

Irish Kennedy Heritage Group



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The mission of the Irish Kennedy Heritage Group is to research, preserve and disseminate the history of the Irish Kennedys.



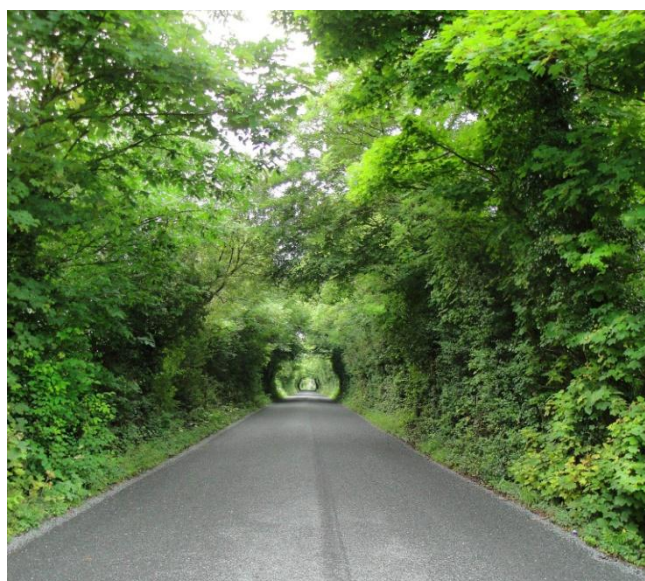
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IRISH KENNEDY HERITAGE GROUP ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The A.G.M. of our Irish Kennedy Heritage Group will take place in Chief Rody Kennedy's Anglesea Lounge, Kennedy's Bar, Rearcross on Thursday 6th April at 8.00pm. I would urge as many people as possible in Ormond and its surrounds to attend the A.G.M. to help with forming a good on-going plan to further the mission of the Irish Kennedy Heritage Group. I also welcome all ideas and suggestions from our cousins and friends dispersed world wide. Among topics for consideration are;

- Membership of the Irish Kennedy Heritage Group and how best to initiate an easy efficient system to receive and acknowledge membership.
- Progress on the naming of part of M7 Motorway as 'Presidents' Way – also signage on M7 to state ' You are now entering Kennedy Country'
- Development of an active 'Irish Kennedys.ie ' website with corresponding Facebook page.
- Addition to the Irish Kennedy Display in Nenagh Heritage Centre.
- Update on restoration of Long Andrew's grave in Templeberry.
- Kennedy Heritage Group get together on July 9th and proposed tour around Upper Ormond.
- A.O.B



Deep in Kennedy Country, courtesy of Maurene Kennedy.

SEVENTH ANNUAL GATHERING OF THE IRISH KENNEDYS

Kennedys and their relatives and friends from Ireland and around the world meet at Chief Rody Kennedy's at 8 pm on Sunday July 9th for their seventh annual gathering. All are welcome.

The event will be preceded by a tour of historic Kennedy graveyards at Ballinaclough, Kilkeary and Templeberry. Also a visit to Cloghenane Castle built by David Kennedy. The tour will commence at 2pm at Chief Rody's pub..



LOOKING FOR TWO MARY KENNEDYS

There are many Mary Kennedys in the North Tipperary records. Finding an individual person of this name, let alone two of them, can be a challenge. The following email exchange will give you some insight.

To: Brian Kennedy
Subject: Mary Kennedy

Hello Brian

I would love to find out more about my two Mary Kennedys, if it's possible.

John Ryan b1832 Latteragh was married to Johanna Howard.

Her parents were Lawrence Howard and Mary Kennedy.(great great great grandparents)
He is in Griffiths Valuation in Glenmore Upper. He died in 20 Aug 1868 a widower so she died before 1868. Many of their children immigrated but their son Cornelius stayed in Glenmore. I believe there are still Howards in Glenmore, or were in the recent past. That is all I know about this Mary Kennedy.

Denis Ryan b 1862 in Latteragh. son of John above married Catherine "Kate" Vicars (Vickers) from Lackakera, Latteragh. Her parents were James Vicars (1808-1868) and Mary Kennedy (1822-1902). The Vicars lived near Latteragh Castle. She passed in 5 Nov 1902 in Stook, Aghnameadle, where she was living with her daughter Ellen and husband Tom O'Meara. She was 80 so born around 1822.

That is all I know about my 2 Mary Kennedy's. Such a common name in North Tipperary so it makes it hard. These families in Templeberry Catholic parish registers.

Thanks so much!
Mary

Hello Mary,

There is a chapter on Latteragh Parish in my book "The Upper Ormond Kennedys". There are Kennedys mentioned here as far back as 1640 when Dermot, Hugh and Philip Kennedy held land in Bredagh townland next to Glenmore Upper. Mary Kennedy is mentioned in Glenmore Lower in Griffiths. Edmund Kennedy was in the Tithe Applotments for Glenmore around 1823. The following chapter on headstones in Latteragh Parish has pictures of Bredagh Kennedy headstones and those of and quite a few other Kennedys.

