



GAA FOOTBALL ALL-IRELAND SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP QUARTER-FINALS

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Páirc an Chrócaigh, Áth Cliath, Lúnasa 5 2012

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#### 12.00 PM CIARRAÍ V ROS COMÁIN



REFEREE: David Gough (An Mhí)

LINESMEN: Jerome Henry (Maigh Eo) (STANDBY REFEREE), Shaun McLaughlin (Dún na nGall)

SIDELINE OFFICIAL: Michael Meade (Luimneach)

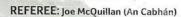
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#### 2.00 PM

#### **CILL DARA v CORCAIGH**





LINESMEN: Barry Cassidy (Doire) (STANDBY REFEREE), Rory Hickey (An Clár)

SIDELINE OFFICIAL: Robert O'Donnell (Dún na nGall)



#### 4.00 PM

#### CIARRAÍ V DÚN NA nGALL



REFEREE: Marty Duffy (Sligeach)

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#### CLÁR AN LAE

- CIARRAÍ amach ar an bpáirc 11.40
- 11.42 ROS COMÁIN amach ar an bpáirc
- 11.45 Oifigigh an chluiche amach ar an bpáirc
- 11.50 Toss
- Tús an chluiche 12 00
- 12 32 Leath-am
- 12.42 Tús an dara leath
- Críoch an chluiche
- ent of extra time in the Ciarraí v Ros Comáin game, the w for the subsequent games will go back by 15 minutes.
  CILL DARA amach ar an bpáirc
- CORCAIGH amach ar an bpáirc 1.42
- Oifigigh an chluiche amach ar an bpáirc
- 2.00
- Tús an chluiche
- 2,38
- Leath-am Respect Exhibition Go Games
- 2.52 Tús an dara leath Críoch an chluiche 3.30
- 3 40
- CIARRAÍ amach ar an bpáirc 3 42 DÚN NA NGALL amach ar an bpáirc
- Oifigigh an chluiche amach ar an bpáirc
- Amhrán na bhFiann
- 4.00 4.37 4.38 Tús an chluiche
- Leath-am Respect Exhibition Go Games
- Presentation to Mick O'Connell

- i.40" Band i.52° Tús an dara leath i.30° Críoch an chluiche depending on 'added time' lote: There will be no extra-time in today's senior games

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AA members and supporters are constantly debating and discussing aspects of Gaelic football and have many varied and interesting views on how it is played and organised. You now have a chance to express your views in a meaningful way and every form of communication will be considered.

GAA President Liam O'Neill established the Football Review Committee (FRC) to examine the state of Gaelic football at all levels of the game today. The committee will present its findings to the Management Committee of the GAA later in 2012 in order to set in motion

a national debate on Gaelic football.

The President stressed that the FRC was to consult widely with ordinary GAA people from all over Ireland and abroad in an effort to establish what people involved in the game think about the state of football and what, if any, changes they would like to see.

FRC.ie provides a platform for everybody to do just that so have your say and take our Gaelic football survey. If you have deeper views on any aspect of Gaelic football that are not covered in the survey you can email us or write us a letter.

Every suggestion regarding the state of Gaelic football or proposals for changes will be studied by the FRC members in what is hoped will be the largest ever input of ideas to any sports body in Ireland up to now.

The major topics that will be discussed and analysed include Playing Rules, Championship and League structures, the balance between inter-county and club competitions, refereeing issues and many more.

Take part in the debate at www.frc.ie or write to FRC, c/o Communications Dept, Croke Park, Dublin 3.



### TEACHTAIREACHT AN UACHTARÁIN

s cúis mhór áthais dom an deis seo a bheith agam fáilte croíúil a chur romhaibh go léir anseo inniu le haghaidh cluichí den caighdeán is airde.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you all here today to Croke Park for what are two mouth-watering quarter-final encounters as the GAA Football Championship well and truly hots up.

The championship to date has been a fascinating one both through the provincial championships and also on the qualifier route with drama, excitement and surprise results in plentiful supply along the way.

Going on what we have seen to date there is no reason to think that the entertainment value will dip in any way – in fact the opposite can be expected in light of the teams that will go head to head today as what is termed as the 'business end' of the season comes into sharp focus.

I don't think there is any doubt that the stand-out fixture of the draw that was made last Saturday evening was the first ever championship meeting of Donegal and Kerry today.

Kerry have reacted positively to

their Munster semi-final set back to Cork utilising the unfamiliar route that is the qualifiers but it is no exaggeration to say that they face a serious step up in opposition when they tackle high flying Donegal.

Jim McGuinness' team have been the form team to date mixing an impressive defensive set up with blistering pace in attack and high scoring returns. The clash of the 'green and golds' should fascinate. The earlier instalment is no less intriguing with low key Cork ready to spring back into life after their break against qualifier specialists Kildare who have been on the go week in, week out. Honest endeavour and quality attackers will not be in short supply in this one.

I wish all of the competing counties, their supporters, backroom teams and most notably their players, every success on what has the potential to be a day to remember at Páirc an Chrócaigh.

I would also like to extend a warm welcome to the minor footballers of Roscommon and Kerry ahead of their appearance on an action packed day. Involvement on days such as today can inspire you to return again and again as players in the years ahead.



Thanks also to our supporters who continue to turn out in such large numbers and whose presence, colour and passion help make our games and championships the unique events that they are. I hope you are treated to a riveting afternoon.

Finally, a special word of gratitude to our sponsors eircom, SuperValu, Ulster Bank and Minor sponsors Electric Ireland for their ongoing imaginative support of our games. We look forward to working with you over the course of the remainder of the championship and beyond.

Rath Dé ar an obair,

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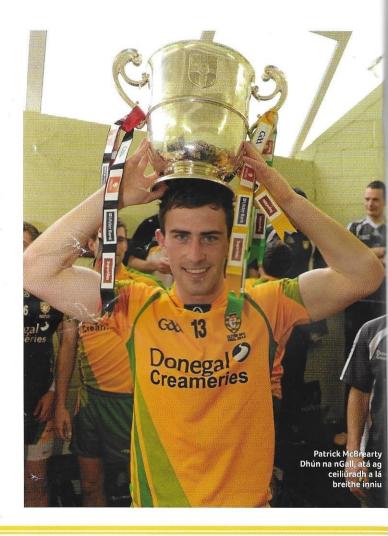
### MOL AN ÓIGE

Le Mártan Ó Ciardha

s maith atá a fhios ag Patrick McBrearty cé an bronntanas atá uaidh. An Domhnach seo a dhéanfaidh ógánach Chill Charthaigh ceiliúradh ar an lá breithe a fhágann go bhfuil sé 19 bliain d'aois agus an bhfuil bealach níos fearr chun sin a dhéanamh ná imirt in aghaidh Chiarraí i mbabhta ceathrú ceannais na hÉireann.

Beagán le cois bliana ó shin a d'imir ógánach Chill Charthaigh do fhoireann mionúir agus do fhoireann shinsir Dhún na nGall an lá céanna, é anois ar ais i bPáirc an Chrócaigh don 3ú huair le bliain i mbabhtaí deireadh na craoibhe.

Tá stair CLG lán de scéalta faoi dhéagóirí a rinne gaisce ar pháirc na peile. Bhí Craobhchomórtas Sinsear na hÉireann buaite ceithre huaire ag Miko Doyle as Trá Lí sula raibh sé bliain agus fiche d'aois i 1932 agus bhí Paul Russell fós ina mhacléinn i gColáiste Bhréanainn ina bhaile dúchais, Cill Áirne, nuair a d'imir sé do Chiarraí i gcluiche ceannais na hÉireann i 1923.



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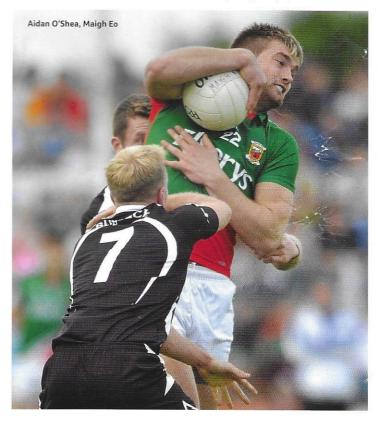
Ba as Contae Laoise duine de na peileadóirí óga ba cháiliúla riamh — Tommy 'The Boy Wonder' Murphy, a bhuaigh Craobh Laighean lena chontae dúchais i 1937 agus gan é ach 16 bliain d'aois. Níos gaire de láthair ní raibh Donie Kingston ach bliain níós sine ná sin nuair a tháinig sé ar an bpáirc agus nuair a scóráil sé 1-3 don chontae sin in aghaidh

Longfoirt sa chomórtas céanna i 2008. 16 bliain freisin a bhí Larry Tompkins nuair a d'imir seisean do Chill Dara don chéad uair – cluiche sa tSraith Náisiúnta in aghaidh Ros Comáin ar Pháirc de hÍde i 1979.

