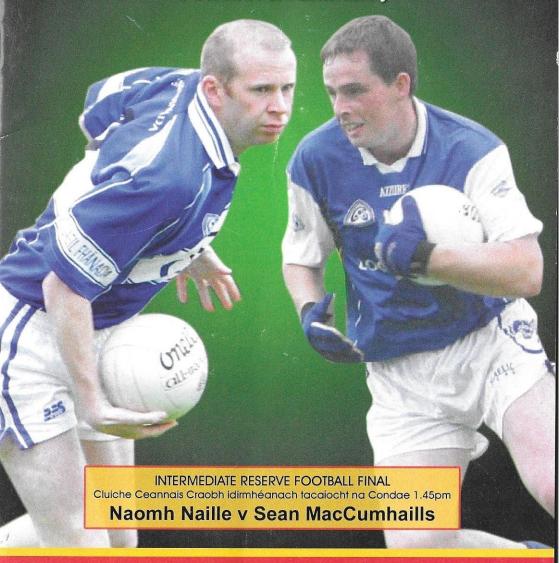


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INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL FINAL
Cluiche Ceannais Craobh peile idirmhéanach na Condae 3.45pm

Gaeil Fhánada v Cloich Cheann Fhaola O'Donnell Park Letterkenny



RÉITEOIR: Intermediate Trevor McBrearty (Kilcar)

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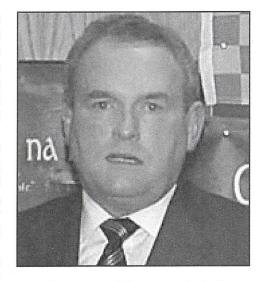
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Is iad ná cluiche tráthnóna nó an cluiche cheannais Idirmheánach idir Cloich Cheann Fhaola agus Gael Fhánada agus roimhe sin beidh an cluiche cheannais, foirne tacaíochta Idirmheánach, éadar Naomh Naille agus Seán Mhic Chumhaill a imirt.

The final of this year's Healthwise Pharmacies Intermediate football championship matches up Cloich Cheann Fhaola and fellow table toppers in division two, Gael Fhánada. These two Gaeltacht teams are evenly matched and could very well end up level at the end. The Cathal McLaughlin Memorial Cup awaits the winners this afternoon.

Both teams in the Intermediate Reserve are also here on merit after impressive campaigns.

Our thanks to fo-chumann Naomh Adhamhnán for their splendid facilities. They can be rightly proud of their new pitch, stand, dressing rooms and the other facilities that they have provided here in Letterkenny. Comhairle Uladh have



recently approved the grounds for intercounty games and we hope to have our county senior team playing here during 2007. Some works remain to be done and I wish them well with the final phase of their development plans. Éacht déanta agaibh gan amhras.

Tá súil agam go mbainfidh sibh uilligh taitneamh agus pléisiúr as na cluichí atá a imirt anseo inniu ins na áiseanna breatha atá a chur ar fail ag fó-chumann Naomh Adhamhnán.

> Charlie O Dónaill, Cathaoirleach, Coiste Chontae Dhún na nGall C.L.G.

Go raith maith agaibh

A word of thanks to all who contributed to today's match programme in any shape or form, in particular the public relations officers and secretaries of the participating clubs.

Sean Perry PRO/Programme editor

Good Luck Cloughaneely

in the

Intermediate Championship Final

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Today's referees

Intermediate final referee Trevor McBrearty (Cill Chartha)

Linesmen: Kieran McShea & Hugo Wallace.

Hailing from Kilcar, Trevor lives in Letterkenny at present. He has been refereeing senior adult football for four years. Recent refereeing appointments have seen him travel to London, and further afield to Boston last July. Having played football for the Kilcar club from the age of eight, Trevor was also was involved

with the blue and gold in recent years as club physio. He is honoured to be selected as match referee for today's intermediate final and is looking forward to it with great anticipation. "I feel it will be one of the most exciting games of football played in Donegal this year with two evenly matched teams with excellent footballing skills. Together with the rest of my officials, I plan to enjoy the occasion, as I hope the Cloughaneely and Fanad Gaels teams also do," he concluded.

Intermediate Reserve final referee Eugene McBrearty (Naomh Columba)

Linesmen: Mickey Mulhern and Benny Trearty.

Eugene takes charge of his first county final this afternoon. Incidentally, he is an uncle of today's other referee, Trevor.

