



# Comhairle Uladh C.L.G. Ceannas Peil Uladh 2002



**i bPáirc Kingspan Bhreifne, An Cabhán  
12ú Bealtaine 2002**



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## CLUICHE CEANNAS PEIL ULADH 2002

### MINOR

1.00i.n. **An Cabhán V. Dún na nGall**

Réiteoir: Declan O'Connor (Doire)

### SENIOR

2.40i.n. **An Cabhán V. Dún na nGall**

Réiteoir: Paddy Russell (Tiobraid Árann)

Linesmen: Seamus Prior (Liatroim) Standby Referee

H. Beirne (Ros Comáin)

M. Kolbohm (Tír Eoghain) Standby Linesman

in Kingspan Breifne Park, Cavan  
12ú Bealtaine, 2002

### Amhrán na bhFiann

*Sinne Fianna Fáil,*

*Atá faoi gheall ag Éirinn.*

*Buion dár slua*

*Thar toinn do ráinig chugainn*

*Faoi mhóid bheith saor,*

*Sean-tir ár sinsear feasta*

*Ní fhágfar faoin tíorán ná tráill.*

*Anocht a théam sa bhearna baoil*

*Le gean ar Ghaeil chun báis nó saoil*

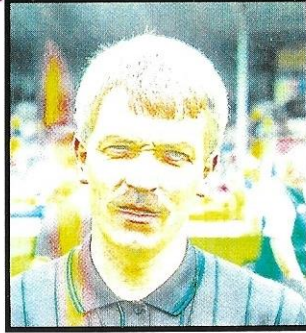
*Le Gunna scréach faoi lámhach na bpiléar.*

*Seo libh canaig amhrán na bhFiann*

**TIME:** Two minutes before the end of normal playing time, in each half, the Referee shall indicate to the Standby Linesman the amount of additional time to be played. The Standby Linesman shall hold up a board to display the amount of time displayed will be added from the expiry of the 35 minutes of normal time.

More than the amount of added playing time displayed may be played if further delay occurs after the Standby Linesman hold up the board.

### An Réiteoir



**PADDY RUSSELL**

(Tiobraid Árann)

**P**addy is a member of the Emly Club in Tipperary. He is refereeing since 1975. Paddy has been in charge of All-Ireland Finals in 1990 and 1995, he has refereed Championship and National Football League games in all four provinces and is one of the most experienced referees in the Country.





# Minor Focus

by John Campbell, Belfast Telegraph

## An Réiteoir



**DECLAN O'CONNOR**  
(Doire)

**D**ecan is a member of the Dungiven Club in Derry. He is married to Donna and they have five children. Declan is Refereeing for 14 years, he refereed Senior County Final in Derry in 2001 and the Intermediate Final in 1999. He refereed the U-14 Ulster Vocational Schools Final last March in Clones. He won an Ulster Club Minor Medal with his club. In his youth he boxed amateur and also coached young boxers. Declan is a bricklayer by trade.



**D**onegal and Cavan have both received considerable boosts in advance of today's Ulster Minor Football Championship clash between the counties.

But it's possible that the Donegal 'bonus' might ultimately prove just that little bit more lucrative. That's because no fewer than twelve of today's team were in the Donegal side that scorched to the All Ireland Vocational Schools title against Kerry at St. Tiernach's Park, Clones last Sunday.

In contrast, four of the Cavan side were in the Moyne Community School team which has just collected the All Ireland 'B' Colleges crown. Moyne, of course, is just over the Cavan border with Longford but today the quartet – Patrick McKeever, Paddy Brady, Kieran Fitzpatrick and Dermot McGlade – will be very much committed to the Breifne cause.

And if the achievements of Moyne CS provide a source of encouragement for Cavan, the recent track record of their manager Tony Brady is also worthy of consideration.

Football is a way of life for this busy plumbing and heating contractor and he lent further proof of this by steering his club Castlerahan to the County Intermediate Championship title last year. Just for good measure, he also masterminded their All County League Division Three triumph.

And even if he has been denied the services of his Moyne contingent in the build-up to today's game, he has certainly made up for lost time of late given Cavan's intense preparations over the past fortnight.

Those preparations have been matched by the drive and commitment of their opponents, however, who are under the capable management of former Donegal senior ace Paddy Hegarty, now a full-time coach within the county.

And with twelve players from the Vocational Schools side, Paddy has a solid base from which to plan. Indeed, Donegal's Vocational Schools win over Kerry has, if anything, offered further impetus to the Minor side to produce the goods today.

Karl Lacey, who led the Vocational Schools to their All Ireland glory, Gary Kennedy and Marcus curran are key members of the Donegal Minor side. Yet the team did not cover themselves in glory in the recent Ulster Minor Championship, winning two and losing two of their games.

## GROUND REGULATIONS

1. All persons entering Breifne Park are admitted only subject to the following Ground Regulations and to the Rules and Regulations of the Gaelic Athletic Association. Entry to the ground shall be deemed to constitute unqualified acceptance of all these Rules and Regulations. Any person who fails to comply with these Ground Regulations may be refused entry or removed from the ground.
2. Fireworks, smoke canister, gas-horns, bottles, glasses, cans, flags, banners, poles, and other similar articles or containers, including anything, which may be used as a weapon, are not permitted within the stadium.
3. The consumption of alcohol is not permitted within the ground and spectators are not permitted to bring alcohol into the stadium.
4. The unauthorised climbing of any structure, walls or buildings or seating in the ground is strictly forbidden.
5. Unnecessary noise such as that from the use of radio sets, gas-horns and behaviour likely to cause confusion or nuisance of any kind, including foul or abusive language, is not permitted in any part of the ground.
6. Under no circumstances is it permitted to throw any object onto the pitch.
7. Unauthorised persons are not permitted to enter upon the field of play at any time before, during or after the games.
8. The Ground Management reserve the right to refuse admission or to eject any person who refuses to be searched were such a search is deemed necessary.
9. A person may not obstruct a gangway, stairwell or circulation area at any time.
10. All persons entering or in the ground are reminded of their obligation to ensure that their behaviour does not present a danger from fire or other occurrence to anyone using the premises.
11. The Ground Management reserve the right for it's servants or agents to remove from the ground any person who does not comply with the Ground Regulations or whose presence in the ground could reasonably be construed as constituting a source of danger, nuisance or annoyance to other spectators.





