



Ballyboden St. Endas
GAA Camogie and Ladies Football Club
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Ballyboden St Enda's - Eoghan Culligan - RIP



" It is with great regret and sadness that we inform you that Ballyboden St Enda's member Eoghan Culligan was one of the six people who tragically lost their lives in Berkeley, California earlier today (12th June 2015).

Eoghan has been a member of Ballyboden St Enda's since childhood and was part of the Minor A Championship team that were beaten by Castleknock GAA in the county final of 2011. He continued to play football with both the Intermediate and Junior teams. Eoghan was very popular with his team mates and this tragic news is keenly felt by all members of our Club, but especially by those players and mentors who knew him well.

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to his parents Gerry & Marie and to his brothers Stephen & Andrew and to all the extended Culligan family.

May we take this opportunity of extending our sympathies to all the families of Eoghan's friends who also lost their lives in this terrible tragedy and to wish those who are injured eventual recovery to full health.

Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh a anam uasal dílis

Football News - Important League Week for Adult Football

Normal Service resumes

After a quiet week on the football front, normal service resumes. There is a busy league programme ahead this week - see fixtures attached. First up are the Junior A away to Crumlin on Tuesday, next the Senior and Inters have 2 difficult assignments away to Ballymun and St. Monicas. That's followed by The Junior B's at home to AIB on Thursday.

And when you thought it was all over, next Saturday sees the Inters and Senior teams at home to Fingal Ravens and St. Oliver Plunketts. While on Sunday the Junior A are at home to Towers of Lusk and Junior B away to Clontarf.

Congrats to Paul Durcan and to Donegal on their big championship win against Armagh on the weekend. The Championship is taking on an evitable look with the main teams coming to the fore.

Finally, calling all Minors and especially the post leaving cert minors, a fully league programme is coming up beginning mid-week next week. Shale off the cob-webs and enjoy your football.

FIXTURES

Tuesday 16th June

AFL Division 5: Pearse Park 19.30 Crumlin V Ballyboden St Endas

Wednesday 17th June

AFL Division 1: Pairc Ciceam 19.30 Ballymun Kickhams V Ballyboden St Endas

AFL Division 4: Edenmore 19.30 St Monicas V Ballyboden St Endas

Thursday 18th June

AFL Division 9: Ballycullen 19.30 Ballyboden St Endas V AIB

Saturday 20th June

AFL Division 1: PUM 18.30 Ballyboden St Endas v Fingal Ravens

AFL Division 4: Sancta Maria 18.30 Ballyboden St Endas V St Oliver Plunketts ER

Sunday 21st June

AFL Division 5: Ballycullen 11.00 Ballyboden St Endas V Round Towers

AFL Division 9: St Annes Park 15.00 Clontarf V Ballyboden St Endas

Hurling News - Snr Win V St. Judes

Weekend Results

- AHL 1 – BBSE 5 13 St. Jude's 1 19
- Senior B Championship – St. Sylvester's 2 17 BBSE 2 11
- Intermediate Championship – Naomh Mearnóg 0 17 BBSE 1 07
- Junior E Championship – BBSE 1 09 Round Towers 1 06

Check the hurling page of the website for updated League and Championship tables

Senior A team victors over Judes

The Senior A Hurlers made the short journey across to Tymon Park on Saturday afternoon to play St. Judes in the league. They received a warm welcome from our close neighbours. The game was certainly keenly contested and unfortunately tempers boiled over at times and to the dismay of the Boden supporters, resulted in two Boden players receiving red cards.

Boden started the game with at a cracking pace with the two Davids, O'Callaghan & Curtin putting over a point each in under two minutes. One minute later Conal Keaney rattled the Judes net with a rasper of a shot. Things were looking good for Boden despite playing uphill. However, Danny Sutcliffe was making his presence felt and Judes put two points on the board. The Boden supporters could be forgiven for thinking that we were on our way to victory, when Paul Ryan pointed from a free and a minute later Collie O'Neill stuck the ball in the Judes net for goal number two and we were still only 12 minutes into the game. Over the next ten minutes both teams registered 3 points each, the Boden scores coming from Paul Ryan (free), Collie O'Neill and Eoghan O'Neill. Then with the score at 2 06 to 0 06 in favour of Boden, the game suddenly changed as Judes got completely on top and rattled off four unanswered points to leave them just two down. Judes, now in control of the game, pressed home their advantage. It was their turn to shake the Boden net and take the lead as halftime approached. Two more points for Judes left the score at 2 06 to 1 12 at the break.

