

Kilmeen & Kilbree GAA Club Notes 16/3/20

Congratulation to Kilbree's Caoimhe Murphy and Emily O'Donovan who played with the Cork U16(A) team in the Munster camogie semi-final. Cork played Tipperary in Sarsfield's GAA (Glanmire) on Wednesday night. The Cork girls were much stronger than the opposition and were convincing winners on the night. The final score was Cork 3-12 Tipperary 0-5. Cork will now play Waterford in the U16(A) Munster final.

Given the difficult situation presented by the Covid-19 virus, all club activities have been suspended. If any vulnerable member of our community needs assistance, please contact any club officer and we will endeavour to support in any way we can.

The U21 footballers got their championship campaign back on track. Despite a first round to Tadhg MacCarthaigh, Kilmeen made amends against St Colums in Kealkill, last weekend. In awful wet and windy conditions, Kilmeen played with the wind in the first half and led by 1-2 to 0-0 at half time. Kilmeen had to dig very deep in the second half to defend against a very strong wind. They showed great heart and spirit to hold off many St Colums attacks. The final score was Kilmeen 2-2 St Colums 0-6.

Team: Rory Brimble, Thomas O'Sullivan, Jamie O'Donovan, Jack Kingston, Brian Deasy, Paul Lyons, Cian Murphy, Sean McCarthy, Jamie Santry, Jack Murphy, Kieran O'Sullivan, Cathal Dineen, Conor Carmody, Cathal Daly and Brian Carmody.

The U16 footballers recently had their first outing of the season. They play away to Kilbrittain in awful weather conditions. They got their season off to an ideal start. The final score was Kilmeen 3-13 Kilbrittain 1-2.

Team: Daniel McCarthy, Olan Murphy, Micheal Keohane, Brian Buttimer, Ethan Buttimer, Oisín O'Sullivan, Conor O'Sullivan, Eugene O'Donovan, Cillian Twohig, Joe Bailey, Shane Keohane and Peter O'Sullivan.

Congratulations to Mairead Crowley who was part of the Cork minor camogie team that defeated Waterford. Congratulations to Anna O'Neill on winning an All-Ireland silver medal.

The school nursery programme “Kilmeen Kubs” has re-commenced for the eighth year in Kilmeen National School. Thanks to Tony Walsh for his expert coaching and to Kenneth McCarthy and all of the staff in the school, for their continued support and enthusiasm.

The junior camogie ladies recently had a “team building” day. They travelled to Kinsale to play “foot golf”. They really enjoyed the day and the whole experience. Thanks to Aidan O’Shea for organising this team outing.

There was no winner of last week’s lotto jackpot. The numbers drawn were 12, 23 and 39. The lucky dip winners were the Ryan family (Ballinascarthy), John O’Callaghan (Castletown) and James Hubbard (Rosscarbery). The lotto jackpot is €1,300.