

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





## **Club Lotto Results, Thursday 5th August 2021**



The Winning numbers in last Thursday's Club Lotto were 21 07 12 08

Nior bhuaigh duine ar bith an Pota Oir -  $\notin$ 3,500 agus bhuaigh beirt an 'Match First 3 numbers draw' of  $\notin$ 300 who each receive  $\notin$ 150.

- David Power, Knocklyon
- James Murray, Knocklyon

Next week's draw takes place on **Thursday 12th August**. The Jackpot will be €4,000.

Join the Lotto today by signing up <u>here</u> or to play on a weekly basis <u>see here</u>.

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 2021 Golf Classic**



	Ballyl	ooden St. Enda's	G.U.I. handicaps or Society handicaps will apply     All cards must show handicap of each player     We wish to participate in the Classic as follows:     TeeSponsorship €200 O     Green Sponsorship €100 O
	VENUE	Edmondstown Golf Club	Entry of a Team €400 O We enclose payment €
	DATE	Friday 3rd September 2021	we enclose payment €
	FORMAT	18 Hole Stableford Four Ball Best two scores to count on each hole	Address
	ENTRY	€400 per team	Tel-
	PRIZES	From 1st to 4th	
		Front Nine	Entry forms to be returned to
		Back Nine	Jack Nolan / Liam Deane
		Nearest Pin	Ballyboden St. Endas, Firhouse Road, Dublin 16.
		Longest Drive	Tel: 067 236 6622
	MEAL	Meal immediately after round in Edmondstown Golf Club	Cheques payable to Ballyboden St. Endas
			EDMONDSTOWN GOLF CLUB
			Situated just 2km from Ballyboden St. Endas GAA Club,
			Edmondstown course provides a trate test of championship golf. In addition, the old style clubhouse with their friendly and course itself.

## Senior football, League v Cuala, Hyde Park, 8 August 2021

Ballyboden St Endas 1 – 20 Cuala 1 – 10

On a very windy day in Dalkey the seniors had a convincing win to bring this year's COVID half league to a close, unbeaten.

Playing against the strong wind, Aran Waters had the ball over the bar inside the first minute. Darren O'Reilly added another three minutes later before Cuala got their first. Despite the wind, Boden got the next five points, three from Conal Keaney (1 free) and two from Warren Egan (1 free). Cuala got two back (1 free) before Conal added another pointed free. The home team had the last score of the half in added time leaving the score 0-8 to 0-4.

Almost from the throw-in, Conal Keaney had the ball over the bar with the aid of the wind. By the 11th minute Conal had added three more from play while Warren Egan added two from frees with Cuala yet to score. The home team had a goal attempt cleared off the line by Shane Clayton and a minute later their plight was worsened when Michael Darragh Macauley caught a high ball in midfield that eventually reached Darren O'Reilly

bearing down on goal and he finished to the net. Cuala got their first point of the half from a free, but Conal Keaney quickly cancelled this out. The Dalkey side then had their best spell with three pointed frees in succession. Conal Keaney and Mikey Dunne added points for the visitors, but then Cuala managed to beat the Boden defence and finished to the net. Simon Lambert (from a 45) and Alan Flood got two points back as normal time was up. Cuala managed two more points in added time with Conal Keaney adding to his haul with the last score of the match from play.

This win was not sufficient to achieve a place in the league final as three draws earlier in the campaign meant we dropped three points. Crokes only dropped two points, coincidently to Boden, and are now in the league final.

TEAM: Darragh Gogan; Harry Donaghy; Shane Clayton; Cathal Flaherty; Paddy Dunleavy; Darragh Nelson; Tom Hanifin; Aran Waters; Declan O'Mahony; Donogh McCabe; Darren O'Reilly; Warren Egan; Ryan O'Dwyer; Conal Keaney; Ciarán O'Reilly. SUBS USED: Luke O'Donoghue; Michael Darragh Macauley; Alan Flood; Simon Lambert; Jake Turley; Mikey Dunne.