Faoi cheann seachtaine tabharfaidh bainisteoir Chorcaigh, Jimmy Barry Murphy a chuid iománaithe anseo go Páirc an Chrócaigh, ach i 1972 bhí sé anseo mar imreoir ar fhoirne peile agus iomána an chontae a d'imir i gCluichí Ceannais na hÉireann. Buadh ar na hiománaithe (Cill Chainnigh), ach thug na peileadóirí an chraobh leo (in aghaidh Thír Eoghain agus Mickey Harte mar lántosach acusan). An bhliain dar gcionn, in aois a 19, bhí Jimmy Barry Murphy ar an bhfoireann shinsear a thug Chraobh Peile go Corcaigh.

I 1966 bhuaigh Maigh Eo ar Cho. an Dúin i gcluiche ceannais na mionúir, ach dhá bhliain dar gcionn bhí Craobh na Sinsear buaite ag an Dún agus seisear de na mionúir sin ar an bpáirc acu gan Peter Rooney, Brendan Sloan, Mickey Cole, John Murphy, John Purdy agus Colm McAlarney ach scór bliain d'aois.

Ni raibh Aidan O' Shea ach 18 bliain d'aois nuair a scóráil sé 1-3 do Mhaigh Eo in aghaidh Nua-Eabhrac i gCraobh Chonnacht trí bliana ó shin, mí sular shuigh sé scrúdú na hArdteistiméireachta. Agus tá rud le rá ag Joe McNally Áth Cliath nach bhfuil le rá ag aon ógánach eile, go dtí seo ar chuma ar bith – Craobh na Mionúr bliain amháin (mar bháireoir i 1982) agus Craobh na Sinsear an bhliain dar gcionn (mar lántosach ar chlé in aghaidh na Gaillimhe i 1983).



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### NA RÉITEOIRÍ

#### Ciarraí v Ros Comáin

#### **DAVID GOUGH, MEATH**



David was on duty at Newbridge last month for the Leinster penultimate round clash of Dublin and Kildare, which was his only outing in the 2012 Electric Ireland Minor Championship until today. However, a couple of Allianz League ties came under his remit in March while he did officiate at Croke Park in April when he ran the line for the Division II final in the same competition. The Offaly-Kildare tie in the Cadbury U21 Championship is part of his 2012 CV.

#### Cill Dara v Corcaigh

#### JOÉ McQUILLAN, CAVAN



This is Joe's first match at Croke Park since last September's All-Ireland final clash of Dublin and Kerry, but the Breffni man has been anything but idle in the intervening period. Indeed, among the fixtures he controlled in this season's Allianz League was Kildare's meeting with Monaghan and Cork's outing against Mayo. The Sigerson Cup final and four Championship fixtures adorn his 2012 CV as he has plied his craft at Dr. Hyde Park (Galway v Roscommon), the Morgan Athletic Grounds (Tyrone v Armagh), the Ulster final at Clones between Donegal and Down and last weekend at O'Connor Park Tullamore for the Laois-Meath Qualifier clash.

#### Ciarraí v Dún na nGall

#### MARTY DUFFY, SLIGO



One of the country's leading referees, Marty is no stranger to Croke Park and indeed was on duty here just a couple of weeks ago when Dublin met Meath in the Leinster final. Today's fixture is the Sligo referee's fifth of the 2012 campaign and he will be familiar with both protagonists as Kerry's clash with Tipperary at Thurles and the Ulster quarter-final between Donegal and Derry at MacCumhaill Park, Ballybofey came under his jurisdiction. Among the four Allianz League ties he controlled this season were Donegal's outing against Mayo and Kerry's fixture against Laois along with the AlB Club final replay.



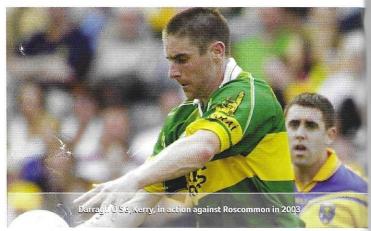
# FROM THE ARCHIVES: THREE QUARTER-FINALS TO REMEMBER

#### Kerry 1-21 Roscommon 3-10 (2003)

An afternoon when attacks on both sides had the better of the argument. It's rare that a team can concede three goals and win comfortably but that was the case here as the Kerry attack more than atoned for the shortcomings of its defence. Declan O'Sullivan's early goal helped the Kingdom into a 1-7 to 0-3 lead early in the second quarter and the gap was still seven at the change of ends (1-11 to 0-7). By the 46th minute Roscommon faced a double-digit deficit but three goals in 13 minutes had them within six by the hour mark. Indeed, Roscommon could have snatched a couple of more majors, although you always got the impression that the likes of Dara Ó Cinnéide, Colm Cooper and Declan O'Sullivan would respond in kind at the other end if they had.

Kerry – D O'Keeffe, M McCarthy, S Moynihan, T O'Sullivan, T Ó Sé, E Fitzmaurice, M Ó Sé, D Ó Sé, E Brosnan, S O'Sullivan (0-2), D Ó Cinnéide (0-8), L Hassett (0-2), MF Russell (0-2), D O'Sullivan (1-2), C Cooper (0-4). Subs – J Sheehan, J Crowley (0-1), A MacGearailt, S Scanlon.

Roscommon – S Curran, R Cox, D Casey, J Whyte, M Beirne, F Grehan (1-3), P Noone (0-1), S O'Neill (0-1), S Lohan (0-3), G Cox (1-2), G Lohan, D



Connellan, J Dunning, K Mannion (1-0), F Dolan.

**Subs** – M Ryan, G Aherne, J Tiernan, N Dineen, B Higgins.

#### Dublin 0-18 Derry 0-15 (2007)

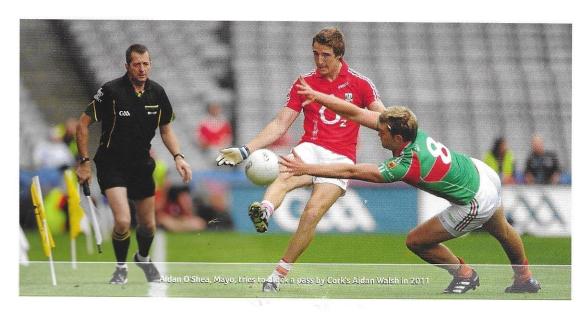
Not quite as close a contest as suggested by the three-point margin as the last four scores of the afternoon fell to the losers. However, initially Derry had the better of affairs and inside 15 minutes were three points to the good as Paddy Bradley starred but his effect was less pronounced when Paul Griffin was moved onto the Oak Leaf ace. Five unanswered points in the second quarter edged Dublin in front and they turned over still two to the good – 0-10 to 0-8. With Ciarán Whelan on top at midfield Dublin pushed on in the third quarter,

although it took a double save from Stephen Cluxton to deny Eoin Bradley a goal. By the hour mark the Metropolitans looked home and hosed, but Derry's late revival did give them a few anxious moments before referee Aidan Mangan blew the final whistle.

Dublin – S Cluxton, D Henry, R McConnell, P Griffin, P Casey, B Cullen, B Cahill, C Whelan, S Ryan, C Moran (0-1), J Sherlock (0-2), B Brogan (0-3), A Brogan (0-3), C Keaney (0-3), M Vaughan (0-6).

**Subs** – K Bonner, D Magee, J Magee, T Quinn.

Derry – B Gillis, SM Lockhart, K McGuckin, K McCloy, F McEldowney, M McGoldrick, G O'Kane, F Doherty (0-1), I Conway, M Lynch, P Murphy (0-2), E Muldoon, C Devlin (0-2), Paddy Bradley (0-6), C Gilligan (0-3). Subs – E Bradley (0-1), B McGoldrick, Patsy Bradley, R Wilkinson, J Diver.



