

Sneem Community Notice Board

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Monthly

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What's on in Speem for Halloween

28th October - 5th November Scarecrows on the Green

Friday 27th October
5.30pm Kids Halloween Movie Night, Community Centre

Saturday 28th October

10am Guided Walk - Dromtine and Coomasig(5 hours)

11am Guided Fermoyle Loop Walk (2.5hours)

Halloween Hamper Open Golf Competition

Parknasilla Golf Course (open to non-members)

Boules in The Wild Garden

Irish Tree Mythology talk with Niall MacCoitir, Amphitheatre (weather permitting), followed by book signing in Sneem Bookshop

4pm Sheaf Tossing, South Square

8pm Rugby World Cup Final

Sunday 29th October
Halloween Hamper Open Golf Competition
Parknasilla Golf Course (open to non-members)
11am Annual Men's Shed Car Boot Sale and
Cornhole (weather permitting), South Square
1pm Lomanagh Loop Walk (Guided, 3 hours)

4pm Barn Dance and Scarecrow Winner Announcement, Community Centre
8pm - Whiskey Tasting in Dan Murphy's Bar
8.30pm - Sneem Rowing Club Fundraising Table Quiz in Riney's Bar

Monday 30th October
Arts & Crafts, Games & Halloween stories 1-4pm

Tuesday 31st October
Pumpkins on the Bridge
5-7pm Fancy Dress Kiddies Disco. Community Centre
Fancy Dress and Halloween Party in D. O'Shea's Bar

Thursday 2nd November
2-4pm Baking and Arts & Crafts , Community Centre

Live music - Friday, Saturday, Sunday, check with bars Subject to change, check posters locally

Next Issue due out 9th November

Community News

This is YOUR newsletter - we cannot print local news if you don't send it in to us.

If you have a special birthday, death notice, engagement or any event to share, please let us know. Call the Resource Centre on **064 6645545** during opening hours or drop a note into the Resource Centre, or

email: sneemcnb@gmail.com.

The newsletter is produced entirely by volunteers and is provided free to the community with the support of our local advertisers.

Deadline for submissions to next newsletter is Friday 3rd November

October Birthdays

Daniel Murphy, Colette Riney and Matt O'Sullivan on the 6th; Stella and Julia O'Sullivan (13) on the 7th; Molly Knightly on the 9th; Kate Jonas and Patrick O'Sullivan on the 11th; Leah Marie Schots (13) on the 13th; Daniel Riney the 14th; Tim Lea on the 15th; Kathy Jukes on the 16th; Sheila O'Regan on the 19th; Thomas McConnell (13), Alfie Burns (15) and Rebecca O'Brien on the 20th; Mary O'Shea on the 24th; Paul Breen and Graham Jukes on the 28th; Kieran Burns on the 30th; Michael Dennehy on the 31st

November Birthdays

Maria Burns (13) and Claire Galvin on the 1st; Caoimhe Galvin (13) on the 2nd; Saoirse Kavanagh and Lexi Pilz (13) on the 3rd; Rachel O'Brien on the 4th; Joe Murphy Jnr, Caroline Lea, Réné Res, Kevin McConnell, Ellie O'Sullivan (8) and Aicha van Daele on the 6th; Pierce O'Brien (13) on the 7th; Ella Hussey (18) and Caroline White on the 3th Georgina White on the 8th

Deepest Sympathies

To Alice, Jim, Sean, Tony, Claudine, family and friends on the death of John V O'Sullivan, Convent House,

Deepest Sympathies

To the Hurley families, on the death of Col. Seán Hurley, Rath, Caherdaniel.

Deepest Sympathies

To Raymond and Jack Downing and family on the death of their mother/ grandmother.

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To the family and friends of Helen Wilson, Derrynane Seasports, who passed away recently.

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To the family and friends of Denis (Denny) Burns, Tahilla who passed away recently.

Congratulations

To Shane Christian and Hannah Bayford who got married in Cloughjordan recently.

Community News

Congratulations

To Kristian Katanić and Amy Lee O'Regan on the birth of their baby girl, Cleo, and to proud grandparents, Angela O'Regan and Sonia and Luca Katanić, Croatia. Also to great grandparents Barry and Mary O'Regan.

Rigter Family Fund

The Rigter Family Fund Committee would like to thank each and every person that helped or donated to our very successful fundraiser. The fundraiser was a great success with the night of the event one of the highlights of the Christmas season and the proceeds from this night, the GoFundMe and the many other events that were organised by local groups will greatly help Stacey as guardian to Leona to move forward with the next chapter of their lives.

The Rigter Family Fund Committee: John Dillane – Chairperson; Miranda Mulcahy – Vice Chairperson; Kate O'Shea Sheehan – Treasurer; Joe Murphy – Assistant Treasurer; Caroline O'Reardon – Secretary.

Outdoor Christmas Market/Craft Fair - Calling all Crafters

This year's Outdoor Christmas market will be taking place in the South Square on 3rd December from 12 noon to 4pm.

Stalls can be set up from 11am. Each stall space will cost €20, if you require a table, we can provide you with one at a charge of €5, however tables returned damaged will carry a replacement fee of €50. If you would like to book a spot, please contact the Resource Centre on 064 6645545 or at sneemrc@gmail.com

The following details are required:

- Goods being sold.
- If you have your own insurance
- If you require a table.

Please be advised we do not supply weatherproofing. However, we do have the Community Centre booked as a back-up should the weather be unfavourable.

Nearly New Shop - Sale

The Nearly New Shop will stay open until the end of with a 1/2 price sale. Please leave any donations to the Resource Centre (**NOT** the one on Sportsfield Road).

Resource Centre Relocation

The Resource Centre is moving again! We will be relocating to the West End, Sneem (across from the school) during October.

