



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



Club Lotto Results, 29th April 2021



The Winning numbers in last Thursday's Club Lotto were **02 11 14 13**

Níor bhuaigh duine ar bith an Pota Óir an tseachtain seo caite- €1,500

There were 2 winners of the Match First 3 numbers who each receive €150:

- John Dolan, Knocklyon
- Barry Murray, Rathfarnham

Next week's draw takes place on **Thursday 6th May at 8pm.**

The Jackpot will be **€2,000**. Go n-éiri libh. Ná caill amach, imir anois!

Join the Lotto today by signing up [here](#) or to play on a weekly basis [see here](#).

Our Club Lotto, now more than ever, plays a vital role in our finances. This funding is vital to ensure that we have the financial resources to maintain our superb facilities. Please support if you are in a position to do so.

If you have any queries about the Club Lotto, please email lotto@ballyboden.ie

Because of the ongoing COVID-19 restrictions, the weekly Club Lotto draw is taking place virtually. The Lotto numbers are selected using an online random number generator and the draw is video recorded and also observed by at least three members of the Lotto Committee using the Zoom video conference application.

BALLYBODEN ST ENDAS GAA MEMBERSHIP 2021



Reminder: Now that all juveniles are back training and with adults due back next week we would like to remind members that if they have not done so already to please ensure annual club membership for 2021 is paid.

Renewal emails have been sent out to all our members. The club wishes to thank everyone in advance for their ongoing support. If anyone didn't receive an email or is having difficulty renewing online, please email our club registrar, Gerry at registrar@ballyboden.ie

Thank You Brian

After 19 years of coaching and in recent years as Director of Coaching in Ballyboden St Enda's , Brian O'Regan has decided to take a side step from his role in Ballyboden to pursue a new career.

Brian has been a friend to many throughout the years , answering queries at any time of the day , coaching teams of all ages and encouraging players young and old to enjoy GAA.

Best of luck Oddie!

From all in the Communications Committee



Message from Club Chairman Ciaran Maguire

I am sure that we will all have very mixed feelings about the decision of our long-serving club Director of Coaching, the great Brian O'Regan, that the time is right to pursue a new direction in his career and will be leaving Ballyboden in the coming weeks. Brian has been club coach and more recently club director of coaching for 19 years, and during this time, he has been omnipresent in all aspects of club games and coaching. He has coached in all of our local schools and the Academy, run hugely successful summer-camps, set policy and coached and mentored team management to deliver the highest standards of coaching to our juvenile and adult players in a safe environment. Brian's commitment and work ethic have been beyond doubt, and it was not uncommon to see him leaving a Juvenile Executive meeting or an Adult Games meeting at 11pm at night having spent the day working at the 'day job'.

Amazingly, Brian seemed to know every child that crossed the gate by name and, more than that, he knew who their brothers and sisters were, and I have never heard anybody say a bad word about him. Brian was a great support to our former General Manager, Noel Sheridan, particularly in the last few years when Noel's mobility didn't allow him to run around in the way that he had been used to doing. I know that Noel is greatly appreciative of the support that Brian gave him. Brian has developed excellent knowledge and judgement over the years, and he has been a great sounding board to me and to all Executive members on a wide range of topics from facilities development to fixture scheduling and all else in between – his phone literally never stops. He was key to the development and operation of the club gym and was instrumental in bringing Sparc Sports' medicine to the Sancta Maria facility, and I know that Eamon O'Reilly greatly appreciates the support he got from Brian.

Uniquely, Brian coached senior teams to A championships in all four codes and has been pivotal to on-field success at all levels. Our current senior football manager, Anthony Rainbow, has said that Brian is one of the best coaches he has ever worked with. When I say that Brian is leaving Ballyboden, that is of course only in his professional capacity as we fully expect that he will be involved as a volunteer as Luke, Oisín and Darragh follow Brian and Joanne in wearing the blue and white of Ballyboden St. Endas with distinction. Hopefully, they will emulate Joanne's successes more than Brian's!

I am certain that I speak for all of us when I wish Brian every good wish in his new venture, and that we look forward to working along with him for many more years in the club.

Go n-éirí leat Oddie.

We all know about Brian's skills and talents as a coach but he was much more than that. He was the glue that bound many facets of the club together. He always had his finger on the pulse and was constantly aware of every happening from senior footballers and hurlers down to the Academy's boys and girls. He was absolutely fair in allocation of pitches and time slots and his knowledge of all facilities was at his fingertips. From security to health and safety to pitch condition and equipment maintenance, he ensured everything was top class for his top class coaches.