#### AFL3 v Clanna Gael Fontenoy, 7 August 2021

#### Ballyboden St. Enda's 0-15 Clanna Gael Fontenoy 0-13

The final 2021 league game took place on Saturday 7th August in Ballyboden HQ, Páirc Uí Mhurchú. Despite the date the conditions were more akin to autumn - heavy blustery showers and a stiff breeze blowing into the Cremorne stand.

The pitch was in immaculate condition even after two games in the inaugural Brendan Moran tournament.

After the recent losses of players to injuries it was great to assemble something approaching an intermediate football team. The return from long-term injury of Jack Lambert was most welcome as took his place in the starting lineup. He would go on to make a robust contribution indicating that all the pieces had been reassembled in the right order - thank God for that.

Making his debut start in the corner was young Davey Keane. Again another valuable and calm contribution that belied his youth (and paternal DNA, sorry Pat).

Playing with the aid of a stiff breeze Boden opened brightly. Movement was good, communications were good but the radar was faulty. At the back Josh and Jack were commanding and snuffed out Clanna Gael's threatening forays. Ste managed the kickouts well giving us a good platform for attacks. Johnny and Eoin were solid creating a barrier for the opposition and a launching pad for Boden. In the middle Conor and Tommy contested and controlled the central exchanges.

Despite owning the ball in the opening half the score was 8-4 in favour of Boden. Luke, Davey and Emmet were lively, benefitting from the movement and cleverness of Bagsie, Dillon and Enda. Even Truck got on the scoreboard. Emmet was lively and threatening. Leachie had worked his socks off but the recent time off was taking its toll.

Following a couple of changes at the break with Mark and big Joe entering the fray Boden again started brightly tapping over a couple of scores. The visitors now with the aid of the breeze finally woke up. Pressure increased as the gap was narrowed. Gillo entered to replace Jack who had an impressive return to play. Between Josh, Gillo and Conor they managed to deny visitors easy chances and protected the goal well.

The game was levelled at 12 points a piece at the final water break and very much in the melting pot. Young Sweeney made an appearance, the son of a Donegal man replaced a native Donegal man. His ball carrying abilities were crucial in the final quarter. Boden had stared into the abyss of defeat before and decided it wasn't going to happen today. Committed controlled football began to emerge; this was followed by intelligent football, all of which reasserted Boden's dominance on the scoreboard. In the end Boden deservedly ran out 15-13 winners.

The spine of the team performed well, from Josh to Johnny to Tommy to Dillon. These were ably abetted by Eoin, Luke, Joe, Bagsie and David.

It was nice to finish the league campaign with a victory, making it 4 wins out of 7. The team finished second in the AFL3 South group just missing out on a place in the final.

Team: Stephen McGrath (30' Mark McNamee), Conor Hanrahan, Josh Hayes, Jack Lambert (35' David Gilheaney), Eoin Behan, John Murphy, David Leach (30' Joe Maguire), Tommy Burke, Conor Lowe, Ruairi Kirwan, Dillon Ward, Enda Cashman (45' Evan Flanagan), Emmet Doogan (40' Daire Sweeney), Luke Byrne, David Keane. Not used: Dylan Walsh.

#### Junior A Football v Kilmacud Crokes 8 August 2021

With history on the line, and the chance to beat the mighty Dubs to the 7 in a row, Kilmacud were the visitors to Ballycullen for the final round of Junior A league fixtures.

In the absence of Declan Maguire (completing an anger management course prior to the Minor A final on August 18th) the management team hit the pitch at 5am to allow sufficient time to match the meticulous preparation put in by Dec before every match this season.

In an otherwise uneventful first quarter, the most notable action was a stern challenge on Richie's Dad as Daire Sweeney sought in vain to prevent a line ball to Kilmacud. "He didn't f\*\*'in keep the ball in and he clocked me Da!!", a clearly shaken Connell was rumoured to say under his breath. Even the ref wanted to book Daire.

The game continued score for score until Dean Ralph raised a green flag with an absolute rocket. Such was the strength of the wind the ball didn't even hit the back of the net.

Boden were working tirelessly and tacked on a few nice scores from the boot of Larry Murphy and Cian Hassett. Earlier scores from Luke Mulligan and Charlie McPartland had boden 5 to the good.

