

# **C.L.G**

## **Barr na Cúille**



## **Review 2013**

*Feargal Mc Gill, PRO, November 2013*

# EANÁIR

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**Annual General Meeting** Please note that our AGM will take place this Saturday, January 12<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm in the Community Centre. Motions and nominations for all officerships should be returned to the Secretary by this Thursday, January 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Club Draw** The club draw for November and December took place in the Copper Still on Saturday week last, Thanks to Derek and Rosemary for their hospitality and to John Butler for the entertainment. Winners €100 each; Dermot Shanley and Vinny Canning, €20 each Mary Mulligan, Tom Moran, Sean McGowan, Emma Moffatt, Patricia Bohan, J.J. Duffy, Micheal Winters, Michelle Howard, Yvonne Slevin and Ann Finn. Voucher sponsored by Copper Still; Rutledge Healey, Bottle sponsored by Sean Moffatt; Sean McGowan, bottle sponsored by Sean McGowan; Josephine McGushin. Thanks to all who helped out on the night and all who supported.

**Scór** Congratulations to our Question Time team of Sean Muldowney, Robert Beirne and Brian Duffy on retaining their County title at the finals of Scór na nOg in Carrick on Shannon on Saturday last. They now go on to represent the club in the Connacht finals at the end of the month. Alas there was no joy for our figure dancers or the novelty act both of whom performed very well. Our dancing team was Rachel Mc Garry, Shannon Healy, Aine Mulligan, Amy Blake, Sean O

Riordan, Jordan Cramp, Cian and Shane Mallon. In the Novelty Act, Shannon and Tanya Boyle, Shona Cosgrove, Michelle Hackett, Karl, Shane and Cian Mallon represented the club.

**Sympathy** We extend the sympathies of the club to the Mc Dermott family, Cloncarne, on the death of Tom at the weekend. Tom's son Noel and daughter Margaret both played with the club while wife Pauline was involved in preparing teams for Scór over many years. Ar dheis Dé go raibh sé.

**Sympathy** Sympathies are extended to the Lynch family, Gortinty Annaduff on the passing of Larry Lynch over the Christmas period. We also remember the late Fr Ciaran Shanley (Cloonagh), who played for Bornacoola on the 1948 County Minor Championship winning team and also went on to play for Leitrim.

**Wedding Bells** Our congratulations to Brendan Duignan (Cloonturk) and new wife Emer (Guckian, Gowel) on their marriage at the weekend. Brendan has been a stalwart on Bornacoola teams over the years and also represented Gortletteragh and Leitrim in Hurling.



*Charlotte Faughnan with her award for Leitrim Intermediate Player of the Year*

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**Annual General Meeting** The club's AGM for 2012 took place in the Community Centre on Saturday night last. In his address, Chairman Noel Mc Closkey reflected on a year that saw our men's teams reach the Division 2 and 3 League finals, our Ladies team capture the Intermediate Championship and in which an All Ireland title was brought to Leitrim by our Scór Question time team. Officers returned for 2013 were: Chairman – Noel Mc Closkey, Vice Chairman/Development Officer – Pdraig Jones, Secretary – Shane Reynolds, Assistant Secretary/Registrar – Niall O Connor, Treasurer/Oifigeach Cultúra – Martina Hackett, Assistant Treasurer – John Reynolds, P.R.O Feargal Mc Gill, Youth & Children's Officers – Seamus Mallon/Anthony Mulligan, Co Board – Tom Duignan, Shay Reynolds, Bord na nOg – Declan Shanely, Seamus Mallon, Kevin Mallon, Ladies Board – Susan Shanley, Club Executive – Seamus Mallon, Tom Duignan, Brian Conroy, Kelly Howard, Tommy Larkin, Declan Bohan. Our thanks to all who attended the AGM and to Oliver Shanley for setting up the hall.

**Club Draw** Tickets for the 2013 Club Draws are now on Sale from Club members - €20 buys you entry into all 12 monthly draws. The first Club Draw of 2013 takes place in the Copper Still on Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup> with Music by Feargal Mc Gill.

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**Club Draw** Tickets for the 2013 Club Draws are now on Sale from Club members - €20 buys you entry into all 12 monthly draws. The first Club Draw of 2013 takes place in the Copper Still on this Saturday night with Music by Feargal Mc Gill. All ticket sellers are asked to return their sold and unsold tickets to the club this week – you can do so by giving them to Kevin Mallon, Shane Reynolds, Martina Hackett or they can be handed in to the Copper Still.

**Scór** Best wishes to our Question time team of Robert Beirne, Brian Duffy and Sean Muldowney who head to Castlebar on Saturday next for the Connacht Finals of Scór na nOg. After the heartbreak of coming second in 2012, the boys will be hopeful of going one better and qualifying for the All Ireland final in February in Derry. The Chairman already has the spare rooms made up in Dungiven! Scór Sinsear will also be starting soon – anyone interested in participating in any of the disciplines should contact our Oifigeach Cultúra Martina Hackett at 087 7963512

**GOAL Mile** A note to hand from Noel Mahon to extend his thanks to the Club for hosting the GOAL Mile on New Year's Day and to our members who took part and helped raise badly needed funds for the third world charity. This year the total raised was €5,860. The final figure is again a tremendous tribute to Noel and his team and all at the club are very proud to count Noel among our members as the work he does in this area is outstanding. Maith thú a Nollaig.

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**Congratulations Charlotte** Our congratulations to Ladies player Charlotte Faughnan who was named Leitrim Intermediate Club Player of the year and received her award at a function in the Bush Hotel on Friday night last. Charlotte was a key player in the centre of the field in 2012 as the Ladies team captured the club's first ever Intermediate championship.

**Scór na nOg** For the second year in a row, our Question time team of Robert Beirne, Brian Duffy and Sean Muldowney were defeated by 2 points in the Connaught final of Scór na nOg which was held on Saturday last in Castlebar. Sincere thanks to Aiden Dockrey for his work with the boys over the last few months. Hopefully next year they can make it 3<sup>rd</sup> time lucky and qualify for the All Ireland final. Congratulations to Grace O'Reilly from Ballinamore who was winner in the recitation which was written by her aunt Angela Fitzpatrick. Best of luck to you in the All Ireland Final which takes place in Derry February 23<sup>rd</sup>. Finally Scór Sinsear kicks off on March 23<sup>rd</sup> so anyone interested in participating in any of the disciplines should contact Oifigeach Cultúra Martina Hackett at [087 7963512](tel:0877963512)

**Club Draw** The first Bornacoola Club Draw for 2013 took place on Saturday night last in the Copper Still, Dromod. Thanks to Derek for his hospitality and to all who sold and bought tickets. Winners were; €100 Michael Stenson, €20 each; Bernie O'Beirne, Trish Hackett, Margaret McGoldrick (BOI Mohill), Pdraig Jones, Josephine McGushin and a bottle of wine

sponsored by the Copper till was won by Kelly Howard.

**Bon Voyage** Our Best Wishes to Alan Croghan who departed for New Zealand last week to join brother Niall at the other end of the world. Alan has been a key player for Bornacoola over the last few years and he will be sorely missed.

**Leitrim v Limerick** Anyone interested in travelling to Leitrim's opening Allianz League game in Limerick this Sunday should note that a bus will depart from our club grounds at 9.50am on Sunday morning with a cost of €15 per person return. If you are interested in travelling please contact Shay Reynolds at [0879030882](tel:0879030882)

**Defibrillator meeting** Please note that there will be an urgent defibrillator meeting on Tuesday February 5<sup>th</sup> at 8.30 in Bornacoola Community Centre. Everybody please attend, especially trainees.

### **Bornacoola Community**

**Development AGM** The AGM of the Bornacoola Community Development Association takes place in the Community Centre this Thursday night at 8 30pm. All members are requested to attend and new members are welcome.

**Sympathy** Our sympathies to the Campbell family on the passing of Mary Ann (Cloonohil, Drumlish) last week. Ar Dheis De go raibh sí

# FEABHRA

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**Membership** Membership for 2013 is now due and is available from Niall O Connor, (Registrar), Martina Hackett (Treasurer) or Shane Reynolds (Secretary) at €40 for adult players, €20 general membership, €10 Underage playing membership (to a maximum of €20 per family). For insurance purposes all those intending to play for the club in 2013 must be fully paid up members. No players will be allowed to play for the club until their membership has been paid.

**Scór** Scór Sinsear kicks off on March 23<sup>rd</sup> so anyone interested in participating in any of the disciplines should contact Oifigeach Cultúra Martina Hackett at [087 7963512](tel:0877963512)

**Drama** Please remember to support the Bornacoola drama group on March 1st 2nd and 3rd when they present two plays in the local community centre. As in other years, the plays will feature many of our past and present players. Tickets will be going on sale shortly and we'll let you know more about how to get them nearer the date.

**Fashion Show** Make sure to keep April 19<sup>th</sup> free in your diary for the GAA Club's fashion show in Lough Rynn aid of the upcoming building development. Further details to follow in the coming weeks

**Minor League** Our Minors began their league campaign on Saturday last when St Caillins were the visitors to Dromod. In an absorbing game, a late goal for the Fenagh lads proved to be the crucial score as they held out for a three point victory.. The team at the weekend was Fergal Hackett, Robert O Beirne, Brian Duffy, Paul Dockery, Patrick Kozac, Liam Mulligan, Kieran Campbell, Ronan Mulligan, Kevin Shanley, Darragh Healy, Dylan Hackett. Subs Gearoid Mulligan, Liam Jones, Karl Mallon and Kevin Mulligan.

**Fixtures** Our adult teams begin their league campaigns this weekend coming. On Saturday, the Junior A team host Leitrim Gaels in Dromod at 3.30pm in Division 2 while on Sunday the Seniors travel to Ballinamore for a 1.30pm throw-in against Sean O Heslins. Sadly we will not be fielding a 3<sup>rd</sup> team in 2013.

**Bon Voyage** Unfortunately we are losing one of our brightest Ladies stars as Charlotte Faughnan has emigrated to London. Charlotte was a key member of the Ladies team that won the Intermediate championship last September, picking up the award for Intermediate club player of the year at the County Board GAA Awards recently. She will be transferring to Fr Murphy's in London and is going to be one of the girls featured in a fly on the wall Setanta Sports documentary in the coming months on emigration and the GAA. Best of luck Charlotte and don't forget us all in Bornacoola when you're a big TV Star!!

**Drama** I mentioned last week that a number of our players, past and present, are again involved with the Bornacoola players in 2013 and the Community Centre plays host to a weekend of Drama on the first weekend in March. This year the group are performing *The Chastitee* by John B. Keane, a play full of laughter, tenderness, sadness and misfortune and also *The Spinsters* by M. Gallagher, a story set in rural Ireland where there is trouble with an inheritance. The dates are: March 1st, 2nd & 3rd at 8pm nightly. Tickets can be booked on 085 8186578.

**Team Managements 2013** The following have been appointed to look after teams in 2013 – U-12 Seamus Mallon and Noel Mc Closkey, U-14 Seoirse Reynolds, U-16 Kevin Mallon, Trevor Howard and Jonathan Duffy. Minor Anthony Mulligan, John Bohan and Mick Mallon.

**Fashion Show** The GAA club will be holding a Fashion Show in Lough Rynn on Friday April 19<sup>th</sup> so make sure you keep that date free in your diary.

