



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



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Hurling News - U21 Final for Boden

Under 21 Final for Boden

The Under 21 Hurlers beat St. Vincent's on Saturday last to reach the final of the Under 21 Championship. We now play Lucan Sarsfield's in the final on Saturday week. Day, venue and time to be confirmed by the CCC.

We will be seeking our 10th Championship final win. Our last win was in 2011 when St. Jude's were the victims. Jude's beat us in the 2012 final the following year. **New Hurling Chairperson**

John Small was elected Chairperson of the Hurling Section at Monday's AGM. John replaces Conor Sheehan. Dave Conway continues as Secretary of the Section and Mick Fletcher continues in his role as Bórd Delegate.

Recognition for Boden Referee

Grassrootsgaa.ie has details of an award to Boden referee, Dave Conway. He is one of 5 **"outstanding"** referees to be honoured at a ceremony in Copper Face Jacks. The following is taken from the website.

"Ballyboden's Dave Conway is another referee who has been on the circuit for many years now. His calm approach and confidence in his decisions puts him right up there with the top refs in the county. His approachability from a player's perspective has to be commended" *Dave will be presented with his award in Copper Face Jacks on December 6th. He has reliably told the Newsletter team that it is his first visit to the venue!! Well done Dave.*



Camogie News - Gala Camogie Presentations

The following Camogie Awards were presented at the Boden Gala Night by Chairman Brendan Moran.

Fiona Corcoran on achieving 10 Senior Camogie Championships

Richie Sweetnam on managing the Senior Camogie Team to 5 Championships in a row

Congrats to all.



Football News - Minor A Championship

Minor A Championship match v Kilmacud. Kilmacud 2-13. BBSE 2-5

The minor A Football semi-final, played in the scenic Stars of Erin pitch in Glencullen on Sunday, proved to be a step too far for a gallant Ballyboden side who came up against a well-drilled Kilmacud outfit.

The match started brightly for Ballyboden against hill and wind. A point from Adam Carney and an early free from Barra McGarry promised a great performance. Alas it was not to be. Team captain Brian Bobbett suffered an ankle injury after 10 minutes and although he bravely carried on, Ballyboden seemed to lose momentum from that point on. Kilmacud managed to pin the Ballyboden defence in their own half of the field with superb tackling and intensity. Kilmacud racked up 9 points without reply and it was in the fourth minute of injury time that Ballyboden got their next score, another point from a free from Barry McGarry. Half time score Kilmacud 0-9; BBSE 0-3.

Ballyboden had hill and wind in second half but Kilmacud made their intentions clear from the throw in, winning almost every breaking ball and notching up an early point. It took Ballyboden 15 minutes to get on the scoresheet, a goal from Adam Carney which brought the score back to four points. However, from there on Kilmacud found their scoring boots and two goals, one from a penalty sealed a well-deserved victory for Kilmacud. A late consolation goal from Barra McGarry only served to improve the look of the scoreline; in truth Ballyboden were well-beaten in almost every department on the day.

For team manager, Liam Deane and coaches ,Ciaran Doyle and Fergal Brennan, this will be a hugely disappointing end to a good season. The commitment shown by players under team captain Brian Bobbett was excellent and the players themselves will be first to admit that they did not perform on the day.

Ballyboden had good performances from Oisín Ó Dúill, Stephen Ward and Brian Bobbett in defence while Barra McGarry and Adam Carney was the pick of the forwards. Scorers: 1 Barra McGarry 1-3 (0-2F);Adam Carney; Neil Hestor 0-1..

Team and Panel

Jack Mahon

Oisin O Duill, Shane Clayton, Cathal O Dea, Brian Bobbett, Stephen Ward, Cian Mellett, Brian Kirwan, Ciaran O Brien, Conor Deane, Barra McGarry, Daragh Langan, Adam Carney, Warren Egan, Colm Basquel, Josh Kane, Niall Hestor, Kevin Cronin, Ronan Dooley, Rian Canonn, James Holland, Garret Crowley, Harry Coffey, Cillian Donohoe, Dara McGuire, Sean Brennan and Liam Stafford

Fixtures

Saturday 6th U21 football Championship Ballyboden V Na Fianna Time & Venue TBC

Sunday 7th Dec. Minor C Football Championship s/f Martin Savage Park 11:00 St O.Plunketts v Ballyboden St Endas

Ladies Football News - AGM Dec 9th

The Ladies Football 2014 AGM will take place on Tuesday 9th December at 9.00 pm

Nominations are invited for the following positions:

- Chairperson
- Vice Chairperson,
- Secretary
- Registrar
- P.R.O.
- County Board Reps
- Children's Officer

Motions for the AGM and nominations for any of the above positions are to be submitted to the Secretary - Paul Manning at **paulnmanning@gmail.com** by Friday 5th December 2014

Coaching - Athletic Development Workshop

The Coaching & Games Executive ran an Athletic Development workshop last Thursday in St. Colmcilles National School for all U13 to U16 mentors. During the 70 minute presentation some of the topics covered were:

What are Functional/Fundamental Movement Skills?