Late in the half, Crokes made sure the second half might be interesting by converting a penalty, given for a very innocuous challenge by Charlie McPartland. There are unconfirmed rumours the ref picked up a speeding ticket on the way home from the game for going 31km in a 30k zone. Karma.

#### Half Time BB 1-5 Kilmacud 1-3

"What do you think Tadhg, any thoughts," enquired Duffy at half time. "So long as Cork don't beat Kilkenny we should be fine, I'd hate me rebel relatives to be all cock-a-hoop after the good beatin' we gave them in the football, clearly the Kerry man's head on events later that day at HQ. Duffy took the message and gave out "sh1te" to Boden keeper (from Cork!) about boasting how good he was in the first half, lest he get above his station...giving the ol' thumbs up to Tadhg. Message heard bud.

With the strongest wind every recorded on the Ballycullen Beaufort scale, Boden took total control in the second half and the D show of Damian Kenny and Daire Kenny kept the score board ticking with some really excellent build up work across the lines. At the back, Boden were a fortress and Crokes, struggling against the wind, only managed a lucky goal when the wind got in the eye of the otherwise excellent Kiely.

Duffy wasn't pleased he didn't get the 18 team scores he craved. Such are the standards, this team will be lucky to see a ball next week at practice, but first up a few well-earned cold ones in the Boden "tint", not courtesy of Duffy, where it's fair to say our blood and bandage members will be in fine fettle after taming the cats at HQ. Boden Abú

Final Score BB 3-12 Kilmacud 2-3

#### **Brendan Moran Cup - Match reports**



Vinny Moran presents the Brendan Moran Trophy to to the winning captain, Tom Kenny. Also in the photo is the Michael Whelan of Maplewood, the Tournament Sponsor

What a weekend for the hurling enthusiasts.

We hosted a senior hurling tournament in honour of our former Chairman Brendan Moran where we invited three top class teams from Limerick, Kilkenny, and Antrim. On Friday night in Sancta Maria we had Kilmallock of Limerick up against the mighty Dicksboro of Kilkenny and at same time on PUM we had Loughgiel Shamrocks of Antrim against Boden. Both contests were tightly contested with Dicksboro eventually winning out against a strong Kilmallock side. On PUM we were served up with a feast of goals with Loughgiel recording five and Boden slotted in seven. A draw was a fitting result from both teams who gave their all with a penalty shootout the expected outcome. However, the management of Loughgiel were very gracious and offered to play in Shield final. As hosts Boden were very appreciative of the gesture and all was set for a feast of hurling the following day.

Unfortunately, the rain clouds came in overnight but didn't dampen any of the enthusiasm and shield final between Loughgiel v Kilmallock went ahead as planned followed by Cup final, Dicksboro v BBSE.

Loughgiel took the spoils in the first game and were happy to head up the M1 having got two serious hurling games under their belt. However, it was off to Croker for the Kilmallock lads, and I think the "bonding session" was well under way before they left Firhouse Road.

With a youthful Boden side lining out against a seasoned Dicksboro side, it was always going to be a big ask to deliver the silverware. The Kilkenny side powered into an early lead, but Boden continued to keep in touch with some excellent teamwork and only in the last quarter did Dicksboro push ahead and were very deserving winners in the end.

The silverware was presented by Vinny Moran (Brendan's son) and Michael Whelan (Maplewood Residential, sponsor of tournament) to Dicksboro captain, Tom Kenny. The evening finished with a BBQ for all those involved, and everyone sat back and enjoyed a very sociable evening watching the ALL Ireland semi-final. The Limerick lads may not have won our tournament, but I think the win in Croker was much more rewarding.

The buzz around the club was fantastic and Brendan himself would have enjoyed every minute of it. Occasions like this just wouldn't happen without the support of so many people.

Our sponsors for the day, Michael Whelan of Maplewood Residential, has always been very supportive of the club and again came up trumps this time. I know you were very close to Brendan, and we wish you continued success in your business.

Can I express our sincere gratitude to the committee, management team and bar staff who worked tirelessly to pull it all together. I would also like to thank those who assisted as referees, umpires, linesmen, traffic management, ticket sales etc, all hugely important for the smooth running of the event but sometimes can go unnoticed.

