

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





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Good luck in the Exams



To all our Junior and Leaving Cert students in their exams.

Hurling News - Win for the Jnr B Hurlers



Results from last week

- Senior B Championship BBSE V St. Vincents OFF
- Intermediate Championship BBSE 2 09 Lucan Sarsfields 0 10
- Junior C Championship BBSE 17 19 Parnells 0 07
- Junior E Championship BBSE 3 11 Wild Geese 1 07
- AHL 1 O' Tooles 2 22 BBSE 1 17

Hiney explodes into action and earns Junior B Hurlers qualification for Q/F (The Long Fella Reports)

In the year 1720, legend has it that a tribal skirmish of sorts took place on the lands of Baile Cuilin between two tuathas, the "Dagerry" O'Duills and the O'Parnells from the far side of the Big River. The combatants established their reputations as gritty fighters and were celebrated on "Dother", an ancient form of communication, now sadly no longer in use. The

O'Parnells were heavily beaten, but the odds were stacked against them from the start. The fifty mile journey to the South was hazardous in the extreme and brought the twenty combatants along an ancient track called the "Mifty". Their efforts to defeat the mighty O'Duills were further undermined by informers, (from Donnycarney), the bane of any self respecting and decent Gaelic chieftain.

The Ballyboden Junior B Hurlers have qualified for the business end of their championship with a runaway victory over Parnells at Ballycullen on Tuesday evening. On a "hairy", but near perfect surface the home side opened up with a tap over free from Brian Cummins, hardly an indication of what was to come. Boden goalman, Dave Kelly was next to step up, or to put it correctly, step aside and block a near certain goal, with his nether end.

A Cian Hiney goals fiesta was started when the Parnells custodian was caught in possession away from his chamber and the score was off a solo and a tap-in! This was just the appetiser to an evening of great scores, Hiney the scorer of nine in total, the bulk of them, goals. Throw in the marksmanship of Aiden Horgan, Declan Keating, Cummins, Mark Judge, Alan McGrath, Conor Maher (more accustomed to stopping goals), Ronan Dooley, Tom Sweeney and Minor player Luke Corcoran and the result was predictable.

Boden had defensive qualities too, and Shane Guest never put a foot wrong at the heart of the backline. Dooley covered the breaking ball very well and laid on a number of fine opportunities for a "hungry" attack. His 90 yard point was a cracker.

Parnells had some early opportunities and Ciaran Farrell pointed well from frees and play. Another to shine was John Sheeran, the scorer of a superb point early on. He gave the sizeable home support a moment of levity, looking towards the line and asking "do you want to buy me?"

Squad coach Mick Keville was well pleased with the showing, however conscious of that more competitive games lie ahead. Team managers David and Gerry Doyle will hope to bring the team to a higher level over the next few months.

Squad: Dave Kelly, Conor Maher, Ronan Dooley, Ciaran Sweeney, Brian Cummins, Shane Guest, Mark Judge, David Keville, Declan Keating, Aiden Horgan, Tom Sweeney, Cian Hiney, Dave Kirwan, Jason Long, Tiernan Swords, Luke Corcoran, Alan McGrath, Brian Keary.

Check the Hurling section of the website for all the League and Championship Tables

Coming Up

- Saturday, June 13th, Senior B Championship V St. Sylvesters in Broomfield at 6.30pm
- Saturday, June 13th Intermediate Championship V Naomh Mearnóg in PUM at 6.30pm
- Saturday, June 13th, AHL 1 V St. Jude's in Tymon at 6.30pm
- Sunday, June 14th, Junior E Championship V Round Towers in Community Centre at 3.00pm

Always check the website for updates before travelling!!

