

Ballyboden St Endas Baile Buadáin Naomh Éanna GAA Camogie & Ladies Football Club





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SENIORS FOOTBALLERS DIG DEEP TO OVERCOME RAHENY



In an eerily quiet Parnell Park, our Senior footballers huffed and puffed their way to a Championship semi-final spot against neighbours St.Judes after a 2-16 to 0-16 win over Raheny after extra time. With the sides locked together with just 5 minutes to go a brilliant save by Darragh Gogan kept us in it while young Ciaran O'Reilly was the hero scoring 1-1 in the dying minutes to propel Boden to victory. <u>Read Dublingaa report here</u>

INTERS STORM INTO CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI-FINAL



Na Fianna 1-10 Ballyboden St. Enda's 4-17

The Ballyboden bandwagon rolled into Mobhi Road minus the legion of girlfriends that have travelled the length and breadth of the country to see the lads. We were now operating under new rules behind closed doors. Strange times indeed.

All seasons begin with hope and expectation, it is only afterwards that the belief develops as the season progresses following positive results and performances. This season has been rudely interrupted by a public health emergency and we've spent the last two months trying to recreate the positivity and belief that all teams desire. Working from a large panel due to the fact that our students are effectively grounded in Ireland the difficulty in providing all players with competitive game time is proving challenging. But to be fair, the players have accepted the challenges and have continued to train and apply themselves. Boden were meeting Na Fianna for the first time since the championship semi-final encounter in 2019 which Boden won with three points to spare. This year Na Fianna had finished top of their group unbeaten which made us more than a little wary.

The game started brightly for Boden who were playing into a strong breeze. And despite opening the scoring Na Fianna had us pegged back to 2 points apiece fairly swiftly. Just when it seemed that the congestion around the Na Fianna goal was going to hinder us Barra found a yard of space peeling off his defender to round the keeper and slot the ball home. A bit of breathing space that was short-lived. The roared back and reeled off the next 2 points to leave the minimum between the teams at the "sos uisce".

The second quarter witnessed Boden hitting 1-5 to the hosts 0-2. Luke and Truck had secured midfield which gave us a sound launching pad for our offensive probing. The second goal came from some quick interplay that saw Colly finish to the net. At half-time the score read 2-7 to 0-6 in favour of Boden.

Playing with the breeze in the second half Boden continued to pick off scores but so did Na

Fianna who, in the space of three minutes scored 1-2 to remind us of the aerial to threat they posed. Na Fianna had significantly upped the tempo and it was up to us to remain calm and respond. After a few positional switches at the second sos uisce Boden restarted the scoreboard through the boot of Barra and then rattled the net following a deft strike from Truck.

The last quarter saw the introduction of Mono and Lewis in the attack and Tommy and Scott in defence. Mono capped his introduction with an aggressive run at goal which finished with him fisting the ball to the net from a 1-2 with Colly.

All in all a satisfying performance from a group of lads who've put in a great effort over the last few weeks. This includes the lads who didn't get on the pitch, namely Ste, Leachie, Batesy, Dylan, Enda, Owen and Jake. Plus a few others who were carrying knocks. Another good evening's work on the pitch helped the football chairman celebrate his birthday in some degree of comfort. It also keeps us looking forward to another day out.

Panel: Mark McNamee, Fionn Maguire, Karl Reddy, Conor Hanrahan, Keith Sweeney (Scott Cullen 48'), Paddy Dunleavy, John Murphy (Tommy Burke 48'), Conor Lowe, Ciaran Archbold, Colly Dunne, Barra McGarry, Luke O'Donoghue, Ruairi Kirwan (Eoghan Monahan 45'), John McGinn (Lewis Cawley 50'), Mal Codd (5' John McGuire)

Not used: Stephen McGrath, Enda Cashman, Cian Bates, David Leach, Owen Lennon, Dylan Walsh.

Mentors: Donal Monahan, Wally Durkin, Daire Walsh, Martin Murphy & Mick Maher

Fógra: táim fíorbhuíoch de Ciaran Maguire, Eoin Dunne agus Mark Walsh as a gcuidiú mar maoir. Agus do Aoife, an fisiteiripeoir.

Minor B Hurlers progress to championship Semi Final



Ballyboden St Enda's 1 14 Lucan Sarsfields 1 13

Our Minor B hurlers travelled to Lucan for a quarter final clash short on match practice having only played one competitive game in the group stages. As a result we didn't know what to expect – only that it would be the usual hard fought battle out at 12th lock. On a fine sunny morning in ideal hurling conditions the two teams served up a really entertaining clash for the Covid restricted crowd in attendance. The first quarter of the game was hard fought with Boden heading into the first water break ahead 0-3 to 0-2 thanks to a superb long range point from Evan Welsh right on the break.

Whatever the lads brought in the water bottles did the trick for our lads as we dominated the second quarter. We slowly gained the advantage around the middle of the field with Martin Mulligan-Lynch, Evan Welsh and Sean Bury coming to the fore. Jack Larkin was the star of the show during this period – scoring a superb 1-03 in the space of 5 or 6 minutes, the goal brilliantly set up by Dylan Smyth. Jack's contribution together with a couple from Charlie Brady either side got us to half time ahead by 6 on a score of 1-08 to 0-05.

The first period of the second half was a tight affair with both sides scoring 3 points each – the pick of ours a superb score from Mark McSharry, one of 3 excellent U16's we had out. The hardwork from the lads was led from the front with Setanta Sudway and Timmy Cleary putting in huge shifts in this critical phase. Timmy "unluckily" picked up a yellow card during this period. We reached the water break still 6 ahead but starting to feel the pressure from a resurgent Lucan team.

Lucan got the break they needed with a lucky goal right after the break finally beating the dominant Conor Barnes in the Boden goal. Lucan came at us in waves for the rest of the game but our back line stepped up to the challenge with Michael Hanrahan, Tom White outstanding in the corners and Scott McDonald at full back withstanding everything Lucan could throw at them.

With the lead down to 3 every score mattered and in our time of need the excellent Tom Culleton put over 2 monster frees to keep our noses in front. We headed into injury time ahead by 1 and the game still anyone's. These last few minutes seemed to be one Lucan attack after another followed by one Micheal Manning interception and clearance after another. Eventually one of these found Hugh Kelly - finally in a bit of space, Hugh put his head down and headed for the posts superbly slotting over the insurance point. Lucan had time for one more free to close the gap to a single point just on the final whistle but we had managed to hang on for an excellent 1-14 to 1-13 win.

A hard-fought and entertaining game which will stand the lads in good stead as we head for the semi-final. Thanks as always to the Under 16 mentors and players for their support.