Eugene played football with Kilcar in the 1980's. He is married to Anna and lives in Meenaneary, Carrick. He has three sons, two of whom play for present Naomh Columba senior side. Eugene is looking forward to this afternoon's match and hopes to continue refereeing for many vears to come.

The 4th official for both games is Frankie Doherty.

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Sunday 22nd October

County Intermediate Final 3.30.pm. County Intermediate Reserve Final 1.45.pm.

Gael Fhanáda v Cloich Cheann Fhaola Senior: Sean Mac Cumhaills v Naomh Naille Reserve:

1.27.pm. Sean Mac Cumhaills take the field and line up for team photograph

1.30.pm. Naomh Naille take the field and line up for team photograph

1.45.pm. 2006 Intermediate Reserve County Final

3.00.pm. Captain of the winning team proceed to the presentation area for the presentation of the Intermediate Reserve Trophy presented by Charlie Ó Dónaill

3.13.pm. Gael Fhanáda take the field and line up for team photograph

3.15.pm. Cloich Cheann Fhaola take the field and line up for team photograph

3.28.pm. National Anthem

3.30.pm. 2006 Healthwise Pharmacies Donegal Intermediate Football Final

Half Time Exhibition of Naomh Adhamhnán U-7's boys and girls

5.00.pm. Captain of the winning team proceed to the presentation area for the presentation of the Cathal Mac Laughlin Intermediate Cup presented by Charlie Ó Dónaill Cathaoirleach Bord an

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A word from the Fanad manager

Today is a proud day in our club's brief history as this game represents Fanad Gael's first ever appearance in the intermediate championship final. It is a great honour for me to lead our club into this decider.

This is my sixth year as manager, guiding the club from division two in 2000 to division one. Fanad spent four seasons in division one and were relegated last year. I would like to acknowledge Hughie Shiels and thank him for his loyalty and support. After forming a new management team this season with Joe Higgins, Richard Carr, John McConigley and James Martin we outlined our aims for 2006 - The Donegal Gaeltacht championship, promotion from division two, and the intermediate championship.

Training commenced in late January, and numbers have remained consistently high which is a tremendous tribute to the work of Joe Higgins at the club. Even though we are still in contention for the championship and division two honours, the only trophy

thus far has been the Gaeltacht Championship.

We know we are facing a difficult challenge against Cloughaneely, a proud club with an emphasis on attacking and free flowing football which should make for a fine spectacle today. Cloughaneely have an excellent underage structure underlined by the fact that they supplied three players to the successful Donegal minor squad this year. It is a very friendly and hospitable club and we always look forward to our sporting encounters when we meet.

Finally it has been a privilege to manage this group of players for the last six years. Their dedication, loyalty and commitment has been exemplary. It would be truly fitting if it culminated in triumph today. I would like to extend a sincere word of thanks to our patient supporters who travelled in huge numbers to Galway in June.

Go N-eirí linn, **Bernard McGettigan,** Banisteoir, Gaeil Fhánada.

A word from the Fanad captain

On behalf of Gaeil Fhanada, I would like to take this opportunity to say what an honour it is to be part of an intermediate final. To date we have had four good wins but we know that today we face a stern test in the shape of Cloich Cheann Fhaola a team we have played often down through the years.

Our opposition's record speaks for itself as they play in their second final in as many years. This is our first appearance ever in an intermediate final since the clubs formation in 1982. Following the disappointment of relegation last year and defeat this year in the Junior Gaeltacht final we are very happy to be back in a final. Our last success in the Donegal championship was in 1997 when we overcame Naomh Colmcille in the junior grade.

The Gaeil Fhanada support has been great this year, we need more of the

same today and hopefully supporters will experience an enjoyable game of football.

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A word from the Cloughaneely manager

Having taken over Cloich Cheann Fhaola Senior team at the beginning of the year and completed pre-season training, we played our first competitive game in the senior Gaeltacht against Gaoth Dobhair and lost by four points. Shortly afterwards the league campain began with an away win at Carndonagh. We suffered our only defeat at home to Fanad by a solitary point in May.

At the beginning of the championship, we were drawn against Burt. We drew with the same side earlier in the year but after two closely controlled games, we progressed into the next round.