The maintenance crew wish Brian the very best in his new venture.
Fad saol agat Oggie.

From Vivian & all the Maintenance team

Juvenile Boys Are Back Again



After the long forced break the juvenile football and hurling boys finally returned to the training pitch for the first time this year. For many it was time to blow the cobwebs off the boots only to discover they didn't fit any more. For others it was a challenge to remember where they had last seen the half-chewed mouthguard or the well worn shin pads. Any worries of significant dropouts among players were quickly dispelled as large numbers turned out, helped by the kind late April weather. The levels of carbon dioxide in the local atmosphere increased dramatically as air was rapidly sucked deep into young lungs and then expelled in great volumes for the first time in many months.

The U15 football boys received a special treat on Sunday morning at Ballycullen when our senior football and Dublin star Collie Basquel turned up to impart words of wisdom on how to develop skills and achieve success. Practice, practice and more practice was the message of the day as Collie demonstrated an impressive array of shooting skills for our boys. Elsewhere it was the big smiles that told the wider story as the juveniles reacquainted with teammates and friends (and coaches!). All of our boys and girls have much to look forward to as we emerge from these unprecedented and difficult times. The days are getting longer,

the weather is improving, school holidays are around the corner (!) and soon the matches will begin. By then everybody will be well prepared and ready for action. It's great to be back!

Latest Lotto Jackpot Winners!!!



Congratulations to Michael and Anne O'Regan on winning the Club Lotto Jackpot on Thursday 15th April. The lucky numbers drawn on the night were 24 22 08 13 and the Jackpot was €3.500.

You know what they say If you are not in, you can't win!

THE BODEN BEAT – EPISODE 2 – PAUL RYAN



On Episode 2 of The Boden Beat, and ten years on from winning the National League title we chat to Boden Senior Hurler & recently-retired Dublin star, **Paul Ryan** about all things hurling. Available on [Soundcloud Here](#)

It should also be available on all your usual podcast providers. You'll find it on [Spotify here](#) and [Apple Podcasts here](#)

Ballyboden St Enda's is One Good Club



We are now in the last week of our 'One Good Club' programme, the five step youth mental health awareness initiative in association with Lidl, Jigsaw and the LGFA. The last theme is **GIVE** which we launched last week with a number of different activities. Here's how we have been getting on.

Members have been busy checking out is the 'Smile' really contagious by **Giving** a smile to friends and strangers alike! And of course with training back last week it was hard to contain those smiles on those happy faces on the pitches throughout the parish!

Our Committee was kept very busy this week wo-maning the hall for our Clothes and Food collections. We have been overwhelmed by the response to both appeals. A huge thanks to all who have donated so far. The Clothes Collection is aiming to raise much needed funds for our Ladies Sections, a means to **Give** back to our sections who have been so supportive of our One Good Club initiative.

The Food Collection is in support of the local Ballycullen Food Bank. We saw it as a fitting way to **Give** back to our neighbouring community.

On Thursday we launched an initiative whereby TY students **GIVE** their time to a Juvenile team, helping out at training, encouraging the younger girls, providing motivation and being positive role models. The students would be available to spend time with players who would benefit from one to one training and attention, and support players considering dropping out. There are some players already helping out with Juvenile teams. It would be hoped should this 'GIVE' trial be successful that a more formal structure would be put in place to attract more older girls to take part in mentoring and roll it out to help support teams, and support players especially at stages where dropout rates are high ie the transition from U16 to Minor and Minor to Senior. Hopefully a lasting legacy from our One Good Club.

And finally we were delighted when our Adult Hurling Committee chose Jigsaw as their Charity beneficiary when they donated a percentage of the proceedings from their recent Virtual Treasure Hunt to Jigsaw Dublin South West. Many thanks to the committee.

For more photos, see [here](#)



The GagaMuller group is offering €5,000 worth of sports gear to the winning GAA club

A Chance to win €5,000 worth of Club Gear



SUPPORT LOCAL WIN €5000

Share an image on Instagram as a Post or a Story actively supporting a Local Business

• Follow GagaMuller Group at @iamgagamuller

- Include the hashtag #gagamullergrassroots
- @ your Local Business (if unavailable use #)
- @ your local GAA Club (if unavailable use #)
- @ GagaMuller Group using @iamgagamuller

All entries will be put into a draw for
€5000 worth of sponsored sports gear



The more you post,
the more chances your club has to win!