Back Row: Setanta Sudway, Evan Welsh (0-2), Dylan Smyth, Jack Larkin (1-4), Scott O'Sullivan, Mark McSharry (0-1), Sean Bury, Micheal Manning, Evan Ryan, Mikey Connolly

Front Row: Scott McDonald, Martin Mulligan Lynch, Hugh Kelly (0-1), Timmy Cleary, Michael Hanrahan, Conor Barnes, Tom Culleton (0-3), Tom White, Charlie Brady (0-3)

The Minor A team were beaten 2 21 to 3 15 by St. Oliver Plunkett's ER in their Quarter Final on Sunday morning.

Hurling fixtures

	This Week's Hurling Fixtures				
Saturday - Sept 5th					
Sen B Cup	Sancta Maria	18:00	BBSE	v	Crumlin
Sunday - Sept 6th					
Junior C Cup	Ballycullen	11:00	BBSE	v	Kevins
Junior A S/F	Sancta Maria	11:00	BBSE	v	St Brigids
Junior G	Arthur Griffith Park	15:00	Lucan Sarsfields	v	BBSE
Senior A S/F	Parnell Park	16:30	BBSE	v	Na Fianna
Attendance at Games Subject to Government Guidelines					

Senior A camogie bow out of Championship after Semi-final defeat.



St Vincent's 1-23 BallyBoden St.Enda's 0-3.

The Boden Senior Ladies camogie team lost to a superb Vincent's outfit on Sunday. St Vincent's, who are the reigning Dublin and Leinster champions, raced into an early lead, scoring a goal and 3 points inside the first five minutes. Try as they might, Boden could not stem the tide and by half time were behind on a scoreline of 1-11 to 0-1. Boden did create some scoring chances in the half but only had a Sarah Nagle long range free to show for their efforts. St Vincent's did not let up in the second half and any chance of a Boden comeback was quickly erased as St Vincent's piled on the pressure scoring points from distance. The Boden ladies fought valiantly to the end and a point each from Laura Nagle and Katie McDonald as well as an excellent save from Síle Ni Coitir was some reward for their efforts. However, St Vincent's powered ahead to a final scoreline of 1-23 to 0-3.

Team: Síle Ni Coitir, Eve O'Donoghue, Hannah Hyland, Hannah Leddy, Aoife Durkin, Sarah Nagle (Captain)(0-1), Grace Walsh, Katie McDonald (0-1), Doireann Mullany, Martha O Donoghue, Laura Nagle (0-1), Danielle White, Dearbhla Brennan, Aisling Gargan, Eimear O'Leary, Ally Ramsden, Laura Burns, Ciara O' Neill, Jodie White, Erin Christie, Darina Ryan, Mairead Luttrell.

A disappointing exit from the Championship was not the conclusion of the 2020 campaign our team was looking for. Despite the challenges we faced with lockdown and social distancing measures imposed in mid March, morale was kept high through multiple zoom gym sessions and quizzes, and bank holiday weekend competitions. The management, with Terry O'Neill and Matty Weldon, have developed the team massively over the past two years, and we are all very grateful for their insight and experience. We are very appreciative of all the support from the Boden Camogie Committee with Dan O'Sullivan at the helm, who have also ensured a safe and friendly environment with stewarding and ticketing. Finally, we would like to thank the supporters who have been with us both in person and virtually, who have provided unwavering encouragement. We will regroup over the coming weeks and prepare for the remaining Cup games with Championship 2021 in our sights.

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Intermediate Camogie see off Whitehall Colmcille

Our Intermediate Camogie team travelled northside to take on Whitehall Colmcille in the third round of the championship last Thursday. Both sides had won their two opening games so this was seen as a key contest in the division. It turned out to be a cracking championship battle, tough challenges given and taken in equal measure, with the referee helping by letting the game flow which added to the game as a spectacle. Ballyboden got a good early start and took their scores when the opportunities arose, while Whitehall came up against a mean backline on the night. The early scores for Ballyboden were the difference in the end and allowed them to keep their noses slightly ahead throughout the game.

Despite topping the group, Boden still need a result at home against Lucan on Thursday evening to guarantee a spot in the final. It's a must win game for Lucan so it set-up nicely for an intriguing contest.

Squad:

Ciara Lambert (Capt), Orlagh O'Shea, Aine O'Brien, Kiara Cunningham, Erin Christie, Lucy O'Shea, Hollyn Kennedy, Julie Vaughan, Yvonne Gargan, Rachel Walsh.

Anna O'Shea, Chloe Murphy, Blathnaid Slater, Sadhbh Nic Mhathuna, Sinead Hussey, Erica Tobin, Robyn Flynn, Ciara Barnes, Eimear Butler, Aoife Barnes, Olivia Meagher, Clodagh Delaney, Hollie Bolger, Sarah Lambert

Minor A Ladies Football off to perfect start in Championship



Ballyboden St Enda's 4-15 Lucan Sarsfields 1-14

It was a great start to the 2020 Minor A Championship for the Boden ladies footballers on Monday at a resplendent Páirc Uí Mhurchú. 24 girls gathered an hour before the match and unfortunately the first task for the mentors was to inform 3 of them that they would see no match time because only 5 substitutions are allowed in the Championship squad. Ellen Smith was also present, recuperating from a broken finger.

The Boden ladies started well with a point from Clodagh McCahey who produced a superb performance with 2-4 from play. Lucan struck back with a quick fire 1-2 and coming up to half time they had built up a lead of 1-6 to 0-5 before the Boden ladies kicked 3 points in a row to leave the minimum between the sides at the short whistle. Most of our scores came from the superb Julie Vaughan at full forward who finished with 2-7 from play as well as 2 points from frees overall. Our inspirational Captain Lucy O'Shea also contributed a point from midfield during the half.

The nip and tuck nature of the contest continued at the start of the second half as Boden forged ahead kicking 2 points before Lucan responded with 3 points. It was at this point that the Boden ladies took a real grip on the game and the strong running of Katie McDonald, Erin Christie, Shauna Finlay and Katie McCabe yielded 1-5 without reply. Katie McDonald, who had played midfield for the senior camogie team in the county semifinal the previous day, kicked a couple of points and the trusty left foot of Grace O'Neill added another quality point during this period.

The defence, lead by the strong central spine of goalie Romy Wardick, full back Katie Quinlivan and centre back Katie McCabe were fully on top of their opponents while Sophie Weldon and Abby O'Farrell in the corners and Kiara Cunningham and Shauna on the wings managed to supply our midfield and forwards with quality ball to work with.

Sarah O'Connell, acting as sweeper and link between backs and forwards was covering every inch of the pitch. The work rate of Anna O'Shea was superb resulting in her appearance on her own full back line at several stages during the match.

Fresh legs were introduced in the form of Emma Daly, Aoife Mellett, Rebecca Keane, Ella Browne and Lilly O Connor who all contributed to a great performance and were involved in Bodens final 2 scores, fittingly goals by Julie and Clodagh to wrap up a win by 4-15 to 1-14.