Our photographers, John Kirwan and Clíona Mellett deserve special mention. They braved the elements, in particular on Saturday, to ensure the event was photographed for posterity.

Links to each game are posted here:

- Click <u>here</u> for a link to Kilmallock V Dicksboro
- Click <u>here</u> for a link to BBSE V Loughgiel Shamrocks
- Click <u>here</u> for a link to Kilmallock V Loughgiel Shamrocks
- Click <u>here</u> for a link to Dicksboro V BBSE

With the business end of the year fast approaching we wish all our teams across all codes the very best in their championship endeavours.

Congrats to our minor hurling teams on two great wins on Sunday morning. The and to Alex Murphy, winner of our Firepit.

Best Regards,

John Ryan Hurling Chairman

**Other Games** 

The Minor A team had a fine win over Faughs in a high scoring game in Tymon North. A four point win in a highly entertaining game on a scoreline of 5 14 to 2 19. We finish 3rd in our group. Kilmacud win the group and play the winners of the North City group in the final.

The Minor B team had a good win over St. Peregrines on a scoreline of 2 10 to 2 10. There are three teams on 8 points (Peregrines, Boden and Naomh Olaf) and score difference comes into play in that circumstance. We await clarification from CCC on who wins the group.

The Minor C game V Kilmacud Crokes was postponed.





## Hurling Fixtures



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Wednesday, August 11<sup>th</sup> •AHL 1 V Lucan Sarsfields at 7.30pm in 12<sup>th</sup> Lock

Sunday, August 15th

AHL 2 V Crumlin at 11.00am in Sancta Maria
AHL 4 V Cuala at 11.00am in Ballycullen
AHL 6 v St. Jude's at 11.00am in Tymon Park
AHL 8 V St. Peregrine's at 11.00am in Ballycullen



**Camogie Round-up** 



#### Senior C Camogie

Best of luck to the Senior C Camogie team who are playing in the Cup semi-final on **Tuesday 10th August**. They take on Setanta in PUM.

#### **Senior B Camogie**

Senior B Camogie had an emphatic win over St. Pat's at home on Thursday in PUM which saw them proceed to the Cup final. They now take on Naomh Mearnóg away in Portmarnock this coming Thursday in the Cup final.

#### **Senior A Camogie**

The Senior A Camogie team had a great win over Lucan Sarsfields on Sunday in the semifinal of the Cup on PUM. The previous tie between BBSE and Lucan ended in a Boden victory, so Lucan were looking to level the score sheet. Boden started well by getting a few early points and defended strong Lucan attacks, who had the wind advantage in the first half. The score at the break was 0-6 to 0-3 to the home side.

A momentum shift for the visiting side saw them hit the net twice within the opening ten minutes of the second half. Two more quick points for Lucan saw them go 2-5 to 0-6 ahead. However, Boden responded well and prevented multiple Lucan attacks from materialising. Following the second half water break, BBSE found their range and began to pop over points from both play and placed balls and ran out eventual winners 0-14 to 2-5. A tough battle on PUM for the home side, but the ladies in blue and white rallied well after going five points down to win by three.

#### Boden take on St. Vincent's in the final of the Cup next Sunday at 10.30am in PUM.

#### **Dublin Minor Camogie**

Congratulations to Sadie, Leonie, Áine, Julie and the Dublin Camogie Minor team for a great

win over Tipperary on Sunday in the final game of the Minor Championship group stage. They are through to the knock-out stages of the Tesco All Ireland Minor Camogie Championship.



## Ladies Junior C Football Championship - Senior C v Portobello 4 August 2021



For their third game in Championship, the ladies travelled to Leinster Road for this challenging encounter v Portobello. And what a game it turned out to be!

Portobello were a very strong, fit and skilful opposition requiring the Boden ladies to really dig deep. There was very little between the sides throughout the whole game with Boden finishing strongly with a fine 10 minute spell to close out the game.