Meanwhile in the league, we had a difficult league game away to MacCumhaills. This was a great contest between both clubs in which Cloich Cheann Fhaola were victorious. In the quarter-final, we played St Naul's from divison 1B in Convoy and after a very close game we progressed to the semi-finals. At the semi final stage in O'Donnell Park, we defeated a rejuvenated Bundoran side to make it to the final where we play Fanad in an all Northwest Final.

Silim fein go bhfuil Fanaid ar cheann dena foireainn is fearr sa sraith Idirmheanach. Ta consantoiri maith guas fir mhora acu I lar na pairce, le cois line lan tosaigh an laidir. Beidh cluiche crua ann mar nil moran idir an da foireann, Ta me cinnte go ndeanfaidh an dha foireann a ndhicheall ar an La.

Seosamh Mac Gairbheith (Joe Mc Garvey) agus Sean Seosamh Mac Iomhair (John Joe Mc Geever)

A word from the Cloughaneely captain

It has been a fairly good season to date, as we are still in the mix for promotion to Division 1B and that was our main goal at the start of the year.

The squad this year is probably stronger than last year, with the return of a couple of boys, and the addition of two or three younger lads, who were involved with the Donegal minor squad. That gives us a good strength and depth and its good for Joe (Mc Garvey) to know he can call on any of the subs to come in and do a job.

It's always nice to reach a final, but this year's championship run in was no formality. We beat a physical Burt team, home and away in the first round, then scrapped through in the quarter final with a late flurry of scores against a good St Naul's team. In the semi-final we met Bundoran in O'Donnell Park. It

was not a great game, but we managed to come through fairly comfortable winners in the end.

Fanad Gaels will be a very tough assignment in the final, as they are a strong unit all round. Their defence is very sound and with Eamonn Sweeney at midfield they are good under the high ball. Ciaran Mac Elwaine is the playmaker and Ephron McFadden and Seamus Friel are the main scoring threat. Friel is a line target man and will have to be well marked on he day.

Fanad should be favourites as they have beaten us twice this season in the league, but hopefully the disappointment of last year's final defeat, will be enough to carry us through on the day.

Donnacha O Baoill (Denis Boyle)



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Micheal Mac Fhionnghaile (Michael Mc Ginley) Goalkeeper, 26, 6'0, 14st, Carpenter.

Micheal O Loinsigh (Michael Lynch) Corner back, 26, 5'8, 11.8st, Welder

Padraig O Dubhcháin (Paddy Joe Doohan) Full back 28, 5'11, 12 st, Plumber

Eugene Mac Uidhir (Eugene Maguire) Half Back,23, 5'10, 11.5st, Stone mason

Caoimhín O Scanlainn (Kevin Scanlon) Half Back, 28, 6'1, 12.5 st Electrician

Ciarán O Scanlainn (Ciarán Scanlon) Forward, 21 5'9 11st Apprentice plumber

Eoin Mac Giolla Chomhaill (Owenie Coyle) Half Back 29,6'2, 12.5 st, Engineer

Ciaran Mac Pháidín (Ciaran McFadden) 24, 5'11, 13st, Electrician

Liam Mac Giolla Chomhaill (Liam Coyle) 25,6'1,13st,Bookie

Seosamh O Gallchóir (Joe Gallagher) Forward, 29, 5'11, 12.5st, Carpenter

Donnacha O Baoill (Denis Boyle) Forward 25, 5'7, 11st, Block layer

Sean Pol O Gallchóir (John Paul Gallagher) Forward, 26, 6'0 12st, Store manager **Sean Mac Uidhir** (Shaun Maguire) Forward, 23, 5'10, 14st, Builder

Neil O Coiléan (Neil Collins) Forward, 29,6'0 13st, Store manager

Seosamh O Buaidhe (Joe Boyce) Half Forward, 23, 5'11, 12.5st, Mechanic

Eamonn O Curráin (Eamonn Curran) Half back, 19, 6'0 11.5 st Student

Seosamh O Fríl (Joesph Friel) Midfield, 26 6'4 14 st, Construction worker

Lee Mac Pháidín (Lee McFadden) Goalkeeper, 17,5'11 11st, Student

Déaglán Mac Ghairbeith (Declan McGarvey) Forward 18,5'8 11st Student

Marc O Baolláin (Mark Boylan) Centre forward, 30, 5'11, 12st Electrican

Pádraig Mac Laifeartaigh (Paddy McClafferty) Half Back, 20, 5'11, 10st, Student

Ciarán O Géanaigh (Ciaran Geeney) Corner back, 18, 5'9 11st, Student

Stiofán O Dubhcháin (Stephen Doohan) Forward, 28 Teacher

Caoimhín O Maolchiaráin (Kevin Mulhern) 17, 5'8 Student

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Patrick Shields: Position, Wing Back. Age: 27 Height: 6ft 1' Weight: 12.5st. Occupation: Marine Harvest Employee. Honours: Junior Gaeltacht Championship 2006 & Junior Championship, 1997.

