

25th Sept

Laois Championships

The venue for the recent Electric Picnic in Stradbally will host the first of the Laois Credit Unions county cross country championships on Sunday next the 6th October. The programme gets under way with the girls U.10 at 11.00am followed by the boys U.10, the U.12, U.14, U.16, U.18 and masters men and women for a 12 race programme. All club members are requested to turn out in club gear and could all juvenile members report to the team managers no later than 10.40am with the U.10's to report before 10.30am. No cars are allowed park on the estate so please consider this and allow for getting to the start on time.

Colm Leads Home the Barge

The 2nd running of the Vicarstown beat the barge run over 5K was decided on a beautiful evening and excellent conditions. Once again Colm Burke was at the head of affairs and came home a clear winner, followed by his team mate Dermot Ayres who is making steady progress over the past few months. Cian Kelly was 2nd in the junior section and Dolores McEvoy and Carmel Hughes featured in the ladies.

In the Ratheniska 10K ploughing race Dinny Whelan, Carmel Hughes and Denis Carpenter (not seen for sometime) made the trip to see the upgrading of the roads in anticipation of the massive numbers expected for the championships.

Members Draw

Tickets are in circulation at the moment for the first of this year's members draw which will take place in the Glenside, Killeshin on the 12th October. If you are having difficulty in securing a ticket please call to the clubhouse any night after 7.30pm or get in touch with Breda Daly. It would be nice to have another couple of promoters so if you are interested give us a shout.

Secondary Schools

The season kicks off next week with the three counties secondary schools cross country (Laois, Carlow and Kildare) with Stage 1 being held in Knockbeg. Best wishes to all involved.

Welcome

A warm welcome is extended to all the new members over the past month, hope you have an enjoyable experience with the club. Plenty of room for anyone else interested in coming along, report to clubhouse any Tuesday and Friday at 7.30pm