



Riddles from Galway

1. A stud in ones boot.
2. Because she can't fly under it.
3. When it is scaled.
4. An egg.
5. The back of a watch.
6. The more one licks it the faster it goes.
7. No, you have seen one with your eyes
8. Because it is made to go round.
9. Sore feet.
10. At the end of a march.
11. Eleven.
12. Because he puts down three and carries one.
13. A Fiddle.
14. A pot of tea.
15. A mountain.
16. A grave.
17. Because it there is Cork in it.
18. Your name.

NFC, Vol 004 pg. 322-4, Cloigeann School, Cleggan, Co. Galway

Riddles from Kerry

19. On the head.
20. A potato.
21. A magpie.
22. Because they both run.
23. When he is in quarters.
24. A donkey.
25. The honeycomb.
26. The height of nonsense.
27. An umbrella.
28. The other half.
29. Because they are both jumpers.
30. Because he is always changing his notes.
31. Growing old.
32. A Christmas host puts wine on the table and a hungry dog whines under the table.

NFC, Vol 414 pg 77. Tiobraid School, Tubrid More, Co. Kerry



Riddles from Limerick

33. A nail in your boot.
34. when tis frozen.
35. An umbrella.
36. One minds the train and the other trains the minds.
37. Sour milk.
38. A newspaper
39. The bark of a tree.
40. Because he has a trunk.
41. Two, inside and outside.
42. Vegetables.

NFC, Vol 528, pg 110-13 Mungraid Boys School, Luimneach, Mungret, Co. Limerick

43. Two
44. Two dead crows
45. When it's ajar
46. Because he is an ass.
47. Two, inside and out
48. Her breath
49. Because she can't lick it
50. To get to the other side

NFC, Vol 522, pg.125-7, Kishikirk School, Caherconlish, :Kishyquirk, Co. Limerick



Riddles from Waterford

51. Heat: we can catch cold.
52. Cain when he killed Able.
53. It is impossible to dig half a hole.

NFC Vol 844, Page 131 -3. Ferrybank School, ,Ferrybank, Co. Waterford

54. Begin his second day.
55. None, but it has three "e"s.
56. Because all bad soles go there.
57. Because he has able.
58. Because he was first in the Human Race.
59. Because it is frequently trodden on and beaten.
60. Half way, because if he ran farther he would be running out of the wood.

An Pasáiste Thoir (B.) School, PortLáirge. Co. Waterford. NFC Vol 652, Page 214-5

61. To get to the other side.
62. A glove.
63. You must go up it.
64. A tongs.
65. A. None of them because it was not raining at all.
66. Because it is out of the head.
67. Because it is not used till it is drawn.



Riddles from Louth

68. When it is raining cats and dogs.
69. Tissue paper.
70. The elephant.
71. A blackberry.
72. Because it covers sleepers
73. One sells watches and the other watches cells.
74. Dust
75. A needle
76. A shoe
77. A match
78. When it scratches.
79. A nail in a boot
80. A brush
81. A pipe
82. The sun.
83. On the outside.
84. Because its the grub that makes the butter-fly.
85. Navan
86. A pack of cards.
87. Two feet
88. The bark of a tree.
89. A secret.
90. Because it is gone out of your head.
91. Because they never go far without winding.
92. Because the rest are all weak days.
93. One- Myself.
94. There is no parting there.
95. A coffin.
96. A magpie.
97. Because she can't look under it.
98. A well.
99. Coal.

NFC, Vol 658, pg.83- 103 Ardagh School, Omeath, Ardagh, Co. Louth