# An Cabhán

Dathanna: Gorm is Bán 0-12

## Fir Ionaid

16. Terry Reilly  
Kingscourt
17. Colm Gumley  
Ballinagh
18. Peter McEnroe  
Drumgoon
20. David Sheridan  
Mountnugent
21. Kevin McConnell  
Belturbet
22. Garry Malone  
Drumalee
23. Peter Monaghan  
Ramor
24. Keith Sodain  
Ramor

1  
**P. O Geallagáin**  
Patrick Galligan  
Killygarry

2  
**P. Ó Cathail**  
Paucic Cahill  
Killygarry

3  
**R. MacSímain**  
Ronan Fitzimions  
Ramor

4  
**D. MacAiriinnigh**  
Damien McInearney  
Ballinagh

5  
**D. MacLain**  
Dermot McGlade  
Arva

6  
**M. MacIomhair**  
Mark McKeever  
Gowna

7  
**M. Ó Dhabhóc**  
Michael Cooke  
Cavan Gaels

8  
**S. Ó Bradaigh**  
Sean Brady (Capt.)  
Castlerahan

9  
**P. Ó Braidaigh**  
Paddy Brady  
Gowna

10  
**N. Ó Madáin**  
Niall Madden  
Gowna

11  
**S. MacGhillcamhail**  
Shane Cole  
Ramor

12  
**C. MacGiolla Phádraig**  
Ciarán Fitzpatrick

13  
**A. MacFhionnbhairr**  
Anthony Gaynor  
Ballinagh

14  
**S. McCabá**  
John McCal  
Munterconnaught

15  
**S. MacSeain**  
Sean Johnston  
Cavan Gaels

### AN CABHÁN

1adh Leath

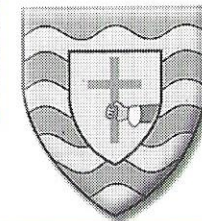
2adh Leath

IOMLÁN

Cúil	Cúilíní	Seachaí	45m	Saor Ciceanna

# Dún Na nGall

Dathanna: Glas is Ór 0-08



## Fir Ionaid

- 1  
**M. Ó Casaide**  
Martin Cassidy  
Na Coithre Maistri
- 2  
**N. MacAoidh**  
Neil McGee  
Gaoth Dubhair
- 3  
**C. de Leas**  
Karl Lacy  
Na Ceithre Maistri
- 4  
**E. Mac Giolla Bhríde**  
Eamon McBride  
Naomh Michael
- 5  
**S. Mac A Ghoill**  
Sean McGill  
Ard an Ratha
- 6  
**E. Mac Aoidh**  
Eamon McGee  
Gaoth Dobhair
- 7  
**S. Ó hEigheartaigh**  
Seamus Hegarty  
Cill Chartha
- 8  
**M. Mac Gabhainn**  
Mathew Smith  
Na Cealla Beaga
- 9  
**R. Mac Niallghais**  
Roan McNiallisis  
Gaoth Dobhair
- 10  
**S. Ó Ceallaigh**  
Sean Kelly  
Malainn
- 11  
**C. Man an Tuaille**  
Cathal Tully  
Na Cealla Beaga
- 12  
**S. Ó Maolmhuaidh**  
Sean Molloy  
Na Cealla Beaga
- 13  
**M. Ó Dochartaigh**  
Michael Doherty  
Na Ceithre Maistri
- 14  
**G. Ó Ceinnide**  
Gerard Kennedy  
Naomh Columba
- 15  
**D. ó Brcisleain**  
Donal Breslin  
Na Cealla Beaga

### DÚN Na nGALL

1adh Leath

2adh Leath

IOMLÁN

Cúil	Cúilíní	Seachaí	45m	Saor Ciceanna

- 16 Kieran Sharkey  
An Clochan Liath
- 17 Patrick Gallagher  
Ard an Rathc
- 18 Paul McGarvey  
An Clochan Liath
- 19 Kevin Clerkir  
Na Ceithre Maistri
- 20 Patrick Mulphete  
Naomh Adhamhair
- 21 Odhran Doherty  
Bun Crannach
- 22 Lee Heror  
Gleann Fhinn
- 23 Enda McDermot  
Bear
24. A. N. OTHEL



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## Cavan and Donegal in the Championship

### FIRST MEETING - 1919

**1919:- Cavan 3-11, Donegal 2-3**

Cavan and Donegal first met in the Ulster Senior Football Championship when they clashed in the semi-final of the 1919 series at Bundoran on Sunday 6th July of that year. Conditions were excellent and a crowd of 3,000 turned up at the sea-side venue. Under referee S. Dobbyn of Antrim, Cavan proved the superior side for most of the game. It was only Donegal's second ever appearance in the championship and their first from 1906. They had beaten Tyrone in the first round and so had created a great interest in the north-western county.

