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Capital Developments get the Green Light

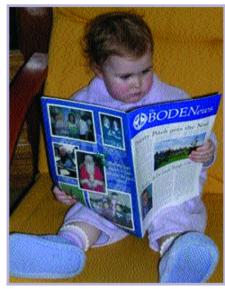
T'S ALL systems go in 2005 as the club receives a Christmas boost with the news that planning permission has been granted by South Dublin County Council (SDCC) for an all-weather pitch and two grass playing pitches at Sancta Maria as well as for the construction of a Skills Wall at the Greenacres end of Páirc Uí Mhurchú. In addition, technical issues surrounding the construction of dressing rooms at Knocklyon Park, Ballycullen have been resolved and the way is now clear for work to commence on this project.

General Manager Noel Sheridan said "it's the news we've been waiting for and we are delighted that we can now make progress on commencing the construction of badly needed facilities."

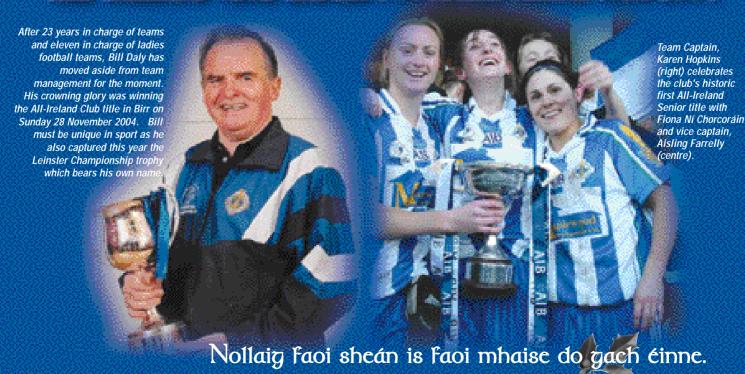
The provision of these facilities will involve an investment of several million euro and is a major statement of confidence by the club. The new resources will add greatly to the recreational amenities of the area.

Grant aid from the National Lottery has been acquired for the Sancta Maria and Ballycullen developments and thanks to the initiative of John Ryan and his team who organised a very successful Golf Classic in 2003, substantial funds have been raised for the Skills Wall. The balance of the expenditure will be met from the club's own resources.

Noel Sheridan says "the projects outlined will impose a huge management challenge for the club as work on all three will be progressing more or simultaneously. However, I am confident the club can rise to the challenge. I would like to thank all who have contributed to the process.'



Aisling O'Farrell, daughter of Donagh and Liz was just 20 months when this was taken last January. Definitely a girl with taste!



- □ Evening Herald Blue Star Hurling honours were claimed by Simon Daly, Stephen Perkins, David Sweeney, Conal Keaney and Emmet Carroll. Michael Griffin picked up a replacement award.
- Conal Keaney also featured in the Evening Herald Blue Star Football awards along with Darragh Kiernan and Declan O'Mahony. Mark O'Sullivan won a replacement award
- Peter Shovlin has been named as a Dublin Under-21 football selector. Conor Doolan will be part of the Under-17 Dublin football management team in 2005.
- □ Referee Tony Lennon officiated at the Kerrygold European Football League in Luxembourg in 2004.
- ☐ Stephen Perkins finished 2004 as the Dublin Senior Hurling captain
- Conal Keaney earned the Irish Independent Sports Star of the week for his display in the Allianz NHL against Offaly.
- Gemma Fay and Fiona Ní Chorcoráin received All-Star nominations in 2004.

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A WORD FROM THE CHAIRMAN

What a wonderful year. All-Ireland Ladies football champions for the first time; four senior teams reach county finals; championship successes in all

four sports; we reached all four Dublin Féile finals; a range of activities to celebrate Camogie centenary year that no other club could match and progress on the development front that is recorded on the front page of this issue.

Winning our first All-Ireland Club title was a momentous achievement and I congratulate Bill Daly, Pat Nash, Bobby O'Sullivan, Brian O'Regan, Bríd Spillane, Karen Hopkins and all the players. To Bill who has retired from managerial duties for the time being, I would like to say a special word of thanks. He has put Ladies Football on the map in the club and fully deserved the All-Ireland honour. The championship win of the Under 10s led by Eugene Duffy and Pat McGrath ensures that we are starting as we mean to continue.

It was almost a female double again this year as in 2000 and 2001 but a single point denied P. J. Donohue, Anne Scallan, Orna Lucey, Paul Crosbie and senior 'A' camogie players but the success of the Junior 'A' team under Donal Regan and Micheál Glynn meant that Centenary Year was not without a camogie championship success. The programme of events to celebrate the historic year was truly memorable and its all-embracing nature touched on all elements of the club – past, present and future. Well done to Gerry O'Sullivan, Irene Kirwan, Nuala Pope, Anne Scallan, Mona O'Sullivan and all involved.

In hurling, it took a star-studded UCD team to deny our senior team our first title at this level. But winning the League was a significant achievement and a reward for the work of Paudie Ó Neill, John Ryan, Paddy Corrigan and the players. Championship wins were recorded at Junior B (Martin Donohue, Ollie Hickey, Michael Kennedy, John Healy, Hugh O'Neill) and Under 15 levels (Joe Young, Eithne and Michael McGarry) as well as a Dublin Féile na nGael title (Paul Daly, Francis Sharkey, Aidan Kennedy, Robert Woodcock, Conor Doolan).

While in football, well done to the senior team who also made it to the County Final under Dan O'Sullivan and Neil Brennan. The success of "Eddie's Eagles" could not be matched as they swept all before them in Dublin – top marks to Eddie O'Sullivan, Peter Shovlin and squad. The Under 16As championship win under Liam Carter, Conor Doolan, Matt Fletcher and Helen McGuinness was an early season success and augurs well for the minor season in 2005 and beyond. At the time of writing we await the Under 21 C Football final.

Those were among the highlights and the full roll of honour is contained elsewhere in the Boden News.

On and off the field, the club was well represented at a variety of levels – county, province and national. It is vital that we always reflect the best that is in our club and the conduct of all members – players, officials and supporters must be exemplary at all time.

Sadly, the year saw the passing of our esteemed former President, and vice-president and trustee at the time of his passing, Kevin Cardiff. He will be sorely missed but his legacy will live long into the future. Ar dheis Dé go raibh sé. To all other members and friends who suffered a bereavement we extend our deepest sympathy.

Ballyboden St. Endas has grown to be an enormous enterprise and funding is vital for that endeavour. I earnestly urge all our members to support the Club Lotto and the Gaelic Telecom partnership. These are crucial revenue earners for the club and we must ensure their success.

On the capital side, the refurbished bar is a splendid amenity and with your support, we will make substantial progress in bringing on stream the additional resources on the playing front in the next year.

My appreciation to our staff Noel Sheridan, Enda McNulty, Ned Slattery, Paul Doran, John Keating, Brian O'Regan, P. J. Donohue, Peter Fitzpatrick, James Curtis, Linda Lambert, part-time bar staff, Fintan Walsh, Donal Regan, Robert Lambert, to all the various committees and all who helped in any way.

To all our Players/Managers/Mentors – a big thank you. To our generous sponsors – sincere appreciation. The club has developed a new Sponsorship Brochure outlining the many benefits of being associated with the club. If you can place it in the way of a potential sponsor, please contact Noel Sheridan.

Finally, I would like to wish all members and friends a Very Happy Christmas and prosperous New Year. Nollaig faoi sheán is faoi shonas do gach duine.

RONAN HORE





A Night at the Dogs at Harold's Cross

ORGANISED BY NOEL BROWNE

Word from Noel Browne

Firstly, I would like to thank all those who supported the functions in the hall and the musical evenings in the lounge over the years, also those who took part in the singalongs with Pat Garrett on the last Saturday of the month.

Santa arrived on his horse drawn carriage on Saturday 18th December. The children also enjoyed the magic show and the adults had their Variety Show that evening

The next thing on my agenda is the New Year's Eve function so if you would like to book a table early you can phone me at 8257484. Tickets are also available from Tom Phelan, Linda Treacey or Ned, Paul or bar staff. A great night is promised to all including light

refreshments for only €17.50.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all who have worked along side me over the years on the social section especially Charlie Byrne, Tom and Mary Phelan, Tony and Trish Seary, Joe and Mary Young, Linda Treacey, Vincent Harrington, Tom Madigan, John Byrne, Lebby and John Galvin, Bernie Corrigan and Geraldine Browne. And also to Liam Coffey, Paddy Conway, Gerry O'Sullivan, Sinead Mc Neela, Niomh Madigan, Ned,

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

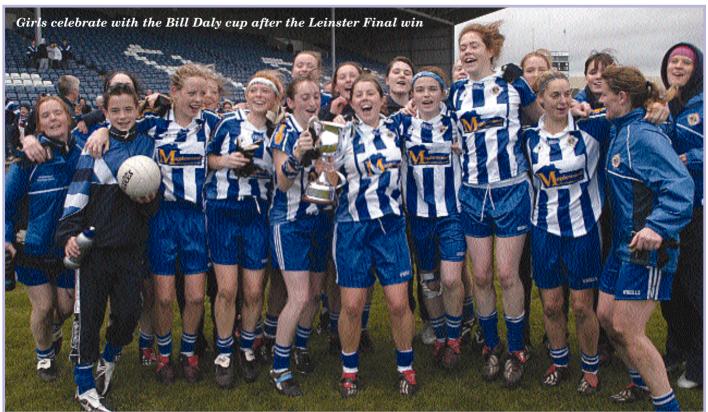
Paul, Peter and all the bar staff. DIDN'T THEY DO WELL? We would like to wish you all a

And they're off . . . a section of the large attendance enjoying the night at Harold's Cross





Boden reach the Holy Grail



HE CLOCK at the road end of St Brendan's Park, Birr ticked its way down from 30 seconds as Fiona Ní Chorcoráin bore down on the Donoughmore goals. The right boot made contact with the leather and split the posts to a resounding cheer.

We weren't going to be denied now and for the first time in the club's history – we bore the name – All-Ireland Club Senior Ladies Football Champions. It was a gripping finale to a great game and the celebrations were suitably racous.

For the fifth time in 2004, Karen Hopkins had the honour of collecting the winners trophy. A truly remarkable achievement. Before the year would extinguish, Karen would make a sixth trip to the winners rostrum, this time to collect the Dublin league title.

The team led by Bill Daly, Pat Nash, Brian O'Regan, Bobby O'Sullivan and Brid Spillane commenced the season by winning the first Holyrood Cup – Ladies Gaelic Football National Tournament in Bundoran, Co Donegal in February 2004.

Championship

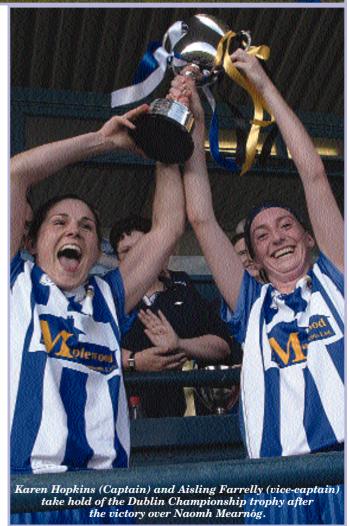
The Dublin Championship was captured in some style for the 5th consecutive year

1st Round	Ballyboden St Endas	5-21	Naomh Mearnóg	0-3
2nd Round	Ballyboden St Endas	4-17	St Marks	0-3
3rd Round	Ballyboden St Endas	6-15	St Brigids	0-7
${\it Semi-Final}$	Ballyboden St Endas	5-25	Lucan Sarsfields	1-2
Final	Ballyboden St Endas	2-15	Naomh Mearnóg	1-7

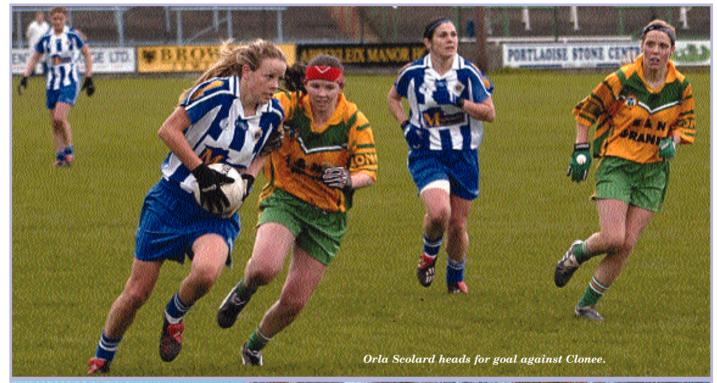
The Leinster Senior Club Championship was captured for the 3rd time in 5 years. In the Quarter final we received a walkover from Crettyard (Laois).

Leinster Semi-Final:	Ballyboden St Endas Clonguish (Longford)	
Leinster Final:	Ballyboden St Endas Clonee (Wexford)	

Karen Hopkins turned in a marvellous performance to claim *Player* of the Match in the Leinster final.

