

CASTLEKNOCK HURLING & FOOTBALL CLUB

Cumann Báire agus Peile Chaisleán Cnucha

NEWSLETTER

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Focal ón gCathaoirleach.

A Chairde,
Fáilte romhaibh chuig nuachtiris mhí Mheán Fómhair Cumann Báire agus Peile Chaisleán Cnucha. Both our Juvenile Hurling & Football Summer Camps and Blitz competitions have been a great success. Congratulations to all our Inter-County representatives on their success this year. Pride of place goes to our Junior Hurlers who won the Dublin Count Championship in their first season. Please remember to support your Club in forthcoming events. Le Meas,
John Hillerv. Cathaoirleach.

Name that player ????

Thanks to all who replied to the "Name that player" in the August Newsletter. The player in question is John Kilkenny. See this months Club Profile for more info on John, The winner of the Club T-Shirt is Martin Farrell, Delwood Grove

LOTTO NEWS

Lotto numbers drawn in the month of August 2003.

Winning Numbers Bradys Castleknock Inn 31st July
1 4 24 26 No JACKPOT winner
8 "Match 3" winners - € 25 each.

Winning Numbers The Carpenter on Thursday 7th Aug.
5 9 12 18 No JACKPOT winner.
8 "Match 3" winners - € 25 each.

Winning Numbers The Bell for Thursday, 14th Aug.
13 16 19 23 1 JACKPOT winner.
Congratulations to Caroline Shannon who wins € 3,800
2 "Match 3" winners - € 100 each.

Winning Numbers Myos for Thursday 21st Aug.
1 7 11 15 No JACKPOT winner..
12 "Match 3" winners - € 20 each.

Winning Numbers Bradys for Thursday 28th Aug.
2 9 11 14 No JACKPOT winner..
9 "Match 3" winners - € 25 each.

Patrons who support the lotto by cheque will be receiving a reminder of their annual renewal. Direct Debits forms are also available. Thanks to all who give generously.

New Members Lotto application forms are available from Laura Donoghue, (086 3964634) or ask any Mentor. You can also buy our LOTTO tickets in Cumiskeys of Domnick St. and in The Angler's Rest (Strawberry Beds).

Castleknock Hurlers claim first ever Dublin County Junior Championship Title

Castleknock 0-11 St Kevin's 0-06

Scenes of great joy and emotion were evident in the O'Dwyer's ground in Balbriggan on Sunday evening the 17th of August as Castleknock junior hurlers won the club's first ever adult championship.

Conditions on the night mitigated against good hurling. However despite these circumstances the game turned into a very exciting and sporting contest and the result was in doubt up until the final whistle. The first half was a tight affair, with both sides going score for score. Kevin's had the wind and the hill. During that first half, Castleknock's free-taker Cuán Mac Aogáin punished any indiscretions by the Kevin's men and midfielder Tomás Corcoran picked up some good scores. Kevin's kept in touch with great scores from Ross Christopher and Colm Dywer. Castleknock led by a solitary point at half time.

The second half was a hard fought battle with both sides matching each other score for score. Both the team's backs were dominating and the forwards got little quality ball. Castleknock's Paul Morrissey and Mick Geaney were dominating for Castleknock, while St. Kevin's defence was holding out against any goals.

Castleknock started to pull away with scores from Ciaran O'Dwyer and Mick Stokes, but it was still in the balance until the last 10 minutes as Kevin's fought hard to win.

When Man of the Match Jimmy Lacey from Castleknock, slotted over four glorious points from far out on the right wing the game was up for the St. Kevin's side and while they fought hard to the final whistle it was not going to be their day.

Special thanks has to go to these men that got this adult team up and running, Mick Daly, Martin Mangan, Ken Walsh, Paddy Wade, Dónal Cunningham and Mick Stokes (trainer).

Team: Mick Daly; Terry O'Brien, Paul Morrissey, Martin Griffen; Donnacha Howard, Mick Geaney, Ken Walsh; Tomas Corcoran (0-2), Eoghan O'Callaghan; Cuán Mac Aogáin (0-3), Ciaran O'Dwyer (0-1), Jimmy Lacey (0-4), Paddy Wade (Simon Cahill), Michael Stokes (0-1), John O'Brien (Michael Coleman),

Subs: Keith O'Brien, Eoghan O'Reilly, Colm Phelan, Tim Dawson. Colm O'Dea. Liam Walsh (in abstencia)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

3rd Members Golf Society:

27th Sept 2003

Race Night (In Aid of Hospice)

Oct 2003

Annual Dinner Dance

7th Nov 2003

Useful Contacts:

Chairman:	John Hillery	087 2591922
Secretary:	Vivian Peelo	086 8048749
Juvenile:	Ciarán Prunty	087 2742814
Registrar:	Laura Donoghue	086 3964634
Golf Society:	Jim Prunty	086 2498370

Adult Football/Hurling:

Fionán McDonagh	087 2334446
Mick Lynch	086 2531600
Dónal Cunningham	086 6189857
Paddy Wade	087 6168627
Mick Daly	087 2912655

Ladies Committee:

Chairperson:	Barbara O'Neill	086 3782419
Secretary:	Mags Heelan	086 2577461
Ladies Football:	Fiona Brennan	086 3843647
Camogie:	John Kilkenny	086 8239087

Club Profile

Name: John Kilkenny

Present Position in Club: Camogie Chairperson, Board Delegate, Manager, Coach. Junior hurler when required.

Age: 40+

Status: Married

From: Baile Átha Cliath

Hobbies: Tennis

Favourite Music: Sharon Shannon and Sean Keane

Favourite Film: The Good the Bad and the Ugly

Favourite TV program: *They think it is all over*

Favourite food: Macaris

Pet Dislike: County board and committee meeting

If I won the Club Lotto: Lotto Lightning does not strike twice!!!

Favourite GAA player: Mick Kissane (Dublin)

Favourite Sports Personality: Merlene Ottey

Favourite GAA Ground: O'Toole Park

Previous Clubs and Honours won: Kevin's Hurling & Synge Street Football. Played senior hurling for Dublin. Masters All Ireland Medal in Hurling. Inter junior juvenile championships with Kevins.

Ambitions: See one of my camogie girls play inter county for Dublin. For the club to keep its personal and friendly approach.

Tip for All-Ireland Hurling and Football Champions:

Peil - Tír Eoghain. Iománaíocht - Cill Chainnigh

Camogie – Corcaigh. Peil na mBan – Mná Átha Cliath.

3rd Golf Classic for Club members.

Anyone interested in playing in 3rd Club Society in Stillogue on the 27th September, please contact Jim Prunty on 086 2498370 to reserve a Tee-time. Places are limited so places are given on a first-come first-serve basis.

Players Insurance:

The new season is also an appropriate time to consider your position in the event of injury. Adult Players and Club Mentors will be aware of the features and benefits of players insurance under both the Players Insurance Scheme and the Players Voluntary Insurance Scheme, which is arranged on behalf of Cumann Luthchleas Gael by Coyle Hamilton. All members are automatically covered under the Players Insurance Scheme. In addition, the club requires all adult players to acquaint themselves with the additional benefits of the Players Voluntary Insurance Scheme and satisfy themselves that they have adequate insurance in the event of injury. We would remind all adult players and mentors that in the event of injury, the conditions of the scheme require that a preliminary claim form is to be submitted to Coyle Hamilton within 30 days of the date of the injury. In you require any additional information please contact either Niall Tutty (Asst. Secretary) or Vivian Peelo (Secretary).

General Club News:

- ❑ Junior B football Team loose narrowly in Championship
- ❑ Junior A Team defeat Kilmacud Crokes to retain place in B Championship
- ❑ Congrats to Lorna Hillery who has been selected on the Dublin County Senior Ladies Football Panel.
- ❑ The finals of our football blitz were played on Saturday. A huge crowd turned up at Tir na Nog to see some great football being played. Terry Mullins, David Byrne, Fergal Quinn and Jason O'Neill put in a great week's work and the very popular Alan Brogan presented the prizes.
- ❑ Well done to Larry Kennedy and Kevin Hogan who fielded two teams in the finals of the U11 Camaint on Saturday last. We won one final and were beaten in the semi-final of the other division.
- ❑ Congrats Dan Stewart of Kirkpatrick Ave. who played a super game for Dublin U15 hurlers against Antrim on Saturday last.
- ❑ There will be juvenile games for all this coming weekend please contact members mentor for further details.

Parking at Castleknock Community College (CCC)

With the start of a new football/hurling season in September, we would like to remind all parents and guardians when attending CCC, that on no account should vehicles be parked on the road adjacent to the entrance to the park. Adequate parking spaces are available within the shopping centre. We ask that all parents and guardians respect this request in the interests of the health and safety of all users of the park.

Charity Fundraiser Race Night

Castleknock Hurling and Football Club are holding a Race Night in Westmanstown in October 2003 (date to be confirmed) in aid of St Francis Hospice Satellite Fund. We would ask all our members and friends to make a special effort to make the night a big success. We are looking for those interested in sponsoring the event to contact Dennis Lally on 087 9968979 and those who wish to purchase a horse to contact Kevin Maloney on 086 8644488.

Le chéile is féidir linn ról dearfach a imirt sa phobal