The point scoring in the second half was even with both teams registering seven a piece. However they say that goals win matches and that man David Dotsy O'Callaghan certainly proved that to be the case as he found the St. Judes net three times in the second half despite very very close attention from the opposition. In a game that initially looked like a cake walk for Boden, then began to look like a disaster, we finally finished with an amazing win on a score of 5 13 to 1 19.

The real positive from the game was that when our backs were well and truly to the wall, the team showed tremendous spirit when it would have been very easy to drop the heads. Another positive was the good performances of young Rob Leddy, new boy Michael Clifford and Eoghan O'Neill who has recently returned from injury.

Boden: Gary Maguire, Kenny Wigglesworth, Michael Clifford, Rob Leddy, Eoghan O'Neill, Shane Durkin, Stephen O'Connor, David O'Connor, Finn McGarry, David Curtin, Paul Ryan, Conor McCormack, Conal Keaney, David O'Callaghan.

The next outing in the league is away to St Vincents on Wednesday the 24th June at 7.30 pm, in Pairc Naomh Uinsion. All support very welcome.

Senior B Championship

Ballyboden Senior B hurlers travelled to Broomfield on Saturday 13th June for their third Championship match of 2015 against St Sylvesters. On a bright evening and a very good playing surface, the home team were off to the brighter start registering 1-1 before Boden got into their stride. Indeed, it was strong running from midfield by Ronan Cleary that yielded the opening point. Despite a reasonable supply of ball to the forwards, the Sylvesters' defence repelled most attacks and they led at the quarter hour by five points. Keith McCarron was winning good ball in the middle of the field and another run by Cleary saw him finish with a fine shot to the net. Just before the break, a high ball was sent into the Sylvesters' full forward and following a good catch the ball was fired low to the net. This was a setback for the Boden challenge and left the half-time score of Boden 1-5 to Sylvesters 2-7.

Boden started the second half well with good work by Austen Lynch and Finn McGarry in the forwards, both of whom scored. Indeed, this was Boden's best spell in the match and after James Roche picked off his first point of the day McGarry found Conor Dooley in space and he had time to pick his spot in the net. This brought the teams level on 2-9 apiece after 12 minutes. Dónal Butler and Darragh O'Gorman were putting a stop to most of the home attacks at this point. However, the home team rallied and together with some long stoppages for injury, Sylvesters regained the momentum from Boden. Four unanswered points created a gap and with Boden taking on some long range efforts that drifted away from the target, Sylvesters held on to claim victory. Final scoreline St Sylvesters 2-17 to Boden's 2-11.

Upcoming Hurling Fixtures

Sunday, 21st June

Hurling League Minor A v Fingallians 11:00 Lawless Park

Hurling League Minor B v Noamh Olaf 11:00 Páirc Uí Bhriain

Wednesday, 24th June

AHL1 Senior A v St. Vincent's 19:30 Páirc Naomh Uinsíonn

AHL3 Senior B v Na Fianna 19:30 Sancta Maria

AHL3 Intermediate v Setanta 19:30 Poppintree

AHL4 Junior C v Lucan Sarsfields 19:30 Ballycullen

Saturday, 27th June

AHL1 Senior A v St. Brigid's 18:30 Páirc Uí Mhurchú

AHL3 Senior B v Thomas Davis 18:30 Kiltipper

AHL3 Intermediate v St. Kevins 18:30 Knocklyon Park

AHL4 Junior C v Scoil Uí Chonaill 18:30 Clontarf

Always check website for updates before travelling

Mini Camogie All Ireland 2015



The June Mini All Ireland continues to be a highlight in the Camogie Calendar. The 2015 version took place last Friday evening – June 12th. The date had been moved forward in June for a variety of reasons and the earlier date seemed to suit many parents with a huge turnout – just short of 200 children in total took part in the games.

