

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





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Senior Camogie Mentor Trish Cantwell - R.I.P



Senior Camogie mentor Trish Cantwell passed away suddenly last weekend. Trish was one of our longest serving Camogie mentors, being involved with teams from a young age up through the juvenile ranks and then to the senior scene. In recent years she was involved with not one but 2 senior teams. Her passion, smile, great sense of humour and the genuine care which she had for all of her players will be greatly missed by all who had the pleasure of getting to know her.

Heartfelt sympathy to her husband Gerry, daughters Nikki & Aoife, sister Breda, brothers James, Patrick, Thomas and Gerard.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam dílis

Funeral Arrangements - Reposing at her residence Tuesday evening. Removal on Wednesday morning to the Church of St. Colmcille, Knocklyon arriving for 11am Requiem Mass, followed by private cremation at Newlands Cross Crematorium. Family flowers only please, donations, if desired, to the Irish Heart Foundation.

It is Trish's wish that Club members attending the requiem mass do so in Club colours please.

### **Bereavement - O'Brien**

The club would like to express it's sympathies to the family of Declan O'Brien (drama group) on the passing of his mother Eileen. See funeral arrangements <u>here</u>

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Football News - Senior vs St. Sylvester's



### Review.

All of our adult teams were in action over the weekend and, we're delighted to report, all four took full points from their respective league encounters and 3 of those games were away from home too! Injuries and holidays meant co-operation between the panels was crucial and it was good to see some of the minors step up to the plate when needed. The Seniors overcame Syls away in Malahide to get back to winning ways in a closely contested game while the Inters fielded a young team against Lucan scoring 21 points into the bargain! The Junior A's also travelled to Malahide and thanks to 1-03 from Cian Bates returned with the points. Lastly (but not leastly) the Junior B's continued their winning run with an emphatic win over Binn Eadair in Ballycullen.

Reports on all matches below.

Senior vs St. Sylvester's

Saturday, 4th July 2015

**Result: 1-12 to 1-10** 

On a lovely Saturday sunny evening in Malahide the senior footballers got back to winning ways. Playing against a strong wind in the first half, Ballyboden got off to a good start with

two early points by Darren O'Reilly and corner back Shane Clayton. Sylvesters fought back with three in a row to leave us a point behind. Ryan Basquel converted a free and then up pops the other corner back Bob Dwan at the end of a good move to finish into the net. Darragh Nelson suffered a shoulder injury half way through the first half and was replaced by Daniel Davey. Points by Collie Basquel, who was now operating around the middle of the field, Aran Waters, Andrew Kerin (free) and Daniel Davey left us four points up going into injury time. However, Sylvesters were in no mood to surrender and scored a goal and a point in injury time to leave the scores at 1-7 each at half time. Not a bad position for us to be in with the wind in our backs for the second half!! However, the wind does not win matches for anyone and it looked as if it would not do it for us either. Sylvesters started off the second half with two quick points in two minutes. A Ryan Basquel free brought it back to a point behind before Syls scored another point on 12 minutes which proved to be their last score. In one of his forays forward, Robbie McDaid suffered an injury to his ankle and was replaced by Sean Prendergast. A further free by Ryan Basquel and a point from play by Sam Molony brought us level again with about 10 minutes left. Tackling was hard, tempers were sometimes frayed and scores were hard to come by. Constant pressure on the Sylvesters back line yielded another free from the right hand side for the left footed Ryan Basquel to put us one point ahead. Sylvesters kept coming but their final passes were being intercepted by our hard working backs, ably assisted by our midfield and forwards who were tracking back to good effect. Another break forward got the ball to Ryan Basquel who scored a great point from distance to put us two points up with about two minutes of normal time left. The referee announced that there would be four minutes of additional time. Sylvesters were now going for a goal. A great tackle by Darragh Gogan as the ball was being passed across the goal mouth saw the ball hopping towards the empty goal, only to be picked up and cleared by Bob Dwan. The goal mouth continued to be bombarded by Sylvesters and a high catch in the small square by Stephen Hiney brought further relief with another clearance. Shortly thereafter, the final whistle was greeted by huge relief and two league points safely in the bag.

Team: Darragh Gogan, Bob Dwan, Robbie McDaid, Shane Clayton, Stephen O'Connor, Stephan Hiney, Tom Hanafin, Darragh Nelson, Aron Waters, Darren O'Reilly, Ryan Basquel, Conor McCormack, Collie Basquel, Sam Molony, Andrew Kerin. Subs used: Daniel Davey for Darragh Nelson and Sean Prendergast for Robbie McDaid. Subs not used: Collie Dunne, Conor Deane and Warren Egan.

