

Late goal show by Aaron Cahillane seals thriller for Keel

COUNTY SFL DIVISION THREE (Round 2)

ARGUABLY the game of the weekend, Keel and Waterville played out a cracker as the Mid Kerry side shaded an enthralling contest by 2-15 to 3-10 with Aaron Cahillane grabbing the winning goal for Keel deep into stoppage time. The home side led by two points (0-10 to 1-5) at the break with a Barry O'Dwyer goal keeping them in touch before Liam Sheehan stretched Keel's advantage out to five straight after the restart. Waterville would hit 2-2 without reply however, a Fergal Cronin effort coupled with a second goal for Dwyer sending into a three point lead in the space of six minutes. Keel drew the game level, but Waterville pulled one ahead once more until Cahillane's surge from

defence secured a dramatic victory. Another close game saw Furies leave Sneem / Derrynane with a narrow 0-14 to 1-10 victory in a game that saw three players sent off in total. Playing with a first half breeze saw them lead by 0-8 to 0-4 with Colm O'Shea, Jack Sherwood and Donal Daly in flying form but they were down to 14 men by that stage. They extended their lead to six and the game looked to be up for Sneem / Derrynane when they were reduced to 13 men, but a Donal Galvin goal and points from Ronan Hussey put the game back in the melting pot until the final minute when with Furies leading by a point Joe Corridan had a free to level the match, however, it hit the

upright and the chances of a draw went with it. Another dramatic conclusion in the game between Duagh and Beaufort saw Martin Scannel miss a late penalty and have the rebound perfectly stopped by Mike Moriarty, which prevented the scores being drawn level as Beaufort led 0-9 to 0-6 and Francis Courtney scored a 21 metre free from the counter attack to secure a four point victory. Paul O'Connor and Declan O'Sullivan squared off against each other as Kenmare hosted Dromid Pearces, but it was to be a goal in the first half from Stephen O'Brien that decided the outcome with Sean O'Leary and Aaron O'Callaghan impressing for the home side despite the best efforts of Tomas Curran and Micheal Sheehan in a 1-11 to

0-11 victory for Kenmare. John Mitchels appeared to be in cruise control against Glenbeigh / Glencar early on after goals by Alan and Paul O'Donoghue inside the first 15 minutes, however, Jason McKenna struck back for Glenbeigh to leave the half-time score at 2-2 to 1-3 before the Mid Kerry side outscored their rivals by six points to two in the second half to win by 1-9 to 2-4. St Pats Blennerville meanwhile had a comfortable 1-14 to 0-9 victory over Beale aided by a Brendan Poff goal after 17 minutes that gave them a 1-7 to 0-2 advantage. Shane Brosnan and Adrian Greaney stood out but the game was overshadowed by Beale's point of view by a serious knee injury to defender Declan Beasley from which they never recovered.



Dr Crokes' Kieran O'Leary scoring a great goal against Diarmuid Murphy Dingle in the Kerry County Credit Union League at Dr Crokes GAA Grounds, Lewis Road, Killarney on Saturday

Cordal setting the early pace

COUNTY SFL DIVISION FOUR (Round 2)

CORDAL are the surprise early pace setters after their over 1-10 to 0-6 victory over St Kierans neighbours Ballymacelligott, who are now playing their home games in Lyre due to development work on their pitch. The first half exchanges were poor with both sides scoring three points apiece before a 1-5 scoring spree including a penalty from Pierce Brosnan saw Cordal take full control in a game where Sean Og O Ciardubháin was busy all over the pitch making some great saves in goal while slotting over two '45's' at the other end. Tuosist join them at the top of the table following a 1-17 to 1-10 victory over Brosna for whom an early Tom McGoldrick goal gave them a 1-5 to 0-6 advantage at the break however Tuosist finished strongly in the final quarter with Gavin McCarthy's goal in the 52nd minute putting them on course for victory with Mike Tim and Alan

O'Sullivan finishing with three and four point totals respectively. Scartaglin got their campaign off the ground as well with a victory over Na Gaeil, but they had to withstand a ferocious first half assault from the Tralee side with Dermot O'Flaherty's goal giving them a 1-2 to 0-4 half-time advantage that really should have been more. Scart regrouped in the second half with goals from Mike Horan and Tom Boyle dramatically changing the course of the game as Padraig Reidy came into his own for his native club. Another inter-county player Killian Young lined out for Renard as they travelled to Fossa, however, his return failed to yield a victory as Fossa overcame an 0-8 to 0-7 deficit at half time to run out five points winners at the finish. Christopher Keane's goal for the visitors cancelled out a good second half start by the home side,

but Brendan Falvey was alert in scoring Fossa's goal and they finished stronger with Falvey finishing with 1-3 and Donal O'Sullivan contributing six points with Mikey Cronin and Killian Lynch in good form. Darragh and Eoin O'Neill tried hard for Renard but they went down by 1-16 to 1-11. Moyvane and Listry finished honours even on a scoreline of 2-7 to 1-10 with two goals coming inside the first six minutes as Kevin Kennelly struck first for the home side and Damien Clifford responded almost instantly for Listry. Jonathon Sparling's goal gave Listry a 2-4 to 1-3 half-time lead, but Paddy Curtin managed to drag his side back into the contest and they drew within one but while Listry had chances to finish them off, Curtin earned a share of the spoils for his side late on. The Ballyduff vs. Churchill fixture was postponed to the home side's Preliminary Round Championship match with Knocknagoshel.



