



## COUNTY BOARD NEWS

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### Dates for your Diary

**May 10<sup>th</sup>:** Inter-County Open Evening @ Riverstown, 7-8.30pm

**May 12<sup>th</sup>:** SH Challenge, Cork v Tipperary, 7pm @ Cloughduv

**May 15<sup>th</sup>:** Electric Ireland Munster MFC, Cork v Tipperary, 7.30pm @ Thurles

**May 21<sup>st</sup>:** County Board Meeting, 8.30pm

**May 25<sup>th</sup>:** Munster JFC and SFC v Limerick, 5pm & 7pm @ Gaelic Grounds



### Munster Minor Football Championship

Having seen off Kerry after a replay, the next outing for the Cork Minor Footballers is the Munster Semi-Final meeting with Tipperary on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm in Thurles.

See [www.gaacork.ie](http://www.gaacork.ie) later in the week for more details on the game.



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### Cork GAA Open Evening

As part of the GAA's national promotion of the Championships, each county will hold an Open Evening on Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>.

The Cork Senior Hurling and Football teams will be available to meet fans that evening from 7pm to 8.30pm at **Sarsfields GAA Club, Riverstown**.

Those who come along on the night will get complimentary posters and wristbands, and we'll have a special prize for the best dressed fan!!!

**CORK GAA OPEN EVENING**  
Friday May 10<sup>th</sup> • 7.00pm - 8.30pm

**SARSFIELDS GAA CLUB RIVERSTOWN**  
**COME ALONG AND MEET YOUR HEROES**

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## Cork U21 Footballers Fall at Final Hurdle

Despite all the preparations, all the hard work, and four victories along the way, the Cork U21 Footballers were unable to overcome the challenge of Galway in the All-Ireland Final on Saturday night. Despite a spirited comeback in the second half, the young Rebels were defeated by three points, 1-14 to 1-11. Well done to all involved on all their efforts in getting so far. Cork team: D Hanrahan (Douglas); C Dorman (Bishopstown), D Cahalane (Castlehaven), A Cronin (Nemo Rangers); B O'Driscoll (Tadhg MacCarthaigh), T Clancy (Clonakilty), J Wall (Kilbrittain); S Kiely (Ballincollig), I Maguire (St Finbarr's); A Cadogan (Douglas), J O'Rourke (Carbery Rgs), M Sugrue (Bandon); D MacEoin (Ilen Rovers), B Hurley (Castlehaven), L Connolly (Nemo Rangers). Subs: J Burns (St Finbarr's), C Vaughan (Iveleary), TJ Brosnan (Newmarket), K Hallisey (Eire Og).



Action from the All-Ireland Final. Pic: George Hatchell

## Congratulations to Cork Camogie

Well done to the Cork Senior Camogie team, who won back-to-back National League titles with victory over Wexford on Sunday.



Captain Anna Geary and the Cork team celebrate their win! Pic: Inpho

## Juvenile Cork Jerseys

The new Chill Insurance Cork jersey is now available for purchase at Páirc Uí Rinn at special discounted prices as follows:

Ages 1-2 & 3-4: €25, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10 and 10-11: €32, 13-14: €38

Jerseys are on sale from 9.30am to 12.30pm and from 2pm to 4pm Monday to Friday.

For enquiries, call 021-4291604 or email [paircuirinn.cork@gaa.ie](mailto:paircuirinn.cork@gaa.ie).



## County Football Championships Underway!

The County Football Championships began last weekend, with fifteen games played, while the remainder of the first round games will be played over the coming weekend. You'll find fixtures, results, build-up, round 2 pairings and much more at [www.gaacork.ie](http://www.gaacork.ie), so make sure you check in regularly!

County Junior B Football Championship Round 2 games also take place this weekend, so it's a busy one on all fronts!



## Munster U16 Hurling Tournament

There was victory on the double for Cork at this weekend's Munster U16 Hurling tournament, with Imokilly winning the A competition, while Muskerry won the B Final. For more, see [www.gaacork.ie](http://www.gaacork.ie).



## All-Ireland Minor Camogie Final

Cork will play Kilkenny in the All Ireland Minor A Camogie Final Replay on Saturday May 11th at 2pm in Fraher Field Dungarvan.



