Na Gaeil Notes Monday 13th November 2023

<u>Lotto results:</u> Lotto Tue 7th November 2023. No winner. Numbers drawn were 6, 21, 29, 30. Lucky dip winners of €20 were Declan Healy, Patrick O'Donovan, Marie & Peter O'Connor, Marie Cregan, Máire Coleman. Tomorrow night's jackpot will be €4,150. Why not try your luck in our lotto. The links is as follows: https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na%20Gaeil%20CLG/lotto

<u>Club Mass:</u> Our annual mass for deceased club members will be held in the clubhouse on Wednesday 22nd at 7.30pm. Everyone welcome.

Race Night: On Friday 17th November at 8pm Na Gaeil will host their Annual Race Night in the clubhouse and it will also be streamed live on Facebook. All horses purchased will be entered in a draw to compete in the prestigious final race, The Na Gaeil Gold Cup, with a prize of €1,000 for the winner. It could be you! It's been an Historic Year: Na Gaeil senior men competed in the Co. Championship quarter final for the first time ever. All-Star nominee Diarmuid O'Connor & Jack Barry played at centre field for Kerry in the All-Ireland final. Mary O'Connell, Eilis O'Connor, Deirdre Kearney were on the Kerry panel for the All-Ireland final with Laura Fitzgerald as goalkeeper coach. We have underage representatives, boys and girls, on all development squads who also play in the Kerry jersey. Congratulations to all our players who brought great pride & joy to their families, and to our club. Currently we are the only club in Kerry with both Ladies and Men teams having senior status. The proceeds of our Race Night are vital funding for

- Catering for all training requirements for over 500 boys and girls, from under 6 to Senior.
- Catering for Scór na nÓg and Scór Sínsir.
- Maintaining and upgrading our facilities, indoors and outdoors.

Please support our club by purchasing a horse for €50. You can win €75 in a standard race and €1,000 in the Na Gaeil Gold Cup. There will also be a Best Dressed Lady and Gent competition with valuable prizes for both. Horses can be purchased online via Klubfunder or in the clubhouse, but hurry as the deadline for buying a horse is fast approaching. The link for klubfunder is:

https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na_Gaeil_CLG/EventRegistration#EventRegistrationOptions

<u>Bingo:</u> Our mini jackpot house wasn't won last Monday night so tonight it will be worth €230 if won in 43 calls. Lots of other cash prizes to be won on the night too. Make sure you are there by 8pm sharp. Strictly over 18s. Valid proof is required where necessary.

<u>Volunteers:</u> 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.

<u>Munster School's Football:</u> Commiserations to Tralee CBS u15 football team who were defeated by St. Brendans College in the final of the u15 Brother Taft Cup last Wednesday. The game finished 3-9 to 1-13 after extra time. Na Gaeil were represented by Eoin Tansley, Maurice Costello, Danny Kingston, Jacob Dryzmala, Darragh Callaghan, Philip McEneaney.

<u>U14 Girls:</u> Our u14 girls played Dingle yesterday in the North Kerry Shield final but the game had to be abandoned in the 2nd half due to an injury to one of the Dingle girls. We would like to wish her a speedy recovery.

<u>U16 Girls:</u> Our girls will now face Kerins O'Rahillys in the Shield final. Date & venue to be confirmed.

U17 Boys: Our minor lads will play Ballymac in the Town Board final next Sunday. Venue to be confirmed.

Sponsorship Opportunity: If you have a business and would like to promote it with Na Gaeil we have various sponsorship packages available to suit all budgets. Enquiries to Donal (087-2577729) or Terry (086-8293261) or Colm (087-9080465) or Mike (086-2440158) or any member of the club Executive.

<u>Club History:</u> During the year Michael Golden spent many hours putting together a list of notable club results and other information about the club since its foundation in 1978. This can now be found on our website (<u>www.nagaeil.ie</u>). Click on "Club News" then "Weekly notes" and select "Old results by Michael Golden".

Kerry Men's Allianz National Football League Fixtures 2024: Round 1 (w/e January 27th/28th) Kerry v Derry; Round 2 (w/e February 3rd/4th) Monaghan v Kerry; Round 3 (w/e February 17th/18th) Kerry v Mayo; Round 4 (w/e February 24th/25th) Dublin v Kerry; Round 5 (w/e March 2nd/3rd) Kerry v Tyrone; Round 6 (w/e March 16th/17th) Roscommon v Kerry; Round 7 (w/e March 23rd/24th) Kerry v Galway.

Kerry Men's Allianz National Hurling League Fixtures 2024: Round 1 (w/e February 3rd/4th) Kerry v Carlow; Round 2 (w/e February 10th/11th) Down v Kerry; Round 3 (w/e February 24th/25th) Kerry v Meath; Round 4 (w/e March 9th/10th) Kildare v Kerry; Round 5 (w/e March 16th/17th) Laois v Kerry.

<u>Hire the Hall:</u> 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.

<u>Na Gaeil cycle club:</u> Cycle each Saturday at 9am from Na Gaeil club. Everyone is welcome to come for a nice friendly cycle. Please note change of time.

<u>Cards:</u> The weekly 45 card game is held every Wednesday night starting at 9pm. Everyone is welcome.

<u>Notes:</u> 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.