuir oiliúint faoi shábháilteacht ar an idirlíon ar fiche dalta de chuid na hidirbhliana. Beidh ár dteagascóirí nua ag roinnt an eolais ar phobal na scoile sna seachtainí romhainn. Guímid gach rath orthu.





## Ger Keohane MCC



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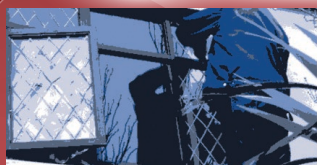
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## Glanmire Men's Shed

Since it was set up in April 2018 Glanmire Men's Shed has been active and its future looks very positive,

Since September weekly meetings were held at 10.30 am on Monday mornings at three locations (Rivers-town Community Centre, Supervalu Community Room and at the Glanmire Scouting Centre) and the membership has grown to fifteen. The Shed members appreciate the generosity of all three organisations for facilitating the group while they have been searching for its own building.

The Shed has been very busy since April and activities included;

- Searching for a permanent location and building for the shed where members could meet, socialise and engage in projects in a pleasant safe environment,
- Finding suitable premises (two- room portacabin) and a suitable site for its location. Site is ready and the new shed will be in place in the near future,
- Fund raising: Local businesses have been very generous in their donations and their generosity will be acknowledged in the new brochure which is being prepared,
- The Shed was fortunate to receive a Local Development Grant to furnish and equip the new premises and has applied for a local amenity grant available from Cork County Council to locate and decorate the shed.
- Members partake in the Weekly walk each Thursday morning and this health promoting activity is growing in popularity,
- Guest speakers have attended the meetings and have given advice on health, entitlements for members, insurance and mental wellbeing.

The International Men's Sheds Gathering was held at Páirc Uí Chaoimh, Cork, from September 12th to 13th.

This was the largest such gathering of men's sheds members anywhere in the world. About 500 attended. This Gathering featured top-class speakers including Irish Olympian David Gillick and rugby legend Doncha O'Callaghan. The main focus, however, was upon the 400 plus Irish sheds – they told their stories and shared their triumphs, achievements and plans for the future.

Members of Glanmire Men's Shed attended all sessions at Páirc Uí Chaoimh and at the Rochestown Park Hotel where links were created with many Irish, Scottish, English, Danish, Icelandic, Canadian and especially Australian Sheds (where Men's Sheds were set up and are linked to and facilitated by the health services in most areas).

Participants visited some of the 40 sheds in Cork City and County during their stay in Cork. Day 2 was spent on tours to Spike Island, the Old Head of Kinsale and Clonakilty,

A very successful social night was held at the Widows, Glanmire on December 6th where all shed members were treated to excellent refreshments, food and a brilliant music session arranged by the proprietor, Mr Tim O'Callaghan and our local Community Garda, Noel Fitzgerald.

From December 21st to 24th the shed members donned their high visibility vests and baseball caps (sponsored and printed, by McCarthy Sports Shop) to help customers with access and parking for their Christmas shopping at Supervalu multi-storey car park Glanmire. All members who did two-hour shifts each day enjoyed this community activity and are grateful to the Management, Noel O'Riordan, Manager and Louise Opperman, HR Officer and Staff of Ryan Supervalu for their generous donation to the Shed on this occasion and indeed in affording them the use of a room for meetings for a number of weeks.

Glanmire Men's shed aims to create and maintain a friendly, safe environment that will allow men to meet and develop friendships while participating in group and individual activities.

## Glanmire Heritage Society



SALLYBROOK WOOLLEN MILL

Sallybrook Woollen Mill

Glanmire Heritage Society wishes to say a big THANK YOU to those who have shared with us their memories of working in local mills in the past. We are still interested in collecting more stories from anyone who themselves, or their relatives, worked in any of the mills that existed along the Glashaboy River, e.g. Punches, St. Patrick's Woollen Mills, Waterproofs, Sherrards etc.

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Based on the support we have received in Glanmire during our nine months in existence we are determined to continue. We are actively planning to undertake projects, where appropriate, for the benefit of individuals, local groups and the community here in Glanmire.

New members are always welcome. Contact numbers and application enquiries can be found on our Glanmire Men's Shed Facebook page.



Presentation to Glanmire Men's Shed by Noel O'Riordan, Manager and Louise Opperman on behalf of Ryan's Supervalu, Glanmire. L to R: Bob Tansley, Louise Opperman (Supervalu), Richard Power, Tim Glavin, Martin Barry, Damian Moriarty, Noel O'Riordan (Manager), Sean Goggin and Dermot O Connell

## St. Stephen's Pitch and Putt



St. Stephens pitch and putt club is situated in the beautiful grounds of St Stephen's Hospital, Sarsfieldcourt, Glanmire.

