Kilbree Camogie Notes 5/9/16

U14 Camogie Carbery Champions

Kilbree U14 camogie girls were crowned Carbery champions on Wednesday 31/8/16. This has been a momentous year for Kilbree camogie club. The U12 team have already won a county title. Many of this U12 team are playing with the U14 panel. The U14's defeated Barryroe to qualify for this final. Clonakilty were the opposition on this occasion. Kilbree started strongly and had much of the possession. Goals by Aife O'Neill and Caoimhe Murphy set Kilbree up nicely. Midfield was dominated by Mairead Crowley, Leanne Sheehy and Emily O'Donovan, making it difficult for Clonakilty to break through. Outstanding defensive work by Kate O'Donovan, Cara Collins and Maeve O'Neill consolidated Kilbree's position. Sarah O'Donovan and Jessica O'Driscoll provided the Kilbree forwards with some quality ball. Kilbree were comprehensive winners on the night in Castletownkenneigh. The final score was Kilbree 5-6 to Clonakilty's 0-2. There were jubilant scenes as Gerard Corcoran presented Mairead Crowley with the cup.

Team: Heather Brimble, Jessica O'Driscoll, Kate O'Donovan, Cara Collins, Alice Twomey, Sarah O'Donovan, Maeve O'Neill, Leanne Sheehy, Emily O'Donovan, Mary Murphy, Mairead Crowley, Rebecca Hurley, Rachel Deasy, Caoimhe Murphy, Aife O'Neill, Sinead O'Sullivan, Margaret Collins, Alison Collins, Orlagh O'Neill Callanan and Niamh McCarthy.

This cohort of girls travelled to Watergrasshill on Sunday 4th September, to play the first round of the U14 county championship. The Kilbree girls were very skilful and were comfortable winners. They now face either Buttevant or Millstreet in the next round.

Congratulations to our club's junior hurlers who won the RCM Tarmacadam Junior A hurling championship on Sunday 4th September. They defeated St Colum's in the Carbery final by four points. We wish the juniors the very best of luck in the county stages of this competition. It has been a great year for both camogie and hurling in our club.