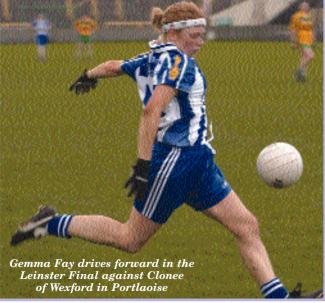


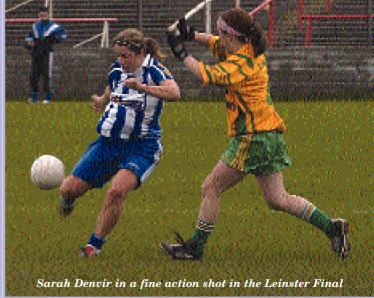














PÁIRC UÍ MHURCHÚ was resplendent for the All-Ireland Semi Final against old rivals Carnacon of Mayo. In another thrilling encounter, victory was claimed.

All-Ireland Semi-Final:

Ballyboden St En	das	3-10
Carnacon		1-8

Suzanne Hughes, Aisling Farrelly, Noelle Comyn, Sorcha Farrelly, Joanne O'Sullivan, Martina Farrell, Tonya Allen, Claire Butterly (1-0), Fiona Ní Chorcoráin, Orla Scolard, Karen Hopkins (1-3), Gemma Fay (0-4), Lisa Smith, Louise Kelly (1-0), Sarah Denvir (0-3).

Subs: Eveleen Kehoe for Scolard; Sorcha Timmins for Denvir; Diane Spillane for Allen.

All-Ireland Final:

Ballyboden St	Endas	2-7
Donoughmore		1-9

Suzanne Hughes, Aisling Farrelly, Noelle Comyn, Sorcha Farrelly, Joanne O'Sullivan, Martina Farrell, Tonya Allen, Fiona Ní Chorcoráin, Claire Butterly (1-0), Karen Hopkins (0-2), Gemma Fay (0-1), Lisa Smith, Orla Scolard (0-1), Louise Kelly (1-2), Sarah Denvir.

Subs: Eveleen Kehoe for Scolard; Sorcha Timmins for Denvir.

Other Panelists: Diane Spillane, Jennifer Walsh, Charlene McKenna, Joanne Cummins, Amy Keane, Helen Barr, Susan Hughes, Ceara nic Coitir, Carol Ryan

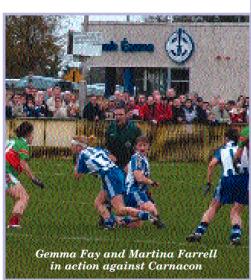
The victory was an immense triumph for all concerned particularly Bill Daly who has managed the team from Under 14 to senior; Pat Nash, Bobby O'Sullivan, Brian O'Regan and Bríd Spillane. Terrific support was given by the Executive Committee, Marie Denvir, Seán Flynn, Liam Delaney, John and Lebby Galvin, Danny Griffin, Niomh Madigan, as well as Enda McNulty, Ger Flaherty, Ronan Scolard, Eamonn and Gerry O'Sullivan and Nuala Daly.

Others to lend important assistance were Mark Magahran, James Reilly, Sharon Molloy, Julie Monaghan (both of whom played in early league games) and sponsors Mick and Bridie Whelan of Maplewood Developments.

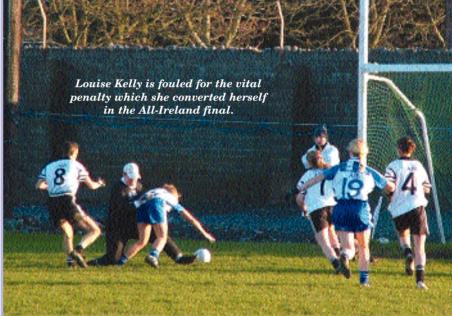
Dublin League/League Cup

A ten match winning streak saw the team capture the league and cup competitions.

In all the team played 28 matches and held 84 training sessions and were unbeaten in all 15-a-side matches from Donegal to Dublin.









Camogie Centenary Year History of Camogie in Ballyboden St Enda's

Believe it or believe it not, camogie in Ballyboden St Enda's is moving into its 40th year. Fiona Ní Shúilleabháin has been going back to our roots. But first a look back to the game's beginnings in 1904.



Rugadh camógaíocht sa bhliain 1904. Bhí mná na hÉireann tar éis múscail i dtaobh a cinniúint i Náisiúin na nGael.

Fiche bliain níos luaithe, bhí na fir tar éis an rud céanna a dhéanamh. Thug siad an Cumann Lúthchleas Gael chuig léibhéal nua. Rinne said foirméaltacht ar na céadta bliain de traidisiún spóirteanna agus caitheamh aimsire na hÉireann.

Bhí an Cumann Lúthchleas Gael, an Conradh na Gaeilge agus cumannacha eile ar nós seo ag maidneachan ar réimeas nua i Stair na hÉireann. Lán le spiorad na hóige i leith spóirt, teanga agus amhránaíocht na Éireann, mheall siad mná agus cailíní chucu. Ag an am seo, tús an fichiú haois, bhí mná ag tógáil a háit in Ollscoileanna, Cóláistí Traenáil Múinteoirí agus an Stát Seirbhís.

Ag fáil réidh leis an tuairim nár chóir do mhná spóirt a imirt thosaigh siad ar a rannaíocaíocht fhéin chuig an Éire Éireannach. Bhí bunús an chluiche Camógaíochta bunaithe i mBaile Átha Cliath i Craobh A' Chéitinnigh, an brainse Céitinn den Chonradh. Sa bhliain 1903, bhí foirneacha peile agus iománaíocht iontacha acu.

Sa bhliain céanna scríobh grúpa, le Máire Ní Chinnéide mar cheannaire (Céimí an Ollscoil Ríoga), rialacha an chluiche Camógaíochta bunaithe ar rialacha iománaíocht ach le cúpla athraithe chun oirreadh le haghaidh imritheoirí baineannach. Bhí Séan Ó Ceallaigh ('Sceilig'), i ndiaidh Aire Oideachais don Dara Dáil, scoláir Tadhg Ó



These smiling faces in the Loreto NS colours in Croke Park belong to current senior players

— Ciara Blair, Darrelle Dolan and Maeve Gaynor.

Donnchú ('Torna'), a tháinig suas leis an hainm 'Camóguidheacht' le haghaidh an chluiche nua, agus Séamas Ó Braonáin, níos deanaí Stiúrthóir Radio Éireann, in éineacht léi.

Nuair a bhí na rialacha socraithe ar, thosaigh cailíní Craobh A' Chéitinnigh ag traenáil i bPáirc Drom Conrach agus níos déanaí Páirc an Fhionn Uisce. Tharla é seo sa Samhraidh sa bhliain 1903. Déartar gur thóg siad a chamáin leo faoi cótaí fada ionas nach bhfeicfear iad. Ní raibh siad ag iarraidh daoine ag spocadh astu. Rinne siad a traenáil go luath ar maidin i bhfad ó súile an phobail.