Opening hours:

Monday - Thursday 10.30am till 3pm and Friday - 10.30am till 2.30pm.



St. Michael's and St. Patrick's Church News

As I write these notes this morning our Parish has received a noisy visit from Storm Agnes. Hopefully it will not cause any damage to property or injury to anyone and all will heed the safety warnings. The nights are getting dark much earlier and the village is understandably a lot quieter. Overall I believe it was a good season with visitors from near and far spending some time among us. It was wonderful to greet so many to our Church at the weekends and I trust they all have happy memories of their visit.

In Church we have formed a new choir who have enriched the Liturgy no end and it is much appreciated by all. Our Sacristan Mary is recovering from knee surgery and I wish her a speedy return as she is greatly missed. May I thank everyone who is helping out in Church in her absence. I really appreciate all the support and team work from our volunteers who are so reliable at all times.

While we do not have a weekend Mass in St. Patrick's Church in Tahilla , I am happy that one daily Mass is celebrated there every week. And may I thank Fr. Thomas for celebrating Mass every day during his two week holiday among us. As one Priest was transferred to another Parish and not replaced it means we (Priests) have a rota for weekend and daily Masses. This entails much more travelling with some Churches being quite a distance away. Jean Yves has been very involved in Baptism Ceremonies in many of the Parishes and his help is very much appreciated.

We have a number of wedding dates for the remainder of the year. Some couples bring their own Priest and others avail of the local Priest. These weddings are very important to the Parish as much employment is given and the local shops and businesses alike are paid a visit. May I wish all these couples the very best for the future and I trust they feel most welcome during their stay.

Of course we also have had our share of funerals and may I send sincere sympathy to all touched and sad by the passing of a loved one.

The schools have re-opened and I wish them all the very best during the school year. Some have started college and may their journey of education bring fulfilment and in the future suitable employment.

Since I started these notes Storm Agnes has come and gone and order has been restored. Sincere thanks to all workers who in terrible conditions worked to restore electricity, clear blocked and flooded roads, reassured the elderly of their safety and as usual went the extra mile to help others.

May I wish you all the best – take care – stay well – stay safe - stay in touch. Fr. Liam.



St Michael's National School





The Middle Room are back in full swing with routine after an eventful September in the classroom. We eased ourselves in gently and took full advantage of the sunshine with outdoor activities. We were delighted to welcome two new pupils, brothers Hristijan and Georgi Kapsarova.





The Junior and Middle Room enjoyed 'The Little Squirrel Who Worried Workshop' with Katie O'Donoghue recently. It taught pupils how to practice more positive thinking and less worrying thoughts. Here's to a great year!

Community Activities

Board Game Night

Do you want some time away from the screen? Looking for a different itch for your brain? Maybe a different type of social life? Come in to the Community Center on Wednesday, 18th October at 5pm. You might find it interesting. All ages welcome! Contact Pál in O'Sullivan Butchers (087 0973316) for more information on our new Board Games Nights.

Indoor Bowling

The Club has resumed activities after the summer break. Play takes place every Wednesday night at 7.30pm in the Community Centre. New members always welcome.

Sneem Writers Group

The Sneem Writers Group meets on the first Friday of every month from 1pm to 3pm. If anyone would like to join them, please contact June on 085 7700524 or email sneemwritersgroup@gmail.com.

Sneem Men's Shed

We are meeting in Sneem Book Shop on Mondays at 7pm. We are still looking for a site for our shed if anyone has suggestions. For information, ring Damien on 087 2563858 or Danny on 087 2064462.

Comhrá

Meets in Sneem Book Shop every Wednesday from $5-6 \mathrm{pm}$ for conversation and chat as Gaeilge.

Thursday Tidy-Ups

Weather permitting, our volunteers continue to meet every Thursday morning from 10.30am to 12.30pm to do weeding and tidy up the village. We would love some new volunteers, even if you can only spare half an hour.

Bingo

Takes place in the Resource Centre on Tuesday nights from 8.30pm.

Green Blue Yoga

Yoga classes are back in Sneem in October, started Monday 2nd October, and will be held in the warm and cosy space of Sneem Digital Hub on Mondays 8:15-9:30pm.

Classes are mixed levels - suitable for first-timers and more seasoned practitioners. They are dynamic classes focusing on mindfully building strength and mobility as well as practicing focus, breathing and relaxation techniques. Do expect some movement, multiple options to pick from, a little exertion and a lot of lightness.

Classes run by blocks of 4 weeks for €50 (or drop-in for €15), you can find details, sample videos and the booking link on the website greenblueyoga.ie or call/text Julie on 086 2037238 with any questions. Spaces are limited, so please book in advance.

Community Activities

Wild Atlantic Play

Wild Atlantic Play is County Kerry's newest music and performing arts studio serving the Kenmare, Sneem, Waterville, Caherdaniel, Cahersiveen and Castlecove areas. Embrace your musical talent with expert music lessons for all ages - kids, beginners, and adults. Explore singing with private or group voice lessons and explore the world of musical theatre with our specialized courses and clinics. Enquire today and join a community of creativity and artistic expression right here on Kerry's southwest coast. Email info@wildatlanticplay.ie or call 087 1744779 Instagram/FB:@wildatlanticplay Website: www.wildatlanticplay.ie

Sneem Gardeners

We have a number of beds available, both in the allotments and in the polytunnel. Perfect time for putting in your winter onions, garlic and broad beans. €15 per annum. Contact Caroline at 087 7007747 or Cara in the Garden of the Senses.

