

Nuachtlitir Cumann Fánaithe na Claise

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Valley rovers Under 6 Academy on their first day of Training with Valley rovers

Upcoming Fixtures

Senior Football League

Valley Rovers Vs Bishopstown Thurs 21st Apr in Brinny at 19:00

Junior A Football League

Valley Rovers Vs Ballygarvan Wed 20th Apr in Brinny at 19:00

Premier 2 Fe 16 Hurling League

Valley Rovers Vs St Finbarrs Mon 18th Apr in Valley Rovers at 19:00

Carrigaline Court Hotel Fe 14 P1 Football Challenge Cup Semi Final

Valley Rovers vs Eire Og Wed 20th Apr in Ovens at 19:00

Carrigaline Court Premier 2 Fe 15 Hurling League

Ballygarvan vs Valley Rovers Thurs 21st Apr in Ballygarvan at 19:00

Premier 2 Fe 12 Hurling League

Valley Rovers Vs Cobh Sat 23rd Apr in Brinny at 16:00

All fixtures subject to change, please check website homepage prior to games

Lotto Results

Sunday 24th /Apr/2016

Numbers Drawn: 1, 2, 13 & 27.

No winner of the Jackpot of €5,150

€20 winners:

Mark Crowley , c/o Crossbarry Inn.

Frank Jones, c/o P.J.Shiels.

Martin O leary, c/o P.J.Shiels.

P.J.Shiels, c/o P.J.Shiels.

Martin Cronin, c/o Johnnys.

Bernard Bugler, Kilngnady.

Veronica Kelleher, Ballymurphy.

Joan Beechinor, c/o P.J.Shiels.

P.J.Shiels, c/o P.J.Shiels.

Oliver O Mahony, c/o P.J. Shiels.

Next Week's Draw in

The CROSSROADS BAR

Jackpot €5,300

Be in to win

Under 21B Fooball Championship

Valley Rovers U21 B footballers played their second round Championship match Away to Belgooly on Friday Evening. Valleys made the better start and lead by 1-4 to 0-2. The Valleys scores coming from Gary Deane (1-2) and point from Ben Murphy and Joe Bernard. Belgooly responded with two quick goals. Valleys ended the half with points from Eoin Burke, Ben Murphy and Gary Deane (3). It left the half time score Valley Rovers 1-9 Belgooly 2-4. Valleys made the better start to the second half with points from Colm Butler, Gary Deane and Eoin Burke. Belgooly responded with two points from frees. In the last ten minutes of the match Valleys upped the pressure and increased their lead with points from Gary Deane (2), Dan Sweetnam (2) and Eoin Burke. Belgooly added to late points from Frees as Valleys ran out winners on a scoreline of Valley Rovers 1-17 - Belgooly 2-8. Team :

Tomas Sweetnam

Alan Murphy Donal McCarthy Stephen Lordan
Ciaran Murphy Fearghal Lyons Michael Crowley
Rory O'Sullivan Keith Whelton
Dan Sweetnam Joe Bernard Ben Murphy
Colm Butler Gary Deane Eoin Burke

Subs Used: Scott Deane, Shaun Crowley, Stephen O'Shea
Rest of the Squad: Cian O'Donovan, Shane O'Leary, Ted O'Leary, Bill Casey, Tim Casey, Aidan Sheehan, James Callanan, Robert Sean Sweetnam, Barry O'Driscoll, Sean O'Regan, Andrew O'Callaghan, William Hurley.

Valley Rovers U21 B footballers took on Ballymartle in the Quarter final of the south-east championship in Ballygarvan on Sunday. Despite Valleys kicking the opening point in the 2nd minute from Keith Whelton it was Ballymartle who lead at the end of the opening quarter 1-5 to 0-2. Valleys second point coming from Joe Bernard. Valleys Upped the game in the 2nd Quarter and points from Eoin Burke and Gary Deane(2) reduced the lead. A late goal from Ballymartle left the half time score Valley Rovers 0-5 Ballymartle 2-5. Valleys had the better of the opening 15 minutes of the second half with points from Joe Bernard, Gary Deane and Eoin Burke. This was Valleys 2nd game of the weekend and they **began to tire in the last 15 minutes as Ballymartle added 1-7**. Despite this Valleys never gave up and Gary Deane kicked the last point. It left the full time score Valley Rovers 0-9 Ballymartle 3-13.