Bhí na chéad oifigí de Chumann Camógaíochta Uí Céitinn, Máire Ní Chinnéide (Uachtarán), deirfiúr Torna Cáit



Over 170 girls under the age of 13 took part in the Centenary Camogie Blitz in May.

Ní Dhonnchadna (Captaen) agus Nóra de Róiste (Rúnaí).

Bhí an chéad Cumann Camógaíochta i gCúige Uladh, déanach sa bhliain 1903, tosaithe san Iúr le M. Laverty ina Chaptaen agus Rose McAnulty ina Rúnaí. Tá an onór ag an chlub seo, as an Dún, a bheith mar an dara Cumann Camógaíochta in Éirinn.

Faoi 1904, i mBaile Átha Cliath, bhí siad in ann a rá go raibh Cumann Camógaíochta eile acu. Cúchulainns ab ainm dó. D'imir siad i gcoinne an fhoireann Chéitinnigh ina chéad cluiche poiblí. Imríodh é i "Talamh Cumann Talamhaíoch na Mí" (anois Páirc Tailteann) san Uaimh, ar an seacht-déagú d'Iúil, 1904. Bhuaigh foireann Chéitinnigh ar scór cúl amháin in aghaidh nialas.

Turning to Ballyboden St Enda's

THE 'SEVENTIES

Margaret Francois started camogie in Ballyboden in 1976. She became Camogie Chairperson in the club and she trained both the juvenile and senior teams. Maeve O'Sullivan assisted her in this. Maeve was married to Sean O'Sullivan, one of the founding members of the club.

Margaret's husband also served for a time as Chairperson of Ballyboden St. Endas.

In the late 1970s, Maeve O'Sullivan became Chairperson of the Camogie Committee and she enticed players back into the club and early in 1983 she started a junior camogie team.

THE 'EIGHTIES

May 1983

Around this time talks began between Kathleen O'Sullivan and Maeve O'Sullivan. Kathleen wanted to start up camogie in Loreto NS, Grange Road.

As well as speaking with Maeve, Kathleen also spoke with Sean Flynn, Chairperson of the Juvenile Committee. He supported her wish by supplying her with hurleys

and sliotars. This is when the legend of Ballyboden St. Endas camogie really began.

1984-1985

The Dublin Camogie Board sent out Nell McCarthy, famous trainer, to the Hermitage for six months. Nell was the woman who helped Dublin win ten All-Ireland titles (1957-1966) and she is the aunt of Niall McCarthy who won an All-Ireland senior hurling medal with Cork this year. She began training with fifty girls, teaching them the basic skills of camogie.

Two teams were entered into leagues, an Under 11 team and an Under 12 team in 1984. An Under 10 team also trained regularly.

Kathleen wrote to numerous parents seeking help in looking after teams. Three people came forward to help; Phil O'Neill (who later became Camogie Chairperson and senior player), Noel Sheridan who is still active in the club and Anne Keoghan, who was a member of the Wexford team at the time.

Many of the people who had played in the seventies returned as coaches – Doreen O'Sullivan, Úna Scollard and Nóirín Mulvey.

Juveniles

Kathleen O'Sullivan along with the other coaches ran a street-league in May and June. It was a tremendous success. The Rathfarnham Garda donated a beautiful cup and medals to the competition. Usually Joe Young presented the medals.

As well as that the children often went on trips. They went to Croke Park on All-Ireland Day and visited other clubs. They also had a Christmas Party and many discos.

They had a sponsored walk every year and even at this early stage they were supporting themselves.

The First Junior Team

In September 1984, they had enough members to put together a junior C camogie team. The majority were women who had



Under 11 huddle with mentor Sinead McNeela



played before in the club and girls who were too old to play juvenile. Some of the girls were thirteen and fourteen years of age. Kathleen O'Sullivan and Noel Sheridan were in charge of this team. Noel was also training the juvenile team at the time. They won the league and championship in 1985 – first championship camogie success.

The First Intermediate Team

In 1985 the Presentation Club disbanded and nine of its players joined Ballyboden St. Endas. Kathleen entered them into the Intermediate B competition. In 1986 they won the championship at this grade.

New Pitch

In 1987, Ballyboden St. Endas received the use of a pitch in Cherryfield and because of that the number of young people playing in the club grew appreciably. By 1990 there was approximately ten juvenile teams in the club. In 1988, the club attained senior A camogie status when we won the senior B league.

The Nineties to the Present

This was the clubs best decade yet!

Eight Dublin Féile Titles!

The first was in 1989 and more were to follow. We won the first All-Ireland Féile na nGael in 1999. We went on to claim our first Senior Championship title in 1999 and added two more in 2000 and 2001. In 1992, the club won Intermediate and Junior championships on the same day and in 2004 we won our third Junior A Championship title.

Camogie has never been stronger in the club and we look forward to building on that record in the next century.

Eagraíocht náisiúnta is ea Cumann Camógaíocta na nGael arb iad a bhunaidhmeanna agus a chuspóirí ná cluichí agus caithimh aimsire Gaelacha a chur chun cinn, eolas ar shaíocht ár gcultúr dúchais a chothú agus spiorad pobail a mhúscailt i measc mhuintir uilig na hÉireann. Tá na haidhmeanna sin riachtanach fós.

The Year 2004...

Pride of place must go to the Junior A team (Micheál Glynn, Donal Regan) for ensuring that the club had a championship success in Centenary Year.

A marvellous victory over Good Counsel was recorded but on the same day the Galtymore Road crew turned the game around and beat the Senior A team (P. J. Donohue, Paul Crosbie, Orna Lucey, Anne Scallan) by a single point. The side did enjoy success capturing the Naomh Jude Centenary Floodlit cup and a Leinster Sevens in Mullingar.

On the juvenile front despite the best efforts of the teams - two of whom reached championship finals - Under 16A (Nuala Pope, Eileen McNamara, John Byrne) and Under 15 (Quentin Nea, Dave O'Driscoll) championship success eluded us.

The Under 14A team (Micheál Glynn, Clarinda Noonan, Sheila O'Shea) put in a tremendous effort in reaching the Féile final and this work will stand them in good stead for the future. The U12A (Mick Kennedy, Deirdre O'Reilly, Carol Ann Woulfe, Richard Fitzpatrick, Jackie Boyd Lyons) won the 7-a-side indoor Centenary Tournament organised by Skerries Harps.



Ballyboden St. Enda's Junior A Champions 2004

Standing, l-r: Micheal Glynn, Niamh Cunningham, Michelle Glynn, Julie McGlynn, Carol Ryan, Edel Dawson, Siobhan Maher, Sarah Bentham, Maria O'Neill, Sarah Maher, Niamh Scallan, Laura Coffey, Laura Nolan, Donal Regan.