**Defibrillators** Bornacoola has a very valuable resource in 12 defibrillators positioned in various locations around the parish and approximately 110 people have been trained to use them. In order to maintain and upgrade vital defibrillator equipment it is necessary, once again, to appeal to the generosity of the people of the parish. Our last fundraising efforts were very successful and, this time, we are hoping to raise €6,000 for future upgrades and battery replacements. A member of the committee has been nominated to fundraise in all areas of

the parish, please place your donation in the envelope provided and it will be collected from you. Further training will be taking place in the near future, if you wish to be included please give your name and phone number (mobile if possible) to the person collecting in your area, to any member of the committee or text your details to 087-6359727



*Marty Morrissey pictured at the Bornacoola GAA Dinner Dance with Margaret Reynolds and Fionnuala Howard*

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**Division 1** The Senior team began their league campaign with an engrossing encounter against Sean O Heslins in Ballinamore on Sunday last. Playing with the wind in the first half, Bornacoola held a one point lead at the interval. A second half goal from Anthony Mulligan put the Bors three points in front at one stage but a strong O'Heslins rally that yielded three points in as many minutes, tipped the balance in the Ballinamore team's favour and despite two good chances to equalise in the closing minutes, it was the home team that took the points on a 1-8 to 0-12 scoreline. Team was: Feargal Mc Gill, Brian Reilly, Morgan Shanley, Barry Reid, David Mulligan, Jason Conroy, Declan Shanley, David O Connor, Gary Mc Closkey, Anthony Mulligan, Damian Moran (0-2), Ollie Vaughan, Brian Conroy (0-1), Michael Duignan and Mark Mc Closkey (0-5). Subs used were Sean Mc Keon and Kevin Shanley. This Sunday, Dromohair are the visitors to Dromod.

**Club Draw** The Club Draw for February takes place this Saturday night in the Copper Still. Your support as always is greatly appreciated.

**Minor League** The minor team made up for the disappointment of their opening day defeat to St Caillins, when they recorded a good 2-7 to 2-5 victory over Aughavas last Saturday. This Saturday morning, they make the trip to Aughnasheelin for a game that will throw in at 11.30am. In what is a very tight group a victory is essential to keep alive our prospects of qualifying for the semi-finals.

**Division 2** Having secured promotion from Division 3 last season, this year our second team will be playing the Division 2 league. On Saturday last, Leitrim Gaels were the visitors to Dromod and despite an encouraging showing from the Bors, it was the Gaels superior fitness in the second half that earned a deserved victory on a 1-17 to 1-10 scoreline. The Bornacoola team on duty was Feargal Mc Gill, John Shanley, Brian Reilly, John Reynolds, Declan Shanley, Anthony Mulligan, David Mulligan, Damian Moran, Trevor Howard, Jonathan Duffy, Mark Mc Closkey, Sean Mc Keon, Conor Hackett, Aidan Reilly and Kevin Shanley. Subs used were John Bohan and Noel Mc Enroe. This Saturday, we travel to Ballinaglera for a 3.30 pm throw in.

**RTE Radio** Nice to hear some national recognition for two of our players on RTE Radio's Sunday Sport programme on Sunday last. In a debate involving the GAA President Liam O Neill, Longford's Eugene Mc Gee and former Armagh midfielder and TV Pundit Jarlath Burns on emigration and how it affects rural clubs, specific reference was made to the commitment of Bornacoola's Gary Mc Closkey and David O Connor who, despite living in London for the last number of years, both fly home regularly to play for the club. It is a commitment we sometimes take for granted but it was very heartening to see that the broader GAA community recognises the efforts of the two lads, and others like them in clubs throughout the country, who make such an enormous sacrifice to represent their communities on the playing fields.

*Published on February 27<sup>th</sup>*

**Division 1** A severely understrength senior team put up a battling performance but were ultimately easily defeated by Dromahair on Sunday last in Dromod in our second league game of the season on a 2-18 to 0-5 scoreline. . Team on duty was Gerry Gearty, Barry Reid, Brian Reilly, David Mulligan, Mark Muldowney, Paul Hackett, Sean Mc Keon, Michael Duignan, Damian Moran, Aidan Reilly, Anthony Mulligan, Ollie Vaughan, Roy Keenan, Brian Conroy and Kevin Shanley. The senior league takes a break now as Leitrim feature in Allianz league matches for the next couple of weekends. The action doesn't end for the Senior team however as the Shield competition starts next weekend with the Bors in action against Annaduff . Carrigallen, Cloone and Gortletteragh will be the other teams in Bornacoola's group.

**Drama** All roads lead to the Community Centre this weekend for three nights of great drama courtesy of the Bornacoola Players with two plays in the Community Centre on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. The plays are John B Keane's highly acclaimed *The Chastitute* and *The Spinsters* by Eileen Walsh. Back by popular demand are many members of the GAA Club including Pdraig Jones as Mickey Molly, Brian Mallon as the Gentle Monk and the love struck Jack and Declan Bohan as the Cross Monk and as the most eligibnle farmer who will do anything to get his hands on a particular field!!! The plays start at 8pm nightly and tickets can be booked on 085 8186578

**Minor League** The minors played their last game in the league on Saturday morning last when they were defeated by Aughnasheelin on a 4-7 to 3-4 scoreline. The boys have been a little bit unlucky throughout the league winning one of the three games but coming very close in each of the other two. Lots to work on for the championship and plenty of reasons for optimism too.

**U-16 Meeting** There will be a meeting of the U-16 panel on Thursday evening next in the dressing rooms at 8pm. All those interested in playing in 2013 are asked to attend.

**Dinner Dance** Our Annual Dinner Dance will take place in Cox's Steakhouse in Dromod on Saturday week, March 9<sup>th</sup> at which presentations will be made to the various players of the year and to our Ladies team who captured the Intermediate Championship in 2012. Tickets priced at just Eur30 each are available



Sheena meets her hero! Dinner Dance 2013



# MÁRTA

*Published on March 6<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior Shield** The Senior team played Annaduff in the Shield on Saturday last. Despite conceding an early goal, Bornacoola were in control throughout and three points apiece from Damian Moran and Mark Mc Closke proved telling as we recorded our first win of the season on a 0-11 to 1-1 scoreline. Team and scorers were: Gerry Gearty, Barry Reid, Brian Reilly, David Mulligan, Trevor Howard, Jason Conroy, Shane Conroy, Michael Duignan, Morgan Shanley, Ollie Vaughan (0-1), Mark Mc Closkey (0-3), Anthony Mulligan, Brian Conroy (0-1), Damian Moran (0-3) and Kevin Shanley (0-1). Subs used Jonathan Duffy (0-1), Aidan Reilly, Conor Hackett and Feargal Mc Gill.

**Drama** Well done to all involved with the staging of The Chastitute and The Spinsters over the weekend in the Community Centre. Among our club members involved in various guises were Declan Bohan, Orla Reynolds, Jonathan Duffy, Padraig, Sharon and Laura Jones, Brian Mallon and Seamus Gannon. Ann Mc Guinness was the producer. Huge crowds turned out on all three nights and the Players are donating the proceeds of one of the nights to the GAA Club. Míle buíochas daoibh go léir.

**U-14 League** The U-14's begin their 2013 campaign this Saturday when they host Glenfarne/Kilty at 11.30am. Best of luck to all involved.

**Injury** Our best wishes to Anthony Mulligan for a speedy recovery following an injury sustained accidentally in last Saturday's games. A hugely popular player, Anthony has been extremely unlucky with injury over the past couple of years and hopefully his latest setback will not keep him out of the game for too long.

**Seachtain na Gaeilge** Congratulations to our quiz team of Aidan and Paul Dockery and Brian Duffy who captured the Leitrim title in the GAA's Seachtain na Gaeilge quiz on Saturday last. Brian – at just 15 years of age - became the youngest winner of a Seachtain na Gaeilge county title. The boys are in action this Wednesday night in the Connacht final in Ballyhaunis. Go n-eirí go geal libh.



DB shows how it's done at the Fashion show in Lough Rynn in April

*Published on March 13<sup>th</sup>*

**Seachtain na Gaeilge** Congratulations to our quiz team of Aidan and Paul Dockery and Brian Duffy who came third in the Connacht Seachtain na Gaeilge quiz final last week.

**Leitrim Supporters Club** The 2013 Leitrim Supporters Club annual draw takes place on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>. Tickets priced at €40 are currently on sale. All of the money raised in the Supporters Club annually goes towards the preparation of Leitrim teams at all ages for the leagues and championships. To help keep Leitrim football moving forward buy a supporters club ticket in 2013.

**Dinner Dance** The Club held its Dinner Dance in Cox's Steakhouse in Dromod on Saturday night last. Special guest on the night was Marty Morrissey who presented our 2012 Intermediate Ladies team with their championship medals. Our 2012 All Ireland Winning Tráth na gCeist Scór Question Time team of Aidan Dockery, Seoirse Reynolds and Liam Rabbitte were also honoured on the night. Other awards went to Gary Mc Closkey (Senior Player of the Year), Damian Moran (Intermediate), John Bohan (Junior) and Charlotte Faughnan (Ladies). Seamus Mallon was named Clubperson of the Year. Music on the night was by Tom Moran. Our thanks to Cox's for a wonderful meal and to all of the local businesses who sponsored prizes for the raffle. Our congratulations to the organising committee of Kelly Howard, Michelle Howard, Leonie Duffy, Noel Mc Closkey and Linda Farrell on their organisation of an excellent night.

**Bornacoola Players** We'd like to extend our thanks to Ann Mc Guinness and all those involved with the Bornacoola players for their sponsorship donation of €1100 to the Club during the week. It is hugely appreciated. Míle buíochas daoibh go léir is le cúnamh Dé beidh sibh ar ais arís le dráma nó dhó nua dúinn i 2014

**U-14 League** Glenfarne/Kiltyclogher failed to show on Saturday morning last for our opening game in the U-14 league. This Saturday the boys are down to face Gortletteragh in Cornageeha at 11.30am.

*Published on March 30<sup>th</sup>*

**Fixtures** The Junior team return to league action on Sunday next when Allen Gaels are the visitors to Dromod at 12noon in Division 2. On Bank Holiday Monday, the Senior team face the long trip to the Bee Park to face Glencar/Manorhamilton in Division 1. Throw-in is at 12noon also.

**Scór** Well done to our Question Time team who re-captured the Leitrim Senior Scór championship title on Saturday last in Drumshanbo. Well done also to Vera Neuer who represented Bornacoola in Sean Nós dancing but unfortunately didn't manage to qualify for the Connacht finals which take place in Carrick on Shannon on April 6<sup>th</sup>

**U14 League** The U-14 team suffered a heavy defeat against a very strong Leitrim Gaels on Saturday morning last. This Saturday, the boys face St Osnatt's in Dromod at 11.30am.

# AIBREÁN

*Published on April 3rd*

**Senior** The Senior team travelled to a cold and windy Blacklion on Bank Holiday Monday for their third game in the Division 1 league.

Glencar/Manorhamilton proved much the stronger team and two first half goals set them on their way to a comfortable victory on a 3-12 to 0-5 scoreline. Team on duty was: Bobby Shanley, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Declan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Shane Conroy, David O Connor (0-1), Michael Duignan, Ollie Vaughan, Mark Mc Closkey (0-4), Sean Mc Keon, Aiden Reilly, Damian Moran, Brian Conroy. Subs used Jonathan Duffy, Kevin Shanley and Mark Muldowney.

