

# Ballyboden St. Endas GAA Camogie and Ladies Football Club CLG Baile Buadáin Naomh Eanna



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Gala and Presentation Night Friday March 22nd

The Annual Gala Presentation night will take place on Friday March 22nd in the Red Cow Hotel. Tickets cost € 25 per person and include a 4 course meal and entertainment.

There will be a presentation to 4 adult teams and a special presentation to our PRO of 33 years. The night's MC will be Anne Cassin. Tickets are available on Wednesday night or by special delivery.

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## Dublin Championship 2013 Draws made last night

Championship draws made tonight. Main highlights are as follows:

- Senior footballers play Lucan Sarsfields;
- Inters play Crumlin.
- Junior A's play in preliminary round v St Finians (N).
- Junior B's play Ballymun.
- Senior A hurlers drawn in group D with St Vincents, St Pats (P) and Naomh Fionbarra.
- Senior B hurlers drawn in group with Round Towers (C), Naomh Olaf, Parnells, Thomas Davis and Naomh Mearnog.
- Junior A hurlers in group with Cuala, St Judes and Lucan.

## Football Update - Seniors draw with Kilmacud in league

Unfortunately the weather played a major part in this weekends fixtures The Inters, Junior A and Junior B games were called off and will have to be re-scheduled. However despite the lack of activity, the games that were played you couldn't ask for

any more effort from the players. First up were the Junior C on Saturday afternoon at home to Ballyfermot The lads had a great win against stiff opposition. Some excellent finishing gave them a win on a scoreline of 2-11 to 1-6.

Then we saw a see-saw Senior battle with Crokes in Bray. Weather conditions forced the game to be moved out of Silverpark and despite the cold conditions both teams put on an excellent display. Boden got off to a good start and when they goaled early on, the omens looked good. However, a dangerously high challenge on one of the Boden forwards resulted in a serious injury. In addition, a double yellow card on one of the Boden backs turned the tide in favour of Crokes. However, Boden never lay down and five unanswered points in the second half brought the sides level and set up an enthralling finish. First Crokes edged in front, then Boden and just as the final whistle went, Crokes equalised. The final score was 1-11 each. Both sides will be well pleased with the run out despite several absentees. The work rate and commitment displayed will certainly challenge the missing panellists to break back into the team. We wish Darren a speedy recovery after his heroic effort today. Well done everyone. You showed great pride in the Jersey.

Congrats to our Dublin Senior Football representatives versus Kildare today
- **Declan O'Mahony and Michael Darragh** Macauley. It was another good win for the Dubs. We also hope to see Darragh Nelson back in action for their next outing.

Two additional items - Firstly, annual membership is now due. You can give the monies to your mentors, pay on-line or alternatively drop the membership envelopes behind the Bar. The closing date is 31st March 2013. Remember no pay no play.

Secondly, the annual Gala night is on the 22nd March where the Junior B's will be formally presented with their c/ship & cup medals along with our other club c/ship and league winners in hurling and camogie - see website for details. Order tickets through myself (Ger Flaherty), team management or anyone on the Football Committee. It promises to be a great night and good value at €25 per head.

Hurling Update - Winning Starts to Leinster League

Ballyboden Senior B hurlers got their
Leinster League campaign off to a great
start with a win over Wicklow champions in
Glenealy on Saturday 9th March.
Glenealy started smartly and had two
points on the board after five minutes.
Boden then reached parity and when
Naoise Greene goaled after a strong run,
Boden gained the upper hand and did not
relinquish the lead for the remainder of the
game. The soft underfoot conditions
worsened with constant rain after the



throw-in and made the basics of passing and clean pick-ups difficult. As Glenealy responded, Jamie Desmond stood tall at centre back and cut off most supply to the Wicklow forwards. At the breakdown Conor Robinson swept up most loose ball and delivered good passes to the forwards. Boden's best spell was in the second quarter where they ran up seven points without reply, the pick of these being a massive point from Dónal Butler from sixty metres. Half time Boden 1-9 Glenealy 0-4.

Both teams regrouped in the dressing rooms at half time and when the match recommenced the conditions had worsened further with the light now very poor. Peter McEvoy and Eoin Small led the defence well. Hard work by Adam Jermyn yielded a fine score and strong running by Eoghan O'Neill ensured that Glenealy could not fight their way back into the contest. Manager Ciarán Maguire used his bench well and the substitutes ensured that Boden kept the pace of the match strong until the final whistle. Final Score Boden 1 15 Glenealy 0 7. Next up is a game against Davidstown / Courtnacuddy on Monday in PUM.

The Senior A hurlers welcomed Naomh Eoin from Carlow to a cold Sancta Maria on Monday night. They ran out easy winners on a scoreline of 3 19 to 0 07. They play Dunamaggin on St. Patrick's morning in PUM.

The Minor B hurlers played their second league game in a bitterly cold and windy Sancta Maria on Sunday morning. Boden started well and led at half time by 2 points with scores from play from Ciaran O'Brien (0.1), Michael Boland (0.2), Conor Dean (1.0), Patrick O Meara (0.1) and a Garrett Crowley free. Ballinteer, with a strong wind at their backs, controlled the second half and were deserving winners with a score line 3 12 to 1 05

The Minor A hurlers beat Whitehall Colmcille on a score line of 3 09 to 1 08 to maintain their unbeaten start to the league. Read Minor A Match Report here.