Mayo 1-13 Cork 2-6 (2011)

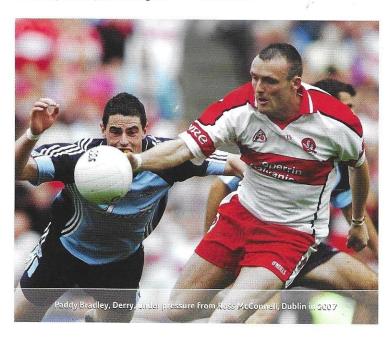
One of the most memorable quarter-finals as the reigning All-Ireland champions were dumped out of the championship. Such a scenario appeared to be in the realms of fantasy as the Leesiders moved smoothly into a 1-4 to 0-1 lead and even when the challengers rattled in 1-2 early in the second quarter, Cork responded with a Paul Kerrigan goal to move four points clear. However, by the change of ends the Connacht champions had halved that deficit and they kept the momentum on the restart and were on terms by the 43rd minute. The anticipated Cork surge never materialised as the Mayo rearguard held a vice-like grip on the Rebel attack as indicated by the paltry two points the Sam Maguire Cup holders managed in the closing 45 minutes.

Mayo – R Hennelly (0-1), T Cunniffe, G Cafferkey, K Higgins (0-1), R Feeney, D Vaughan, T Mortimer, A O'Shea, S O'Shea, K McLoughlin (1-1), A Dillon (0-1), A Moran (0-1), E Varley (0-1), A Freeman, C O'Connor (0-6).

**Subs** – J Doherty (0-1), P Gardiner, R McGarrity, A Campbell, L Keegan.

Cork – A Quirke, M Shields, E Cadogan, E Cotter, N O'Leary, J Miskella (0-1), P Kissane, A O'Connor, A Walsh, F Goold (0-1), P O'Neill, P Kelly, P Kerrigan (1-2), D O'Connor (1-2), F Lynch.

**Subs** – G Canty, M Collins, N Murphy, D O'Sullivan.



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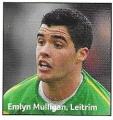
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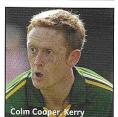
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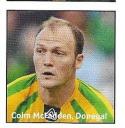












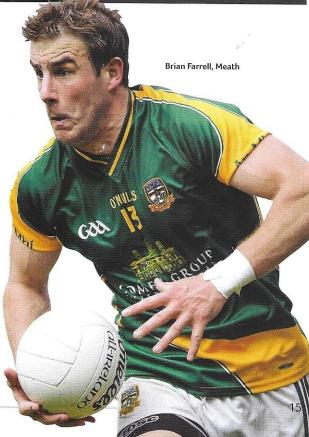








	SCORE	PLAY	TOTAL
BRIAN FARRELL, MEATH	0-37	0-14	37
SEÁN McCORMACK, LONGFORD	0-33	0-11	33
IAN RYAN, LIMERICK	1-28	1-9	31
EMLYN MULLIGAN, LEITRIM	0-24	0-4	24
COLM COOPER, KERRY	1-21	1-13	24
ADRIAN MARREN, SLIGO	2-17	1-9	23
COLM McFADDEN, DONEGAL	2-17	1-5	23
BERNARD BROGAN, DUBLIN	3-13	3-7	22
GRAHAM REILLY, MEATH	0-19	0-19	19
EOGHAN O'FLAHERTY, KILDARE	0-19	0-4	19
BRYAN SHEEHAN, KERRY	1-16	0-1	19

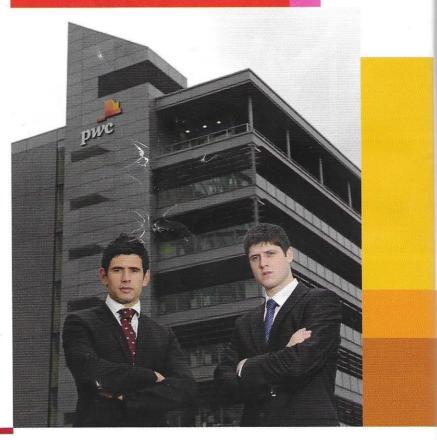


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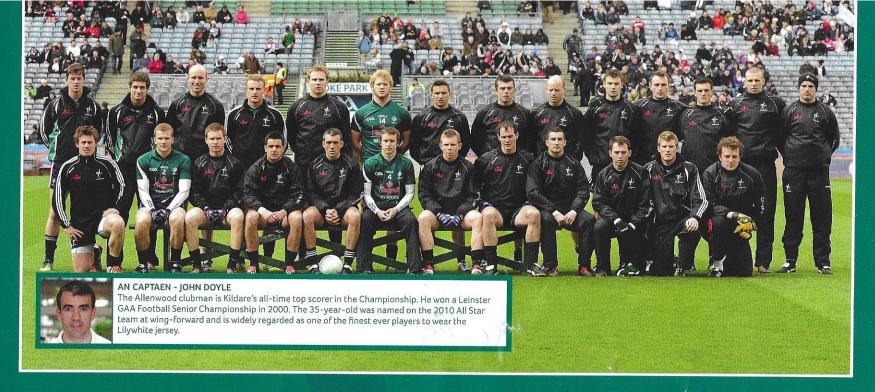
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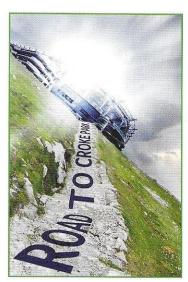


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Front (L-R): Emmet Bolton, Peter Kelly, Eoghan O'Flaherty, Mikey Conway, Johnny Doyle, Ollie Lyons, Morgan O'Flaherty, Mick Foley, Aindriú Mac Lochlainn, Tommy O'Neill, Ciarán Fitzpatrick, Robbie Eyres.





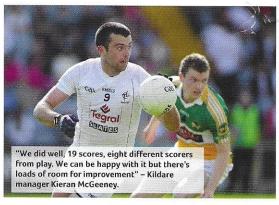
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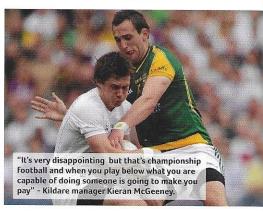
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"I suppose that's why we all love sport. None of us can write the definitive answer to what gives you success. You think you are doing the right thing. Something that works one day, it won't work the next" – Kildare manager Kieran McGeeney.





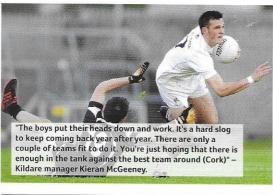
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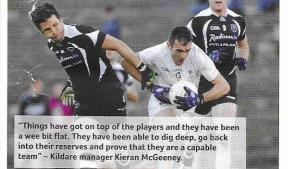


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MIKEY CONWAY		1-,1	1-4	0-3	0-2	2-10
ALAN SMITH	0-1	0-3	1-5	0-1	0-2	1-12
JOHN DOYLE	0-4	0-1	0-1	0-2		0-8
MORGAN O'FLAHERTY	0-5			0-1		0-6
JAMES KAVANAGH	0-1	0-1		0-3	0-1	0-6
EMMET BOLTON		0-1	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-3
OLLIE LYONS	0-3					0-3
ROBERT KELLY	0-1			0-1	0-1	0-3
SEÁN JOHNSTON			0-1	0-2		0-3
PÁDRAIG O'NEILL	0-1			0-1		0-2
TOMÁS O'CONNOR		0-1			0-1	0-2
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#### 21. Seán Johnston

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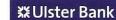
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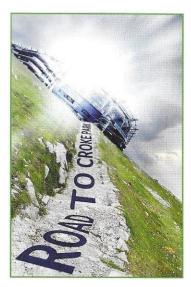
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### CORK'S CAMPAIGN TO DATE





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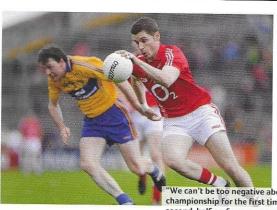