Johnny Buckley Dr Crokes challenged by Tommy Griffin Dingle in the Kerry County Credit Union League at Dr Crokes GAA Grounds, Lewis Road, Killarney on Saturday

St Senans sitting pretty after another impressive win

COUNTY SFL DIVISION FIVE (Round 2)

THE Division Five table may look radically different at the end of the year, but St Senans will enjoy their time at the top of the Division Five table after a comprehensive 12 point victory over Asdee last weekend. They enjoyed an 0-8 to 0-1 advantage at half time with Sean O'Connell practically winning the game on his own for Senans with a personal total of 12 points, two of which came from play.

Asdee threatened a comeback early in the second half with Eamon McElligott trying hard but when John Doran received his marching orders that proved to be the end of their challenge as the final score read 0-16 to 0-4 in the away side's favour. James O'Donnell, Padraig Somers, Brendan Whelan and Jason Brown impressed for the Mount-coal outfit but a more stiffer test will come

against Ballylongford in the next round. Strand Road did not Clounmacon what many more have done in the past, putting 3-20 past the hapless North Kerry side with only five points Clounmacon's registered scores. They failed to score in the first half as David Lyons goals in the 14th and 25th minutes ended all resemblances of a contest by the break. John McGrath made it goal number three with 10 minutes to go as Sean Walsh rolled back the

years with a personal total of seven points. Kieran O'Mahony, Jack Twomey and Brian Carty tried hardest for Clounmacon but 24 points was something they were never going to overcome. The closest contest of the weekend came between Laune Rangers B and Ballylongford with just one point separating the sides at full-time. The game started on a sad note with Ballylongford's John Moroney picking up a serious injury necessitating a long stoppage. The home

side started brightly but needed Vincent Costello to make a crucial early save before Colin O'Dwyer gave them their first goal. However Brendan Bam-bury left just one point between the teams at half time with the score 1-5 to 1-4 in Laune Rangers' favour. Ian Costello netted the Killorglin side's second goal after the restart but Ballylongford refused to lie down as David Lane kept the game on a knife edge with his side's second goal. With the scores tied at 2-8 apiece it needed

substitute Terence Houlihan's late intervention to settle the outcome in the home's favour. The last of the four games to go ahead this weekend saw Dingle B record a 0-14 to 1-7 victory over Kilgarvan with Niall O'Connor finishing with an impressive six point total as their were strong performances from Paul Fitzmaurice, Gene O'Connor, Brian and David Devane for the West Kerry side. Paul Glesson scored Kilgarvan's goal from the penalty spot.

COUNTY SENIOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE

DIVISION ONE

| | Pt | W | D | L | Pts |
|-----------------------|----|---|---|---|-----|
| Dr Crokes | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Annascaul | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Gneeveguilla | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Miltown/Castlemaine | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Ardfert | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Rathmore | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Gafocht | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Kerins O'Rahillys | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Listowel Emmets | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Laune Rangers | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| St. Michaels/Fontmore | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Dingle | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

DIVISION TWO

| | Pt | W | D | L | Pts |
|-------------------|----|---|---|---|-----|
| Legion | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| St Marys | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Glenflesk | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Skellig Rangers | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Austin Stacks | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Castlegregory | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Spa | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Fingoe | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Tarbert | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Kilcummin | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Currow | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| C'island Desmonds | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

DIVISION THREE

| | Pt | W | D | L | Pts |
|----------------------|----|---|---|---|-----|
| Beaufort | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Kenmare | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Furies | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| St Pats Blennerville | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Waterville | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Sneem / Derrynane | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Glenbeigh / Glencar | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Keel | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Dromid Pearces | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Duagh | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| John Mitchels | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Beale | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

DIVISION FOUR

| | Pt | W | D | L | Pts |
|------------------|----|---|---|---|-----|
| Cordal | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Tuosist | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Fossa | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Listry | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Scartaglin | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Ballymacelligott | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Moyvane | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Churchill | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ballyduff | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Brosna | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Na Gaeil | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Renard | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

DIVISION FIVE

| | Pt | W | D | L | Pts |
|---------------|----|---|---|---|-----|
| St Senans | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Dingle | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Strand Road | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Ballylongford | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Valentia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Cromane | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Ballydonoghue | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Asdee | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Laune Rangers | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Templemore | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lispolo | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Knocknagoshel | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kilgarvan | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Clounmacon | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |