



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



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Bereavement - Garvey

The club send its condolences to Mick Garvey and family on the passing of Micks father yesterday. Funeral arrangements to follow.

Ar Dheis De go raibh Se.

Hurling News - Minor B and Senior A Reports

• **Senior A team have second win in Leinster Senior League with a three point win over Mt. Leinster Rangers in Borris (1 12 to 1 09)**

- **Minor A team fall to Na Fianna (2 08 to 4 11)**
- **Minor B team still unbeaten after draw with St. Sylvesters (3 05 to 1 11)**

Leinster Senior League – Report by Declan Fitzpatrick

BBSE 1 12 Mt. Leinster Rangers 1 09

Our Senior hurlers travelled south to County Carlow on Saturday last, to take on the mighty Mt Leinster Rangers on their fine home pitch in Borris.

The game was timed for 2.00 pm, but the fact that all players had arrived in Borris by 12.45, shows how committed these players are & how organised Paul Carley & his selectors are.

Mt Leinster despite playing against the wind, started very lively and seemed to be on top in the early exchanges. However two great long-range points, from play by Conor McCormack, settled the whole Boden Team. Conor unfortunately had to go off early in the game, due to a foot problem but his replacement James Doody worked tirelessly from the moment he arrived on the pitch. Boden went on to give a great performance for the remainder of the first half and at the end of a very entertaining first half, held a comfortable lead of 1 10 to 0 04. Finian Mc Donagh having found the Mt Leinster net for a great goal. The second half really tested Ballyboden as Mt Leinster made full use of the wind at their backs and began to eat into Boden's lead, with two early wind assisted points.. When Mt Leinster scored a goal completely against the run of play and followed up with a point, it was then definitely game on at 1 10 to 1 07. However just when it looked like Mt Leinster might completely take over, that was when the Boden lads showed real character. With just a puck of a ball between the sides and facing a very strong wind not to mention a few hometown decisions the Boden boys dug really deep and while Rangers would score two more points they never got below the 3 pt margin, as Boden matched them with two of their own, including a great point by David Curtin from a free, despite striking into the wind. The game ended on a score of Boden 1 12 to Mt Leinster 1 09.

The team was Keith Robinson, Kenny Wigglesworth, Paddy Ryan, Eoin Small, Stephen Nagle, Dean Curran, Mick McGarry, Naoise Maguire, Conor Robinson, Finn McGarry, Conor McCormack, David Curtin, Finnian McDonagh, Dermot Coffey, Adam Jermyn. Subs used; James Doody, John O'Driscoll, Paul O'Doherty and Keith McCarron.

Minor B Report - Report by Conor Sheehan

BBSE 3 05 St Sylvesters 1 11

Boden share the points with St.Sylvesters at windswept Ballycullen

They say that three in a relationship can be too much to handle!! Such was almost the case on Sunday morning when a gale down the spine of the field threatened to spoil the endeavour of the other two in the act, a steady home side and the very determined Northside visitors.

St. Sylvesters chose the wind for the opening half and got going with two points from Dan Murphy and a beauty from Eoin Cooney. The home response was swift and good work from Mikey Dunne and Conor Barton brought off a fine stop from the goalkeeper, only for Cathal O'Tuile to follow up and hit the net. Minutes later Ruairi Kirwan ran along the end line unchallenged to double the Boden tally. Sylvesters got serious about the field and notched a goal and two points in a row, the best from Mikey Meany from out the country. McGee pointed a beauty after great teamwork and minutes later Sean Choy O'Byrne was upended and Barton added the point. Back came the visitors and they finished the half better with more points. Half time had it Boden 2 02 to Sylvesters 1 11.

The second half should have been a Boden domination with the strong wind, but the visitors had different ideas and probably shared possession over the thirty. Barton opened with a free and minutes later a long ball from Conor Kennedy found the net after confusion in the Sylvesters square. There followed a period of pressure from the Northsiders which seemed to come to halt every time at the Boden half back line of Kennedy, Kevin O'Flaherty and Darragh Byrne. Number 6, Kennedy, in particular, was the undoubted MVP for his tenacious work, constantly clearing his line and finding open ground for the forwards to create opportunities. With ten minutes left Barton got a beauty after good work from Kirwan and Choy. The margin was now a point, delivered late on by Barton from a free. Official Eoin Roche blew the final whistle with a few players going down with cramp.

Manager Michael Kennedy expressed satisfaction with the effort, if not with the tally.