The competition will end on 21/05/2021 (5pm GMT)
For more information visit our website at www.gagamuller.com/support-local

1

Share an image on Instagram as a Post or a Story actively supporting a Local Business

2

Follow us at [@iamgagamuller](https://www.instagram.com/iamgagamuller) Include the hashtag [#gagamullergrassroots](https://www.instagram.com/hashtag/gagamullergrassroots)

3

Tag your Local Business

4

Tag your local GAA Club

5

Tag GagaMuller Group using [@iamgagamuller](https://www.instagram.com/iamgagamuller)

PhotoGrid

You might have noticed some of our members have been busy Snapping, Tagging and submitting entries into this novel competition. All entries are put into a draw so the more we post, the greater our chances are of winning.

The competition runs until May 21st 2021 and involves sharing an image on Instagram (either as a Post or a Story) of the club member engaging with a local business. Through this initiative, GagaMuller are hoping to support SMEs and local businesses as well as a GAA club in these challenging times.

What do I need to do?

When you are supporting and shopping local

- Follow [**iamgagamuller on Instagram**](#)

- [**Share an image on Instagram**](#) as a Post or Story actively supporting a local business

- Include the hashtag [**#gagamullergrassroots**](#)

- [**Tag your local business**](#) (if unavailable use #)

- Tag [**@bodengaa**](#)

- Tag [**@iamgagamuller**](#)

For more information, see [here](#)

Stop the Press! Clothes and Food Collection for One Day Only



SUPPORTING BALLYCULLEN FOOD BANK

As part of the "Give" stage of Lidl's One Good Club, Ballyboden Ladies' Football Section are proud to support Ballycullen Food Bank, a local organisation providing food parcels and necessities to those in need.

- Giving makes you feel good! -

Donation suggestions:

• Jars of sauce	• Cream crackers
• Tinned Foods	• Pasta, rice, noodles
• Ketchup/brown sauce/mayonnaise	• Packet soups
• Tea/coffee, sugar	• Toilet roll
• Cereal	• Toiletries
• Jam/ chocolate spread	• Nappies (size 5 & 6)
	• Wipes

DROP YOUR DONATIONS TO THE CLUB ON:
Saturday 8th May, 10-5pm



CLOTHES COLLECTION

As part of the "Give" stage of Lidl's One Good Club, Ballyboden Ladies' Football Section are holding a clothes collection. We would love if you could get involved!

- Giving makes you feel good! -

Items accepted: 

- Clothes
- Pairs of socks/shoes
- Hats, scarves, belts, suits etc
- Soft toys with no plastic

Items **not** accepted: 

- Pillows, duvets, towels, bed clothes, curtains
- Ripped/damaged clothes or shoes
- Pyjamas or slippers

All items must be in good, wearable condition

DROP YOUR DONATIONS TO THE CLUB ON:
Saturday 8th May, 10-5pm

There is still time to declutter and achieve wardrobe zen by dropping your bags of old clothes into the club next **Saturday 8th May**, between 10am and 5pm.

The response to our collections has been such that we have decided to accept donations for one more day.

We are also going to support Ballycullen Food Bank, taking in donations of non perishable foods, nappies and toiletries.

With the return to training, the Bank are currently in the process of relocating premises and are unable to collect donations as normal this week. We are delighted to be able to be to support them again.

Baile Buadain le Gaeilge 2021



Cluichí Sraithe ar an Teilifís

Cuirfear tús le craoladh na gcluichí sraithe ar TG4 ag tosú 8 Bealtaine agus craolfar ar a laghad ceithre chluiche gach deireadh seachtaine. Tá tuairisc agus liosta na gcluichí go léir faoi réir dúinn anseo ag Pádraic Ó Ciardha

<https://bit.ly/338hWPR>

Giolcanna / Téacsanna / Teachtaireachtaí (Tweets Texts and Messages)

If you are a manager of one of our teams in Boden, please try to include a cúpla focal in your messages. Ar mbuíochas le Daire Mac Pháidín a chuir an liosta seo ar fáil dúinn