I was there a couple of years ago researching for this book and took a picture of all of the Kennedy headstones and of what is left of Latteragh castle.

So all is not lost. You appear to be descended from a group of Kennedys in townlands adjacent to Latteragh townland over the last four centuries and probably further back.

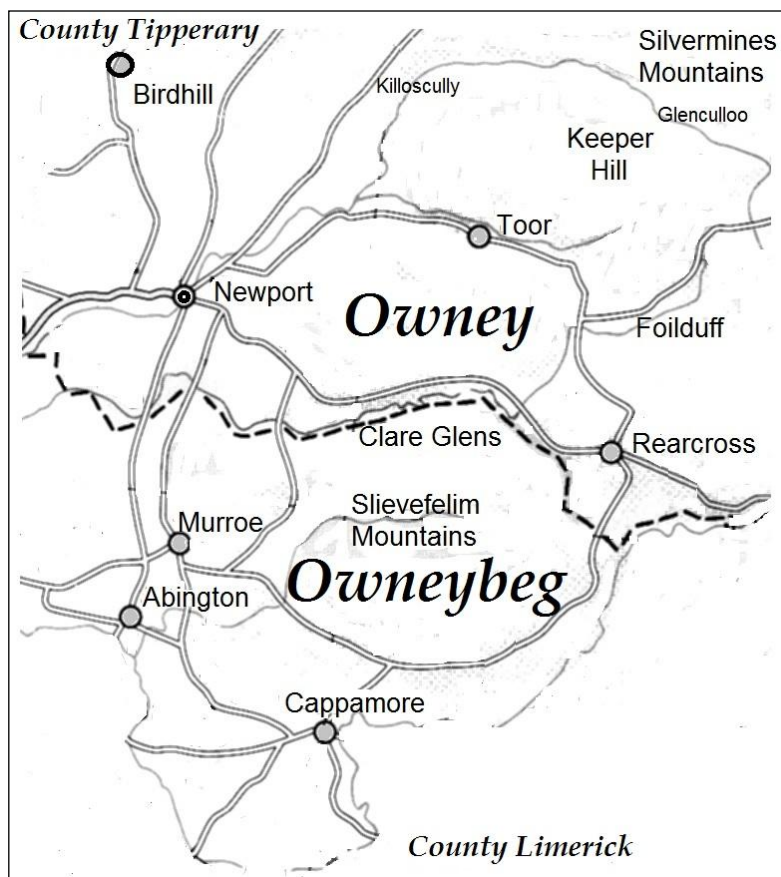
I hope this is of assistance.

All the best.

Brian Kennedy

THE KENNEDYS AND THE RYANS

After a number of requests from Ryans who are related to Kennedys, Brian Kennedy has now almost completed a book on the history of the O'Mulryans or Ryans of Owney, County Tipperary and Owneybeg, County Limerick. This book covers the following territory:



With the very welcome assistance of Derek Ryan Bawn, early preparations are in hand to present this book at a gathering of Ryans at O'Sullivan's Bar and Lounge in Newport on the night of Saturday, July 15th. All are welcome.

An extract from Chapter 169 of this book follows:

This work would not be complete without reference to the close association between the Kennedys and the Ryans. The Kennedys and the Ryans in the mountain areas are inextricably linked. The ancient territory of Owney Mulrian was home to the Ryans long before the Kennedys arrived on the scene. This is attested to by the many Ryan landholders in mountain areas such as Glenculloo in the Civil Survey of 1654.

The Kennedys had booleys (summer milking places) on undesignated land in the mountain areas from early times but were not listed as landholders or tenants until much later.

An examination of marriage registers for the parishes of Kilcommon, Kilmore, Newport, Templederry and Upperchurch shows a remarkable affinity between the two families. Between 1799 and 1910 a total of 72 Kennedy women married Ryan men. Between 1816 and 1902 a total of 52 Kennedy men married Ryan women.

With more than 120 marriages between Kennedys and Ryans in over 100 years it would probably be difficult to find Kennedys who are not related to Ryans and Ryans who are not related to Kennedys in one way or another.

Records of female Kennedy and male Ryan marriages for Newport and Kilcommon follow.