Team : Tomas Sweetnam

Alan Murphy Donal McCarthy Stephen Lordan
Ciaran Murphy Fearghal Lyons Michael Crowley
James Callanan Keith Whelton
Dan Sweetnam Joe Bernard Ben Murphy
Eoin Burke Gary Deane Colm Butler

Subs Used: Scott Deane, Ted O'Leary, Shaun Crowley, Shane O'Leary

Senior Football League

Valley Rovers senior Footballers took on Ballincollig in the 7th round of the league in Brinny on Saturday. Valleys got off to the better start with a point from a free in the opening minute from Hughie O'Donovan. The visitors responded by kicking the next four points. Valleys upped their game and by the 15th minute Lead 1-4 to 0-5 with the Valleys scores coming from Fiachra Lynch (1-1) and John Cottrell. In the second quarter Ballincollig outscored Valleys 0-5 to 0-1. The Valleys point coming from John Cottrell. It left the half time score Valley Rovers 1-5 Ballincollig 0-10. Valleys made the better start to the second half and were level by the 5th minute of the half with points from Hughie O'Donovan and John Cottrell. Ballincollig kicked the next two points. John Cottrell Kicked his 5th point by the 10th minute of the half. The score by the end of the 3rd quarter was Valley Rovers 1-8 Ballincollig 0-13. Valleys took control in the final quarter outscoring Ballincollig 1-3 to 0-1. the Valleys goal coming from John Cottrell and the points from David Lynch, Hughie O'Donovan and Billy Crowley. It left the full time score Valley Rovers 2-11 Ballincollig 0-14. Team:

Donnacha O'Driscoll

Noel O'Donovan, Joe Lynch (R/Hill), Tomas O'Brien
David Lynch(R/Hill), Jack Lyons, Darragh Crowley
Tadhg O'Brien, Mikey Power
Hughie O'Donovan, John Cottrell, Darragh Lordan
Fiachra Lynch, Jack Walsh, Kevin Canty

Subs Used: Billy Crowley, Eoin O'Reilly, Johnny Kiely

The Rest of the squad: David Lynch (gk) , Derek Canty, Aidan Walsh, Tim Cummins, Danny O'Sullivan, Donal O'Brien, Denis Collins, Michael O'Brien,

Premier Intermediate hurling league

Valley Rovers got back to winning ways in the Premier Intermediate hurling league on Sunday last against Ballincollig in Ballincollig. The first 20 minutes of this game was a very even affair with scores level at 4 points apiece before Kevin Canty pounced for a goal. Valleys capitalised on the momentum of this goal; and tacked on 4 more points to Ballincollig's one before half time to leave the score Valley Rovers 1-8 to Ballincollig 0-5 at the short whistle. The second half was all one way traffic as Valleys dominated all facets of play to post an impressive full time score of Valley Rovers 4-22 to Ballincollig 0-10 Team:

Willie Burke

Fergal Coughlan, Noel O Donovan, Tomas O'Brien
Cormac Desmond, David Lynch, Joe Lynch
Darragh Crowley, Sean O'Regan
Jack Walsh, Darragh Looney, John Cottrell
Kevin Canty, Tadgh O'Brien, Joe Crowley

Under 12 Football

Valley Rovers 4-6 St. Vincents 1-7

Our U12's played St. Vincents in the East football league at Brinny on Saturday. After a very even first half with both sides exchanging some well taken scores St. Vincents lead by a point, 1-3 to 1-4. St. Vincents had the opening point of the second half but then some well delivered ball into the Valleys full forward line resulted in two well taken goals for the home side. With our lads now well on top all over the pitch, some great link play between our backs, midfielders and forwards yielded a further 1-3 before the final whistle. Team Vs. St. Vincents;

Patrick Horgan, Liam Egan (0-1), Jonathan O'Leary
David Hurley, James O'Sullivan, Brian Lordan, Cian Johnson,
Conor Ryan (0-1), Sean Kiely, Evan Hennessy (1-2),
Adam Casey (0-1), Aaron White (2-0), Joey Lynch, Sean Mac an tSaoi, Ciaran Hoey (1-1), Danny O'Brien, Eoin Guinane.