The competition spread over 8 pitches in two groups saw eight teams compete 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). A total of 36 games were played.

The under 16 teams provided the referees who did a great job throughout – offering the younger players in particular constant encouragement. The under 14's showed they have learned a thing or two about management and were masters of tactics throughout.

The ice-cream van and Paddy's burgers went down a treat, and rumour has it that a certain group of mentors felt it only right to discuss the games in the bar well into the evening.

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. Well done to the mentors from all age groups on their organisation, and thanks to the Camogie Committee for their support. Special thanks to the three senior players who presented each player with a medal – Mairead Luttrell, Laura Burns and Emer Lucey. Roll on the 13th Annual Mini All Ireland in 2016 !

Some excellent photos of the evening courtesy of John Kirwin can be seen [here](#)

Camogie Féile Girls make the Trip to Tipp.

Best of luck to our under 14 Féile winners who make the journey south to Borrisoleigh on Saturday next June 20th to play in the National Division 1 Blitz. The county winners from Dublin, Cork, Wexford, Waterford, Galway, Kilkenny, Limerick, Clare and Tipperary will battle it out in two groups split between Borrisoleigh and The Ragg. The winner of each group will meet in Semple Stadium at 3.30 pm.

The girls are well ready for the challenge fresh from some recent strong wins in Challenge Matches. Details of fixtures are set out below – all games played in Borrisoleigh Game

Round 1 10.30am Ballyboden St. Endas (Dublin) Newcastle West (Limerick)

Round 2 11.15am

Round 3 12pm Ballyboden St. Endas (Dublin) St.Martins (Wexford)

Round 4 12.45pm Ballyboden St. Endas (Dublin) Galtir (Waterford)
Round 5 1.30pm Ballyboden St. Endas (Dublin) Annacathy (Tipperary)

Blue team is Offaly. Orange team is Antrim. Pink team is Sligo.

For Facebook photos please click [here](#):





U.12s Camogie Trip to Kilkenny sponsored with thanks to Bus Eireann

The U-12 Ballyboden St Endas camogie team enjoyed their first away matches to play country opposition when they made the trip to Dicksboro, Co. Kilkenny on Saturday the 6th of June, 2015.

It was an early start for the girls and mentors as well as some of the parents as everyone met up at the clubhouse at 8.20am. The bus, a luxury coach supplied by Bus Eireann, duly arrived and it was all on board for the trip to Noreside.

The journey went quickly thanks to an impromptu sing-song from the girls followed by a well organised quiz courtesy of the tour co-ordinators, Joan Feehan, Jean Gargan and Suzanne Nolan.

We arrived at Dicksboro GAA club on the outskirts of Kilkenny City where we were met by local club members who had assigned us our own dressing rooms in their very impressive grounds. Ballyboden now count former Ballyboden St. Enda's stalwart Maura Ni Reachtaire in their ranks.

Ballyboden had 2 teams of equal ability and the opposition was provided by Dicksboro, O Loughlin Gaels, Ballyraggett and St. Anne's (Galmoy/Johnstown). Our girls played some fine competitive camogie, winning some, drawing some and losing some matches. They played their hearts out!

We then retired to the clubhouse where a mountain of sandwiches, cakes, buns and ice creams awaited us. There was plenty of slagging especially as 2 of our mentors were sporting their Tipp colours!!

After photos were taken with the Liam McCarthy Cup which had been organised by Cathal Fitzgerald, we boarded the Bus Eireann coach and headed for Kilkenny Bowl where the girls had a great time bowling and using the other games. The mentors had a competitive game of bowling which went down to the wire!

Next it was onto Kilkenny Castle where our large contingent enjoyed a tour of the 820 year

old building. Cathal's pre-tour briefing on the bus, complete with talk of ghosts, witches and burnings at the stake, was a real highlight.