Defibrillator Fundraiser

In June Sneem Resource Committee ran a 'Pop Uo Shop' in collaboration with Caherdaniel Defibrillator Committee, it was great for the two communities to get together! Thank you Ger Deasy and Gill Coffey for your help. We raised €700 for the two charities. Thank you for all your support and the support of Johnny and Trish O'Sullivan for lending the beautiful space in the Sacre Coeur Restaurant. Pictured: Gill Coffey, Maura O'Brien, Ger Deasy



Kerry Mental Health & Wellbeing Fest 2023

Join us on for a stroll and a chat along the beautiful Sneem river on Thursday 12th October at 6.30pm, with a cupán tae, coffee or hot chocolate, afterwards. Meet at the North Square, Sneem. Call 087 2917370.

Sneem Story House

and Julie Lee Knightly.



Public Meeting

There will be a meeting on Monday 16th October at 11am in the Little Church to elect a committee and decide next steps. All are welcome to attend.

Call for old photos of Sneem

Sneem Story House are looking for old photos and video footage to tell the story of Sneem - past and present. Pop in and have a look at the display in The Little Church and if you have material or ideas to share, let us know at admin@sneemstoryhouse.ie.

Coomanassig Day Centre

We would like to make people aware that one of the units will be soon available to rent. Anyone interested please put it in writing and post to Sneem Welfare Committee, Coomanassig Day Centre, Sea View, Sneem, Co Kerry. There is a criteria that needs to be met in order to rent one of these units. The main criteria is that the person must be able to live independently.

Coomanassig offers many services such as Meals on Wheels, Laundry, Chiropody and monthly mass will be starting again soon. We hope in the near future to be offering more activities. The main room of the centre is available to rent for private use at a small fee. For more information, please contact 087 3531363 or 086 8224350. We are delighted to let you know that our Christmas Party will be recommencing this year in early December, details to follow.

We would like to bring to people's attention Coomanassig Day Centre and the area around it is private property. Recently there has been a few occasions of people being around the units late at night being loud and disturbing the tenants and on one occasion the gardai were called. We would ask people to please respect the tenants living here. We would also like to make people aware that there is CCTV all around the buildings.

The other problem that has arisen is dog fouling, this has become a very big problem. Once again, the green area around the Day Centre is private property. If you don't allow your dog to foul in your own yard, please don't allow them to foul in the green area. Moving forward we will start reporting this issue to Kerry County Council as it's very unfair to the residents to step in dog faeces when they come out of their doors and also people entering and exiting the main centre.

Whiskey Tasting

Autumn Event

Come and join us in the "Loft at Dan Murphy's" for the second in our series of Whiskey tastings - featuring a second set of some of the best new whiskeys from around the South West of Ireland.

The tasting will give you a chance to try another three excellent whiskeys from the SW region – with lots of background information about how the Irish Whiskey industry has changed, introductions to the three distilleries we are featuring, and tasting notes for each of the samples.

Tickets €25 – includes three full measures of whiskey – available from Dan Murphy's.

Sunday 29th October at 8pm – lasting about an hour for the tasting, then the Whiskey Bar will be open for more craic and exploration.

Michele Cooper Fay - David Durant - David Fay

Sneem GAA

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South Kerry Junior League. Round 2.

Well done to Sneem/Derrynane who beat Valentia on a scoreline of 5-15 to 2-1, on Saturday the 23rd of September. They are due to play Skellig Rangers in Portmagee on Sunday the 8th of October at 1pm.

Best Wishes

The Sneem GAA Club would like to wish David McGillicuddy a speedy recovery following his recent operation.

Church Gate Collection

Thanks to everyone who supported the Epilepsy Ireland collection. A total of €351.50 was collected. Thanks to Josie and Don for taking up the collection.

Sympathies

Sneem GAA are deeply saddened at the passing of a great Sneem GAA man, the late John Vincent O Sullivan. John V was a fantastic ambassador for the Sneem Club. From his early playing days, John V put his heart and soul into Sneem GAA. He held a variety of roles within the club. One of his greatest accomplishments was to train the 1997 team that won the South Kerry Senior Championship. He went on to train the team that also won the County Junior Championship that resulted in Sneem being promoted to Division 1. John V trained the Sneem Ladies. The team got to a County Final under his leadership against Austin Stacks which they won. He was a great character and will be missed dearly. Sincere sympathies to his wife Alice, sons Jim, Seán and Tony, daughter Claudine, daughters-in-law Jane, Caroline and Lisa, son-in-law Alan, grandchildren Harry, Michael, Aoife, Seán, James, William, Sam, Neasa, Jonathon, Sarah and Ellie, sister-in-law Sr. Hilda, relations, neighbours and a large circle of friends.



The 15th Kerry Sneem Scout Group



Please contact <u>sneemscouts@gmail.com</u> for any queries.

	Ages	Meeting Times		
Beaver Scouts	6 - 8 years	Thursdays 6pm to 7pm		
Cub Scouts	9-11 years	Monday 6.30pm to 8pm		
Scouts	12-14 years	Thursdays 7.30pm to 9pm		
Ventures	15-17 years	Tuesdays 7.30pm to 9pm		

Sneem Walking Club

Sneem Walking Club is delighted to have restarted their Autumn/Winter walks, although they have not got off to a great start with the bad weather. We will persevere, however, and where necessary take lower level, shorter walks.



Sneem Walking Club at Torc Mountain

Anyone interested in joining a walk can check out our website: https://sneemwalkingclub.ie/ or email us at sneemwalkingclub@gmail.com. The website explains the grades of walks that we do and will provide a schedule of upcoming walks (as always subject to change at short notice due to weather and other factors).



You can also call Michele Cooper-Fay (Club Secretary) on 085 1708286. Please leave a message for Michele to call you back so that she knows it is not a spam call!! There's plenty of them around!!

Sneem Walking Club at Cnoc na dTobar

Mountaineering Ireland Autumn Gathering

Sneem chosen as venue for the 2023 Mountaineering Ireland Autumn Gathering – Friday 20th to Sunday 22nd October

This year Mountaineering Ireland has asked Kenmare Walking Club (celebrating its 50th anniversary) to host the Autumn Gathering event and they have chosen Sneem as the venue.

