



# Aghabullogue GAA & Camogie Club News



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## RESULTS

### Intermediate Football League

**29/04/12:**  
Glanworth 3-17  
Aghabullogue 0-04  
**21/04/12:**  
Cill Na Martra 1-09  
Aghabullogue 0-09

### Junior Hurling League

**22/04/12:**  
Donoughmore 0-19  
Aghabullogue 0-10

### Intermediate Hurling League

13/05/12:  
Aghada 2-14  
Aghabullogue 1-11

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Welcome to the May edition of our Newsletter.

Pride of place for this month must go to the Camogie Under 14s and U 12s. The **U14 Camogie girls** were crowned Cork **U14 A Féile Champions for 2012!** The girls beat Ballinhassig in the final on a scoreline of 3-02 to 3-01. (See match report inside for further details!) The girls now travel to Dublin on the first weekend in July, where they will be hosted by St. Johns, Ballinteer and they will play St. Johns, Good Counsel and a team from Wexford. **Best of luck to the girls and all those involved!** Your support would be greatly appreciated!

The Under 12s enjoyed a fantastic day at Croke Park where they won all their games in the tournament. The day was a very memorable one for all involved and the thrill of playing on the hallowed ground of Croke park will stay with them for a long time.



### U14 Camogie girls

Unfortunately the Intermediate Footballers lost to our neighbours Canovee in a very close first round of the championship and now they go on to meet Cloyne in the 2nd round in an attempt to get back into the competition.

The Intermediate hurlers will take on Bandon on the first round of the championship on June 3rd in Cloughduv and we wish them the very best of luck in what will be a very tricky contest for the boys.

A lot of the U16 and Minor games have been put on hold to facilitate the boys doing exams. We would like to take this opportunity to wish all the students the very best of luck over the next few weeks and we hope that everything you've studied for comes up!!!

As we head into one of the busiest times of the year on the playing fields we would ask all of you to continue to support our teams.

*Denise O' Sullivan & Deirdre Twomey*

## Up Coming Fixtures

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### **INTERMEDIATE HURLING Championship**

03/06/12  
Aghabullogue Versus Bandon  
Venue: Cloughduv  
Time 4.15pm

### **Junior Hurling Championship**

Aghabullogue  
V  
Éire Óg



The Aghabullogue club will host the **Cork GAA clubs draw** in Coachford on Thursday, May 31, at 9pm

## Juvenile Results

### Results

**Under 13 A Football League**  
**23/04/2012:** Aghabullogue 5-11  
St. Vincents 2-04

**Under 13 Football Championship**  
**23/04/2012:** Aghabullogue 5-11  
St. Vincents 2-04  
**30/04/2012:** 1/4 Final Kil-murray 3-06 Aghabullogue 2-03

**Under 14 A Football League/ Championship**  
**03/05/2012:** Aghabullogue 3-12  
Glenville 3-03

**Under 14 Premier 1 Hurling League**  
**29/04/2012:** Aghabullogue 5-06  
Ballincollig 4-06

**Under 16 B Football League**  
**30/04/2012:** Aghabullogue 5-12  
Cloyne 2-03

**Under 16 A Hurling League**  
**23/04/2012:** Aghabullogue 7-14  
Passage West 2-08

**Minor Hurling League**  
**26/04/2012:** Newcestown 3-12  
Aghabullogue 2-06



## Camogie News



Aghabullogue Camogie Club would like to **thank** all those who have supported their Clothes collection to date. We are organising a **FINAL** collection of **unwanted clean & dry clothes & footwear**. Its the ideal opportunity to clean out your wardrobe & help the Camogie Club! The final collection is on **Friday, 8th June from 7-8pm** in Coachford GAA Hall, Please contact any member of the Camogie Club if you require further information. Thank you for your support.

### Underage Camogie News

Our **U8, U9 & U10** girls are busy training in preparation for their Go Games Leagues which we are awaiting news on. Over the new 2 – 3 weeks we will be arranging a few practice games to get the girls geared up for the Leagues.

### U12 Camogie Go Games

We completed our 3 Cluster Blitzes with our final one in Ballincollig on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April. We played 3 games and all our girls got good playing time. We are now awaiting news on our League opponents.

