

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





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Hurling News - Minor A Team in Action

Minor A Hurling Match Report, Aug 4th, 2015

Ballyboden Minor As continued their winning streak during the week with a fine win over Cuala with a scoreline of 3-19 to 2-11. The home side never looked in any real danger with a half-time lead of 1-11 to 0-4 thanks to some fine scores by Conor Kennedy. However, by mid way through the second half, Cuala to their credit had brought the margin back to six points. Ballyboden finished strongly with a well taken goal by Michael Boland which put the game out of sight.

Best for Ballyboden were Conor o'Donoghue in goals, who made one superb save, Luke Corcoran and Rob Leddy in defence, the midfield partnering of Sean McDonnell and Cillian Byrne, and the greatest threat up front coming from the full forward line of Conor Kennedy, Michael Boland and Ciaran Ryan.

Team: Conor O'Donoghue Daragh Byrne Luke Corcoran Kevin Cronin John Murphy Rob Leddy Cian Kelly Sean McDonnell(0-1) Cillian Byrne(0-1) Luke O'Donoghue(0-1) Aidan Mellet(0-2) Aaron Coffey(0-1) Conor Kennedy(1-2) Michael Boland(2-8, 0-5f) Ciaran Ryan(0-3) Jack Mahon Oisin Carolan Conor Barton Ruairi Kirwan.

Good luck to the Dublin Minor Hurlers who play Tipperary on Sunday next in the All-Ireland Semi-final.

Upcoming Fixtures

- Saturday (Aug 15th) Sen B Championship V St. Vincent's in PUM at 6.15pm.
- Saturday (Aug 15th) Intermediate Championship V Clanna Gael in Sancta Maria at 6.15pm
- Sunday (Aug 16th) Junior C Championship V Kilmacud Crokes in Ballycullen at 10.15am
- Sunday (Aug 16th) Junior E Championship V St. Pat's in Ballycullen at 10.15am
- Monday (Aug 17th) AHL 1 V Ballinteer St. John's in Marley Park at 7.00pm

Proposed dates for Adult Hurling Championships Senior A (Weekending)

- Round 3 August 30th
- Quarter Finals September 13th or September 27th (TBC after Dublin V Mayo)
- Semi Finals September 27th or October 11th (TBC after Dublin V Mayo)
- Final October 11th or October 25th (TBC after Dublin V Mayo)

Senior B (Weekending)

- Quarter Finals August 30th
- Semi-Finals September 13th
- Final September 27th

Junior C and Junior E (Weekending)

- Quarter Finals August 16th
- Semi-Finals August 30th
- Final September 13th



Aidan Mellett on the run....



Cillian Byrne breaks through





Michael Boland heads for goal

Conor Kennedy

Camogie News - U9/11 Host John Locke's Klikenny



It was a chance meeting after an AC/DC concert in June where the seed was sown for a meetup between our Ballboden St. Endas Camogie girls with girls from John Locke's GAA club in Callan, County Kilkenny. The conversation started with a review of the concert, moved onto the merits of Hanging Baskets and ended up with the GAA (as all conversations inevitably do)

A fixture was set up for last Sunday with 20 under-9/10/11 girls from Callan stopping off in Cherryfield on their way to supporting the Cats in their semi-finals in Croke Park. A combination of under-9s and 11s from Ballyboden was hastily put-together and the Boden kits retrieved from the bottom of the laundry baskets for the call to action.

The matches themselves showed off great skills from both sides and were both competitive and sporting. Our Under-9s and 11s combined well together to create some great scores while also exhibiting great battling skills to protect their own goal.

Matches were followed by the traditional Boden welcome for the visitors in the clubhouse. Parents of our girls provided sandwiches, cakes, biscuits and teas and coffees for the visitors and the conversations continued with return fixtures discussed for the future. The hospitality

was greatly appreciated by the visitors and they boarded the bus to go and watch their Senior Hurlers defeat Waterford in Croke Park (so no surprise ending there!)

Many thanks go to the organisers of the day and to all the parents for laying on such generous hospitality.

Finally, special thanks go to John Locke's GAA club for making the trip. John Locke incidentally was a poet from Callan who could have been writing about the encounter on Sunday morning when he wrote...

D'anam chun De! but there it is— The dawn on the hills of Ireland! God's angels lifting the night's black veil From the fair, sweet face of my ireland

U13 Boden Hurlers in County Action



Dublin's U13 Hurling Development squad played a challenge match against James Stephens of Kilkenny in O`Toole Park, Crumlin last Sunday. The Kilkenny boys headed into Croke Park after the game to support their Minor and Senior county counterparts in the All Ireland Semi Finals.

Ballyboden is well represented on the squad at this level and the Firhouse lads posed for a photo after the match.

Pictured - are Adam Dalton, Behailu O`Connell, Cian Hassett, Joe Maguire, Darragh Kenny, Sean Murphy, Luke Mulligan-Lynch and Míchéal Manning.

My Favourite Hurley - Juvenile Player Survey



Dear Parent/Player.

A member of the club is seeking to carry out a survey on our Juvenile Hurler's Hurley preferences.

Could you on behalf of your child or your child arrange to complete the short survey by clicking on the link below:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3MJ7RJX

The more feedback we can get the better. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Many thanks

Pieta House Quiz Night



Table Quiz



Gabriel O' Gara & Michael Doyle are cycling 600km in Belgium/France on 31st August 2015 in aid of Pieta House.

Venue: Ballyboden St Enda's GAA Club, Firhouse Road, Dublin 16

Date: Friday 14th August 2015 at 8:30pm

Table of 4 - €20



Spot Prizes and Raffle on the night.

Please support Gabriel O'Gara (father of club player Gavin) and 21 other cyclists who are cycling over 600 km for Pieta House and hope to raise as much money as they can. See poster for info below.



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**

Lotto Results - 09/08/15



There was no winner of the Jackpot

Match 1st Three

Lorainne Stears, Balrothery, Tallaght

John Hayes, Monalea Wood, Firhouse

Next Weeks Jackpot €6,000