The backs, once again, showed their confidence and composure, never panicking under the constant pressure. Amy Cunningham has proved herself as a key corner back, keeping things

steady and consistently playing a vital role. Pushing forward and looking for the breaks, our midfields and half forwards kept patient, waiting for the opportunities to break through a strong Portobello defence. The duo of Grace Campbell and Aisling Gargan in midfield, kept the momentum up, feeding in ball after ball to the forwards.

Portobello certainly put it up to the ladies, finding gaps and managing to work through a number of fine scores, exposing their defence at times. Perseverance and composure was the name of the game, with Ballyboden keeping their cool right till the end. An absolute cracker of a save from goalkeeper Ally Ramsden late in the second half kept Ballyboden on top. A fantastic display of football from both teams on the night but with Ballyboden managing to keep a safe distance ahead.

And interesting week ahead for the Boden ladies with Championship Semi final v Ranelagh Gaels set for Wednesday 11th.

Boden Abú

#### Final Score: Ballyboden 2-12 Portobello 1-10

Photos by Cliona Mellett. For more, see here

# Boden hold on to see off 'Bello challenge

#### Dublin LGFA JFC 'C'



There was a great write up on the Ladies match by Rónán Mac Lochlainn in the Herard (9th August). The article also appears online in the Sports section in the Independent.ie website. To read the match report <u>see here</u>

## LADIES FOOTBALL FIXTURES



Wednesday 11th August 2021

Adult Cup Go-Ahead Adult Cup Division 1 Semi Final in Lawless Park Ballyboden St Endas v Fingallians

Junior Championship Go-Ahead Junior C Championship Semi Final in Cherryfield Ballyboden St Endas v Ranelagh Gaels Go-Ahead Junior E Championship Ballyboden St Endas v Round Towers Lusk

All games throw in at 7.30pm

## **MFC FINAL FIXTURE!**



290 days after the original match was to be played the 2020 minor football final will be played on **Wednesday 18th August at 8.15** in Parnell Park, 11 months after the original date.

Mark the diaries and get yourselves to Parnell Park to cheer our lads on and hopefully we can make it worth the wait!

## U10 Maya's 'Good Hair Day': Please Support!!



Maya Murphy, one of our U10 football and camogie duallers, has a fundraising drive for Laura Lynn's 'Locks of Love' cause - she hopes to raise as much money for Laura Lynn as possible by donating 14 inches of her hair! This is all her own initiative and very worthy of your support. Details below - and very well done Maya for such a brilliant fundraiser - maith thú! Please support Maya!! Details of how to donate in Maya's message below:

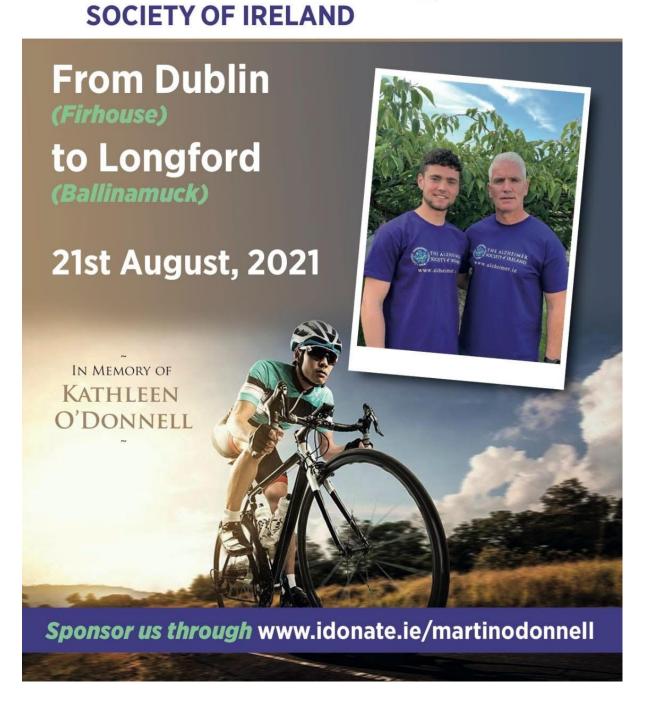
Hello all at Ballyboden St. Enda's GAA. I will be donating 14 inches of my hair to the Laura Lynn 'locks of love' cause. Any donations gratefully accepted. Thank you so much for your support. Maya Murphy, Ballyboden St. Enda's U10 Football & Camogie Team. <u>https://www.idonate.ie/fundraiser/11409781\_maya---s-hair-donation-fundraiser.html</u>.