William McAteer: Position, Centre half-back. Age: 29 Height: 5ft 11' Weight: 13st. Ocuupation: Secondary school teacher. Honours: Junior Championship 1997 & New South Wales League 2006.

Hughie Friel: Position: Half-forward. Age: 23 Height: 6ft.3' Weight: 12.5st. Occupation: Economist. Honours: Donegal U-21 B Championship 2000. Kildare U-21 A Championship 2001 & 2002. Junior Gaeltacht Championship 2006.

Shane McAteer: Position: Half forward. Age: 26 Height: 6ft. 2' Weight: 15st. Occupation: Farmer. Honours: Junior Championship 1997 & Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Patrick McGrenaghan: Position: Midfield. Age: 29 Height: 6ft. 1' Weight: 13st. Occupation: Marine Harvest employee. Honours: Junior Championship 1997, FAI Cup Medal '97, FAI Intermediate Cup '95. FAI First Division League 2004.

Seamus McAteer: Position: Goalkeeper. Age: 32 Height: 5ft 11' Weight: 14st. Occupation: Donegal County Council employee. Honours: 1997 Junior Championship. All County Lge Division 4, 1987 & Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Martin McAteer: Position: Corner Back. Age: 35 Height: 5ft 6'Weight: 11.5st. Occupation: Donegal County Council engineer. Honours: All County League Division 4, 1987, Junior Championship, 1997, Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Martin Robinson: Position: Wing back. Age: 29 Height: 5ft. 9. Weight: 13st. Occupation: Window fitter. Honours: 1995 All Ireland Vocational Schools Championship, Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Ephrim McFadden: Position: Half Forward. Age: 18 Height: 5ft. 8 Weight: 11st. Occupation: Student. Honours: Buncrana Cup winner, 2004. Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Shaun McElwaine: Position: Full Back. Age: 28 Height: 6ft. 2 Weight: 12.5st. Occupation: Civil engineer. Honours: 1997 Junior Championship & 2006 Junior Gaeltacht.

Frank Sweeney: Position: Corner Back. Age: 25 Height: 5ft. 9'Weight: 12.5st. Occupation: Plumbing contractor. Honours: Junior Championship 1997, U-12 & 14 County Championship & 2006 Junior Gaeltacht.

Aidan McAteer: Position: Wing Back. Age: 26 Height: 5ft 11'Weight: 13st. Occupation: Training instructor. Honours: U-21 B County Championship, 1998 Donegal Vocational Schools, 1997 Junior Championship, 2006 Junior Gaeltacht.

Colm McElwaine: Position: Corner Back. Age: 27 Height: 5ft. 10' Weight: 11st. Occupation: Farmer. Honours: 1997 Junior Championship & 2006 Junior Gaeltacht.

Christy Sweeney: Position: Corner Forward. Age: 22 Height: 6ft. 2' Weight: 13st. Occupation: Team leader.. Honours: Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Cathal Martin: Position: Corner Back. Age: 25 Height: 5ft. 10' Weight: 12.5st. Occupation: Irish Army ranger.. Honours: All Ireland Army Championship 2004, '05 & '06. Junior Gaeltacht, 2006.