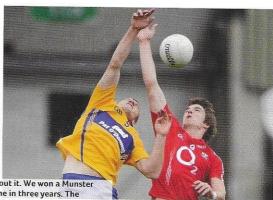


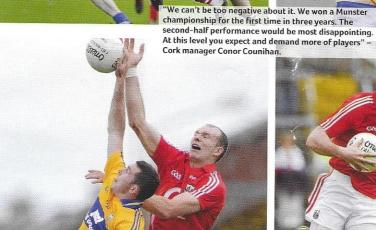




#### July 8 CORK 3-16 CLARE 0-13

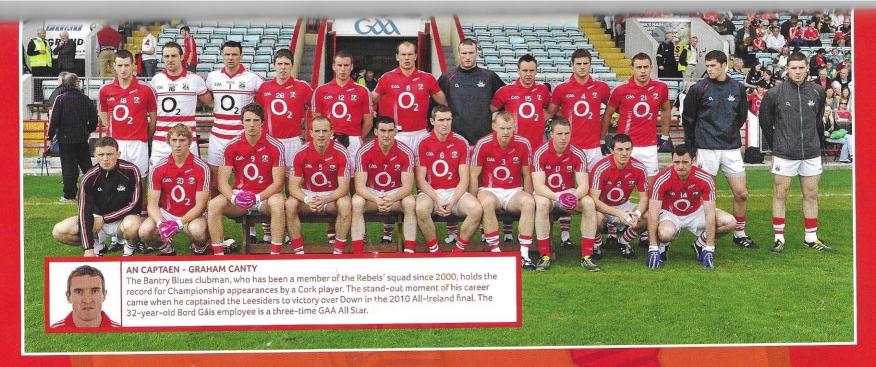








	10/6	8/7	TOTAL
COLM O'NEILL	0-5	0-4	0-9
DONNCHA O'CONNOR	0-6	0-2	0-8
CIARÁN SHEEHAN	0-1	0-4	0-5
PAUL KERRIGAN	0-2	0-2	0-4
DANIEL GOULDING	0-2	0-2	0-4
AIDAN WALSH		1-1	1-1
NICHOLAS MURPHY		1-0	1-0
FINTAN GOOLD		1-0	1-0
PAUDIE KISSANE	0-1		0-1
BARRY O'DRISCOLL	<u></u>	0-1	0-1



### CORCAIGH

Back (L-R): Eoin Cotter, Ken O'Halloran, Alan Quirke, Seán Kiely, Patrick Kelly, Alan O'Connor, Nicholas Murphy, Paul Kerrigan, Eoin Cadogan, Ciarán Sheehan, Conor O'Driscoll, Daniel Goulding.

Front (L-R): Mark Collins, Denis O'Sullivan, Aidan Walsh, Paudie Kissane, Noel O'Leary, Graham Canty, Michael Shields, Colm O'Neill, Ray Carey, Donncha O'Connor.



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### **CREAM RISES TO THE TOP**

By Colm Keys

his is it. Gaelic football's great inter-county stock take. The weekend the real picture emerges.

After a manic month through the thick forest of some 30 provincial and Qualifier games that produced shocks, controversies and ultimately departures, finally there is a clearing and a pathway ahead.

The August Bank Holiday weekend has become the plateau for the intercounty game.

Like the Olympics, reaching it entitles you to a certain elite status.

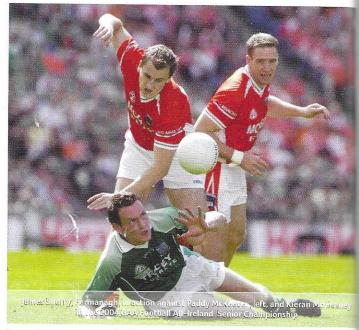
Fall short and you'll feel an emptiness to the season. Even a team like Tipperary who know they have made progress, will feel they left something behind last weekend by not making it.

'Playing football in August' has become a slogan for the progressive, the absolute minimum low watermark for the most ambitious.

Just as the Saturday of a major golf tournament is considered "moving day" where competitors position themselves for the final round, the All-Ireland football quarter-finals have that orderly feel to it too.

It's hard to imagine, then, that such a landmark on the calendar didn't even exist 12 years ago.

Whatever opinions about the Qualifiers there are and the merits and drawbacks that the current system



has, no one can argue with the concept of a last eight fighting it out at the same venue over the same weekend.

Invariably it will produce at least six of the best teams around and significantly seven of the eight teams that made up Division I of the Allianz Football League earlier this year have reached this point.

Mickey Harte's contention that a team can't win from Division II or lower can only be disproved by Kildare over the next couple of months.

However, the structure of competition is likely to evolve over the next 20 or 30 years – whether it's eight groups of four on an open draw basis or four groups of eight with slightly looser geographical connections than the existing provincial system – the arrivals hall will still remain All-Ireland quarter-finals.

Statistically it is the time when All-Ireland champions are most likely to fall.

Since the inception of quarter-finals 2001, the champions of 2001 (Galway), 2004 (Tyrone), 2009 (Kerry and 2010 (Cork) have all been dethroned on this particular weekene Only once have reigning champions failed to reach the plateau, Tyrone in 2006, when Laois ambushed them on a wet night in Portlaoise.

Strange things can happen on quarter-final weekend. Who can ever forget the drama and romance in 200 when first Fermanagh toppled Armag and then Mayo took out Tyrone on the one afternoon?

Or the phoenix from the flames that was Kerry on the 2009 Bank Holiday Monday on their way to a 17-point thrashing of an expectant Dublin. All-Ireland quarter-finals have

produced some of the most thrilling and fascinating games of the last decade. Tyrone's two dates with Dublin in 2005 finally began to cut them some slack outside their own county and province thanks to the quality of those games while Kerry and Armagh the following year was an epic duel between real giants.

In the deluge of that dark Saturday evening in 2008 when Jones's Road was submerged in three feet of water outside, Kerry and Galway delivered a free-flowing exhibition that defied the conditions.

All-Ireland quarter finals have rarely been less than fascinating and that's about the most apt word to describe this weekend's action.

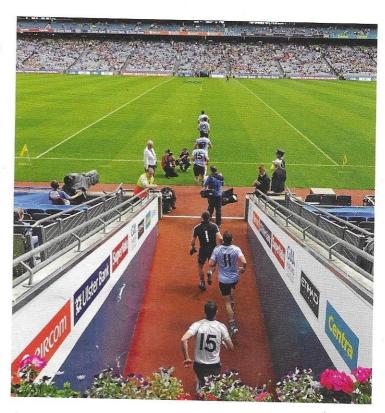
What we can be certain of is that no two teams will come to Dublin with the same formations and ideas. From Cork's orthodox lay out to Donegal's potential double sweeper system and Kildare's 2-2-2 attacking structure there will be no uniformity of approach.

Gaelic football's absolute elite has tended to exist in threes for the best part of the last decade and a half. From Kerry, Galway and Meath in the late 1990s and early 2000s to Kerry, Tyrone and Armagh as the last decade headed towards its midpoint.

Towards the end of that decade, Armagh were displaced by Cork and in more recent years Dublin have gained 'top three' status at Tyrone's expense.

But three has now become four with Donegal's impressive defence of their Ulster title, making it the most open All-Ireland title race since the early to mid 1990s.

It is a measure of Kerry's enduring greatness that they have managed to preserve their record of reaching every one of the 12 All-Ireland quarter-



finals including this weekend. Dublin have been to 11 – missing out in 2003 – while Cork have been out of the elite circle on just three occasions.

In that sense Kildare's achievement in making the last five All-Ireland quarter-finals must be hailed.

Can they finally take out one of the big three? It is continually thrown at them that they don't have the ingenuity to score enough goals, that their robotic programming can't accommodate a creative spark to make those openings.

Yet over the five-year period of Kieran McGeeney's reign their goalscoring record runs almost parallel to Kerry's in league and championship games.

From 69 games now played, 38 in league and 31 in championship, Kerry have scored 62 goals, less than a goal per game (0.9 per game to be precise).

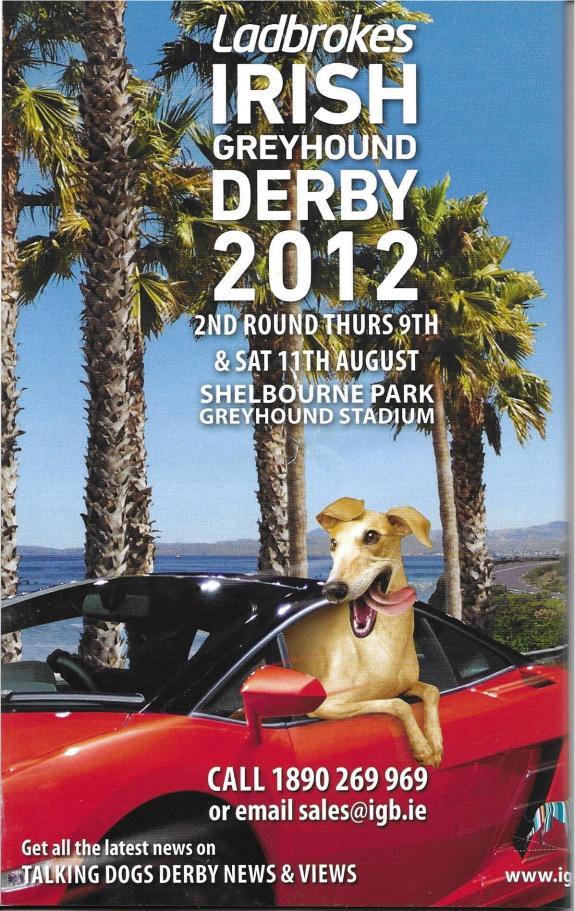
Kildare are operating around the same level, their 57 goals from 66 games giving them a 0.86 goal per game average.