- BBSE v Crokes - Baile Buadain Naomh Éanna i gcoinne Chill Mochuda na Crócaigh.
- Páirc Uí Mhurchú (clubhouse), Páirc na Silíní (Cherryfield), Páirc Naomh Éanna (Hermitage/St Enda's), Ballycullen - Páirc Chnoc Liamhna
- Peil na mBan / Peil – Camógaíocht / Iomáint faoi 9/16/16
- Peil mionúr/Iomáint Mhionúr - minor football/hurling
- Cluiche sinsir/sóisir/ idirmheánach – senior/junior/intermediate
- Cluiche sraithe – league match.
- Cluiche craoibhe – championship match
- Caith isteach 2.30pm – throw in at 2.30pm
- Réidh le tosú – ready to start
- An focal scoir – the last word
- Tús maith – a good start
- Cóir na gaoithe le Baile Buadain – Boden playing with the wind
- Iomáint faoi 16A Baile Buadain Naomh Éanna 3-15 Nás na Rí 1-18 tar éis 5 nóiméad (after 5 minutes)
- Iomáint faoi 16A Baile Buadain Naomh Éanna 1-11 Nás na Rí 1-11 ag leath ama (at half time)
- Iomáint faoi 16A Baile Buadain Naomh Éanna 1-11 Nás na Rí 1-11 cúig nóiméad fágtha (five minutes to play)

- Cluiche thart Boden Abú! – Match over. Boden won
- Comhghairdeas le Baile Buadain Naomh Éanna – Congrats to Baile Buadain Naomh Éanna
- Míle buíochas le gach duine – thanks to everyone
- Míle buíochas le gach duine a thacaigh linn – thanks to everyone who supported us
- Moladh mór do gach duine – well done to everyone
- Maidin iontach ag an acadamh – great morning at the academy
- Laoch na himeartha, Molly Murphy – Player of the match Molly Murphy
- Cluiche den scoth – great game
- Comhghairdeas le gach duine – congrats everyone
- Táimid ag súil le bliain iontach in 2021 – we are hoping for a great year in 2021
- Fanaigí slán – Keep safe
- Slán a chairde – Goodbye

An Ghaeilge ar Shuíomh an Chlub

An bhfuil a fhios agat go bhfuil rannóg faoi leith ar shuíomh idirlín an Chlub dírithe ar an nGaeilge Tá sé ar fáil faoin teideal ‘Members’ . Brúigh an nasc: Baile Buadain le Gaeilge 2021

Istigh ann gheobhaidh tú nuacht, póstaer agus eile.

Tá sraith físeán a chruthaigh baill an chlub do na cailíní agus iad ag ullmhú chun dul ar ais ag traenáil:

- Avril Flood agus Bronagh Lynn
- Síle Nic Coitir
- Tomás Ó Riordáin agus Ceara Nic Coitir
- Doireann Mullaney

Ár mbuíochas freisin le Kieran Rudden agus na cailíní ón bhfoireann mionúr

<https://www.ballyboden.ie/members/gaeilge/>

Frásaí don Traenáil

Roimh an gCluiche – Before the Game

- Conas atá tú? - How are you
- Go breá agus tú féin - Fine, and yourself?
- An bhfuil clogad agat? – Have you a helmet?
- An bhfuil Mary ag teacht? – is Mary coming?

Le linn an Chluiche – During the Game

- Tá sé agam – I have it [the sliotar]!
- Maith thú - Well Done
- Maith an Bhean - Good Woman
- Maith an Fear - Good man
- Scaoil uait é - Release it!

- Ardfhear - Great man
- Ardbhean - Great woman
- Fág é – Leave it!
- Ana scór – Great score
- Scaoil amach an bobailín – Let it rip

Cóitseálaithe / Coaches

- Déan beirteanna-in twos (pairs)
- Sliotar idir gach beirt – a sliotar between two
- Go tapa – fast

Tar éis an chluiche- After the game

- Táim scriosta - I'm wrecked
- Níl sé éasca – it's not easy
- Feicfidh mé sibh an tseachtain seo chugainn- I'll see ye next week

Boden's Magnificent Nine play key role in Historic Dublin Win



Last weekend marks the 10th Anniversary of a famous Dublin Hurling victory. On May 1st 2011, Dublin Senior Hurlers played in their first League Final in 65 years. It was a

remarkable day when a Dublin team, who had been coming, finally arrived in front of 42,030 fans in a bright and sunny Croke Park. What transpired was a famous League title and the first in 72 years. - [full article here](#)

