

COUNTY BOARD NEWS

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U21 County Football Finals

Congratulations to the winners of the Evening Echo County U21 Football Finals played recently – the 'A' competition was won by Carbery representatives **Castlehaven**, who beat Ballincollig on a scoreline of 2-13 to 1-3, while East Cork champions **Erin's Own** won the inaugural 'B' final, defeating Passage West 1-8 to 0-9.

Evening Echo

Munster Grants 2010

Details of grants available and forms (updated 2009) are available in the **Downloads** section of the Cork GAA website, www.gaacork.ie. The closing date by which applications for these grants must be received by Cork County Board for 2010 is **August 31st**.



New Cup Honours Seán Crowley

On July 22nd the Crowley family (Bandon) presented the Corn Úí Chruialaoich to the Cork County Board in honour of their late father Seán, to be played for in the U21 B Football Championship. The cup was won that night by Erin's Own, who beat Passage West 1-8 to 0-9.



Back row (l-r): Niall Crowley, Noel Crowley, Eilish Long, Frank Crowley, Fr. Finbarr Crowley
Front row (l-r): Pearse Murphy (Co. Treasurer), Ronan Crowley, Jerry O'Sullivan (Co. Chairman), Colleen Long, Frank Murphy (Co. Runaí)
**Photo courtesy George Hatchell*

Cork v Kilkenny

The Cork Hurlers play Kilkenny in the All-Ireland Semi-final on Sunday August 8th at 3.30pm in Croke Park. Tickets are on sale online or can be purchased on the day - [click here](#) for morw information, or see www.gaacork.ie. Good luck to all involved!
The Cork Footballers will play Dublin in the All-Ireland semi-final on August 22nd – see www.gaacork.ie for ticket information when available.



Photo courtesy George Hatchell

Cork GAA on Twitter

Don't forget you can now follow Cork GAA on Twitter! Signing up is simple, just go to <http://twitter.com/OfficialCorkGAA> or click on the image below. Our followers get regular news updates such as team releases, ticket sales etc, as well as live updates from inter-county matches etc.

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Dates for Your Diary

8th August: All-Ireland SHC Semi-Final Cork v Kilkenny, Croke Park, 3.30pm.
17th August: County Board Meeting
22nd August: All-Ireland SFC Semi-Final Cork v Dublin, Croke Park, 3.30pm
28th August: All-Ireland IHC Final, Cork v Galway/Kilkenny, time and venue tbc



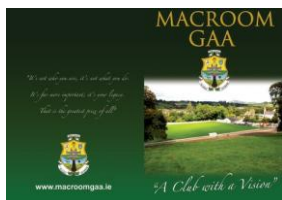
Croke Park Car Park

The O'Connell School Car Park is within sight of Croke Park with easy access to all stands. Funding from the car park goes to the upkeep of the Primary and Secondary schools on the site, while 10% is given to the school's Zambian development programme. Parking costs €10 per car. [Click here](#) for more info or see www.gaacork.ie



Macroom 7s

Macroom GAA will hold their inaugural Summer Sevens Gaelic Mens Football Competition on 21st August 2010. To enter, email macroom7s@gmail.com. Entry will be on a first come first served basis. It promises to be a great day out and all supporters for teams will be more than welcomed by Macroom GAA. For more information, email conorhurl@gmail.com or macroom7s@gmail.com.



East Cork Board Launches New Cup

The new Jamesy Kelleher Cup was unveiled recently by the East Cork Board. Special guest at the event was Joan Cheasty, daughter of the late Jamesy Kelleher, who travelled from Waterford to attend the event with members of her family.

The original cup was purchased on November 21st 1947 and was first presented to Carrigtwohill. In recent years the cup has become frail and prone to damage, and so the decision was taken to replace it with an almost exact replica which will be presented to the 2010 Junior A Champions for the first time.



Pictured at the launch: Oliver Loughlin (ECB Treasurer), Liam Ó Rinn (Runáí), Joan Cheasty (née Kelleher), Michael O'Brien (ECB Chairman), Tracey Kennedy (ECB PRO), Gerard Lane (Co. PRO), Liam Ó Laochdha (Co. Irish/Cultural Officer)

**Photo courtesy Declan Barron*

Cork GAA Clubs' Draw

The Cork GAA Clubs' Draw is the ideal no-risk fundraising opportunity for clubs. For example,
200 Tickets = €9,000 for the club
400 Tickets = €20,000 for the club
700 Tickets = €38,500 for the club.

Plan now for the 2010/2011 Draw Series:

Contact Seamus Coughlan @ 021-4291122/email corkgaadraw@eircom.net



Pictured at the July Draw hosted by Kilbrin
**Photo courtesy John Tarrant*

Teen Camps

These 3-day Youth Development camps are run by Cork GAA Games Development and some places still remain for the football camps.

They are open to 13-15 year-olds and will run from 10am to 1pm daily (Tuesday to Thursday) at various venues – for full details and to download an application form see <http://url.ie/6osx>, contact your local GDA or see www.corkgamesdevelopment.ie



Cadbury's Heroes

Cadbury, as proud sponsor of the U21 Football Championship are encouraging fans to vote for the best **15** U21 players over the last 5 years (2005-2010), who will then be named as the **Cadbury 15**. Get behind your county players! To vote, click on the link below!

<http://www.cadburygau21.com/cadbury-15.php>



Leagues Report

While excellent progress has been made in our Leagues this year, there are still **138 games** to play before the cut-off date of **October 10th**. With our Football Championships on hold (after Sunday) pending Cork's progress in the All-Ireland series, this is an ideal opportunity for **football** clubs to work towards completing their League programme. Our target for this year is to get all games played, and clubs should note that unplayed games will incur a €100 fine. For full report, see www.gaacork.ie



Cork Minor Football

Congratulations to the Cork Minor Footballers, who reached the All-Ireland Semi-Final with a dramatic victory over Armagh on Sunday. While the Orchard County dominated the first half, Cork never gave up and claimed victory with a late goal, 3-11 to 0-19. They now meet Galway in the Semi-Final, **August 29th**.



The Cork Minor Football Selectors

Congratulations to Seamus Coffey

Well done to Seamus Coffey of UCC who recently won the Munster Poc Fada Competition and represented the province at the All-Ireland Finals on August 31st.



Seamus Coffey receives the Munster Poc Fada Cup from Munster Chairman Seán Walsh.

Evening Echo Championship Fixtures

Wednesday 4th August

- @ Carrigadroichead, PIFC Nemo Rangers v Bantry Blues, 7.30pm (J. Bermingham)
- @ Donoughmore, PIFC Mayfield v Mallow, 7.30pm (D. Forde)
- @ Youghal, IHC Aghada v Fermoy, 7 pm (D. O'Leary).

Friday 6th August

- @ Rossmore, SFC Dohenys v Carbery Rangers, 7.30pm (J. Dorgan)
- @ Ovens, PIFC Ballinora v Newcestown, 7.30pm (D. O'Leary)

Saturday 7th August

- @ Roscarbery, SFC Clonakilty v Ilen Rovers, 7.30pm (C. Lane)
- @ Dunmanway, SFC St. Finbarrs v O'Donovan Rossa, 7.30pm (G. Harrington)
- @ P. Uí Rinn, PIFC Carrigaline v Glenville, 7pm (P. O'Leary)
- @ Blarney, PIFC Clyda Rovers v St. Michaels, 7.30pm (N. Barrett)
- @ Macroom, IFC Aghabullogue v Cill na Martra, 7.30pm (M. Collins)
- @ Inchageela, IFC Ballyclough v Castletownbere, 7.30pm (P. Downey)
- @ Newcestown, IFC Adrigole v Glanworth, 7.30pm (E. Sheehy)
- @ Coachford, IHC ¼ Final Dromina v Kilbrittain, 4pm (K. Healy)
- @ P. Uí Rinn, PIHC ¼ Final, Inniscarra v Youghal, 3pm (D. Copps)
- @ Kinsale, PIHC ¼ Final, Tracton v Argideen Rngrs, 7pm

Full Fixture Programme will be posted on www.gaacork.ie as soon as available

Round The Square

The GAA has recently launched its first ever online show www.roundthesquare.ie. This will be available weekly each Thursday until the end of both the Hurling and Football Championships. It can also be viewed on www.gaa.ie. Each week the show will feature: the latest GAA news, GAA columnists Joe Deane & Jason Sherlock previewing the weekend's action, Super Scores, My Club, Player Focus and a Behind the Scenes view from Croke Park.



GAA Posters

Following a recent delivery of GAA posters featuring football and hurling All-Stars among others, a selection of these is now available at Páirc Uí Rinn.

If your club wishes to obtain some of these posters, please contact the information Office at **021-4291604** or paircuirinn@gaa.ie



Cork's 2009 Football All-Stars

Gaeilge

Le Liam Ó Laochdha

Oifigigh Cultúr/Gaeilge

Chun atmaisféar Gaelach a chothú sa Chlub, ní mór d'Oifigeach na Gaeilge dul i gcomhairle leis na hOifigigh eile sa Chlub agus a dtacaíocht a lorg. Chun cabhrú linn san obair seo chomh maith, tá leabhair ar fáil: 'An tOifigeach Gaeilge sa Chlub' agus 'Leabhrán Téarmaí Gaeilge'. Tá na leabhair seo ar fáil ar www.gaa.ie Tá breis eolais ar fáil chomh maith ar www.cgl.ie, gan dearmad a dhéanamh ar www.gaacork.ie



Cork GAA Website

See our **Gaeilge** section for Irish Terms Guide, Gaeilge for meetings, Nuacht and more – visit www.gaacork.ie



Coaching & Games Development

Eight Cork clubs were given a dream opportunity to play in Croke Park on the 13th and 14th of July through the Munster Council Play and Stay Blitzes.

The clubs involved were Mayfield, Ballinora, Ballyhea, Ballinhassig, Kiltha Og in hurling and in football Beara, Lyre and Sam Maguires got this great opportunity. Tales of goals and points scored by young players will no doubt be recounted for years to come by the participants!!

The clubs qualified for this trip through a draw held for clubs who host a VHI GAA CUL Camp and who have not already been to Croke Park, with one team being picked from each of the eight divisions.



The Ballyhea U12s in Croke Park

Ballyhea Receive McNamee Award

Congratulations to Ballyhea GAA and all involved in their website, www.ballyheagaa.com for which they were recently presented with the McNamee Award for Best GAA Website.



GAA President Christy Cooney, RTE's Micheál Ó Muircheartaigh and Co. Vice-Chairman Bob Ryan with Ciaran O'Regan, John Mortell, Karl Metelko, Ber Moloney (secretary) and other members of Ballyhea GAA

Next Issue

The next issue of County Board News will be published on **August 17th**. Please forward this newsletter to all your club contacts.

O2 Engage

Don't forget the O2 Engage Scheme which allows O2 customers to automatically donate 5% of the cost of their rental, voice and text to the GAA club of their choice.

All supporters have to do is text Cork to 50308 or visit www.o2.ie/corkgaa. Non O2 customers can make an even bigger difference – for every supporter that switches from another network, **O2 will automatically give €5 to the club they register for**. So sign up today to show your support!



GAA Club Manual

[Click here](http://www.gaa.ie/cubzone/club-manual/) to access the new **GAA Club Manual** which has been published recently or go to <http://www.gaa.ie/cubzone/club-manual/>