**Socrers for Cavan were:-** Cullen (1-2), Cahill (1-1), Murphy (0-3), Fay (0-2), Lynch (0-2), Masterson (1-0) and McGovern (0-1), while Donegal replied per McShea (1-2), Loughlin (1-0) and Doherty (0-1). The teams lined out as follows:-

**Cavan:-** A. Donoghue (gls) and J. Cahill (Cavan Slashers); P. Fay (capt) and T. McGovern (United Gaels); P. Masterson, JP Murphy, P. Reilly and J. McKwoen (Cornafea); J. Malone, P. Sheridan, C. Lynch, J. Cullen and F. McGovern (Killnaleck); and J. Tiernan and J. O'Rourke (Belturbet).

**Donegal:** McGovern (Captain), Armour (gls), Campbell, Gallagher, Dawson, Crawford, McLean, McMonagel, Greene, Carty, Cassidy, McShea, Loughlin, Gallagher and Doherty.

### LAST MEETING - 1998

**1998:- Donegal 0-15, Cavan 0-13**

The last meeting of the counties in the Championship was in 1998 when Donegal proved victorious by 0-15 to 0-13 at Clones on Sunday 21st June 1998. It was a particularly sweet victory for Donegal as they had to play for more than three-quarters of the game with fourteen men, having had a player sent off after only ten minutes. Donegal, who led by 0-8 to 0-5 at the interval, played some superb football and were simply unstoppable on the day.

**Donegal:-** T. Blake, B. McGowan, M. Crossan, JJ Dohery, D. Diver (0-1), Martin Coll, Noel McGinley (0-1), Noel Hegarty, Jim McGuinness, J. Duffy (0-2), A. Sweeney, J. Gildea (0-1), Brendan Devenny (0-1), Tony Boyle (0-5) and Manus Boyle (0-3). **Subs used:-** Brian Roper (0-1) and James McHugh.

**Cavan:-** P. O'Dowd, C/ Brady, T. Farrelly, Gerry Sheridan, Anthony Forde, Bernard Morris, R. Rogers (0-1), Dermot McCabe (0-1), P. Sheils, Ronan Carolan (0-7), Larry Reilly (0-1), R. Cunningham (0-1), J. Reilly, Fintan Cahill (0-1) and Michael Graham (0-1). **Subs used:-** F. Reilly, M. Leddy and J. Coffey.

Attendance:- 26,811. Referee:- M. McBrien (Fermanagh).





# CAVAN GAA GAMES DEVELOPMENT

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Aug 19th - Aug 23rd

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Cornafean  
Ballyjameduff/Templeport  
Kingspan Breffni Park Cavan

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**Martin Cahill (086) 2496819.**

# Summer Days Are Here Again

Ulster championships begin today and summer must indeed be here. GAA members and supporters view their counties championship campaign as the highlight of their years work. For the majority of patrons the championship affords the opportunity to view the GAA team in their county. This is indeed the most sought after prize in the GAA calendar and no effort is spared in preparing county teams for the Ulster Championship.

All players in action today are also key players with their clubs. They play with their local club teams in their respective counties. County players who provide so much entertainment for all also give major commitment to their clubs in their own areas. They best exemplify commitment and dedication. They deserve all our respect and should never be abused by overly enthusiastic supporters. The senior and minor footballers of Cavan, Donegal, Fermanagh and Monaghan are truly deserving of our enthusiastic support. Oh yes don't forget the match officials, stewards and workers at today's games, all are club members giving their time and talent to produce this great occasion.

The GAA are currently considering the greatest ever in depth review of the association. Reviews at National and Provincial level are being debated and like all large organisations, the GAA is learning, adapting and changing. One very clear message is emerging. New members, active in clubs, are needed. Many people at today's games commenced their GAA activity before the big match. Teams at juvenile and adult level trained on club pitches, jerseys were washed, fixtures arranged and balls pumped. All clubs have both men and women sections with a

menu of activities including football, hurling, camogie, handball, rounders and scor. A great many clubs are also actively involved with local athletics clubs. To prosper, clubs need fresh input. People who will play, organise, coach, plan, represent, encourage and participate are required by your local club. Sometimes people are shy about coming forward, a perception of not being needed by established members. Why not turn up at the local pitch, this is normally the best point of contact. The juvenile or schools sections of clubs are always in need of new blood. Join us.

I hope we have a cracking Ulster Championship. Along with our two high profile football games, today also marks the start of the Ulster hurling championship. At Casement Park, Belfast, Down play London in the senior hurling championship while Antrim play Armagh and Tyrone play Down in the junior hurling championship, all at the Belfast venue.

Enjoy today's games. Further changes in presentation will be in evidence today. Further to changes in presentation introduced last year, today will mark the introduction of arm-bands for blood substitutions, substitutes area located in the stand and over small changes all designed to improve the overall presentation of our games. Let us know what you feel about these changes. E mail us at [ulsterproa@gaa.ie](mailto:ulsterproa@gaa.ie)

Summer is here and its Ulster championship time. Today's games will be attended by thousands and viewed by millions. Read about the games tomorrow, its all part of summer time in Ireland.



# CAVAN SENIOR PANEL



## MICHAEL BRIDES

Club: Redhills, Age: 21  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 11<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>st  
Occupation: Student

## CATHAL COLLINS

Club: Cavan Gaels, Age: 24  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Doctor

## BARRY CORRIGAN

Club: Drumlane, Age: 23  
Height: 6'0", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Environmental Engineer

## AARON DONOHOE

Club: Belturbet, Age: 26  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Glazer Foreman

## JAMES DOONAN

Club: Cavan Gaels, Age: 28  
Height: 6'0", Weight: 14st  
Occupation: A.E.C. Employee

## ANTHONY FORDE (Captain)

Club: Shannon Gaels, Age: 25  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Accountant

## MICHAEL GRAHAM

Club: Cavan Gaels, Age: 26  
Height: 5'9", Weight: 11st  
Occupation: Coca-Cola Merchandiser

