Na Gaeil Notes Monday 26th February 2024

Lotto results: Lotto Tue 20th February 2024. Numbers drawn were 10, 15, 22, 30. No winner. Lucky dip winners of €20 were Fr. Amos Ruto, Mary & Eileen O'Shea, Charlie & Mary Hartnett, Timmy Culloty, James Moynihan. Our next draw will be tomorrow night and the jackpot will be €1,300. Why not try your luck in our lotto. The links is as follows: <u>https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Na%20Gaeil%20CLG/lotto</u>

Scór: The very best of luck to all the young Na Gaeil members who represent the club in the Tralee district round of Scór na bPaistí, which takes place tomorrow (Tuesday) in GSME. Taking part in the Nuachleas are Harry Rooney, Farren Ní Dhálaigh, Rachel O'Mahony, Lily Barrett, Daniel Fitzmaurice, Bláithín Casey, Jane Cantwell & Aoibhinn O'Mahony. They'll perform 'The Wake', penned by our playwright-in-residence Mary Quirke. Norena Ní Dhrisceoil is our solo singer, & along with Farren Ní Dhálaigh, Rachel O'Mahony, Bláithín Casey & Ciara Murphy, she also takes part in the Grúpa Ceoil competition. Farren Ní Dhálaigh is our story teller, and taking part in the Bailead Grúpa competition are Caoimhe & Aoibhinn Ní Shuilleabháin, Ciara Ní Mhurchú & Eva Ní Luasaigh. If you have a couple of free hours tomorrow night, you could do worse than join us in GSME for a night of wonderful entertainment. The first competition starts at 7.30pm. Na Gaeil Abú!

Bingo: Na Gaeil Bingo tonight at 8pm sharp. Our Continued Special Offer on our Mini Accumulater Jackpot House is €360 in 56 calls. We also have a Raffle and Split the Bucket at half time. Bus available on (087) 2817577. Over 18s only. Hope to see you all there for an excellent night out.

<u>Volunteers:</u> 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>Tráth na gCeist dátheangach (bilingual quiz)</u>: Everyone is welcome to the bilingual quiz being held in the clubhouse next Friday night, March 1st, starting at 7.30pm. €20 for a table of 4.

Return of underage training 2024: Our juveniles are back in training for the 2024 season. Contact details for the various age groups are as follows: U5's - Denis Sugrue (087) 2808719. U7's - Shane Moriarty (086) 8380434. U9s - Bryan O'Mahony 087 9585331. New members are always welcome and can contact the relevant team coach above.

<u>U7 Training</u>: Yesterday morning our U7's group practiced their crouch lift, handpassing, soloing and finished with a game. Well done to everyone for making it an enjoyable morning. Training continues next Sunday at 10am in Tralee Sports Complex.

<u>U11 Boys Training:</u> The cold and rain didn't deter our hardy under 11 boys yesterday morning in the MTU. Plenty spirit shown as the boys kicked, passed and ran their way through the session. Well done boys!

<u>Minor Co. League:</u> Our u17 boys game last Saturday against St. Michael's Foilmore/Skellig Rangers didn't go ahead so next Saturday will see us at home to Milltown/Castlemaine at 3pm.

<u>Girls Training</u>: Na Gaeil Ladies juveniles (u8/u10/u12) are back training for the new season. New members are always welcome. For more information contact Eddie on 087-6791460.

<u>Lidl Ladies National League:</u> Round 5 will see the team travel to take on Armagh next Sunday, March 3rd. Throw-in at the Athletic Grounds is 1pm. Good luck to the team, especially the 5 Na Gaeil girls involved.

<u>Allianz National Football League:</u> After a tough outing against Dublin last Saturday the Kerry team face another difficult opponent next Sunday when they take on Tyrone in Fitzgerald Stadium at 1.15pm. Good luck to Diarmuid, Damien, Stefan and the team.

<u>Allianz National Hurling League:</u> Well done to the Kerry hurlers who defeated Meath yesterday in Division 2A especially our Na Gaeil lads Dan Goggin, Morgan Madden, Niall O'Mahony & Darragh Reen. Final score was Kerry 3-14, Meath 0-16.

Credit Union Senior Men's Co. League (Div 2): Fixtures for the upcoming men's senior County League:

23rd March: Na Gaeil v Glenbeigh/Glencar.
31st March: Templenoe v Na Gaeil.
7th April: Na Gaeil v Listowel Emmets.
21st April: Castleisland Desmonds v Na Gaeil.
28th April: Na Gaeil v Gneeveguilla.
5th May: Beaufort v Na Gaeil.
19th May: Fossa v Na Gaeil.
26th May: Na Gaeil v Ardfert.
2nd June: John Mitchels v Na Gaeil.
9th June: Na Gaeil v Kenmare.
23rd June: Austin Stacks v Na Gaeil.

Senior Ladies Donal Curtin Cup Division 1 fixtures:

24th Mar: Beaufort v Na Gaeil. 14th Apr: Southern Gaels v Na Gaeil. 21st Apr: Na Gaeil v Corca Dhuibhne. 28th Apr: Na Gaeil v Cromane. 5th May: Scartaglen v Na Gaeil. 12th May: Na Gaeil v Dr. Crokes. 19th May: Na Gaeil v Spa.

Upcoming clubhouse events: You are all invited to join us as Na Gaeil continues to celebrate our Irish language & culture. Here are a few dates for the diary - cúpla data don dialann....

Friday March 1st, starting at 7.30pm, Tráth na gCeist dátheangach - bilingual quiz.

Friday 8th March from 9pm; come along to an evening of ceol, caint agus craic with our own senior footballer & music man Tadhg Ó Rinn.

Thursday March 14th at 7pm; Ceolchoirm Scór - our annual Scór showcase. Another night of top class light entertainment from our club members, óg agus aosta! Fáilte roimh chách! Bigí linn!

<u>Big Screen</u>: All National Football league and championship games will be shown live on the big screen in the bar throughout the season.

Sponsorship Opportunity: If you have a business and would like to promote it with Na Gaeil we have various sponsorship packages available to suit all budgets. Enquiries to Donal (087-2577729) or Terry (086-8293261) or Colm (087-9080465) or Mike (086-2440158) or any member of the club Executive.

<u>Club History:</u> During the year Michael Golden spent many hours putting together a list of notable club results & 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".

Kerry (Men) Munster Senior Championship 2024: Semi-final v Cork or Limerick on 20th April 2024.

Kerry (Men) Munster Minor Championship 2024: Quarter-final v Cork on 30th April 2024 at a Kerry venue.

<u>Hire the Hall:</u> The hall in the clubhouse is available for parties or other events. Please email <u>nagaeilclubhouse@gmail.com</u> if you'd like to make a booking.

<u>Na Gaeil cycle club:</u> Cycle each Saturday at 9.30am from Na Gaeil club. Everyone is welcome to come for a nice friendly cycle.

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

<u>Notes:</u> 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.