



Na Fianna Nuacht

Minor Div 1 League Champions



Congrats to our Minor A ladies Footballers on last weekend's Division 1 Final win. A great finish to the year, well done all.

Upcoming Weekend Action

Big game this weekend is the AHL Div 1 League Final when our Senior Hurlers play Ballyboden for the Division 1 League title in O'Toole Park at 10.30am (please note time change). The lads are hoping for a big Na Fianna crowd.

Minor B Camogie team in Championship final against Faughs in Abbottstown at 12 noon and Shield Finals for A's and C's with A's in Collinstown against Lucan at 10am and C's away against Cuala at 12.30. Minor B Hurlers play Fingallians in league in Collinstown at 11am. Full fixture list available on club website www.clgnafianna.com/fixtures Best of luck to all teams, all support welcome.



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Player Of The Year Award For Eve



Congrats to Na Fianna's Eve O'Brien on her Dublin Bus/Herald Camogie player of the year 2018 award which was announced during the week. An award well deserved following her comeback from injury earlier this year, all in Na Fianna congratulate Eve on her award and look forward to seeing her in the blue of Dublin again in the New Year.

Fun Day This Sunday

The Na Fianna Fun Day for the Nursery, CCC1 & Girls1 is on Sunday 9th December from 1.00pm and all the children/players should come ready to play in their Na Fianna colours, with their hurleys, helmets and gum shields.

We will have some very special Guests of Honour, including Sam Maguire, O'Duffy & Brendan Martin Cups, along with Senior Football, Hurling, Camogie and Ladies Football Stars. The Coffee Cabin will be open and there will be Christmas Trees for sale, plus lots more. Why not take advantage of the Carvery or enjoy a Festive drink with old friends. Looking forward to seeing lots of you on Sunday.

Friends Of Na Fianna Night 15th December

The annual Friends Of Na Fianna Night, known in the past as the Mentors' Night, and always a great night in the lead in to Christmas at Na Fianna, takes place Saturday, 15th December 2018 from 8pm till Late. Live Music from The Aces, Complimentary Finger Food, Drinks from €4.00.....all welcome, save the date.



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Could Be You!

Na Fianna
Lotto Results
December 3rd 2018
Numbers
13 14 27 29
Jackpot €12250 - No Winner
Match 3 Numbers €65 - Winner

Pat Cooney (ID 463)	Numbers	13	14	16	27
Breda Dowdall c/o Vinny	Numbers	13	14	22	29

Lucky Pick Winner - €15
Martin Quilty
Trevor Ross
Eoin McCabe
Gerry Bolger c/o Vinny
Robert Davis c/o Vinny

Next Jackpot €12500

Next week's club lotto jackpot is €12,500. Would make someone's Christmas! Tickets on sale this weekend in members bar or around the club. Alternatively, by signing up for the direct debit option, you stand a chance of winning the jackpot every week! See details [here](#)

Grass Pitches Closed

With the winter period upon us and the weather deteriorating, the Facilities Committee, as per club policy have closed all grass pitches until February 2019. The only games permitted are the remaining official County Board Championship and League games.

No training or challenge matches will be permitted on grass pitches until next February at the earliest. Please do not request the use of them for this period. The All Weathers will be open and Winter Schedule is in place for teams. Míle Buíochas for your co-operation throughout the year.



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Annual Coaching Forum

Our Coaching Development Group is well ahead with their preparations for January's Juvenile Coaching Forum. It will be held in the club on Saturday 19th January and the keynote speaker will be Dr Niall Moyna. Further details to follow.

Over 40's Footballers Win



Congrats to our Over 40's Footballers who chalked up another win last weekend against Plunketts.

Club Shops Open Tomorrow

The Club Shop and the Hurley Shop will both open tomorrow (Saturday 8th December). The Hurley Shop will open from 9-12 noon and December opening hours as follows; Thursdays and Fridays 9-1pm and 2-5.30pm (both days) and Saturday mornings 9-12 noon up to and including Saturday December 22nd. Closed then til January 2019. The Club Shop will open tomorrow from 9am to 1pm. Christmas hours not yet finalised by O'Neills but members will be advised once available.



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Na Fianna's Coaching Graduates



Congrats to our most recent group of Coaching Graduates who this week completed their third night of Foundation Coaching under the expert guidance of Na Fianna's Games Promotion Officer Mark McManus.



Congrats also to Ollie Clancy (2008 Boys) and Colm Redmond ((2007's) who were presented with their Leinster GAA Award 2 Hurling certificates at a ceremony this week in St Patricks DCU when over 100 coaches were certified as Award 2 coaches. Na Fianna's Ger Keane (2006's) also successfully completed the course.



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National Club Draw

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL CLUB

Opportunity for your GAA Club to raise up to €20,000



The GAA National Club Draw, an opportunity for all clubs to raise up to €20,000 has come around again. Na Fianna has done very well from the draw over the last few years thanks to the generosity of Club members and the hard work and dedication of people like former Cathaoirleach Colum Cronin who took on the administration of the draw within the Club.