The Gathering is an opportunity for members of Mountaineering Ireland from across Ireland to come meet up and to explore some of the finest walks and climb found in Ireland. It will be wonderful to see so many walkers and climbers staying in the village for the weekend.

The Mountaineering Ireland event brochure describes the



Sneem Autum Gathering as a visit to some of the lesser known, yet beautiful, sandstone mountains on the Iveragh Peninsula. The mountains surrounding Sneem have a wild and rugged character, with corrie lakes, rocky ridges and big skies above. Some scenic sections of the Kerry Way are nearby for people to enjoy, all from the charming and colourful town of Sneem.

Michele Cooper- Fay on behalf of Sneem Walking Club said we are delighted they have chosen to host this year's Autumn Gathering in Sneem. It is testament to the great walking we have on our doorstep and is a wonderful opportunity to showcase out beautiful village and surroundings to many active walkers from all corners of Ireland.

There is an exciting programme of activities taking place across the weekend, including hillwalking, navigation, rock climbing and an environment walk. The base for the event is Sneem Hotel, with registration taking place on Friday evening and the main dinner on Saturday night.

The Sneem Autumn Gathering is shaping up to be a great event with all the six walks on Saturday fully booked.

Sneem Walking Club is supporting Kenmare Walking Club in the hosting of this event and Fergal Harrington, Club Safety Officer is co-leading the walk of Knocknagantee and Knockmoyle. Our Club is looking forward to some great interaction with fellow walkers far and wide. Good luck to everyone involved.

NOTE - THIS IS A MOUNTAINEERING IRELAND MEMBER EVENT ONLY. More information and a booking link can be found online at www.mountaineering.ie

Tahilla CNS

Harvesting our Apple Tree

This September we have been extra lucky in Tahilla CNS with our apple tree. We have had an abundance of apples! We have been busy bees over the past few weeks checking the tree and collecting the apples when they are ready. When the apples are ready, we say that they are 'ripe'. The Senior Room sat down one day and cut all the apples and the Junior Room joined in to help make a delicious blackberry and apple crumble. We even made a gluten free version.









Visitor in Tahilla CNS! A hare has been visiting Tahilla CNS over the past month.

Following Storm AgnesOn Wednesday 27th September County Kerry was issued an orange weather warning. Throughout the day in school we were keeping an eye on how the storm was developing. Did you know?

Tahilla Community National School Tahilla, Sneem, Co Kerry, V93D735



Email: info@tahillacns.ie Tel: 085 8717284

Sneem Rowing Club

Fundraising Events Table Quiz

Our very popular Annual Bank Holiday Table Quiz, will be held in Riney's Bar on Sunday 29th October at 8pm sharp for registration and kick off at 8.30.pm Come along and support your club while having a fun competitive night out.

Christmas 5k Fun Run

On Sunday 17th December we will have our Annual Christmas 5K Fun Run along with the lovely and important blessing of the boats ceremony by Fr. Liam.

Registration starts at 12.30pm and the run will take place at 1pm sharp.

Santa will also help us to get the run started and have a little treat for the younger participants afterwards.

Sonny will also be providing his wonderful Mulled Wine for the more mature participants, a great treat every year.

50/50 Draw

September 50/50 draw, held in Rineys Bar, was won by Marie Moriarty, congratulations Marie.

October 6th draw will be held in Dan Murphys Bar.

November 3rd draw will be held in D O'Shea's Bar.

Thanks everyone for your continued support.

South/Mid Kerry Dinner Dance

We are delighted to say that the South/Mid Kerry Dinner Dance will this year be held in Sneem Hotel, on Saturday 18th November.

The Seine Boat winners of 25 years ago were Sneem, so it's wonderful to see them receive their presentations in our own local Hotel.

Also, Senior Ladies and Seine Boat crews from this year will receive their 2nd place overall prizes too. Tickets are limited so please contact Caroline in Dan Murphy's Bar to order yours. €35 per person.

Donations

A special word of thanks to everyone who has recently given private donations to our Club. We appreciate it very much; they will be put to good use. Thank you.

Gym Members

Please make sure if using the gym that you **SIGN IN** on entry.

Also, anyone using the heavy weights, please replace after use and no dropping or banging heavily on the floor.

Gym Opening Hours

Monday to Friday 8am - 12pm and 5pm - 9pm



Clocks go back

Don't forget to put your clocks back an hour on Saturday night, 28th October.

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Draft Local Area Plan

Kerry County Council has published the draft Kenmare Municipal District Local Area Plan 2023-2029. It can be downloaded and viewed on the Kerry County Council website (kerrycoco.ie). The plan making process is a collaborative one and Kerry County Council are looking for your views. Submissions or observations can be made in writing or electronically via the website, to the Planning Authority until Friday 3rd of November 2023.

Sneem Tidy Towns

TidyTowns Awards

Maureen and Bob Connelly travelled to Clonakilty on Monday, 11th September to collect our Bronze medal and Bat Conservation Award which we won last year.

This year's SuperValu TidyTowns Competition Awards Ceremony will be held in Croke Park on Friday 6th October. Results will be in next month's newsletter.

Sneem River Clean

On Saturday 16th September, we had planned to participate in our second Riverbank Cleanup as part of CleanCoasts Big Beach Clean. Unfortunately we had to postpone this due to a bereavement. Keep an eye out for posters with a rescheduled date.

Community Enhancement Fund

We would like to thank Kerry County Council for the contribution of €2500 towards the purchase of a battery operated Weedhex machine for Sneem. This new machine will enable us to keep on top of weeds growing alongside footpaths without having to resort to the use of herbicides. We chose the battery operated version to reduce our fossil fuel emissions.





