



Cumann Camógaíochta Átha an Rí



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May 2026 Newsletter

Congratulations to our Féile Division 2



Brian Coppinger Cup Winners

A fantastic crowd turned out over the course of the competition to support these brilliant girls, and on the Monday evening of the final in Ballinasloe, the support truly came out in force.

Our team delivered a superb performance, securing victory over Kinvara on a scoreline of **2-1 to 0-3** - a result that reflects the determination, skill, and teamwork shown throughout.

Well done to all the players and to the dedicated management team:
Tasha Loughnane, Mike Freeney, Dermot Monaghan, Brian Jordan, Michéal Garvey, Conor Duffy, Nicola Morrissey, Elaine Mulry, Fearghal Costello, and John Barrett.

The future is bright for this group, and we look forward to seeing them back in competition again soon.



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2025 Raheen Woods Club All Stars

Congratulations to our club players who were recognised for their outstanding performances throughout the 2025 Senior & Junior Club Championship recently.

★ Senior All Stars

Laura Freaney
Niamh Feeney
Kate Screene
Dervla Higgins (missing from the photo)
Sinead Feeney
Olwen Rabbitte
Kerri O'Driscoll
Eimear Keane
Sabina Rabbitte

★ Junior All Stars

Sarah Gaughran
Darrelle Burke
Jenni McNamara

We are incredibly proud of you all. A wonderful recognition of your hard work, commitment, and performances throughout last year. We wish you all the very best for the 2026 season



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ECC Timber Products Scholarships Kerri O'Driscoll

We extend our sincere congratulations to **Kerri O'Driscoll**, who was presented with an ECC Timber Products Scholarship recently.

Kerri is a tremendous credit to her family and to Athenry Camogie Club as a whole. Her dedication, commitment, and passion both on and off the field make this recognition especially well deserved. We would also like to express our sincere thanks to PJ, Mary, and all the Fahy family for their continued contribution to the GAA in Galway. Their ongoing support and commitment to young athletes is greatly appreciated.

We are absolutely delighted to see Kerri recognised in this way and wish her every success for the upcoming year.

Established in 2020, the ECC Sports Scholarships were introduced to support talented sportspeople across Galway GAA.

The scholarship provides financial assistance to students entering third-level education or apprenticeships, as well as those who have completed their first year. This initiative reflects ECC's commitment to helping young athletes maintain a strong balance between academic achievement and sporting development.



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2026 Centra Camogie League Division 1A Champions

Congratulations to the Galway Senior team on their fantastic victory over Waterford in the Centra Camogie League Division 1A Final.

A superb achievement for the team and management. A special well done to our own club players Laura Freeney, Dervla Higgins, Kayla Madden, and Sabina Rabbitte on this win.

We wish all involved the very best of luck as they look ahead to the upcoming championship.



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OUR ANNUAL BAKE SALE

We had a fantastic turnout at our annual Bake Sale recently. Each year, this event is proudly hosted by our U13 players, and once again it proved to be a great success.

A huge well done to all involved - from our players and volunteers to everyone who baked, donated, and came along to support. Your continued support means so much to our club.



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Members of our bake sale committee



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Athenry Camogie Club U6s 2026

Training has commenced for our new stars of the future. All eligible children are very welcome.

** Please note that children must be born in 2020 or currently attending primary school to become a member of Athenry Camogie Club. **




U6 Training 2026

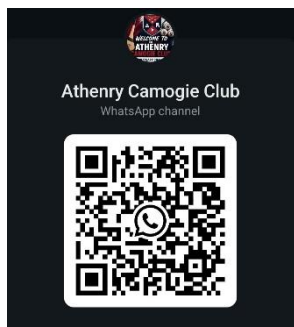
U6 training commences Thursday
23rd April in Raheen (small pitch behind the
prefabs) 6-7 pm

All eligible children welcome

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of Athenry Camogie Club



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Volunteers Needed!

Athenry Camogie Club is currently seeking enthusiastic and committed individuals to join our Fundraising Committee.

This is a fantastic opportunity to play a vital role in supporting the continued growth and success of our club, both on and off the pitch. Whether you have experience in organising events, securing sponsorship, or simply have a passion for helping out, we would love to hear from you.

If you are interested or would like more information, please get in touch with us.

Hard luck to the Galway Minor team

U13 Cup Finals

Group 5 & Group 7

It wasn't to be for our U13 Navy and Maroon teams last weekend against two strong Turloughmore sides, but the effort, determination and spirit shown by both teams was outstanding. We are incredibly proud of you all.



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The Kate Moran Cup

It is with great emotion that Athenry Camogie Club welcomes the establishment of the Kate Moran Cup, a fitting tribute made possible by The Camogie Association recently.

This cup has been created to honour the lasting legacy of Kate Moran. Kate's connection to the county U16 Championship, where she helped Galway to two All-Ireland titles, makes this a particularly fitting tribute.

Kate's untimely passing in 2022, while representing our club on the field of play, was a moment of profound loss for all involved in camogie. Her absence continues to be deeply felt by teammates, coaches, and the wider community.

The establishment of the Kate Moran Cup ensures that her influence on the game will continue to be recognised and remembered. It is a tribute grounded not only in her achievements, but the positivity she brought to every team she was part of.

As always, we keep Kate's family - Cathal, Mary, Thady, Leah, and Saoirse - in our thoughts and prayers. We hope you find comfort in knowing that Kate will always be remembered, not only by everyone in Athenry Camogie Club, but across the wider camogie community in Ireland.

The cup will be awarded for the first time on Saturday 9th May in the replay of the All-Ireland U16 final.

Best wishes to Galway in the Eir U16A All-Ireland Final Replay

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BEST WISHES TO OUR OWN
CIARA DOYLE

TEAMMATES & MANAGEMENT
IN THE
EIR U16A CHAMPIONSHIP
FINAL REPLAY

GALWAY VS KILKENNY

SATURDAY 9TH MAY
5PM
GRANT HEATING
ST BRENDAN'S PARK, BIRR

THE CAMOGIE ASSOCIATION
An Cumann Camógaíochta

From all at Athenry Camogie Club

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Camogie & Hurling TURAS Coach Development Workshop

A Camogie & Hurling **TURAS Coach Development Workshop** took place recently, bringing together coaches from both Athenry Camogie Club and St Mary's GAA Club.

This 90-minute practical session was aimed at coaches working with U7–U13 players who have completed the Introduction to Coaching Gaelic Games/Foundation Course. It proved to be an excellent and engaging workshop, with **42 coaches in attendance**, all eager to develop their skills and support our young players.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to **James Heffernan**, who delivered the session, along with **Damien Sheridan** and **Paddy O'Connor**, who were also involved on the night and contributed greatly to its success.

A special word of thanks to **Paddy O'Connor** for organising the event on behalf of the Juvenile Camogie Coaching Development Group.

Initiatives like this are vital in continuing to build strong foundations within our clubs and ensuring the best possible experience for our underage players.

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