Team, Oisin Carolan, Rob Keegan, Barry Lyons, Joe Flanagan, Darragh Byrne, Conor Kennedy, Kevin O'Flanagan, Mark McGee, Michael O'Brien, Mikey Dunne, Conor Barton, Sean Choy O'Byrne, Cathal O'Tuile, Ruairi Kirwan, Sean Gorman, Eoin Fetherstone, Niall Cregan, Eoin Monahan.

Coming Up

The Minor Hurlers may have two games under their belts but it is the return of our Adult Teams to League action which show the season is about to get into full swing. All 4 Adult League teams will be in action next Sunday morning. Good luck to all 4 teams.

- [AHL 1 – BBSE V Craobh Chiaráin in PUM at 10.30am](#)
- [AHL3 - BBSE A V BBSE B in Sancta Maria at 10.30am](#)
- [AHL 4 – St. Vincent's V BBSE in Páirc Naomh Uinsíonn at 10.30am](#)

Championship Draws

The CCC has published the draw for the Hurling Championships. BBSE will have 5 teams participating. First Round games are due to be played the week beginning April 20th.

- Senior A are in a group with Crumlin, St. Pat's (P) and St. Jude's
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- Senior B are in a group with Kevins, Naomh Barróg, Naomh Olaf and St. Vincent's
- Intermediate are in a group with Thomas Davis, Na Fianna, Lucan Sarsfields,

Naomh Mearnóg and Castleknock

- Junior C play Naomh Olaf, Civil Service HC, St. Sylvester's and Parnells
 - Junior E play Lucan Sarsfields, Wild Geese, Civil Service HC, Trinity Gaels and Round Towers
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Football News - Win for the Jnr A Team

Round Up

The second round of adult football league fixtures was played on Sunday in bright but chilly conditions with all four of our teams in competitive action. First up were our Seniors who entertained local rivals St.Judes in PUM. A close contest saw the match finish in a draw on a scoreline of 1-10 to 2-07 (report below). At the same time in Clondalkin our Intermediate team were building on their opening league win by convincingly beating Round Towers by 3-16 to 0-05, see full report below. Our Junior A's also made it back to back league wins by beating Erin's Isle by a point 0-10 to 1-06 in Finglas (report below) while the Junior B's went down to St.Sylvesters 2-06 to 1-04 in Ballycullen.

Seniors 1-10 Jude's 2-07

This was a typical local derby played at a high tempo and both teams will probably consider themselves unlucky not to have secured both points. Boden started off with a number of attacks early on playing into a difficult wind but failed to capitalise on their advantage. Jude's then went up the pitch to secure the first point of the game after 10 minutes. Both teams traded the next couple of scores until the first goal of the game. This was scored by Jude's in a quick move up the pitch where they found space in behind the Boden defence. Boden were on the back foot for the next 10 minutes until they were awarded a penalty for a foul on Darren O'Reilly with some intricate passing between the Boden forwards. The penalty was dispatched comfortably by chief marksman Andy Kerin. This set the game up nicely for an exciting second half.

Like the first half, Boden started well except this time they managed to secure some long range points firstly by Andy Kerin and secondly by Bob Dwan attacking from the half back line. However they couldn't pull away from Jude's – the maximum advantage they had was 3 points. Jude's then struck again for their second goal carving open the Boden rear guard for an easy score. Boden then went a point ahead but failed to tag on additional scores despite their dominance. Jude's forged ahead by a point entering injury time and a last gasp shot by Aran Waters in injury time helped secured a draw for a resilient Boden side Next up is a trip to local neighbours, Thomas Davis in a fortnight's time.

Inters 3-16 Round Towers 0-05

The Senior 2nd team secured back to back league victories after a big win in Clondalkin on Sunday morning against Round Towers. Towers started brightly and attacked plenty in the early parts of this game, but some mean defending, blocks and turnovers by Cian Mellet, Stephen Ward and man of the match Dan Buckingham meant they had little to show for it. With Bodens backs stopping anything Towers hit them with, the forwards pushed on and got some super scores. Bodens youth and pace was way too much for the home team, with some neat passing and interplay resulting in score after score. Donagh McCabe dominated in the middle of the park while Colly Dunne, Conor Dean and Fergal Purcell in attack were in inspired form.

The management were keen to point out that this win was built on a rock solid defensive display. The three goals by Donagh McCabe, Fergal Purcell and Colly Dunne stand out but

an equally impressive 16 points will surely add to the momentum building and confidence of this young team going forward.