Ogham Project

On Saturday 28th October, we are delighted to welcome Niall Mac Coitir, author of Ireland's Trees: Myths, Legends and Folklore - and other books around the myths and folklore of Irish flowers, animals and birds - to Sneem to give a talk about Irish tree mythology and the Ogham alphabet. Weather permitting, this will take place in the amphitheatre in the Wild Garden followed by a book signing at Sneem Book Shop.

Ogham Project Launch

Sneem Festivals Committee and Sneem TidyTowns were delighted to launch the Alder Sculpture in the Wild Garden on Saturday, 9th September It was a lovely sunny afternoon with music kindly provided by local musicians Fionán Casey and Mary Dellatore Casey, the Larkins and Angelica.

The piece was produced by Tom Allison, Ella Allison and Adrian Cauldwell.





The idea for the sculpture came from the knowledge that Bishop Charles Graves (formerly of the Bishop's house, Parknasilla) was a central figure in deciphering the Ogham alphabet in the 1850s having written many papers about various aspects of the alphabet around that time. The alphabet emerged around about when Christianity came to Ireland and each letter is associated with certain trees with some people calling it the "tree alphabet".

This first piece which combines metalwork, wood work and augmented/ immersive art is our proof of concept and we are working with Sneem Tidy Towns to apply for funding for more

pieces based on different letters and trees to promote greater engagement with our natural biodiversity and tree mythology and an appreciation of Bishop Charles Graves' role in promoting understanding of this interesting alphabet.

On the day, Adrian described how he found and sculpted the alder piece. Tom then created the ogham letter and leaves and catkins from metal. Ella designed the augmented reality piece which can be seen by downloading the Artivive app and scanning the QR code. If you haven't already seen this wonderful piece, take a stroll through An Gáirdín Fiáin and take a look.





Sneem Community Centre Midterm Halloween Fun

Let's bring the spirit back to Sneem!

Friday 27th - Halloween Movie Night at 5.30pm. €5 Entry fee Monday 30th - Arts & Crafts, Games & Halloween stories 1-4pm. €5 Entry fee Tuesday 31st - Fancy Dress Kiddies Disco 5-7pm. €5 Entry fee Thursday 2nd November Baking and Arts and Crafts 2-4pm. €5 Entry fee Suitable for ages 3-10

More information contact Katie 086 3619736 or check out our Facebook Page for more details "Sneem Community and Sports Centre"



Scarecrows on the Green



28th October - 5th November As autumn is creeping in, time to start planning, plotting and building. Your Scarecrow for the Green



Scarecrows to be erected on the Green at the North Square By Saturday 28th October, collect your stake at 3pm Judging will take be on the 29th October at 2pm Winners will be announced at the Barn Dance in the Community Centre. Time to scare the Crows!

Pumpkins on the Bridge

Time to get out the carving kits and pull the pumpkins near Spooky, scary or out of this world! Light up Halloween night with the pumpkin's orange light. Place your carved creations on Sneem bridge on Halloween eve

PS. Please remove them by Sunday 5th November!

Storytelling Festival

The festival has come around so fast this year where does the time go. This year is our 10th but sadly, our beloved Chairman Batt Burns will not be appearing due to ill health but I'm sure he will be here in spirit. We will surely miss his wonderful stories and cheeky grin.

Our storytellers and performers are: John Spillane, Sheila Flitton, Helena Byrne, Len Cabral, Paddy O'Brien and Killian Burns. The lecture will be given by Dr Aoife Granville (Folklore and Ethnology, UCC) she is a native of Dingle. An expert in 'wren boy' and 'strawboy' traditions and also a traditional musician who has conducted extensive study on our native musical traditions.

On Saturday night actor Sheila Flitton will be performing her one woman play 'Beezie'. Sheila was in the film The Banshees of Innisheran last year playing Mrs McCormick.

Patrons can look forward to children's performances, adult story swaps, and storytelling in the barn, the South Kerry Rosen Choir will sing in the St Michael's Church. Our talented Young Tellers return with their stories, as does our popular lunchtime theatre from Sneem DramSoc. We have a story bar in Murphy's Loft on Saturday night after the play.

Programmes can be picked up from local shops, bars and hotels and tickets can be reserved from Rosie on 086 152 2346, info@sneemstorytellingfestival.com or you can come along to the Information Desk in the Sneem Hotel Lobby outside the Function Room from Friday 10th November at 10am onwards and either pick up your tickets or buy them (we're sorry cheque or cash only)."



Total Motorhome Ireland

Sneem welcomes all the campers from Total Motorhome Ireland on their annual visit to Sneem on the October Bank Holiday Weekend

Blackwater News

Michael O'Sullivan Black Memorial Walk

Takes place on Sunday 8th October in aid of The Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust Fund (KBRT). The organising committee led by Barry Clifford launched the fundraiser at O'Neill's Shop/Blackwater Tavern on Sunday 1st of October.



Back Row: L-R; Natasha Noonan, Barry and Timothy Clifford, Christine and Marie O'Sullivan Black, Josephine, Willian, Billy and Tommy Noonan, Jimmy O'Sullivan Black, Colm Murphy and Michael Rice.

Front Row: L-R; Lily Noonan Murphy and Saoirse Clifford.

Photo by Mary D O'Neill.

The walk starts at Blackwater Tavern at 11am, walking to Old Dromore Sportsfield where refreshments will be served and a raffle will be held before returning to Blackwater Tavern. All Proceeds to the Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust Fund.

The KBRT was founded out of a family tragedy, in memory of Kevin Bell aged 26 who died suddenly in New York in 2013 in a suspected hit-and-run incident. KBRT aims to alleviate the financial hardship of bereaved families repatriating the body (bodies) of loved one(s) who have died abroad in sudden or tragic circumstances back to Ireland.

