

## **Na Gaeil notes Monday 10th October 2022.**

**Lotto results:** Lotto Tue 4th October. No Winner. Numbers drawn were 4, 5, 20 & 29. Lucky dip winners of €20 were Liz Mackey, Marie & Peter O'Connor, Róisín Rice, Eamon Sheehy & Angela Horgan. Next week's jackpot will be €1,300. Why not try your luck in our lotto. The links is as follows:

<https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na%20Gaeil%20CLG/lotto>

**Sympathy:** Our sincere condolences to the Slattery family, especially David, Olga, Elizabeth, Jennifer and Sarah on the passing of David's father last Saturday. May he rest in peace.

**Race Night Launch:** The Race Night committee would like to send out a big thanks to everyone who supported last Wednesday night's Race Night launch. A special thanks to the Green Flag Team who coordinated the event, Mick Warr and his team for hosting the event and our Secretary John who ensured Sam Maguire arrived safely. Also a big thank you to our 3 Kerry stars Jack, Stefan and Diarmuid who give their time to meet and greet everyone and patiently posed for hundreds of photos capturing this special occasion. To all the coaches, mentors and various committee members who are an integral part of the club. Finally, to all the parents and young players who are all so proud to be associated with Na Gaeil. Thank you. Na Gaeil Abú

**Scór:** The Scór Síneair County Final was held last Friday night in Currow Community Hall. We had entries in 3 categories - Nuachleas (stage presentation), Amhranaíocht Aonair (solo singing), and Aithriseoracht (story telling/recitation). Helen Sugrue's wonderful telling of The Holy Kiss by Bryan McMahon was more than enough to win her the County title. In the drama, Mary Quirke's 'Forward Thinking' was brought to hilarious life by Helen Sugrue, Sorcha Uí Suilleabháin, Paul Fitzgibbon, Martin Grealish, Noelle Kingston, Mary Reen & Colm O Suilleabháin, ensuring that this County trophy also came our way. In the solo singing competition Mary Ellen O Connor gave the loveliest rendition of the ballad "Down by the Glenside" & was unfortunate not to be placed. All roads now lead to Cappamore, Co Limerick next Sunday for the Munster Final, starting at 6pm. The very best of luck to all our representatives.

**Senior men's fixture:** Last Saturday our lads hosted St. Pats in the 1st round of the Lee Strand sponsored Tralee/St. Brendans District championship. We were without a few regulars so a number of our fringe players got lots of game time. It was a close game all through with Na Gaeil holding a 1 point lead at halftime, 2-5 to 0-10. In the last quarter St Pats held a 4 point lead but Diarmuid O'Connor drove through for a great goal to leave the minimum between the sides. However St Pats finished the stronger and added 2 goals in the final minutes to take the win on a scoreline of Na Gaeil 3-7, St Pats 2-15.

**U14 girls:** Congratulations to our u14 girls who won on the double last week. Firstly they won the North Kerry Div 2 Shield final last Monday when they defeated Austin Stacks by 11 points to 7. Then last Thursday night they captured the Town League title when they defeated John Mitchels. Well done to all the girls and the management.

**U16 girls:** Congratulations to our girls who defeated Annascaul/Dingle last night by 2-15 to 1-6 and in doing so they claimed the North Kerry Division 3 title. All the girls and management would like to wish a very speedy recovery to Sorcha Casey who sustained a hand injury during the game.

**Bingo:** Every Monday evening in Na Gaeil clubhouse at 8pm sharp. Over €1,000 in cash prizes guaranteed every week, with an accumulator jackpot in play each week. Double book €10, Single book €6, Mini book €3. Jackpot Sheets €2 each. Bus service available on 087-2817577.

**Race Night 2022:** Date for your Diary. On the 11th of November Na Gaeil will host their annual Race Night in the clubhouse and will also broadcast live on Facebook. We welcome back the Tote which always adds an extra element of fun and excitement to the night. This year will also include an Auction for a signed Kerry Jersey. Highlight of the night will be the "The Na Gaeil Gold Cup" with a top prize of €1,000 to the winner. The Race Night Committee members are actively co-ordinating this year's event and will be appealing to all club members to give their support in raising vital funds for our club.

**Head Shave:** Congrats to one of our own senior players, Shawn Duggan, who is shaving his head on October 14th for The Little Princess Fund. Please see link below to donate to help this great organisation.

Well done "Duggser".

[https://www.facebook.com/donate/542863184313980/?fundraiser\\_source=messages](https://www.facebook.com/donate/542863184313980/?fundraiser_source=messages)

**Na Gaeil cycle club:** Cycle each Saturday at 9am from Na Gaeil club. Everyone is welcome to come for a nice friendly cycle.

**Cards:** The weekly 45 card game is back. Every Wednesday night, starting at 9pm sharp. Bring your own partner or come along and we will get you a partner.

**Notes:** If you'd like anything included in the club's weekly notes please send it to me at [pro.nagaeil.kerry@gaa.ie](mailto:pro.nagaeil.kerry@gaa.ie) before 9am on Monday and I'll do my best to include it.