Na Gaeil Notes Monday 9th October 2023

<u>Lotto results:</u> Lotto Tue 3rd October 2023. No winner. Numbers drawn were 1, 9, 27, 29. Lucky dip winners of €20 were Pauline Fitzmaurice, Gordon Lunn, Moira Godley, Charlie & Monica Fitzell, Liz Heaphy. Tomorrow night's jackpot will be €3,900. Why not try your luck in our lotto. The links is as follows: https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na%20Gaeil%20CLG/lotto

<u>Senior Men:</u> Good luck to our lads who take on Mid Kerry in the quarter final of the Garvey's Supervalu County Championship next Sunday at 3.30pm in Fitzgerald Stadium. The game will be preceded at 1.30pm by the clash of Dingle and Templenoe.

Race Night: Our annual Race Night will take place this year on Friday 17th November in the clubhouse. It's always a great night so don't forget to put it in your diary.

<u>Na Gaeil Shop:</u> The on-line shop continues to sell Na Gaeil playing gear for all ages. The shop will only be open until next Friday so don't delay. The link is as follows: https://link.mfc-sports.com/teamwear/code/OFVWRC

<u>Suicide Awareness Training:</u> Free safeTALK Suicide Awareness Training for Everyone. This is a half-day suicide alertness training that prepares attendees, regardless of prior experience ot training, to become a suicide-alert helper. Most people with thoughts of suicide don't truly want to die, but are struggling with the pain in their lives. Through their words and actions they invite help to stay alive. SafeTALK-trained helpers can recognise these invitations and take action by connecting them with life-saving intervention resources. Date of the training is Tuesday 10th October, from 6pm to 9.30pm in the Kerry GAA Pavillion, Austin Stack Park. For more information please contact chair.hwc.kerry@gaa.ie Please note that you must register for this course in advance of 10th Oct. Pre-registration only at the following link: https://bookwhen.com/suicideprevention-trainingkerry#focus=ev-sy6m-20231010180000

<u>U14 Girls:</u> Well done to our u14 girls who defeated John Mitchels by 2-8 to 0-4 last Thursday night in awful conditions.

<u>U16 Girls:</u> Our u16 girls were also victorious against John Mitchels when they played last Monday night in Round 1 of the North Kerry League.

<u>U5 Boys & Girls:</u> Yet again yesterday our under 5s had a great morning's training, working on our bouncing and passing. Thank you to all the coaches. The improvements can be seen by everyone. Our end-of-season medal presentation for our U5 players takes place in Na Gaeil Clubhouse on Friday October 27th at 6:30pm. This is a highlight for all the players who are each presented with their medals. As tradition the kids are asked to dress up in their Halloween costumes for the occasion. Weather permitting Sunday October 22nd will be our last U5's training session for 2023.

<u>U7 Boys & Girls:</u> Our end-of-season medal presentation for our U5 and U7 players takes place in Na Gaeil Clubhouse on Friday October 27th at 6:30pm. This is a highlight for all the players who are each presented with their medals. As tradition the kids are asked to dress up in their Halloween costumes for the occasion. Weather permitting Sunday October 22nd will be our last U7's training session for 2023.

<u>U11 Boys:</u> Our under 11 boys finished their successful season yesterday in Killeen. A few fantastic games of football with the under 9 boys got the appetite up for a lovely spread in the club house afterwards! We look forward to our awards night where we will celebrate a great season of football. Well done to all the boys.

<u>U14 Boys:</u> Well done to our lads last Thursday evening in the U14 Super 10's blitz held in Caherslee. Unlucky not to qualify. Won our first game, lost the second game by one point and lost the third game by two points so really competitive matches.

<u>U15 Boys:</u> Well done to our U15 team who defeated Austin Stacks yesterday in the Town League in Killeen. It was an immense game that finished in a narrow win for our lads on a scoreline of 5-09 to 2-17.

<u>Bingo</u>: Bingo in Na Gaeil clubhouse at 8pm tonight. Over €1,000 in cash prizes guaranteed every week, and tonight there's a mini-accumulator jackpot of €175 in 19 calls! 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 strictly over 18s.

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.

<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".

<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.

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 time.

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

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.