## PAUL GALLIGAN

Club: Ballinagh, Age: 20  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 11st  
Occupation: Leisure Attendant

## COLM HANNON

Club: Drumgoon, Age: 20  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 12<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>st  
Occupation: Student

## EDWARD JACKSON

Club: Drumgoon, Age: 21  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>st  
Occupation: Carpenter

## RONAN KEASKIN

Club: Knockbride, Age: 22  
Height: 5'9", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Sports Officer

## PHILIP KERMATH

Club: Ramor Utd, Age: 28  
Height: 5'9", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Postman

## DERMOT McCABE

Club: Gowna, Age: 25  
Height: 6'2", Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Computer Programmer

## DARYL McCONNELL

Club: Drumlane, Age: 19  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Student

## BARRY McCRUDDEN

Club: Ballyhaise, Age: 26  
Height: 6'4", Weight: 13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>st  
Occupation: E.S.B. Employee

## PIERCE McKENNA

Club: Kill, Age: 26  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>st  
Occupation: Teacher

# CAVAN SENIOR PANEL



## BRIAN McHUGH

Club: Maghera, Age: 25  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>st  
Occupation: Student

## CORMAC NELLIGAN

Club: Cavan Gaels, Age: 21  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>st  
Occupation: Student

## FINBAR O'REILLY

Club: Lacken, Age: 22  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Carpenter

## GERALD PIERSON

Club: Gowna, Age: 19  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 11st  
Occupation: Electrician

## THOMAS PRIOR

Club: Swanlinbar, Age: 27  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 12<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>st  
Occupation: Fruit Importer

## DARREN RABBIT

Club: Cavan Gaels, Age: 21  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Student

## EAMONN REILLY

Club: Cavan Gaels, Age: 19  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>st  
Occupation: Student

## EAMONN REILLY

Club: Shannon Gaels, Age: 19  
Height: 6'0", Weight: 12<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>st  
Occupation: Student

## EDDIE REILLY

Club: Mullahoran, Age: 22  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Brickie

## JASON REILLY

Club: Belturbet, Age: 24  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Crane Driver

## LARRY REILLY

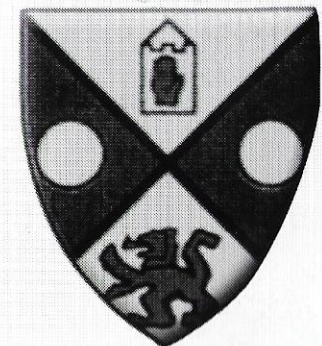
Club: Knockbride, Age: 24  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Plumber

## PETER REILLY

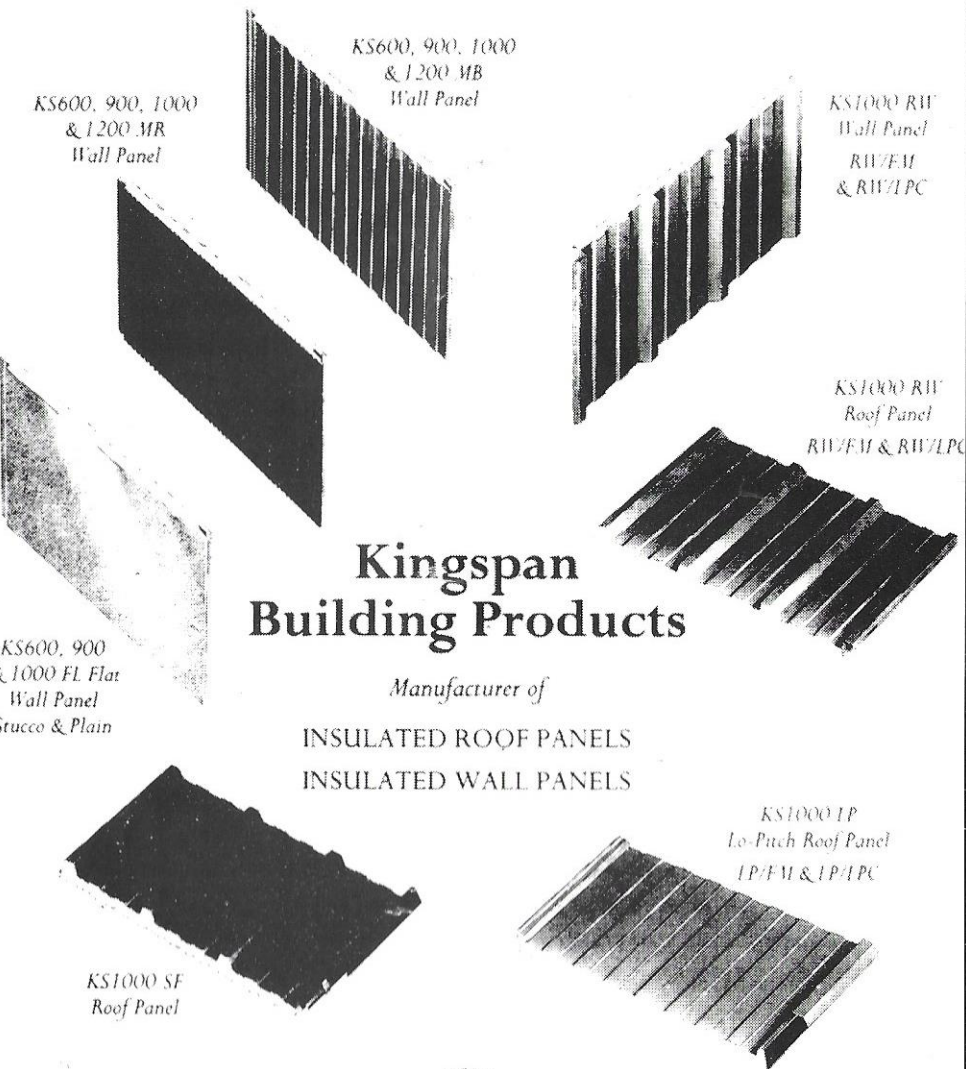
Club: Knockbride, Age: 26  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Quantity Surveyor

## RAPHAEL ROGERS

Club: Knockbride, Age: 23  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 11st  
Occupation: Fitter







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# MIND GAMES

by Micheal McGeary, Sunday Life

Sometimes far too much is read into the mind games that are part and parcel of the Bank of Ireland Ulster Senior Football Championship. And yet so much this afternoon will depend on how well Mattie Kerrigan's men have recovered from the mauling they suffered at the hands of Tyrone in the Allianz League decider only two weeks ago in Clones.

