



Ballyboden St. Endas
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Senior Football All Ireland Medal Presentation Night



A great night at the club on Saturday the 11th of June. Thanks to all those who attended and to the sponsors for making such an enjoyable night.

For more photos please click [here](#) Photos by Sean Gilheaney & Liam Cunningham





South Dublin CoCo Civil Reception for Boden Football



Mayor Sarah Holland hosts a Civic Reception in County Hall, Tallaght on Monday 20th June to pay tribute to Ballyboden St. Endas - Dublin, Leinster and All-Ireland Senior Men's Club Football Champions. BodenGAA

For more photos please click [here](#) Photo Credit: Ben Ryan Photography





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LEINSTER S.F.C. SEMI-FINALS - 26TH JUNE 2016 - CROKE PARK

Kildare v Westmeath @ 2.00PM

Dublin v Meath @ 4.00PM

Ticket Pricing:

Stand: €30

Hill 16: €20

FAMILY TICKETS:- Family Tickets are only available for Cusack & Davin Stand

1 Adult and 2 Juveniles etc.

Adults - €30 Juveniles - €5

Students & Senior Citizens (Cusack/Davin Stand Only):

Purchase full price tickets and on the day of the match they can claim a rebate of €10 when they produce appropriate I.D. at Block D, Stiles 1 to 5 in the Cusack Stand (Rebate can only

be claimed on entry into the stadium via Block BLOCK D prior to ENTERING THE STADIUM)

Wheelchair Tickets:

The Wheelchair Ticket are free of charge and the Assistant's ticket is €30

GROUP PASSES: GROUP PASSES (Under 16's) - DAVIN STAND ONLY

Groups Passes are provided for groups of Juveniles U16 - €5 per Juvenile and you are permitted to bring 1 adult free with every ten Juveniles, any additional adults pay full price for their tickets. Group Pass applications are to be sent directly to Leinster Council

Hurling News - Junr D Team in action V Naomh Mearnóg

Championship Results

- Senior B - BBSE 1 13 Naomh Fionnbarra 1 21
- Intermediate - BBSE 0 11 BBSE 2 23
- Junior B - BBSE 4 16 Crumlin 1 07
- Junior D - BBSE 2 15 Naomh Mearnóg 1 05

Boden Juniors too strong for Crumlin

Ballyboden 4 16 Crumlin 1 07

The Junior B championship group stage continued on Sunday morning at a wet Ballycullen with the visit of Crumlin. Due to the interruption of holidays and some injuries, both sides fielded new faces, Boden had four Minor hurlers on the team-sheet.

The result was ultimately decided by Boden's better application, particularly at midfield and along their half back line. Crumlin failed to gain any traction down the spine of the field and consequently could only muster a modest tally over the hour. At the other end the Boden inside line of Morgan Ryan, the ageless Emmett Carroll and Eoin Giles persecuted the Crumlin defence and helped themselves to a goal each, the other three pointer came in the second half off the hurley of Tom Sweeney.

In the engine room the performance of Neil Farrell and Darragh Lambert was consistent over the hour and Crumlin failed to curb their teamwork and sheer hard work. Behind them Gavin Duff, Peter Buckeridge and Aiden Horgan created a stone wall defensive line on which Boden could build a strong performance.

By half time the result was as good as decided at 3.07 to 4 points. David Garry used every opportunity that came his way from frees to push Boden further ahead and generally dominated his patch.

The opening ten minutes of the second half was Crumlins and during that period they gained some domination, without causing too much concern to the Boden defence. The final quarter was played in a consistent downpour and provided the small attendance with a few moves from 'strictly'. Carroll provided the best of these displays with his point while lying on the ground, artistry of quality and bemusement.

Ciaran Ryan got on the scoresheet with some fine points, along with a brace of frees from

Garry. Another to shine during this quarter was Michael O'Brien, his late score had a touch of quality about it.

Boden lined out with David Kelly, Shane Guest, David Garry, Emmett Carroll, Gavin Duff, Morgan Ryan, Peter Buckeridge, Aiden Horgan, Eoin Giles, Darragh Lambert, Cathal O'Toole, Tom Sweeney, Neil Farrell, Rob Byrne, Ciaran Ryan, Michael O'Brien.

Coming Up

- Minor B – Isles of the Sea V BBSE in Clontarf Road on Wednesday, June 22nd at 7.30pm
- Minor C - BBSE V St. Patrick's (D) in Ballycullen on Wednesday, June 22nd at 7.30pm
- Minor A – BBSE V Naomh barróg in PUM on Sunday, June 26th at 11.00am
- Minor B – BBSE V Craobh Chiaráin in Ballycullen on Sunday, June 26th at 11.00am
- Minor C – BBSE V Castleknock in Somerton Park on Sunday, June 26th at 11.00am



Mike Clifford



Conor Dooley



Conor Robinson in Action



Dillon (Trollier)being chased by smaller

Club Fundraiser!! Girls Feile 2017 Disco (Parent supervised)



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Tickets on sale Mon 20th and Wed 22nd in the club 7-8pm cost €10.