Football News - Championship Action

This week was very much about preparing for the upcoming Championship matches. However as a result of Galway and Dublin drawing in last sundays championship Hurling match, the Senior Football second round tie against Crokes will not now go ahead this Saturday. Instead all eyes will be on the Intermediate championship second round tie on Friday night against St. Finnians of Swords in Garristown at 19.15. All your support welcome. And if you hadn't had enough championship action, support our Junior B's in the Junior D championship in Ballyboughal at 15.00 on Sunday 7th. I know they are eager to get their campaign off to a successful start after a bye in the first round against Ballyfermot.

Congratulations to Michael Darragh McCauley and the Dublin Senior footballers on their first round victory against Longford as they kicked off their quest for Sam. Good to see Michael Darragh back in action and hopefully he can stay injury free for both club and county in the months ahead. It was also great to see such a strong representation of our hurlers involved in the curtain raiser against Galway. We wish them well in the replay next Saturday.

This Thursday, in the clubhouse, sees the launch of additional Sponsorship of the Senior Footballer team for 2015 and 2016.. We would like to thank Trubake, and in particular *Frank Basquel*, for their generosity and hope their association with the team along with H&K will lead to success along the way for all concerned.

Finally, best wishes to all our Minors sitting the Leaving Certificate this week. We look forward to having you all back on board after the Exams.

Adult Hurling Blitz and BBQ - June 6th



Adult Hurling Blitz and Barbecue

Sunday, June 6th in PUM at 5.00pm

Open to all Current and Former Hurlers

3 Games Guaranteed!!!!!

Give your name to your team manager or Contact Seamie O' Neill, Ciaran Maguire or Brendan Ryan

Croke Park Museum - Celebrating GAA Families

GAA Museum in Croke Park are currently developing a new temporary exhibition celebrating GAA Families. The GAA's tradition is rooted in the club and families. Since the foundation of the GAA in 1884 members of the same family have battled with and against each other for the pride of parish and county. This new temporary exhibition will celebrate the unique sporting achievements of those families – fathers, sons, daughters, sisters, brothers – that have excelled at the highest level in Gaelic games, bringing glory and pride to both county and club.

The exhibition is due to open in early-July and will run for a period of approx. 12 months.

As well as objects, illustrated display panels will be used to highlight unique achievements and complement the items on display.

I would be grateful if you could please supply some information on notable achievements/successes/unique records from families within your county. I am particularly seeking information on families that have achieved success within a county/club level yet who may not be well known at national level.

It is our intention to have representation from every county so it would be useful to have

some local knowledge and input in terms of what families might be synonymous with Gaelic games in any particular county.

A short piece of information listing names, dates & key achievements would be ideal.

Please email Sinead Ryan at - sineadryanmedia@gmail.com



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!!

See video here and Application Form HERE

Coach/Assistant Coach Application Forms. Any of our Young Coaches interested in working as a Coach at this years Summer Camp please email paul at paul.batmc@gmail.com for an application form (include in the email the name of the team and manager you Coach with) . Pls note you must be currently helping out with the academy or a club team to apply for work

BBSE Summer School of Excellence



Ballyboden St. Endas
Summer School of Excellence 2015
Boys - U12 &13 and U14 &15
Girls - U12 &13 and U14, 15 & 16

14th to 17th July

Cost €25 per code or €40 for both

For more Info Contact: Paul @ 0863350136 or Brian @ 0876998649



Click HERE for the Application Form.

Kenya Project - Boden girl Sarah Lambert needs your support



My name is Sarah Lambert and I am a member of Ballyboden St Endas GAA club. I am a fourth year student in Sancta Maria College and I will be travelling to Kenya in June 2015 with nine other students. The college has established a link with the sisters of Mercy in Kenya. We will be in Kenya for ten days and in those ten days we will be doing voluntary work in under privileged areas and over- crowded schools, as well as to assist with various children's projects. This work will involve in such activities as academics, art/crafts, sports, music etc. We would be grateful for any donations received for this charity such as academy kits and, normal jerseys, footballs (just sports jerseys and sports shorts only). There is a box behind the bar in the club for the donated kit to be dropped to. All donations are greatly appreciated!