#### **140KM Sponsored Cycle**

### Martin & Séan O'Donnell

**140KM CYCLE** IN AID OF THE ALZHEIMER





Good luck to father and son club members Martin & Séan O'Donnell in their upcoming 140km sponsored cycle.

The lads plan to cycle from Firhouse to Longford on Saturday 21st August in aid of The Alzheimer Society of Ireland in memory of Martin's Mam Kathleen O Donnell.

To support the lads in their fundraiser, see <u>here</u> Many thanks to all who have donated to date.

#### **Boden Bliss is not to be missed!**



There has been great excitement at the club and in the general area recently with the opening of our brand new ice cream bar in the clubhouse! Boden Bliss is open daily and serves ice cream, milkshakes and treats for all the family! It has been proven to be particularly welcome during all the good weather we have had of late! Make sure you come down and try it out for yourself!

Opening hours:

Monday – Friday 1:00pm – 9:00pm

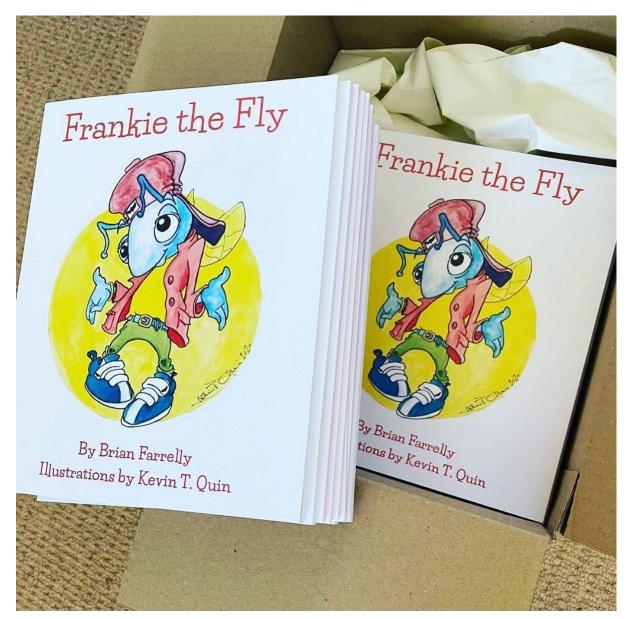
Saturday & Sunday 11:30am – 9:00pm

## Patio Heater with Club Logo



The Hurling Section are running a promotion for a Chimnea, a solid fuel mild steel patio burner with club logo, for the next few weeks. Tickets are  $\in$ 5 each or  $\in$ 10 for three. The unit can be viewed in the clubhouse and tickets available from any member of staff. Please spread the word with family and friends.

## **Introducing Frankie the Fly**



A new children's book written by Rathfarnham native Brian Farrelly is now on sale raising money for a great cause, LauraLynn, Ireland's Children's Hospice.

Frankie the Fly is the story of a creative and resourceful fly, finding different ways of travelling from place to place. His affinity is to children who are more amenable to his tales.

The book has already raised  $\notin 2,500$  for LauraLynn and hoping to raise more. It's on sale at <u>frankiethefly.ie</u> at  $\notin 15$  plus postage per copy. Your support will be much appreciated.

### **BBSE - Defibrillator locations**



#### **Our defibrillators - where are they?**

The Club has a defibrillator at the Clubhouse grounds (above) and at Sancta Maria (below). The defibrillators are stored in temperature controlled storage unit. There is no lock on the defibrillator storage units.

#### **Clubhouse**

The defibrillator is located on the external wall of the Clubhouse, between the Tribe coffee station and the bar emergency exit double doors.

#### <u>Sancta Maria</u>

The defibrillator is positioned at the door of the gym on the outside wall of the courtyard.

