

Kerry ease into Boston IFC final

BOSTON IFC SEMI-FINAL

Kerry 3-11
Galway 0-3

KERRY played a depleted Galway team in the intermediate semi final in Boston last Saturday, winning with the greatest of ease by 3-11 to 0-3.

Kerry were well on top all over the field but they should not get carried away as they will surely meet much better opposition in next week's final in Boston.

Tomas Deeney had Kerry's opening score after a minute. Joe McGillicuddy made it 2 up a minute later, Dan O'Connor saved a Galway bound goal at the expense of a 45' which Sean Gallagher sent wide.

McGillicuddy linked up with Ross Monaghan for Kerry's third point and then James O'Sullivan added their fourth.

With Galway struggling it looked easy for Kerry. Kieran O'Connor added another point for Kerry. Galway responded with a pointed free followed by a good point from play by Peter Nolan of Galway. Kerry responded with a well taken goal by James O'Sullivan after being set up by Joe McGillicuddy.

Croft had Kerry's next two points before Ross Monaghan added two goals for Kerry and the Galway heads began to fall.

David Coughlin got his name on the score sheet before the half leaving Kerry ahead 3-10 to 0-2.

Kerry played all of their subs to start the second half which petered out as a contest. The one bright part of the second half was American born player Joe Kennedy showing up as free taker, converting a free for his first score as a Kerry player.

KERRY: Dan O'Connor, Kieran O'Connor 0-1, Stephen Hogan, Mike Godley, Anthony Fenton, Maurice Fallon, David Coughlin 0-1, Colm Moriarty, Tomas Deeney 0-1, Joe McGillicuddy 0-1, Ross Monaghan 2-2, Robby Croft 0-3, James O'Sullivan 1-1. **Subs:** Cathal O'Sullivan, Pat O'Connell, Joe Kennedy 0-1, Tom Fitzgerald.

MID KERRY GAA

RESULTS

Minor Football League Round 4
Lauze Rangers 3-18
Milltown/Castlemaine 0-9
Beaufort w/o Glenbeigh/Glencar
U14 'A' Semi-final
Milltown/Castlemaine 3-15 Cro-mane 1-6

FIXTURES

MONDAY AUGUST 30
Minor Football League Final

■ Best of luck to the Mid Kerry and Lauze Rangers teams in their County Championship matches next Sunday.

Senans win North Kerry league title

NORTH KERRY GAA

by Mick Flavin

NORTH KERRY DIVISION 2 LEAGUE FINAL

St Senans 0-11
Duagh 0-10

PLAYED in Finuge last Friday this Division 2 League Final really was the game of two halves. St Senans came into this final as favourites and after the first 30 minutes they justified that favouritism because they really took hold of this game in the first half and had Duagh on the back foot for all of it.

Duagh would have been disappointed with their first half performance, having some very scoreable chances which they did not take.

Duagh would rue those missed opportunities at the end, as St Senans led at half time by 0-9 to 0-2.

St Senans had commanded all sections of the field, with all three of their full forward line, Sean O'Connell, Alan Doran and Sean Weir, scoring, while even full back Philip Twomey travelled the length of the pitch to score a wonderful point.

Duagh did come out fighting for the second half and from the throw Joe Shanahan pointed a free after 46 seconds, and from the resulting kick out Anthony Maher was fouled and converted the free to reduce St Senans lead to five points.

Sean O'Connell opened Senans account for the second half with a pointed free, before Duagh added some fresh legs with Tom Sullivan and Tim Scanlon replacing John Sheeran and Joey Shanahan respectively.

At this stage both sides seemed to lift their game and in the 41st minute Maher had another point for Duagh from a free, as a little nervousness starting to come into the Senans play.

The best move came when Duagh introduced Declan Griffin and all of a sudden Duagh started to believe in themselves and really took the game to Senans.

For the next seven or eight minutes they had Senans on the back foot, but all through Senans had that little bit more firepower up front and when young Sean O'Connell got near the ball it usually ended in a score for Senans.