Since 2013, KBRT has repatriated the remains of over 1,600 people back home to their families in Ireland (including many from the local area).

The Harvest Dinner/Dance

takes place in Kenmare Bay Hotel on Saturday 4^{th} November. Music by the Neily O'Connor Band. Everyone Welcome. Great food and dancing guaranteed. Book your tickets now.

'Changing Times' Blackwater/Templenoe Social History Book

'Changing Times' covers the Social History of the Blackwater/Templenoe area; available in O'Neill's Shop Blackwater and Quills Shop, Kenmare.

Blackwater News

Blackwater Women's Group

Membership of Blackwater Women's Group costs only €5 per year. Members can avail of classes, guest speakers, social gatherings and parties.

Next meeting Tuesday 10th October at 7.30pm followed by Guest Speaker Niamh

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Singing Classes supported by SICAP (Social inclusion & Community Activation Programme), with Mary Culloty O'Sullivan started in Blackwater Tavern on Thursday 28th September from 7 to 8pm. Singing every Thursday from 7 to 8pm (bar 12th Oct) with view to a public performance before Christmas. New members welcome to join.

Qigong in Tavern

Qigong Classes in Tavern every Wednesday evening from 7 to 8pm (gentle exercise to music) with Bob Martin. All Welcome, no charge.

Map of Blackwater Area

B.W.G. are currently drawing up a map of the Blackwater, Templenoe, Blackvalley and Glencar area for display in Blackwater. Blackwater Women's Group gratefully acknowledge the support of Kerry County Council who have pledged a grant of €750 through the Community Support Fund to part fund the project.

Blackwater Women's Group also acknowledge the support of Kerry County Council through the Community Enhancement Programme who have pledged a grant of €1,000.00 to assist with payment of their annual insurance.

Seniors Alert Alarm Scheme

Blackwater Women's Group are affiliated to POBAL and can apply for Free Personal Monitored Alarms which enable older people to live securely in their homes. Application forms and information leaflets are available in O'Neill's Shop Blackwater. Monitoring is free for the first twelve months. Alarms can operate through a landline or a mobile phone.

Community Alert Muintir na Tire will host a Community Alert information evening on the Text Alert System and Cairde App. in Blackwater Tavern in Oct/Nov; date to be confirmed. Application forms for Text Alert System are available in O'Neill's Shop Blackwater. Membership is €10.

Defibrillators Blackwater/Templenoe

There are 5 open access Defibrillators in the area, all on (NAS) National Ambulance Service's database; Templenoe Church, Templenoe GAA Pitch, Dromore GAA Pitch, Blackwater Tavern and John Sheehan's Direen. The Ring of Kerry Golf Course recently installed a Defibrillator also and held training on CPR.

Carnegie - Kenmare

Young Scribes Club: Calling young writers and performers. Turn your thoughts into dramas, monologues, dialogues, performance pieces.

This Autumn at the Carnegie, we're holding four writing workshops, followed by a performance of your original work.

Wednesday 11th October 4.30pm - 6pm

Wednesday 18th October 4.30pm - 6pm

Wednesday 25 October 4.30 - 6pm

Scribes Performance on Friday October 27th at 4pm

If you're between 12 and 18 years, try your hand at writing for fun.

Free of Charge. Thank you to Creative Ireland and Kerry County Council for support. Book your place now.

The Beasts (2022) French, Spanish, 138 mins, 15 cert. Thursday 12th October at 8pm Director: Rodrigo Sorogoyen Stars: Marina Foïs, Denis Ménochet, Luis Zahera, Diego Anido An expatriate French couple (Denis Ménochet and Marina Foïs) operate an organic farm in the Spanish countryside. However, their earnest enthusiasm reeks of patronizing privilege to the handful of "hill people" families who have toiled on the land for generations. Tensions between locals and foreigners boil over in this edge-of-your-seat thriller.

Lakelands /Ireland. 2022. R-15. 100 mins. Thursday 19th October at 8pm

After an attack on a night out, Cian, a young Gaelic footballer, struggles to comes to terms with a career-ending injury, where Gaelic football is a religion and identity is defined by what you can do on the pitch.

Awards at Galway Film Fleadh, Kerry Film Festival & Glasgow Film Festival.

Sean Moylan, Irish Revolutionary - Friday 21st October at 8pm

Is one man's account of key events during the Irish War of Independence. A man who sacrificed, suffered and risked his life for his country. It is a tribute to him and to all who volunteered, many of whom paid the ultimate sacrifice, and to their families who bear it. In our later years, how do we feel about the actions and decisions of our youth? Did the volunteers have regrets? Feel pride? Shame or guilt? How did they deal with what we would now call PTSD with no network of support?

Written and performed by Michael Patric, (An Cailín Ciúin, Smother, Frontier) and directed by Geoff Gould, the play will take the audience through dramatic events of the period. Ambush and guerrilla tactics, life on the run and the lasting effects of it all. In true Moylan fashion, it will be intense but funny and direct but reflective.

An evening sure to entertain, inform and provoke conversation.

The Super Mario Bros: Movie. Tuesday 31st October at 2.30pm

USA. 2023. PG. 92 mins. Directors: Arron Horvath, Michael Jelenic, Pierre Leduc Starring: Chris Pratt, Anya Taylor-Joy, Jack Black, Charlie Day, Seth Rogen. Brooklyn plumber named Mario travels through the Mushroom Kingdom with a princess named Peach and an anthropomorphic mushroom named Toad to find Mario's brother, Luigi, and to save the world from a ruthless fire-breathing Koopa named Bowser. *Tickets* €5 per person, children under 12 years to be accompanied by adult.

Carnegie - Kenmare

The Animal Roadshow. Wednesday 1st November 11am

As part of the Halloween Howl Festival, we are delighted to bring the Animal Roadshow to the Carnegie Arts Centre once again. This is a great opportunity for children to see a selection of creatures from reptiles, birds, creepy crawlies, mammals, and much more. A fun day out for all the family is guaranteed.