**Wedding Bells** Best wishes to club midfielder Gary Mc Closkey and fiancée Bernice Heslin (Gortletteragh) who tie the knot this Saturday. Gary has been an outstanding servant to the club and indeed the county over many years and has commuted from London for the last number of years to wear the black and Amber.

**Junior Team** The Junior A team put on a very encouraging performance against Allen Gaels' Senior team in an entertaining Division 2 clash in Dromod on Sunday morning last. A goal from Damian Moran answered an earlier major from Allen Gaels in the first half and it was all to play for at the interval with Allen Gaels just a point in front, 1-2 to 1-1. In second half Bornacoola failed to take a number of good point scoring chances and the Drumshanbo team's

greater efficiency in front of goal ensured they managed a 1-8 to 1-4 victory. Team and scorers were Feargal Mc Gill, John Shanley, Brian Reilly, David Mulligan (0-1), Declan Shanley, Shane Conroy, Danny Canning, Sean McKeon (0-1), Mark Mc Closkey (0-2), Jonathan Duffy, John Bohan, Roy Keenan, Aidan Reilly, Damian Moran (1-0) and Trevor Howard. Subs used were Mark Muldowney and Liam Mulligan.

**New arrival** Congratulations to Derek and Rosemary Hunt on the birth of their first child Conor – a future star for the Black and Amber in the years to come hopefully.

**Fashion Show** The men and woman of Bornacoola GAA Club are preparing to strut their stuff on April 19th; all for a good cause as the club are putting on a Fashion Show in Lough Rynn. This is just one event in a list of exciting challenges they have set themselves as part of the club's fundraising endeavours for the coming season. Fashions will be supplied by shops in Longford, Carrick on Shannon and Athlone. Models will be our own home grown talent! See your favorite players as they put their best foot forward and walk the ramp! Music on the night with Tom Moran as well as a Wine & Cheese reception and raffle. Tickets are priced at only €10 and are available in advance or on the night.

**Connacht Scór** Best wishes to our Question time team who represent Bornacoola and Leitrim in the Connacht Finals of Scór this Saturday in Carrick on Shannon.

*Published on April 10<sup>th</sup>*

**Fashion Show** Preparations are well underway for the Fashion Extravaganza of the year at Lough Rynn Castle on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April at 8pm as our club members are getting ready to strut their stuff for what should be a great night. The event is the start of an ambitious fundraising plan that the club are undertaking with our new clubhouse development at the grounds in Dromod the main focus. Fashions will be supplied by Bonnie B, Kabuki, Kenny's of Longford, Image, Jack & Jones Athlone Town Centre, Wallis, Alice - Anne, Bridal, Shoes by Prima Donna, Accessories by Luna, and stunning headpieces by Jennifer Wryne Creations. Models will be our own home grown talent! Many of the faces will be familiar, but be prepared for a few surprises! Music on the night with Tom Moran, Wine & Cheese reception and raffle also and tickets are priced at only €10 and are now available.

**Scór** No joy for our Question Time team who were defeated in the Connacht Finals of Scór on Saturday in Carrick on Shannon; however our congratulations to Leitrim winners from St Marys, Sean O hEslins and Fenagh, all of whom progress to the All Ireland Finals in Derry. Leitrim also captured the Cormac Mc Gill memorial shield for the best County in Connact. Comhghairdeas daoibh uile.

**U-14 League** The U-14's suffered defeat to Aughavas on Friday last. Their final game in the league was the rearranged fixture with St Osnatts which was scheduled for last Tuesday.

*Published on April 17<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior League** An understrength senior team faced neighbours Mohill in Dromod on Sunday morning last. The town team proved much the stronger on a day when little went right for Bornacoola as they enjoyed a comfortable 1-17 to 0-9 victory. Bornacoola still await their first points of the Division 1 campaign and this Sunday, we make the short trip to Cornageeha to play Gortletteragh – throw in is at 1.30pm.

**U-14 League** The U-14's played St Osnatts on Tuesday last in Dromod with the visitors coming away with a 3-5 to 0-3 victory.

**Division 2** The Junior team travelled to an extremely windy Carrigallen on Sunday afternoon to play Carrigallen's senior team. With a large number of the Bornacoola starting 15 having already played a senior game just a few hours earlier, it was always a huge ask for the Bors to put it up to the home side. After an excellent defensive performance against the wind in the first half, the Bors understandably ran out of steam as Carrigallen eased to a 2-14 to 0-2 victory.

**Ladies League** The Ladies team play their second league game of the season when they host neighbours Annaduff in Dromod this Sunday morning at 12 noon. In their opening game of the league campaign, they suffered defeat to St Joseph's.

*Published on April 24<sup>th</sup>*

**Division 1** The Senior team travelled to Gortletteragh on Sunday morning last for a championship dress rehearsal against last year's Leitrim Intermediate champions. The game was the usual tight affair between these two teams but a late goal for the home side ensured they collected both points on a 1-12 to 0-8 scoreline. Bornacoola team on duty was Bobby Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Morgan Shanley, Brian Reilly, Kevin Shanley, Jason Conroy, Declan Shanley, David O Connor, Mark Mc Closkey (0-6), Jonathan Duffy, Paul Hackett, Oliver Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Michael Duignan (0-1) and Damian Moran (0-1). Subs used Trevor Howard and Aidan Reilly.

**U-8 & U-10 Blitz** Our stars of the future are in action next weekend as they play Garadice Gaels at 10.30am on Saturday morning. Best of luck to all involved.

**Ladies League** The Bornacoola Ladies played their second Division 2 League match of the season on Sunday morning last as they entertained neighbours Annaduff in Dromod. Following a well contested encounter the Annaduff Ladies came out on top on a scoreline of Annaduff 4-12 Bornacoola 6-2.. On duty on Sunday were Susan Shanley, Cora McCauley, Shannon Boyle, Roisin Donnelly, Maeve Duffy, Tanya Donnelly, Sarah Duffy, Selina Shanley, Leonie Duffy (1-0), Nadine Hackett (5-0), Kelly Howard (0-2), Fiona Reilly, Seona Cosgrove and Hannah McGlynn.

**Club Draw** Winners in the March Club Draw held in the Copper Still on Easter Saturday night were: €100 Shane Conroy; €20 each Caroline Beirne c/o Declan Conboy, Liam Rabbitte, Gerry Mulligan, Tony Fagan, Aidan Hackett. Bottle of Wine sponsored by the Copper was won by Clodagh Reynolds. Our thanks as always to all who supported.

**Fashion Show** Well done to all involved with the running of a hugely successful Fashion Show in Lough Rynn on Friday night last. In particular we'd like to extend our thanks to the various fashion houses that participated – Bonnie B, Kabuki, Kenny's of Longford, Image, Jack & Jones (Athlone Town Centre), Wallis, Alice - Anne, Prima Donna, Accessories by Luna and Jennifer Wryne Creations. Also to all of our models, to Tom Moran and Ronan Nugent for the entertainment, to those who displayed crafts, to the sponsors of the prizes for the raffle and to a very hard working organising committee who put so much work into ensuring it was a great night. Táimíd go léir an bhuíoch daoibh uile as ucht an obair dhílis a ndearna sibh. A particular word of thanks to compere for the night and one of the main organisers, Ann Mc Guinness for the outstanding job she performed.

**Division 2** Glenfarne/Kiltyclogher were the visitors to Dromod on Saturday evening last in Division 2 of the league. Although Bornacoola outscored the visitors in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half, a strong first half from the North Leitrim men ensured the journey home felt a little shorter as they departed Dromod with a 2-12 to 1-4 victory.

# BEALTAINE

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**Shield** Gortletteragh conceded in the Shield competition on Saturday evening last. Bornacoola remain unbeaten in the Shield and top the group table. This weekend, Sean O Heslins are the visitors to Dromod on Saturday evening. Throw-in is at 7pm

**Club Draw** Don't forget the Club Draw this Sunday evening in the Copper Still – always a great night and a great way to celebrate the Bank Holiday.

**U-16 League** The U-16 team begin their league campaign on Friday night when they have an away game against Garadice Gaels at 7pm. On Bank Holiday Monday (May 6<sup>th</sup>) game number two sees Drumkeerin come to Dromod for a 7pm game. Best of luck to all involved.

**Congratulations** Our congratulations to former player Christy Bohan (Georgia) on his recent marriage to Offaly native Lorraine Kelly.

**Retirement** Our best wishes to former club player, Referee and Chairman of many years Tom Duignan on his retirement recently after 47 years with the ESB.

**Connacht Championship** Best of luck to everyone involved with the Leitrim team as they travel to New York on Thursday for the opening game in the 2013 Connacht Championship. The game takes place in Gaelic Park at 8pm Irish time and you can follow the action via Shannonside and Ocean FM.

**Shield** In the shield competition we ran our narrow winners over Sean O Heslin's on a scoreline of 1-13 to 1-8 in Dromod on Saturday. Team and scorers: Bobby Shanley, Barry Reid, Brian Reilly, David Mulligan, Mark Muldowney, John McGuinness, Niall O Connor, Mark McCloskey (0-3), Gary McCloskey, Jonathan Duffy (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Sean McKeon, Aidan Reilly (1-1), Damian Moran (0-5), Brian Conroy (0-1). Subs used: Michael Duignan and Noel McEnroe. The first and second teams resume league football over the weekend with games fixed to play St Mary's in division 2 and Kiltubrid in Division 1.

**Club Draw** The monthly club draw winners held in the Copper Still on Sunday night were €100 Colm Kilrane, €20 each Jason Lyons, Ronnie Duignan, Tara Comiskey, Ann Conboy and Emer Duignan. Bottle of wine sponsored by Derek Hunt winner was Seamus Duignan.

**Connacht Championship** Well done to the Leitrim players, management and backroom team for the Connacht championship convincing quarter final win over New York on Sunday at Gaelic Park, the Bronx. A number of locals travelled to support the team and I'm sure they met many friends and family in this unique fixture which also has a very strong social dimension particularly for the Leitrim diaspora in New York and indeed other parts of America and Canada.

*Published on May 15<sup>th</sup>*

**Under 16:** Our under 16 team under the guidance of Kevin Mallon, Jonathan Duffy and Trevor Howard put in a good performance but were defeated in their first game in the U16 11-a-side competition by Garadice Gaels on Friday evening in Aughawillan. The team in action as Fergal Hackett, Patrick Kozac, Karl Mallon, Luke Jones, Brian Duffy, Robert O Beirne, Sean Muldowney, Ronan Mulligan, Dylan Hackett, Gearoid Mulligan and Liam Jones. subs; Kevin Mulligan, Brendan Fearon, Cian Mallon and Christy Sullivan. Upcoming games are Monday 13th away to Aughavas and Friday 17th at home to Annaduff.