If the mental scars are still there then they will struggle like never before to lay the ghosts of that embarrassing and humiliating league final fiasco.

Mattie Kerrigan though has experienced both good and bad times in his chequered footballing career and if any man is capable of turning things around in the space of a fortnight, then it's the former Meath ace. His priority will have been convincing the players that they simply had an off day and that they didn't do themselves justice against Tyrone and that they owe their fans something after that best forgotten debacle in Clones. If the famed Breffni Blues get off to a good start here then the past will be quickly forgotten, but if not, then all their old past failings could return to haunt

them.

Donegal though have no such problems. Under the shrewd guidance of manager Mickey Moran they did well to finish third in a highly competitive Division One A of the Allianz League. They still tend to take far too much out of the ball, but look a much more rounded side than last season when they were desperately unlucky to lose to Kildare in the All Ireland qualifiers by a single point.

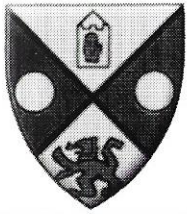
Prolific marksman Brendan Devenney can do no wrong these days and so much depends on how he performs against a Cavan defence that looks increasingly vulnerable with each passing match.

It's 10 years since the Sam Maguire last found a resting place in Donegal and even the county's most ardent fan would settle for a more modest achievement this time around.





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# An Cabhán

Dathanna: Gorm is Bán

## Fir Ionaid

- 16. Ronan Keaskin  
Knockbride
- 17. Michael Graham  
Cavan Gaels
- 18. Philip Kermath  
Ramor Utd.
- 19. Barry McCrudden  
Ballyhaise
- 20. Finbar O'Reilly  
Lacken
- 21. Darren Rabbitt  
Gavan Gaels
- 22. Dermot McCabe  
Gowna
- 23. Barry Corrigan  
Drumlane
- 24. Raphael Rogers  
Knockbride

1 <b>A. Ó Donnchú</b> Aaron Donohoe Belturbet		
2 <b>E. Ó Raghallaigh</b> Eamon Reilly Cavan Gaels	3 <b>T. Mac an Phríora</b> Thomas Prior Swanlinbar	4 <b>C. Ó hAnnáin</b> Colm Hannon Drumgoon
5 <b>M. Mac Giolla Bhríde</b> Michael Brides Redhills	6 <b>A. MacGiollarnáith</b> Anthony Forde (Capt.) Shannon Gaels	7 <b>S. Ó Dúnáin</b> James Doonan Cavan Gaels
8 <b>P. Mac Cionaoith</b> Pierce McKenna Kill		9 <b>C. Ó Coiléan</b> Cathal Collins Cavan Gaels
10 <b>A. N. OTHER</b>	11 <b>P. Ó Raghallaigh</b> Peter Reilly Knockbride	12 <b>A. N. OTHER</b>
13 <b>L. Ó Raghallaigh</b> Larry Reilly Knockbride	14 <b>J. Ó Raghallaigh</b> Jason Reilly Belturbet	15 <b>P. Ó Gealagáin</b> Paul Galligan Ballinagh

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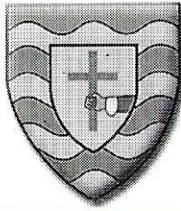
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Cúil	Cúilíní	Seachai	45m	Saor Ciceanna

1-17

# Dún Na nGall

Dathanna: Glas is Ór



## Fir Ionaid

1 <b>A. de Blaca</b> Tony Blake Naomh Adhamhain.		
2 <b>S. Mac Giolla Chearra</b> Shane Carr Na Ceithre Maistrí	3 <b>M. Mac Chrossain</b> Mark Crossan Naomh Adhamhain	4 <b>N. Mac Fhionnagaile</b> Noel McGinley Naomh Columba
5 <b>R. Mac Suibhne</b> Raymond Sweeney An Clochan Liath	6 <b>B. Ó Muineachain</b> Barry Monaghan Na Ceithre Maistri	7 <b>C.Ó Cáisid</b> Kevin Cassidy Gaoth Dobhair
8 <b>S. Mac Giolla De</b> John Gildea Naomh Conaill		9 <b>P. Mac Congail</b> Paul McGonigle Buncrannaigh
10 <b>S. Ó Haran</b> Naomh Adhamhain John Haron	11 <b>M. Ó hEighcartaigh</b> Michael Hegarty Cill Chartha	12 <b>S. Mac Aughusa</b> Jim McGuinness Naomh-Conail
13 <b>A. Mac Suibhnc</b> Adrian Sweeney An Clochan Liath	14 <b>B. Ó Duibheannaigh</b> Brendan Devenncy Naomh Adhamhain	15 <b>B. Ó Ropier</b> Brian Roper Aodh Ruadh

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2adh Leath  
IOMLÁN

Cúil	Cúilíní	Seachai	45m	Saor Ciceanna

- 16 Gerard McGil  
Naomh Columba
- 17 Damien Dive  
Ard an Rath
- 18 Kevin Raffert  
Naomh Adhamhain
- 19 Christy Toy  
Naomh Michael
- 20 Conal Dunn  
Naomh Adhamhain
- 21 Rory Kavanagh  
Naomh Adhamhain
- 22 Brendan Boyle  
Ard an Rath
- 23 A. N. OTHEI
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## **A Winning Start Will Do Nicely!** *By Adrian Logan UTV*

The very simple question for today is....How well have Cavan recovered from that hammering by Tyrone in the National League Final.