Oisin Blaney: Position: Goalkeeper. Age: 17 Height: 6ft. Weight: 13st. Occupation: Student. Honours: U-16 Div. 2 Co. Championship 2005. Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Fergal Friel: Position: Full back. Age: 18 Height: 6ft 1". Weight: 12st. Occupation: Trainee electrician. Honours: Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Enda Logue: Position: Corner back. Age: 20 Height: 5ft 8". Weight: 11st. Occupation: Plasterer. Honours: Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Michael Sweeney: Position: Half Forward. Age: 18. Height: 6ft. 5' Weight: 14st. Occupation: Processor.. Honours: u-16 Division 2 Co. Championship, 2005. Minor Division 2, 2004. Junior Gealtacht, 2006. Brendan Callaghan: Position: Midfield. Age: 24. Height: 6ft. 1' Weight: 14st. Occupation: Architectural technician. Honours: U-12 Div, 2 Co. Championship 1993, U-14"A" 1995 & Junior Gaeltacht, 2006. Eamon Sweeney: Position: Midfield. Age: 25. Height: 6ft. 4' Weight: 15.5st. Occupation: Site foreman. Honours: Co. Championship, U-12A & U-14A, 1992 & '95. Junior Championship 1997. London Championship 2005. Ulster U-21 Runner Up 2000. Ulster Minor Runner Up, 1999. U-21 B Championship 2001 & 2006 Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Donal Callaghan: Position: Full forward. Age: 22. Height: 6ft. 4' Weight: 14st. Occupation: Trainee Garda. Honours: 2006 Junior Gaeltacht.

Michael McGroarty: Position: Half forward. Age: 26 Height: 6ft. Weight: 12.5st. Occupation: Teacher. Honours: 2006 Junior Gealtacht. U-12A Co. Championship 1992 & U-14A Co. Championship, 1995.

Seimi Friel: Position: Horizontal / Full Forward. Age: 26 Height: 6ft. 2' Weight: 14st. Occupation: Stonemason.. Honours: Junior Championship, 1997 & Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Paul Coyle: Position: Wing Back. Age: 17. Height: 6ft. Weight: 11st. Occupation: Student. Honours: U-16B 2005. U-18 Regional Championship 2005. Junior Gaeltacht 2006.

Jerome O'Doherty: Position: Corner Back. Age: 22 Height: 6ft. 4'
Weight: 14st. Occupation: Sports Manager. Honours: Junior
Gaeltacht 2006.

Mark Friel: Position: Corner forward. Age: 25 Height: 5ft. 8'Weight 12st. Occupation: Marine Harvest employee...Honours: 2006 Junior Gaeltacht & 1997 Junior Championship.

Ciaran McElwaine: Position: Centre Half-forward. Age: 26 Height: 5ft. 11' Weight: 12st. Occupation: PE teacher.. Honours: 1997 Junior Championship, 2006 Gaeltacht Championship, U-14A Co. Championship 1992 & 1995

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Fanad player profile

Name:

Aidan Mc Ateer

Age:

26

Occupation:

Trainer

Marital Status:

Married to Caroline with 2 children.

Mark aged 6 and Meabh aged 11

weeks.

Biggest

Disappointment

in Career:

Loosing All Ireland Gaeltacht Final in

Spiddal.

Biggest influence

in Career:

Father

Highlight of Career: Getting to intermediate final.

Favourite other sport: Fishing. Especially in Shannagh with the otter.

Favourite T.V. Programme: Scrubs & Simpsons

Sporting Heroes:

Vinny Murphy & Tony Boyle.

Favourite Film:

Spiderman 2

Last book read:

James and the Giant peach. Read it to Mark last night.

Other Clubs:

Gortnatraw Fishing Club & Kerrykeel F.C.

Cloughaneely player profile

Name:

Padráig O Dubhchóin

(Paddy Joe Doohan)

Age:

28

Height:

5'11

Occupation:

Plumber Full Back

Position: **Marital Status:**

Single, but still looking....

Favourite other

sport:

Soccer

Biggest

disappointment

of career:

Losing the intermediate championship last year..

Biggest Influence:

Seosamh Kelly

Sporting Hero:

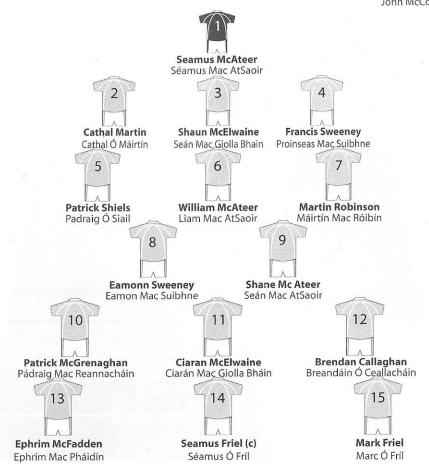
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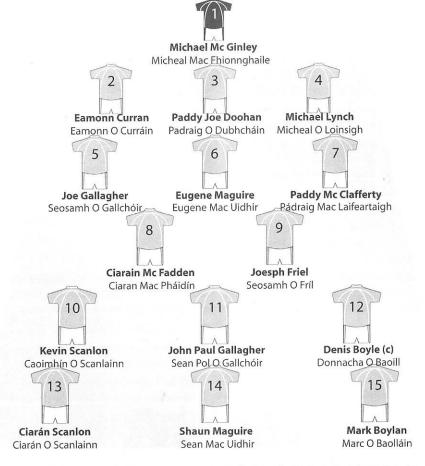