Why we need to work on them with our players? And How can we work on them in training and how can we get the players to work on these skills at home?



The 40 plus mentors who were in attendance listened to the theory behind Functional Movement Skills before being put through a serious of strengthening and flexibility exercises that they can use with the players on their teams. Many thanks to Teresa Molohan and Dave Sweeney for their help preparing and presenting at the workshop.

Putting together an Athletic Development plan as part of the overall Player Pathway from Juvenile to Adult in the club was one of the key objectives that is set out in The Coaching & Games Development Plan for 2014



Coaching - Boden Caoches present at Youth Ambassador Workshop in Croke Park

Well done to three of our Forbairt Programme participants who gave a presentation last Saturday in Croke Park on behalf of the Forbairt group. Doireann Mullany, Sinead Crowley and Naoise Maguire gave a 15 minute presentation on how the programme was set up and run in Ballyboden. There was a questions and answers session at the end where the three answered questions about the programme from youth coaches from other clubs around the country. The presentation was very well received by all of the coaches present.



The Forbairt Programme is made up of 20 youth coaches from the club who coach various teams across the 4 sections. Under the watchful eye of Paudi O'Neill. Brian and Paul the group meet every 4-6 weeks and discuss different aspects of coaching and ways which we as a club can support our young coaches.

In the picture, Naoise, Sinead and Doireann can be seen preparing for their presentation.

Juvenile 2014 - A great year for Silverware !!

2014 was without doubt the year when this group of players put an edge of steel to their undoubted hurling and football talent and delivered in silverware to cap the end of their time in the Juvenile ranks with Championship victories in Division One Football and Hurling as well as winning The Carlow Town All Ireland Hurling Tournament.



In football, the team has been lucky to have mentors of the calibre of Brian Weldon, John Byrne, Donal Monaghan and Liam Carter and this year the addition of coach, Paul Shields, was hugely significant in instilling the mental belief that made these players winners. In hurling, the masterful combination of Seamie O'Neill, alongside Conor McCormack, Jamie Desmond, Kenny Wigglesworth and Alan McGrath, Andrew Coffey and Jerry Corcoran helped bring the very best out in the hurlers.

The boys and mentors gathered in the clubhouse last Saturday afternoon to have the offical team photos taken, which will take their place on the clubhouse walls as befits these boys.....after which the boys headed to the Astropark in Tallaght to play some Bubble football, the latest craze worldwide. The players are strapped into huge inflatable balls and anything goes against the other team! The players resembled bummer cars on legs rather than footballers and an afternoon of craic was had by all. The day was finished off by pizza at the club supplied by the team's sponsor, Pizza Hut Delivery, Ballyboden Road, Rathfarnham. The day rounded up what has been a magical year for the boys, their mentors, parents and families who have seen them through the highs and lows of the last number of years.

The hope now is that this will be the start of successes for these players as they move into the Minor and Adult section





Juvenile AGM Wednesday 3rd December

The Juvenile Section is holding it's AGM on Wednesday 3rd December at 8.30pm in the clubhouse.

All welcome

Christmas Trees being sold at Ballyboden St.Endas Clubhouse



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Friday 5th December 4pm-8pm Friday 12th December 4pm-8pm Saturday 6th December 10am-6pm Saturday 13th December 10am-6pm Sunday 7th December 10am-6pm Sunday 14th December 10am-6pm



Ballyboden Christmas Santa Party



Ballyboden Christmas Santa Party Saturday 13th December. Doors opening at 2.30pm. Santa and Mrs Claus arriving 3.00pm. Genie Mackers Magical Show, Balloon ManDJ.....€10.00 per child Due to space restriction, where possible, please leave buggies at home. Children must be accompanied by Adults at all times.

Christmas Trees For Sale

TOP QUALITY NOBLE FIR CHRISTMAS TREES FOR SALE

"Junior B Football Mentor and club member, Fergal O'Neill, is once again selling top quality hand picked Noble Fir Christmas trees from his stall on Whitehall Road, Templeogue (beside The Pines Pub) from 29th of November.

There is a special offer price of

45.00 per tree for all Club members.

Tree stands, Xmas wreaths and Solid Fuel also available."

Information Evening for All "Strictly" Participants

An information meeting will take place this Wednesday (3rd) at 9pm in the club for all those taking part in next years signature fundraising event. There are a very limited number of places available so if your interested please come down to the club and see what it's all about.

Club Mass

The Annual Club Mass for Deceased members will be

Thursday 4th December at 19.00hrs

Celebrant: Fr.Eanna, St Colmcilles.

Bingo EVERY Tuesday 8.30PM



Lotto Draw Week 50 Monday 1st Dec

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Weekly Subscribers Draw

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