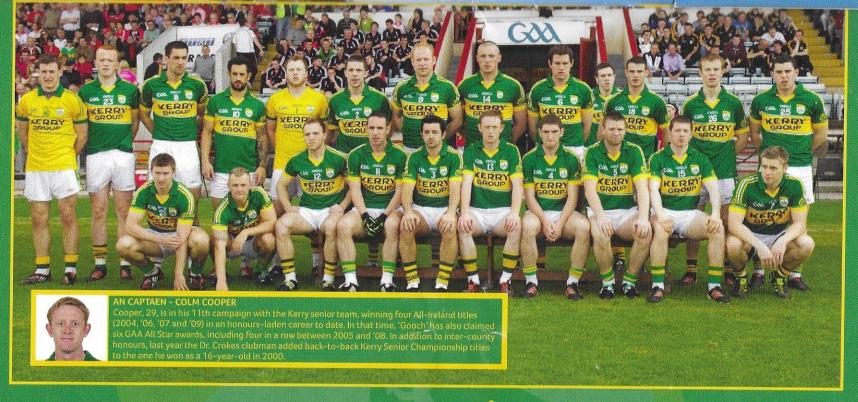
Precise stuff but it paints a picture and tells you that what you think you see isn't always what's actually there.

But if goals were to decide matters over the next few weeks then it's Dublin who can draw most oxygen from the prospect of bulging nets. In 17 Croke Park league and championship matches since the "Spring Series" was conceived they have netted 29 times and the feeling that they have yet to go through the gears is more prevalent about them than any of the other seven teams.

Fascinating it is then, fascinating this part of the season has always been.

How did a championship ever exist without it?





### CIARRAÍ

Back (L-R): Brian Kelly, Johnny Buckley, Anthony Maher, Paul Galvin, Brendan Kealy, Marc Ó Sé, Seamus Scanlon, Kieran Donaghy, Eoin Brosnan, Daniel Bohan, Shane Enright, Fionn Fitzgerald, Michael Geaney.

Front (L-R): James O'Donoghue, Barry John Keane, Darran O'Sullivan, Declan O'Sullivan, Aidan O'Mahony, Colm Cooper, Killian Young, Tomás Ó Sé, Kieran O'Leary, Peter Crowley. Photo: Kerry's Eye





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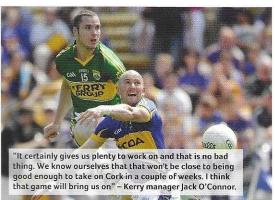
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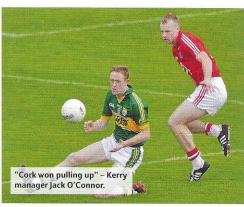
June 10 CORK 0-17 KERRY 0-12





"Kicking 12 points won't win you too many games. There was a period in the first half when we had some goal chances but didn't take them" – Kerry manager Jack O'Connor.





#### July 15 KERRY 2-10 WESTMEATH 1-12

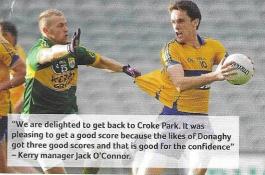






July 28 KERRY 2-22 CLARE 1-6





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COLM COOPER	0-4	0-5	0-3	0-5	1-4	1-21	
BRYAN SHEEHAN	0-6	<b>\</b> -	1-3	0-3	0-4	1-16	
AMES O'DONOGHUE	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-2	1-3	1-10	
DECLAN O'SULLIVAN	0-1	0-2		0-3	0-2	0-8	
KIERAN DONAGHY	<u></u>			1-1	0-3	1-4	
PAUL GALVIN		0-1	0-2	0-1	0-1	0-5	
DARRAN O'SULLIVAN	0-1	0-1	1-0			1-2	
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ANTHONY MAHER	0-1				0-1	0-2	
TOMÁS Ó SÉ	0-1					0-1	
EOIN BROSNAN		0-1				0-1	
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#### 17. Martin McElhinney

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#### 18. Marty Boyle

M. Ó Baoill Naomh Conaill

#### 19. Tommy McKinley

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#### 20. Christy Toye

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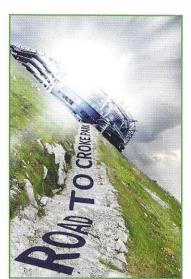
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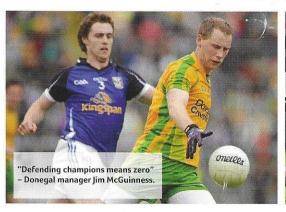
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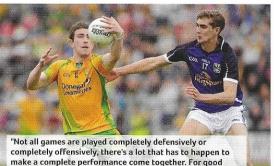
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June 16 DONEGAL 2-13 DERRY 0-9





"The goals came at a great time for us. The first goal was very important, the second one was very well taken and there could have been another if the decision-making was better" - Donegal manager Jim McGuinness.

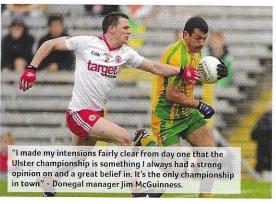


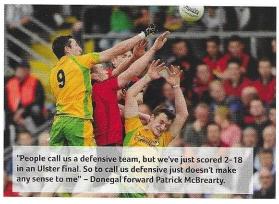
"Not all games are played completely defensively or completely offensively, there's a lot that has to happen to make a complete performance come together. For good periods today we got what we wanted but there is stuff to work on" – Donegal manager Jim McGuinness.

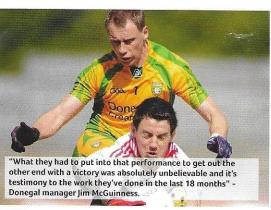
"The game did peter out and it was a bit easier than expected in the end. That won't happen the next day a Tyrone. That will be a big, big game for both sides. The few weeks is the period which will define our season"-bonegal manager Jim McGuinness.

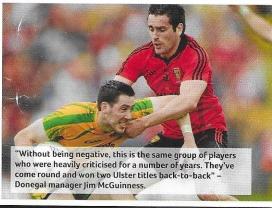
#### June 30 DONEGAL 0-12 TYRONE 0-10

#### July 22 DONEGAL 2-18 DOWN 0-13

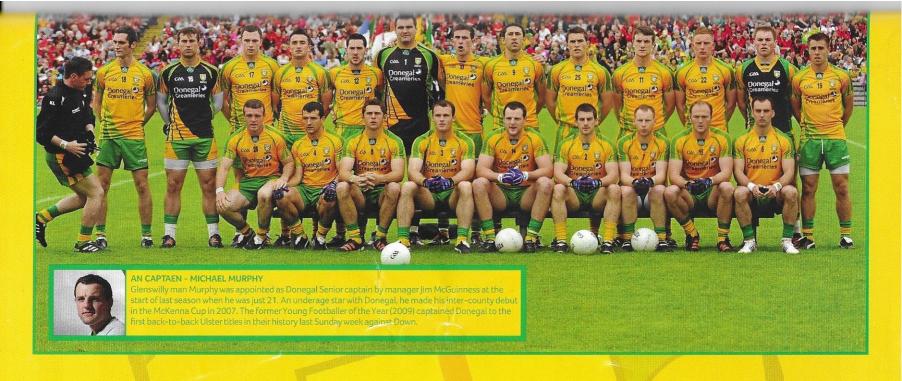








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LEO McLOONE	0-2	1-0		1-0	2-2
MICHAEL MURPHY	\	0-3	0-3	0-1	0-7
RORY KAVANAGH	0-3		0-2		0-5
MARK McHUGH	0-2		0-1	0-2	0-5
FRANK McGLYNN	0-1	0-1		1-0	1-2
PADDY McBREARTY		0-2	0-1	0-1	0-4
RYAN BRADLEY		0-1	0-1	0-2	0-4
DAVID WALSH		0-2		0-1	0-3
DECLAN WALSH	·	`		0-2	0-2
NEIL GALLAGHER	0-1	0-1			0-2
MARTIN McELHINNEY				0-2	0-2
NEIL MCGEE	0-1				0-1
ANTHONY THOMPSON		0-1			0-1
KARL LACEY			0-1		0-1
DANIEL McLAUGHLIN				0-1	0-1



### DÚN NA nGALL

Back (I-R): Martin O'Reilly, Marty Boyle, Michael Boyle, Martin McElhinney, David Walsh, Mark McHugh, Paul Durcan, Patrick McBrearty, Rory Kavanagh, Declan Walsh, Leo McLoone, Daniel McLaughlin, Dermot Molloy, Thomas McKinley.