This win was a fitting reward for the commitment and effort of the panel of 27 girls during the season so far.

Thanks to Ann O Connor, our FLO, Phelim McCabe and Conor Daly who acted as umpires, Cliona and Miriam for the photos and get well soon to Lilly O Connor and Ellen Smith in their recuperation from injury.

Back: Abby O Farrell, Katie Quinlivan, Ciara Doyle, Hollie Bolger, Sarah O'Connell, Lucy O Shea, Grace O'Neill, Katie McCabe, Romy Wardick, Rebecca Keane, Ellen Smith, Shauna Finlay, Clodagh McCahey.

Front: Ella Browne, Sophie Weldon, Emma Daly, Aoife Mellett, Mia Smyth, Julie Vaughan, Anna O'Shea, Erin Christie, Kiara Cunningham, Katie McDonald, Lilly O'Connor.

Mentors: Mark Mellett, Conor Daly, Dave Quinlivan, Brian Weldon, Declan O'Reilly, Danny O'Connell.

Best of Luck to our Senior Ladies.



Good luck to our Senior A Ladies as they take on current Dublin Champions Foxrock Cabinteely in the Senior Championship Semi Final in Kilboggett Park this evening (Wednesday)

The game will be streamed LIVE via Foxrock Cabinteely's Facebook page at 6.30pm so follow the match there.

Also in Semi Final action are our Senior C Ladies who welcome Clontarf B to Cherryfield in the Junior C Championship Semi Final. Tune into our Twitter and Instagram story pages for updates during the match.

Boden Abú Girls!

Ladies Football Round up



A busy seven days in Ladies Football typified the highs and lows of sport as our U15, U16 and Minor Ladies joined our Senior Ladies teams in their quest for Championship glory.

Starting off their Championship campaign on Saturday (29th August) were our U15's, with our A's hosting Clontarf A in Division 1, our B's travelled to Howth to play Beann Eadair in Division 4 while our C's played Ballinteer St Johns in Marley Park in Division 7. Well done to our U15C's on their good win. Our A's and B's just fell short in exciting encounters.

Pictured Above: Under 15A Ladies Footballers.

On Sunday, our U16 girls took the field with our A's registering their intent with a convincing win over Clontarf A in Ballycullen in Division 1 while in a tense affair our U16B's saw off Cuala B again at home in Division 5.

Unfortunately our U16C's had to sit this one out as their opening round versus St Marys Saggart was deferred.introduction.

On Monday evening, it was the turn of our Minor ladies with our A's, playing the best football of their season to date, delivered a comprehensive victory against a fancied Lucan Sarsfields side in Pairc Ui Mhurchu in Division 1.

Click here for minor A photos.

On the flip side, our Minor B's were out powered by a strong Garda/Westmanstown in

Jerome Twomey Park in Division 4 while 2 scores separated our Minor C's and Ballinteer St John in Division 7, a game played in Marley Park.

And it starts all over again next Saturday. Best of Luck to all the girls.

History of Boden book going to print.



The History of Ballyboden St. Enda's GAA Club 1969 - 2019 is going to print. ORDER YOUR BOOK. With over 650 pages, it's a fascinating account of the Club's history from its foundation, and the earlier history of Gaelic games in the locality. With insights from founder members, lists, statistics, match reports, stories and hundreds of photos, it'll be a reference point for decades and it's a must have for anyone connected to the Club, or with an interest in local or GAA history. In common with a high quality production of this type, there can only be a once off print run, with only one chance to estimate how many copies to print. To address this, the book will be pre-sold and anyone wishing to secure a copy should click on the link below to place an order. DON'T BE LEFT WITHOUT A COPY. Closing date for orders is September 17, 2020.

https://www.ballyboden.ie/order-50th-book/

H&K International Team triumph in Boden Golf Classic



Due to the COVID-19 restrictions, the original date for the 2020 Annual Golf Classic of the 22nd of May was postponed.

Not to be beaten, the event was rescheduled for Friday the 28th of August, with the "Deane Machine" kicking into full effect in late July filling the time sheet in record time.

The rescheduled Classic was once again held in Edmondstown Golf Club on what turned out to be a game of two halves..

The rain showers which were forecasted for the morning duly arrived, but unfortunately for the early starters these "showers" were more akin to a relentless deluge which lasted until late morning. We persevered nonetheless and the teams that played from lunchtime onwards enjoyed more pleasant and benign conditions.

As usual, our hosts in Edmondstown gave us a warm welcome and presented us with a challenging course in good condition, despite the difficult earlier weather conditions. "Most" of our 40 Teams enjoyed the conditions, with the H&K International Team led by David Bobbett returning a fantastic winning score of 94 Points.

1st Place – 94 Points

H&K International Team

David Bobbett, Terry O'Neill, Michael Turley & Vincent Carney

2nd Place - 92 Points

TIDL Team (Thermal Insulation Distributors Ltd) Shaun Gillen, Peter Buckeridge, Brendan Tracey & Paul Ryan

3rd Place – 90 Points Liam Deane Team

Liam Deane, Martin Donohoe, Jim Gallagher & Des Brown

4th Place – 89 Points (BOT) Greenoak Construction Team

Pat Mc Cabe, Paul Ryan, John Cousins & Colm Fagan

5th Place – 89 Points (BOT) Liam Holland Team 2

James Holland, Ross McGarry, Barra McGarry & Ross McCormack

Front Nine – 47 Points Ray Cosgrove Team

Back Nine – 46 Points Tony Walsh Team

Longest Drive Michael Turley – H&K International Team

Nearest the Pin Martin Donohoe – Liam Deane Team

The committee, Liam Deane, Sean Moran, John Small, James McGarry, Shane Guest, Jack Nolan and Liam Carter our COVID-19 Compliance Officer, would like to thank all of those who contributed to making the day such a great success, particularly to Miriam Doyle, Tom McGrath, Ned Slattery and Paddy Brady.

Thanks also to Costello Catering for looking after us so well with the fantastic meal which was enjoyed by all.

A special mention to Orla Mc Cabe, who carried out the reception and front of house duties diligently and cheerfully all day.

Most of all we would like to thank the participating teams, Sean Moran of TJ O'Mahony and to our many kind sponsors for their continued support.

Go raibh maith agaibh go léir.

Is mise le meas,

Jack Nolan.

Féile Peil na nÓg 2020: Four Ballyboden St Endas teams compete in first round matches



Competitive gaelic football is back for our U14 boys and it has been a long time in coming! While many of the boys played in the hurling feile2020 last week, which served to settle the nerves, for others this was their first taste of Feile competition. Looking resplendent in their new gear, all the lads were fit and ready for action. In a remarkable show of loyalty to the squad every boy registered in this age group turned out on Saturday. Some carried injuries which prevented them from playing on the day but they were present to cheer on their comrades. It was because of this level of commitment that four full teams were assembled to play in the tournament, more than any other club in Dublin (in the country perhaps?). Saturday's matches were the first of many and there will be more tough challenges ahead as all teams look forward to producing their best form. The coaches and parents wish them all the best of luck for Feile2020.