The aim of the Animal Roadshow is to generate excitement about nature and encourage a love for animals, offering first hand interaction with our creatures. We are a fully licensed mobile zoo and an award nominated family-owned business, with five children of our own. Tickets €8 or €25 for two adults and two children.

For Bookings or more info go to www.carnegieartskenmare.ie or call 0646648701

Kenmare and District Garden Club

In early September members visited Derreen gardens for lunch and a walk around the estate —a delightful way to return to the monthly meetings. The gardens were looking magnificent in the sunshine and the continued development of this historical garden was very much in evidence — the setting on the Kenmare River is hard to rival. Indoor lectures are now recommencing in the Gateway.

Our October talk was a return visit by popular demand of Assumpta Bloomfield. Her talk was on Corona North of the renowned Altamont Gardens, Tullow.



Next meeting: 9th November: Talk by Shirley Lanigan: 'Gardens that stay with you: Special Gardens and Special People'. Author of 'The Open Gardens of Ireland'. Reminder: Meetings are on the first Thursday of the month, unless otherwise specified. Venue: The Gateway (beyond the Centra Garage heading on the Molls Killarney road, opposite the Brooklane Hotel grounds), parking available. Non-members are very welcome (small fee)

Contact Stephen Austen: 087 9112876 for further information.

Sneem Beekeepers Club

A Honey Show with honey tasting and competition will take place on Wednesday 11th October from 7.30pm at Coomanassig Day Centre, Seaview.

Caherdaniel Yoga Classes

Louise Yoga

Yoga classes are starting in Caherdaniel Parish Hall at 10.30am on 9th October. All bodies and fitness levels welcome. Suitable for beginners. €50 for 4 classes. Advance booking only please: louiseyoga.com Tel. 087 1671315

Sneem Medical Centre

Dr Hernan Ganzo, Family GP Tel: 064 6645102

Covid Booster Clinic Autumn 2023. Wednesday 11th October - 9.30am to 12.30pm

2023 Flu Clinic dates are: Wednesday 11th October 9.30am to 12.30pm Wednesday 18th October 9.30am to 12.30pm

By appointment only please ring Julie (064) 6645102 from 10.30am to 12.30am or 2.30pm to 4.30pm.

Who should get the flu vaccine. We recommend the flu vaccine for: • People aged 65 years and over • Children aged 2-17 years (please read HSE leaflet on flu vaccine for children) • Pregnant women (please read HSE leaflet on flu vaccine for pregnancy) • People (adults and children) with long-term medical conditions such as diabetes, chronic heart conditions, liver conditions, kidney conditions and chronic lung disease including COPD, or neurological diseases • People with cancer • People on long-term aspirin treatment • People whose immune system is impaired due to disease or treatment • People who are obese who have a body mass index (BMI) of over 40 • People with Down syndrome • Residents of nursing homes and other long-stay institutions • Healthcare workers • Carers • People who live in the same house as someone who is at risk of flu because of a medical condition • People with regular close contact with poultry, water fowl or pigs.

Surgery Hours

Monday 10.30am -12.30pm / 2.30pm - 5.00pm Tuesday 10.30am -12.30pm / 2.30pm - 4.30pm Wednesday 2.00pm - 5.00pm Thursday 10.30am - 12.30pm / 2.30pm - 5.00pm Friday 10.30am -12.30pm / 2.30pm - 4.30pm

Practice Nurse (appointment only)
Monday to Thursday 9am to 10.30am

Public Health Nurse Tel. 086 7872096 Monday to Friday 9.30am to 10.30am

Out of Hours Service Southdoc 0818 355 999

For out of hours service. This service is for GP services that are urgent and cannot wait until the next working day. If you have contacted Southdoc and they have not answered and/or returned your call, please continue to call them.

If it is an emergency call 999 for immediate assistance

Bus Timetable - Route 281 Stops outside /across from The Green Chair

Departs	Mon – Sun	Mon – Sun	Mon – Sun	Mon – Sun
Caherdaniel Cross	06:34	09:49	13:39	17:24
Castlecove Church	06:41	09:56	13:46	17:31
Sneem South Square	07:03	10:18	14:08	17:53
Tahilla Church	07:14	10:29	14:19	18:04
Templenoe Church	07:27	10:42	14:32	18:17
Kenmare Crean's	07:37	10:52	14:42	18:26
Departs	Mon – Sun	Mon – Sun	Mon – Sun	Mon – Sun
Kenmare Crean's	08:00	11:45	15:00	18:45
Templenoe Church	08:10	11:55	15:10	18:55
Tahilla Church	08:23	12:08	15:23	19:08
Sneem South Square	08:34	12:19	15:34	19:19
Castlecove Church	08:56	12:41	15:56	19:41
Caherdaniel Cross	09:03	12:48	16:03	19:48

Sneem Events Calendar

27th October - Kids Halloween Movie Night 28th October - 5th November - Scarecrows on the Green See front cover for more activites on Bank Holiday Weekend 28th October - "Native Irish Trees Talk" by Niall Mac Coitr 29th October - Outdoor Market / Car Boot Sale Whiskey Tasting in The Loft Sneem Rowing Club Table Quiz - Riney's Bar Barn Dance - Community Centre 31st October – Pumpkins on the Bridge Kiddies Fancy Dress Disco 10th – 12th November - Sneem Storytelling Festival 18th November - South/Mid Kerry Rowing Dinner Dance 21st December - Shadow Play "Lightning Bird", Sneem Hotel Trevor Sexton and Ger O'Donnell - The Loft 17th December - Sneem Rowing Club - Fun Run 3rd December - Sneem Resource Centre Outdoor Christmas Craft Fair