### **Intermediate vs Lucan Sarsfields**

Saturday, 4th July 2015

**Result: 0-21 to 1-10** 

The Inter footballers had a very important win v Lucan on Saturday. With lots of players missing with injuries and holidays 2 points in this game could prove vital in their push for The league. With all outfield players under 25 and 7 starters under 21 this team played with pace and skill that caused there opponents huge problems. A man of the match display by the oldest of the bunch at 25 Ciaran Archibald in midfield drove the rest on. In the backs some very strong games by Brian Burns, Conor Dean and Scott Cullen. However it was the performance of the forwards that was the difference on the day with some great scores and link up play by Sean O'Shea, Seamus Keane and the Dunne brothers Colly and Mikey. A brilliant display of movement and skill by the younger of the brothers Mikey was a delight to

watch. 21 scores, some cracking points from Archibald, Dunne and O'Shea gave the team a important win that keeps them on track for the league. Big thanks to the management teams we had to borrow some players from and all the lads who came in played an important part. Good co-operation between teams and positive attitudes will prove successful as this weekend shows with 4 wins from 4 by all the adult football teams.

Junior A vs St. Sylvester's

Sunday, 5th July 2015

**Result: 2-10 to 2-07** 

Our Junior A footballers had a crucial win away to Sylvesters in Broomfield. A downpour before the game made conditions difficult however both teams settled well with Dave Gilheaney getting Boden on the scoreboard with a well taken point. Sylvesters scored the next 3 points and were dominating the breaking ball at midfield until an opportunist goal by Bodens Rory Jordan after a bad goalkeeping error. It was always going to be nip and tuck between the sides in the second half. The difference was two long distance points from Colm Sweeney and an excellent 1-3 from play from Cian Bates. His goal was a trademark 'Batesy' finish, cutting in from the left and looping a shot over the Syls goalkeeper. Sylvesters hit back with a goal of their win but another fine point from Dave Gilheaney ensured Boden took full points from the game.

Junior B vs Beann Eadair

Sunday, 5th July 2015

**Result: 3-13 to 0-06** 

Despite yet another delay, this game proved to be a cracker! Conditions were perfect and our Captain Colm Reade chose to play with the slightest of breezes. Bodens fitness levels were on show yet again with Niall O' Connor and Keith McCarron dominating midfield. The ball was fed into the forward line and there was Dave McCabe to split the posts. But Boden didnt rest on their laurels. Young McCarron won their kickout and punished in the best possible way, neatly slamming the ball into the back of the Binns net! Dean O'Donnell was at his industrious best at wing back, playing off the midfield and supplying plenty of ball to the forward line. Mikey"fox in the box" Ryan was excellent at holding the ball up for the advancing half forward line allowing Colm Humphries to slot over two more points. Liam"brickwall" McNamara was solid in defence ably assisted by young Manning and the ever cool Rosco Bosco. By the half time whistle Boden were well in command after "the flyer" Bradser, McCarron and Niall O'Connor put us in front by 2-9 to 0-1. The second half saw McCarron working hard for his team mates. Boden were poetry in motion, a joy to watch! Young Donal McCarthy worked tirelessly out on the wing, showing dogged determination in the tackle. Substitutes were made and fitted effortlessly into the flow of the game. At half time Colm Reade urged his team to kill the game off and that is exactly what happened. Scores from McCarron and O'Connor sealed the game. But the final act went to Dean O'Donnell. Obviously getting ideas above his station, he collected the ball way out wide, cut in past one defender, past another and rifled the ball into the back of the net. Game over. BBSE 3- 13 Beann Eadair 0-6. After beating Trinity Gaels in the league on Thursday 513 to 3-5 the J9s are creeping nicely up the table .With Paul Naughton in excellent form between the posts, this team is in safe hands!

#### **BODEN ABU!!**

### **Upcoming Fixtures**

### Wednesday 8th July

MFL Division 1 St Mobhi Road Na Fianna v Minor A 19:30

MFL Division 3A Blakestown St Peregrines v Minor B 19:30

MFL Division 5 Drumnigh Trinity Gaels v Minor D 19:30

### **Sunday 12th July**

MFL Division 1 Pairc Ui Murchu Minor A v Raheny 11:00

MFL Division 5 Ballycullen Minor D v St Judes 11:00

## **Hurling News - Win for Boden Minor A Team**

### **Upcoming Fixtures**

- July 7th Junior B Championship V St. Sylvester's in Broomfield at 7.30pm
- July 8th Senior B Championship V Naomh Olaf in Páirc Uí Bhriain at 7.30pm
- July 8th Intermediate Championship V Na Fianna in St. Mobhi Road at 7.30pm
- July 9th Junior E Championship V Lucan Sarsfields in Ballycullen at 7.30pm
- July 12th AHL1 V St. Pat's in Glenauline at 10.15am
- July 12th AHL 3 V Fingallians in Sancta Maria at 10.15am (Sen B)
- July 12th AHL 3 V Naomh Olaf in Ballycullen at 10.15am (Inters)
- July 12th AHL 4 V Faughs in Ballycullen at 10.15am

### Times and Venues may change.

Check the hurling page of the website for up to date League and Championship tables.