Junior A's 0-10 Erin's Isle 1-06

Another very competitive game saw Bodens Junior A team overcome Erin's Isle away on Sunday morning. Boden started the better and were well on top in the first half with good defence being turned into attack and scores from Dave Gilheaney 0-2, Brian O'Shea 0-2, Fionn Maguire and Damien Kenny 0-1 each had Boden leading 0-6 to 0-3 at half time. Erin's Isle best period was the first ten minutes of the second half when they jumped into the lead scoring 1-2. However the Boden lads rallied and two excellent points from Alan Carter, a free from Damien Kenny and another point from Dave Gilheaney meant the Boden lads finished in style and deserved winners.

Membership

As you are no doubt aware, there are changes to the way the membership is to be paid this year and the deadline is fast approaching on 31st March. Please try to make this as easy as possible by getting it done early. Thanks.

PLEASE NOTE: Rathfarnham & District Credit Union members can spread the cost of their Ballyboden membership by contacting the Credit Union.

Upcoming Fixtures

This weekend sees the Minor League return.

See poster below for full details and always check the website for any changes.

MINOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE FIXTURES

Sunday 15/3/15

MFL DIV.1 PUM	Minor A V Na Fianna	12.00am
MFL DIV.3A Sancta Maria	Minor B V Templeogue S.S	11.00am
MFL DIV.4A Ballycullen	Minor C V Good Counsel	11.00am
MFL DIV.5 Ballycullen	Minor D V Nh.Barrog	12.00am

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR MINOR FOOTBALL TEAMS

Introducing the BBSE U16 Ladies Football Team



It is our attitude at the beginning of a difficult task which, more than anything else, will affect its successful outcome. *William James*

The U16 ladies squad met for the first time in February. It was a strange experience for the girls as they have not played or trained together as a squad before. The squad is made up primarily of three main groups of girls from the 1999 and 2000 age groups. In addition to the normal challenges facing a squad of girls striving to develop as individuals and as a squad the task is made more difficult by the fact that they are a newly formed group and in many ways, starting a new.

However, this group have shown incredible determination and with hard work and commitment they have taken on this difficult task and met it face on. The journey through the league and championship will be a long one and the talent and potential of these girls will see them achieve great things individually and together.

The Div 2 and Div 4 teams played their opening matches on Sunday last. Div 2 had a 50/50 battle with Na Fianna up until the final 10 mins where their fitness and determination drove them to a well earned win. The Div 4 girls went toe to toe from the outset and quickly showed their potential as they won both the first and second halves. A proud group of coaches, mentors and supporters looked on.

A nice way to start the league – now back to training.

Div 2: BBSE 3-12 / Na Fianna 2-08

Div 4: BBSE 6-05 / Skerries 1-02

The U16 Coaching Team



U16 Division 1 Football League

Boden's joy in Spring sunshine, St Sylvesters 0-10 Ballyboden 2-10

Following their recent triumph over Ballymun, the U16 footballers followed up with another fine victory over last year's Championship winners at Malahide last Saturday. Playing into a stiff breeze in the first half containment was the order of the day as the game started in bright yet very blustery conditions. Sylvesters took an early lead but Boden equalised through an excellent Jamie Dooney point. Using the wind to their advantage Sylvesters then scored a succession of points to go into a 0-6 to 0-1 lead and could have added further to this but for missing two clear goal scoring opportunities. Boden reduced the deficit with a fine Daniel O'Riordan point following good build-up playing involving Rob Donohoe and Ross McGarry. Shortly after Daniel picked the ball up in the corner and worked through the Sylvesters defence to finish calmly to the bottom corner of the net, reducing Sylvesters lead and giving the team a great lift as half-time approached. Sylvesters scored again on the stroke of half-time to go in leading by 0-7 to 1-2.

Using the wind to their advantage Boden were quick out of the blocks with Daniel O'Riordan and Ross McGarry adding points to level the game at 0-7 to 1-4. Shortly afterwards the same pair were in the thick of the action when a piledriver from Ross hit the Sylvesters bar and Daniel was on hand to finish to the back of the net. Further points from Ross McGarry and

James Madden increased Boden's lead to 5 points by 0-7 to 2-6. At this stage Boden were in complete control of the game and added further points from Ross McGarry and midfielder Sam Lally as the game approached the final ten minutes. Sylvesters got their first score of the second half with 5 minutes remaining which was testament to some outstanding defending from Kieran Kennedy and Shane Bobbett and great goalkeeping from Mark McNamee who made some vital saves at crucial stages of the game. Boden added a further score with a well taken point from Luke Bolger following some great work by James Madden.