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McGettigan's Falcarragh links

By Declan Kerr, Tirconaill Tribune

Six seasons after taking charge of the Fanad Gaels senior squad Bernard McGettigan faces the biggest test of his managerial career in today's Donegal Healthwise Pharmacies Intermediate Championship Final against Cloughaneely at O'Donnell Park. The two sides are joint top of Division 2 but McGettigan still insists that the Falcarragh outfit are favourites to claim this title. Born in the then soccer stronghold of Milford Town his first taste of GAA was as a boarder at Holy Cross College, Falcarragh. Charlie Gallagher, (father of John Paul, a member of the current Cloughaneely team), was teaching at the school and was a big promoter of Gaelic games.

The well known Donegal GAA historian Fr Sean Gallagher was also on the staff at the College and among the players from there who went onto represent their county were Michael Carr of Kilcar and the Naomh Columba Carrs, Seamus and Padraig. Nearer home there were the Coll brothers from Falcarragh, Charlie and Antoin (RIP) and from Fanad the school had Sean McAteer, father of current Gaels players, William and Shane along with arguably the peninsula's most famous sporting son, Fr Michael Sweeney.

Bernard's interest in the native game continued at the Marion teacher training college in Dublin where the students included the recently retired Cork hurling manager John Allen and the present national hurling coaching coordinator Paudie Butler.

After a year in Dublin, the newly qualified teacher returned to take up a post in Rathmullan where among his pupils, was current inter-county referee, Robbie O'Donnell. It was when McGettigan was appointed Principal in Cranford that he took a hands on approach in organising Cumann na Bunscoil games at the national school. For the first time, he saw some of the players he manages in today's decider. Six years ago he was asked by the Fanad Gaels executive committee to take charge of the club's senior side. At that time, he was assisted by Garrett Horkan and later by Hughie Shiels. This season, a complete new backroom staff has been brought on board including Joe Higgins, Richard Carr, John McConigley and James Martin while the physiotherapist is Tommy Gallagher. Already this season, Fanad have reached the All-Ireland Junior Gaeltacht final in Spiddal but winning today in O'Donnell Park would be an historic achievement for the manager and the club who play out of Shiels Park in Portsalon named after the late Miah Shiels, a founding member of the Gaels. In addition to taking charge of the senior squad McGettigan also finds time to look after the club's U-8 panel.

Now a learning support teacher in Tamney just down the road from his home in Kerrykeel, Bernard will be hoping that his players can produce their best form of the season to capture Fanad Gaels first ever Donegal Intermediate Championship title.

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A word from the St. Naul's manager

This is my second year in charge the St. Naul's reserve side, the same goes for my management team off Willie O'Driscoll and Tony Byrne. Having got a bye to the quarter final last year we were beaten by Carndonagh, we had a point to prove this year when we were paired with the same opposition, we weren't going to let it slip this time. We trained with our seniors all year and a lot of praise must go to Brendan McGready and Paul Griffin for their help in taking the training sessions. Cathal Campbell helped out as well.

We beat Carndonagh quite easily in Páirc Gearóid Ó Gallachóir and drew with them up in Carndonagh. In the quarter final we came up against a very good Cloughaneely side and in an excellent game we came out on top by a point and it was by the same margin that we accounted for a very spirited Bundoran side in the semi-final.

We have put in a lot of hard work to get here today, starting training back in late February / early March and I'm looking forward to a good final and victory for St. Naul's, and to bring the trophy back through the Barnesmore Gap to the Parish of Inver.

I would like to thank all our supporters for turning out today in support of our team, and here's hoping we do them and ourselves proud.

