



Ballydehob Community Council Pedal Boats 2011

Pedal boats available from Saturday 2nd July.
€10 per half hour. Fun for all the family.
Available on Ballydehob Pier. More information
contact Billy 087/6812347

Ballydehob Community Council Newsletter



Ballydehob Community council will be erecting a number of decorative street flower stands throughout the village soon. These stands will be located at the outer edge of the footpath and will give the village a well deserved face lift along with all the painting that is going on for the procession.

Since our last newsletter the resurfacing of the pier has taken place. Cork County Council provided half of the material with Ballydehob Community Council providing the other half. John Joe O' Keeffe of Bantry plant hire provided free of charge a machine and labour for the spreading of the gravel and we thank John Joe very much for his community spirit as we also thank Billy Horgan of Cork County Council.

The essential work on the partially collapsed wall opposite the tennis court has also been completed. Coosheen Construction undertook the contract and did an excellent job. The work was funded fully by Ballydehob Community Council. I would like to remind our readers that Ballydehob Community Council shop is always looking for items to sell and your support for the shop is greatly appreciated.

The judges for the Tidy Towns Competition will be visiting the village any time now so I would urge everyone to make a great effort to keep the village free of litter and cigarette butts so that we can retain and hopefully improve Ballydehob's marks for this years Tidy Towns competition. Finally we in the Ballydehob Community Council would like to wish Roger Walton of Ballydehob Garden centre a very happy retirement. Roger has for a long number of years provided a great service to all his customers and we will Roger and Gay all the best for the future.

Martin Swanton, Chairperson BCC.

Country Music Night: Fundraising event for the Community Council on Saturday 23rd July in Vincent Coughlan's Pub, Music by "Southern Country" kindly sponsored by Pat Thomas. Tickets €5 which include a chance to win a super spot prize. Tickets on sale from any Council member. Fancy Dress optional, dust off your Cowboy hats & boots. Special guest on the night!!!

Ballydehob Summer Festival: dates for your diary, starting on **Friday 12th— Sunday 21st August**, Old Boats arriving on Saturday 13th. More information to follow in the coming weeks. Updates on www.ballydehob.ie.

Car Boot Sale: next car boot sale in Ballydehob is on Sunday 19th June from 10am -3pm. More information contact Billy O' Regan 087/6812347.

U13 Gabriel Rangers: A big Congratulations to U13 football team who won the County Semi-final on Sunday 12th in Bandon, they beat Ballinora 2-8 to 2-6. Next the **County Final**, they will be playing Micheal McCartaigh (Buttevant) on Sunday 19th June @ 2:30pm in Macroom. **Best of Luck Lads!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

All Newsletters now available on our website.

Community Council office contact Noreen Dalton 028/37640, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday, 9:30-1:30pm.

"A man's worth is measured by how he parents his children. What he gives them, what he keeps away from them, the lessons he teaches and the lessons he allows them to learn on their own." Lisa Rogers

Thought for the Month



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noreen.murphy7@gmail.com. Ads are at a reasonable rate.

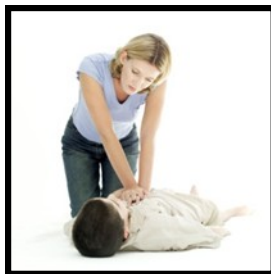
Ballydehob Community Council Weekly Private Lotto Draw: 100% of lotto funds goes back into our local community. Last draw 11/06/11, no.'s were 7, 24 & 25. Jackpot €4,200, No Winner. €50, Rich Hudson, €40 Caoimhe Griffin, €30 Paula & John, €25 Nora Cleary, €25 Mary Daly. Next draw on Saturday 18th June. Jackpot is **€4,400** and the draw takes place in The Sandboat Bar.



Ballydehob Cardiac First Responder Group: at a recent meeting of the group, a committee was elected as follows: Chairperson-William McSweeney, Secretary-Noeleen Murphy, Treasurer-Patrick Murphy, Assistant Treasurer-Karan Connolly, PRO-Pat Mantle, Members: Kitty O' Mahony, Nora

McSweeney, John McSweeney, Billy O' Regan, Kathy O' Regan, Bernadette O' Regan, & Liz Ryan. The group organised a church gate collection; amounts as follows; St. Brigid's €300, St. Matthias €272, Aughadown & Kilcoe St. Matthew's €91.65, Ballydehob Charity Shop have donated €500, all monies fundraised will buy much needed training equipment & a second Defibrillator for Ballydehob village. The group would like to take this opportunity to Thank the Ballydehob Community Council for all the support financially and otherwise in helping us to get set-up, Brendan Leahy HSE Leading Ambulance Paramedic, & his Instructors Vera McGuire, Pat Fitzgerald, David Sheehy & Mary-Louise McCarthy for all their help, support & training. A lot more fundraising is needed for this vital service for Ballydehob, we will be hosting a **Family Fun Day** in the Community field on **Sunday 10th July from 12:30pm**, lots of fun for all the Family, BBQ, Face Painting, Live Local Music, Bouncy Castle & lots more, please come along to support this very worthy & vital service for Ballydehob. As a group we will be on-call for Heart Attacks, Choking, Stroke & Cardiac Arrest the mobile number for call-out is

085/8140944 which there will be two members of the Group dealing with emergencies. We need more volunteers for this service, training will be made available to anyone wishing to get involved in the coming months, to get involved or more information on what's involved contact Group Co-ordinator Noeleen Murphy 028/37463 or 086/3254214 or email firstresponder@hotmail.com



West Cork Rural Transport: Runs between Ballydehob and Bantry every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and the First Friday of every month. Leaves Ballydehob 8.20am from the front of Ina Daly's pub, leaves Bantry at 3.45pm. For more information about this service contact West Cork Rural Transport (027) 52727 FREE to bus pass holders €4 single, €6 return. Remember Bantry Fair happens the First Friday of every month.



Ballydehob Community Council Website: Noreen Dalton and Martin Swanton flick the switch and make the new www.ballydehob.ie website live. Noreen was actively involved during the build process, contributing content and acting as a single point of contact, and she will retain responsibility for keeping the site up to date on an ongoing basis. We are still asking people to send in **Old Photographs** of Ballydehob to be displayed on the website. Advertising on the website is also available for all businesses, €20 per year, Please contact Noreen Dalton on 028/37460 or advertising@ballydehob.ie with your photographs & information to be included on website.

Ballydehob Community Shop: We would very much appreciate your unwanted good quality items and we would appreciate your voluntary help in running the shop. The shop will be open from Tuesday to Saturday inclusive from 11.00a.m. to 4.00p.m. For further information feel free to contact Martin Swanton on 086-8073182, Donal Levis on 087-8208356 or Gerard Coughlan on 086-8508131. Please support this shop and your community and many thanks to all of those people who have already contributed their goods and time.

Ballydehob Youth Centre: On every Tuesday at 7:30pm boxing training with qualified trainer Shane & Frank Madden. Disco's will start once the exams are over and the chosen night picked (normally 7:30pm start 10:30 finish Fridays). New to the centre "Movie night" on every Thursday night for the summer film time 8.00pm start. The title of movie will be displayed on notice board at bottom of steps, doors open at 7.45pm, soft drinks and snacks available to buy in centre. Details of updates can be seen on notice board and if anyone has any enquiries then they ring or text the youth centre mobile 087/3577850.