**Engagement:** A big congratulations to Maggie McDermott, Clooncarne on her recent engagement to Cormac Cranney, Newry.



Our National School team pictured in May

**Senior League:** In round 6 of the division 1 league, we lost to Kiltubrid on a scoreline of 1-13 to 1-10 in Dromod on Sunday despite a wind assisted half time lead. Team and scorers: Bobby Shanley, Barry Reid, Morgan Shanley, Brian Reilly, David Mulligan, John McGuinness, Declan Shanley, Mark McCloskey (0-3), Gary McCloskey, Jonathan Duffy (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Aidan Reilly, David O Connor (0-1) Michael Duignan (0-2), Damian Moran (1-1) subs used: Shane Conroy, Ollie Vaughan and Brian Conroy. The first and second teams are in League action over the weekend with away games in Drumreilly in division 1 and Drumkeerin in division 2.

**Get well:** All at the club would like to send our best wishes for a speedy recovery to young Oisín McGovern, son of John & Patricia McGovern, Dromod, who is currently in Crumlin hospital.

**Engagement:** A special congratulations to Shane Conroy, Clooncolry on his recent engagement to Lorraine Costello, Gowel over the weekend, Shane has represented the club at all grades over the years and is a current member of the senior team.

*Published on May 22<sup>nd</sup>*

**Championship** The 2013 Senior and Junior Championships get underway this weekend for our men's adult teams. On Saturday the Seniors are first into action in Ballinamore when they play Aughawillan at 7pm. On Sunday, the Juniors face Melvin Gaels in Drumshanbo. Best of luck to all involved with both teams.

**Division 1** The Senior team suffered a bad defeat against Drumreilly on Saturday evening last and go into Championship still awaiting their first league points of the season. Drumreilly made the most of some first half defensive lapses to lead by 3-5 to 0-5 at the break. A fourth Drumreilly goal in the second half put the game beyond the Bors and despite a late goal from Brian Conroy it was the home team who were good value for their 4-11 to 1-8 victory. Team on duty was Bobby Shanley, Brian Reilly, Jason Conroy, David Mulligan, Declan Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Paul Hackett, Mark Mc Closkey (0-5), David O Connor, Jonathan Duffy, Trevor Howard, Brian Conroy (1-1), Kevin Shanley (0-1), Aidan Reilly and Damian Moran (0-1). Subs used were Niall O Connor, Gerry Gearty, Shane Conroy, Sean Mc Keon and Ollie Vaughan.

**U-16's** The U-16's were in action twice last week and enjoyed two great victories defeating Aughavas on Monday (3-9 to 0-10) and Annaduff last Friday (2-15 to 1-10). Thus far it is three wins out of four since losing to a strong Garadice Gaels in their first game. On Wednesday of this week, they travel to Drumcong to play Kiltubrid. Throw in is at 7pm – panel on

duty in recent weeks has included Fergal Hackett, Karl Mallon, Brian Duffy, Patrick Kosac, Luke Jones, Ronan Mulligan, Sean Muldowney, Gearoid Mulligan, Dylan Hackett, Robert O'Beirne, Liam Jones, Kevin Mulligan, Cian Mallon, Brendan Fearon and Christy Sullivan

**Division 2** Despite a great first half, our second team were defeated by Drumkeerin's first team in Drumkeerin on Sunday afternoon last. Trailing by only four points at the break, it seemed that Bornacoola had a chance of causing an upset, but failure to take our chances when presented allied to two second half goals for the North Leitrim men secured a 3-12 to 0-7 victory for Drumkeerin. Team on duty was Gerry Gearty, John Shanley, Brian Reilly, John Reynolds, Danny Canning, Shane Conroy, David Mulligan, Mark Mc Closkey, Trevor Howard, Noel Mc Enroe, Aidan Reilly, Jonathan Duffy, Sean Mc Keon, Damian Moran and John Bohan, Subs used Conor Hackett and Feargal Mc Gill.

**Sponsorship** The club would like to extend our gratitude to Connacht Gold for the recent sponsorship cheque which will be used towards training equipment.

**Ladies** Our Ladies team were defeated by St Francis' in Ballinaglera on Sunday morning on a scoreline of 8-12 to 3-4.

**New arrivals** Congratulations to Brian and Edel Mallon, Clooncarne on the recent birth of baby David and Ronnie and Fiona Duignan on the arrival of baby Kate Ellen.



*Published on May 29<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior Championship** Bornacoola opened their 2013 Senior Championship campaign with a hard fought victory over Aughawillan in Ballinamore on Saturday evening last. A strong first half left the Bors 0-7 to 0-3 in front at the break and while Aughawillan fought back to level the contest in the second half, they could never quite get in front and Bornacoola were able to retake the lead in the closing stages to edge out a 0-10 to 0-9 victory. Team on duty was Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Niall O Connor, John Mc Guinness, Kevin Shanley, David O Connor, Gary Mc Closkey, Aidan Reilly, Trevor Howard, Mark Mc Closkey (0-4), Damian Moran (0-3), Michael Duignan and Brian Conroy (0-3). Sub used Jonathan Duffy.

**Junior Championship** As with the Senior team, the Juniors began their Championship campaign with a good victory on Sunday last and again it was built on a strong opening half against Melvin Gaels in Drumshanbo which saw us take a 1-7 to 0-3 lead with the aid of the breeze. The goal was from Sean Mc Keon goal and it was a lead the Bors never relinquished. Team was Feargal Mc Gill, Sean Ryan, Brian Reilly, John Shanley, Noel Mc Enroe, Shane Conroy, Danny Canning, John Bohan (0-1), Rob Moran, Roy Keenan (0-2), Philip Howard, Ollie Vaughan (0-6), Conor Hackett (0-1), Bobby Shanley and Sean Mc Keon (1-1). Sub used Seamus Mallon.

**Best Wishes** Our best wishes to club players Gary Sutherland and Selina Shanley who will be married this Saturday in St Joseph's Cloonturk. Selina has been a star for the ladies team over many years and for the last couple of years has provided physio assistance to many our players. Gary – originally from the North of Scotland – has also played for the Bors since moving to Ireland with Selina a few years ago. Best wishes to you both.

**U-16 League** The U-16's are involved in a three way play off at the top of the table along with Annaduff and Kiltubrid to see who can earn the right to play Garadice Gaels in the league final. We have drawn Annaduff in the first round of the play off – this game in Cornageeha on Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

**Weekend Fixtures** The Senior team return to league action this Sunday with St Marys the visitors to Dromod for a 12 noon throw-in. Meanwhile the Junior team travel to Aughnasheelin directly after this game in Division 2 – throw-in there is 3pm.

**Dawn Run** For the third year the Juice Plus 10k Dawn run /walk takes place at 6am in Carrick on Shannon on June 22nd 2013. All details on [www.runireland.ie](http://www.runireland.ie) . Register on the morning from 5am, and the cost is €10 to enter. Walkers, Joggers, Runners all welcome. Prize for first man and lady and lots of other spot prizes. This early morning event has become very popular, so come along and experience for yourself. Proceeds from the event go to Leitrim Ladies GAA

# MEITHEAMH

*Published on June 5<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior League** St Marys were the visitors to Dromod on Sunday morning last in Division one of the league. The Carrick team were on top throughout and netted four times as they cruised to a 4-16 to 0-10 victory. Bornacoola team and scorers were: Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Jason Conroy, Mark Muldowney, John Bohan, Paul Hackett, Declan Shanley (0-1), Rob Moran (0-1), Mark Mc Closkey (0-5), Ollie Vaughan (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Philip Howard, Feargal Mc Gill, Brian Conroy and Roy Keenan. Subs used Michael Duignan and Anthony Muligan



*League action from the game with Glencar/Manorhamilton in Division 1*

*Published on June 12<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior Shield** We suffered our first defeat in the Shield on Sunday morning last in glorious sunshine in Aughawillan. Despite leading by four points at half time, it was the Willies who enjoyed much the better of the second half and carved out a 2-11 to 0-12 victory. Bornacoola team was Feargal Mc Gill, David Mulligan, John Mc Guinness, Brian Reilly, Sean Mc Keon, Niall O Connor, Declan Shanley, Gary Mc Closkey, Morgan Shanley, Ollie Vaughan, Jonathan Duffy, Aidan Reilly, Brian Conroy, Anthony Mulligan and Philip Howard. Sub used Roy Keenan. Only one game left for the Bors in this competition on Saturday evening week at 8pm when Cloone visit Dromod at 8pm.

**New arrival** Our best wishes to Niamh (Reynolds) and Enda Delaney on the birth of their first child Dáire last week. Club Secretary Shane is already working on the transfer form to get him declared a Leitrim instead of a Laois man!! Comhghairdeas daoibh.

**Engagement** We also extend our congratulations to club member and former player Gerald Moffatt and fiancé Orla Beirne on their recent engagement.

**Junior Championship** The Junior team enjoyed a great first round victory over Melvin Gaels recently. This Saturday they play their second game, against Allen Gaels. Please check fixtures section for time and venue.

*Published on June 26<sup>th</sup>*

**Junior Championship** The Junior team began their Championship campaign with a great win over Melvin Gaels. This Saturday evening they face Allen Gaels in Cloone at 6.45pm in their second outing.

**Club Draw** The Club Draw for June takes place this Saturday night in Cox's Steakhouse – a great way to prepare for the big game on Sunday

**Sports Day ON** Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, the club will be holding a 5km run and sports day in the club grounds. Sponsorship cards are currently in circulation and we'll have further details on this in the coming weeks.

**Recycling Drive** The Club is holding a clothing recycling drive on Saturday July 13<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 1pm at our club grounds in Dromod. We are looking for your clean unwanted clothing, bed-linen, towels and textiles including shoes, bags, belts and soft toys. Books are accepted (with the exception of school books, magazines or diaries) and if you cannot make it to the collection point you can contact Padraig Jones (086 810 3555) or Martina Hackett (087 7963512) to arrange collection of relevant items.

**Bornacoola Representatives** Well done to Kevin Shanley who played at wing back for Leitrim against Mayo in the Connacht Minor Championship on Saturday evening last in Castlebar. Also a big well done to Raithna Duffy who starred in the half time go-games exhibition in Pairc Sean on Sunday in the Leitrim colours. Comhgairdeas daoibh beirt.

**U-12** The U12 lads are going nicely having played in a number of blitzes in recent weeks including against Glenfarne, St. Osnatts, Kiltubrid, Gortletteragh and Carrigallen. Players involved include Danial Kazmarenek, Enda McGoldrick, Adam McCrann, Shane Mallon, Jake Shields, Sean McGoldrick, Sean O 'Riordan, Aaron Hackett, Ciaran McGlynn, Jack Gannon, David Bannon and Conor Fanning. The boys are off to Hyde Park on Sunday to see Leitrim take on London in the replay of the Connacht Championship semi-final.



*It was a wam summer.....*

# Lúil

*Published on July 3<sup>rd</sup>*

**Junior Championship** We were somewhat fortunate to record our second victory in the Junior Championship on Saturday evening last in Cloone when a late goal from John Bohan and a long range Ollie Vaughan point meant we secured a one point victory over an Allen Gaels team who dominated the game for long periods. The win ensures Bornacoola progress to the Quarter Finals even before we play our final group game against Carrigallen. Final score was 1-8 to 0-10 and the team on duty was Feargal Mc Gill, Mark Muldowney, Brian Reilly, Noel Mc Enroe, Danny Canning, Shane Conroy, Declan Shanley, John Bohan, Robert Moran, Ollie Vaughan, Philip Howard, Roy Keenan, Anthony Mulligan, Bobby Shanley, Sean Mc Keon. Subs used Seamus Mallon, Alan Bohan, Sean Ryan.

