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St. Moninna's G.A.C. Killeavy Club News

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Derek hits the biggest ever Jackpot

Club chairman Michael O'Neill had the pleasant task this week of presenting Derek McGowan with a cheque for £5,200 – the biggest ever Killeavy Lottery Jackpot. Also in the photograph below is Derek's mother Philomena who shares in his good fortune by collecting £100 as the winning promoter. Thanks to Derek, Philomena and all our lottery players for their continued support of the club. The jackpot returns to £2,500 this week – still well worth the winning – good luck to all.



The winning numbers were

10	11	21	23
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There were **NINE** Match Three Winners - £25 each

NAME	ADDRESS	SELLER
Mary Rose Quinn	Ayallogue Road	Jim Magee
Barry Kane	Newry	Lily Marmion
Ann Coyle	Upper Fathom	Seamus Coyle
Sean Mac an tSaoir	Wood Road	Club Killeavy
Gerry Teggart	Ayallogue Road	Club Killeavy
Mary Conway	Forkhill Road	Oak Barrel
Mick Murphy	Patrician Park	Brian Cosgrove
Julia McAnuff	Parkview	Julia McAnuff
Damian	c/o Trufit	Trufit

Promoter – **Martin Grant** Total Prize Money – **£5,550**
Jackpot Next Week

£2,500

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Two big games on Saturday

The two best u14 teams in the county, Killeavy and Crossmaglen, meet in their third final of the year tomorrow. So far the score is one each with Crossmaglen winning the Féile final back in April and Killeavy storming back to win the Championship final just a fortnight ago. Tomorrow's match sees the all-county League title up for grabs and another closely fought encounter is anticipated.

After the u14 final, Killeavy supporters will be staying on to cheer on our minors as they take on Pearse Og in the quarter-final of the county championship. While Killeavy haven't had a competitive game for about six weeks, the city side warmed up nicely last Sunday with a big 2.15 – 0.07 win over Keady in their controversial first round replay. The match is a re-run of the u16 championship final from two years ago. Pearse Og were the winners on that occasion and most pundits will have them down as favourites for this year's title as well.

Should Killeavy come through tomorrow's match then they will face a semi-final showdown with Silverbridge in the Athletic Grounds on Tuesday night.

- Sat 8th u14 League final in Carrickcruppen 2.00pm
- Sat 8th u18 Championship quarter final 4.00pm
- Tue 11th u18 semi-final in Armagh (Possible) 8.00pm

The Zambian St. Moninna's

Killeavy's minor footballer Donal O'Neill is just back from three weeks in Zambia where he was helping a children's project. He brought out an old set of Killeavy jerseys with him and donated them to the fine set of lads pictured below. The club was delighted to help Donal's project and you never know – maybe there will be an increase in international trade for jersey sponsors Peter Doran Kitchens.



Darts Success

Our darts team recently did us proud when they beat off the efforts of fifteen other teams to win the prestigious Gerard Fearon Memorial trophy organised by Dromintee GFC. Pictured below are Back Row (L-R) Pat Quinn, James Hillen, Margaret Maguire, Stephen McDonnell, Dominic McEvoy. Front Row (L-R) Mattie Cromie, Joe Donnelly, Thomas Crilly, Alan McManus Missing from photograph Eddie Cassidy



Thanks to all concerned

During the week, the club presented two cheques worth £3,750 each to Headway and Combat Cancer in respect of monies raised at our recent Donkey Derby and Fun Day. This magnificent total was only possible due to the hard work of the organising committee and so many individuals. It is nice sometimes to get praise for your efforts so we feel it is well worth reproducing in the bulletin a letter of thanks we received (note the correct spelling this week – and thanks to everyone that pointed out last week's mistake. You can all now stop sending the i before e except after c texts).

"I am writing on behalf of our group to congratulate you and all your team on the very professional organisation of the recent Donkey Derby which was as good as I have seen. The amount of voluntary effort put in was tremendous and a real credit to all concerned – many a business could not have done so well. The amount of support you got from local people was really impressive. You have set standards for others to follow. Well done.

Very many thanks.

Frank Dolaghan, Chair, Headway Newry"

Injury Fundraiser

Our senior footballers are organising a Nite at the Races in the Social Club on Saturday 15th October. The players all have horses to sell (£10 each) and races to sponsor (£25 each) and would be grateful for your support. Everybody is welcome on the night and all monies generated will go to our Injured Players fund.



Black Tie Gala Ball

Enquiries continue to come in regarding our Gala Ball on Saturday 26th November. We are now well into the Pinewood Suite having totally filled Lacey's. Our 125 committee needs to firm up on all seating requests and would ask that all seats are paid for before the end of October. In an effort to be fair to all, any seats not paid for by the end of the month will be re-allocated. Please contact Margaret Matthews (30 848 361) or drop in to the Social Club on Friday evenings where a member of the committee will accept names and payments.



By popular request, Sharon Reel is starting a new beginner level circuits class "Get Fit for the Gala" at 6.30pm on Thursday nights in the Youth Centre. She is looking to help men and women get into tip-top shape for the big do. For further information – contact Sharon on 075 1232 8961.

Snippets

- The club would ask anyone who has borrowed tables or chairs to arrange with Pat Quinn (079 1625 5715) for their return. We are always happy to loan out our tables and chairs when required by the community but can only continue to do this if borrowed items are promptly returned.
- The club shop is open in the Youth Academy every Monday evening. Half price sale now on. Orders being taken for a range stocklines bearing the new crest.
- There will be a fundraising ceili held in the Social Club on Sunday 9th October. Music from 4.00 – 7.00pm by Cathal McAnulty Ceili Band.

Killeavy Youth Academy Autumn Schedule

Monday 6.30 – 8.00	Boys and Girls	P5 – 1 st year
Tuesday 6.30 – 8.00	Boys and Girls	Nursery – P4

Killeavy Whist

1 st Seamus McKinley – 154 pts	
2 nd Jane McKinley – 148 pts	4 High Games -
2 nd Fergal Murphy – 148 pts	Jean Rogan – 36 pts
2 nd Brian O'Hare – 148 pts	Knockout
4 Low Games -	1 st Angela McKibben & Brian Tiernan
Rose Kinahan – 19 pts	2 nd Tommy Donaghy & Jimmy Stewart
Jim Magennis – 19 pts	

The Snowball this week will be £24 for 164 or more Whist continues on first three Fridays of every month