



Gill Mhichil



Comann Lúthchleas Gael Gill Mhichil
KILMICHAEL G.A.A. FOOTBALL & HURLING CLUB

www.kilmichaelgaa.ie

Newsletter - March, 2011



Kilmichael Under 12 Hurlers who won Mid Cork Final defeating Grenagh and who advanced to County Semi Final being defeated by Bride Rovers.



Kilmichael Minor Football Team who won County Championship Final defeating Clondrohid.



Tim Cotter, Mid Cork Quarries pictured here with officers and players presenting jerseys to Kilmichael GAA Club.

Dates for your Diary!

Saturday 2nd April
Coffee Morning and Cake Sale in Clubrooms, Annahala from 11 am to 12.30 pm. Everyone welcome!

Friday 15th April
Table Quiz in Kilmichael Bar Tables of 4 - €20.00.

Friday & Saturday 22nd & 23rd April
Bag Packing in Dunnes Stores, Ballincollig. Volunteers needed.

Saturday 28th May
Official opening of new Clubrooms and pitch at Annahala.

Friday 29th July
Annual Mass in Clubrooms, Annahala for all members of Kilmichael GAA Club, both present and past.

Check www.kilmichaelgaa.ie for further updates.

2011 MEMBERSHIP

Junior Players - €100.00
Non Players - €50.00
Students - €50.00
Under 18 - €20.00
Family membership €100
Membership can be paid to Simon Foley, Club Registrar or to any committee member on or before 31st March, 2011.

CHAMPIONSHIP DRAWS - 2011

Junior A Football Championship
Kilmichael v Aghinagh

Junior B Football Championship
Kilmichael v Kilmurry

Junior B Hurling Championship
Kilmichael v Donoughmore

Under 21 Hurling Championship
Kilmichael v Aghabullogue

Junior B Hurling County Championship
Kilmichael v Macroom

WEEKLY LOTTO

Buy an Annual Lotto Ticket for €100 before 30th April 2011
and be entered into a confined Draw.

This gives you 2 weeks free entry in Draw!

Over the years, Kilmichael GAA has maintained a sound financial base, which is mainly due to the support it receives from the members of the community. While this support is undiminished, the club has incurred increased costs in the last years which has resulted in the club finding itself in an overdraft position.

The Lotto is the main source of fundraising for Kilmichael GAA club. It is drawn weekly starting at €1,000 and increasing weekly by €150 to a maximum of €10,000. We also have bonus prizes of €50 and three prizes of €25. Our weekly results can be found on www.kilmichaelgaa.ie

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If you want to purchase an Annual ticket, please select 3 numbers from box and mark with 'x', complete the form or alternatively you can download application form from our website - www.kilmichaelgaa.ie/lotto and send with €100 to:
*Liam Cotter, Club Secretary,
Clonmoyle Upper,
Kilmichael, Macroom, Co. Cork.*

Name _____

Address _____

Tel No: _____

Tickets can also be purchased weekly from club members and from local retail outlets. Tickets €2 each.

FINANCE

Kilmichael GAA Club is actively Fundraising at present. A list of upcoming activities are on back page of this newsletter.

The Club has had to obtain bank-funding of €100,000 to complete club rooms as Government/Lotto funding is no longer available. There are challenging financial times ahead for the club as it now has to repay this bank loan as well as funding its core activities. We are very confident of the continuing support of the people of Kilmichael parish.

JUVENILE

For 2011 our U15's, U16's and Minor teams are playing under the name of Western Gaels which is an amalgamation of Kilmichael and Iveleary. This has come about as a result of both clubs being very tight in numbers at these age levels and after a number of meetings between officers of both clubs an amalgamation was agreed under the title of 'Western Gaels' and was approved by the GAA authorities. Home matches and trainings are to be rotated between Kilmichael and Inchigeela. Billy Twomey from Inchigeela has been elected as chairman and Niall McGearrait from Kilmichael is secretary. Mentors for all teams in football and hurling have also been agreed.

The county underage structure has also been changed which means that the traditional divisions (Muskerry) etc. no longer exist. The county has now been divided into four divisions with Kilmichael and Western Gaels playing in the Eastern division which comprises of teams from Muskerry, Carrighoun, Seandun and Imokilly. This new structure involves a lot more travelling but however offers a lot more variety and is in place on a two year trial basis.

To date, the Western Gaels minor footballers have travelled to Aghada, Douglas and Carrignavar and have played Russell Rovers (Shanagarry) at

home and after some very impressive performances have been successful in all games and are now topping their group. They have one remaining home game against Aghabullogue which will be played in the next two weeks. The U15's were beaten in their first game away to Clondrohid, were successful away to Gleann Na Laoi and had a very convincing victory at home against Ballyphehane. They have one remaining home game against Ballygarvan. U14 and U16 football leagues are commencing shortly. U12 football and hurling training has also commenced and U10 training is commencing on Saturday 2nd April in Annahala.

The club has a cake sale organised for Saturday 2nd April in Annahala from 11.00 am to 12 30 pm in aid of club funds. All players are requested to have their club membership paid by the end of March, this is imperative for all players as they are not covered under the players injuries scheme unless they have membership paid.

All underage players are eagerly looking forward to the official opening of our new clubhouse and dressing rooms in Annahala on Saturday 28th May where it is planned to have the Cork senior football team in action.

OFFICERS FOR 2011

Presidents: Denis Kelly
John Crowley

Treasurer: Conor Kelly

Vice Presidents: Donal O'Donoghue
Denny O'Mahony
Jerry O'Riordan
Fr. Jerry Cremin, PP
Fr. Connie Murphy
Liam Murphy

PRO: Eileen Cotter

Youth Officer: Dermot Foley

Registrar: Simon Foley

Mid Cork Board Delegates: Oliver McCarthy
Jerry Masters

Chairperson: Seamas O'Leary

County Board Delegates: Oliver McCarthy
Jerry Masters

Vice Chairperson: Michael Carroll

Juvenile Secretary: Michael Hennigan

Secretary: Liam Cotter

Juvenile Board Delegates: Charles McCarthy
Donagh Callanan

Assistant Secretary: Alan Dromey