Front, l-r: Gemma Reynolds (capt), Aoife Clarke, Rachel Ruddy, Ann Marie Byrne, Caoilfhionn Ní Néill, Cliodhna McNamara, Orlagh O'Shea, Catherine Pope, Sharon Glynn, Sarah Noonan, Rachel Maunsel, Ann Marie Corrigan.





CAMOGIE Roll of Honour

Senior Championship 1999, 2000, 2001 1999, 2001 Senior A League Senior B League 1988 2002, 2003 Senior B Open Cup **Intermediate Championship**

1986, 1992, 1997, 2001

Intermediate Open Cup 2001

Junior A Championship 1992, 1998, 2004

2000 Junior A League Junior B Championship 1988 Junior B League 2003 Junior C Championship 1985, 1989

Junior C League

U/16 Championship 1993, 1994, 2003 U/15 Championship 1990, 1993, 1994, 1995

U/14 Championship 1989, 1990, 1991, 1993, 1994,

1999, 2001, 2002

U/13 Championship 1989, 1992, 1993, 1998, 2000,

2003

U/12 Championship 1988, 1992, 1999, 2003

U/11 Championship 1996, 1998

Dublin Féile na nGael 1989, 1990, 1991, 1996, 1998,

1999, 2001, 2002

All-Ireland Féile na nGael - Div.2 1999



Senior A Camogie Team 2004

Back row: Triona Ni Reachtabhra, Ciara Hayes, Maeve Geynor, Siobhan O'Dwyer, Sarah Crosbie, Darrelle Dolan, Anne McCormack, Roisin Keaney, Joanne Cummins, Ciara Dolan, Elaine Hickey, Fiona Ní Chorcoráin, Gráinne Ní Chorcoráin, Joanne O'Sullivan, Sinead McNeela. Front row: Eimear Ring, Aoife Scallan, Dearbhla Reilly, Ciara Blair, Emma Seery, Anne Griffin, Irene Kirwan, Ciara Lucey, Fiona Hughes, Emer Lucey, Ceara Nic Coitír, Gemma Browne.



Senior B Camogie Team 2004



 $Under\ 11A\ Camogie\ Team\ 2004$



 $Under ext{-}13B\ Camogie\ Team\ 2004$



Under 13A Camogie Team 2004



Under 12A Camogie Team 2004





Under 14A Camogie Team 2004

Back Row, l-r: Clarinda Noonan, Aisling Cunningham, Sinead Hughes, Róisín Gaffney, Rebecca Tyson, Niamh Cunningham, Sharon Glynn, Lauren Coffey, Sarah Noonan, Jessica Ryan, Síle O'Shea, Micheál Glynn
Front Row: Shauna Cannon, Katherine O'Farrell, Katie Synnott, Paula McGrath, Fiona O'Shea, Eileen Corrigan, Natalia Hyland, Aoife Noonan, Lisa Barnwell.



Under 14B Camogie Team 2004 with mentors, Pádraig Ó Duibhir and Trish Higgins.



Under 16B Camogie Team 2004



CAMOGIE CENTENARY YEAR

COMÓRADH AN CHÉID Celebrating a Century of Camogie

A century of existence in any walk of life is a major milestone. Therefore it was entirely appropriate the Cumann Camógaíochta na nGael should celebrate its 100th birthday in style.

Ballyboden St. Endas endeavoured to play its part and from the Centenary Banquet on February 28, the club was at the heart of every event.

Lá na gClub was set aside in April for clubs to play their part but as this coincided with the Easter Holidays it was not a suitable time for the club. It was therefore decided to have a range of activities spread throughout the year to highlight our club history and the part we have played in furthering the game.

THE PRIMARY PURPOSES WERE:

- i) To celebrate 100 years of camogie
- ii) To celebrate almost four decades of camogie in BBSE
- iii) To promote awareness of the game in the community
- iv) To boost participation in the game in the club

The programme was an outstanding success and it is fair to say that all targets were attained. The following pictorial record is but a selection of some of the main highlights.

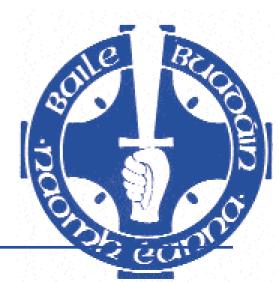


Under 16 Camogie team 2004 Championship Runners Up



Under 12B camogie team 2004

Back row: Ciara Scallan (mentor), Fiona Gavin, Acerina Lynch, Aisling Keane, Sinead McGirr, Saidhbh O'Kelly, Louise Duffy, Rachel Connolly, Jennifer Nea, Orla Gavin, Anne Turner (mentor). Front row: Aisling O'Riordan, Caitriona O'Brien, Paula McNamee, Arleen Daly, Ciara Donovan, Courtney Mullally, Rachel O'Meara, Rachael Tobin, Sarah Fitzharris, Laura Turner























In an effort to reveal an insight into the origin and nature of camogie, a very successful Exhibition was held in Ballyroan Library.



Mayor of South Dublin, Cllr. Robert Dowds opened the centenary camogie exhibition in Ballyroan Library, photographed with Gerry O'Sullivan and Marie O'Brien, chairperson Dublin Camogie Board. John Galvin in background, O'Duffy Cup in foreground.



At the Centenary Camogie Exhibition in Ballyroan Library were (standing) Kathleen O'Sullivan, Phyllis Breslin, former President, Ronan Hore, Club Chairman, Miriam O'Callaghan, President of Cumann Camógaíochta na nGael, Maeve O'Sullivan, Fiona Ní Shúilleabháin. Seated Eileen Duffy O'Mahony, Cllr. Robert Dowds, Mayor of South Dublin, Margaret Francois.







ENTENARY



Members of the Senior Team of late 1980s when the club gained Senior 'A' status for the first time by winning the 1988 Senior 'B' League
Back row (from left): Maggie O'Reilly,
Maire O'Neill, Eileen Tully,
Liz (McCabe) Roche, Bernie Lawless,
Patricia O'Byrne, Mary (Barron) Maher,
Brid (Feeney) Jameson, Kathleen Cannon,
Roibeard Jameson (manager).
Front row (from left): Grace O'Neill,
Nora Tully, Phil O'Neill, Erika Roche,
Paula Kavanagh.









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Senior Champions 1999-2001
John Kirwan (manager 2001),
Mairín Uí Reachtabhra (mentor 1999/00), Iris Kirwan (first aid/records), Adele Campbell,
Irene Kirwan, Mairead Cronin,
Gemma Browne,
Sarah Crosbie, Maeve Gaynor,
Sorcha Farrelly,
Fiona Ní Chorcoráin,
Tomás Ó Reachtabhra
(manager 1999-00).
Seated Cathal Regan
(supporter), Fiona Hughes,
Jean McNamara, Gráinne Ní
Chorcoráin, Sinead McNeela,
Ciara Conway (Hayes), Orla
O'Leary, Jane Hogan.