Under 15 Hurling League

Valleys u15's hosted Carrigaline last Thursday night for their opening premier 2 hurling league game. They started brightly with quick points from Cathal O'Sullivan and Darragh O'Shea. Further scores from Aaron O'Leary and Brian Hoey saw Valleys lead at half time. A number of substitutions didn't affect the intensity they played with and further scores from Aaron O'Leary and Adam Kenneally saw them run out winners on a score line of 4-9 to 2-9.

Panel: Denny Kiely, Jack Hurley, Daniel Lynch, Cathal O'Sullivan, Brian Hoey, Eoin Nash, Brian McCarthy, Gavin Dawkins, Ronan O'Connell, Aaron O'Leary, Adam Kenneally, George Lordan, Ger O'Mahony, Ben Carthew, Noel Brady, Niall Kiely, Gearoid Sweetnam, Cian Crowley, Alan O'Brien, Cormac Kilduff, Daniel Hoban, Cathal Cronin, Darragh Keane, Darragh O'Shea

Minor hurling league

Castlelyons 3-15

Valley Rovers 1-15

In their first competitive hurling match of the year, Valley Rovers minors took on Castlelyons in the East A league on Saturday evening. Having gone ten points behind after 20 minutes, conceding three goals in this period, this became an uphill battle for the Rovers lads. However, they showed commitment and played some good hurling, which made for a very competitive second half. However, Castlelyons proved to be strong opponents and scored some good long-range points to keep themselves out in front. Overall, this was a creditable first outing for Valley Rovers and gives encouragement for the year ahead.

Scores: Adam Settini 1-4, Robert Sean Sweetnam 0-7 (0-6 frees), William Hurley 0-2, Pa Hurley 0-1, Rory O'Sullivan 0-1 Team:

Cormac Lyons

Jack Higgins, Sean Lynch, Aaron Murphy
Fearghal Lyons, William Hurley, Adam Healy
James Callanan, Olan Fehily
Rory O'Sullivan, Daniel Kenneally, Pa Hurley
Robert Sean Sweetnam, Adam Settini, Patrick O'Sullivan

Subs used: Senan O'Reilly, David Muckian, Shane Lynch, Mark O'Leary, Conor Hurley

Minor hurling league

Valley Rovers 5-14 St Vincents 2-9

Having opened their league campaign with a defeat to Castlelyons, Valley Rovers minor hurlers finished on the winning side in their second outing against St Vincents in Brinny on Saturday. The result rarely looked in doubt, apart from a period mid-way through the second half when St Vincents scored their two goals, but the Rovers lads responded well at that point and finished strongly. While there is plenty room for improvement, this was a determined performance by Valley Rovers. As well as some very good scoring by the forwards (Conor Hurley and Robert Sean Sweetnam being the main marksmen), there was some solid defending and good hurling played throughout the field. Team:

Kieran Rice

Mark O'Leary, Sean Lynch, Aaron Murphy
Fearghal Lyons, William Hurley, David Muckian
James Callanan, Adam Healy
Patrick O'Sullivan, Daniel Kenneally, Pa Hurley
Robert Sean Sweetnam, Conor Hurley, Adam Settini

Subs used: Shane Lynch, Niall Lawton, Cormac Lyons

Scores: Conor Hurley 4-2, Robert Sean Sweetnam 1-6,
Adam Settini 0-3, James Callanan 0-1, Daniel Kenneally
0-1, Pa Hurley 0-1



U-9 Hurling Rebel Òg Blitz

Well done to the U-9's who competed in the rebel Òg

blitz in St. Finbars on Sat morning. We entered two teams Team I played Carrigaline, St. Finbarrs and Bandon Team II played Carrigaline, St. Finbarrs and Nemo Rangers. Some great skills being displayed. Keep up the good work.

Under 14 Football

Our U14 premier 1 footballers played Douglas on Sat 9th April in championship. We knew going out that we would be really up against and it proved we were with a defeat of 7-10 to 2-9.

With a half time score of 6-8 to 2 points, the lads played better in the second half but were never going to contest such a super Douglas team.

Sean Egan, Dara Devine, Diarmuid Ryan, Adam Murphy, Cian O Keeffe Miah O Sullivan, David Kelly, Adam Walsh Murphy (captain), Johnathan Kenneally, Dylan Hoey, Neil Collins, Eoin O'Sullivan, Eoghan Crowley, Jason Cronin & Eric Duarte. Subs Used: Conor Taheny, Daithi O Sullivan.

The lads meet Eire og in Eire og next Wed @ 7pm in the Challenge cup, support would be appreciated.

