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Spraoicheist na hÉigse 2010

B'IONTACH an ocáid Ghaelach a reachtáladh i gCeatharlach an tseachtain seo caite mar chuid d'imeachtaí Fhéile na hÉigse do dhaltaí ins na hardranganna i mbunscoileanna an cheantair.

Spraoicheist na hÉigse a bhí ar siúl, eagraithe ag Gael Linn i gcomhar le Glór Cheatharlach, agus bhí suas le tríocha foireann i láthair i halla spóirt na Gaelscoile. Maidin Chéadaoin a bhí ann, an ghrian ag scoilteadh na gcloch agus leithscéal iontach ag breis is céad dalta éalú as a gcuid seomraí ranga chun freastal ar ocáid thaitneamhach trí Ghaeilge.

Thángadar ag siúl, i gcarranna agus i mbusanna ó naoi scoil. Thángadar ó Ghleann Uisean, Gaelscoil Eoghain Uí Thuairisc, Scoil an Easboig Uí Fhoghlú, Beann na gCaorach, Tigh an Raoireann, Baile na mBreathnach, Cailíní an Teaghlaigh Naofa, Buachaillí an Teaghlaigh Naofa agus Scoil Naomh Bríd, Muinebheag.

Bhí éagsúlacht anmhaith de cheisteanna le freagairt bunaithe ar spórt agus ceol, scannáin agus cláracha teilifíse, leabhair agus eolas ginearálta.

Dob í Niamh de Búrca thar cheann Gael Linn a bhí ag cur na gceisteanna agus bhí muintir Ghlór Cheatharlach i mbun marcála. Bhí na daltaí uile thar a bheith tógtha leis an mbabhta éisteachta agus le babhta na bpictiúr ach go háirithe. Bhain cuid de na foirne scóranna an-ard amach agus bronnadh plaiceanna Gael Linn ar na buaiteoirí le dhá fhoireann ar chomhscór don phríomhdhuais.

An chéad áit: Scoil Naomh Bríd, Muinebheag agus Gaelscoil Eoghain Uí Thuairisc. An dara háit: Beann na gCaorach (A). An tríú háit: Beann na gCaorach(B).

Scoil Bhríd, Muinebheag: Gary Ó Cearúl, Seán Uzunkaya, Colin Bridgett agus Aindriú Ó Catháin leis an múinteoir Máire Ní Coirc agus Niamh de Búrca, Gael- Linn

Foireann na Gaelscoile: Alan Ó Dálaigh, Lauren de Faoite, Keelan Ó Mórdha agus Conor Ó Ceallaigh

Chun clabhsúr a chur leis an ocáid chuir daltaí Ghleann Uisean, cailíní Easca agus daltaí na Gaelscoile taispeántas ceoil ar an stáitse. Ghabh Niamh de Búrca buíochas leis na daltaí, na múinteoirí agus bainistíocht Ghaelscoil Eoghan Uí Thuairisc as a dtacaíocht do Spraoicheist na hÉigse 2010.

Glossary – Gluais,
Ocáid – Occasion,
Tríocha – Thirty,
Leithscéal – Excuse,
I láthair – Present,
Éagsúlacht – Variety,
Eolas Ginearálta – General Knowledge,
Scóranna – Scores.

Suíomh Nua Gael-Linn Beo Anois

TÁ láithreán gréasáin úr snasta seolta ag Gael Linn le déanaí ar www.gael-linn.ie. Ar an suíomh nua seo tá eolas ar fáil faoin réimse leathan d'imeachtaí a mbíonn eagraithe ag Gael Linn chomh maith le nuacht suas chun dáta faoi imeachtaí Gaeilge ar fud na tíre.

Is í príomhaidhm Gael Linn ná an Ghaeilge agus a hoidhreacht a chothú agus a chur chun cinn ar fud na hÉireann i réimsí polasaí agus pobail, mar theanga bheo agus mar spreagadh féiniúlachta. Bunaíodh Gael Linn i 1953 agus tá cáil na fiontraíochta air ó shin, go háirithe trí na gnóanna a bhunaigh an comhlacht sa Ghaeltacht.

Tá gach eolas faoi chúrsaí Gael Linn ar fáil ar líne anois ó chúrsaí do dhaoine fásta a reachtáltar i mBaile Átha Cliath le linn na bliana agus cúrsaí sa Ghaeltacht le linn an tsamhraidh go na coláistí samhraidh do dhéagóirí i dtrí mhórcheantar Gaeltachta – i gContae Dhún na nGall, in iarthar Chontae Chorcaí agus i dtuaisceart Chontae Mhaigh Eo.

Tá liosta iomlán d'imeachtaí do gach aoisghrúpa ar fáil ar an suíomh freisin ó imeachtaí do pháistí bhunscoile, daltaí iarbhunscoile, mic léinn tríú leibhéal agus do dhaoine fásta. I measc na n-imeachtaí sin tá eolas cruinn ar Féilte Spóirt agus Spraoicheist, Comórtas Díospóireachta agus Comórtas Clár Raidió Gael Linn.

Tá siopa lán d'ábhar Gaelach ar an suíomh nua chomh maith. Anseo tá liosta fada dlúthdhioscaí agus dvdanna de gach saghas ceoil agus uirlis traidisiúnta ar díol.

Téigh ar line anois go dtí www.gael-linn.ie.

SULT!

Cuirfear céad míle fáilte roimh mhuintir óg Cheatharlach chuig oíche shóisialta trí Ghaeilge- SULT! Tagann daoine óga le chéile ar an Déardaoin deireannach de gach mí ag 9 i.n. i dTeach Dolmain chun taitneamh a bhaint as comhrá agus craic, ceol agus ól trí Ghaeilge agus beidh fíorchaoin fáilte roimh fhir agus mhná óga ins na 20aí agus na 30aí.

Is deis iontach í seo do dhaoine le suim sa Ghaeilge í a labhairt go sóisialta agus, chomh maith leis sin, spórt agus spraoi a bhaint as comhluadar a chéile.

Bailíonn SULT le chéile ag an mbord gaeilge díreach taobh istigh den doras i dTeach Dolmain ó 9 a chlog. Bígí linn gan teip an Déardaoin seo, 24 Meitheamh.

Extra help for homework time

BUSY Buddies homework club is currently being set up in the Tinryland parish centre with the blessing of Fr. John McEvoy PP, John Kelly, principal and staff of Tinryland NS. It is hoped the club will be up and running by the end of September 2010. The club is aimed at students in junior and senior infants attending Tinryland NS and will run from Monday to Friday from 2pm to 3pm in conjunction with the school year. The weekly cost per child is €4. If you would like your child to attend please use the contact details at the end of the page. The club is limited to 20 places and will be filled on a first come first served basis. All adults participating will be subject to Garda vetting.

Busy Buddies would like to take this opportunity to invite volunteers to give an hour or two per week to this great cause. It is not required that volunteers be a parent or carer of a child in the school to participate. All ages and gender would be welcome. Please contact any of the following if you are interested: Sarah- 086 4063043, Ann M- 085 1517208, Avril- 086 1094926, Ann D- 086 0776499 and Angie- 086 3033689.

CARLOW COMMUNITY GAMES

There was much local success for local competitors in the Carlow community games swimming and gymnastics finals last week.

In the gymnastics competition on Friday last in St. Leo's, Lauren Holohan won the girls under 12 competition with Roisin Brennan taking the silver medal. On the following day, the local area won no less than 6 gold, 4 silver and 4 bronze medals. The gold medal winners were Nicole Pratt (girls under 10 freestyle), Alana Pratt (girls under 14 freestyle), Radinka Pratt (girls under 10 backstroke), Vicky Kidd (girls under 14 backstroke), Conor Crowley (boys under 12 freestyle) and Shea Byrne (boys under 12 breaststroke). All of the gold medallists will now compete in the national finals in Athlone in August.

Other medals were won by Laura Ward (2nd girls under 12 freestyle), Cleo Kennedy (2nd girls under 12 breaststroke), Chloe Keating (2nd girls under 12 backstroke), David Ward (2nd boys under 10 freestyle) with the girls under 13 squad taking bronze medals.

SUMMER PARTY

A summer party will be held for Tinryland senior citizens in the parish hall Tinryland, on Sunday 27 June commencing with a meal at 5pm followed by entertainment. The party will run until approximately 9.30pm. If you would like to attend please give your name to one of the following before 20 June as numbers are required for catering: May Byrne (9146193), Jenny Byrne, Marie Byrne (9146238), Nan Farrell (9146239), Betty Grogan, Josie Kelly (087-8324656), Maureen Byrne (087-6815268).

FUNDING

Carlow Co. Council has secured funding to provide a new water main between the '98 stone and Dun na Ri. When completed the new main will greatly enhance the water pressure at Dun na Ri and the Moate.

This funding is additional to the €86,000 already sanctioned for the overlay from the ramp at Tinryland NS to the entrance at Dun na Ri. It is expected that the Council will now have enough finance to overlay the road all the way to the '98 stone. It is also expected that the footpath from Dun na Ri will be extended as far as the car park.

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CEMETERY MASS

This year's annual cemetery mass will be held in St. Joseph's Church, Tinryland on Friday 9 July at 8 pm. All graves should be attended to over the coming weeks. The date has been changed owing to a clash with the GAA Feile celebration in Derry.

LOTTO

In the draw of Wednesday 9 June, the winning numbers were 6, 19, 21 and 31. There was no Tinryland winner. In the recent lotto draw of June 16th, Marie Byrne won 143. Books of tickets can be picked up at any of the following venues: Deane's Shop, Church Sacristy, the Parochial House.

CHURCHGATE COLLECTION

Self Help Africa will hold a church gate collection in the parish on Saturday and Sunday, 26 and 27 June. All support would be greatly appreciated.

SUMMER OUTING

The Carlow historical and archaeological society summer outing will take place on Wednesday 30 June at 9am leaving from Carlow bus park. The tours included are to Newgrange, Belfast, the Mourne Mountains, Downpatrick and Armagh.

The trip duration is 4 days and 3 nights staying in the Park Inn Hotel, Dundalk. The cost is €230pps including evening meals. For further information contact Bertie at 059-9147630.

SINGING WORKSHOP

Carlow Local Authority invite you to take part in an exciting new venture - the first ever large scale singing project in Ireland written for community involvement targeted at singers of all ages with or without previous experience. Workshops will be held in the GB Shaw Theatre on 26th June and in Tullow and Bagenalstown on 27 June.
To register your interest or for further information please contact Carlow local authorities arts office on 059 9170301 or 059 9136204 or e-mail sdowling@carlowcoco.ie or ascully@carlowcoco.ie

Participants will take part in a 2 hour session involving background information, group singing, vocal exercises and drama workshops. Those who wish will have the opportunity to sing a solo song, but this is not compulsory. Any song is possible - traditional, popular or classical folk.