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Football News - Junior B Win

UPCOMING FIXTURES

Big week ahead with double header AFL games for the Seniors and Inters. The Seniors are at home in PUM on Wednesday against St.Sylvesters and then away to St.OP/ER on Saturday. The Inters, badly needing a league win to turn their season around, travel to Clontarf to face Scoil Ui Chonaill on Wednesday and take on Brigids in Sancta Maria on Saturday. The Junior B's have a big Championship game V Raheny on Thursday and are out again on Sunday V Erins Isle on Sunday. No games for the Minor teams or the Junior A team this weekend. *Full fixture details below.*

Congratulations to our Intermediate team as they beat St.Vincents in a pulsating Loving Cup semi-final last Wednesday on a scoreline of 1-19 to 0-17, none of your 0-0 after extra time going to penalties sort of thing here! Commiserations to our Junior A team who lost out to Na Fianna in the final of the Conlon Cup last Tuesday by 1-12 to 1-09, a few missed chances in the first half proved to be costly in the end. The Minor C's had two matches over the past week and first up was an emphatic victory last Wednesday over St.Olafs by 3-14 to 1-08 but unfortunately on Sunday they went down to Kilmacud Crokes by 6-12 to 2-09. The Junior B's had a great win over local rivals St.Annes last Tuesday continuing their fine league form. See report below.

Junior B AFL Div.9 BBSE 5-17 v 2-03 St.Annes

Ballyboden St. Endas had a resounding result in an intriguing clash with local rivals St. Annes in the Junior 9 league in Pairc Ui Murchu on Tuesday night. With the home side looking for a win before the next round of the Championship they got off to a storming start with a well taken goal from Dara Langan. The ball was again moved quickly out of the Boden back line and Ronan O'Reilly and Stephen McDonald added to the score-line with well taken points apiece. With Keith O'Donnell and Harry Coffey putting in an industrious display in midfield, Boden were on the attack again with a well taken point from Tommy Connors. St. Annes had the great Joe McNally in their starting line and Boden were in for a nervy afternoon. Annes played some fine flowing football of their own with great displays from Johnathan Flood and Nipper McNally responding with two well taken points of their own.

Boden used the pace of Kieran Murphy and James McTiernan with great effect and were on the attack again with some excellent passing leading to more scores from Connors, Lanagan, and O'Reilly. St. Annes came up against a well organized defense led by Dean O'Donnell and ably assisted by Ross Traynor and Michael Dunne. Half back Ross McGuire got on the scoring sheet with a well timed run from defense to split the posts. Dara Shovlin was at his best for Boden and was only denied goal opportunities by some fine saves from the St. Annes keeper.

Bodens strength in depth showed with the introduction of David O'Donnell, Mick O'Dwyer, Brian Fitzsimons and Liam McNamara. With Ger Flaherty's well worked kick outs, Boden added to the score-line with well taken points from David O'Donnell, Tommy Connors, Ronan O'Reilly and Dara Langan yet again. St. Annes responded with some fine attacking play of their own and Boden gave away a soft penalty which was put over for a point by Peter Brennan. The wily Cecil Jolley was in great form for Annes and showed his experience by delaying Boden a goal scoring opportunity. Joe McNally well marshaled by Donal Sheahan, Boden ran out eventual winners with a score-line of 5-17 to 2-3.

The management team of John White, Paddy Carr, Fergal O'Neill, and Martin O'Donnell now look forward to preparing a fine Ballyboden St. Endas team for the next round of the Championship versus Rehany at home on the 10th July.

Mid Season Reports:

Over the coming weeks we will try to bring you a brief mid season report from each of our Adult football teams, their efforts to date and plans (and hopes) for the rest of the year.

Minor A team.

Minor A league has finished – with eight in the group we had just seven competitive matches over a six month period. Luckily enough our players are getting games at the adult level to keep them interested also we have mostly dual players so most players had also seven hurling matches and a hurling blitz in Kilkenny last weekend. With the leaving cert over we are now preparing for the championship which kicks off in September. We have a continuous fitness program designed for both minor footballers and hurlers which includes precise and supervised GYM work as part of the Football sections on-going NADA program and great field work being done by Ferghal Brennan Dave Sweeney and Ciaran Doyle the players and club are very grateful to these young men for their dedication to the teams.

Come September/October hopefully we will see the fruits of all the hard work from the players and coaches when we will battle our way to a successful Championship.

Best of luck to our four county minors Barra, Shane, Colm and Warren who take on the great Offaly Minors this Thursday in Tullamore 7.30pm and to Rian Cannon on the Dublin hurling team.

Liam Deane - Manager

Junior B team.

