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achieved in the school", she added.

In Abbeyfeale, Sr. Perpetua, former principal of the Mercy Convent secondary school, also described their results as "excellent".

"Over 30 of our students qualified for honours, and a large number outside of that also received high honours", she added.

Students in Abbeyfeale did particularly well in maths, chemistry, biology, English and French.

A spokesperson for Limerick County Vocational Education Committee also stated that they were very pleased with the results in their schools.

After only one year of offering full-time Leaving Certificate courses, Limerick Tutorial Centre also reported "fabulous" results, with two of their students obtaining the points required to enter dentistry.

The centre also scored a long distance success with New York son of Mayo exiles, Diarmuid King, getting the points for a choice of courses at UCG.



Mary Yelverton, vocals, of Toucandance.

LIMERICK BAND IN BANDSLAM SHOWDOWN

By LEADER REPORTER

LIMERICK band "Toucandance" are into the Munster final of the national Bandslam '89 competition.

The final will be held in Cork this Friday and if they win they will progress to the national final.

The national prize is £6,000 worth of Bose sound equipment and a free trip to the USA with Aer Lingus.

Toucandance's line up includes Mike Ryan, keyboards and backing vocals; Tony Brennan, drums; Eamon Hehir, lead vocals and guitar; Mary Yelverton, backing vocals; Sean Fox, bass and Des Dwyer, lead guitar.

They have been together for the past four years and describe their original material as "dance floor rock".

They were chosen among 15 Irish bands to represent Ireland at

the Irish Rock Week in the Mean Fiddler in London.

They are just about to record their first single "Green Eyes" at Xeric Studios in Edward Street, and are hopeful of a record deal in the near future. EMI are interested in the band. The single will be released before Christmas, according to Mike Ryan.

Mike said the winners of their first heat was chosen by audience vote in Killarney recently, and this meant a lot to the band.

Bands from all over the 32 counties are involved in regional heats at the moment.

Mike said success in Bandslam would mean a national profile for the band with TV appearances.

Derek Dean, formerly of the Freshmen, is involved in the promotion, and Mike said it was good to be dealing with someone who knows something about bands.

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PUBLIC DANCE HALLS ACT, 1935, SECTION 2

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A PUBLIC
DANCING LICENCE

John Joseph Dolan, Applicant

TAKE NOTICE that John Dolan, of "The Coach Inn," Kilcornan, in the County of Limerick, intends to apply to the Court at Askeaton, County Limerick, on the 28th day of September, 1989, at 11.00 a.m., for the grant of a licence to use a particular place to wit "The Coach Inn," situate at Kilcornan, County Limerick, in court area and district aforesaid for public dancing.

Dated this 22nd day of August 1989



Team from Limerick. Back row, left to right: D. O'Brien, B. Lilland and T. Rice. Front row, left to right: C. McNamara, B. Dudley, J. Scanlan and K. O'Donoghue.

SUCCESS MEASURES

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Ballyclough area of Limerick won the Frank Mullane perpetual trophy in the under 10 tournament held in Croom recently.

But the two halves! When the team was formed it was decided to involve any young person who wanted to play. Two seven-year-olds, Brian McNamara and Bryan O'Connell, wanted to play and in all their friendly games other teams allow them to put on the two young lads in place of one full team member.

However, in Croom the halves had to assume full member status for the tournament. And still they won through in the end.

In the ten team competition Red Star had to face the hosts, Croom, and the fancied favourites, in the final. The competition was held over three days.

Red Star have been in action for a year and a half and this is their first major trophy.

Ann McNamara, one of the team organisers, commented: "This is their first big cup win and the boys are over the moon with such a magnificent silver cup."

Brian McNamara is son of 2FM's Michael McNamara, and Bryan O'Connell is son of team manager Seamus O'Connell.