Front (L-R): Adrian Hanlon, Frank McGlynn, Ryan Bradley, Neil McGee, Michael Murphy, Paddy McGrath, Anthony Thompson, Colm McFadden, Karl Lacey.

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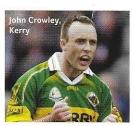
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2001	Galway	0-14	1-5	Roscommon
	Derry	1-9	0-7	Tyrone
	Kerry	1-14	2-11	Dublin
	Meath	2-12	3-9	Westmeath
Replay	Kerry	2-12	1-12	Dublin
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2002	Kerry	2-17	1-12	Galway
	Cork	0-16	1-10	Mayo
	Armagh	2-9	0-15	Sligo
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	Tyrone	1-21	0-5	Fermanagh :
	Kerry	1-21	3-10	Roscommon
	Donegal	0-14	1-11	Galway
Replay	Donegal	0-14	0-11	Galway
2004	Fermanagh	0-12	0-11	Armagh
	Mayo	0-16	1-9	Tyrone
	Derry	2-9	0-13	Westmeath
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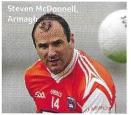
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	Cork	2-11	1-11	Kildare
	Tyrone	3-14	1-8	Dublin
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	Cork	1-27	2-10	Donegal
	Kerry	1-24	1-7	Dublin
	Meath	2-15	1-15	Mayo
010	Down	1-16	1-10	Kerry
	Dublin	1-15	0-13	Tyrone
	Cork	1-16	0-10	Roscommon
	Kildare	2-17	1-12	Meath
011	Donegal	1-12	0-14	Kildare
	Kerry	1-20	0-10	Limerick
	Mayo	1-13	2-6	Cork
	Dublin	0-22	0-15	Tyrone

#### **Quarter Final Top Scorers**









2001	JOHN CROWLEY, KERRY	2-2	
2002	DESSIE SLOYAN, SLIGO	0-8	
	RAY COSGROVE, DUBLIN	2-2	
2003	DARA Ó CINNÉIDE, KERRY	0-8	
2004	ENDA MULDOON, DERRY	1-6	
2005	TOMÁS QUINN, DUBLIN	1-7	
	OWEN MULLIGAN, TYRONE	1-7	
2006	STEVEN McDONNELL, ARMAGH	1-5	
2007	MARK VAUGHAN, DUBLIN	0-6	
	PADDY BRADLEY, DERRY	0-6	
	TOMÁS FREEMAN, MONAGHAN	1-3	
2008	MICHAEL MEEHAN, GALWAY	0-10	
2009	COLM COOPER, KERRY	1-7	
2010	BERNARD BROGAN, DUBLIN	0-9	
2011	DIARMUID CONNOLLY, DUBLIN	0-7	



# Results Wallchart can be downloaded from GAA.ie 2012



#### LEINSTER First Round M/NY 20 PÁIRC TAILTEANN 0-14 2-9 Westmeath Louth MAY 20 Longford PEARSE PARK 1-10 0-12 MAY 27 Meath DR. CULLEN PARK 0-16 0-11 Wicklow **Quarter-Finals** JUNE 3 PÁIRC AN CHRÓCAIGH 2-22 0-12 Dublin Louth PÁIRC AN CHRÓCAIGH 0-15 2-9 Wexford Longford IUNE 10 TULLAMORE 1-12 1-12 Carlow Meath (UNE 10 (REPLAY) TULLAMORE 0-15 1-13 Longford Wexford TULLAMORE 1-9 2-21 Carlow Meath IUNE 17 0-6 0-19 Offalv Kildare Semi-Finals PÁIRC AN CHRÓCAIGH Dublin 2-11 1-10 Wexford PAIRC AN CHRÓCAIGH Meath 1-17 1-11 Kildare FINAL PAIRC AN CHRÓCAIGH 2-13 1-13 Meath Dublin MUNSTER **Ouarter-Finals** GAELIC GROUNDS 2-12 0-7 Limerick Waterford MAY 27 PLE STADIUM, THURLES **Tipperary** Semi-Finals 1-13 0-15 Clare Limerick UNE 10 PÁIRC UÍ CHAOIMH 0-17 0-12 Cork

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	JUNE 10 Armagh	1-13 0-19	MORGAN ATHLETICS GROUND Tyrone			
	JUNE 16 Derry	0-9 2-13	BALLYBOFEY Donegal			
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	JULY 22	FINAL	CLONES			
	Donegal	2-18 0-13	Down			
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### **ALL-IRELAND QUALIFIERS**

#### Preliminary Round: June 23, 2012

In the event that New York defeat Sligo in the Quarter Final of the Connacht Championship, then Sligo shall be drawn to play one of the other 16 counties which do not qualify for a provincial semi-final in a preliminary round qualifier. A draw shall be made for home advantage.

#### Round 1: June 30, 2012

This round shall include all counties that do not qualify for provincial semi-finals.

London	2-9	2-11	Antrim
Wicklow	1-17	0-15	Waterford
Westmeath	1-15	0-12	Louth
Tipperary	1-12	0-10	Offaly
Laois	1-10	0-9	Carlow
Longford	0-17	2-8	Derry

### Round 1: July 1, 2012

Roscommon	1-11	1-9	Armagh
Fermanagh	0-15	3-13	Cavan

### Round 2: July 14, 2012

Each of the eight teams defeated in the Provincial Semi-Finals shall play against one of the eight winners from Round 1. A separate draw shall be made for home advantage.

Roscommon	0-8	1-16	Tyrone
Longford	1-15	1-21	Limerick
Antrim	0-11	0-10	Galway
Tipperary	1-13	0-15	Wexford
Leitrim	0-13	0-10	Wicklow

### Round 2: July 15, 2012

Westmeath	1-12	2-10	Kerry
Laois	2-12	0-12	Portlaoise
Cavan	1-9	3-20	Kildare

#### Round 3: July 21, 2012

This Round shall involve the eight winners of Round 2. First team

Tipperary	0-10	0-8	Antrim
Kerry	1-16	1-6	Tyrone
Kildare	0-19	0-12	Limerick
Leitrim	1-11	1-13	Laois

### Round 4: July 28, 2012

Each of the four teams defeated in the Provincial Finals shall play against one of the four winners of Round 3. Venues determined by the CCCC.

Meath	1-12	1-15	Laois
Down	1-13	0-11	Tipperary
Sligo	0-4	0-13	Kildare
Clare	1-6	2-22	Kerry

### **QUARTER-FINALS**

### August 4-6, 2012

Each of the four Provincial Champions shall play one of the four Winners from Round 4, subject to the respective Provincial Champions not meeting the defeated Finalists from their own Province in this Round

#### **SEMI-FINALS**

August 26 Páirc an Chrócaígh \*Munster \*Ulster

September 2 Páirc an Chrócaigh \*Connacht \*Leinster

#### FINAL

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September 23, 2012 - Páirc an Chrócaigh

GAA FOOTBALL ALL-IRELAND **SENIOR CHAMPIONS 2012** 

GAELIC GROUNDS, LIMERICK

Clare

FINAL

3-16 0-13

Cork

# BRIGHTIN

Bring on the Minor jersey. Not a replica, the real thing. The county colours. The number on the back. Your number.

Bring on the restless night's sleep. The early breakfast. The good luck messages. The phone call from America.

Bring on the drive to Dublin. The first glimpse of Croke Park, looming up over the rooftops. The guard waving the coach through, the people staring up at you.

Bring on the dressing room. The smell of wintergreen, the studs clattering on the floor. The band outside, 'The Minstrel Boy'.

Bring on the tunne, the square of sunlight up ahead. The man in high-vis who says 'Right lads, you're on!'. The 83,000 in full voice, the millions watching on TV.