St Vincents V Ballyboden St Endas A

Our U14 boys arrived early at the home of St Vincents GAA to get ready for what was expected to be a tough encounter for both teams. With all of the monsoon rain last week the match was played on the new and excellent PNU2 (Pairc Naomh Uinsionn 2) 3G All-Weather pitch. It required a steep learning curve for our boys to judge how the ball would bounce on this surface. With the blowing across the pitch, it was not expected to make much difference to the outcome. Following the throw in both teams started off at a blistering place,

each trying to dominate proceedings in the first ten minutes. Perhaps it was home advantage but St Vincents settled in faster and with great support play they launched multiple attacks on our goals. Some poor shooting from their forwards and great defending by BBSE helped to keep the scoreline down and although Boden were always chasing, there were never more than a few points separating the teams. A soft give-away goal put St Vincents in the driving seat, but two long range points from BBSE reduced the deficit, and at half-time there was little to separate the teams with everything to play for over the next thirty minutes.

BBSE came out in the second half with increased intensity and quickly levelled the score. The scene was set for the next fifteen minutes with attack met by counter-attack and both sides taking some great points. The deadlock was broken before the water break when St Vincents surged forward to score their second goal. The BBSE heads didn't drop however and quickly responded with a long range point. More points were scored at each end before Boden hit back with a well taken goal by Darragh Delaney. After the water break St Vicents took two points without reply. Ballyboden St Endas surged forward looking for the elusive goal. St Vincents can thank their keeper for a spectacular save after Odhran McLaughlin drilled a shot low and hard shot towards the corner of the net. Everybody watching would have bet handsomely on a goal but credit to the St Vincents keeper for stopping the ball and keeping possession. Vincents then packed an already strong defensive line and managed to run down the clock to earn a hard-fought victory by a margin of two points. The Boden boys were naturally very disappointed knowing they came so close to securing a win. But they are smart enough to know that there are no easy games at this level and only top performances will win matches. Time to lick our wounds and stay positive as we look forward to our next match against great rivals Kilmacud Crokes in two weeks.

Result: St Vincents 2-10, Ballyboden St Endas 1-11

Match day squad: Odhran McLaughlin, Rian Mention, Cillian Murray, Ross O'Neill, Paddy Curry, Aidan Gormley, Alejandro Corcoran, Simon Norris, Jamie Farrell, Alex Dunne, Aaron Campbell, Liam Doyle, David Worthington, Darragh Delaney, Damian Gibbons, Liam Dargan, Adam Edge, William Hook, Darragh Durkin, Fionn Murphy, Callum O'Dwyer, Darragh Ormsby.

O'Tooles V Ballyboden St Endas B

It was a bittersweet day for Team 2 on Saturday afternoon. Victory was achieved with great effort, teamwork and discipline against a tough O'Tooles side. However, star corner forward Tiernan Kennedy (who got two crucial points in the first half) suffered a terrible injury to his collarbone in the dying moments of the game and had to be taken to Temple Street Hospital. Thankfully, Tiernan is now feeling better. We all wish Tiernan a speedy recovery and look forward to seeing him back on the pitch and supporting his team mates soon.

Team 2 began their game in Coolock nervously with some uncharacteristic wides and short balls. However, nerves were settled with the first couple of liathróidí that split the posts, and a goal mid way through the first half got the belief flowing. After that, the Boden lads got their noses in front and never looked back. It was a very physical game that the referee allowed flow, with some big hits coming in from both sides. Team 2 stuck to their game plan diligently, with dogged defending, quick hands and a supply of good ball into the forward line.

It was a great victory over an O'Tooles team who beat the lads earlier in the year. A super start, but more work to be done, with big challenges to come – challenges these lads are keen to face! Some sore bodies, but it's back to training on Wednesday. Special mention to Fiachra Codd, who stepped up from the U-13s to play in goal (first time he played in the nets) and did a brilliant job.

Result: O'Tooles 1-11, Ballyboden St Endas 4-12

Match day squad: Callum McNiffe, Eoghan Woodcock, Darragh Kennedy, Ryan Gleeson, Tom McCabe, Coady O'Reilly, Cathal McClean, Johnny Corr, Ronan O'Breartuin, Luke Lennon, James Brennan, Freddie Turley, Tom Quinlan, Alan Holland, Michael Larkin, Tiernan Kennedy, Ciaran Marrinan, Conor O'Donnell. Fiachra Codd, Pearse Brewster, James Greally.

Ballyboden St Endas C v Naomh Mearnóg

It was only 120 days late but nobody was counting. The gear still fitted and the sun was shining (sometimes). The first day of Féile Peil na nÓg had finally arrived and all the boys were ready to make up for lost time. This group were the only team playing at home so we had the place to ourselves. Plenty of time for the pre-tournament photo before making our way across the road for the Sergeant Hartman warmup (google it) courtesy of Garry before the 3:30pm throw in. This team has done loads of good work since the lockdown restrictions were lifted, both at training and during the challenge matches. There was a good feeling about the match to come. It wasn't over confidence but rather they knew they were well prepared and if they simply produced that form, they would have a good afternoon. And so it proved.....

Right from the throw in they were on it. A few good chances went begging in the early stages but the boys moved on and before long their dominance began to show. Tom, Liam and Fionn shored up the half back and started countless attacks. After a few points from James to get the scoreboard going the tireless running and linkup play from Harry, Michael, Adam and Nathan paid off when Nathan got the breakthrough goal followed quickly by another from Eoghan. Sé and Oliver were well on top around the middle of the park. Oliver then went on another marauding run laying it off superbly to Eoghan who somehow managed to defy the laws of physics (and any other law you can think of) by rasping a shot off the right post which rebounded to the inside of the left post and then rolled along the line before being scrambled to safety. Oh, the stress of it all! At the other end when the odd ball did get past the half back line Andrew, Cillian and Stephen were there to mop it up, Andrew getting a great block in at one stage. Michael in goals was having a handy day! James weighed in with another goal before Michael was upended in the box (captured perfectly on camera). The ref's whistle stayed silent - where's VAR when you need it? Half time came with a score of 3-4 to 0-2.