**Family Fun and Sports Day** On Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, the club will be holding a 5km run and sports day in the club grounds. The day will kick off with mass at 1.30pm and all the usual sports events will be taking place along with a Barbeque. Sponsorship cards are currently in circulation for the 5km; all are welcome and it promises to be a great day for all the family.

**Ladies League** Our ladies team are scheduled to meet Sean O Heslins in Ballinamore on Sunday next in Division 2 of the league. Throw in is 4pm.

**Recycling Drive** The Club is holding a clothing recycling drive on Saturday July 13th from 10am to 1pm at our club grounds in Dromod. We are looking for your clean unwanted clothing, bed-linen, towels and textiles including shoes, bags, belts and soft toys. Books are accepted (with the exception of school books, magazines or diaries) and if you cannot make it to the collection point you can contact Pdraig Jones or Martina Hackett to arrange collection of relevant items.

**Club Draw** The June draw took place in Cox's Dromod on Saturday last. Thanks to all who supported winners were €100 Seamus Cox, €20 each Sean McCauley, Paddy Fox, Jimmy Breslin, Niall Bently and John Reynolds.

**U-14 Championship** The U-14 championship gets underway this weekend and Aughavas will be the visitors to Dromod for a 7pm throw-in in our opening game this Friday evening.

**Fr Gerry's 40<sup>th</sup> Jubilee** Our parish priest Fr. Gerry O'Brien celebrated 40 years of priesthood recently and to mark the occasion on Friday July 12<sup>th</sup> Fr Gerry will celebrate Mass at 8pm in St Michael's Church Bornacoola. Following that there will be a gathering of parishioners and friends for some refreshments in Bornacoola Community Centre. All are welcome.

*Published on July 10<sup>th</sup>*

**Family Fun and Sports Day** This Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, the club are holding a 5km run and sports day in the club grounds. The day will kick off with mass at 1.30pm and all the usual sports events will be taking place along with a Barbeque. Sponsorship cards are currently in circulation for the 5km; all are welcome and it promises to be a great day for all the family.

**Junior Championship** Bornacoola completed the group stages of the Junior championship with their unbeaten record intact following another late late show against Carrigallen on Saturday evening last. In a game that Carrigallen dominated for large spells, Bornacoola clawed their way back from five points down late in the game to scramble a 0-12 to 1-9 draw. Next up is the quarter final in a couple of weeks time; team on duty on Saturday was Feargal Mc Gill, John Shanley, , Brian Reilly, Noel Mc Enroe, Danny Canning, Paul Hackett, Mark Muldowney, John Bohan, Robert Moran, Ollie Vaughan, Philip Howard, Alan Bohan, Conor Hackett, Bobby Shanley, Sean Mc Keon. Subs Sean Ryan, John Reynolds, Niall Mc Gowan, Brendan Duignan, Richie Bohan and Liam Mulligan.

**Recycling Drive** The Club is holding a clothing recycling drive this Saturday July 13th from 10am to 1pm at our club grounds in Dromod. Contact Pdraig Jones (086 8103555) or Martina Hackett (087 7963512) to arrange collection of relevant items.

*Published on July 17<sup>th</sup>*

**Shield Final** Bornacoola lifted their first trophy of 2013 when defeating Melvin Gaels in an exciting Shield final in Carrick on Shannon on Saturday last. Bornacoola were in control throughout the first half and a well taken goal by Brian Conroy ensured a comfortable half time lead of 1-5 to 0-2. An early second half point extended the lead to seven but Melvin Gaels then enjoyed their best spell of the game and fought back to lead going into the final quarter, 1-7 to 1-6. From there to the end it was nip and tuck but the key score was an excellent goal from Damian Moran that swung the game in Bornacoola's favour. Despite late Melvin Gaels pressure the Bors held on for a 2-9 to 1-10 victory and captain John Mc Guinness lifted the Leitrim Shield for 2013, Bornacoola's second win in the competition in three years. Team on duty was Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Jason Conroy, Kevin Shanley, Declan Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Niall O Connor, Damian Moran, Morgan Shanley, Mark Mc Closkey, Trevor Howard, Ollie Vaughan, Robert Moran, Aidan Reilly, Brian Conroy. Subs used were Anthony Mulligan, Sean Mc Keon, John Bohan, Philip Howard and Brian Reilly.

**U-14 Championship** The Under 14 team were defeated by Aughavas on Wednesday evening in the first game in the championship. The panel on duty was Sean Conboy, Cian Mallon, Shane Mallon, Orran McGuinness, Jordan Cramp, Sean O Riordan, Aaron Hackett, Marc McKeon, Christy Sullivan and Sean McGoldrick. This Friday evening we are scheduled to meet Kiltubrid in Drumcong at 7pm.

**John Bohan, RIP** Our sympathies are extended to Carol Duffy and the extended Bohan and Duffy families on the sad passing of John Bohan, Clonmorris. John was a great supporter of the club over the years and took massive pride in the achievements of his grandchildren – Jonathan, Claire, Leonie, Sarah and Raithna – on the playing fields with various Bornacoola teams. Bornacoola captain John Mc Guinness appropriately dedicated Saturday's Shield final victory to John's memory. Ar dheis Dé go raibh sé.

**Sports Day** A very successful day was had on Sunday last when the club held their 5km run and sports day. A huge thanks to the organisers and in particular to all who participated and supported the day. A special thank you to Abbey Foods, Drumshanbo for sponsoring the BBQ and to O Connor's Supermarket in Dromod for supplying cakes and goodies.

*Published on July 24<sup>th</sup>*

**Division 1** The Senior team traveled to Aughwillan on Saturday evening for their latest game in the league. Despite a promising start in which the Bors rattled the crossbar on two occasions, a goal before half time for the Willies left Bornacoola chasing the game in the second half and despite enjoying the majority of possession, it was Aughwillan who deservedly held on for a 1-9 to 0-7 victory. It is a defeat which unfortunately consigns Bornacoola to Division 2 for 2014. Team and scorers were: Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Niall O Connor, John Mc Guinness, Kevin Shanley, David O Connor (0-1), Gary Mc Closkey, Mark Mc Closkey (0-2),

Trevor Howard (0-1), Anthony Mulligan (0-2), Brian Conroy, Damian Moran and Aidan Reilly. Subs used: Declan Shanley, Feargal Mc Gill, Sean Mc Keon, Philip Howard (0-1) and John Bohan.

**Ladies Senior Championship** A historic occasion on Sunday as the Ladies played their first ever Senior Championship match in Fenagh with Division 1 side Kiltubrid providing the opposition. The overall greater experience and strength of Kiltubrid won out as they recorded a 3-18 to 0-4 victory. Nonetheless the girls played with great spirit and determination throughout the entire hour despite the fact that the final result was probably inevitable at the changeover when Kiltubrid held a 2-7 to 0-1 advantage. A number of the club's youngest players made their championship debuts at the highest level and performed excellently, gaining valuable experience for the future. The girls face Dromahair in a couple weeks time in their second group game. On duty Sunday were Susan Shanley, Shannon Boyle, Maeve Duffy, Cora McCauley, Lauren Shanley, Sarah Duffy, Tanya Donnelly, Selina Shanley, Nadine Hackett, Seona Cosgrove, Roisin Donnelly, Michelle Hackett, Fiona Reilly, Kelly Howard (0-4), Leonie Duffy. Sub: Dawn Hackett.

**Sponsorship** Our thanks to TP and Eileen Cox of Cox's Steakhouse in Dromod for their recent sponsorship of the club.

**Ruby Jubilee** Our Congratulations to Club President Fr Gerry O'Brien who celebrated his Ruby jubilee on Friday evening last with mass in St Michael's followed by a celebratory function in the Community Centre. The celebrations continued for Fr Gerry on Saturday as his beloved Cavan secured their passage to the 4<sup>th</sup> Round of the qualifiers!

**New Arrival** Congratulations to Jonathan and Nessa Taylor (Mc Gill) on the birth of a baby boy – Sebastian Cormac – in London last week. We also extend our congratulations to former club goalkeeper Dara Gavigan and new wife Karen who were married in St Michaels on Thursday last.

**Division 2** With the Senior team having been relegated from Division 1 on Saturday evening, there was nothing to play for as the Juniors played Cloone in Division 2 on Sunday afternoon, with automatic relegation having been sealed on account of the Senior team's demotion. Despite this, Bornacoola performed well in patches but it was the Cloone men who recorded a 2-13 to 1-8 victory. Team on duty was Feargal Mc Gill, John Reynolds, Brian Reilly, Noel Mc Enroe, Declan Shanley, Shane Conroy, David Mulligan, Robert Moran, Mark Mc Closkey, Jonathan Duffy, Sean Mc Keon, John Barnes Shanley, Kevin Shanley, Damian Moran, Aidan Reilly. Subs Alan Bohan, Richie Bohan, Brendan Duignan, Conor Hackett, Roy Keenan, Liam Mulligan

**Sports Day** Our thanks to all who supported the recent Sports Day in Dromod for which the weather was outstanding. The men's 5km was won by John Muldowney with Cormac Cranny coming 2nd, Noel Mc Manus 3rd and John Woods 4th. The ladies 5KM was won by Sinead Fitzpatrick who was followed home by Adeline Galligan in 2nd place and Michelle Howard in 3rd. Brian Duffy and Lauren Shanley were the first home in the respective U-16 races while Sean O Riordan and Holly Costello were the U-12 winners. On the sports field, winners of the sprint races were : U-4: 1. Conor Quinn Kelly; Under 6 Boys: 1st Keelan Lyons, 2nd Conor Reynolds and 3rd John McGarry; U-6 Girls: 1st Jolie Lyons, 2nd Blanaid Reynolds and 3rd Caitlin Boyle and Orla Hackett; U-8 Boys: 1st Arran Kearney, 2nd Jonathan Boyle and 3rd Oisin Mc Guire and Ryan Fanning; U-10 Girls: 1st Rachel Mc Garry, 2nd Jolie Lyons and 3rd Holly Costello; U-10 Boys: 1st James Galligan, 2nd Jake Shields and 3rd Caolain O Riordan; U-12 Boys – 1st Sean O Riordan, 2nd Sean Mc Goldrick and 3rd James Galligan; U-12 Girls 1st Riona Cosgrove, 2nd Cora Fearon and 3rd Rachel Mc Garry; U-14 Boys 1st Sean O Riordan, 2nd Sean Mc Goldrick and 3rd James Galligan; U-14 Girls 1st Michelle Hackett, 2nd Riona Cosgrove and 3rd Cora Fearon; U-16 Boys (A Race): 1st Conor Mc Crystal, 2nd Brian Duffy and 3rd Liam Jones; U-16 Boys (B Race) 1st Shane Mallon, 2nd Enda Mc Goldrick and 3rd Cian Mallon; U-16 Girls – 1st Michelle Hackett, 2nd Riona Cosgrove and 3rd Jolie Lyons/Nyah Meldrum.