A few weeks back Cavan football was on a high after destroying Roscommon in the Semi Final and in the process they hit five goals.

The Tyrone result was a major set back in any man's language. New boss Mattie Kerrigan concedes he would have settled for a League Final appearance at the start of the season but the fashion of the defeat must have caused headaches in the build up to today. Kerrigan and captain Anthony Forde need all their power of motivation for this afternoon.

They face a Donegal side who were very close to making it into the final stage of the League. They were only denied by a spirited performance from Roscommon and by all accounts preparations have been going well in the camp.

Mickey Moran and John Morrison have fashioned a fine team and remember they were one of the few sides who beat Tyrone in this years League campaign.

That day in Ballybofey the Donegal

lads played their hearts out and deserved their victory.

They have many talented players but the star of the show has to be Brendan Devenney. A few seasons ago Devenney was being hailed as one of the best in the business and in the past two years he has lived up to that.

His emergence to National stardom came from the trip to Australia with the Ireland team but before that the keen Ulster fans knew all too well how capable he was.

Devenney could be the key this afternoon. If he gets and creates the space then he can cause real problems for their Cavan defence.

Either way the meeting of these two great rivals is a fitting start to yet another Bank of Ireland Championship campaign. The winners today can look forward to a clash with Down in the Quarter Final.

That's long term...short term...either side will be content with getting their campaign off the a winning start.





# DONEGAL SENIOR PANEL



## TONY BLAKE

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 30  
Height: 6'2", Weight: 14.5st  
Occupation: Engineering Technician

## BARRY MONAGHAN

Club: Four Masters, Age: 23  
Height: 6', Weight: 13.5st  
Occupation: Tyre Salesman

## BRENDAN DEVENNEY

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 26  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Sales Rep.

## JOHN HARAN

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 24  
Height: 6'4", Weight: 14.5st  
Occupation: Student

## DAMIEN DIVER

Club: Ardara, Age: 27  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Shop Manager

## JAMES GALLAGHER

Club: Gweedore, Age: 25  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Butcher

## MARK CROSSAN

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 31  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Bank Official

## EAMON DOHERTY

Club: Ardara, Age: 25  
Height: 6'2", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Publican

## GERARD MCGILL

Club: N. Columba, Age: 23  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Student

## RAYMOND SWEENEY

Club: Dungloe, Age: 24  
Height: 6', Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Engineer

## CONAL DUNNE

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 19  
Height: 6', Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Student

## BRIAN McLAUGHLIN

Club: Naomh Michael, Age: 25  
Height: 6'2", Weight: 13.5st  
Occupation: Costing Analyst

## JOHN GILDEA

Club: Naomh Conaill, Age: 30  
Height: 6', Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Bank Official

## JIM McGUINNESS

Club: Naomh Conaill, Age: 28  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Student

## PADDY CAMPBELL

Club: N Chonaill, Age: 26  
Height: 6', Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Mechanical Engineer

## NOEL MCGINLEY

Club: Naomh Columba, Age: 25  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Factory Worker

# DONEGAL SENIOR PANEL



## BRIAN ROPER

Club: Aodh Ruadh, Age: 27  
Height: 5'6", Weight: 10.5st  
Occupation: Monumental Sculptor

## PAUL MCGONIGLE

Club: Buncrana, Age: 28  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Accountant

## SHANE CARR

Club: Four Masters, Age: 26  
Height: 6', Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Machine Driver

## KEVIN CASSIDY

Club: Gweedore, Age: 20  
Height: 6', Weight: 13.5st  
Occupation: Student

## ADRIAN SWEENEY

Club: Dungloe, Age: 25  
Height: 5'10", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Plumber

## CIARAN BROWN

Club: St Vincent's (Dublin), Age: 23  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 14st  
Occupation: Student

## RORY KAVANAGH

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 19  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 12.5st  
Occupation: Student

## BRENDAN BOYLE

Club: Ardara, Age: 20  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 13.5st  
Occupation: Student

## CHRISTY TOYE

Club: St Michael's, Age: 19  
Height: 6'2", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Student

## COLM McFADDEN

Club: St. Michael's, Age: 18  
Height: 6'2", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Student

## KEVIN RAFFERTY

Club: St Eunan's, Age: 20  
Height: 6'3", Weight: 12.5st  
Occupation: Trainee Manager

## DECLAN GALLAGHER

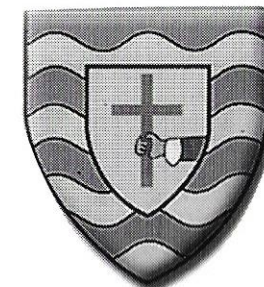
Club: Kilcar, Age: 23  
Height: 5'8", Weight: 10.5st  
Occupation: Office Administrator

## SEAMUS FRIEL

Club: Fanad Gaels, Age: 22  
Height: 6'1", Weight: 12st  
Occupation: Legal Advisor