## Cloughduv Open New Facilities!

Cloughduv GAA will officially open their new facilities on Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup> with a Senior Hurling Challenge game between Cork and Tipperary at 7pm. The weekend also includes entertainment by John Spillane and Natural Gas, and all are welcome to attend.



## Rebel Óg Award: Pobalscoil na Tríonóide

Congratulations to the Pobalscoil na Tríonóide, Youghal U16½ Hurling team, winners of the April Rebel Óg Award, sponsored by Cummins Sports and Rochestown Park Hotel, in association with media partners, the Irish Examiner and RedFM, in honour of their victory in this year's Munster Colleges B Hurling (Kinnane Cup) Final. The award was presented at a recent function at Rochestown Park Hotel.



Mary Claire Cummins, Cummins Sports, presents award to Pobalscoil na Tríonóide, Youghal, captain, Eddie O'Halloran. Incl. Cllr. Barbara Murray, Mayor Cork County, Marc Sheehan, Chairman Rebel Og, Tracey Kennedy, PRO Cork County Board and a teacher at the school, Seamus O'Ceallachain, Priomh Oide, Brian Lotty and Brian Glavin, team mentors and Chris Morrison, player. Picture: Mike English

## PBC Win Lord Mayor's Cup!

Congratulations to PBC (Presentation Brothers' College), recent winners of the Lord Mayor's Cup (Gaelic Football). Pres defeated rivals Christians in the Final, played at Páirc Uí Rinn, on a scoreline of 3-8 to 1-5. Well done to all involved!



Lord Mayor, Cllr. John Buttimer, presents the Lord Mayor's Cup to Presentation Brothers College (PBC) captain, Cian Davis, following their win over CBC (3-8 to 1-5) in the Gaelic Football Final at Pairc Uí Rinn. Included is Jim Murphy, organiser. Picture: Mike English.

## St. Finbarr's and Midleton: Healthy Club Project

Back in the 1980s, The Barrs and Midleton enjoyed a healthy rivalry that saw both clubs crowned All Ireland club champions. Now, some 30 years on, the Barrs and Midleton GAA Clubs are even healthier rivals following their selection as participants in the GAA Healthy Club's Project. Midleton are one of sixteen clubs around the country which will pilot the project, while St. Finbarr's have been selected as a mentor club. St. Finbarr's recently launched their involvement in the project with a very successful Health Awareness Morning at the club, while Midleton tied in their launch with the Rebel Óg/Mercy Foundation Fun Walk.

Best of luck to both clubs – watch this space for more information!



Aoife Curran, Galway, Janas Harrington, St Finbarr's, Cork, Uachtarán Cumann Lúthchleas Gael Liam Ó Néill, Dr. Tony Holohan, Department of Health, Keith Loughman, Meath and Siobhan McCann, Antrim. Pic: Sportsfile

## Cork Players Honoured at CIT Sports Awards

Well done to Cork's Ciarán Sheehan and Lorcán McLoughlin, who were recently honoured at the CIT Sports Awards.



Eamonn Ryan, guest speaker at the CIT Sports Awards, making a presentation to Ciarán Sheehan, in recognition of his contribution to College teams. Included are Dr. Barry O'Connor, CIT, Rose Coughlan, Bank of Ireland and Dr. Dan Collins, CIT. Pic: Mike English

## County Board Report

At the County Board meeting of May 7<sup>th</sup>, tributes were paid to the late Dr. Michael Herlihy, John Sheehan and Maura Forbes RIP. There was a report from the All-Ireland U21 Final, and the Cathaoirleach thanked all involved before formally presenting the Munster cup to John O'Rourke. The next meeting takes place on **May 21<sup>st</sup>**.



## Cork Ladies in League Final

Cork will play Mayo in the Tesco Homegrown Ladies Football League Division 1 Final on Saturday May 11th at 3:45pm in Parnell Park Dublin.

Best of luck to all involved!

## Irish Cancer Society 'Care to Drive'

The Irish Cancer Society 'Care to Drive' programme is seeking volunteer drivers to transport cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy treatments in Cork University Hospital and the Mercy University Hospital. For more information, email [info@irishcancer.ie](mailto:info@irishcancer.ie) or see [www.cancer.ie](http://www.cancer.ie).



## Next Issue

The next issue of County Board News will be published on **May 21<sup>st</sup>**. Please forward this newsletter to all your contacts.