Bring on the 60 minutes that turns boys into men and players into legends.

Bring on tomorrow.





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## FAMILIAR LOOK TO QUARTER-FINAL CONTENDERS

o debutants have qualified for the 2012 Electric Ireland GAA Football All-Ireland Minor quarter-finals, for all eight of this season's qualifiers have previous experience at this stage of the campaign. That ranges from Kerry, who have only missed out once in the decade the quarter-finals have been in existence, to Monaghan who are making just their second 'last eight' appearance having been unsuccessful after a stint of extratime against Mayo four years ago at Pearse Park. The Oriel outfit fell away to a 0-9 to 1-12 loss on that occasion having finished the hour tied at seven points apiece.

The beaten Ulster finalists have an imposing hurdle to clear this weekend facing a Dublin side intent

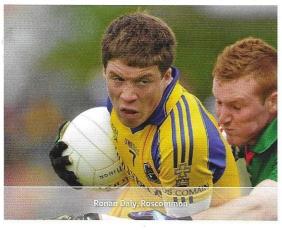
on making up for last season's surprise loss to Tipperary in the All-Ireland final. The manner in which Leinster honours were retained bestows the tag of favouritism on the Metropolitans.

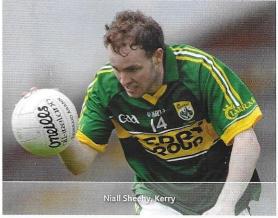
However, favouritism is a tag that is not often placed upon the shoulders of Tipperary teams in any grade of the big ball game, but the reigning All-Ireland champions defeated Kerry twice, as well as Cork, as they retained the provincial title and will probably be fancied to edge past Mayo, even though the Connacht runners-up have a much stronger record at this stage of the championship.

Tyrone (3-3) and Meath (3-1) face off in probably the hardest quarter-

final to call. The Royal U18s qualified for the provincial final comfortably before running into the capital buzz saw and suffered their only loss at this stage 12 months ago to eventual title winners Tipperary. Tyrone regained Ulster honours after a 12-month absence and have been victorious in their last two 'quarters', but a third successive victory will be hard won.

The Roscommon-Kerry tie is another one where the members of the fourth estate may well kick to touch. The sides met three years ago at this stage at GAA Headquarters where 60 minutes failed to separate them (2-9 to 1-12) before the Kingdom advanced to the penultimate stage with four points to spare. Expect a lesser margin either way today.





Other Minor panel members not included on the teamsheets are -

ROS COMÁIN - Conor Lenihan, Aidan Cahill, David Carleton, Evan McGrath, Tadhg McKenna, Niall Connaughton, Brian Furey Cathal Compton, Cathal Brady.

CIARRAÍ - Eanna Ó Conchúir, Adam Barry, Kevin McCarthy, Devan O'Flaherty



### Fir Ionaid

- **16. Stephen Cahillane** S. Ó Cathaláin Keel
- 17. Gavin O'Shea G. Ó Sé Dr Crokes
- 18. Shane O'Connor
  - S. Ó Conchúir
  - John Mitchels
- 19. Seán Moloney
  - S. Ó Maoldomhnaigh John Mitchels
- 20. Gary O'Sullivan
  - G. Ó Suilleabháin
  - Listry

- 21. Evan Doyle E. Ó Dúill
  - Ballyduff
- 22. Denis Daly
  - D. Ó Dálaigh St Mary's
- 23. Martin Tierney
  - M. Ó Tiarnaigh Kerins O'Rahillys

24. Gerald O'Sullivan

G. Ó Suilleabháin

Tarbert

### Electric Ireland GAA FOOTBALL All-Ireland Minor Championship 2012



### **Fir Ionaid**

## 16. Adrian Cassidy A. Ó Caiside Uarain

17. Liam Kilcline

L. Mac Giolla Chloine Naomh Dominic

### 18. Stephen Flynn

S. Ó Fionn Clann na nGael

19. Brian Fannon

B. Ó Fionnáin Cill Bríd

### 20. Cathal Beirne

C. Ó Beirn Gaeil Chill Ghlais

### 21. Ciarán Casserly

C. Mac Casarlaigh Naomh Bearrai

### 22. Paul Kenny

P. Mac Cionnaith Uarain

### 23. Dara Feely

D. Ó Ficheallaigh Cill Mhór

### 24. Ronan McGowan

R. Mac Gabhann Naomh Bearrai

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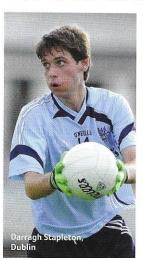


# MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP QUARTER-FINALS

2002	Meath	1-8	1-7	Galway
	Longford	4-6	1-6	Leitrim
	Kerry	3-14	1-8	Tyrone
	Derry	5-13	1-3	Tipperary
2003	Cork	2-11	2-10	Galway
	Kerry	2-10	1-8	Mayo
	Laois	0-15	1-8	Tyrone
	Dublin	0-15	0-5	Fermanagh
2004	Down	0-15	1-11	Galway
	Tyrone	2-15	0-2	Roscommon
	Kerry	2-18	1-10	Kildare
	Laois	1-9	1-9	Cork
Replay	Laois	1-10	0-6	Cork
2005	Offaly	1-9	0-10	Cork
	Down	1-17	2-11	Galway
	Mayo	0-10	1-6	Armagh
	Kerry	0-14	1-4	Laois
2006	Donegal	0-17	1-13	Offaly (aet)
	Meath	1-17	2-10	Antrim (aet)
	Roscommon	1-12	0-5	Tipperary
	Kerry	2-7	0-9	Mayo

2007	Laois	1-13	1-11	Roscommon
	Galway	3-13	0-7	Carlow
	Kerry	2-9	1-8	Tyrone
	Derry	1-8	1-7	Cork
2008	Kerry	4-12	0-9	Offaly
	Meath	2-9	0-10	Tipperary
	Mayo	1-12	0-9	Monaghan (aet)
	Tyrone	1-15	1-8	Roscommon
2009	Armagh	2-14	2-8	Kildare
	Kerry	3-15	1-17	Roscommon (aet)
	Mayo	3-10	1-8	Tipperary
	Down	2-16	2-14	Dublin
2010	Tyrone	2-12	0-9	Kerry
	Galway	0-10	1-6	Longford
	Mayo	1-14	1-12	Offaly
	Cork	3-11	0-19	Armagh
2011	Roscommon	1-16	0-18	Armagh (aet)
	Galway	1-9	0-9	Cavan
	Tipperary	0-11	0-7	Meath
	Dublin	1-11	1-3	Cork
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# MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP QUARTER-FINAL TOP SCORERS





2002	Declan Farrell, Longford	2-1
	Colin O'Connor, Kerry	2-1
	Paul Young, Derry	2-1
2003	Bryan Sheehan, Kerry	2-5
2004	Mark Evans, Kerry	1-8
2005	Owen Concannon, Galway	2-4
2006	Alan Nestor, Meath	2-1
	Aaron Thompson, Antrim	2-1
2007	Michael Martyn, Galway	1-4
	Jonathan Ryan, Galway	1-4
2008	Barry John Walsh, Kerry	3-3
2009	Darragh Stapleton, Dublin	1-9
2010	Cillian O'Connor, Mayo	0-9
2011	Ciarán Kilkenny, Dublin	0-6
	Shane Walsh, Galway	0-6



# FLY SOMEONE HOME FOR AN ALL-IRELAND FINAL



re you missing a cousin in Australia or a brother in the States? Whoever they are, wherever they are, we want to fly them home for either the GAA Football or Hurling All-Ireland final.

Our new Facebook competition is giving all our followers the chance to fly a loved one home from

abroad and go to a senior All-Ireland final in Croke Park along with two nights' accommodation.

Nothing beats being there! To entervisit the Official GAA Facebook page at

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## GAA RESPECT PROGRAMME GIVE RESPECT - GET RESPECT

ive Respect – Get Respect programme seeks to ensure that our Gaelic Games are promoted and played in a positive, fair and enjoyable manner and where players, coaches, spectators and referees Give Respect – Get Respect from each other.

Regardless of age, competition or ability our aim is to promote the principles of RESPECT at all games through the actions of our Players, Coaches, Parents, Supporters and Referees. The programme respects the rights, dignity and worth of each

person regardless of ability, age, cultural or ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientation, or religious belief and is coordinated by the GAA National Children's Office.