Despite conceding two late points Boden had already built a commanding lead and ran out six point winners by 2-10 to 0-10.

Squad: Mark McNamee, Ryan Bradshaw, Karl Reddy, Shane Bobbett, Kieran Kennedy, Ronan Wallace, Ruairí Hester, Rob Donohue, Sam Lally (0-1), Eoghan McGarvey, Ross McGarry (0-4), Jamie Dooney (0-1), Ben Kelly, Shane Kennedy, Daniel O'Riordan (2-2), Jack Basquel, Jack Kelly, Fionnán Keogh, Luke Bolger (0-1), James Madden (0-1), Ross McCormack.

Mentors: Kevin Walsh, Frank McNamee, Paddy Patton, Viv Ruddy and Tony Wallace.

For more photos click [here](#)



Dublin Post Primary School Football "B" Final

**Dublin Post Primary School Football “B” Final
Fri Mar 6th 2015, O Toole Park, Crumlin**

It was a bright sunny day in O’Toole Park last Friday afternoon and a strong wind was blowing down the pitch from right to left as we viewed from the terrace.

Kick off was at 2pm. Colaiste Eanna started strong and scored first, 0-1 to 0-0 after 5 minutes.

St Declan's park the bus, bring back a sweeper and strike on the break, the tactic works well, Eanna run at them with the ball but the packed defence force a number of turnovers, and St Declan's go ahead 0-1 to 0-6 with some clever play and with a number of placed balls. This trend continues for the entire first half however a goal on the break from the southsiders keeps them in the game.

Half time score Colaiste Eanna 1-2, St Declan's 0-11.

2nd half and Barra McGarry goes into full forward. Wind assisted, the Ballyroan outfit go on the attack. They rack up 3 wides in the first 5 minutes but soon start finding the target. The full forward line with the two McGarrys and Langan are now doing serious damage and Eanna get the gap down from 6 at the break to 2 after a number of fine scores with 15 minutes to go. Declan's have the defence packed and look to score on the break. And again the tactic seems to work, with a goal on the break finding the net and the gap is back to 5. From the kickout Colaiste Eanna win the ball and a high ball into the opposition's square finds the net... back to a 2 point game, a very lucky break for the boys!

Ross McGarry gets the score of the match with a point from way out on the wing and Colaiste Eanna are not going to be stopped now. St Declan's continue to attack on the break however the Eanna defence have learned from the 1st half and have stopped giving up soft frees with Captain Cian Mellett marshalling the defence from full back. A fine move from Colaiste Eanna is finished with a close range goal from Barra and they go 5 up and the cup is heading to Ballyroan!

Final Score: Colaiste Eanna 3-10 St. Declan's CBS 1-11

Man of the Match: Ross McGarry.

Mentors: Paddy Nunn and Julianne Scanlon

Next up is the Leinster Final on Saturday 14th March, time and venue TBA.

Colaiste Eanna will face Carlow CBS who beat Gallen CS Ferbane in the Leinster P.P. Semi Final. Carlow mentors were in attendance at the Dublin Final studying the form of their soon to be opponents.

And the relevance to Ballyboden...well in the 24 man squad, all bar Conor Leigh and Cormac Molloy (who both hail from St Anne's Gaa Club) play for Boden in our U16 to senior ranks, or played with the club in the past.

And interestingly on the team were 2 sets of brothers playing side by side with Barra and Ross McGarry in the forwards and Cian and Aidan Mellett supporting the team in the backs.

We wish the lads the best of luck in the Leinster Final





Boden Juvenile member attend The Student Enterprise Awards County Final

Colaiste Eanna had many Ballyboden Juvenile members, past and current, representing their school in the Student Enterprise Awards (Dublin) County Final 2015, which took place last Friday afternoon on 6th March in the Institute of Technology Tallaght. The Department of Accountancy & Professional Studies hosted the event.

This was a major event embracing almost 60 projects from over 20 schools in the South Dublin region. Approximately 350 visitors attended viewing 54 stands which were located throughout the college - along the main concourse and on the Mezzanine. The annual event, which is organised by LEO South Dublin, showcases the best business projects from each school with over 20 exciting prizes across the categories.

The atmosphere was festival like as the students who have put a lot of work into their projects since last September showcased their projects with the hope of winning awards. The award for Enterprise School of the Year was won by Coláiste Éanna who were presented with the Maurice O'Connell Perpetual Trophy which was sponsored by Partas.