Danny Griffin has been a major help to camogie thanks to his many sponsorship endeavours. Danny is in the company of Senior B players Jane Hogan, Ciara Scallan, Fiona Ní Shúilleabháin, Aoife Scallan and Maeve Gavnor.



Tony Sweeney (left), former camogie committee chairperson with Tom Hennessy and Eamonn O'Sullivan.







Management Team 1999-2000: Anne McNamara, Tomás Ó Reachtabhra, Máirín Uí Reachtabhra with Miriam O'Callaghan (second from right), President of Cumann Camógaíochta na nGael

Management Team 2001: Eamonn O'Sullivan and Ciara Conway Hayes with Miriam O'Callaghan (second from right), President of Cumann Camógaíochta na nGael. The Manager was John Kirwan and the other mentor was Liz O'Neill



As part of the Centenary Celebrations, Miriam O'Callaghan, President of Cumann Camógaíochta na nGael assisted by Micheál Ó Muircheartaigh unveiled a special piece of woodwork made by Pat Lambert.



A special presentation was made to Cathal Regan for his great support of camogie. Cathal is seen here receiving a hurley signed by all the players from Miriam O'Callaghan, President of the Association



Iris Kirwan who supplied first aid and other assistance to the three in a row teams receives her presentation from Miriam O'Callaghan, President of Cumann Camógaíochta na nGael.



Miriam O'Callaghan,
President of Cumann
Camógaíochta na nGael has been
of tremendous support to the club
during Centenary Year and as a
mark of its appreciation Club
Chairman, Ronan Hore made a
presentation of a table lamp
fashioned by Pat Lambert.
Also in picture are Micheál Ó
Muircheartaigh and Gerry
O'Sullivan.









An Blian Seo Thart ...

ROLL OF HONOUR 2004

LADIES FOOTBALL FOOTBALL Championship Runners up **Senior** Senior A All-Ireland, Leinster, Dublin Champions, League & Cup winners Parson Cup Winners Junior A Senior B Staunton Tournament winners Clanna Gael Fontenoy Junior B Championship, League and Murphy Cup winners Under 14A Féile/League Runners up Under 21 B In Championship Final Minor B Shield Runners-up Under 12A League Winners Championship winners Under 16 Under 12B League Runners up **Under 14A** Dublin Féile Peil Runners up Under 10 Championship and League winners Dublin Féile Peil Winners Under 14B Under 12A Cup Runners up **CAMOGIE HURLING** Senior A Championship Runners up/Naomh Jude Centenary Championship Runners up/League Winners Senior Intermediate Floodlit Cup/Leinster Blitz winners League winners Junior B Championship winners/League Runners up Junior A Championship winners Under 21A Championship Runners-up Under 16 Championship Runners up **Under 21B** Championship Runners-up Under 15 Championship Runners up Minor A Championship Runners-up League Runners up **Under 16B** Under 14A Féile na nGael Runners-up Under 15 Championship winners Under 14B Féile na nGael Runners-up Dublin Féile na nGael winners **Under 14A Under 13A** League Runners up **Under 14B** League Runners up Div 1 Camaint/James Stephens & Kevin Cardiff Cups Under 12A Skerries Harps Indoor 7s Under 12

Football

The Senior team entered 2003 on the back of a morale boosting win in the Senior League in 2003 – our second such success. The work of the management team of Paul Bealin, Sean Fitzmaurice, Bobby O'Sullivan and Brendan Timbs has established a platform for further progress.

Under Dan O'Sullivan and Neil Brennan, that position was consolidated in 2004 when the team traveled all the way to the county final for only the second time in our history. However despite a brave bid, last year's runners-up Kilmacud Crokes had the edge on the day. But success was not scarce on the football front with the Junior B team commonly known as "Eddies Eagles" managed by Eddie O'Sullivan and Peter Shovlin and captained by Brendan Sheehan swept the boards taking championship, league and Murphy Cup titles. The Junior A side under Conor Hand and Tom Flynn brought the Parson Cup to the club for the first time.

At the Juvenile level, the Under 16 side managed by Liam Carter, Conor Doolan, Matt Fletcher and Helen McGuinness took the championship in style with a deserved

win over St. Sylvesters. While the Under 14A (Vivian Ruddy, Jim Keane, Declan O'Reilly, John Mulligan, Kevin Maguire) side played magnificently when pipped by Kilmacud Crokes in the Féile Peil final. The Under 14B team (Tony Wallace, Eamonn Clancy, Larry Quinn) captured their divisional title with a win over the same opposition.

The Minor B team (Liam Monaghan, Niall Kelly, Johnny Kenny, Noel Lynn) was beaten in a replay of the Shield final while at the time of writing the Under 21B team has reached the championship final.

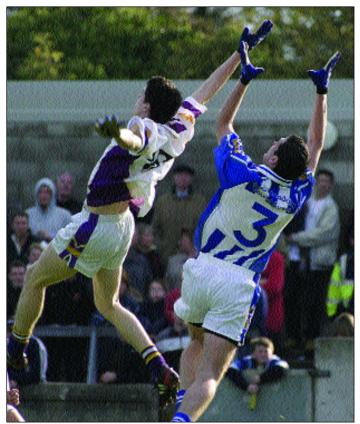


Junior B Football team - Championship, League and Murphy Cup winners. Back Row: Conor Cahill, Brendan Sheehan (Captain), John Fleming, Declan Walsh, Gordon Haughton, Graham Ward, Enda Naughton, Bob Dwane, Paul Naughton, Darragh Slovlin, Will Leen, Cillian Blake, Cian Hiney, Peter Shovlin. Front Row: Conor Farrell, Ciaran Griffin, Eddie O'Sullivan, Niall O'Neill, Darren Gordon, Ray Grourke, Eamonn McConnell, Neil Moran, Martin Bascal, Mark Magahran.





Junior A football team - Parson Cup Winners



Darragh Kiernan displaying the form that won him a Blue Star



Minor B football manager Liam Monaghan gathers his thoughts



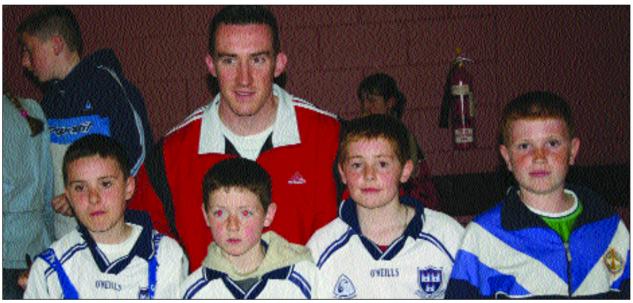
Ciaran Doyle goes for the posts in the county senior football final Andrew Kerin tries to go past Kilmacud Crokes' Jonny Magee in the against Kilmacud Crokes county final







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duties to
meet the
Under-12
footballers



South Dublin Under-12 Representatives - Ronan Cleary, Ryan Basquel, Darragh Geogeghan and Naoise Maguire with Dublin star Paddy Christie

Hurling

The quest for the elusive first senior championship was pursued with intensity. After topping the table in the new league-championship format, the senior team (Paudie Ó Neill, Paddy Corrigan, John Ryan) faced UCD with confidence after an epic semi-final struggle with Craobh Chiarain that required two and a half games. However, the star-studded opposition triumphed. Simon Daly picked up a serious injury in the game but already has returned to the field of play. The December League final win over St. Vincent's brought that honour to the club for the third time and went some ways towards healing the disappointment.