The half time team talk was calm. We were well on top so keep doing what you're doing. It was always going to be hard to maintain that intensity but they stuck at it. Adam took over midfield duties with Sé winning lots of ball and starting many attacks. The pace slowed down and Naomh Mearnóg got a few good scores including a goal to unsettle our nerves. A quick

response would be perfect and after some great work from Adam, Ruairi and Alex, Oliver found the net. Harry, Alex and Adam continued to both show for the ball and get their tackles in. At the back Aidan, Cillian and Stephen maintained their dominance and Fionn was always on hand to provide an outlet when needed. Sé continued to cover every blade of grass on the pitch. Ruairi dropped into goals where he made a superb diving save before Aidan cleared the danger. Michael moved upfield and quickly got a goal before Oliver got our 6th. Tom, Liam and Fionn finished as they started – they never relented all day. A late penalty for Naomh Mearnog closed out the scoring before the end of the match.

Tús maith leath na hoibre. Onwards and upwards to the next game in two weeks, away to St Vincents. Boden abú.

Result: Ballyboden St Endas 6-7, Naomh Mearnóg 2-5

Match day squad: Michael Candon, Eoghan Butler, Harry Judge, Cillian Lynn, Oliver McDonnell, Adam Kelly, James Brennan, Aidan Healy, Andrew Smithers, Sé Donnelly, Stephen O'Connor, Liam Clark, Fionn Callan, Michael Kennedy, Tom Browne, Ruairí Deignan, Alex Fisher, Adam Gorman, Nathan Ryan.

St Judes V Ballyboden St Endas D

Ballyboden St Enda's D kicked off their football campaign with a vigorous performance in a blustery Tymon Park. The opponents in this opening match were local rivals St. Judes. Winning the toss, Ballyboden opted to play with the wind, which thankfully was not accompanied by rain. Throw-in at 15.30, Ballyboden were out of the traps at lightning speed with Captain (and birthday boy) Jack Morley scoring two goals in the first 3 minutes. St Judes are a team that showed spirit and fight throughout the game, some strong challenges were put in on the Boden boys but our resolve held. Some great battling performances in the middle of the park from Johnny Davitt, Ben Greally and Cathal Doolin resulted in a 7th minute goal for Harry Montague. A further goal was added in the 8th minute after more Boden pressure resulted in a free kick. St Judes got on the scoresheet in the 10th minute with a point from play but Boden responded immediately with Cathal Doolin scoring Boden's first point, resulting from some fine pressure from the birthday Captain. James Keogh went close with a free kick, narrowly going wide. At this point, the pressure on Boden increased with a goal from St Judes in the 12th minute – despite the battling attention of defensive partners Brooke Cosgrove and Miko O'Byrne. The response from Ballyboden started with Lorcan Duff fighting to win the ball in the midfield and setting up Harry Montague for a 13th minute goal. Judes continued to press Boden before the water break but it was Boden who went into the break with a well taken point from Ben Greally.

After the water break, an early Judes attack was broken up masterfully by Matti Basinski sending the ball up the field setting up Cathal Doolin for a 16th minute goal. Jack Morley secured his hat-trick of goals on the 18th minute. Still Judes pressed forward looking to get themselves back in the game, but excellent defensive work by Brendan Barry, Joe Rafter and Brooke Cosgrove limited Judes to a single point at the 20 minute mark. Judes continued to press with a couple of more wides, the kickers under intense pressure from Boden half and full backs. In the middle of the park, Evan Ward fought hard to break this Judes pressure. Judes went wide from a free kick in the25th minute. Boden took the play up the field, Cathal Doolin releasing Evan Ward to score a 26th minute goal. There was still plenty of spirit left in the Judes team, Joe Rafter was fouled in the 28th minute before sending the resulting free

kick over for a point. Half-time, job only half done – now Boden had to play uphill and into the wind against a team who had shown battling skills. Having built up a strong lead with the elements in their back, the question was could the boys do it?

Water, oranges and the all important Jelly Babies on board and the lads took to the field again. From the throw in Boden were off again, no sign of sitting back on their lead – Boden attacked the Judes goal repeatedly. The Judes keeper was doing a fine job of stopping shots but the pressure eventually told with a 32nd minute point from Tom Conroy and a 34th minute goal from Johnny Davitt. Further Ballyboden goals from Daniel Morgan, Leo O'Byrne and Cathal Doolin on the 35th, 36th and 38th minutes, resulted from battling midfield performances. Luke Doyle led from the front whether in defence or attack and made it very difficult for his markers to slow him down. At the Boden end, Luke Fay and Matt Basinski battled hard to keep out a Judes attack. Judes continued to fight and press up the field with goalkeeper Patrick Ryan forced into a great save on the 37th minute. Leo Byrne and Daniel Morgan, supported by Cathal Doolin and Johnny Davitt added two more goals. A sublime strike from Ben Greally resulted in a 42nd minute goal. Brooke Cosgrove and Miko O'Byrne had to show great resolve to smother any shots on goal. At the other end, Evan Ward went close following a break out move by Brooke. Evan and Tom Conroy went close again, Harry Montague leading a charge turning defense into attack. St Judes scored a goal in the 29thminute reflecting the effort they had put in, as they had battled all game long. In the end, Ballyboden won in the opening match of Féile 2020, built on a solid defence, tough battling in the middle of the field and some fine finishing.

Result: St Judes 2-3, Ballyboden St Endas 17-7

Match day squad: Daniel Morgan, Harry Montague, Miko O'Byrne, Evan Ward, Brooke Cosgrove, Johnny Davitt, Matti Basinski, Cathal Doolin, Luke Fay, Luke Doyle, Ben Greally, Patrick Ryan, Lorcan Duff, Leo O'Byrne, Jack Morley, Joe Rafter, James Keogh, Tom Conroy, Brendan Barry.

Many thanks to our reporters, Eamonn Gormley, Joey Marrinan, Liam Butler, Pat O'Byrne, Diarmuid Healy for bringing the matches to life for all of those who wanted to attend matches but were not allowed. Thanks also to Brian Delaney, Eamonn Gormley, Brendan O'Reilly, Ciara Butler and Tommy Keogh for the photos. A big thanks to the volunteers who ensured that all attendees at the matches enjoyed the games in a safe and socially distanced manner. To see team photos and great action shots please <u>click here.</u>

U14 Ladies Football: 3 Wins out of 3 in the Football Féile Opening Weekend



Well done to our U14s, who opened their Féile championship accounts last weekend in winning style, with three wins out of three for the Boden girls.

U14A Div 1 BBSE 6:14 Kimacud Crokes 4:08

Our u14A team with blue and white ribbons in their hair and a nervous excitement that accompanies your first Feile match, turned up to the enormous Astro pitch in Stepaside (venue change after the rainfall) to face a very strong Kilmacud Crokes side.

The girls got off to a great start getting a few scores in the first few moments of the game with forwards keeping so wide up front on that huge pitch you could hardly see them from the other sideline. With very small numbers at this game, it had a quieter noise level with the girls looking very clinical.