The Minor C game V St. Kevin's was cancelled on Sunday morning. The team still awaits their first outing.

Hurling Committee 2013 - Click here for details

# **Camogie Update**

There were no fixtures involving our Adult teams this weekend.

This weekend saw the first outing for our U9's,..well done to Mentors & players.

**Doireann Mullany & Martha O' Donoghue** were on the Dublin Minor panel who defeated Derry on a scoreline of 6-10 to 0-5 in the All Ireland 'A' Championship.

**Danielle White & Zenouska Murphy** were on the Dublin U16A side that had a fine victory away to Kilkenny in the Leinster Championship on a scoreline of 2-3 to 0-4.

**Rebeka Kamvar & Jane Edwards** were on the Dublin U16B side that also had a fine victory away to the Kilkenny U16B's in the Leinster Championship on a scoreline 2-7 to 2-0.

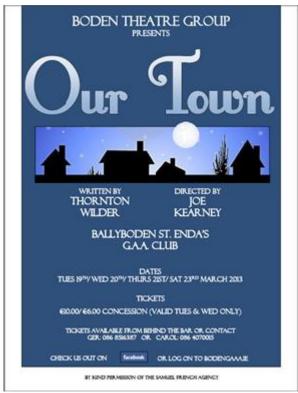
Both Dublin U16 sides now have home semi-finals on Monday 18th March.

### **Ladies Football Committee 2013**

Details of the Committee for 2013 can be found here.

## **Boden Theatre Group**

The Boden Theatre Group are busy rehearsing for their annual spring production. This year, they will be performing Thornton Wilder's American classic "Our Town". They also have a number of new members who will make their debut for the group in this large ensemble production. So make sure you join them for a night of great entertainment. Performance dates: Tues 19th, Wed 20th, Thurs 21st and Sat 23rd March 2013. They look forward to seeing you there!



#### **Easter School of Excellence**

Easter School of Excellence Forms are available to download here. Please note this is just for Club Players on the U12-U15 Teams ONLY

#### **Click here for application form:**

http://www.bodengaa.ie/\_fileupload/Downloads/Easter%20Sch%20of%20Ex%20App lication%20Form%202013.pdf

#### Na Siúltóirí Buadáin

The Hellfire, Greystones to Bray Return and Massey Woods formed our walking agenda this week.

We walk these walks on a regular basis and each time it is an unique experience. It may be the view, the song of a bird, the sight of a deer on the hills or the dolphins porpoises and seals in our waters that create the uniqueness. It is certainly the people we meet, the chat we share and the friendships.

Weather too plays a big part in our experiences, as we trek the tracks and trails of our mountains, woodlands and coasts. Sun, snow, wind and rain all cast their own beauty on sea and landscape. The sea is calm and inviting under a glistening sun, it is grey and uninviting in rain, it is daunting and treacherous in high winds. The sea is always beautiful. The Elements change a description of a mountain...snowcapped, misty, dark, bright, dreary, stunning. The mountains are always spectacular.

Na Siúltóiri are never dismayed by weather, we embrace all the elements and with suitable attire we are equipped to face the challanges we meet along our paths. All of these walks are good training ground for walking The Camino in May. The excitement is building now, new boots are being tested, blister cures a talking point and nuts and jellies being packed into cases, all in preparation for our trip. Great credit to Teresa Dolan for making sure that all the i's are dotted and the t's crossed and making it very easy for all of us in our preparation for the trip.

Mike and Anne loughman, of Na Siúltóirí, are hosting a charity coffee day on the 18th March from 11am to 7pm in their home at 78 Orwell Park Rise in aid of 'Tír na N'Óg' Orphanage In Tanzania. Mike and his son Hugh are going out to work with the children of the orphanage for six weeks in June. They would welcome your support.

## **Lotto Update**

Number's drawn last night -

17, 15, 20 and 13.

There was no Jackpot winner

Match 1st 3

- Kevin Donnelly, Woodfield, Scholarstown Road

Weekly Subscribers Draw
- Nicola Hayes, Woodstown Gardens,
Woodstown Village

**NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT IS €** 4,000. Click here to play online.



# **Bingo News**

Every Tuesday at 8:30 PM, 10 panels for €10 and €2 for jackpot panel. The jackpot has increased to €250 this week. We're expecting a large crowd again so come early to grab your lucky seat. Over € 500 in prizes will be available plus the jackpot. All are welcome.

BEST OF LUCK TO EVERYONE...

## St Patricks Weekend Trad session Sat 16th

SATURDAY MARCH 16TH-MUSIC IN THE BAR FROM 9PM.

Trad session at 9pm in the baR. Followed by Michael Coleman, fresh from his success of almost €20,000 raised for Cancer Research from the sale of his CD.

COME ALONG AND GET INTO THE PADDYS DAY SPIRIT.

# **Social Update**

#### Newsletter

We are looking for people to help share the role of editing our weekly email newsletter, on a week on/off basis. Our weekly email plays an important role in informing members of what is going on in the club on a weekly basis. If you are interested in helping out please email: **newsletter@bodengaa.ie**. Many thanks

#### 25 Card Drive

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### **SPORTSPROPHET**

Online entries now closed, any late entries contact Gerry White 087 9312851, or fill in entry form at the Bar.