More photos were taken in the regal surroundings before we boarded the bus for home. The girls enjoyed some well earned treats on the journey back to the Capital and were a tired bunch by the time we reached Pairc Ui Mhurchu at 7.30pm. The night finished with a post-tour selectors de-brief in the clubhouse. Rumour has it that this extended into the small hours. On behalf of the mentors we would like to express our appreciation to the tour co-ordinators for organising the trip, Joan, Jean and Suzanne, to Cathal for organising the tournament and the Liam McCarthy Cup, to Dicksboro GAA club for making us feel very welcome and the other clubs for the competition, to Bus Eireann for the brilliant coach, for parents who came along to help and finally, to our camogie girls, all 26 of them, who were a pleasure to deal with and a credit to the club and their families.

We could not help but share one of the answers to the quiz questions – Name the 3 types of triangles and the Answer given was ...wait for it – Small, Medium and Large – answered by some of our Mentors!

[Have a Great Summer - Yours in Boden – The U.12 Camogie Mentoring Team](#)

For more photos, please click: [HERE](#)



Ballyboden take part in the U11 Donabate Football Tournament.

On Sunday last, Boden sent 2 teams to the U11 Donabate Football Tournament.

BBSE 1 were in a group with Naomh Barrog, Kilmacud Crokes and Skerries Harps.

In our first game v Naomh Barrog we got the better of our opponents by 4pts to 2pts.

Next up were Crokes and Boden got off to a flier and led at half time by 1-1 to 2 pts. In the 2nd half Crokes with the aid of the wind got back into the game with an early goal and with time running out led by 1-4 to 1-1 when a shot from Leon Kennedy looked destined for the bottom corner of the net only for the Crokes keeper to pull off a superb save and win the game.

In our 3rd game v Skerries Harps, Boden again got off to a flier and led at half time by 3-1 to 0-1 and eventually won 5-3 to 2-4.

We then met Newbridge Sarsfields in the semi final and they got the better of the 1st half leading by 0-2 to 0-0. The Boden boys came storming out in the 2nd half but could not get the levelling point losing in the end by 0-4 to 0-3.

BBSE 2 were drawn in a group with St Vincent's, Donabate and Skerries Harps. Boden got off to a slow start losing both opening games by narrow margins but finally got their win with a well deserved win against Skerries.

In their Shield semi final v Newbridge Sarsfields, they played a lovely brand of football and were level on numerous occasions but could never get the lead score and in the end suffered an agonising 1 point defeat.

Well done to all the boys who showed exemplary behaviour on and off the pitch.

A big thank you to all in Donabate for a very well organised day of football



Annual Friendship Cumann na mBunscoil Games

Last Friday 12th June, some of our Boden hurlers and footballers presented their county in the Annual Friendship Cumann na mBunscoil Games.

Some of the future stars of Gaelic Games in Belfast and Dublin took to the field at Sarsfield's GAA Club in Andersonstown for a series of games sponsored by Club Aontroma. This programme of games goes back to the 1930s and has featured many children who have gone on to represent their respective counties with distinction.

Our boys, Ciaran and Cathal from Ballyroan BNS and Leon, John and Sam from St Marys BNS, Rathfarnham met in Connolly Train Station at 7am and travelled north to Belfast. On the journey, they made great friends with boys from other schools in Dublin and hopefully many will go on to play for their county and be team mates in future Dublin teams.

The pupils in this Cumann na mBunscoil inner-city challenge displayed an excellent array of skills. Our hurlers drew in their match with Antrim while the footballers were beaten by 7 points.

Many thanks to their teachers Mr McDonnell (Ballyroan Boys) and Mr O' Neill St Marys) who travelled with and prepared the boys so well.



Leon, John and Sam



Cathal and Ciaran

Ballyroan Boys' N.S. Hurling Win in Croke Park



A big congratulations to the Ballyroan Boys' N.S. on their recent Hurling Win in Croke Park. Many of the team are Boden players.