We would like to thank South Dublin County Council who provided a contribution to the costs of the defibrillators and storage units through their Community Grants Programme.

## **THE BODEN BEAT – EPISODE 3 – VALERIE MULCAHY**



On Episode 3 of The Boden Beat, we are joined by Ballyboden St Endas Ladies Football player/manager and Cork Ladies Football legend Valerie Mulcahy.

Valerie chats about how she got involved with Boden, her incredible playing career, her coaching career to date, how she and her management team managed through Covid and the importance of diversity and inclusivity in the GAA.

Listen now on Soundcloud <u>Stream The Boden Beat Episode 3- Valerie Mulcahy by</u> Ballyboden St Endas | Listen online for free on SoundCloud

It should also be available on all your usual podcast providers. You'll find it on <u>Spotify</u> <u>here</u> and <u>Apple Podcasts here</u>

### **Club shop - Opening Times**

The club shop is now open on Thursday nights, from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. and on Saturdays, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Only one person/family will be permitted inside at a time and masks must be worn at all times.

### **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.

#### **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 <u>info@blackamber.ie</u> 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 <u>Belgard Road, Tallaght, Dublin 24.</u>

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 <u>rrg.ie</u>
- 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 <u>www.sugarcraft.ie</u> 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.

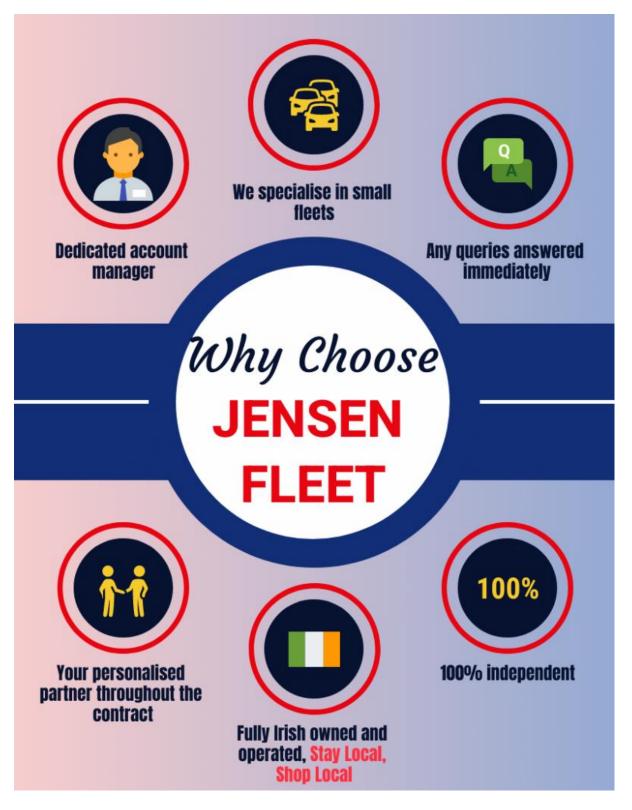
#### The services we offer are :

- 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 July 2021 Newsletter**



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

https://www.gaa.ie/news/read-the-latest-club-newsletter-july-2021/

This month's edition includes the following.

- GAA Covid updates
- Dromahair GAA club successfully fundraise for defibrillator
- GAA for Dads and Lads programme launched
- All-Ireland Rounders Finals
- Martin Fogarty explains why systematic fouling is ruining hurling

Correspondence can be sent to <u>clubnewsletter@gaa.ie</u>

### **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 <u>@GAAlearning</u> twitter page. Primary teachers are encouraged to share lesson plans, learning material and ideas by email to <u>gamesdevelopment@gaa.ie</u> 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 '<u>@GAAlearning</u>' and past sessions can be viewed on our <u>Youtube Page</u> '<u>GAALearning</u>'

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 <u>@GAALearning</u>

#### **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 <u>'https://learning.gaa.ie</u>/' or twitter page <u>@GAALearning</u>