We travelled to **Croke Park** on Saturday 05<sup>th</sup> May 2012 to play in **"Camán to Croker"** U12 Go Games fun day. We left the GAA grounds @ 7.45am and were parked above in the Cusack Stand @ 12 noon after a quick stop @ the Mid Way. We were met by the Camogie Association Representatives @ 12.30pm and our girls were taken on a tour of the Stadium with various other clubs at 1pm. Our parents and other supporters arranged to go on their own tour @ 1pm also and thoroughly enjoyed it. We had a quick puck around before our first match against Naomh Treasa from Tyrone, we then played Oranmore Maree from Galway and our final match was against Mungret St. Paul's from Limerick. We played 12 minutes per match and our 15 girls had great playing time on the Sacred Sod. We won all our games and each of the girls played great Camogie. After the matches photos were taken and a few of our supporters got to run onto Croke Park and puck a few balls around (even with the groundsmen calling after them!). Afterwards the children went to the Museum



shop and bought a few souvenirs and we were back on the bus heading towards Cork for 5pm. We stopped off in Cashel for a well earned McDonalds meal and we then relaxed & wound down to the Mama Mia DVD. A great day was had by all and full marks to the Camogie Association for a very successful run day, we didn't have to worry about anything we had a chaperone showing us where to go all day. Thanks very much to all the parents for helping us out and ensuring all forms were signed and to all those who travelled up on the day on the bus, car and train.

**Panel** that played in **Croke Park**: Clóna Healy, Ella Browne, Clodagh O'Hanlon, Anna Sheehan, Karen Dennehy, Jennifer Cotter, Miriam Cotter, Aoife Riordan, Sarah Byrne, Aisling Healy, Julie Tarrant, Hannah McCaffrey, Emer Barry Murphy, Emma O'Sullivan, Aoife McCarthy

### U16 Camogie

Having won our 1<sup>st</sup> league game our U16 girls were unlucky to lose their 2<sup>nd</sup> match to Millstreet on 20<sup>th</sup> April by 5 points as we were short a few key players. On the night the girls played some great Camogie got some great scores. We must still play Sliabh Rua and Bishopstown and hopefully win both to progress to the next round.

### Intermediate Camogie

The draws have been made for the Intermediate Camogie Championship and Aghabullogue have been drawn against Tracton, Sarsfields and Newtownshandrum. No dates have been set for these games as of yet but please stay tuned to future newsletters and on the Club Website for further details!

**Congratulations to Karena Curtin on making the 6<sup>th</sup> Class Primary School Team.**



## Camogie Féile

We hosted our section of Féile on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May, playing Fr. O'Neills, Éire Óg & Sarsfield. Our first match was a tough encounter against Fr. O'Neills and with all our girls giving their all we won on a scoreline of 3 – 3 to 1 – 0. Éire Óg were next up and we scored 4 – 5 to their 0 – 1, the scores were hard to come by and once our girls got the chance they took it. The last match of the day was against Sarsfields and the winners of this match would decide who would come out of the section. We emerged as winners with a 5 point cushion which saw us qualify for the semi final stages of the Féile. Our opponents in the semi Final were Courcey Rovers and we defeated the South Cork girls by 4-03 to 0-01 to reach the County Final where we played Ballinhassig.

### Match Report

17/05/2012 Aghabullogue 3-02 Ballinhassig 3-01

Aghabullogue were crowned U14 A Cork County Féile Champions following an a hard fought and emphatic victory over Ballinhassig on Thursday 17th May. Ballinhassig recorded the opening score of the game with a goal but Aghabullogue quickly denied them of this lead when full forward Amie O'Sullivan landed a bullet of a shot into the back of the Ballinhassig net. Despite the great defensive work of Lisa O'Driscoll, Katie McCarthy and Orla Buckley in the full back line, Ballinhassig scored another goal, however with the Aghabullogue mid fielders – Ciara McCarthy and Rachel McElroy on fire, Aghabullogue pushed forward and scored an impressive point from a free from wing forward Cliona Healy. The half time whistle blew and Ballinhassig were on top on a score line of 2-00 to 1-01.