The girls were 5-7 to 2-6 up at half time and it seemed like we just had to hold. But Crokes replied with very strong pressure and brought the game back to 4 points. It was a hugely

entertaining football match for those allowed to watch with both sides fighting hard. Our girls won out in the end with skill, hard work and team work. The ball was well worked up out of defence to forwards who in the last few minutes kept the same determination and composure to hold possession for the person in the right position.

Continuing their unbeaten run, this group of girls are a very determined group who work really well together with girls coming on and off the pitch working seamlessly. All 19 girls on the night did us proud. So one match down, two more group games to go. The girls will face Clontarf at home on Friday evening.

Foireann: Lauryn Jennings, Sarah Furlong, Ruby Murphy (Captain), Ruby Cummins, Rachel Lawlor, Millie Larkin, Aine Corser, Joy Ralph, Karrie Rudden, Rachel Moloney, Kate Brosnan, Maggie Donaghy, Cara Cosgrove, Emma Moran, Emma Fogarty, Rachel Vaughan, Rachel Heavey, Olivia O Brien and Niamh O Hara.

Best wishes and speedy recovery to Sarah Furlong who chipped a bone in her finger in the line of duty on the night

2 Good Wins in Cherryfield

Meantime back at Cherryfield, our U14B girls put in another very strong showing, this time against Erins Isle, winning out 5:11 to 6:05 - a brilliant all round performance which was decorated by an individual tally of 2:06 from Ellie Mulroe.

At the same time on the other Cherryfield pitch our U14C girls took on a Na Fianna side that had beaten them in last year's U13 Championship final. After the formalities of Féile photographs etc., were dispensed with, the Boden girls went on to put in a brilliant opening performance, winning out 4:06 to 4:03 in a close run game. Well done girls!!!

Under 16 C footballers record resounding win over Naomh Barrog



Championship Under 16 C Football v Naomh Barrog

Our under 16 C footballers arrived in Sutton for their last group game knowing a win was needed to progress to the Championship quarter finals. With a couple on late holidays and a late injury we were delighted to be supported by 3 of our under 15 C team on the day Alex Brady, Jack Finn and Conor Reynolds. Having lost the toss Boden started playing into the slight slope and a firm breeze blowing offshore. It was straight to business and from the opening exchanges it was clear that the lads were up for the challenge. A couple of early attacks saw the lads take an early lead with points from Conor Smith and Eoghan Walsh. Barrog however responded with a couple of scores of their own and had plenty of pace through the middle. Our backs however led by captain Oran Kelly at 6 tackled manfully and in turn Cillian Larkin, Jason Callaghan and Alex Brady all got vital intereptions to final passes to restrict Barrog to points. With Jack Finn and Sam Byrne driving forward on the wings we had a plentiful supply of ball to the forward unit who were all hungry for ball. Andrew Duffy kicked a great point after a fluent move and Kevin O'Donoghue got on the end of another incisive run from Eoghan Walsh to finish to the net which gave a little day light. The score of the half was a sublime Conor Smith goal to the top corner on the stroke of half-time to have us leading 2-5 to 0-6 at the break. Alex Brady swapped his boots for golf clubs at half time so some reshuffling was necessary. Conor Reynolds who had been introduced as a forward in the first half and linked the play well went to wing back and Jack Finn back to the corner.

The half time message was simple. Win the second half and the win would be ours. With the elements in our favour the lads tore into the second half and with Matthew Gray and Alex Stewart sealing off the midfield ably supported by Dan Kennedy and Liam Smithers on the wings Barrog were penned into their own half for long spells in the 3rd quarter. Conor Smith added a couple more points, Liam Smithers added a point, Kevin O'Donoghue had another

goal and the gap was widened but just before the water break Barrog scored a great goal of their own after breaking forward at speed and in numbers and they had a couple of other dangerous attacks on the back of that keeper Tim Giblin dealt with well coming off his line to scramble one clear and using every inch on another attack to palm one over the bar. At the second waterbreak the request was for the defence to sit tight and hold their shape and for the forwards to kick 5 points in the final quarter.

Oran Kelly leading by example kicked the point of the day from 45 metres bursting forward onto breaking ball and driving it over the blackspot. Matthew Gray kicked a superb free from 35 metres and then within 2 minutes from virtually the same spot arrowed a free kick into the top corner off the underside of the bar for a great goal. Another great run from Liam Smithers looked like it would come to nothing as the Barrog defence closed but Liam got the ball through to Andrew Duffy who drilled the shot across the keeper for a great goal just before the final whistle. The final whistle sounded on a resounding victory on a final score of 5-15 to 1-9. A quarter final spot has been secured and we await the draw to confirm our opposition. To view all of the action, click here.

Team: Tim Giblin, Alex Brady, Jason Callaghan, Cillian Larkin. Jack Finn, Oran Kelly ©, Sam Byrne, Alex Stewart, Matthew Gray, Dan Kennedy, Eoghan Walsh, Liam Smithers, Conor Smith, Kevin O'Donoghue, Andrew Duffy, Conor Reynolds,

U13 Ladies Football and Camogie



Another weekend brimming with action for our U13s, who were in football and camogie championship action, both for the first time.

U13 Football Championship

The footballers had a good Saturday afternoon with a draw and a win, both at home in Cherryfield.

First up, the Division 1 girls hosted Sylvesters in a very close game played in a tense atmosphere as the game ebbed and flowed between the teams. This was a performance of real steel by the Boden girls, with great performances across the pitch and throughout the squad. All square at half time, the two teams still couldn't be separated by the final whistle with a full time score of 3:05 to 3:05. A pulsating game of football!

Next up on the Cherryfield pitch, our Division 8 girls welcomed Clontarf. In a very strong performance, the Boden girls asserted themselves early in the game and pressed hard to stay

out in front. This was a very good performance by the Boden girls who were relentless in pursuit of scores all match long, eventually winning out 8:11 to 2:02 winners.

U13 Camogie Championship

The weekend started early for our Division 3 camogie girls, who had a cross-city trip to Whitehall Colmcilles on Thursday evening. A good cohesive performance by our girls unfortunately wasn't enough to get them over the line, as Whitehall ran out 6:04 to 4:03 winners.

It was a similar story in Cherryfield on Sunday morning, where our Div 1 girls lined up against N Olafs. Here again plenty of endeavour and hard work on the pitch failed to translate into scores on the board, as Olafs ran out winners. Thanks to Charlie Kennedy for the pics, <u>more here</u>

Meantime over in Howth, a beautiful morning saw the Boden girls achieve a good battling win to open their account in the Div 6 Camogie championship.

After a slow start in the first quarter when the girls shipped 2 soft goals, the team upped the work rate to pull ahead in Q2.

A tight seesaw Q3 followed before the Boden girls pulled clear with a few well taken goals in the final 10 minutes running out 5:01 to 10:02 winners.

Well done to all the girls; more games are coming thick and fast - on to next week!!