Camogie Mini All Ireland Blitz



The June Mini All Ireland continues to be a highlight in the Camogie Calendar. The 2016 version took place last Friday evening – June 17th with over 200 eager hurlers taking part. To accommodate increased numbers in the senior section of the competition the blitz was expanded to twelve teams played over six pitches in Cherryfield, with the Junior Section run over four pitches on PUM. The weather was ideal and the promised rain showers never materialised.

The under 16 and minor teams provided the referees who did a great job throughout – offering the younger players in particular constant encouragement. The under 14's sent down the next generation of Brian Cody's and they clearly have huge management potential as they helped out with team mentoring.

Dave Mellon did a remarkable Jamie Oliver impression with his new 'Back to the Future' Barbecue and kept the nation fed with top-class burgers – well done and huge thanks to Dave and his crew. Rumours that half the smoke alarms in Knocklyon were set off are completely false!! The ice-cream van also went down a treat.

Congratulations to all who took part in this festival – games were played in a great spirit with plenty of good hurling. While the main aim of the evening is to provide an enjoyable set of games and to encourage skill development history should record that Carlow (managed by Sinéad Sweeney and Donal Griffin) beat Donegal in a cracking Junior Cup final by a point. The junior shield was won by Mayo, (managed by Sarah White, Carol Donaghy and Maura Solan), defeating Kildare in the final. The Senior Cup finished Waterford (managed by Barbara Vaughan) defeat Kerry by 5.2 to 2.1 and the Senior Shield saw Limerick (managed by Jean Gargan) beating Dublin by 1.3 to 1.0. First Aid was looked after by Nicola Boutall, Samantha Maguire and Loreto Brady.

Well done to the mentors from all age groups on their organisation, and thanks to the Camogie Committee for their support. Special thanks to senior players Sarah Nagle and Rachel Ruddy who presented medals to the Senior Cup winners, and a medal to each of the Junior Section participants. Roll on the 14th Annual Mini All Ireland in 2017!





[Click here](#) for the rest of the terrific photos of a great evening enjoyed by all.

Boden U11s Travel to Ballincollig



Speaking to Joe Delaney's niece after the Tournament last Saturday, she said how delighted he would have been to see so many under age hurlers from clubs around the country all gathered at this tournament bearing his name. This was a wonderful tournament to be a part of, and Ballincollig GAA did him proud.

So it was at 7am last Saturday that 48 of our U11s - along with assorted mentors and parents - boarded the bus bound for Ballincollig. A quiz by Saoirse NicGearailt which tested the boys hurling and GAA knowledge helped pass the time, and three and a half hours later our coach was one of three disgorging hurlers from Na Piarsaigh in Limerick, James Stephens from Kilkenny to join three teams from the home club.

A parade led by a piper and flag raising ceremony opened proceeding, and was followed by Amhrán na bhFiann. For the flag raising ceremony, Ballyboden was represented by Torna Mac Gearailt.

From the throw in, the hurling was competitive, with our lads pitched in against hosts Ballincollig first followed in order by Na Piarsaigh and a very strong James Stephens group, who eventually emerged well deserved tournament winners. Such was the nature of the tournament though, that all of the matches were close, with no more than a point or two in most games, and so all our lads had a great afternoon's hurling. Afterwards, we were treated to a great spread of Ballincollig hospitality, and the boys were invited to stay to watch Ireland's game against Belgium on the big screen in the club hall, with presentations taking place at half time.

A pitstop at Kilcoran Lodge in Cahir, for dinner on the way home rounded off a great trip.

GRMA to Ballincollig GAA for the invitation to this super event, and for the great hospitality on the day in throwing their club open to our lads.

Many thanks to Dave Rusk for the photos. For more photos, see [here](#)



U9 Feile Iomana 2016



The U9 Feile was on Sunday June 12th. The day did not start too promising from a weather perspective with heavy rain and thunderstorms throughout the previous night. It was an early start for the Boden mentors, but as they arrived at Cherryfield, the rain began to clear and soon preparations were well advanced in the pitches and in the hall.

By 10am some 120 players and circa 200 supporters had gathered to watch the games and they would not be disappointed with the hurling that would be served up in the Knocklyon Tournament and the Rathfarnham Tournament.

Knocklyon

BBSE first match was against a well drilled Faughs teams. Faughs took an early lead and went from strength to strength and finished comfortable winners. Time for the BBSE Mentors (Messers Casey & Delaney) to get the team in and re-focused for the second group match against Naomh Olaf.