The Intermediate team managed by Emmet Pullan and Mick Fletcher captured the League title and is still in the hunt for an Corn Ceitinn.

The Junior B team under the stewardship of Martin Donohue and Oliver Hickey came away with the championship title and is in contention for the Doyle Cup.

The Under 21A (Emmet Pullan, Mick Fletcher, Dermot Maguire, Darragh Spain) and under 21 B (Jimmy Galavan, Bob Lambert, Denis Nagle, Joe O'Brien, Brendan Swords) teams reached the championship finals but went down to O'Tooles and Whitehall Colmcille.

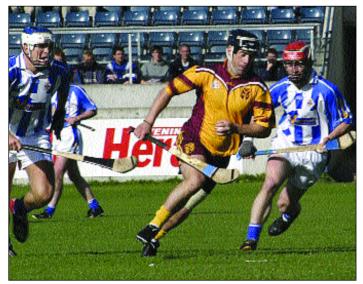
On the Minor front, the A side (John Keating, Joe Ryan, Liam Hogan) was pipped by Round Tower in the final

The Under 15 team (Joe Young, Eithne and Michael McGarry) overcame Cuala to take the title and the Under 14 Hurling team managed by (Paul Daly, Francis Sharkey, Aidan Kennedy, Robert Woodcock, Conor Doolan) were outstanding representatives of Dublin in the All-Ireland Féile na nGael finals. The Under 12s captured the James Stephens tournament and Kevin Cardiff Cup in style. While Niall Desmond and his crew ran a superb Féile Iomána.



Ronan Glynn bending the ash during the Under 12s trip to St. Johns in Belfast.

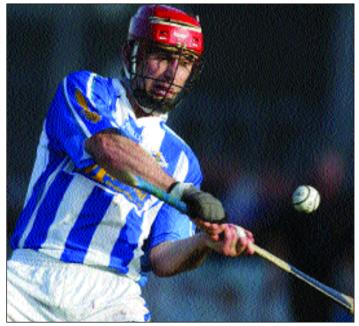




Action from the Senior Hurling semi final win over Craobh Chiarain



Senior hurler Stephen Hiney performs a neat balancing act against Chiarain's



 $David\ Sweeney-sweet\ strike.$



Emmet Carroll – fast and furious.



Junior B Hurling Championship Winners 2004
Back Row: David Fletcher, David Kirwan, Liam Phelan, Brian O'Connor, Seamus Vaughan, Paul Donohue, Kieran Whitty, Donnchada Ó Mordha, Philip Ryan Middle Row: Martin Donohue (Manager) Ollie Hickey (Selector), Thomas Cronin, Michéal Spain, Philip Larkin, Emmet Pullan, Shane Murphy, Brian Power, Peter McEvoy, Andrew Hickey, John Healy (Kitman), Peter O'Connor (First Aid). Front Row: Michael Kennedy (Selector), Jack O'Leary, Colm Leane, David Pluck (Captain), Gavin Duff, Brian Keary, Conor McCormack, Niall O'Neill, Hugh O'Neill (Stats Man) Mascot: Joe Duff.



Under 12 hurler John Breen accepts the Andy Egan Cup from Jimmy O'Brien, Chairman of James Stephens and Marian Egan, wife of the late Andy Egan



Intermediate League
Winners 2004
Back Row: Michael
Fletcher (Selector),
Stephen Nagle, Ciaran
Reilly, Paul Grier, Brian
Kennedy, Paul Meehan,
Dermot Maguire, Brian
Cummins, Gary Cullen,
Ciaran Flaherty, Mick
Keville, Derek Foley,
Emmet Pullan (Manager)
Front Row: Conor Dolan,
Fergal O'Neill, Thomas
Cronin, Mark McGovern,
Matt O'Sullivan, Colin
Durkin, Martin Kenny
(Captain), Brian Kirwan,
Murray Breen, Darren
Lennox, Chris Nagle.



Dublin Féile na nGael champions



Dublin U-15 Hurling Champions



Ladies Football

The achievements of the Senior A team have been recorded elsewhere in the Boden News but the Senior B side also mounted the winner's rostrum. Managed by Marie Denvir, Kevin Cahill, Gerry Keane, Mick Hunt, Madeline McAuliffe, the team won the inaugural Tracey Staunton Sevens at Clanna Gael Fontenoy.

An unbeaten run saw the Under 12A side managed by Barry Coll and Ger McGirr take the Division 1 league crown and the Under 10 team went one better when under the helm of Eugene Duffy and Pat McGrath they did the league and championship double.



Senior B Ladies Football team winners of the Tracey Staunton Sevens at Clanna Gael Fontenoy



UNDER-10 GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIP LEAGUE WINNERS

Front row, l to r: Jessica Nugent, Aoife Small, Kate O'Toole, Allison Doyle, Orla Keane, Maria McGrath, Ciara Kennedy, Aoife O'Brien, Aoine Ďuffy. Middle row: Meave Scully, Claire King, Amy Murphy, Rebecca Dalton, Sinead Crowley, Orla Knight, Michelle Colfer, Cliona O'Sullivan, Lauren Falconer, Sally Jones. Back row: Pat McGrath, Eimear Duffy, Catherine McDonald, Kristina Healy, Sarah Burnes, Eugene Duffy.



Boden had seven girls on the Dublin panel that reached the TG4 All-Ireland Final - Karen Hopkins, Sorcha Farrelly, Noelle Comyn, Martina Farrell, Louise Kelly, Gemma Fay and Fiona Ní Chorcoráin.

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WWW.Mortages.ie were sponsors of the Under 16B hurling team's Trip to Scotland

Back row (I-r): Andrew Buckeridge, Marc Ó Fearáin, Paul Keane, David Buckeridge (www.mortages.ie), Eoin O'Reilly, Neal Farrell, Ciarán Murphy, Malachy Buckeridge (mentor), Cormac O'Kelly, Gerry O'Sullivan (mentor). Middle(I-r): Peter Buckeridge, Daire Ó Súilleabháin, James McCarthy, Eoin McMahon, Aidan Horgan, Niall Browne, Danny Scully. Front (I-r): Shane Lucey, Thomas Deane, Paul Whelan, Mark Ibbotson.