Monday Night Football for U13 "Killer Bs"



It was Monday Night Football and a road trip to Coolock for the U13 "Killer Bs" as the travelled across the city to face Parnells As. Another terrific performance from the Boden girls saw them come away with a 3:09 to 3:05 win in another cracking game. Super stuff girls!!!

Covid Practice - Update

As a club, we have been very diligent regarding implementation of measures to ensure the safety of spectators and players, and this has been as a result of hard work and effort by many, many people who have been tracking player check-ins, stewarding games, providing signage and sanitiser, ensuring a safe environment etc. This has been tremendously hard work on top of the normal effort to train and prepare teams and compete in games, and we have received compliments from referees and opposition mentors as to the quality of the preparation and precautions taken at games.

As the numbers of cases reported increases across the country, we must remain steadfast and diligent in implementation of the protective measures and procedures. Can we especially:

- Continue with health check-ins before every session
- Continue to sanitise equipment used after every session
- Avoid car-pooling to training or games. If car-pooling cannot be avoided and members of different households must travel in the same car, then masks should be worn.
- Encourage all club members and players over the age of 16 to download the HSE app to their phones as this is hugely helpful for tracing in the event of a scare.
- Continue to insist that all players bring their own water bottle to training and matches. Shared water bottles must not be used.
- Check-in to the GAA app to confirm health status should be done on the morning of an evening session or the night before for a morning game or session.

Many thanks for all your efforts up to now - let's continue to be diligent to ensure that we can complete our full programme of games in a safe manner.

Club shop open on Thursday evenings

The club shop will reopen on Thursday evenings for 90 minutes between 8 p.m. and 9:30 p.m.

There is a strict limit of two customers in the shop at a time, except in the case of parents and young children.

Face coverings should be worn at all times in the shop and customers are additionally encouraged not to try on any items of clothing.

AIG SKILLS COMPETITION



Ladies, record your skills and be in with a chance to win €1,000! See details on the links below. Best of luck

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https://www.aig.ie/Skills Some previous entries:

- Instagram page: https://www.instagram.com/aig.ireland
- Facebook Page: https://www.facebook.com/AIGIreland/
- Twitter: https://twitter.com/aigireland

Dealing with Positive Symptomatology

Summary of Changes

From June 29th, contact training permitted for Gaelic Games Interim Guidance on dealing with positive symptomatology issued – <u>Dealing with</u> <u>Positive Symptomatology</u>

Facilities permitted to open from June 29th

Astro turf facilities – for club members Hurling ball walls Walkways – all control measures, bar the need to adhere to social distancing, removed Outdoor Handball Alleys Officer Training/Meetings (Subject the guidelines prepared by the National Health and Safety Committee – Guidance on holding Indoor Meetings)

The following are allowed to open from June 29th providing Government Regulations for the relevant sector is followed and all required third party insurances and assurances are in place Bars Serving Food Businesses operated by third parties using GAA premised under licence or lease (Exception: Gyms) Astro Turf Facilities – recreational use by non-GAA members

Playgrounds

It is hoped that the following may be allowed open for Phase 4 (from July 20th) – however, the GAA will confirm the position on each of these in the lead in to Phase 4: Club/County Gyms Dressing Rooms (subject to advice on Close v Casual Contacts) Indoor Handball Alleys, subject to guidance laid down in Handball Return to Play Document Use of facilities by community groups / recreational users Bars not serving food

GAA Coaching and Games

From webinars, skills challenges & virtual training sessions, it's been a busy few months for the GAA community. Our Games Development Department has been busy providing assistance to coaches, players, teachers and parents to make this difficult time easier.

GAA Learning Website

The GAA Learning platform at learning.gaa.ie is host to a series of Games Development initiatives building on the vast array of resources and courses published in recent years that are now providing a very valuable outlet for Coaches, Players, and Teachers without the opportunity to perform their usual roles in the promotion and playing of our games.

Some of these initiatives include:

-GAA Primary Challenges - Lesson Plans & Physical Activities for Primary School Children

-Coaching Webinars – Live and recorded webinars with leaders in Coaching and Coach Education

- 100's of activities to Coach Hurling, Football, Handball and Rounders on the GAA Coaching Planner <u>https://learning.gaa.ie/planner/</u>

- Games Development Conference Videos and Presentations from 2014 to 2020 <u>https://learning.gaa.ie/GamesConference2020</u>

- 'GAA 15' Injury Prevention Programme - https://learning.gaa.ie/gaa15

- Céim ar Aghaidh Resources for Primary School https://learning.gaa.ie/ceim
- The Skills of Hurling https://learning.gaa.ie/hurlingskills
- The Skills of Football https://learning.gaa.ie/footballskills
- Online Courses and Workshops for Coaches, Players, Referees and Administrators
- LGFA and Camogie Resources and Programmes

#GAAPrimary Challenges

The #GAAPrimary Challenges is a series of learning & physical activities for children in Primary School. During these particularly challenging times for families, the #GAAPrimary Challenges are designed to help teachers and parents to work on the cross-curricular lesson plans with children to meet their learning needs. Gaelic games-themed lessons are across all curriculum subjects and are for children at every class level, based on the GAA Céim ar Aghaidh/Step Ahead resource. For some fresh air and physical exercise, inter-county stars set Skill Challenges weekly that can be done at or near your home. There are also fun competitions and prizes to be won on the @GAAlearning twitter page. Primary teachers are encouraged to share lesson plans, learning material and ideas by email to gamesdevelopment@gaa.ie or on social media using #GAAPrimary.

https://youtu.be/51OTk69ctQc

Webinar Series

To help coaches through this difficult period, the GAA, an Cumann Camogaíochta & the LGFA have created a series of Coach Development Webinar sessions taking place on Tuesdays & Thursday at 7.30pm. Information on future sessions can be access through our twitter '@GAAlearning' and past sessions can be viewed on our Youtube Page 'GAALearning'

National Hurling Development Manager, Martin Fogarty, is hosting Hurling specific webinars every Monday on various aspects of the game and how best to coach it. For more details, visit out twitter @GAALearning

Coach Survey

The Coach Survey was launched this week with the GAA, LGFA & Camogie Association joining forces to help shape the future development of Gaelic games. The aim of the survey is to get to know more about coaches involvement, their role, experiences and how they envisage their coaching future. The form can be accessed through the link below. If you have any queries about the survey, you can email <u>gamesdevelopment@gaa.ie</u>

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=hrxFrNSvpUKfwz6H4bd_zq1V2frnb-FJnS9jn6gmgFNUNIFLTjIxWThBTEpBSzFVUTVOQjk3RUhXQy4u

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Az-95HFEa8

For more information on any of these resources, please visit our website 'https://learning.gaa.ie/' or twitter page @GAALearning

Enjoy 50 Shades of Boden at home

In these strange times of social distancing, self isolation and cocooning, you can take time out for a laugh and a giggle with Boden Theatre Group's last production "50 Shades of Boden". Thanks to John Galvin for recording.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TnJb9x-rgvg

Ballyboden St Enda's Players & Management- Social distancing..