Shaun Campbell

Player profile St. Naul's Reserves Aidan Kennedy (Captain)

Age:

21

Occupation:

Carpenter

Marital Status:

Single

Toughest Opponent:

Declan O'Donnell (Bundoran)

Biggest

influence on career:

Parents (Jim & Mary)

Young player for the future:

Stuart Johnston (St. Nauls)

Person you would most like to meet:

Roy Keane

Hopes for the future:

Win this game

Biggest

Disappointment:

Losing minor final by a point 2002

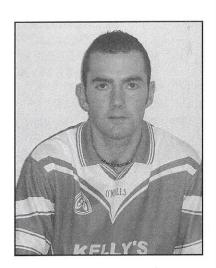
Most memorable game played in: Sporting Hero:

yed in: Under 10 Michael Shannon Cup

Barry McGowan

Best player currently playing in Donegal:

Karl Lacey (Four Masters)





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Best wishes to St. Naul's Intermediate Reserves in the final





St. Naul's pen pics

Shaun McCready, 20, Minor B league & Championship, Trench Cup and U-14 B., Student 5" 11", 13st 7 llb.

Pauric Gillespie, 20, Minor B County league and Championship, Division minor league, Fitness Instructor, 5"7", 10st.

Raphael Meehan, 36, Div 2 & Div 3 League 1991 Co. Senior Gaeltacht, Teacher, 5'10", 13.5st. John Kenny, 23, Teacher, 5'9", 10st 5llb.

Edward Kane, 18, Senior Schools 2005, Student, 5′ 10″, 11st 9.

Conor Kennedy, 18, Student, 6' 1", 12st.

Eoin Gallagher, 20, U-14 B Championship, Minor B County league and Championship, Student, 5" 10", 11st 7llb.

John "Cookie" Meehan, 38, Division 2 and 3 league, Gaeltacht Championship, and 5 New York Senior Championships, Carpenter, 5" 10", 12st 7llb.

Patrick Burke, 34, Div 2 – Div 3 League, General Manager, 5' 11", 12st.

Stuart Johnston, 16, Under 15 Development squad, Member of U-16 County team runner up in Ulster Senior Schools 2005, Student, 5"9", 10st 7 llb.

Naul Mullen, 21, U14 Div 2 Champ. Div 2 Minor League & Championship, Student, 6' 0", 12st.

Shane McHugh, 17, U13 Championship, Student, 5'9", 10st 6.

Sean P. McHugh, 22, Barman, 5'8", 10st 8. Martin Griffin (captain), 25, U21 Championship. 2 u16B championships. Co u16 & Minor, Co. Vocational Schools, Teacher, 5'11", 15st.

Michael Mullen, 22, London u21 Championship, Student, 6'0", 13st.

Cathal Breslin, 18, U-12 Div, Senior Vocational Schools 2006, Student, 6" 5", 12st 7llb

Barry Doherty, 19, U14 Div 2 Champ, Minor Div 2 Champ. & League, Student, 5' 11", 11.5st.

Gabriel Meehan, 35, Div 2 & Div 3 League
1991 Co. Senior Gaeltacht, Teacher, 5' 9", 12st

John Kerrs, 42, Minor League 1982, 2 Div 2 Medals, Div 3 medal, junior Championship 1984, Co. Senior Gaeltacht 1991, Dept. of Transport Employee, 5' 9", 14st.

Donough McBrearty, 17, u14 County Feile, Student, 6'0", 11st 11.

Darren Burke, 19, Div 2 Minor championship & League, Student, 6'0", 12st 7llb.

Pat McHugh, 24, Law Clerk, 6" 1", 14st 7 Ilb.

Des McGroarty, 18, Minor B County league and Championship, U-14 & U-16 schools championship, U-14 & U-15 Dev. Squad, Student, 6" 0", 13st

Eddie Gallagher, 30, Division 2 league, Ulster Vocational Schools, All-Ireland Army runner up 2001, Army, 5" 9", 78kg

John McGroary, 42, 1984 Junior Championship 1991 Co. Gaeltacht, Hardware & Builder's Supplier, 5'7", 11st 7llb.

Bernard Kenny, 25, U21 Championship 1999, Trainee Garda, 6'3", 13st 7llb

Kevin Lowther, 24, Mayo supporter eile??, Army, 5' 11", 13st.

Damian McDermott, 38, Mayo supporter, Civil Engineer, 5'11", 13st 5llb.

Corny Carr, 17, Shop attendant (furniture), 5" 9", 10st.

Aidan Kennedy, 21, Minor League and Championship, Carpenter, 5' 11", 11st.

Brendan McGready, 45, 1991 Co. Gaeltacht. Div 2 & 3. Intermediate Championship. British Championship, Master's All Ireland, International Rules, Building Contractor, 5′ 10″, 14st.