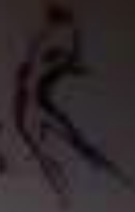
Our C3 footballers were out on Friday last in championship against Glanmire in what proved to be a hard fought game from start to finish. We started off strong with a half time score line of 2-2 to 3 points to us. Glanmire came out in the second half with a lot of passion and brought it back to a draw game within 10 mins. The lads had to dig deep and with 2 mins to the final whistle we got a free and scored to lead by 1 point. The final score 2-5 to 1-7.

Cathal Brady, Eoghan Lynch, Jonathan Murphy, Joe O Halloran (captain), Conor Callnan, Dean O Connor, Niall Burke, Ben Humphrys, Jacob O Driscoll, Ciaran O Shea, Brian McCarthy, Jack O Flynn, Gerard Connolly, Ciaran McCarthy & Kevin O Sullivan. Sub used: Cian Dunne.

They meet Inniscarra next Friday in 1/4 final in Inniscarra @ 7pm, would be great if the lads could get some support.



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LADIES GAELIC FOOTBALL



FAMILY FUN BINGO !!!!!

Sunday 24th April 2016

Innishannon Parish Hall 3 – 6 pm.

Tea, coffee & cakes served during interval.

Raffle with great spot prizes. Entry on the door.

All Welcome!!!



SCHOOL SPORTS



Gurrane National School will be holding their annual School Sports on Friday, 29th April, 2016 at Valley Rovers grounds at Brinny, Innishannon.

First race starts at **6 p.m. SHARP.**
Registration from 5.30 p.m.

Races for all age groups. Novelty events also.

COME AND JOIN THE FUN!

Entry Fee: €6 per car, €2 per pedestrian and €12 per Bus
Check out WWW.gurranens.ie for more information.

Senior B Camogie League Saturday 9 April 2016

Valley Rovers vs Fr. O'Neils

Valleys Rovers made their seasonal debut with a home game in the Senior B Camogie League on Saturday night in Brinny. Valleys started brightly and opened the scoring through a point from Orla Deasy, this was followed by a Liz Buglar goal and Tessa Crowley point before Fr. O' Neils opened their account through a free. Fr. O' Neils added two further points followed by an Emla O' Mahony point, leaving the score Valley Rovers 1-3 to Fr. O' Neils 0-3 at half time.

Valleys Rovers continued to push on from the resumption of the second half which resulted in Elma O' Mahony and Orla Deasy contributing a goal apiece & Lisa Lynch pointing two frees during the second half. Valleys Rovers soaked up strong pressure from Fr. O' Neils throughout the second half but only conceded a late point from a free to leave the final score of Valley Rovers 3-5 to Fr. O' Neils 0-4. Great to start the year with a victory and a spirited display from all, onwards & upwards girls for 2016.

Gillian Harrington,
Aine Coughlan, Rachel O' Sullivan, Clodagh Deasy
Eimear O Regan, Katie Richardson, Ena Coughlan
Susan O' Leary, Katie Lynch
Emily Palmer, Elma O'Mahony, Tessa Crowley
Orla Deasy, Liz Buglar, Grace O'Reilly

Subs: Lisa Lynch for Grace O' Reilly, Sarah Mc Carthy for Aine Coughlan, Elaine Forde for Liz Buglar, Niamh Lordan for Katie Lynch

Scorers: O. Deasy (1-1), E O'Mahony(1-1), L.Buglar (1-0), L.Lynch(0-2), T.Crowley(0-1)



Valley Rovers would like to wish a speedy recovery to Brian Hoey, Daniel Keneally, Rory O Sullivan & Fearghal Lyons who all picked up injuries over the weekend playing for the club.



Valley Rovers Sports Prediction Fantasy League 2016 is now up and running. As you can appreciate there is an amount of work to do now all the sheets are back but please bear with us and we hope to have the first leaderboard in the not too distant future

This is one of our largest fundraisers in the club and it contributes greatly to the running of the club. Valley Rovers would like to thank you for supporting this fundraiser again this year and we're sure it will be as enjoyable as last year.



A List of all the Club gear that Valley rovers currently stock can be found [HERE](#)

If you are interested in purchasing any items please contact Seamus McCarthy at 0868092450

Also from June 1st Seamus McCarthy will not be taking any more orders for Valleys gear or holding any gear in his house. If anyone is interested in taking over this role, please contact any Club Officer

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