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Important message on social distancing coutresy of BBSE players and management

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Ballyboden St. Enda's Player's Assistance

BALLYBODEN ST. ENDAS PLAYERS ASSISTANCE



Ballyboden St. Endas GAA are aware of the potential hardship the current situation regarding COVID-19 could bring to people in our community.

We would encourage all of our club members to check in on elderly neighbours and vulnerable people in our community, and especially older club members who live close by.

Our adult player's committees would also like to volunteer their assistance to support any member of the community who is unable to leave their house.

We are here to help you or a family member who may need assistance in acquiring necessities such as food or medical prescriptions.

If you or any family member need support please feel free to contact Sinead on 086 3010829/ email pro@ballyboden.ie or contact Ronan at 086 1250752.

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2019 Boden News Annual is now available



The 2019 Boden News Annual is now available in the club. Packed with news, reviews and features and a special Caoga Bliain ag Fás section. It's a must read for all club members! There is a donation box to help offset some of the printing costs if you want to donate.

Thanks to Neil Buckingham, Sinéad O'Dea, the Comms committee, our wonderful club photographers and all who contributed to the book.

WHATS APP / COMMUNICATIONS

Everyone with access to Club/Team social media platforms has a responsibility when using these social media platforms to not do or post anything online that might tarnish Ballyboden St Enda's and the GAA's image and reputation.

No Club social media platform should be used to post or share material which is :

violent, sexually explicit, obscene, hateful, or defamatory.

suggests or encourages illegal activity.

engages in trolling, bullying, or abusive activity.

engages in the disparagement of any race, ethnicity or religion.

In the event of misuse, there is an obligation from team managements along with the recipients of the inappropriate posts to call it out and address it with the poster of the content. If we do not adhere to this, our Club and particularly those involved in the posts (complicit or otherwise) of inappropriate material all stand to blame.

Ciorcal Cainte - Temporarily postponed due to Covid-19

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Buail isteach is beidh caint is comhrá againn. Is cuma an bhfuil tú ag tosnú nó cad é an caighdeán atá agat, beidh céad míle fáilte romhat! Ciorcal Cainte continues every Weds from 29th Jan (9-10pm) Everybody is welcome.... contact Seán 087 9086100

Bingo every Tuesday 8.30 pm - Temporarily postponed due to Covid-19



Trad Music Session Every Thursday - Temporarily postponed due to Covid-19

Seisiúin Ceoil Traidisiúnta

In éineacht le Ceoltóirí "Céilí House"

Gach Déardaoin sa Bhéar ag 9.30pm



Fáilte roimh chách!

GAA July 2020 Newsletter



Below is the link the to monthly GAA newsletter which carries information on a range of club-related topics and issues

https://www.gaa.ie/stories/read-the-latest-club-newsletter-june-2020-x7811/

Concussion Management



If in Doubt, Sit Them Out

Gaelic games can be physical sports, and, while collisions are not a primary element of our games, they can occasionally happen. There has been an increasing number of concussion

injuries over the past year, and it is important that team managers, mentors and first aid people can recognise the symptoms and know the correct actions to take in order to ensure the safety of the player. Player safety is the most important consideration in a concussion, or any injury situation. It is widely reported that an inter-county player collapsed in a dressing room a week after an initial concussion diagnosis.

SPARC lead physiotherapist, Eamon O'Reilly has kindly created the below protocol for dealing with concussion and shared the GAA Medical Scientific Welfare committee guidelines, and we ask all those involved with teams to familiarise themselves with the guidelines and with the 'If in Doubt, Site Them Out' tag line. In order to ensure player welfare and to collate club data on the occurrence of concussion injuries, SPARC will see any club member with a concussion or suspected concussion free of charge, and we strongly encourage club players to avail of this generous and important offer.

The GAA Concussion Management Guidelines

Spin The Wheel





EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT @ 11pm 3 PEOPLE TO SPIN EVERY NIGHT

43 Prizes on the WHEEL, Including €1000, €500, €300, €200, €100, €50 42" Smart TV, Vintage Wine Collection Presentation Box, Club Lotto Membership

AND DOZENS OF OTHER PRIZES TO BE WON (YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO SPIN THE WHEEL)

BODEN GEAR ONLINE

The club, together with O'Neill's, are delighted to announce that all your Boden merchandise is now available for purchase online, for delivery to your home.

The online shop can be accessed through the link to the O'Neill's website (below) which will appear on the club website.

Delivery charges also apply but it's free delivery for orders above €50.

White club shorts are the only item yet to be added to the online catalogue, and will be updated soon.

Please note that that the online price is higher than the prices that will continue to apply in the club shop as O'Neill's need to apply consistent pricing across their website.

https://www.oneills.com/shop-by-team/gaa/ireland/ballyboden-st-enda-s-gaa-club.html

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Bereavement – Murray

Posted by Alan Kinsella on 24 August, 2020

The club community are saddened to hear of the passing of Frank Murray. We would like to offer our sincere condolences to the Murray family and friends. Especially to Frank's son in law Alan Kinsella and Grandchildren Anna and James Kinsella who are both players with the club. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam....

Boden Senior A Hurlers take St.Vincents and a semi-final place

Posted by EamonnTreacy on 23 August, 2020

Ballyboden St. Endas 1 18 St.Vincents 1 08 The Long Fella Reports... Photos by John Kirwan There are days when a championship game does not look like a championship game. Sounds simple, but what unfolded in Parnell Park on Saturday at tea-time was almost certainly not what either competing team would have expected. The side's...

The post **Boden Senior A Hurlers take St.Vincents and a semi-final place** appeared first on **Ballyboden**.

Ballyboden St.Enda's Statement

Posted by Neil Buckingham on 20 August, 2020

Unfortunately, a Ballyboden St. Enda's adult player has tested positive for Covid-19. The player himself is well, and he and his family are isolating in accordance with protocol. The HSE has been notified and contact tracing is taking place. Unless individuals are specifically notified otherwise by the HSE, contact in the context of GAA activity...

The post Ballyboden St.Enda's Statement appeared first on Ballyboden.

Guard of Honour for John O'Neill

Posted by Neil Buckingham on 17 August, 2020

As a mark of respect to former Chairman, Club President and Trustee, John O'Neill, there will be a guard of honour at the club on Tuesday, 18th of August at 11:30. We ask club members to assemble in the club from 11:15 wearing club tops if possible. John made a huge contribution to Ballyboden St....

The post Guard of Honour for John O'Neill appeared first on Ballyboden.