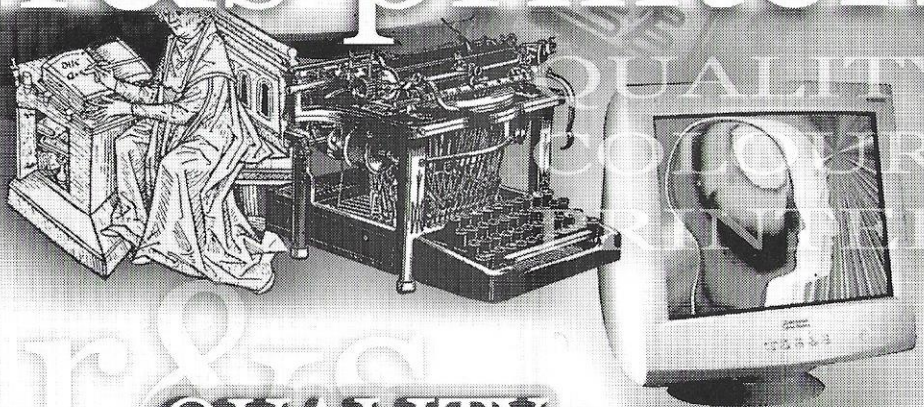
## MICHAEL HEGARTY

Club: Kilcar, Age: 23  
Height: 5'11", Weight: 13st  
Occupation: Student





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## How Team Selections Changed..... by the Decade

### CAVAN

**1952:** (Ulster Final) – S. Morris, J. McCabe, Phil Brady, P. Fitzsimmons, Tom Hardy, Liam Maguire, Des Maguire, Victor Sherlock, Pat Carolan, Seamus Hetheron, Mick Higgins (capt.), Brian Gallagher, JJ Cassidy, Tony Tighe and Edwin Carolan.

**1962:** (Ulster Final) – Sean Og Flood, Gabriel Kelly, PJ McCaffrey, M. Brady, Tom Morris, Tom Maguire, Jim McDonnell (capt.), Ray Carolan, Tom Lynch, C. Smith, Hugh B. O'Donoghue, Jimmy Stafford, S. McMahon, Charlie Gallagher and J. Brady. Sub used: PJ O'Gorman.

**1972:** (v. Donegal) – P. Lyons, P. Tinnelly, B. Donoghue, A. McCabe, P. Gilroy, JJ Martin, E. McGowan, Ray Carolan, H. Newman, C. O'Keeffe, F. Dolan, S. Duggan, Hugh McInerney, G. Cusack and S. McGuigan. Subs used: G. O'Reilly, JJ Reilly and O. Brady.

**1982:** (v. Antrim) – A. Elliott, E. Kiernan, O. Brady, J. Fay, T. Brady, S. Axworthy, J. Reilly, Adge King, Stephen King, B. Tierney, F. McDonagh, R. Cullivan, D. Donohue, M. Faulkner and P. McNamee. Subs used: J. Dillon and P. Lynch.

**1992:** (draw v. Donegal) – B. McCormack, A. Watters, G. Sheridan, J. Donnellan, P. Smith, B. Morris, J. Reilly, S. King, V. Dowd, C. Brady, D. O'Reilly (capt.), R. Carolan, J. Brady, F. Cahill and M. Fagan. Subs used: P. Faulkner and S. Gannon.

### DONEGAL

**1952:** (v. Antrim) – J. McDermott, P. Dawson, F. O'Donnell, B. Coyle, H. Boyle, P. Brogan, C. Hegarty, D. Curran, MJ Gallagher, F. Brennan, C. McCauley, C. Collins, P. Coyle, T. Wickham and S. McGettrick. Subs: P. McGeehin, D. Moriarty and A. Rodgers.

**1962:** (v. Derry) – S. Hoare, F. Gallagher, A. Gallen, D. Thomas, P. Kelly, J. Hannigan, PJ Flood, S. Ferriter, J. Diver, D. Breslin, M. Griffin, L. Kelly, J. Coyle, PJ McDermott and Frankie McFeeley. Subs used: C. McDaid, F. Sweeney and H. Travers.

**1972:** (Ulster Final) – Alan Kane, Donal Monaghan, Pauric McShea, John Boyce, Brian McEniff, Anthony Gallagher, Anton Carroll, Seamus Boner, Frankie McFeely (capt.), Martin Carney, Ml. McMenamin, Declan O'Carroll, Seamus Granaghan, Ml. Sweeney and J. Winston. Subs used: J. Hannigan, A. Curran.

**1982:** (v. Armagh) – N. McCole, D. McGettigan, F. Ward, M. Gallagher, E. McIntyre, M. Lafferty, T. McDermott, M. Griffin, M. Carr, M. McHugh, C. Mulgrew, J. McMullan, S. Gallagher, P. McCrae and C. Keaney. Subs used: B. Dunleavy and P. Gallagher.

**1992:** (Ulster Final) – Gary Walsh, J. Cunningham, Matt Gallagher, Noel Hegarty, Donal Reid, Martin Gavigan, Martin Shevlin, Anthony Molloy (capt.), Brian Murray, James McHugh, Tommy Ryan, Joyce McMullan, Martin McHugh, Tony Boyle and Declan Bonner. Subs used: B. McGowan, S. Maguire.



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## New Regulations on Blood Substitution

This year sees a further development in the blood substitution rule. Any player with blood on his body or jersey must leave the field of play. The injured player receives attention off the field and may only return when all visible blood is removed and a replacement jersey worn. The injured player may be temporarily substituted and the substitute should wear a distinctive armband in white or red depending on jersey colour. Blood

substitutions are not recorded as 'full substitutions' and will in future be announced over the PA as 'blood substitutes'.

Normal substitutions will take place from the half way line following checking in with the fourth official. The substitute may only enter the field of play when the player being replaced has come off. Five substitutions are allowed during the course of the game.