In 2017, Na Fianna was the highest selling club in Leinster and the previous year, 2016, in addition to achieving the highest sales in Leinster, we also had the second highest ticket sales figure in the country. Over the past four years, Na Fianna has raised, between ticket sales and prize money, the impressive sum of €60,000. The hope is that the Club can replicate its success of the last years in selling the majority of the 2,000 tickets available to it.

Tickets for the Draw are sold nationally, cost a tenner each and are on sale in the Club this weekend.





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Na Fianna's Operation Transformation

Beginning early in the New Year, Na Fianna will launch its Operation Transformation 2019. That's all we're saying for now but an exciting and club wide programme is planned.....so watch this space.



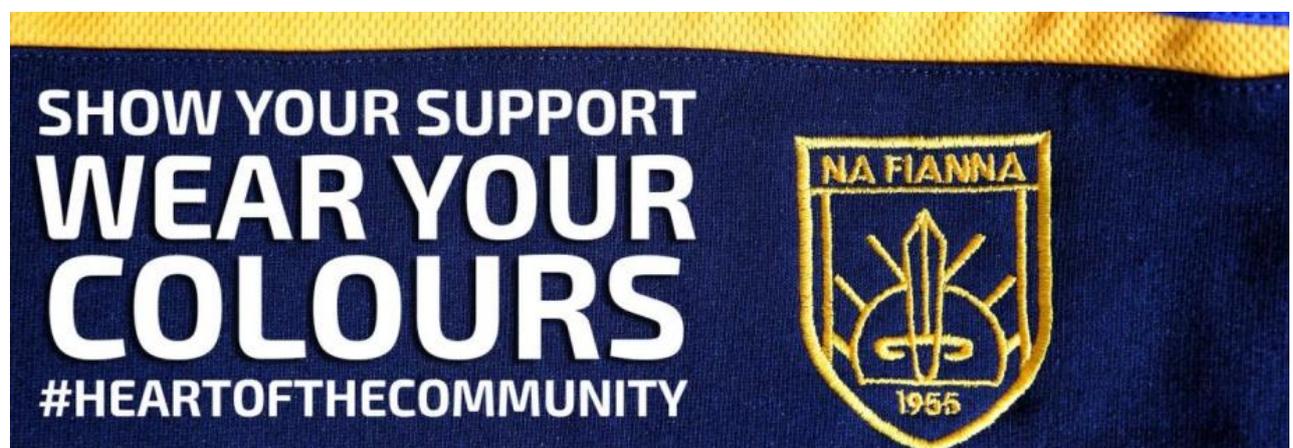
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Members' Subscriptions Due

Membership subscriptions for 2018/2019 are now due and can be paid in a number of ways. Subs can also be paid online here: <http://www.clgnafianna.com/membership/> or in the club office Monday to Friday 9.30am to 1pm.

Croke Park Newsletter

Croke Park's November Club Newsletter is available to view at the following link
<http://www.gaa.ie/search/crawl/news/read-the-latest-gaa-club-newsletter-november-2018>





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Sincere sympathies are extended to the Carpenter family on the death of Gerry, Father of Na Fianna Junior Footballer Robert Carpenter.

Funeral arrangements as follows; Removal tomorrow (Saturday, 8th December) to the Church of Our Lady of Consolation, Donnycarney arriving for 11am Funeral Mass followed by cremation in Dardistown Crematorium. Family flowers only, donations, if desired, to the Irish Cancer Society.

Sympathies of the Club are also offered to the Cullen family on the passing this week of former Na Fianna member Christopher Cullen, Husband of Philomena, Father of Brian and Caroline and Grandfather of Tracey and Eileen.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a n-anamnacha.

....and finally

In a week where our Senior Hurlers compete in Dublin Division 1 League Final, our Camogie Captain Eve O'Brien gets Player of the Year award, the numbers of volunteers taking part in recognised coaching programmes continues to grow and numbers playing CCC1 Hurling in Na Fianna show a 55% increase since 2013....it's fair to say that the future is in good hands. Glaine in ár gcroí, Neart in ár nGeag, Beart de réir ár mbriathar

Fógra Tabachtach

The objective of Na Fianna Nuacht is to communicate as much club activity as possible however it is important to note that all items for inclusion in either Club Notes or Na Fianna Nuacht are reported to news@clgnafianna.ie or texted to 087 9250697 by Sunday evening. With a growing membership of almost 3,000 and over 100 teams now competing it is difficult to ensure all club activity is reported upon – **Do not assume** that your team's activity is already known to Na Fianna Nuacht or that someone else has reported it. When errors or omissions occur it is the policy of Na Fianna Nuacht to correct these in subsequent issues when they are reported to news@clgnafianna.ie