



## **Castleknock Hurling and Football Club**

### **Féile Policy**

#### **Effective January 2016 until further notice**

Féile na nGael and Féile Peil na nÓg are the All-Ireland Club festivals for Hurling, Football and Camogie at Under 14 years of age level.

This policy will provide clarity and direction to the coaches/team managers, parents and players of Castleknock Hurling and Football Club Féile teams.

All Féile teams will operate within the guidelines of the GAA, LGFA and Camogie Board requirements for the application and management of Féile across all codes.


1. Each year a Féile subcommittee will be established to facilitate the annual fundraising effort in support of the boys and girls Féile panels.
2. Reporting to the Fundraising Chair, the Sub-committee will comprise the Juvenile girls and boys Chairs, one or two members from the Fundraising committee and at least two or three parents from each of the boys and girls Féile panels.
3. The role of the Féile parents will be to lead on the fundraising activities with the support of the fundraising committee rep(s) and the juvenile chairs.
4. While not excluded it is recommended that the coaches/ team managers of the Féile teams do not sit on this sub-committee. The Sub-committee will serve from January until all Féile competitions are concluded and final monies agreed with the Treasurer and will then be dis-banded.
5. Féile will be a self-funding competition with funds raised covering all costs of Féile, whether for the county, regional, provincial or national competitions. Examples of items to be covered are registration fees, club hoodie/training top, all costs associated with pre and post Féile social nights etc. This list is not exhaustive and any queries on what other items should be covered should be raised with the Féile subcommittee.
6. To ensure openness and transparency, funds raised at Féile fundraising events during the period January to May will be forwarded to the Chair / Secretary of the Fundraising Committee for onward transmission to the Club Treasurer, who will lodge monies to the general Club Account. Vouched/necessary expenses for Féile participation will be submitted through the relevant juvenile Chair to the Chair /

Secretary of the Fundraising Committee who will apply to the Club Treasurer for recoupment/payment as appropriate.

7. Each member of the Féile panel will be provided with a Club Hoodie / Training top only. The club will not make exceptions within any age-group which will change the precedent set for future Féile competitions and players.
8. If a parent / company indicate at any stage that they are interested in some type of Féile sponsorship, this should be brought to the attention of the Féile subcommittee who will decide how best it should be dealt with. Any sponsorship received in relation to Feile will form part of the entire amount raised regardless of where it is secured.
9. Any funds remaining at the end of the life-time of the sub-committee will remain with the Club.
10. Fundraising Initiatives that may be included for Féile fundraising are
  - Tea / Coffee stand at nursery from January – May
  - 1 cash for Clobber collection
  - Mothers Day Cake sale
  - Pub Quiz
  - Any other events that have prior agreement of fundraising committee reps
11. All non fundraising matters relating to Féile are to be addressed to the relevant juvenile chair as necessary.

APPROVED BY:

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