Hurling Presentations



The Hurling Section finally got round to "safely" making some presentations this week....[see more](#)

Thanks to Clíona Mellett for all the photos

Conal Keaney and Paul Ryan retire from Dublin Hurlers after combined service of approx 30 years



Two of our most distinguished club players have now hung up their boots with the Dublin hurlers and they both hope to finish out their career where it all began on Firhouse Road. We could not let this moment pass without acknowledging the massive contribution they have given to Dublin Hurling and how proud we were of them on so many occasions. They have been exemplary ambassadors of the club and epitomise everything that is good about the game. Be it the sublime wrist action of Paul, or the unreal ball winning ability of Conal, they both did us proud on every occasion.

Both were the 'go to guys of Dublin hurling' for a long period and were the embodiment of a team defined by athleticism, blistering pace, and a serious skill level. There were so many 'man of the match' performances and I'm sure we all have our stand out moments. How can we ever forget that incredible point scored by Conal in 2011 underneath the Hogan Stand to win the National League for first time since 1939? And then there was Paul's brilliant goal against Galway in 2013 to win the Leinster Championship first time since 1961?

While hitting the highs with Dublin hurlers they never forgot their roots and have been a vital part the backbone of our senior team for close on 20 years and still counting. It has often been said by club managers over the years that when the lads returned to club training it raised standards all round and brought that extra bit of zest into the sessions.

Hopefully, we will all see a return to club training shortly and we look forward to both the lads representing the blue and white with distinction over the next few years.

Thanks lads for the memories.

John Ryan (Hurling Chairman)



MIA RAISES A NEW FLAG FOR BODEN!



Our new flag, celebrating Ballyboden's Ladies Football and Camogie players, was raised outside the club for the very first time last weekend by dual U11 football and camogie player Mia O'Connell....[see more](#)

More pics [here](#)

Club History Book, limited reprint ...

As the demand for the book exceeded supply, the Club has been in a position to get an additional 60 books printed. These are now available on a first come first served basis. There will be no further reprintings.

To place your order, you should contact Con Nagle, 087 666 0609 or Paddy Walsh, 087 979 4748. You will be contacted later when the books are in the Club.

Appeal for new Referees at Adult and Minor levels.

Dublin GAA Appeal for new Referees at Adult and Minor levels

Please see message below from the County Board seeking new referees. Anyone interested in signing up for the referee course should forward their details to secretary ballybodenstendas.dublin@gaa.ie before Friday 12th March.

As you are aware, in anticipation of the lifting of current Covid restrictions, CCC is preparing for the season ahead. This year (2021) we have received a significant increase in the number of teams entered in our competitions across both codes at Adult and Minor levels with a significant number of clubs entering more teams than any previous year.

With the increase in teams, combined with withdrawals due to Covid fears, age, etc. comes an additional requirement for new referees. We are already operating with insufficient referees and this increase in teams will put even more pressure on CCC being able to appoint referees for all games.

Without an increase in referee numbers CCC will be unable to guarantee referees for all games in the coming season.

CCC plan to run a Foundation (Beginners) Course as soon as Public Health advice allows.

Support Local Business: Black Amber



Local business man Roy Kennedy set up the Black Amber group in 2014. With branches in Rathfarnham, Templeogue, Gorey and Naas, Black Amber has adapted its retail business over the last year.

Black Amber Rathfarnham and Templeogue now delivers its much loved products like Kerastase, Davines, Kevin.Murphy and Redken within a 5K radius of its salons. Products can be bought and paid for over the phone creating a contactless sale adhering to all government guidelines.

Products are delivered the same day.

Should you wish to purchase any of our retail brands or vouchers please drop us a line on info@blackamber.ie and one of our team will be more than happy to contact you.

<https://blackamber.ie/>

Support Local Business: Renault Belgard



Renault Retail Group is Ireland's only Renault owned dealership.

Being 100%-owned by Renault, enables us to offer you all Renault cars, vans and associated products and services at the best prices and backed with sound advice based on years of experience and passion for the Renault brand.

Renault Retail Group's history in Ireland goes back to 2012 when, it was established as your local Renault dealer on the [Belgard Road, Tallaght, Dublin 24.](#)

We're committed to delivering a quality experience to ensure our business continues to thrive.