*Published on July 31<sup>st</sup>*

**Senior Championship** A far more tuned in St Mary's outfit delivered a comprehensive defeat to an out of sorts Bornacoola in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Round of the Championship in Drumshanbo on Saturday evening last. The Carrick team led by 0-10 to 0-1 at half time, having completely dominated the opening period, and while Bornacoola improved in the second half, two late goals for St Marys put the finishing touches to a 2-16 to 0-5 defeat for Bornacoola. The team on duty was Gerry Gearty, Jason Conroy, Morgan Shanley, David Mulligan, Niall O Connor, John Mc Guinness, Kevin Shanley, David O Connor, Gary Mc Closkey, Anthony Mulligan (0-1), Trevor Howard (0-1), Ollie Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Damian Moran and Mark Mc Closkey (0-1). Subs Declan Shanley, Sean Mc Keon (0-2), Aidan Reilly, Philip Howard.

**Club Draw** Don't forget the Club Draw this Sunday night in the Copper Still.

**U-12 Activity** It's been a busy week for the U12 team as they travelled to Kilbride in Co Roscommon for a challenge on Monday evening. This was followed on Saturday last by our participation in the Francis Lynch tournament, in which the team played 3 games in Annaduff last Saturday. A big thank you to Annaduff for the invite and well done to them on running an excellent tournament. The Bornacoola panel included Enda McGoldrick, Shane Mallon, Jake Shields, Connor Fanning, Sean O'Riordan, Sean McGoldrick, Aaron Hackett, Jack Gannon, James Doyle, Riona Cosgrove, Ellen Woods.

**Under 14** The under 14 team put in one of their best performances of the year in a 5-07 to 2-06 victory over Gortletteragh in Dromod last Friday evening with the three goals from Luke Jones and two from Shane Mallon. The team in action was Christy Sullivan, Marc McKeon, Cian Mallon, Ooran McGuinness, Luke Jones (Capt), Jordan Cramp, Shane Mallon, Sean O Riordan, Sean Conboy. Subs: Aaron Hackett, Sean McGoldrick and Enda McGoldrick.

**Comhgairdeas** Our Congratulations to Morgan and Claire Shanley on the birth of their second child, Sadie – a sister for Caleb. We also send our congratulations to Colm Cox (Anfield) and Edel Shanley (Dromard) who were married last week.



**Shield Winners 2013**



# Lúnasa

*Published on August 7<sup>th</sup>*

**Club Draw** The July draw took place on Sunday last in the Copper Still Dromod. Thanks to all who supported and to Ronnie for the excellent music. Winners were as follows; €100 Josephine McCartin, €20 each Pauline Hanley, Shay Reynolds, Clooncolry, Tanya Beresford, Stephen Beresford, Sean McCauley, Seamus Duignan. Bottle of wine sponsored by Copper still was won by Rachel Duignan.

**Senior Championship** Gortletteragh made the most of a great opening 10 minutes to record a two point victory in the Championship on Saturday evening last. Leading by 1-3 to no score the eventual winners deserved their victory although Bornacoola fought to the end and a late goal from Aidan Reilly very nearly delivered a victory. Bornacoola were denied a late free to equalise when only a point behind before Gortletteragh broke up the field to seal a deserved win on a 1-14 to 1-12 scoreline. Bornacoola team was Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Ollie Vaughan, John Mc Guinness, Declan Shanley, Gary Mc Closkey, David O Connor (0-1), Sean Mc Keon (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Anthony Mulligan (0-2), Brian Conroy (0-1), Michael Duignan (0-1) and Damian Moran (0-1). Subs: Mark Mc Closkey (0-3), Shane Conroy, Aidan Reilly (1-0) and Brian Reilly. This Saturday evening we play Annaduff in a play off to see who secures the last quarter final place. Throw in at Páirc Seán is 7.30pm.

**U-14 Championship** The U-14 team concluded their 2013 season with a defeat to St Osnatt's. Team on duty was Christy Sullivan, Sean Conboy, Cian Mallon, Orran Mc Guinness, Jordan Cramp, Sean O Riordan, James Doyle, Shane Mallon and Aaron Hackett.

**Minor Championship** The Minor Championship begins this Wednesday evening (August 7<sup>th</sup>) as Bornacoola travel to Drumcong to play Kiltubrid at 7pm.

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**Senior Championship** Our scheduled game against Annaduff was postponed on Saturday due to a request for arbitration from Drumreilly over their exclusion from the play-off. The rescheduled play-off is likely to take place on Saturday evening next in Páirc Seán at 7pm. Fixture will be confirmed following a Disputes Resolution Authority hearing this week – keep an eye on our website for details.

**Minor Championship** The Minor team were well beaten by Kiltubrid in the opening round of the competition on Wednesday last on a scoreline of 3-20 to 1-6. This week they host Carrigallen in Dromod at 7pm.

**Sponsorship cards** There are still a number of sponsorship cards from the 5km run which have not been returned. Anyone who has one is asked to return it – even if it is blank – to Noel Mc Closkey, Martina Hackett or Padraig Jones.

**Junior Championship** The Junior team exited the Championship on Sunday last when they were defeated by Gortletteragh in Cloone. Much like the Senior game the previous week, Bornacoola conceded a soft goal and allowed the victors to establish a significant half time lead (ten point) and had to play three quarters of the game with 14 men. Despite an early second half goal from Niall Mc Gowan and a much improved 2<sup>nd</sup> half in general, a few squandered goal chances ensured Gortletteragh deservedly advanced on a 1-13 to 1-8 scoreline. Team was Feargal Mc Gill, Sean Ryan, Shane Conroy, John Reynolds, Noel Mc Enroe, Danny Canning, Ollie Vaughan, Rob Moran, John Bohan, Declan Shanley, Sean Mc Keon, Brian Reilly, Niall Mc Gowan, Bobby Shanley and Philip Howard. Subs used were John Shanley, Roy Keenan and

*Published on August 21<sup>st</sup>*

**Senior Championship** The Senior team exited the race for Championship glory when they were easily defeated by a much hungrier Annaduff side on Saturday evening in Pairc Sean. We now face Kiltubrid in the Relegation semi-final. Team at the weekend was Gerry Gearty, Jason Conroy, John Mc Guinness, David Mulligan, Declan Shanley, Morgan Shanley, Kevin Shanley, Gary Mc Closkey, David O Connor, Mark Mc Closkey (0-1), Trevor Howard (0-1), Ollie Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Michael Duignan and Damian Moran. Subs used: Anthony Mulligan, Aidan Reilly, Robert Moran, Philip Howard and Shane Conroy.

**Minor Championship** Our Minor team are due to travel to Kinlough this Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup> to play Melvin Gaels. Throw-in is 7pm.

**Harvest Festival** The Harvest Festival takes place this weekend in Lough Rynn. As ever it promised to be a great day out for all the family with all of the usual attractions including children's amusements, vintage cars and machinery, live music, trade stalls, threshing, a country market and lots lots more. So get along and enjoy a great day out; as ever GAA members are required for stewarding and other responsibilities.

*Published on August 28<sup>th</sup>*

**Club Draw** The August club draw takes place on Saturday night next in the Copper Still, usual prizes with music on the night by Tom Moran.

**Senior Relegation Play-Off** The Senior team have been drawn to face Kiltubrid in the senior relegation semi-final play-off. The game is likely to be played this weekend – check fixtures section for confirmation of time and venue.

**Harvest Festival** Well done to the Bornacoola Community Development Association and everyone involved in the running of another hugely successful Harvest Festival in Lough Rynn. Our thanks to all the club members who lent a hand both in advance and on the day of the festival itself.

# Mean Fómhair

*Published on September 4<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior Relegation** The Senior team faced Klitubrid in the Senior Relegation semi-final on Saturday evening last in Ballinamore. In what was a close game in general play, two early goals in the first half put the Kiltubrid men in the driving seat and into a lead they never relinquished. A third goal from the penalty spot late in the second half sealed their victory on a 3-10 to 0-9 scoreline. We now await the winners of the drawn relegation semi-final between Aughawillan and Drumreilly. Team at the weekend was Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Brian Reilly, Jason Conroy, Shane Conroy, John Mc Guinness (0-1), Gary Mc Closkey, Anthony Mulligan, Mark Mc Closkey (0-6), Trevor Howard, Philip Howard, Brian Conroy (0-1), Damian Moran (0-1) and Michael Duignan. Subs used were Noel Mc Enroe and Feargal Mc Gill.

**All Ireland Golden Goal** Dublin have joined Mayo in the All Ireland football final and the club are once again running the Golden Goal competition in conjunction with the big game. The first prize of €500 will be paid to the person who purchases the ticket with the correct time in which the first goal will be scored in the Senior All Ireland football final on September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Tickets are currently on sale from club members at €5 each for which you get four specific times.

**Ladies Championship** The Ladies playing season concluded on Sunday last in Leitrim Village as they played Dromahair in their remaining SFC Group game. The Dromahair ladies, with a number of county players within their ranks proved too strong for our girls and after a sporting encounter played in a fine spirit they had a comfortable 6-21 to 1-3 victory. Despite the margin of victory the girls never gave up and gave a very spirited performance. With a number of players being unavailable for this match, it was played at 13-a-side which Dromahair sportingly agreed to in advance and featured a return to action for Patricia Bohan, who played the second half in goals as Susan Shanley moved outfield to replace the injured Nadine Hackett and Tanya Boyle made her championship debut at 12 years of age. Well done to all for ensuring that all league and championship games were played despite the tight numbers of players available this year and our thanks to trainer Declan Bohan and to all the girls for their dedication to training and all matches played over the past six months. On duty Sunday were: Susan Shanley, Shannon Boyle (0-1), Maeve Duffy, Lauren Shanley, Sarah Duffy, Tanya Donnelly, Allison McKeon, Selina Shanley, Kelly Howard (1-2), Nadine Hackett, Leonie Duffy, Michelle Hackett, Roisin Donnelly. Subs used: Patricia Bohan, Tanya Boyle.

*Published on September 11<sup>th</sup>*

**Club Draw** The August draw took place on Saturday week last in the Copper Still, thanks to all who supported and to Tom Moran for the music. Winners were as follows: €100 Julie Earley, Mohill €20 each Mary Reynolds c/o D. Bohan, Tom Moran, Gerry Mulligan, Derek Hunt, Conor Hackett.

**U-16 Championship** The U-16's begin their championship campaign this Friday evening when they host Aughavas in Dromod at 6.30pm. Also in their group are Drumkeerin, Glenfarne/Kiltyclogher and Annaduff.

*Published on September 18<sup>th</sup>*

**U-16 Championship** The under 16 team commenced their 11-a-side championship campaign with a 5-06 to 2-07 win over Aughavas on Friday evening in Dromod. Goals from Ronan Mulligan (2), Robert O Beirne (2) and Liam Jones were the decisive scores in a good all round team performance. The team on duty was Fergal Hackett, Brian Duffy, Karl Mallon, Patric Kozac, Ronan Mulligan, Sean Muldowney, Liam Jones, Robert O Beirne, Dylan Hackett, Kevin Mulligan, Gearoid Mulligan.

**Sympathy** One of Bornacoola's devoted supporters Hubert Costello Drumard Jones now living in Knocklongford, Mohill passed away suddenly on Saturday last. To his family and friends we extend the sympathies of the Club. Ar Dheis De go raibh sé.

**Fundraiser** Don't forget the fundraiser for Oisín Mc Govern takes place this Friday night in J's Hotel in Mohill. Music on the night by Tom Moran and doors open at 9pm. Oisín is the three year old son of Bornacoola player John Mc Govern and wife Patrice and is currently receiving treatment in Crumlin children's hospital. If you are unable to attend but would still like to contribute, there is an Annaduff Credit Union account through which you can donate.

