Kilkenny County Library Service

BRARY NEWS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY

'So much of our future lies in preserving our past' Peter Westbrook



raiguenamanagh, like so many towns and villages in Kilkenny is steeped in history not least the majestic **Duiske Abbey that stands** proud in the centre of the town.Graiguenamangh Library therefore is committed to preserving and enhancing the memory of the town and its people through our collection of local history and supported by the extensive collection of local history available through our Local Studies **Department and through** our website.



The local history section in Graiguenamanagh Library is a treasure trove of information and you will find all the usual material like the

1901 census. Tombstone Inscriptions and Old Kilkenny Reviews from 1946-2014 here.

However here are a few gems you might not have known about:



Local Parish News Bulletin dating back to 1991

Copies of The Nightingale from 1980-1987



The Burtchaell Sketches and Genealogy of the Burtchaell Family

Album of sketches by Mary Burtchaell, Brandondale House is on permanent display in the library.

This album was acquired and restored by the Graiguenamanagh Historical Society. The album was examined by experts at the National Gallery of Ireland who considered it to be a rare and very worthwhile find

Folklore collection of stories for Graiguenamanagh, Inistioge, Ullard and Gowran

This is a wonderful collection of stories approximately 740,000 pages of folklore and local tradition compiled by pupils from 5,000

primary schools in Ireland between 1937 and 1939. The stories are available on duchas.ie in the schools collection but can also be viewed in the library here at vou leisure.





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In 2018 Graiguenamangh library embarked on a digitation project entitled 'Celebrating the memory of Graig and Tinnahinch'.

The people of Graiguenamanagh and Tinnahinch very kindly brought in their photos, memorabilia and letters for us to scan and upload the collection to our library website www.kilkennylibrary.ie.

brought back lovely memories for all involved. The photos prompted stories from long ago and local people

who were long gone were brought back to life as people relayed stories from times gone by.

If anyone has any old photos you can still drop them into the library to be included in this collection. This in an ongoing project and library staff will still accept old photos and letters you may have.







The collection is called Graiguenamanagh Memories Archive can be found on the library website by clicking the 'Kilkenny Digital Archive' link



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