Size matters and with all the Renault models available in Ireland and hundreds of Renault Selection approved used cars in stock today – if you're thinking Renault, think Renault Retail Group!

Why Choose Us?

- €500 discount for Ballyboden GAA Club members off any new Renault in the range
- A FREE home charger when you purchase an Electric or PHEV Model from our range
- We are 100% owned by Renault, enabling us to offer you the full range of RRG cars, vans and associated products and services at the best prices and backed with sound advice based on years of experience
- Friendly expert advice on sales and service of your vehicle
- Hundreds of used vehicles to choose from and reserve online for just €99 at rrg.ie
- C-it Now video service assistance

Support Local Business: Adventure Marine



Alex Murphy a Ballyboden member, has set-up e-commerce website www.adventure-marine.com

Working exclusively with Aqua Marina, Alex and his team are one of the rare few who have access to the new 2021 range of amazing inflatables. It sells isups, kayaks, dinghies & accessories to cater for the whole family. All the way from beginner to advanced.

Marine based activities absolutely exploded this year and for good reason. There is so much water locally and in surrounding areas which can be explored.

Imagine you could fold your kayak or SUP into a bag. Put them on your back, put them in the car, or take them on a plane. Our kayaks, canoes and stand up paddleboards fold up into a small backpack so you can take them wherever you want, whenever you want. Once they're inflated, they're as solid as the real thing. This is adventure made easy!

My favourite time to use my SUP is after an away game with some of the team or family. Sea water is great for recovery and it makes those long trips a bit easier!

Please visit our website and if you are thinking of buying a product send me a whatsapp on 087 621 3873 or simply give me a call!

Support Local Business: Kate Campbell, Strictly Sugarcraft



Strictly Sugarcraft was established in 2015, its owner, Boden member Kate Campbell a keen cake decorator found it very difficult to source cake decorating products in Southside Dublin.

The local areas of Rathfarnham, Ballyboden and Firhouse really needed a retail store and Kate duly obliged and opened in 2015.

Strictly Sugarcraft and its staff have made lots of cake friends since its beginning and with a loyal customer base they are very pleased to have recently expanded their retail store in Nutgrove and provide a welcoming friendly space to pop in and wander round.

In 2016 the online store www.sugarcraft.ie came online with over 3000 products, with click and collect or next day shipping available it's easy to navigate and very user friendly.

Our local staff are professional bakers and fully trained cake decorators and are always happy to assist and advise you with your cake decorating needs so please either pop in or visit them online or simply call on 089 707 0120.

Visit us at Nutgrove Office Park, Rathfarnham, D14X802

Why not follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) for the latest product information.

www.Sugarcraft.ie

Support local business: Courtville - Matthew Weldon Jewellery



Rare, unique, beautiful and sustainable jewellery is the speciality of Courtville- Matthew Weldon.

Based in the corner of Powerscourt Townhouse centre on the first floor, it is a small shop with expert gemologists and antique /vintage jewellery experts on hand to assist with all your jewellery requests.

The services we offer are :

- Antique and vintage jewellery,
- Engagement rings,
- Bespoke jewellery,
- Irish silver,
- Valuations.

We cater to all price points and have an ecommerce website - but please note due to high turnover of stock sometimes pieces dont make it onto the website so always worth calling in or following us on instagram.

If you are looking for something truly special, with quality gemstones, excellent client service and keen value definitely worth exploring Courtvilles collection

Support local business: Jensen Fleet Solutions



At Jensen Fleet Solutions we know that a business fleet is essential to smooth operation. We specialize in personalized professional vehicle leasing whereby we take the hassle out of fleet management, leaving you free to focus on your business.

Why Use Us?

- Dedicated account manager
- We specialise in small fleets

- Any queries answered immediately
- Your personalised partner throughout the contract
- Fully Irish owned and operated, stay local, shop local
- 100% Independent

For the consumer we offer fantastic second-hand ex lease vehicles for sale. These vehicles are one owner Irish vehicles, with full-service histories and warranties.

We welcome any AA Inspection on our vehicles as we are extremely confident in the vehicles, we sell

Think of Jensen for all your motoring needs.

GAA April 2021 Newsletter



Here is the latest edition of the GAA Club Newsletter for members.

<https://www.gaa.ie/stories/read-the-latest-club-newsletter-april-2021/>

This month's edition includes the following.