Maplewood Developments, sponsors of the senior teams.

Launching the sponsorship were Michael Whelan, Managing Director; Maplewood Developments (centre) with Ronan Hore, Club Chairman (right). Also in picture: (I-r) Darragh Spain, Fiona Hughes, Colin Moran, Gemma Fay and Ian Clarke.



AIB has very kindly sponsored the new electronic scoreboard at Páirc Uí Mhurchú



The Under-14B football team had a successful year winning their division of the Dublin Féile Peil. The team has received sponsorship from Computer Associates. At the launch were (I.-r.): John McDonagh, Computer Associates, Niall Wallace, Ronan Henry, Stephen Howard, Michael Ryan and team manager Tony Wallace.



Rathfarnham and District Credit Union have been generous sponsors of the Summer Camps and Schools of Excellence for the past three years. Launching the All-Star Summer Camps 2004 were Ronan Hore, Club Chairman; Róisín Ní Shúilleabháin, Enda McNulty, Director of Coaching; Micheál Cooney, Rathfarnham and District Credit Union; P. J. Donohue, Summer Camp Coordinator; Brian O'Regan, Coaching Officer; Sarah Cummins.



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Carroll and Kinsella Motors (Churchtown), main Toyota Dealers.

At the launch of the Under-14A football team sponsorship were –
Standing: Colin Moran, Kevin Maguire (mentor), Loughlin Murphy,
MD of Carroll and Kinsella and Vivian Ruddy (manager).
Seated: Stephen Fitzgerald, Ciaran Maguire and Hugh Ruddy.



The Under-12 hurling Team 2 will carry the brand of PEL Retail Supplies of Kylemore Park after securing a sponsorship deal with the company.

At the launch were John Small (mentor), John Ryan (mentor), Kevin Geoghegan (PEL Retail Supplies), Darragh Geogeghan, Ciarán Maguire (mentor) and Michael Garry (mentor)



UTStarcom is a world leader in the telecom industry and they have joined forces with the Under-12 hurling team. The US company has its headquarters in California with a global network including an Irish base at the Park West Business Park in Nangor Road.

Displaying the new team jerseys were (I-r): John Small (mentor), John Ryan (mentor), Naoise Maguire, Ciarán Maguire (UTStarcom and mentor), Michael Garry (mentor).



Ballyboden St Endas has joined forces with Gaelic Telecom
– the GAA's officially recognised telephone company.

At the launch were Ronan Hore, club chairman, Brian O'Donoghue (right), Commercial Director Gaelic Telecom and Ciarán Doyle,
Club Liaison Officer Gaelic Telecom.



Architectural Aluminium Ltd. is the market leader in the Irish curtain walling, glazing and cladding industry. Established 30 years ago, the company is located on the Western Business Park.

Ronan Cleary and Elliott Hyland display the new Architechtural Aluminium Ltd. sponsored jerseys watched by (from left) Noel Basquel (mentor), Fionnán Hyland (Architectural Aluminium Ltd) and Sean Crowley (mentor).



Pictured at the launch of the sponsorship by Mutec Ireland for the third year running of Ballyboden St. Enda's Minor A & B Hurling teams.

Back Row (I.-r.): Shane Durkin, John Connolly, Mutec; Niamh Madigan Vice-Chairperson Ballyboden St. Endas; John Hanney, Danny Griffin, club sponsorship manager; Cian Hiney. Front Row: Tiernan Swords, James Doody, Michael McGarry.

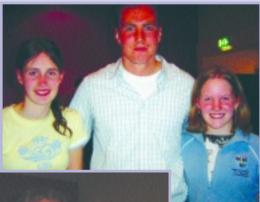


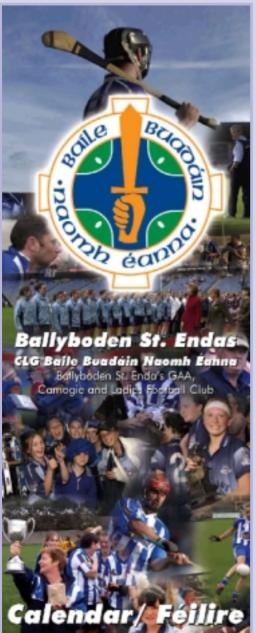
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Former Aussie Rules and Ballyboden St Enda's footballer Jim Stynes was guest speaker at the Football/Ladies Football Mentors night

Camogie players Aoife Scallan and Fiona Ní Shúilleabháin with Girvan Dempsey





Irish Rugby
International
and former
Ballyboden St
Enda's star
Girvan Dempsey
was the special
guest at a medal
presentation
ceremony. Girvan
is seen here with
Anna de Nógla.

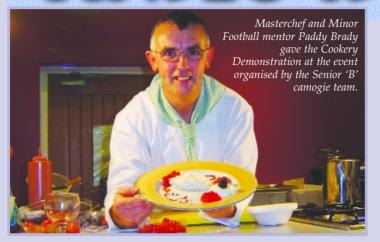
TG4 Underdog managers Jarlath Burns and Mickey Ned O'Sullivan when they took on Wexford at Páirc Uí Mhurchú.



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Old Rivals Meet -Gerry McEnteepresents Paul Bealin $with\ his$ SFLDivision 1 2003 medal.



Gerry McEntee former Meath star and current St. Brigid's manager at the medal presentation ceremony with Ian Clarke, captain of the 2003 SFL winning team.



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Under 16B enjoy the night life in Fort William, Scotland!!!!



Under 16B Hurling team visit Celtic Park in Glasgow. Tony McPartlanď, Scottish U21 International, third from right front row.

TD, Minister for Education and Science presents the National Award O'Riordan, St. Mary's BNS, for best gaelic games C C.p school in Ireland, in the Berkeley Court Hotel. Also in the picture are Mr. Jim O'Reilly, National Chairman, Cumann na mBunscol and Mr. Michael Grogan, Managing Director, Roadstone.

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SENIOR LADIES FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS 2004 BALLYBODEN ST ENDA'S AIB ALL-IRELAND



Back row: Martina Farrell, Louise Kelly, Jennifer Walsh, Diane Spillane, Sarah Denvir, Carol Ryan, Claire Butterly, Ceara Nic Coitir, Eveleen Keogh, Susan Hughes, Noelle Comyn, Amy Keane, Suzanne Hughes, Fiona Ní Chorcoráin. Front row: Gemma Fay, Lisa Smith, Sorcha Farrelly, Aisling Farrelly, Joanne Cummins, Orla Scolard, Joanne O'Sullivan, Karen Hopkins (captain), Tonya Allen, Sorcha Timmins.