

Na Gaeil Notes Monday 13th March 2023

Lotto results: Lotto Tue 7th March 2023. No winner. Numbers drawn were 1, 2, 28, 32. Lucky dip winners of €20 were Denis Dillane, Kathleen Browne, Rebecca McCarthy, Siobhán Lacey, Shane Daly. Next week's jackpot will be €2,400. Why not try your luck in our lotto. The links is as follows:
<https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na%20Gaeil%20CLG/lotto>

Lotto QR Code: Another way to play our lotto.....Watch out for the Lotto QR codes located around the bar. Just scan the QR code and follow the steps to play.

RIP: Na Gaeil GAA club would like to express its deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Liam Kearns who passed away yesterday. May he rest in peace.

Scór: The Tralee District Final of Scór na nÓg will be held in the club hall next Wednesday the 15th March starting at 7.30pm. Na Gaeil will be well represented on the night, and there will also be entries from several of the other Tralee clubs. Please come along and support us.

Earthquake Fundraiser: Thanks to everyone who helped make this a hugely successful fundraiser. We were blown away by the support. The money isn't counted yet but when it is we'll let you know the amount. With the levels of generosity shown we feel it'll be substantial. Míle buiochas...

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.

Cheltenham 2023: The clubhouse will be open every day (Tuesday to Friday) at 1pm showing live horse racing from Cheltenham. Soup and sandwiches will be served each day.

Allianz Football League: Good luck to Jack, Stefan, Diarmuid and the Kerry team when they play Roscommon next Saturday in Austin Stack Park at 7.30pm in Round 6 of the National League. Hopefully they can get a much-needed win which could secure them their Division 1 status.

Kerry LGFA: Round 6 of the National League Division 1 sees Kerry travel to Páirc Uí Rinn next Friday March 17th to take on Cork. Kerry sit on top of the league table having won all 5 of their games to date and hopefully they can keep it going. Good luck to our own Mary O'Connell who has been in mid-field for most of Kerry's wins. Throw-in time is 4pm.

Colleges Football (Ladies): Commiserations to Siena Lucey and her MTU team who were beaten in the final of the Yoplait Higher Education Giles Cup last weekend in Mayo by a very formidable Ulster University team. MTU had beaten Maynooth University in their semi-final.

Allianz Hurling League: There was disappointment for Dan Goggin & the Kerry hurlers last Saturday when they lost to Kildare in Round 4. Next up for them is a home game V Down next Sunday at 1pm.

Na Gaeil Senior Men: Our senior team's first game in the County League (Division 2) will be on next Friday, St. Patrick's Day, at 2pm, away to An Ghaeltacht. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

U5 Boys & Girls: New members are always welcome. Contact Denis on 087-2808719.

U7 Boys & Girls: Enjoyable session with our under 7's in MTU yesterday. We had 28 kids all demonstrating their soloing, punt kicks and hand passing. The much-anticipated game at the end was enjoyed by everyone. Keep up the practice during the week. Thanks to all the coaches and parents for their efforts. Training continues next Sunday in MTU. New members are always welcome. Contact Shane 086-8380434.

U9 Boys: A few hard knocks for the under 9's at training yesterday but they reacted well. The focus was on soloing with mini-games at the end. 32 players attended the session. Training continues every Sunday morning in MTU. New members always welcome. Contact Mick 086-1509191.

U11 Boys: More than 30 of our under 11 boys were out in force yesterday in the MTU. On a blustery day the boys battled hard to score during a series of 6-a-side games. Well done boys! Training continues next Sunday at 11am in the MTU. Training continues next Sunday at 11am in the MTU. New members are always welcome. Contact Gavin on 087-2793334.

U13 Boys (Green Team): Na Gaeil 0-2; Austin Stacks 5-8. In greasy conditions in Killeen, our Green team suffered their first loss of the year. Our cause wasn't helped by the unfortunate early injury to Jayden Chalke. Despite shipping some early damage Nathan Anthony and Conor Reidy led the fight from the home side. Fresh from a Kerry basketball cup final win, Jonathan Sheehy clipped over a lovely point from play. Well done to all the lads for their effort and attitude. Sean O'Connell; Dylan McCarthy, Jude Hogan (c), Seán Óg Murphy; Nathan Osibodu, Conor Reidy, Ephrem Falvey; Jayden Chalke, Ben O'Sullivan; Nathan Anthony, Jonathan Sheehy, Paddy Hennessey; Kieran Feely, William Scanlon, Gearóid Lacey.

U13 Boys (White Team): Na Gaeil 1-11; Austin Stacks 2-2. The White team got their season up and running in with a win against Austin Stacks after last weekend's reversal against John Mitchels. Worryingly, the visitors opened the scoring by rattling the home net. Na Gaeil quickly settled and pointed through Aaron O'Donovan, Andy Costello and Donagh O'Connell. Joe Field and Danny Brick were industrious in midfield, while Éanna Leahy and Dean O'Leary ensured the visitors were held at bay. Up front, Luca Cronin and James Kelly were working tirelessly and Eoin Hannon looked dangerous on the edge of the square as the hosts led 0-9 to 1-0 at the break. In a competitive second period the crucial goal came from O'Donovan who coolly finished after a scramble in the Stacks defense. Jake Barrett, Eoin Tansley and Philip Doyle were on top in the half line aided by Rory John O'Brien at corner back. Ben O'Sullivan was superb in the home goals and the home side kept their cool to record their first win of this year's campaign. Team: Ben O'Sullivan; Dean O'Leary, Éanna Leahy, Rory John O'Brien; Jake Barrett, Eoin Tansley (0-1), Philip Doyle; Danny Brick, Joe Field (0-1); James Kelly, Andy Costello (0-4), Luca Cronin; Aaron O'Donovan (1-3), Eoin Hannon, Donagh O'Connell (0-2). Training continues, Tuesday/Thursday in MTU. Next fixtures are Ardfert away Sunday 19th March

U17 Boys: In Round 3 of the County League Division 4A our u17 lads received a walkover from Ballyduff last Saturday. Their next outing will be this coming Wednesday when they travel to play Glenflesk at 6.30pm. Good luck lads.

Community Games: After the 2022 county success of the under 10 boys community games football team, there is an opportunity to contest the county title once again. If your son is living in the St Brendan's Oakpark area and is still under the age of 10 on the 31st of July this year, he is eligible to enter. Entering a team is subject to a parent or two stepping up to train the boys. Please contact Helen Tansley on 087 7631977 for more information.

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.

Golf Classic: Our friends in Abbeydorney GAA are hosting a Golf Classic in Beaufort Golf Club on Saturday April 22nd. Team of 4 costs €200. Contact Mike O'Mahony on 087-2896943 for more details.

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

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 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.

St. Patrick's Day: Best wishes to all our club members at home and abroad. Hope you all have a great St Patrick's Day. Enjoy the parade!

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.