- Covid-19 update for clubs: Nearly there
- How to avoid injury when returning to play
- GAA launch new series of movement break resources for children
- GAA launch Community Heart Programme
- How regionalisation could grow club hurling

Correspondence can be sent to clubnewsletter@gaa.ie

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.

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 <https://learning.gaa.ie/planner/>

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

- '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/5lOTk69ctQc>

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 gamesdevelopment@gaa.ie

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 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.

#bodengaa

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.

Concussion Management

Concussion Management Guidelines for Gaelic Games

▣ Prepare

▶ Perform

✚ Recover

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Prepare Perform Recover

If in Doubt, Sit Them Out

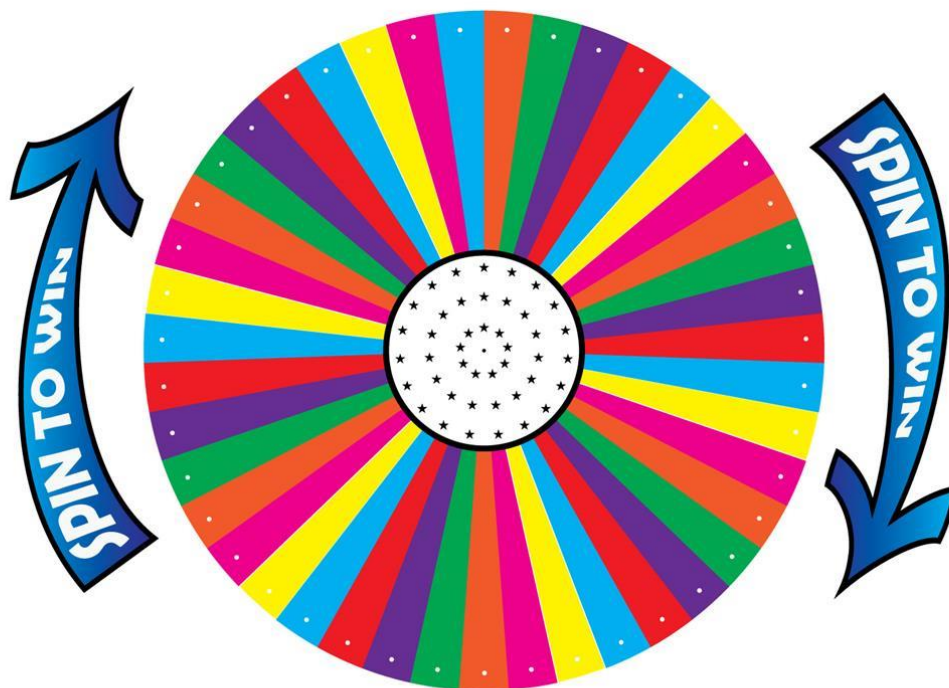
Gaelic games can be physical sports, and, while collisions are not a primary element of our games, they can occasionally happen. There has been an increasing number of concussion injuries over the past year, and it is important that team managers, mentors and first aid people can recognise the symptoms 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

SPIN THE WHEEL @ BODEN



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 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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Ballyboden Summer Camp Returns!

Posted by Susan McManus on 4 May, 2021

Our very popular Summer Camp returns this July and August! Registration for the camp will be fully online this year through our club website and places are limited on each week of the camp! Registration will be going live this week! Camp Dates: July 5 – 9th, July 12 – 16th, July 19th – 23rd, August 9th – 13th, August...

The post [Ballyboden Summer Camp Returns!](#) appeared first on [Ballyboden](#).

The Boden Beat – Episode 2 – Paul Ryan

Posted by Susan McManus on 1 May, 2021

On Episode 2 of The Boden Beat, and ten years on from winning the National League title we chat to Boden Senior Hurler & recently-retired Dublin star, Paul Ryan about all things hurling. It should also be available on all your usual podcast providers. You'll find it on Spotify [here](#) and Apple Podcasts [here](#)

The post [The Boden Beat – Episode 2 – Paul Ryan](#) appeared first on [Ballyboden](#).

Bereavement – Butler

Posted by EamonnTreacy on 26 April, 2021

The club community is saddened to hear of the death of John Butler. We send our condolences to his wife Una, to his children Caroline, Martina and John, and to all his extended family and friends. John will be reposing at Massey's Funeral home beside the Eden Pub on Tuesday between 2-4pm. Ar dheis Dé...

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