*Published on September 25<sup>th</sup>*

**Club Draw** The Club Draw for September takes place this Saturday night in the Copper Still – music as always on the night. Please support

**Cultural Evening** A "Trad for Trocaire" Cultural Evening has been organised for Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October in the Standing Stone Hotel, Ballinamore, starting at 8pm for beginners and kids and following on from 9pm with music session, dancing and singing. All singers and dancers are welcome to take part on the night.

**Connacht GAA Bursaries** Connacht GAA will be awarding a number of bursaries of €750 to students attending Higher Education colleges as part of its ongoing commitment to Player Welfare. The scheme, which is now in its seventh year, will be open to members of the Association who are attending a full-time Higher Education course and who are active participants in their Higher Education club. Students who hold other GAA-related or a college scholarship/bursary will not be eligible to apply.

# DEIREADH FÓMHAIR

*Published on October 2<sup>nd</sup>*

**Club Draw** The Club Draw took place on Saturday night last in the Copper Still, thanks to all who supported and to Declan Ganley for the music. Winners were as follows: €100 Louise Farrell, Esker €20 each Mary Reynolds Clooncolry, Sharon Dowd, Micheal Mallon, Declan Bohan and a bottle of wine sponsored by Copper Still was won by Carmel Shanley.

## **All Ireland Final Golden Goal**

Congratulations to Peter Nyland, Mayo who purchased the winning time of 15 minutes and 55 seconds for the first goal to be scored in this year's All Ireland Final. Probably not a whole pile of consolation but we hope the €500 prize helps Peter get over his disappointment. Thanks to all who sold and purchased tickets once again this year

**U-16 Championship** The U-16's were defeated by Drumkeeran away from home on Friday night last, with the North Leitrim side taking a four point victory. Crucial game coming up on Friday night next when Annaduff visit Dromod. Check fixtures section for confirmation.

**County Champions** Congratulations to St Manachans and St Marys on their wins in the county championship at Minor and Senior at the weekend.

*Published on October 16<sup>th</sup>*

**U-16 B Championship** The U-16's played Annaduff in Dromod at the weekend in what was a very entertaining game. The Bors held a five point lead at half time but our neighbours came storming back in the second half to claim a draw.

**Disco Night** The Club will be holding a 70's/80's disco night in Lough Rynn on Friday night, November 29<sup>th</sup> and it is a chance for you all to go back in time with music from this classic era. It is also a chance for you to dig out your 70's and 80's clothes so from the 70's you can expect bell bottoms and hot pants whereas those of us that discoed in the 80's might well end up in fairisle jumpers and duffel coats! There's a prize on the night for the best costume and we'll have more details in the coming weeks. Personally, I'm waiting for them to confirm there'll be a slow set!!



**Slán a Sheáin!**

*Published on October 23<sup>rd</sup>*

**Senior League** Our senior team were defeated by Melvin Gaels on a 0-14 to 1-10 score line in the penultimate division 1 league game of 2013 in Dromod on Saturday with a late injury time free securing victory for the North Leitrim men. The team and scorers were Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Noel McEnroe, Mark McCloskey, Jason Conroy, Kevin Shanley, Gary McCloskey, Anthony Mulligan, Aidan Reilly, Trevor Howard, Oliver Vaughan (0-3), Michael Duignan (0-2), Philip Howard (0-2), Brian Conroy (1-2) subs: Alan Croghan, Jonathan Duffy (0-1) and Bobby Shanley. We all wish a speedy recovery to Anthony Mulligan who sustained an injury in the game.

**Under 16** Our Under 16 team are due to play Annaduff in the 11 a side championship final with fixture date to be confirmed. Our thanks to Kiltubrid for the recent challenge game.

**Comhgairdeas** Our congratulations to club player Richie Bohan and his wife Elaine, Georgia on the recent birth of their first child, Emma Belle.

**Donation** Our thanks to Peadar Reynolds, Bailieborough and formerly of Clooncarne for his recent donation to the club.

**Sympathy** Our sympathies to the Reynolds family, Aughavas on the passing of Michael in Oldcastle, Co Meath last week.

## SAMHAIN

*Published on November 6<sup>th</sup>*

**U-16 B Final** We played Annaduff in the U-16 B final in Gortletteragh on Sunday afternoon last. In a hugely entertaining game, Bornacoola led by 0-3 to 0-2 at half time. The game remained nip and tuck until Annaduff struck for two goals in quick succession midway through the second half to garb a lead they would never relinquish. A brave Bornacoola battled right up to the final whistle however and created a number of goal chances which unfortunately they were unable to convert as our neighbours closed out a deserved 2-7 to 0-5 victory. The team on duty was Fergal Hackett, Karl Mallon, Brian Duffy, Gearoid Mulligan, Luke Jones, Sean Muldowney, Patrick Kozac, Dylan Hackett, Ronan Mulligan, Robert O Beirne, Kevin Mulligan. Subs were Luke Jones, Jordan Cramp, Brendan Fearon, Cian Mallon. Well done to all of the players and to our management team of Kevin Mallon, Jonathan Duffy, Mark Mc Closkey and Trevor Howard who oversaw some excellent results this year.

**Wedding Bells** We send our congratulations to Miss Emer Beirne, Cloonboney and Mr John Gordon, Mullingar who were married in St. Joseph's Church Cloonturk on Saturday week last with their reception afterwards at Viewmount House, Longford. We wish you health and happiness for the future.

**Division 2** The Junior team completed their season on Sunday week last when they were defeated by Fenagh on a 5-9 to 1-7 scoreline. Team and scorers were: Conor Hackett, Sean Ryan, Danny Canning, Noel McEnroe, Kevin Shanley, David Mulligan, Liam Mulligan, Mark McCloskey (0-3), Alan Croghan, Mark Muldowney (0-1), Jonathan Duffy (0-1), Aidan Reilly (1-0), Niall McGowan, Sean McKeon (0-1), Alan Bohan (0-1). Subs: Gerry Gearty. Our thanks to Declan Conboy and Gerry Gearty for all their work with this group of players during the year.

**Club Draw** Winners in the October Club Draw held in the Copper Still were; €100 – Deirdre Mc Hugh; €20 – Paul Duffy, Deirdre Mc Keon, Michelle Howard, Willie Mc Gushin and Sandra Daly. Seamus Duignan won a house prize of a bottle of wine sponsored by the Copper.

**Sympathy** Our sympathies are extended to the Bohan and Gannon families on the passing of Tommy Bohan in Belmullet at the weekend. Ar Dheis Dé go raibh sé.

*Published on November 20<sup>th</sup>*

**Senior Team Management** Our congratulations to Declan Bohan who has been named as our Senior team manager for 2014. Declan will be joined by Declan Conboy and the rest of the backroom team will be announced later. Declan Bohan will also continue to be involved with our Ladies team and. Meanwhile, our Junior A team will again be managed by Declan Conboy.

**Disco Nights** Don't forget the big 70's and 80's disco night in Lough Rynn

takes place on Friday night fortnight (November 29<sup>th</sup>). A great night in store and it's your chance to dig out the old 70's and 80's fancy dress. Vice Chair Pdraig tells me there'll be slow sets, snogging, pints of Harp and plenty of ABBA music to keep you entertained. Tickets are just €10 each and can be purchased in advance from Martina on 087 7963512 or you can pay on the door on the night.

**Sympathy** We would like to send our condolences to the family and friends of Sean Reynolds, Bray Co Wicklow, and formerly from Clooncarne, Bornacoola who died on Friday last at the Blackrock Hospice, Dublin. Sean, a former player with Bornacoola, was laid to rest in Bray on Monday last.

*Published on November 27<sup>th</sup>*

**Club Draw** The November club draw took place in The Copper still on Saturday night last. Winners: €100 Ailbhe McGill, €20 each; Declan Shanley, Annaduff, John McGushin, Patrick Duffy, Robert and John O'Beirne, Patricia Hackett; bottle of wine sponsored by the Copper Still - Declan Bohan.

**Congratulations** All at the club send their congratulations to Philip Howard and fiancée Ruth Coughlan on their recent engagement. We wish them long life and happiness together.

**Sympathy** We would like to send our condolences to the Mc Guinness family, Cloncarne on the passing of the late Cissie Nolan nee McGuinness, Curryline Newtownforbes on Sunday last at the Laurel Lodge Nursing home Longford. Ar Dheis Dé go raibh sí.

## **STATISTICS SECTION**

### **Senior Championship 2013**

#### **GROUP STAGES**

**25 May Ballinamore: Bornacoola 0-10 Aughawillan 0-9** Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Niall O Connor, John Mc Guinness, Kevin Shanley, David O Connor, Gary Mc Closkey, Aidan Reilly, Trevor Howard, Mark Mc Closkey (0-4), Damian Moran (0-3), Michael Duignan and Brian Conroy (0-3). Sub used Jonathan Duffy.

**27 July Drumshanbo: Bornacoola 0-5 St Marys 2-16** Gerry Gearty, Jason Conroy, Morgan Shanley, David Mulligan, Niall O Connor, John Mc Guinness, Kevin Shanley, David O Connor, Gary Mc Closkey, Anthony Mulligan (0-1), Trevor Howard (0-1), Ollie Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Damian Moran and Mark Mc Closkey (0-1). Subs Declan Shanley, Sean Mc Keon (0-2), Aidan Reilly, Philip Howard.

**3 Aug – Páirc Sean: Bornacoola 1-12 Gortletteragh 1-14** Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Ollie Vaughan, John Mc Guinness, Declan Shanley, Gary Mc Closkey, David O Connor (0-1), Sean Mc Keon (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Anthony Mulligan (0-2), Brian Conroy (0-1), Michael Duignan (0-1) and Damian Moran (0-1). Subs: Mark Mc Closkey (0-3), Shane Conroy, Aidan Reilly (1-0) and Brian Reilly

#### **Quarter Final Play Off**

**10 Aug – Páirc Seán: Bornacoola 0-2 Annaduff 1-7** Gerry Gearty, Jason Conroy, John Mc Guinness, David Mulligan, Declan Shanley, Morgan Shanley, Kevin Shanley, Gary Mc Closkey, David O Connor, Mark Mc Closkey (0-1), Trevor Howard (0-1), Ollie Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Michael Duignan and Damian Moran. Subs used: Anthony Mulligan, Aidan Reilly, Robert Moran, Philip Howard and Shane Conroy.

#### **24 Aug – Relegation Play-Off:**

**Ballinamore: Bornacoola 0-9 Kiltubrid 3-10** Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Brian Reilly, Jason Conroy, Shane Conroy, John Mc Guinness (0-1), Gary Mc Closkey, Anthony Mulligan, Mark Mc Closkey (0-6), Trevor Howard, Philip Howard, Brian Conroy (0-1), Damian Moran (0-1) and Michael Duignan. Subs used were Noel Mc Enroe and Feargal Mc Gill.