The GAA Give Respect – Get Respect programme has in recent years proven to be highly successful, particularly at underage level.

It has now become traditional for groups of underage players to participate in half time games, in the promotion of both the RESPECT campaign and the GoGames philosophy. During these games the underage players display the many skills they have developed through their participation in Cumann na mBunscol and Club competitions.

Today we welcome players from the participating Counties in the All Ireland Senior Football Quarter Finals and from Dublin Cumann na mBunscol who are participating in our half time games.

Further information available from www.gaa.ie/respect or respect@gaa.ie





## PEIL ABÚ – IT COULD BE FOR YOU





eil Abú is a new and innovative version of Gaelic Football. It is different to Gaelic Football in that players wear two tags at waist level and a player who is tagged (caught in possession) has to hand over possession of the ball to the opposition.

Males and females can participate in these small-sided team games (5-, 7-, 9- or 11-a-side – with unlimited substitutions), which can be played either indoors or outdoors in a safe in a safe environment. The underlying philosophy of Peil Abú is that Gaelic Games should be fun, enjoyable and accessible to all.

### **RECENT EVENTS**

Some of the most recent Peil Abú events include:

### TAFISA WORLD GAMES

Peil Abú recently featured at the TAFISA World Sport for All Games in Siauliai, Lithuania. At the Games over 7,000 participants from 60 countries presented traditional games and sports (TSG) from all over the globe. During the Day of Nations a team from St. Dominic's Grammar School, Belfast showcased our games to many spectators and arranged a number of games between countries such as Italy, Georgia and the Netherlands where they played a game of two halves of Peil Abú and Camán Abú.

### · COME AND TRY IT - WESTPORT GAA

Peil Abú taster sessions and a mini-blitz held in Westport GAA Club during May. Run in conjunction with Mayo Sports Partnership the sessions received a great reaction from participants.

"This game appeals to guys who have retired from the competitive side of GAA and are looking to get active, meet some old friends and have a bit of fun" - Mayo GAA Games Manager Billy MacNicholas.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING A TEAM OR SETTING UP A TEAM OF YOUR OWN? FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT TEAMS, VENUES, EQUIPMENT AND EVENTS SEE www.justplay.gaa.ie

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The model of Croke Park was unveiled in the presence of Tyrone footballer, Peter Harte and Armagh captain, Ciarán McKeever. They're hand-built and have been crafted to ensure each replica gets the fine detail and scale that the iconic Jones Road stadium deserves.

Each stadium comes complete with a display case and a 'History of Croke Park' leaflet in both Irish and English.

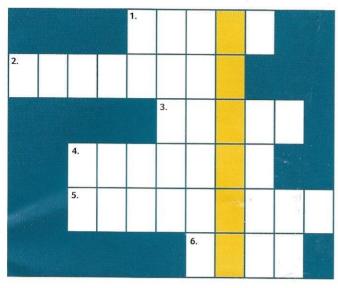
For further details visit www.supremestadium.com



### FIGURE IT OUT

### CROSSWORD

Fill in the crossword to reveal the name of a county in Ireland.



- 1. Also known as the Royal County?
- 2. Laois top scorer to date. Ross ....?
- 3. Scored two goals for Mayo against Leitrim. Andy ...?
- 4. Kerry Bainisteor, Jack .....?
- 5. County whose home ground is Brewster Park?
- 6. Kildare forward born in Cavan. .... Johnston?

### WHO AM I?

I captained my county to two provinicial titles in a row

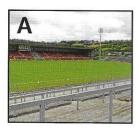
My club is Glenswilly

I won the GAA GPA Young Footballer of the Year award in 2009.

I have represented Ireland in International Rules Series in 2010 and 2011.

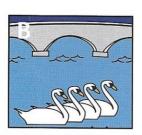


### MULTIPLE CHOICE



Picture A is of

- 1. Parnell Park, Dublin
- 2. Páirc Esler, Newry
- 3. Páirc Uí Rinn, Corcaigh



Picture A is a section from the county crest of

- 1. Longford
- 2. Femanagh
- 3. Westmeath

FREAGRAÍ

CROSSWORD: 1. Meath. 2. Munnelly. 3. Moran. 4. O'Connor 5. Fermanagh. 6. Seán. WHO AM I? Michael Murphy. MULTIPLE CHOICE: A. 2. Páirc Esler, Newry. B. 3. Westmeath.



# CROKE PARK SAFETY AND GENERAL INFORMATION

### REGULATIONS Páirc an Chrócaigh

- All persons entering this ground are admitted only subject to the following Rules (which are designated to protect the Health and Safety of all entrants to the ground). Entry to the ground shall be deemed to constitute unqualified acceptance of all of these Rules.
- The management reserves the right of admission.
- The instructions of the stewards must be obeyed at all times.
- All persons entering the ground agree to be searched by a member of the Garda Siochána.
- Every person (including infants) entering the ground must have a ticket.
   The following are not permitted:
- 6.1 Entry upon the pitch or engaging in conduct that causes or is likely to cause injury or harm to, or otherwise interferes with, disrupts, hinders, or distracts a person playing in, refereeing or otherwise having a role in a match at this ground.
- 6.2 Any unauthorised contact with the boundary wall surrounding the pitch or incursion on to the pitch. Any such unauthorised contact or incursion constitutes a trespass to property.
- 6.3 The climbing of floodlights or other pylons, stands or other buildings. Such behavior constitutes a trespass to property.
- 6.4 Throwing of objects onto the pitch.
- 6.5 Remaining or loitering in any gangway or aisle.
- 6.6 Behaving in an offensive or indecent manner.
- 6.7 Bringing of alcohol into the ground.
- 6.8 Bringing into the ground of fireworks, smoke canisters, bottles, glasses, cans, flags, banners, poles, distress signals, laser pointers and similar articles or containers, including anything which could or might be used as a weapon.
- 6.9 Excessive noise such as that from the use of radio sets or other appliances and behaviour likely to cause confusion or nuisance of any kind including foul or abusive language.
- If a person commits a trespass, reasonable force may be used to prevent, restrain or terminate any trespass.
- Where a person is in breach of any of these rules, or where the management believes that a person constitutes a source of danger to others, or to the ground, such person may be refused entry or ejected from the ground, and reasonable force may be used for that purpose.

### **Safety and General Information**

Supporters are asked to respect the fact that they are entering and leaving the stadium through residential areas.



### **Safety Notice**

In the interests of safety, patrons will not be allowed to enter the playing area after the games.



The policy to prohibit such encroachment in the future has been taken to avoid further injuries and possible fatality and has been taken on the advice and promptings of the safety authorities, namely the Gardai, Dublin City Council, Fire Brigade and the HSE. The full co-operation of supporters is requested to avoid serious injury and to ensure that games can be enjoyed without resource to fencing or avoidable obstructions to seeing action from all vantage points.

Together we can ensure that the Croke Park experience is both enjoyable and safe, particularly for the young and vulnerable.

### **Smoking Policy**

Croke Park now operates a No Smoking policy except in designated areas of the ground.



### Medical Assistance

First Aid Centres are located in the following areas:

Davin Stand/Cusack Stand Level 3: Section 312
Hogan Stand Level 3: Section 333
Cusack Stand Level 7: Section 701
Davin/Cusack Stand Level 7: Section 724
Dineen/Hill 16 Cusack Side: Section A
Medical Centre: Hogan Players Tunnel

The Site Medical Officer will be situated on the pitch in front of the Cusack Stand. All First Aid Posts are staffed by St. John Ambulance Brigade members.

### **Lost Children**

Lost children will be brought to the above First Aid Centres.



### Cúl Green Supporting a Greener Croke Park

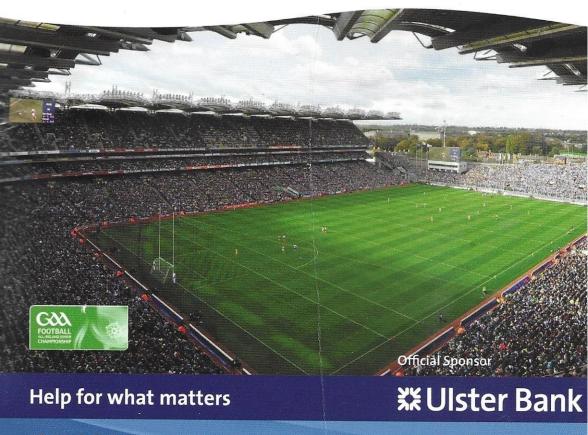
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