

February 17th 2020

Introduction: to our new Manager Jerome Stack. Met with senior players over weekend and put them through their paces to get some of the cobwebs shifted.

Civic Reception: Was postponed to a later date

U14: Comórtas an Earraigh in Gallarus, down for last Sunday had to be postponed till March 1st due to storm Denis. We are to meet St. Pats on Sunday.

Match DVD: A set of three DVD's covering the build-up, the match itself, dressing room celebrations; the homecoming and much more will be available for purchase in the clubhouse early in the week. Anyone involved with Na Gaeil will want to add this to their collection. Enquiries at the clubhouse.

Juvenile Training: Juvenile training has commenced in the I.T. North Campus from 11am to 1pm on Sunday mornings. The U6, U8, U10, U12 and U14 age groups are being put through their paces by our qualified and experienced coaches. Everyone is welcome. Please bring a bottle of water, your gum shield and €2. Enquiries to Colm O'Súilleabháin at 087 908 0465. The All Ireland Cup made a welcome visit to training last Sunday morning much to the delight of all our young footballers.

Congrats: Congratulations to Gaelcholáiste Ciarrai on reaching the Munster Colleges final of the Corn Sheáin Uí Mhurchú competition by virtue of their three point victory over Douglas Community School, Cork recently They now face Coláiste Íde agus Iosaf Abbeyfeale . The final is provisionally fixed for Saturday February 22nd. The Gaelcholáiste team has a host of Na Gaeil players on their panel, namely Jimmy O'Sullivan, Enda O'Connor, Tomás O'hAiniféin, Graham Sheehy, Maitiú Bourke, Jack Bourke, Kieran O'Connor, Seán O'Connor, Brendan Walsh and Jamie Fitzgerald. Na Gaeil's Donal Rooney is the manager. We wish them the best of luck in the final.

Na Gaeil Cycling Club: Na Gaeil Cycling Club summer schedule: Saturday mornings at 9.00am from the clubhouse. ALL ARE WELCOME, High Vis essential.

Fir Na Gaeil: Light Football Training for Men who have retired from playing football and for those that have not played and would like to try it out. Very little skill is required. This is a great way to keep fit with light training, ball games and a bit of a laugh. . Training is on Monday and Friday nights in Na Gaeil. Contact Eddie at 0876791460 for more info

Mná Na Gaeil: We are a Gaelic for Mothers and Others team who come together and do a bit of exercise, football training and socialising. Anyone who would like to join are most welcome, No skills are required, just a good attitude and a sense for fun. Training is on Wednesdays and Sunday evenings. Contact Eddie at 0876791460 for more info.

Lotto: The draw for the jackpot of €3,800 took place on Monday evening last. Numbers drawn were 2, 6, 16, 22. There was no winner. €50 winners were Caroline Falvey, Derrylea, Dan Lucey, Chestnut Drive. €25 winners Denis Reen, Fenit, Tom Diggins, Abbeydorney, Rose Byrne, Oakpark, Tom Nolan, Ballylongford. Next week's jackpot is €3,900. All are welcome for the draw in the club each Tuesday night at 10.30pm.

Bingo: Bingo is on every Monday night at 8.30pm sharp. We have prize money of over €1,000 guaranteed every week with a mini jackpot that increases fortnightly when not won. A door prize and a half-time raffle with lovely prizes will also take place every week. A bus service is available at 087 2817577. You can ring this number for pick up and drop off. 100% of the funds raised go back directly into the club. The bingo is run on a totally voluntary basis by our club members. A huge thank you to all the parents who offer their time to run this vital fundraiser for the club. If anyone wants to donate a spot prize for our weekly bingo raffle, please leave it at clubhouse and mark it "Bingo". Thanks to all our patrons who support this event on a weekly basis.

Ladies: Ladies Juvenile Training Times, Training every Sunday IT Tralee Sports Academy, U6 Girls -- 11.00 to 12.00. CBS Primary School Hall, U8 and U10 Girls - 10.00 to 11.00, U12 Girls - 11.00 to 12.00
Na Gaeil Pitch, U14 Girls - 3.45 to 5.00. For any information on U16, U18 and Senior Girls training times, please contact Eddie 0876791460. All new players for any age group are most welcome

Cards: A card game is held every Wednesday night in the clubhouse. This is a very sociable occasion where you meet your friends for a great night's entertainment and relaxation. Starting time is 9.30pm and everyone from novice to senior will enjoy a relaxing game of 45.

Clothes Collection: There is now a Clothes Collection Bin situated in Na Gaeil car park.
Na Gaeil Juvenile Notes

Under 14: Once again this weekend was a washout for our u14s. The "Comórtas an Earraigh" which was due to be played on Sunday had to be postponed due to Storm Dennis. The organisers now hope to run it on Sunday 1st March instead. Monday night, as usual, will see the lads in the gym in Na Gaeil for an indoor session from 7-8pm. Our first game of the season is nearly upon us....the u14 Suits Select Town Board league starts next Sunday 23rd and our first game is against St. Pats at 11am in Blennerville.

Under12: Austin Stacks (Amber) v Na Gaeil (B), Sunday 23rd @ 5:30 pm

Under 10: boys were forced indoors again this week due to storm Dennis but still managed to break a sweat despite the elements outside! After a dynamic warm up the coaches concentrated on the pick-up, hand pass and catching the ball. The session ended with a hand passing game. All boys are encouraged to practice their skills outside of the session. Thanks to Teresa for taking pics this week! We hope to return to the Astro in the IT next week!



Figure 1Na Gael under 10 resting after tough session

Under 8: Our U8s training will continue next Sunday at the Kerry Sports academy at the IT Tralee. at 10.50am. Please bring water, gum shields and €2. See you all there. Registration will continue next week. All details will be posted on the Team WhatsApp group.



Figure 2Na Gael under 8s going through their paces