

Judge recommends uninsured driver takes road safety course

A BETTYSTOWN woman convicted of driving without insurance was advised to undertake a road safety awareness course by Judge Stephanie Coggans at Drogheda District Court.

Thirty nine year old Nicola Black, The Dale, Whitefield, Bettystown was convicted of

driving without insurance or a licence at Mornington on 24th December 2022.

Garda Lisa Farrell told the court that while investigating a collision at Harry's store in Mornington on that afternoon

she noticed that the tax and NCT on the defendant's car were out of date and she seized

the vehicle.

The court heard the defendant had a learner permit but was banned from driving at the time after accumulating penalty points.

Judge Coggans told defence barrister Eoghan Fegan BL she had no option but to disqualify his client and imposed a two

year ban and €300 fine for driving without insurance.

The judge also fined the defendant €200 for driving without a licence with other documentary motoring offences taken into consideration.

Noting the defendant had been on a learner permit at the

location on 10th December last and possessing the drug for the purpose of sale or supply at the same location on the same date.

Judge Coggans was told gardai were awaiting the directions of the DPP in the case and remanded the accused on bail to 17th February.



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be installed at Lough Bracken.

- **Tree Planting** - Clearance of non-native commercial conifers around the car park and around the lake's eastern shoreline will provide opportunities for ecological enhancement, particularly tree planting.
- **Site Access**- Improvement of existing site access and junction between LT34042 access lane and local road L34040 (Nobber Road).

The Development has been subject to an Appropriate

Assessment Screening in accordance with Article 6(3) of the EU Habitats Directive (Directive 92/43/EEC) and the Planning and Development Acts 2000-2022. In accordance with Article 81 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001-2024,

Meath County Council has concluded from a preliminary examination under Article 120(1)(b)(i), that there is no real likelihood of significant effects on the environment arising from the proposed development and that an Environmental Impact Assessment is not required.

Any person may, within 4 weeks from the date of this notice, apply to An Bord Pleanála for a screening determination as to whether the proposed development would be likely to have significant effects on the environment.

The plans and particulars of the proposed development will be available for inspection or purchase at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy during office hours at the offices of Meath County Council from **16 January 2025 to 14 February 2025** (excluding weekends, Public Holidays, and Bank Holidays) at the following locations:

- Planning Department, Meath County Council, Buvinda House, Dublin Road, Navan, Co Meath C15 Y291 (Opening Hours 9am to 1pm and 2pm to 4pm Monday to Friday)
- **(Inspection and purchase)**
- Meath County Council, Municipal District of Kells Office, Town Hall, Headfort Place, Kells, Co Meath A82 W2R3. (Opening Hours 9am to 1pm and 2pm to 5pm Monday to Friday)
- **(Inspection only)**
- <https://planning.localgov.ie/>, under Part 8 Reference: **PT8/MH187**

Submissions and observations with respect to the proposed development, dealing with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area in which the development would be situated, may be made on the National e-planning portal <https://planning.localgov.ie/>, under Part 8 Reference: **PT8/MH187** or in writing to the Local Authority: Planning Department, Meath County Council, Buvinda House, Dublin Road, Navan, Co Meath, C15 Y291 on or before **28 February 2025**.

Scoláirreachtaí do Chúrsaí Samhraidh Gaeltachta 2025

Is féidir iarratas a dhéanamh anois ar an scéim Scoláirreachta do Chúrsaí Gaeltachta a réachtáilann Comhairle Contae na Mí gach bliain.

Beidh fiche a ceathair deontas Máire Ní Shiubhlaigh ar a bhfuil luach €150.00 an ceann, ar fáil do dhatalaí atá ag freastal ar scoileanna dara leibhéal sa chontae. Beidh ocht deontas eile Máthair Columba Gibbons, ar a bhfuil luach €300.00 an ceann, ar fáil do dhatalaí atá ag freastal ar scoileanna DEIS dara leibhéal; agus sé deontas eile Máire Ní Raghallaigh ar a bhfuil luach €300.00 an ceann ar fáil do dhatalaí atá ag freastal ar scoileanna DEIS dara leibhéal fosta. Is féidir na deontais a fhorchúiteamh in aghaidh táilí a ioctar do chodáistí samhraidh cónaithe atá aitheanta i rith an tsamhraidh 2025.

Tá an Scéim Scoláirreachta Gaeltachta á tacú ag Comhairle Contae na Mí, clár Ghaeilge agus Éire Chruthaitheach.

Tá foirmeacha iarratais agus na sonraí ar fad le fáil ag

www.meath.ie nó déan scanadh ar an gcód QR thíos: -



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Is é an dáta deiridh chun iarratais a bheith faighte ná 5:00 i.n Dé hAoine, 14 Feabhra 2025.

Gaeltacht Summer College Scholarships 2025

Applications are now open for the annual Meath County Council Gaeltacht Scholarship scheme.

Twenty-four Máire Ní Shiubhlaigh grants of €150.00 each will be made available to students attending second level schools in the county. Eight Mother Columba Gibbons grants of €300.00 each will be made available to students attending DEIS second-level schools; and a further 6 Máire Ní Raghallaigh grants of €300.00 each will also be made available to students attending DEIS second-level schools.

The grants will be recoupable against fees paid at recognised residential Irish colleges during the summer of 2025.

The Gaeltacht Scholarship Scheme is supported by the Meath County Council, Irish Language and Creative Ireland programmes.

Application forms and full particulars are available at www.meath.ie or by scanning the QR code below:-

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