This proved to be a tough tight encounter and was extremely close throughout. Entering the last few minutes BBSE held a slender one point lead and some gallant defending from the BBSE players saw them hold the lead at the final whistle.

The third match against Clanna Gael Fontenoy would decide the outcome of the Group, the pressure was definitely on the BBSE boys. The first half proved extremely close and BBSE held a one score lead at half time. However in the second half, the Boden forwards and midfielders took control and reeled off five unanswered points to finish comfortable winners, thus securing a victory that would see them reach the Knocklyon Cup final in which they would play Faughs.

The Final although closer than the first round match between the same two teams was another tough encounter. Faughs who are playing in the "Go Games" for their second year were 4 points up at the break. Boden had a much better second half and but for some narrow wides definitely had the better of the second half. However ultimately victory went to the

boys in Green & Gold.

Commiserations to the BBSE boys who played some great hurling and battled bravely in every game. Beidh la eile.

Rathfarnham

Much the same as in the Knocklyon tournament, BBSE had a tough first match against Thomas Davis. This was a tense and tight affair and scores were at a minimum with some great defending on both sides. Ultimately the draw was the fair result.

Next up for BBSE was Faughs and a quick goal at the start set the BBSE boys on their way. BBSE took some delightful scores in this game and finished comfortable winners.

The results in the other two games meant that that Boden required a point in their final game versus Naomh Olaf. The Boden boys did not disappoint and held on for a narrow victory.

The team was now on a three game unbeaten run and the management team of Messers Boland, Buggy, McCluskey & Tara Barry did a wonderful job in getting the lads set for the final in which they played Naomh Olaf.

The boys were now playing with great confidence and played some great hurling and ran out easy winners. Congratulations to all involved, it was a huge achievement to go through the tournament unbeaten and there were tremendous scenes of celebrations at the final whistle.

Thanks

The tournament was a great success and this can be attributed to the hard work of all of those involved.

A word of thanks to the Coaches who helped set up, the team mentors who lead the teams so well, the hospitality team in the hall who saw very little action on the field but kept everyone going with teas and coffees, the parents who provided a feast of cakes and sandwiches, Michael Farrell and his team at the club who made the hall available to us and ensured it was in fine condition. A special word of thanks to Boden & Dubs Star Paul Ryan, who helped at the presentation.

Our final word is to our young hurlers – they have worked hard all year and have given us some great displays of hurling over the season and have been a joy to work with. Well done lads.

Many thanks to Rob Grumley. For more photos, see [here](#)



U12 (Div 11) Ballyboden St. Endas 3-4 V Lucan Sarsfields 6-4



Ballycullen – June 18th

Boden U12 played their final league game before the summer break at Ballycullen on Saturday.

The team gave an excellent display of football in the first half and were only one point down at half time. The tight marking of James, Patrick and Rory meant the Lucan attackers were forced to shoot from further out and Eoghan wasn't too busy in goal.

The strong running of midfielders Cillian West, and Oran, ably supported by the Long twins meant there was a good supply of ball into the forwards and Cillian Larkin had a field day at half-forward.

We were glad to get Conor on board for the 2nd half and we converted some chances he created. Lucan finished the stronger down the hill and the wind in the second half but our lads gave them a good competitive game and worked well throughout the field.

This team has worked hard and had different players shining in various games throughout the league so far so the progress has been very encouraging.

Scorers

Cillian Larkin, 2-2

Cillian West, 1-2

U11s Mini All Ireland Football Finals Night at PUM



It seems like a distant memory now, but on the evening of Wednesday 8th of June, Páirc Uí Mhurchú was bathed in glorious evening sunshine (!) for the much anticipated 'Finals Night' of the Mini All Ireland Football competition the U11s have been running for the past six weeks on the camogie pitch at Cherryfield.

This is the second year the U11s have run this competition, and just like last year, the boys entered into the spirit of the competition by giving their all every Weds against their clubmates for bragging rights in the schoolyards of Dublin 16. And so it was that the series culminated in a 3 'finals', as the boys lined out against each other for one final time.

The occasion certainly didn't disappoint. Under evening sunshine, the boys paraded around the ground to the strains of 'The Sunday Game' theme tune, before joining in 'Amhrán na bhFiann'. And from the throw in, it was clear the lads were in these finals to win. There were titanic battles on all 3 pitches, as the very well matched finalists battled it out, with no more than a point or two to spare in each game. The series gave the lads a chance to focus on key aspects of their game play over the six weeks it was run including holding their shape and position, kick outs, and game tactics – all of which saw notable improvements over the six weeks.

GRMA to the lads for the commitment they showed, week in week out, and to the parents for the great support on the night.

Many thanks to Dave Rusk. For more photos, see [here](#)



U10 boys finish off season with the flourish of mini All-Ireland finals.