Duagh will look back at there first half performance and feel they could have done a little bit better but, overall, it was St Senans who were that little bit sharper during the 60 minutes and deserved their win.

Secretary of the North Kerry Board Tom Dillon, a proud St Senans man, presented the cup to St Senans captain John Somers.

ST SENANS: John Somers, Sean Dowling, Philip Twomey 0-1, Brendan Quinlan, David O'Donnell, James O'Donnell, Johnny Kennelly, Brendan Whelan, Padraig Somers, Jason Browne, Brendan O'Connell, Benny Somers 0-1, Sean O'Connell, 0-5,

Alan Doran 0-2, Sean Weir. **Subs:** Dara Kennelly for A Doran, Johnny Daughton for J O'Donnell, Caffrey for



An aerial duel for possession between St. Senans' Brendan Whelan and Duagh's Declan Griffin with Senans' full-back, Philip Twomey and Duagh full-forward, Colm Horgan awaiting the outcome, during the North Kerry Senior Football League Division 2 Final

J Browne.
DUAGH: Sean Lane, Eoin Kelly, John O'Brian, Terence McMahon, John Sheeran, Thomas Dillon, Peter Sheeran, Anthony Maher 0-4, Jer Kelly, Tom McNamara, Stephen Moran, Daniel O'Donoghue, Joey Shanahan 0-2, Colm Horgan 0-1, Kieran Duffey. **Subs:** Tom Sullivan for J Sheeran, Tim Scanlon for J Shanahan, Declan Griffin 0-3 for D O'Donoghue.
REFEREE: Eddie Barrett (Knocknagoshel)

FIXTURES

MONDAY AUGUST 30
U12 North Kerry League Division 1 Rd 5 (final round) (games at 7.30pm)
Na Gaeil v Emmets
St Senans v Beale
Ballydonoghue v Ballyduff
Division 2 Rd 5
Finuge v Moyvane
Tarbert v John Mitchels
TUESDAY, AUGUST 31
North Kerry Intermediate Championship semi-finals
Duagh B v Desmonds B in Knocknagoshel at 6.30pm
Emmets B v Moyvane B in Duagh at 6.30pm
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 2
Minor Football League Div 2 Final
Beale v Moyvane at 6.30pm

RESULTS

North Kerry Intermediate Championship quarter-finals
Duagh B 3-5 Ballyduff B 1-8
Moyvane B 1-10 Clounmacna A 0-4
Minor League Division 1 Rd 4
Ballydonoghue w/o Listowel Emmets
U12 League Division 1 Rd 3
Beale 4-4 ballydonoghue 5-6
Ballyduff 2-2 Na Gaeil 7-6
Division 2 Rd 3
Asdee/Bally 2-13 Moyvane 5-6
John Mitchels 0-13 Finuge 2-3
Division 3 Rd 1
Duagh 5-6 St Senans 7-7

Dr Crokes, Kilcummin and Furies advance to semis

EAST KERRY GAA

by Pat O'Brien

FOLLOWING last weekend's games in the Junior Championship for the O'Sullivan Cup, Dr Crokes, Kilcummin and Furies all advance to the semi-finals while Scartaglen earned a quarter-final spot against Spa. In Glenflesk, a goal by full forward Ruari Mangan helped Dr Crokes to a 1-11 to 0-10 win over Glenflesk.

Kilcummin put up an impressive score against Legion winning by eleven points. They did most of the damage in the first half leading 3-7 to 0-8 at half time, their goals from Ritchie O'Connor, Sean B O'Doherty and Michael O'Sullivan.

In the second period, Derek Twomey converted a Legion penalty but Diarmuid O'Donoghue added a fourth Kilcummin goals they won 4-13 to 1-11.

Furies and Cordal met in Farranfore where Stephen Hector goaled for the home side and Donal McCarthy and Pat O'Sulli-

van found the net for Cordal, but Furies had too much fire power for the visitors and proceed to the semi finals after an eight-point win - 1-16 to 2-5.