### Minor A Hurling Match Report, July 1st, 2015

This was an away game to Kilmacud Crokes on a beautiful hot summer's evening, ideal for hurling. Both sides were missing a number of key players. Ballyboden got off to a blistering pace with a great goal from Ciaran Ryan within the first five minutes. The work rate was superb and good quality ball from a hard working defence and midfield led to further goals from Michael Boland and Ruairi Kirwan and well taken points from Conor Kennedy, Michael O'Brien and Cillian Byrne (free and 65), leaving the half-time score in favour of Boden by 3-9 to 1-9.

The second half continued in the same manner with no let up from Ballyboden. Kevin Cronin was outstanding at full-back making a tackle any county player would be proud of. Good solid performances in defence from Daragh Byrne, Karl Weldon, Rob Leddy and Neil Hester and with Sean McDonnell and Michael O'Brien in control at midfield the forwards continued on their rampage. Michael Boland at full-forward was causing all sorts of headaches for the defence adding a further two goals leaving the full-time score of 5-16 to 2-17 in favour of Ballyboden.

Team: Conor O'Donoghue, Dargh Byrne, Kevin Cronin, Karl Weldon, Rob Leddy (0-1), Neil Hester, Jack Mahon, Michael O'Brien (0-3), Sean McDonnell (0-1), John Murphy, Cillian Byrne (0-2, 1f, 1'65) Conor Kennedy (0-2), Ciaran Ryan (1-2), Michael Boland (3-2), Ruairi Kirwan !-2), Luke O'Donoghue, James Holland, Karl Reddy, Aaron Coffey.

#### **Dublin Minors**

Tough luck to the Dublin Minors who were narrowly beaten in dramatic fashion by Kilkenny in the Leinster final. Aidan Mellett was the sole Boden player on the day. Cillian Byrne is a member of the panel.

Despite the loss, they still progress to the All Ireland Quarter Final.

### **U16 Division 1 Football League**

### Ballyboden St Enda's 7-11 Kilmacud Crokes 2-10

The sun shone brightly in Balllycullen last Tuesday week and on the pitch the boys reflected that good feeling with a comprehensive victory over their near neighbours.

The game reflected the very warm conditions with the first score not arriving until the 10th minute via a Rob Donoghue free. That gave Boden the momentum they needed and shortly afterwards Shane Kennedy put 1-1 on the scoreboard to push Boden into an early commanding lead.

Soon afterwards the floodgates opened with Shane Kennedy raising another green flag and then Daniel O' Riordan got in on the scoring act by adding 2-1 to the scoreboard. A combination of dogged defending and great scoring meant that at half-time the Boden boys led by 4-7 to 1-3.

The second half lacked the intensity of the first half as the Boden boys took the foot off the gas allowing Crokes to reduce the Boden lead. However the final ten minutes belonged to Ross McCormack with the full forward giving a display in the art of finishing in by chipping in with three goals in the final 10 minutes. Additional points from Shane Kennedy and Ronan Wallace put a final gloss on the score-line.

The team now take a well-deserved summer break from football and are positioned nicely in 3rd place with the resumption of league fixtures again in August.

Squad: Jack Kelly, Ryan Bradshaw, Karl Reddy, Jamie Dooney, Ruairí Hester, Sam Lally, Kieran Kennedy (0-1), Ronan Wallace (0-1), James Madden, Eoghan McGarvey,Rob Donohue (0-3), Shane Kennedy (2-2), Daniel O'Riordan (2-1), Ross McCormack (3-1), Ben Kelly (0-1), Shane Bobbett, Fionnán Keogh, Adam Farrell

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



'Hat-Trick hero Ross McCormack takes a well-deserved break')



'Hat-Trick hero Ross McCormack in action'



Pictured at new sponsorship launch by Sherry Fitzgerald of the U-13A Football team Jack Donaghy , Danny Griffin sponsorship manager, Carole Ross Sherry Fitzgerald, Brendan Moran club chairman.



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!!

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