The Junior B's are well positioned to having a successful season. The league campaign has been solid to date with Boden currently lying in the play off places for promotion and have recorded some big wins racking up large scores. The team is currently in the last 16 of the championship with two tough wins so far including a one point win over Wanderers and probably the performance of the season away to Geraldine Morans in the second round which was won on the road in extra time. Training numbers have been solid and match day squads regularly feature well over twenty players which is adding to competition for places and creating a healthy team atmosphere.

John White - Manager



Junior B AFL Div.9 BBSE 5-17 v 2-03 St. Annes

ADULT FOOTBALL FIXTURES

Wednesday

09/7 Seniors V St.Sylvesters	19.30pm	PUM
09/7 Inters V Scoil Ui Chonaill	19.30pm	Clontarf Road

Thursday (Championship)

10/7 Junior B V Raheny	19.30pm	PUM
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Saturday

12/7 Seniors V St.OP/ER	18.30pm	Martin Savage Park
12/7 Inters V St.Brigids	18.30pm	Sancta Maria

Sunday

13/7 Junior B V Erins Isle	15.00pm	PUM
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Ladies Football - U14 Leinster Blitz Winners



Leinster Blitz Winners

Ferghal Brennans Dublin U14 team added the Leinster U14 Blitz title to their 2014 campaign. They beat Kildare 5 – 8 to 1 – 1 in the final on a lovely sunny day in the Carlow Hurling grounds on Saturday. This Dublin team trained by our own Teresa Molohan had 6 Ballyboden girls on the panel. U14s Aoife Dwyer and Ellen Dunleavy were joined by 4 girls from the Boden U13 Panel, Hannah Murphy, Hannah Leady, Aishling Byrne and Olivia Maher. The U13 girls gained some valuable experience playing in their second blitz for Dublin this summer. *All the girls played in every match and put in some super performances.*

After losing by a point to Kildare in the first match, the girls overcame Laois, Louth and Meath to reach the final and ran out comfortable winners at the final whistle. A delighted Ferghal Brennan thanked all the girls for the huge effort put in since November last year.

U13B's Ladies F/B Win Division 3 League & Celebrate

U13B's Celebrate Winning Division 3 League at Surfdock in the Grand Canal Docks

The U13B Ladies Football Panel celebrated winning the Division 3 League with a great day out on Saturday 28th June at Surfdock at the Grand Canal Docks.

Players and Mentors let their hair down for a few hours Kayaking, Paddleboarding and Jumping (and being pushed!!) from the Pier into the water. It was a perfect way for the Team to sign off for the summer after a nail-biting series of 1 point win games with plenty of great scoring and backs to the wall defending thrown in. *Well done girls for a great season.*



Camogie Mini All-Ireland Blitz a Huge Success!

The second last Friday in June has now become an annual highlight in the Camogie Calendar. The 2014 version of the Mini All Ireland was again a huge success. In a club the size of Ballyboden it can be difficult to build links between the different age groups, yet on the evening of the Mini All Ireland players from every age and grade from under 8 to Senior level join together for a wonderful evening of hurling.



In total 204 players toggled out to play – eight teams competed at junior level (under 8's, 9's and 10's) and a further eight teams in the senior competition for the under 11's, 12's and 13's). Four pitches on each side of the road accommodated a total of 36 games. The under 14's provided the team managers assisted by some willing parents. The future of club management in Boden looks secure with potential of the calibre of Brian Coady and Davy Fitz to be seen with some of the team line outs and tactical substitutions. The under 16 teams provided the referees who did a great job throughout – offering the younger players in particular constant encouragement.

Yet again this year the weather obliged and in the scorching heat having an ice-cream van in the car-park was a welcome addition. For those who didn't make it home before the event the hotdogs and burgers were a welcome dinner on the go !

Rathfarnham and District Credit Union provided very generous sponsorship and so the players were kitted out in a variety of brightly coloured T-shirts – they will get plenty of wear about the place over the holidays. Many thanks to Al McAuley and all of his staff, special mention to Rita Cullen who is pictured in the photo's at the Presentation' Craig and Donal Naessens kept the party mood going with their mix of tunes and cheerful banter.

Thanks to the players from our Senior team who presented all participants with a medal to mark the occasion. Putting 200 medals around 200 necks constituted a training session in itself !!

Congratulations to all who took part in this festival – games were played in a great spirit with plenty of good hurling. It is worth noting that there wasn't a single bad pull all evening and there was no injury of note to any player. Also in terms of health and safety it seems a very short time ago that crossing the Firhouse Road with so many children was a complete nightmare. Again on this Friday evening the Pedestrian Crossing over to Cherryfield was of great benefit; again thanks to the local motorists who observe these lights so diligently.