Elsewhere, goals from Timmy O'Connor and a Liam Horan penalty helped Scartaglen to a 2-8 to 1-10 win over Fossa in their postponed first round game. Fossa's goal came from a Chris Myers penalty.

O'Donoghue Cup and Fr Galvin Cup

Originally planned to commence on September 18, circumstances facing both Glenflesk and Fossa lead them to request an earlier date for their O'Donoghue Cup first round meeting, which the fixtures committee agreed to and goes ahead on Friday in Fossa at 6:45pm.

Minor League

In Division 1 there are two back games to be played both of which could give the fixtures committee headaches depending on the results.

Dr Crokes has its campaign completed and sits atop the table with six points. Legion and Rathmore meet on Sept 2nd in their final game. A Legion win will see them join Dr Crokes on 6 points each. A Rathmore win would see them joint 2nd with Legion on 4 points. In the other back game a win for either Kenmare or Kilcummin will also put the winner on 4 points so that there could be congestion at the top yet.

In Division 2, the Fossa/Listry combination with 9 points can't be caught at the top. Spa sits in second place with 7 points and Glenflesk is a point behind on 6. But a back game between Glenflesk and Scartaglen/Cordal this Thursday could see Glenflesk leap frog over Spa into second place.

Juveniles

The East Kerry U-15 9-a-side competition was completed last Thursday night in Kilcummin. The standard of football over the three nights was very

high. Games development officer Vince Cooper congratulates Legion on qualifying for the next stage of the competition at county level. He also thanks Shane O'Callaghan (chairman) and DJ Fleming (coaching officer) of the Kilcummin club for their help with the smooth running of the competition, as well as James O'Sullivan, Furies who refereed throughout the competition.

St Pats East Kerry Hurling
St Pats East Kerry Hurling Club hold its annual Church gate collection at all masses in the Killarney parish this weekend. As this is the club's major fundraising event of the year, all help would be appreciated. Contact chairman Pat Delaney at 087 2461676.

Board meeting

The August meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday at 9pm in the Killarney Heights Hotel. The important matter of running a novice competition will be discussed and

decided. Club delegates have been asked to canvass the views of their clubs and to be in a position to put forward proposals about the competition and the rules of eligibility.

RESULTS

O'Sullivan Cup Quarter Finals
Dr Crokes 1-11 Glenflesk 0-10
Kilcummin 4-13 Legion 1-11
Furies 1-16 Cordal 2-5
O'Sullivan Cup First Round
Scartaglen 2-8 Fossa 1-10
Minor League
Fossa/Listry 4-13 Scartaglen
Cordal 2-9
U12 Div 1 League Final
Dr Crokes 1-15 Legion 1-7

FIXTURES

THURSDAY AUGUST 26
Minor League Division 2
Glenflesk v Scartaglen/Cordal, 7pm
FRIDAY AUGUST 27
O'Donoghue Cup First Round
Fossa v Glenflesk in Fossa, 6:45pm
SATURDAY AUGUST 28
Intermediate Championship Semi-final
Furies v Listry in Fossa, 6pm
Junior Championship
O'Sullivan Cup Quarter final
Spa v Scartaglen, 6pm
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 2
Minor League Division 1
Legion v Rathmore

Quirke and team win Golf Classic

SOUTH KERRY GAA

ON Friday last the South Kerry Board held a fundraising golf classic at Skellig Bay golf course. The board would like to thank everyone who took part, those that helped with the organisation of a most enjoyable day.

Well done to Matt Quirke and his team, who were overall winners on the day.

Under-16s

South Kerry under 16 play Shannon Rangers in the County Championship on Sunday next at 12pm in the Con Keating Park. Best of luck to everyone involved.

RESULTS

South Kerry Minor League Rd 5
St Mary's/Renard 3-12
Skellig/Valentia 1-7
South Kerry U16 League Rd 4
Templemore 5-12 St Michael's/Foilmore 2-8
Skellig/Valentia 3-18 Sneem/Derrynane 1-15