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## Erins Own GAA

• Juvenile Registration morning takes place on Saturday February 02nd from 10 am to 12 in the clubhouse in Caherlag.

\*\*\*Operation Transformation\*\*\*

Want to go exercising each week with your friends? Looking for somewhere to go? Well you could be at the right place! Erins Own are running Ireland Lights Up/Get Walking Initiative, which starts On Thursday 17th January to 21st February from 7-8pm in Erins Own GAA Grounds Páirc Uí Chonaill, Caherlag.

• Lights will be on. All welcome to attend

• Kids parties/5 a side Astro Pitch available for hire contact Pat 087-6431807

• Our club shop stocking all the latest Erins Own gear, our club shop is opened each Wednesday evening 6:30-7:30pm, Saturday 10:30-12pm and Sunday 10:30-12pm.

• Officers elected at our recent AGM

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2018 County Champions Erins Own U12's



Erins Own U6's



Intercounty Players Kiera Mulcahy, Ella Collins & Aimee Corcoran pictured with Niamh Ni Chaoimh & Orla Finn



Hilda Keohane & Niamh Ni Chaoimh



Erins Own U13's

## Erins Own Ladies Club

Erins Own Ladies Club had their annual awards ceremony in the Radisson Hotel in Little Island on Sunday the 30th of December 2018. We were delighted to bestow Hilda Keohane as our Honorary President for our club.

Hilda has been amazing to all our girls and we greatly appreciate everything she has done for many years. It was a very enjoyable day and a fabulous end to a very successful year for the club. We had plenty of medals, cups, plaques and trophies on display and the girls received medals for various wins

during the year.

The girls were presented with their medals by Cork Stars Niamh Ni Chaoimh and Orla Finn and the club are very proud of our girls achievements. Hopefully our 2019 season will be as successful as 2018.

New members are always welcome to the club, we have Junior and Minor teams, teams for U8, U10, U12, U14 and U16 both in Football and Camogie.

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## GLANMIRE MONTHLY MACRA NEWS



Glanmire Macra Members Enjoy Woodcutting Event

### Glanmire host Annual Woodcutting Event

The New Year is a time for people to draw a line in the sand and take up some new challenges. Yet it is important to reflect on the positives and continue the strong traditions of the past. One such tradition is Glanmire's annually woodcutting event. Done during the Winter Season, the woodcutting is a longstanding event on the Glanmire calendar.

We pride ourselves in engaging with the local community and supporting them. Not only did Glanmire members source, chop and split the timber, we continued the personal approach of hand delivering bags to most in need of it.

A massive thank you to Sean Ahern, Will Daly, Louise Harte, Donal O Callaghan, Michael Buckley, Kevin Smiddy, Michael O Donovan, Seamus Reid, David McAuliffe and Aisling Walsh for helping on today. A special mention to Kevin Smiddy who provided the tree and use of his farm yard for the wood cutting. Thanks to him and his family for hosting us and for their hospitality.

Chairperson Seamus Reid took the time "to thank all members who helped out with the woodcutting. As a club, we believe in engaging with our community at all times. The

woodcutting event allows us to meet with members of our community, deliver wood personal and ensure that our most vulnerable members are looked after coming into the cold weather.

One of the best aspects of the woodcutting is the fact that we personally deliver the bags. This allows us to spot check with our community and support them as they need. The general public of Glanmire are fantastic in supporting the club across the year so it's brilliant for us to be able to give back to them at the woodcutting event.

### Glanmire seek Capers Finals Position

Representing the Seandún region, Glanmire travelled to the Stradone Community Centre for the National Semi Final of Capers in early January. Glanmire faced stiff competition from across the country with Entfield from Meath, Termonfeckin from Louth, Thurles from Tipperary and Callan from Kilkenny all partaking on the night.

Undoubtedly, the large audience were in for a treat with such talent on show. All clubs put on a strong variety show with singing, dancing, comedy and traditional music. The Glanmire cast of Will Daly, Kevin Smiddy, Cathal Cashman, Catherine Kearney, Michael Buckley, Gillian Kenneally, Alison O Connell, Aisling Walsh, Thomas Thornton and Muireann Kennedy came together yet again under the guidance of producer Tanya O Sullivan.

Glanmire took to the stage last on the night and opened the show with a lively singing and dancing rendition of "Play that Sax" by Fleur East. With the early nerves well shaken off, Glanmire continued to dazzle the crowd with various jokes, traditional music and singing acts.



