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# The Best In Lucan

## New Local Information Website

Spring 2009







# Free to Enter Competitions Entry Details Inside

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#### Your local information website

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#### Hi there!

Welcome to our second 'TheBestIn' Lucan booklet for Spring 09. For those of you that don't know, 'TheBestIn' booklet works in conjunction with our community based website www.thebestin.ie. This local information website has the best in what is on offer in each area of West Dublin promoting schools, events, local businesses, news, children's pages, listings and competitions.

The first Lucan booklet was published last year as a trial to promote the website but due to demand we will be publishing the booklet at regular intervals throughout the year.

If you have any local events listings you would like to promote for the Lucan area, please log on to the Lucan page at www.thebestin.ie/lucan. We are also taking submissions from any budding writers out there who would like to contribute to our next Lucan booklet or be published on-line. If you have any interesting articles you would like to include in our next issue, please contact us via the website. You can also take part in our on-line competitions detail in this booklet.

We would also like to say what a great turn out it was for this year's St.Patrick's day parade in Lucan and look forward to many other colourful events in Lucan throughout this year.

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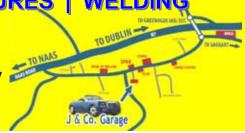
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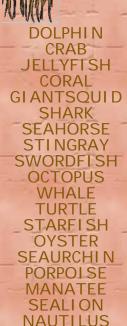


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Lucan Lions club was founded in 1988 and has 16 Members from the local community. We meet on the 2nd Tuesday of every month.

At these meetings we plan our programme for the year and monitor progress. Our main aim is to support existing local



charities and individuals in need. Though small in number we have a very active Club who take on the task of raising funds for charity very seriously. As a result the local community gives us tremendous support.

Members of Lucan Lions Club can be found collecting outside supermarkets, organising fashion shows, coffee mornings and Gala Concerts. We are currently preparing for a Concert in the Clarion Hotel, Liffey Valley on April 3rd.

New members are always welcome and any local support. In this context people who do not have the time to be active can contribute by signing our Standing Order for anything from €5.00 per month.

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- **4 Avoid overeating.** We should eat to about three-quarters of our stomachs capacity. Eating beyond this point prevents normal stomach contractions. Three quarters is also the point that gives us a feeling of satisfaction without the sensation of overeating.
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- **6 Eat at a moderate pace.** This will again allow you to chew your food well and will help you to find the point at which you feel satisfied. If you eat too quickly simply put your fork down after each mouthful and do not eat until that mouthful has been chewed and swallowed.
- **7** Avoid cold foods and iced drinks. Your stomach works best at body temperature. Cold foods slow down digestion. Warm cooked foods are the most readily digested.
- **8** Eat meals which are freshly cooked using a variety of ingredients. This will ensure you get all the necessary nutrients.
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