

Naomh Barróg GAA Club

Kilbarrack Road, Dublin 13

Naomh Barróg the Club that has vision, not afraid to take risks, always wanting and achieving the best facilities for its members, especially its young members. In September 1974 Naomh Barróg was founded in Scoil Lorcáin, Kilbarrack when teachers and parents gathered to establish the Club. It was founded primarily for the good and welfare of children and using Gaelic Games to support them to achieve this goal. If you or your family are interested in being involved in the Club as a Member, playing member or Social Member contact details are at the end of this leaflet.

Achievements to date

In 1979 the Club lost the pitch it had acquired in the community to the Developer to build a Shopping Centre. The Club then had the vision and courage to pursue and eventually acquired a lease on a site on the Kilbarrack Road, Dublin 5, earmarked for a Ladies Prison by the Government.

1. Páirc Bharróg was opened on the 30th of September 1984, ten years after it was founded, with a Tournament Game between Dublin and Meath in front of 5,000 spectators.
2. In 1986 the Club opened their Dressing Rooms and Showers with a Dublin v Galway Hurling Tournament.
3. In 2001 the Club opened its new Clubhouse, Áras Bharróg with modern Lounge and dressing Rooms
4. In 2003 the Club opened its excellent All Weather Pitch
5. In 1984 and 1996 the Club was made Dublin Club of the Year by the GAA in association with AIB to acknowledge its wonderful achievements and vision.
6. December 2015 the Club purchased the Freehold on Páirc Bharróg from the Office of Public Works. Yet still the vision continues, wanting the best for our Club, our Members, especially for our young players.

What's next?

The Building of our Training Wall which will be a 100 ft long x 15 ft high with Lights and All Weather Surface and railings for spectators. The Club has made an Application to the National Lottery to finance this project. They will guarantee us 70% of the cost and the Club will have to pay the 30% balance. If the Club don't get this support to pay the balance we will lose the National Lottery Finance and the project will not proceed.

To fulfil our next Project the Club is inviting our members past and present and our friends to support us achieve this vision that will benefit all our members.

How can we donate?

Option 1. We are inviting our members, past members and friends who are PAYE Workers and who can afford it, to donate €600. This will allow the Club to claim back up to €400 from Revenue. Therefore you would have donated €1,000 to this fantastic addition to our Club facilities.

Option 2. If you are self-employed and if you donate over €250 this can be claimed as an expense (donation to eligible charity) and directly reduce your tax bill.

Option 3 All donations are welcome, no matter how small.

I _____ would like to support this initiative by Naomh Barróg

Address: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

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