## Division 1 League - 2013

	Team	P	W	L	D	+/-	Pts
1	<b>Manorhamilton</b>	12	10	0	2	72	22
2	<b>Mohill</b>	12	8	3	1	47	17
3	<b>St Mary's-</b>	10	6	3	1	28	13
4	<b>Aughawillan</b>	10	6	3	1	27	13
5	<b>Drumreilly</b>	10	5	5	0	11	10
6	<b>Dromahire</b>	10	5	5	0	8	10
7	<b>Melvin Gaels</b>	10	5	5	0	-5	10
8	<b>Seán Ó hEislins</b>	10	4	5	1	12	9
9	<b>Gort Leitreach</b>	10	4	6	0	-13	8
10	<b>Annaduff</b>	10	3	5	2	-27	8
11	<b>Cill Tiobraid</b>	10	2	8	0	-65	4
12	<b>Bornacoola</b>	10	0	10	0	-95	0

**17 Feb: Ballinamore: Sean O Heslins 0-12 Bornacoola 1-8** Feargal Mc Gill, Brian Reilly, Morgan Shanley, Barry Reid, David Mulligan, Jason Conroy, Declan Shanley, David O Connor, Gary Mc Closkey, Anthony Mulligan, Damian Moran, Ollie Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Michael Duignan and Mark Mc Closkey. Subs used were Sean Mc Keon and Kevin Shanley

**24 Feb: Dromod: Bornacoola 0-5 Dromahair 2-18** Gerry Gearty, Barry Reid, Brian Reilly, David Mulligan, Mark Muldowney, Paul Hackett, Sean Mc Keon, Michael Duignan, Damian Moran, Aidan Reilly, Anthony Mulligan, Ollie Vaughan, Roy Keenan, Brian Conroy and Kevin Shanley

**1 Apr: Blacklion:**

**Glencar/Manorhamilton 3-12**

**Bornacoola 0-5** Bobby Shanley, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Declan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Shane Conroy, David O Connor (0-1), Michael Duignan, Ollie Vaughan, Mark Mc Closkey (0-4), Sean Mc Keon, Aidan Reilly, Damian Moran, Brian Conroy. Subs used Jonathan Duffy, Kevin Shanley and Mark Muldowney.

**14 April: Dromod: Mohill 1-17**

**Bornacoola 0-9**

**21 Apr: Cornageeha: Gortletteragh 1-**

**12 Bornacoola 0-8** Bobby Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Morgan Shanley, Brian Reilly, Kevin Shanley, Jason Conroy, Declan Shanley, David O Connor, Mark Mc Closkey (0-6), Jonathan Duffy, Paul Hackett, Oliver Vaughan, Brian Conroy, Michael Duignan (0-1) and Damian Moran (0-1). Subs used Trevor Howard and Aidan Reilly.

**12 May Dromod: Bornacoola 1-10**

**Kiltubrid 1-13** Bobby Shanley, Barry Reid, Morgan Shanley. Brian Reilly, David Mulligan, John McGuinness, Declan Shanley, Mark McCloskey (0-3), Gary McCloskey, Jonathan Duffy (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Aidan Reilly, David O Connor (0-1) Michael Duignan (0-2), Damian Moran (1-1) subs used: Shane Conroy, Ollie Vaughan and Brian Conroy

**18 May Carrickmagkeegan:**

**Drumreilly 4-11 Bornacoola 1-8**

Bobby Shanley, Brian Reilly, Jason Conroy, David Mulligan, Declan Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Paul Hackett, Mark Mc Closkey (0-5), David

O Connor, Jonathan Duffy, Trevor Howard, Brian Conroy (1-1), Kevin Shanley (0-1), Aidan Reilly and Damian Moran (0-1). Subs used were Niall O Connor, Gerry Gearty, Shane Conroy, Sean Mc Keon and Ollie Vaughan.

### Top Scorers League & C'ship

Mark Mc Closkey	0-45
Brian Conroy	2-9
Damian Moran	1-10
Anthony Mulligan	1-5

#### **5 June Dromod: Bornacoola 0-10 St Marys 4-16**

Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Jason Conroy, Mark Muldowney, John Bohan, Paul Hackett, Declan Shanley (0-1), Rob Moran (0-1), Mark Mc Closkey (0-5), Ollie Vaughan (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Philip Howard, Feargal Mc Gill, Brian Conroy and Roy Keenan. Subs used Michael Duignan and Anthony Muligan

#### **July 20<sup>th</sup> Aughawillan: Aughawillan 1-9 Bornacoola 0-7**

Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Jason Conroy, Niall O Connor, John Mc Guinness, Kevin Shanley, David O Connor (0-1), Gary Mc Closkey, Mark Mc Closkey (0-2), Trevor Howard (0-1), Anthony Mulligan (0-2), Brian Conroy, Damian Moran and Aidan Reilly. Subs used: Declan Shanley, Feargal Mc Gill, Sean Mc Keon, Philip Howard (0-1) and John Bohan.

**Oct 20<sup>th</sup> Dromod: Bornacoola 1-10 Melvin Gaels 0-14** Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Morgan Shanley, Noel McEnroe, Mark McCloskey, Jason Conroy, Kevin Shanley, Gary McCloskey, Anthony Mulligan, Aidan Reilly, Trevor Howard, Oliver Vaughan (0-3), Michael Duignan (0-2), Philip Howard (0-2), Brian Conroy (1-2) subs: Alan Croghan, Jonathan Duffy (0-1) and Bobby Shanley.

#### Shield 2013 Group 1

	Team	P	W	L	D	Pts
1	<b>Bornacoola</b>	6	5	1	0	10
2	<b>Gort Leitreach</b>	6	5	1	0	10
3	<b>Carrigallen</b>	6	4	2	0	8
4	<b>Seán Ó hEislin</b>	6	3	3	0	6
5	<b>Annaduff</b>	6	1	5	0	2
6	<b>Cloone</b>	5	1	4	0	2
7	<b>Ayghawillan</b>	5	1	4	0	2

#### **Shield Final: July 13, Páirc Seán Bornacoola 2-9 Melvin Gaels 1-10**

Team: Gerry Gearty, David Mulligan, Jason Conroy, Kevin Shanley, Declan Shanley, John Mc Guinness, Niall O Connor, Damian Moran, Morgan Shanley, Mark Mc Closkey, Trevor Howard, Ollie Vaughan, Robert Moran, Aidan Reilly, Brian Conroy. Subs used Anthony Mulligan, Sean Mc Keon, John Bohan, Philip Howard and Brian Reilly.

**Total Senior League &  
Championship Appearances &  
Scorers 2013**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Games</b>	<b>Scores</b>
Brian Conroy	13+1	2-9
David Mulligan	13	
Mark Mc Closkey	12+1	0-45
Jason Conroy	12	
Damian Moran	12	1-10
Morgan Shanley	11	
Trevor Howard	10+1	0-6
Michael Duignan	10+1	0-6
David O Connor	10	0-4
John Mc Guinness	10	0-1
Ollie Vaughan	9+2	0-5
Declan Shanley	9+1	0-1
Gary Mc Closkey	9	
Kevin Shanley	8+2	0-1
Gerry Gearty	8+1	
Aidan Reilly	7+4	1-0
Anthony Mulligan	7+2	1-5
Brian Reilly	6+1	
Bobby Shanley	4+1	
Paul Hackett	4	
Sean Mc Keon	3+4	0-4
Philip Howard	3+3	0-3
Jonathan Duffy	3+3	0-3
Niall O Connor	3+1	
Barry Reid	3	
Shane Conroy	2+4	
Feargal Mc Gill	2+2	
Mark Muldowney	2+1	
Roy Keenan	2	
Rob Moran	1+1	0-1
John Bohan	1+1	
Noel Mc Enroe	1+1	
Alan Croghan	0+1	

*\*Team v Mohill (League) and scorers v Dromahair (league) not included*

*Shield scorers/appearances not included*

**Junior A Team Statistics 2013**

**Junior A Championship Results**  
**Rd1;** Bornacoola 1-11 Melvin Gl's 0-10  
**Rd 2** Bornacoola 1-8 Allen Gaels 0-10  
**Rd 3** Bornacoola 0-12 Carrigallen 1-9

**Quarter Final**

Gortletteragh 1-13 Bornacoola 1-8

**Division 2 League Table and Results**

	<b>Team</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>+/-</b>	<b>Pts</b>
1	<b>Aughnasheelin</b>	12	10	1	1	67	21
2	<b>Drumkeerin</b>	12	7	3	2	45	16
3	<b>Fenagh</b>	11	7	3	1	39	15
4	<b>Allen Gaels</b>	11	6	2	3	35	15
5	<b>Carrigallen</b>	11	7	3	1	34	15
6	<b>Glenfarne</b>	10	5	3	2	22	12
7	<b>Cloone</b>	11	5	6	0	-17	10
8	<b>Manorhamilton</b>	10	5	5	0	-23	10
9	<b>Ballinaglera</b>	11	4	7	0	-5	8
10	<b>Leitrim Gaels</b>	11	3	8	0	-45	6
11	<b>St Mary's</b>	11	2	9	0	-76	4
12	<b>Bornacoola</b>	11	0	11	0	-76	0

**Division 2 League Results 2013**

Bornacoola 1-10 Leitrim Gaels 1-17  
 Ballinaglera w/o Bornacoola scr  
 Bornacoola 1-4 Allen Gaels 1-8  
 Carrigallen 2-14 Bornacoola 0-2  
 Bornacoola 1-4 Glenfarne 2-12  
 Bornacoola scr St Mary's w/o  
 Drumkeerin 3-12 Bornacoola 0-7  
 Aughnasheelin w/o Bornacoola scr  
 Bornacoola 1-8 Cl;one 2-13  
 Bornacoola scr Glencar/Manor w/o  
 Fenagh 5-9 Bornacoola 1-7

## Ladies Statistics

### Senior Championship

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Round – 21<sup>st</sup> July

#### **Bornacoola 0-4 Kiltubrid 3-18**

Susan Shanley, Shannon Boyle, Maeve Duffy, Cora McCauley, Lauren Shanley, Sarah Duffy, Tanya Donnelly, Selina Shanley, Nadine Hackett, Seona Cosgrove, Roisin Donnelly, Michelle Hackett, Fiona Reilly, Kelly Howard (0-4), Leonie Duffy. Sub: Dawn Hackett.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Round – 1<sup>st</sup> September

#### **Dromahaire 6-21 Bornacoola 1-3**

Susan Shanley, Shannon Boyle (0-1), Maeve Duffy, Lauren Shanley, Sarah Duffy, Tanya Donnelly, Allison McKeon, Selina Shanley, Kelly Howard (1-2), Nadine Hackett, Leonie Duffy, Michelle Hackett, Roisin Donnelly. Subs used: Patricia Bohan, Tanya Boyle.

## Ladies Division 2 League Table and Results

	Team	P	W	L	D	Pts
1	<b>St Francis</b>	5	4	1	0	12
2	<b>St Mary's-Kiltoghert</b>	5	4	1	0	12
3	<b>Seán Ó hEislin-</b>	5	3	2	0	9
4	<b>Annaduff</b>	5	2	3	0	6
5	<b>St Joseph's</b>	5	2	3	0	6
6	<b>Bornacoola</b>	5	0	5	0	0

### Ladies League Division 2 Results

Bornacoola 1-2 St Josephs 6-14

Bornacoola 6-2 Annaduff 4-12

St Francis 8-12 Bornacoola 3-4

Bornacoola 2-2 St Marys 5-20

Sean O Heslins 5-8 Bornacoola 2-5