Glanmire's Capers Cast and Supporters

Glanmire's ballad group wowed the crowd with their beautiful version of Spancill Hill – the quartet of Muireann Kennedy, Will Daly, Gillian Kenneally and Cathal Cashman performed the song both in Irish and English to the delight of the crowd.

Will Daly and Cathal Cashman continued to impress the crowd with their comic version of the Christy Moore classic "Ride On". Alas despite the excellent performance from all of the Glanmire cast, the final alluded them with Entfield and Termonfeckin going through. The final takes place in WIT Arena on the 2nd February. Best of luck to all involved.

Michael Buckley and Gillian Kenneally took to the stage and gave an insightful account of their involvement in Macra.

The Titles night is always entertaining and with 10 contestants across the Seandún region, the audience were treated to many amusing anecdotes, stories and fond memories of Macra na Feirme. Not to mention an array of title from beautiful solo singing, beautiful poetry, perfect Irish dancing and lively jiving.

After all said and done Glanmire's Gillian Kenneally and Dee Walsh claimed two of the four titles being crowned



Gillian Kenneally and Dee Walsh celebrate with Glanmire members following their Titles success

### Double success for Glanmire in Titles competition

Macra na Feirme has a proud tradition of promoting and developing young men and women's skills across the country. Arguably one of the most difficult things for anyone to do is to stand in front of a crowd and speak. Many would argue it's even harder to speak about ourselves. But that's exactly what 5 brave members of Glanmire Macra done in January in the Seandún round of the Titles competition.

The Titles competition is the Macra equivalent of the Rose of Tralee, just without the television cameras! It is a celebration of men and women across Macra and their contribution to the organisation, their clubs and the wider community. There were 4 Macra Titles on the line, for the men – they were vying for the much coveted Mr Personality. While the women could claim one of three potential crowns – Blue Jeans, Queen of the Land or Ms Macra.

Despite the lack of television coverage, it is still a difficult thing for anyone to do. Glanmire's Dee Walsh, John Lonergan, Muireann Kennedy,

the Ms Macra and Miss Blue Jeans respectively. After her success Gillian commented about his "genuine surprise" at winning the title and he hopes "to represent the region and Glanmire to the best of (her) abilities later this year."

Well done to Jamie Flannery and Joanne O Leary of Carrigaline in claiming the other Titles on the night.

Also we would like to remind people that our weekly sports night returns this Tuesday 9th and will be on every Tuesday at 9 pm. Our sports take place in the Upper Glanmire Hall.

Sport night provides a great informal way to find what Glanmire Macra is all about. The cost is €4 and everyone is welcome to come.

If anyone is looking for further information on Glanmire Macra, find us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/glanmiremacranafeirme/> or contact our secretary Gillian 0877558026.





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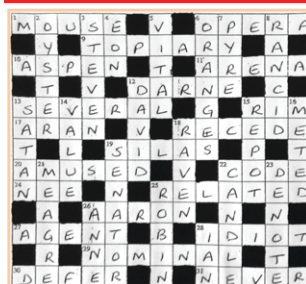
## Across

1. Garfunkel's partner (5)
6. DNA(5)
9. zero, nil (7)
10. Divided up (5)
11. Concur (5)
12. Is afraid (5)
13. Wrinkle,pucker,crumple (7)
15. Pig house (3)
17. They lay eggs (4)
18. Look over, consider (6)
19. Was told, informed of (5)
20. Rainfall(6)
22. Painting, sculpture etc. (4)
24. Collection of something (3)
25. Undermine (7)
26. Keep away from (5)
27. Move on ice (5)
- 28.Location (5)
29. Canadian city (7)
30. Assists (5)
31. Grind one's teeth (5)

## Down

2. Not pure (6)
3. Tear-inducing vegetable(6)
4. Negative (3)
5. Number of musketeers (5)
6. Knobbly (7)
7. Laid by birds (4)
8. Happenings (6)
- 12.Advertising leaflet (5)
13. Strategy game (5)
14. Block of metal (5)
15. Bolivian city (5)
16. Rising agent for bread (5)
18. Haughty (5)
19. The firmament (7)
21. Interrupt (a speaker) (6)
22. Paradise in Arthurian legend(6)
23. Copies a drawing or map (6)
25. ----- Marner (5)
26. On top of (4)
28. Provider of pork, bacon, ham(3)

Crossword Winner: Frances Ronayne, Lotamore, Glanmire, Co. Cork



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