Music



Dan Murphy's Bar

Saturday 14th October - House Hotel 8pm Fundraiser for Katy's Wildlife Rescues Sunday 29th October 8pm - Whiskey Tasting Check with Bar for more information on music

D. O'Shea's

Sunday 8th October - Traditional Irish Music Session 8.30-10.30pm Tuesday 31st October - Fancy Dress and Halloween Party



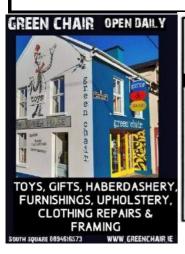
Riney's

Friday 6th October - Live Music Saturday 14th October - Live Music Saturday 21st October - Live Music Saturday 28th October - Live Music Sunday 29th October - Rowing Club Table Quiz All other music will be advertised outside

Sneem Hotel

Thursday 12th October - Pat Waters Friday 20th October - Martin Larkin Saturday 28th October - Robin Turner Saturday 11th November - Martin Larkin

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Local Link

Sneem to Kenmare

Wednesday leaves at 9.30am, returns from Kenmare at 1.15pm Friday leaves at 9.50am, returns from Kenmare at 2pm Leaves from outside Riney's

Sneem to Killarney

Every Saturday leaves outside Quills at 11.30am, return bus leaves Killarney at 4.45pm from Tesco (town) carpark. Bus has wheelchair access - a lift for wheelchair user.

Check out www.locallinkkerry.ie/ sneem or call 066 7147002

For any other routes or information contact Teddy on 087 2315014.
Courier service also available.

Risen Light Garden Sneem

It's been strange not to be in and around the garden for a while. Thanks to 'The Team' the vegetables were kept going and growing. We are now considering the vegetable beds for next year and we would love to have some feedback as to what you really liked or didn't like, what you would like to see more of and what you might want us to look into growing next year ... no promises, but we will try.

With our new Polytunnels we are now aiming to create a heating system that will sustain a base temperature all through winter and help to keep the vegetables growing, hopefully. Quite the experiment ...

Please, feel free to contact us anytime ...

The Risen Light Garden Team

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- Vacancies available at Sneem TidyTowns and at Castlecove Tidy Towns:
 Duties consist of general maintenance of public spaces.
- CE positions available at Sneem GAA and Derrynane GAA. Duties include general maintenance of sports fields.
- Office Administrator for Sneem Digital Hub, Cleaning Person also required.
- Kitchen Assistant required at Coomanasig Daycare Centre (Sneem Welfare Group). Duties include assisting with food preparation, keeping kitchen and meeting area clean, preparing meeting room for meetings, functions etc. Eligible applicants should send CV to sneemtidytowns@gmail.com or call Joe Murphy on 086 3724468

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The IT Guy - 087 6764384

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Village Kitchen - 064 6645281

Local Information

Gardaí - 064 6645111

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St.Michael's Church Parish Office

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The Mobile Library visits Sneem every second Tuesday, 2pm to 2.25pm Sneem School and 2.30 - 3pm in the North Square. Next due on Tuesday 10th and 24th October.

Michael Healy Rae

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Tide Times

Here are the high tides for the period 5th October to the 8th November.

08.56. 21.16 05th: 09.43. 22.04 06th: 07th: 10.44. 23.15 08th: 12.25 09th: 13.54 14.52 10th: 11th: 15.37 16.16 12th 13th: 16.50 14th: 17.19 15th: 17.46 16th: 06.01. 18.13 18.44 17th: 06.31, 18th: 07.03. 19.18 07.40, 19.57 19th: 20th: 08.23. 20.44 21st: 09.17, 21.43 22nd: 10.25. 22.58 23rd: 11.49 24th: 13.20 25th: 14.30 15.25 26th: 27th: 16.13 16.57 28th: 16.38 29th: 30th: 17.16 17.53 31st: 01st: 06.12. 18.29 02nd: 06.50. 19.06 03rd: 07.31. 20.33 04th: 08.17. 20.33 05th: 09.14, 21.35 10.36. 23.06 06th:

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- **Wanted:** Our Vintage Doughnut Van is looking for a shed to house it for the winter, please contact Julie on 086 0241604.
- Items for Sale: dining table and 6 chairs €50, baby stuff €20 the lot, contact 087 6548073.
- For Sale: A corner TV stand €5. We have lots of Baby and Toddler gear available in the Resource Centre, call in and have a look or call 064 6645545.
- For Sale: 3 seater couch with 2 armchairs, perfect condition. Call 087 4128064
- Wanted: used/second hand concrete blocks to rebuild the community 3 bay compost bins in the outside allotments. Collection can be arranged. Ring Joe 086 3724468

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Sunday 8th October - Dan Murphy's Bar Sunday 15th October - D O'Shea's Bar Sunday 22nd October - Riney's Bar Sunday 29th October - Dan Murphy's Bar

10pm sharp

Sunday 10th September: No Lotto Draw

Sunday 17th September: Numbers Drawn: 3, 21, 25, 30. No Winner. €40 consolation went to: Garbhan and Mary, D O'Sheas Bar, Sneem; David and Michele Fay, Moularostig, Sneem; Brian O'Neill, West End, Sneem; George Gill. (Phone number).

Sunday 24th September: Numbers Drawn: 3,12,14,17. No Winner. €40 consolation went to: Eileen McGillicuddy, Castlecove; Liam Kelly (phone number); John Fitzgerald, Staigue, Castlecove; Martina Terrett, Corcaigh.

Sunday 1st October: Numbers Drawn: 10,12,15,29. No Winner. €40 consolation went to: Fiona Casey, Parc Ardshillane, Sneem; Daniel Riney, Drimnabeg, Sneem; Breege Timoney, Drumcondra BAC; Kerrie O'Shea, Drimnamore, Sneem

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