Summer holidays are almost upon us and the U10 boys are wrapping up a long and hard season of football and hurling. In the last two weeks they have played many tough games in tournaments and blitzes, both in Naas and Dublin. The training programme reached its epic finale last week when all the boys competed in the finals of the mini All-Ireland competitions in football and hurling. For weeks they have been playing for named county teams and competing round-robin style to achieve the honour of topping the table. The boys enthusiastically bought into the concept and matches were keenly contested. By day, the schoolyards were full of conversation on who had beaten who, which teams were strongest and who would be last standing.

Last Monday and Wednesday evenings, the skies cleared to bring out the sunshine as the teams assembled for the grand finals. There were parades of players and singing of Amhrán na Bhfiann. The Cúl guy made an appearance and was lucky to survive the attention of over-enthusiastic players. A large group of parents and spectators turned out to witness a very enjoyable spectacle of hurling and football. All of the matches were keenly fought with scores evenly traded until the final whistle. While the boys quickly forgot the results, the coaches were arguing until well after sunset over contested decisions, near-misses and what could have been. But this was an evening for the boys who put on an exemplary show of skills and sportsmanship. Their progress during the past year is a source of pride for all the coaches.

A well-deserved summer break lies ahead before the boys return to continue their journey in gaelic games.

The mentors and coaches would like to thank all of the parents, grandparents and guardians who have helped get the boys to training and matches on time, and for contributing in many other ways to the success of the teams.

Many thanks to Eamonn Gormley for the photos. For more photos, see [here](#)



Irish Fans at the Euros - Can you spot the Barman?

Thanks to Tony Hassett for this spot on *Joe.ie* can you find our Boden Barman !!!!!
click [here](#) to see

Irish fans are making quite the name for themselves at home and abroad during these Euros. Buzzfeed France have already paid Ireland the ultimate compliment, and now ESPN have been blown away by our support at Euro 2016.

Ballyboden St Enda's Summer Camp returns this July & August!!



Summer Camp time again!!...Ballyboden St Enda's Summer Camp returns this July & August!!

The Biggest & Best Summer Camp in the country starts on Monday July 11th. In this Historic Year for the club the Camp promises to be one of the Best Ever!

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!!

Parents & Kids can look forward to...

Our usual Family Discounts
New Style Summer Camp Kit
New Style Ballyboden Wristband
New Style Summer Camp Bag
Athletic Development Training for kids
Trips to Croke Park, Tayto Park and The Zoo
Nutritional Advice Programme - Goodies
Visits from Club/County Stars
New Games & Activities

Monster Raffles
Water Fights & Water Games
Exciting New Freebies
& Lots More.....

We hope to see you over the months of July & August!!

Click [here](#) for poster and [here](#) for Brochure/Application form

Book launch in aid of Aoife Beary Trust Fund

Room for One More is a collection of memoirs from the author's life (Kathryn Crowley) so far, coupled with the fictional short stories they inspired.

Venue: Boden clubhouse on Thurs June 30th at 8:00 PM

More [here](#)

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Security - Volunteers needed

The Club are looking for volunteers to ensure that the gates at our property at Sancta Maria College are locked after 10.pm or when the last car leaves the car park. It would greatly assist our Security personnel if the last car leaving our carpark would lock the gates after them. If you can assist please ring John Manley 086 2045789

Supervalu Kits For Clubs



Supervalu have teamed up with O'Neills and the GAA to bring an amazing opportunity to Local GAA Clubs.

Throughout June and July SuperValu stores will be giving out vouchers with every €20 spent in their stores. In order for our club to be available of the O'Neills training kit worth €1,200 we need to collect 1000 vouchers.

If Club Members or there Family are shopping in Supervalu Knocklyon don't forget to put there Receipt into the Ballyboden St Endas box.
The more receipts the more gear we'll receive.

Many Thanks

Boden Theatre Group - Thats a wrap !



The Boden Theatre Group would like to thank all the people who came to see and support our productions this spring and summer. We had another packed audience for the extra performance of our 1916 show "A Terrible Beauty Is Born" on Thursday 9th June and once again it received rave reviews from those who came to see it. We also had another great audience in to see "Saipan Summer" on Friday 3rd June. Both these productions generated €1290 for charities with the some of the proceeds from ticket sales and raffle tickets going to South Dublin Special Olympics (€690) and Catholic Women's Refuge Centre, Messina, South Africa (€600). We also held one night of our play as a fundraiser for the Hurling Section which generated a sizable donation of €800. We would also like to acknowledge the involvement of founding Drama Group member Sean Flynn, who celebrated 66 years on the amateur drama stage this year. We would like to thank him for his contribution to the group over the past 10 years and look forward to his involvement in the group for many years to come.

We are taking a well earned break over the summer months and are looking forward to September when we will be back rehearsing for our next play. Keep an eye out for further details!

Please support local girl Ella's wish to walk



Full details here <http://ellaswishtowalk.ie/>