Tony Byrne, 39, Div 2 & Div 3 League. Senior Co. Gaeltacht 1991, 1984 Junior Championship, Company Director, 6'0", 15st.

Shaun Campbell, 37, Div 2 & Div 3 League, Under 15 Ulster Schools Senior Schools. British championship, Fire Officer, 5'9", 12st.

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Wishing St. Naul's team every success in the final

A word from the MacCumhaills manager

It's great to be in another county final where we face a tough battle against an experienced St. Naul's side. We are well aware of the tough task we face in playing St. Naul's. They defeated a very strong Cloughaneely side in the quarter-finals before seeing off the challenge of Bundoran in the semifinal and are playing their football in the competitive reserve league of Division 1B.

We have had a tough championship campaign this year. In the first round we eventually overcame Milford, not before the tie going to a play-off, since then we have seen off resilient challenges from both Fanad Gaels and Urris in the quarter-final and semifinal respectively.

Since our appearance in the senior reserve championship final last year, we have lost a number of personnel from the panel. However its very promising to see that a number of minor players have joined the panel and contributed very well this year. It's been a long journey from January to get here today but I would like to thank the all the lads on the panel for their commitment, patience and dedication throughout the year.

Without the effort and sacrifice of this group of players, we would not be preparing for a county final today. I would also like to thank my management team, club officials, Donal Reid, senior team manager and trainer, and any one who has helped in any way with the team throughout the year.

I would like to offer thanks to the many businesses for sponsoring gear for the reserve panel for today's final.

Looking forward to Sunday. I hope we have an open, sporting match that there will be a good spectacle for the crowd in O'Donnell Park. May the best team win!

Patsy Patton, Eugene Duffy

MacCumhaill's player profile

26

6'3"

Gareth "Snarf" Doherty

Age: Height:

Weight: 13st

Occupation: Teacher

Marital status: Single Favourite position: Full-back

Favourite player: Brian McGuigan

Favourite other sport: Golf

Gaelic football hero: Martin McHugh
Favourite ground: MacCumhaill park
Toughest opponent: Conor Dowds

Favourite film: The Insider

Russell Crowe

Person you would

most like to meet: Roy Keane

Ambition: To be involved with a MacCumhaills team that wins a senior

championship title

Ways to improve the game:

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In what is the curtain raiser for the meeting of Fanad Gaels and Cloughaneely, Sean MacCumhaills and St Naul's square up to each other as they bid to take home the silverware in the Intermediate Reserve Championship Final this afternoon.

MacCumhaills will come to O'Donnell Park this afternoon in confident tune, but they must be careful not to underestimate the stature of the St Naul's men who are bidding to take a first Intermediate Reserve title since 1994 back to Inver. Looking at the league form of both sides, one may be inclined to hedge the bets on St Naul's with them taking part in what is a hugely competitive Division 1B Reserve where they currently sit in third spot behind Dungloe and Glenswilly.

MacCumhaills, meanwhile are a Division below them, but they too sit in third spot, three points adrift of Cloughaneely who lead the way.

Today's game marks the third year in a row that MacCumhaills Reserves have been contesting a Championship final after winning the Senior Reserve Championship two seasons ago before being defeated by Naomh Columba in the final of the same competition last year.

Fifteen of the contemporary reserve squad at MacCumhaills were in the panel for last year's senior reserve final, with a large number of players moving

on from the side to be replaced by some of the club's promising minor stars.

However, Eugene Duffy has star performers all through the field and the Ballybofey side will be hoping that these players can perform to their capabilities and bring the silverware to the banks of the Finn.

They will look to the solidity of skipper Gareth Doherty in the corner; the surging runs forward of Brendan Heeney; the power of Stephen Reilly and John Lynch in the middle sector; along with the attacking prowess of the likes of Brian Lafferty and Emmett McCormick.

It will be an experienced St Naul's team that will be taking to the O'Donnell Park sod this afternoon and a side which has an undoubted array of talent for MacCumhaills to ponder over.

In their semi final they defeated Bundoran having seen off the challenge of a fancied Cloughaneely in the Quarter Final showdown, while MacCumhaills put Urris to the sword in the last four having overcome Fanad Gaels by nine points in the Quarter Final at Convoy.

It's a tough one to call, but what one can be guaranteed is that a good open game in these wide open spaces of O'Donnell Park is in store.



The Sean MacCumhaills squad

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