## Bhfuil fhios agat?

- > Columba McDyer from Glenties in Donegal won an All Ireland medal with Cavan in 1947. Columba played in the famous in the Polo Grounds, New York. He later played with Donegal but never broke the Cavan connection. As a mark of appreciation from the McDyer family to Cavan, a presentation will be made to Cavan GAA at half time.
- > The first meeting of the Ulster Council took place in Armagh in 1903. Next year the Council will celebrate its centenary with a range of commemorative events across the nine counties.
- > Brian McEniff was involved with every Donegal Ulster Championship winning team, either as player, manager or both. Donegal captured the Anglo-Celt Cup on five occasions in 1972, 1974, 1983, 1990 and 1992.
- > Cavan have won 39 Ulster championships from 1891 to their most recent in 1997. Manager of the Breifne County on that occasion was Martin McHugh from Kilarc in Donegal.
- > Deanfar gno ag gach cruinniu de Chomhairle Uladh tre mhean na Gaeilge amhain. Gach bliain reachtalaíonn Comhairle Uladh cursa Gaeilge do dhaoine fasta. Tionolfar an cursa seo i mbliana ar na Dunaibh, Tir Chonaill 22 do 27 Iúil 2002.
- > On Sunday, May 28th, 1992, Donegal faced Cavan in the first round Ulster Championship at Breifne Park. In an epic game which included points from 50 yard free kicks courtesy of Martin McHugh and left footed volleys across the bar by Damian O'Reilly, the teams finished level. Donegal won the replay at Ballybofey and went on to win the "Sam Maguire".
- > Today's game will be carried live on TV on RTE, BBC and Setanta. The game will also be live on 4 nationwide radio broadcasters as well as many local radio stations. In excess of 25 print media journalists will cover today's game along with 10 photo journalists. In 1901 Bailieboro Home Rulers representing Cavan and Ballyshannon Red Hughs met in an Ulster semi-final at Beleek in Fermanagh. The Freeman's Journal reported result only, the Irish News three lines and the Anglo-Celt, front page paragraph!
- > Cavan junior football champions 2001, Drumgoon have qualified for the All-Ireland Junior Final. Drumgoon having lifted the Cavan crown proceeded to win the Ulster Final, defeated the Wicklow champions in the semi-final and await the final with Belmullet, Co. Mayo.

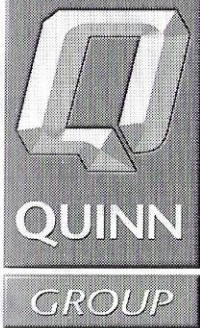
## On Line Quiz

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1. Which Donegal man won an All Ireland with Cavan in 1947?
2. What colour do blood substitutes wear on armbands?
3. When will Ulster Council celebrate its centenary?
4. What Donegal man has been involved with every Donegal team that won an Ulster Championship?
5. Which club in Cavan will contest an All Ireland final shortly?

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# GAA Activities a Century Ago (1902) in...

## CAVAN

Fr. Dan Gallogly, in his excellent "Cavan's Football Story" (published in 1979), wrote:- "In 1902 Belturbet Red Stars and Rory O'Moore's gaelic team united as Belturbet United Gaelic and Soccer Club. At tournaments during 1901 and 1902 it was usual to have exhibition games in both gaelic and soccer. All this finished with the coming of the 'Ban Rule' and within a few years soccer had vanished from the scene. The most active parish in the county in 1902 was Ballintemple. It had three teams - Lacken Celtics, Bruskey Grattans and Legaweel Volunteers. Celtics did a great deal of sabre-rattling through the pages of the 'Anglo-Celt', throwing out challenges to teams to play them for the championship of Cavan".

Con Short, in his equally excellent "The Ulster GAA Story" (published in 1984), wrote:- "Between 1900 and 1902 several clubs in Cavan such as Cavan Slashers, Drumlane Sons of O'Connell, Mullahoran, etc., were re-organised and Cavan was able to field a team in the 1902 Ulster football championship".

There are no available records, however, of them having played any games in that particular series, one hundred years ago.

## DONEGAL

Like a lot of other counties throughout Ireland in 1902, Donegal was still only recovering from the unfortunate "Parnell Split" which had created such havoc with existing GAA clubs all over Ireland, and it would be another year before there was any real activity on the GAA front in the county. These were only minor rumblings, however, and it would be 1905 before there was a proper Donegal GAA County Board formed.

This took place on Monday 23rd October 1905, when the officer board elected was:- Patron:- Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell, Bishop of Raphoe; President:- Very Rev. Dr. Maguire PP; Secretaries:- Alex McDyer and J. Dowds; Treasurers:- F. McFadden MP and Rev. C. Boyce.

Hurling, however, had never died the death that other games apparently suffered and it remained active as ever in the Burt area, where there had always been a very strong 'Camanacht' (hurling) tradition. Proper club championship would not commence until 1905 however.

The new railway line to Burtonport was nearing completion at the time (it would open in 1903) and probably aroused much greater interest than did GAA activities, especially among the people of north-west Donegal



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## SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS:



May 19

Armagh v. Tyrone at Clones

May 26

If Down v. Cavan at Newry or Casement

If Donegal v. Down at Ballybofey

June 2

Antrim v. Derry at Casement

June 9 Semi-Final A:

Armagh/Tyrone v. Monaghan/Fermanagh Venue to be Decided

June 16 Semi-Final B:

Antrim/Derry v. Cavan/Donegal/Down

Venue to be decided

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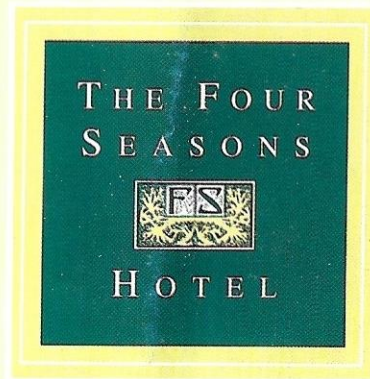
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