"The boys were had an early start in Croke Park on Tuesday morning against close neighbours Scoil Naithí. The raced into an early first half lead thanks to points from distance from Eoin Deignan and Ryan O'Dwyer. By halftime though Scoil Naithí had a 4 point lead. Ballyroan struggled to find their feet in the early part of the second half and found themselves 7 points adrift with less than 10 minutes remaining. The Boden boys dug deep though and were lead by captain fantastic - Ryan O' Dwyer, who scored 2 -7 on the day, to make the come back of all come backs. David Keogh sealed the victory with an outstanding point in the dying minutes. The boys from Ballyroan won by a point on a score line of 4 - 11 to 5 - 7.'

Summer Camp 2015



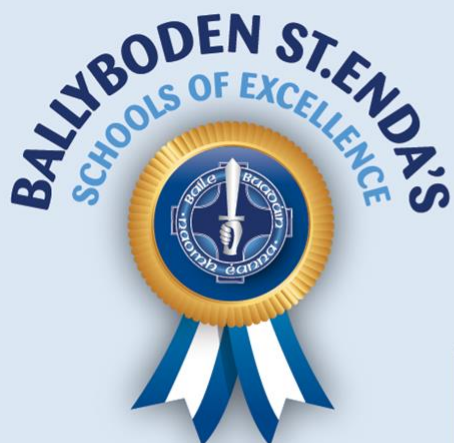
The banner for Ballyboden St. Endas Summer Camp 2015 features a blue background. On the left is the club's crest, a circular emblem with a hand holding a harp. The text 'Ballyboden St. Endas Summer Camp 2015' is prominently displayed in white. To the right, a red starburst graphic contains the text 'July 6th - Aug 21st Discounts Available'. Below the main title, a photograph shows a group of children playing on a field. To the right of the photo, the text 'For Boys and Girls Aged - 5-12' is written in white. Below this, the club's name 'Ballyboden St. Endas' is followed by 'GAA Camogie & Ladies Football Club', 'Firhouse Road, Dublin 16', and the websites 'www.bodengaa.ie' and 'www.ballybodensummercamp.com'. Social media icons for Facebook and Twitter are also present.

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
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Teen Disco in Boden on Friday 26th June for 12 - 14year olds

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Boden Theatre Group Event next Friday night

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See what happens when a sergeant pays an unexpected visit to the pub of Ignatius Cornelius Coolahan after hours!

After a successful night in Ballyroan Library, the Boden Theatre Group are bringing their latest "One Act" comedy plays to Ballyboden St. Enda's next Friday night . So come on down

to Ballyboden on Friday 19th June @ 9p.m. for a FREE hour of comedy and entertainment and a special appearance by funny man Declan O'Brien!

Boden First Aid Training Courses



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Dear Members,

Over 3 consecutive weeks Frank O'Connor has provided training to over 40 members of our Club on how to deal with Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SDA). Frank provided this series of courses in a very professional manner, with a great emphasis on practical exercises, which the members attending found very useful and informative. On behalf of all members who attended the training courses (including myself) I would like to thank Frank for the expertise he provided and for the enthusiastic manner in which he delivered the course content.

Brendan Moran

Club Chairman

“Around 13 people die every day in Ireland as a result of sudden cardiac arrest, however some of these lives could be saved if more people knew CPR, and had access to an AED.

SCA (Sudden Cardiac Arrest) can affect people of all ages, including babies and children. Cardiac arrest refers to the sudden loss of function of the heart. It occurs when there is an abrupt disturbance in the heart's rhythm, causing the heart to stop beating. A person whose heart has stopped beating will fall unconscious and stop breathing normally. If they do not get immediate medical assistance, sudden cardiac death will follow. Some 5,000 people die as a result of this every year in Ireland. CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) is a first aid technique which should be administered as soon as possible to a person who has suffered a cardiac arrest. It can increase a person's chance of survival by keeping oxygen and blood circulating to the body's vital organs.

Death due to sudden cardiac arrest that is witnessed is preventable in many cases. Now that we have 3 x AED's (Defibrillators) within Ballyboden Club-playing pitches, one each located in: Club House, Ballycullen and Santa Maria and can be accessed by all recently trained personnel. They can immediately treat a player or spectator who experiences a sudden, life-threatening SCA. This prompt action will result in a higher survival rate and giving the best possible outcome for the casualty.”



Frank O'Connor

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