Coláiste Éanna students also won a number of awards:

In the Intermediate category:

1st place went to [Dara Ward](#), with 'My GAA Journey' a memory book in a workbook format which enables Juveniles to record and track their progress from Academy to U15. Dara was Junior County Winner last year & National 3rd Place Award Winner with his Ballyroan Bakers Cookery Book.

2nd place went to [Jack Leach](#) and [Killian Morris](#) (JKases)

In the Senior Category:

The Eco/Environmental award went to [Ciaran Ryan, Matthew Somers, Eoin Ward, Sean Kelleghan and Niall Donohoe \(Aquatip\)](#)

The Award for Sales went to [Fionnan Keogh and Shane Kennedy \(Rathfarnham Calendars\)](#)

[2nd place went to Luke Corcoran and Conor Fallon \(Super Straps\)](#)

Congratulations to all finalists who represented their school at county level and to their teachers who guided and supported them on their way. As young entrepreneurs, they are the future lifeblood of the Irish economy.

And who knows: today a student entrepreneur tomorrow a business trailblazer! Friday culminated many months of hard work, fun and hopefully profits too!

The National Final will take place in the Croke Park Conference Centre on 22nd April 2015.

We wish Dara the Best of Luck

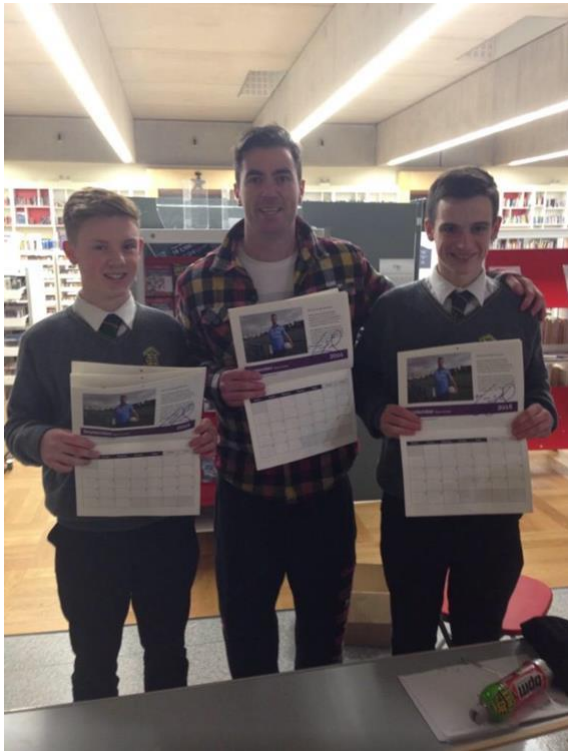
Pictured below are:

[Dara ward and his publication](#)

[Fionnan Keogh and Shane Kennedy with Rathfarnham Calendars](#)

[Luke Corcoran and Conor Fallon with SuperStraps](#)





Bar Entertainment



Entertainment in the bar

Sat
14th
March



Ireland v Wales



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Sun
15th
March

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Tue
17th
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Ballyboden Award One Child Course 2015 – Football/Ladies Football & Hurling/Camogie

Places are Limited to Football/Ladies Football/Hurling/Camogie mentors from the U9
– U13 teams who have completed the Foundation Award Course

Dates

- 3 Wednesday Nights & 2 Saturdays
- All 3 Wednesday Sessions are for both ALL Coaches
- 1 Sat is for Hurling Coaches Only & Other Sat is for Football Coaches Only
- **Wed Feb 25th, Wed March 4th, & Wed March 11th –All Coaches**
- **Saturday March 7th (Hurling/Camogie Coaches Only)**
- **Saturday March 14th (Football/ Ladies Football Coaches Only)**

Time

- Wednesdays -7.00pm– 9.30pm
- Saturdays – 10.00am-5.00pm (this time may be subject to change)

Venue

- St Colmcilles N.S Hall & Ballyboden St Endas Hall

Registration

- For registration or any further queries contact Paul Mc Loughlin (086 3350136)
(paul.batmc@gmail.com)

The Award One Child course is aimed at coaches that have progressed through the Foundation Award and have experience as a Coach. It covers a number of key modules, as well as Introductory and Conclusion modules. These key modules include:

<i>Role of the Coach</i>	<i>Technical Proficiency</i>	<i>Tactical Prowess</i>	<i>Team Play</i>
<i>Physical Fitness</i>	<i>Playing Facts</i>	<i>Psychological Focus</i>	<i>Communication</i>

2015 Membership Now Due

Membership for 2015 is now available to pay online. Please go to our **membership page** for details as to how to pay.
