

Na Gaeil Notes Monday 12th June 2023

Lotto results: Lotto Tue 6th June 2023. No winner. Numbers drawn were 4, 22, 23, 29. Lucky dip winners of €20 were Mary & Eileen O'Shea, Moira Godley, Pat & Geraldine McLaughlin, James Crean, Katherine Duggan. Tomorrow night's jackpot will be €3,050. Why not try your luck in our lotto. The links is as follows:

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

Registration: We have made it very easy for all parents to pay membership by following the link to Klubfunder:

<https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na%20Gaeil%20CLG/Membership> The family membership is a great option to help support our ever expanding club.

RIP: Our sincere sympathy to our club treasurer Cathy Carey, her husband Paul and children Sive & Shane on the death of Cathy's mother Mary O'Connor, Cahersiveen last week.

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. Please note our bingo is now open to over 18s only.

Kerry v Louth: Good luck to Jack Barry, Diarmuid O'Connor and the Kerry team next Sunday when they take on Louth in Round 3 of the Championship. The game is on in Portlaoise at 2pm.

Kerry Ladies: Good luck to Mary O'Connell and the Kerry Ladies Team who are away to Dublin in Round 1 of the TG4 All-Ireland Championship next Saturday at 5pm in Parnell Park.

Senior Men: Round 9 of the Co. League took place in Killeen on Sunday last. Played in ideal conditions, apart from a slight breeze, Na Gaeil got a great result, 2 – 14 to 2 – 08, a result that looked very unlikely at half time when we trailed 0 – 03 to 2 – 04. The old cliché, a game of two halves, certainly applied. Kenmare ambled

through the first half while Na Gaeil stuttered and started, kicked bad wides, dropped the ball, miscued passes and generally did not raise a gallop.

We won the throw-in, but Kenmare won back the ball and Jimmy Lehane got their first point from play after 1 minute. Devan Burns equalised for us after two minutes with a long range free. Eoghan McCarthy put the visitors ahead with a fine free followed by a point from play by Kevin O'Sullivan on six minutes followed by a goal on ten from Eoghan McCarthy Leaving us five points adrift. Dara Devine got a point from play on eleven minutes. Kenmare continued on their merry way with a point from Kieran Fitzgibbon and a goal from Kieran Lehane. Jack Bourke got our last score of the half on twenty-two. Half time score 2 – 04 to 0 – 03 in favour of the visitor.

Second half started and look like a continuation of the first. The visitors broke away from throw in and Eoghan McCarthy got a point from play in less than a minute leaving us 8 points adrift. However, they managed only three more, the last, a free, deep in injury time.

In the third minute Dan Goggin burst through for a point and followed with a goal, more or less from the kickout, which we had won. Dara Divine, a free in the fifth was followed immediately by another from Devan Burns. After some great play by the backs the ball came to Dan Goggin who slotted over. Jack Bourke after ten and Tadhg Reen got it all square, 1 09 to 2 06, with two well worked points.

From there to the end centre field and the backs kept control of all about them and kept the forwards well supplied with ball and nipped in the bud anything that came their way. Our scoring was completed with points from Dara Divine, Dan Goggin and Devan Burns. Dara Divine put the icing on the cake with a great goal with last kick of game.

The referee did well with no black or red cards issued or contentious yellows.

U5 Boys & Girls: Tough session this morning, concentrating on our kicking,,,well done all kids and parents. New members are always welcome. Contact Denis on 087-2808719.

U7 Boys & Girls: A great turn out at U7 training this evening with 26 kids. We concentrated on our skills development and finished with a game. Well done to the 32 Under 7 players that played John Mitchels this morning. Brilliant performances by everyone. Training continues on Thursday.

U9 Boys: Great turn out of 32 under 9 boys today. Four teams of 8 played 4 matches against Austin Stacks and wore their jerseys for the first time!Great turn out

last Tuesday evening of 24 boys eager to train. Even more exciting was the very generous donation from 2 of our parents, Paul Behan and Tommy McCarthy who have sponsored the first ever set of jerseys for our Under 9's. Thanks so much to them.

U11 Boys: Well done to our under 11 boys who travelled to Rathmore on Thursday. Well done to our under 11 boys who enjoyed a busy training session on Sunday morning . After a novel running warm up , the boys did some possession drills before finishing with a high intensity game .

U13 B Boys: Na Gaeil B's 4-15 Ardfert B's 4-12 AET... Under 13 Bs join the A's in a county final!!

Volunteers: The club are looking for people to help out at bingo on Monday nights. If you can spare 2 hours every 5 or 6 weeks then Niamh (087-9863667) would be delighted to have you on board.

Connect Kerry: Good luck to our Bar Manager Mary Lacey O'Callaghan who has been nominated for a Connect Kerry Women in Business Award. The awards will take place next Friday, 16th June, at Ballyroe Heights Hotel.

Suicide Prevention: Kerry G.A.A Health and Wellbeing committee in conjunction with the H.S.E. is organising 'safeTALK, suicide alertness training for everyone', training. safeTALK suicide alert helpers are trained to:

- Move beyond common tendencies to miss, dismiss or avoid signs of suicide risk
- Identify people who have thoughts of suicide
- Apply the TALK (Tell, Ask, Listen and Keep safe) steps to connect a person with suicidal thoughts to people and agencies that can help.

safeTALK is suitable for participants aged 18 years or over and is suitable whether attendees are participating in a personal capacity or in a professional one. It will be held in Tralee and Killarney and is limited to 30 people at each venue:

Killarney: Dr Crokes G.A.A. Club rooms, Wednesday, 14th June from 6.30pm to 10pm.

Tralee: Austin Stack Park, Wednesday, 21st June from 6.30pm to 10pm.

Registration for the training is online and can be done

here: <https://bookwhen.com/suicideprevention-trainingkerry>

Kelloggs Cúl Camp: The Kelloggs Cúl Camp will be held in Na Gaeil on the week commencing Monday 3rd July.

Na Gaeil camp: Note for your diaryThe club's annual GAA camp will be held this year from 7th-11th August. More details to follow in due course.

Hire the Hall: The hall in the clubhouse is available for parties or other events. Please email nagaeilclubhouse@gmail.com if you'd like to make a booking.

Na Gaeil cycle club: Cycle each Saturday at 8 30am from Na Gaeil club. Everyone is welcome to come for a nice friendly cycle. Please note change of timrS

Cards: The weekly 45 card game is back. Every Wednesday night, starting at 9pm sharp.

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