Well done to the mentors from all age groups on their organisation, and thanks to the Camogie Committee for their support. Roll on the 12th Annual Mini All Ireland in 2015 !!

For Photos, please click below:

<https://www.facebook.com/BodenGAA>



BBSE Boys U9s at the Gerard Canavan Tournament



BBSE Boys U9s at the Gerard Canavan Tournament, July 2nd and 4th.

Ballyboden St Endas U9s sent a strong team to O'Tooles GAA for the 17th Annual Gerard Canavan Div 1 Football Tournament, held in memory of a young O'Tooles club member, which took place on July 2nd and 4th last.

Boden came through the preliminary round as group winners following a strong comeback against a good Na Fianna side, winning out by just one point. In the semi final, Boden faced a very strong Ballymun Kickhams side, and though just one point behind at the interval, Boden were beaten by 5 in the end by a Ballymun team that went on to win the overall tournament.

Well done to our boys, who contested every ball in the tournament, and GRMA to Hellen Melia and all at O'Tooles for the invitation to participate, and for the brilliant organisation and hospitality during the event.

BBSE U9s squad for Gerard Canavan U9 Boys Div 1 Tournament:

Back l-r : Sean Keary, James Casey, Gavin Leddy, Simon Horgan, Evan Moynihan, Daragh Smyth. Front l-r: Ryan Culleton, James Rusk, Alex Young, Sean Langan, Mark McGlynn, Mark Keogh, Sean Luz.

Boden Summer Camp & Schools of Excellence



Boden Summer Camp 2014

The Biggest and Best Summer Camp in the country begins again in Ballyboden this July. Ballyboden St. Endas Summer Camp continues to be not only the largest summer camp around but also the most enjoyable!! Providing GAA and many other sporting activities for Boys & Girls aged 5-12, it is a camp which puts Fun & Enjoyment as its number one rule! Kids get to keep up their practice, get to meet their friends, make new friends, go on Day

trips & get lots of Freebies all in a Safe and Enjoyable Environment!! Click here to download brochure.

<http://www.bodengaa.ie/fileupload/Downloads/2014/Ballyboden%20Summer%20Camp%20Brochure%202014.pdf>

Note - Application for the jobs of Summer Camp Coach/Assistant Coach is now closed. Any further queries contact Paul Mc Loughlin at paul.batmc@gmail.com

Ballyboden Summer School of Excellence 2014

Ballyboden St Endas Summer School of Excellence returns this July & August. The U12 & U13 School of Excellence which is strictly for players born in 01 & 02 is on from July 21st-24th. The U14 & U15 School of Excellence is on from August 11th-14th. Open to all club players in these age groups the Sch of Ex focuses on Skill Development, Tactical Prowess, Team Play as well as Nutrition and Athletic Development. Application forms for both are available here. Any further queries contact Paul 0863350136 or Brian 0876998649.

Click below to download U12 and U13 School of Excellence

<http://www.bodengaa.ie/fileupload/Image/U12%20&%20U13%20Summer%20Sch%20of%20Ex%20Application%20Form%202014.pdf>

<http://www.bodengaa.ie/fileupload/Image/U14%20&%20U15%20Summer%20Sch%20of%20Ex%20Application%20Form%202014.pdf>

Sportsprophet Leaderboard

Shane Durkin continues to lead the way in the Boden League table. You would have to think that he should have the fitness to last the pace, but we'll have to wait and see! Barry O' Regan is alone in 2nd place just 8 points behind. Next up are Joan Spillane in 3rd and Mary O' Toole in 4th, both of whom have featured prominently in the last few years.

The chasing pack are in position ready to pounce if there are any slip-ups.

With Spain exiting so early, and England looking unlikely to get out of their group after back-to-back defeats, the World Cup predictions could have a big impact in the next few weeks!



See here for full Leaderboard

<http://sportsprophet.ie/index.aspx>

Na Siúltóirí Buadáin

Click below for the Walking Schedule from June - September, new members always welcome.



http://www.bodengaa.ie/news/na_si%C3%BAlt%C3%B3ir%C3%AD_buad%C3%A1in.13.4461.html

Social Update



Please check the social section on the website for times, as many regular activities have taken a break for the summer.

<http://www.bodengaa.ie/>



Lotto Results Week 33 July 7th 2014

Jackpot Winners

There was no winner of the Jackpot



Match 1st 3 winners

There were 4 1st 3 winners

Phelim McCabe, Woodstown Close, Knocklyon

Patrick Blaney, Ashton Close, Knocklyon

John Fay, Ambervale Est, Cookstown

Francis Coughlan, Darglewood, Knocklyon

Subscribers Draw

- Liam Deane, Orlagh Court, Knocklyon

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