NEWPORT FEMALE KENNEDY TO MALE RYAN MARRIAGES 1799 - 1909

DATE	SURNAME	FIRST NAME AND LOCATION	HUSBAND'S NAME	WITNESSES
1799.02.05	Kennedy	Maria	Patk. Ryan	N.R.
1802.02.04	Kennedy	Juliana	Denis Ryan	N.R.
1803.11.08	Kennedy	Margarita	Matt Ryan	N.R.
1805.02.24	Kennedy	Brigid	Con. Ryan	And. Kennedy Wm. Kennedy
1821.02.14	Kennedy	Judy	Thos. Ryan (Cooper)	Andy Kennedy Terry Kennedy
1822.02.17	Kennedy	Mary	Jno. Ryan Anacotty	Thos. Kennedy Danl. Kennedy
1825.02.03	Kennedy	Ellon	Patk. Ryan Glencroe	Coner Ryan Tom Ryan Jerry Kennedy
1831.02.03	Kennedy	Mary	Michael Ryan Newport	Robt. Coffee Hugh Kennedy Mary Kennedy
1833.02.19	Kennedy	Anne	Patt Ryan Newport	Jno. Flinn Winny Kennedy
1837.02.02	Kennedy	Ellen Killeen	Chas. Ryan Knockbawn	John Keogh Andy Kennedy Mary Kennedy
1838.06.19	Kennedy	Bridget	John Ryan	Phil Kennedy Rev. W. Ryan
1839.10.17	Kennedy	Mary	Chris. Ryan	Matty McQuaid Owen McQuaid
1840.03.03	Kennedy	Onny Lackenavea	Timothy Ryan Morrough	Michael Ryan Cath. Kennedy
1853.11.22	Kennedy	Margaret	Michael Ryan Gortshane	Luke Doheny Judy Carey
1857.01.27	Kennedy	Margaret	Tom Ryan Cully	Wm. Teefey Mgt. Kennedy
1903.02.23	Kennedy	Margaret	Timothy Ryan	n. Kennedy Cath. Kennedy

1909.06.26	Kennedy	Marian	Martin Ryan Toor	Denis Ryan Bgt. Russell
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KILCOMMON FEMALE KENNEDY TO MALE RYAN MARRIAGES 1819 - 1889

DATE	SURNAME	FIRST NAME AND LOCATION	HUSBAND'S NAME	WITNESSES
1819.02.21	Kennedy	Bridget Kilcommon	Ryan Thomas Upperchurch	James Kennedy Philip Ryan
1827.01.23	Kennedy	Mary Gannavane	Ryan Thos Kiloscully	Peter Kennedy Jas. Berkery
1828.10.01	Kennedy	Winnie Foilnamon	Ryan Lnce	Michl. Kennedy Matt Ryan
1831.02.09	Kennedy	Anne Kicommon	Ryan Andrew	Patt Moloughney John Kennedy
1839.04.12	Kennedy	Cath	Ryan Martin	Patk Ryan Ellen McKeogh
1840.09.20	Kennedy	Mary Loughbrack	Ryan John	Thos Dwyer Jerry Dwyer
1845.04.30	Kennedy	Cath Foilduff	Ryan John	John Ryan Charles Kennedy
1848.02.2	Kennedy	Bgt Gannavane	Ryan Eugene	Patk Ryan Ellen Ryan
1850.02.10	Kennedy	Honoria Foilduff	Ryan Edmund	Daniel Flanagan Hanoria Cormack
1855.02.18	Kennedy	Julia Foilduff	Ryan Patk	Thomas Ryan Mary Kennedy
1857.02.03	Kennedy	Mary Foilduff	Ryan John	Patk Ryan Bgt Kennedy
1860.02.05	Kennedy	Cath Grousehall	Ryan Patk	Thomas Ryan Mgt Kennedy
1860.02.05	Kennedy	Margt Foilduff	Ryan Edm	Corn Ryan Bgt Kennedy
1861.02.02	Kennedy	Honora Gannavane	Ryan Mathew	Matthew Hayes Honora Hogan
1863.06.29	Kennedy	Eliza Beaclave	Ryan John	Martin Lynch Mgt English
1865.02.16	Kennedy	Cath Cummergar	Ryan Patrick	Michl Connors Catherine Kennedy
1865.02.14	Kennedy	Anastasia Foilduff	Ryan Corn	Patk Finn Ellen Ryan
1865.02.28	Kennedy	Mgt Rehardnogy	Ryan Thomas	John Chadwick Ellen Kennedy
1866.02.04	Kennedy	Mary Rehardnogybeg	Ryan Patk	William Dwyer Honora Kennedy
1867.02.11	Kennedy	Mary Foilduff	Ryan Martin	Thomas Ryan Mary Kennedy
1869.02.08	Kennedy	Honora Tooreen Brien	Ryan John	Patrick Clarke Johanna Kennedy
1872.02.11	Kennedy	Johanna Tooreen Brien	Ryan Thomas	Thomas Ryan Bgt Kennedy
1872.11.12	Kennedy	Mary Gort	Ryan Patrick	William Scully Mary Ryan

1873.05.22	Kennedy	Mary Knockbrittas	Ryan James	John Hughes Bgt Connell
1875.02.07	Kennedy	Mgt Gannavane	Ryan Thomas	William Crowe Maria Kennedy
1889.08.05	Kennedy	Mary	Ryan James	Patrick Kennedy Mgt Kennedy

PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS

In order to make all earlier editions of the original mailing list generally available, Sean Kennedy has kindly volunteered to publish an **Internet Blog** that will provides appropriately edited posts in order from the first issue. You will find the Blog if you click on <http://tikhg.blogspot.ie/search?updated-min=2016-01-01T00:00:00-08:00&updated-max=2017-01-01T00:00:00-08:00&max-results=1>

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