### **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

## 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.

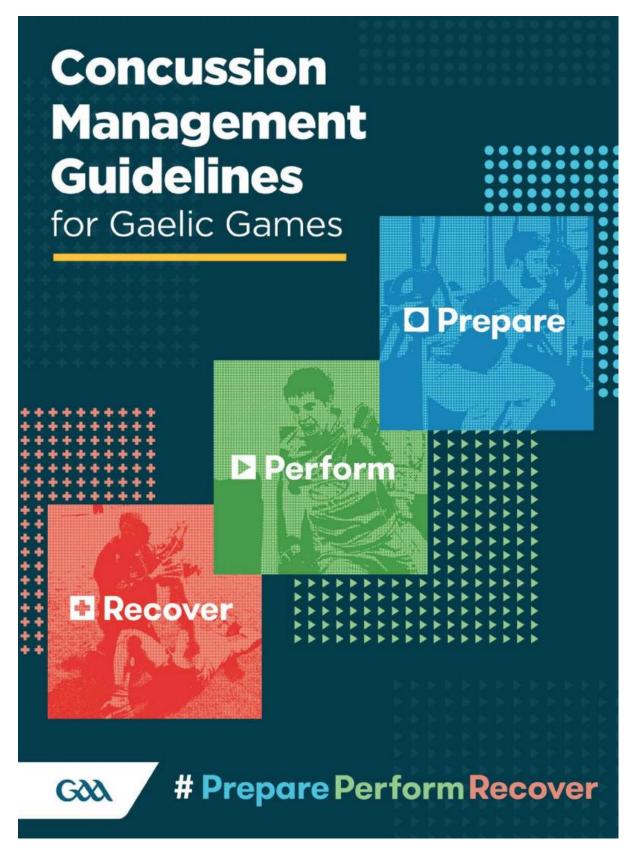
suggests or encourages illegal activity.

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**



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

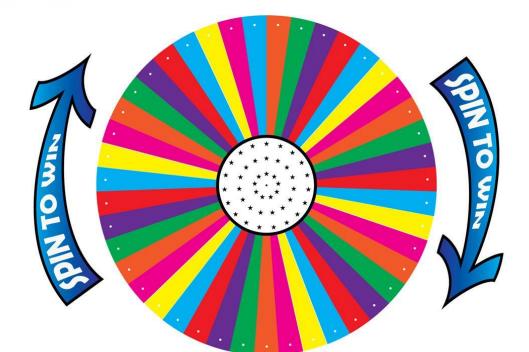
injuries over the past year, and it is important that team managers, mentors and first aid people can recognise the symptoms and know the correct actions to take in order to ensure the safety of the player. Player safety is the most important consideration in a concussion, or any injury situation. It 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  $\notin$  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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#### Ladies Football Junior C Championship

Posted by Cliona Mellett on 10 August, 2021

Ballyboden St Endas Senior C v Portobello Wednesday 4th August, 7.30pm Leinster Road For their third game in Championship, the ladies travelled to Leinster Road for this challenging encounter v Portobello. And what a game it turned out to be! Portobello were a very strong, fit and skilful opposition requiring the Boden ladies to really... The post Ladies Football Junior C Championship appeared first on Ballyboden.

#### **Brendan Moran Cup**

Posted by EamonnTreacy on 9 August, 2021

What a weekend for the hurling enthusiasts. Vinny Moran presents the Brendan Moran Trophy to to the winning captain, Tom Kenny. Also in the photo is the Michael Whelan of Maplewood, the Tournament Sponsor We hosted a senior hurling tournament in honour of our former Chairman Brendan Moran where we invited three top class teams...

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#### **Golf Classic Returns Friday, September 3rd**

Posted by Neil Buckingham on 4 August, 2021

Our annual Club Golf Classic returns on Friday, September 3rd 2021. To book your team download the form below. Best of luck to all teams. Boden Golf Classic Brochure 2021

The post Golf Classic Returns Friday, September 3rd appeared first on Ballyboden.

#### "Two Giants" called to their eternal reward

Posted by Alan Kinsella on 30 July, 2021

Within a short few days at the height of summer, two legends of Ballyboden St. Endas departed for the championship fields of eternity. As the funeral of Eddie Finn was about to take place, word went around the 'Boden guard of honour (on Friday 30 July 2021) at St. John the Evangelist Church, Ballinteer that...

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