Ballinhassig started the second half very strong and the Aghabullogue wing back line of Ellen Smith, and the two Curtin sisters – Ella and Karena, performed trojan work to keep the Ballinhassig girls out. Ballinhassig did manage to score a goal, however Aghabullogue responded with a fantastic goal from Amie O'Sullivan and a point from play from Cliona Healy. Ballinhassig pushed further ahead with a point from play, however the skilful Aghabullogue wing forward line of Sarah Healy, Megan McCarthy and Cliona Healy pushed Aghabullogue forward and powered the ball into the determined full forward line of Christine Lyons, Amie O'Sullivan and Miriam Cotter. Substitute Karen Dennehy made an important impact and aided in the set up of another fantastic goal for full forward Amie O'Sullivan. The last minutes of the game were heart pounding stuff and Ballinhassig were denied a late goal chance when Aghabullogue goal keeper Ellen Tarrant made the all important save! Aghabullogue ran out well deserved winners in the end on the narrowest of margins, with the final scoreline reading 3-02 to 3-01.

Sheer heart, determination and skill were key to this fantastic achievement and great credit is due to the girls, their trainers, their parents and all others who played a part in any way! The girls now travel to Dublin on the first weekend of July to partake in the All-Ireland Féile series. Best of luck to the girls and all involved! 1995 was the last time Aghabullogue were crowned with this title and this was the third year of a three in a row! Here's hoping that this victory will be part of another three in a row!!!

**Team:** Ellen Tarrant, Lisa O'Driscoll, Katie McCarthy, Orla Buckley, Karena Curtin, Ella Curtin, Ellen Smith, Ciara McCarthy, Rachel McElroy, Cliona Healy, Megan McCarthy, Sarah Healy, Christine Lyons, Amie O'Sullivan, Miriam Cotter.

**Substitutes:** Karen Dennehy for Christine Lyons

**Other Panel members:** Anna Sheehan, Clodagh O'Hanlon, Ella Browne, Jennifer Cotter, Julie Tarrant, Aoife Riordan, Sarah Byrne & Aisling Healy.



*Captain Ella Curtin holds the County Féile trophy aloft to the cheers of her team mates*



## Juvenile GAA

Best of luck to both **Aghabullogue National School** and **Coachford National School** in their **Sciath na Scol** finals. Coachford take on Kilbrittan on Tuesday 29th at 11.30am in Pairc Ui Rinn and Aghabullogue take on neighbours, Dripsey on Wednesday 30th at 10.30am in Pairc Ui Rinn. **Best of luck to both teams.**

**UNDERAGE FOOTBALL TRAINING**  
**U6 & U8 & U10** Football training for both **Boys & Girls** started on **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** and continues every Tuesday from **6.30pm to 7.30pm**

Notice: From May 2012 Only one Hop and One Solo can be used up to and including Under 14s.



The Under 10 teams who played Cloughduv recently



Many of you had little difficulty naming this team from 1981, but for those of you who had, here they are:

Back Row left to right—Kieran McCarthy, Sean Buckley, Seamus Murphy, Derry O Connell, Joe Barrett, John Lynch, Denis Martin

Front Row\_ Brendan Buckley, Richard Tarrant, Maurice Mooney, Noel Looney, Martin Underhill and Joseph Healy.



Can you name the members of the Coachford Sciath Na Scoil Team who won the competition in 1988

## Cul Camps

Due to a clash with the Camogie Féile na Gael competition being held over the first weekend in July, it has been decided to now hold the **Cúl Camps** on **July 9th to 13<sup>th</sup>**.



Kellogg's GAA Cúl Camps provide boys and girls – between the ages of 6 and 13 – with an action-packed and fun-filled week of activity during the summer holidays.

Activities are **GAME - BASED** – a strong emphasis is placed on skill acquisition - and are organised in an age appropriate manner .

**The Camp takes place in the GAA Grounds Coachford from Monday July 9th to Friday July 13th from 10.00am to 2.30pm each day.**

**For further information and to book your place contact Michael Dilworth on 086 880 6666**

## Fixtures

### Under 12 football League

**27/05/2012:**

Aghabullogue  
v Kilmurray  
in Coachford at 12 noon

**05/06/2012:**

Aghabullogue  
v Passage  
in Passage at 7.30pm

**09/06/2012:**

Aghabullogue  
v Macroom  
In Coachford at 2pm