

Quacht ar an Bhealach / Faughs in Focus

Feabhra 2008 / Feb 2008

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Dinnéar agus Bronnadh Bliantúla / Carey Faughs Annual Presentation Dinner

Thanks to everyone who bought tickets and supported the Club Dinner Dance which was well attended despite the snowy night. Congratulations to the following people who received awards:

Senior Player of the Year=Martin Mc Auley

Players Player of the Year= Nathaniel Hunter

Junior Player of the Year= Emmett Hunter and Martin Hunter (Joint Award)

Clubperson of the Year= Frank Mc Carry

Supporter of the Year= Mr & Mrs J.P. Murphy

Merit Award= Mary Kane

Most Improved Senior Player= Emmett Hunter

The Committee have decided to move the Annual Dinner to November 2008, instead of February 2009.

Imeachtaí / Forthcoming Events

11/12/13 July 2008-Carey Faughs G.A.C. 1st Annual Festival

Traenáil / Training

Training will start again on Friday 29th February for senior and junior players. From this date onwards training is planned for Monday and Friday nights.

Fág a' Bealach, Cluichí atá beartaithe / Carey Faughs Fixtures Ulster Hurling League Div.2.

ROUND 1

* 5 April 2008-Carey v. Burt (Home Match)

ROUND 2

* 12 April 2008- Slaughtniel v.Carey (Away Match in Slaughtniel)

ROUND 3

* 19 April 2008-Carrickmore v. Carey (Away Match in Carrickmore).

ROUND 4

* 26 April 2008- Carey v. Swatragh (Home Match)

ROUND 5

* 3 May 2008- Carey v. Keady (Home Match)

Antrim Hurling League Div.2.

* 20 April 2008-Carey v. Glenravel -3pm (Home Match)

* Sun 27 April 2008-Carey v. Gael Chluana (Clooney Gaels)-3pm (Home Match)

* Tues 29 April 2008-Gort na Mona v. Carey-18.45pm- (Away Match)

Camáin/Hurling Sticks are available from Chris Campbell from next Wednesday

Members £10

Non-members £15

Crannchur an Chontae / Saffron Sweep

Antrim GAA will once again be selling tickets for a draw in 2008 in an effort to raise money to develop GAA skills in Antrim. The format has changed this year, so that this year whichever Club you buy the ticket from, will get a percentage of the price of the ticket. So it is important if you want to buy a ticket, to purchase it from your own Club. (Further details on prizes will be available in the Spring.)

Tairgí an Chumainn / Club Merchandise

Club Hoodies are available in the shop in the following sizes: Ages 7-8; 10-11; 12-13; @ £25, Adults Hoodies @£35 (Only Large and X-Large left).

Club Polo Shirts still in stock also.

Gleann Seisc /Glenshesk

● Glenshesk Juvenile Players' Registration

Evening

Sunday 9th March, in Carey Hall, from 4-6pm.

All players MUST be registered prior to the start of the new season.

● Young Whistlers Course

There is provisionally a young referees course for all members 14 and 15 year old +, in Cross & Passion College, on 15th March. For further details contact Mary Kane on 207 63437.

● U/8 hurling training in Carey Hall, on Sunday morning. All new members welcome.

Cúinne na Gaeilge / Irish Language Corner

How Gaelic surnames work

- Gaelic surnames are the original and correct form of many surnames in the area. These names were corrupted as part of a deliberate policy that existed against the Gaelic culture going as far back as the 1366.
- Gaelic names respect both male and female forms with the prefixes that follow: 'Mac' or 'Mag' meaning son and 'Nic' or 'Nig' daughter of.
- O means grandson or descendent and the female version is Ní.

Samplaí do shloinntí aitiúla/Examples in local surnames

Mc Donnell, McDonald, Mc Connell and Mc Gonnell are all corruptions of *Mac Domhnaill* for a man and *Nic Dhomhnaill* for a lady. (name means son daughter of Domhnall from the famous Gaelic Chieftains of the Isles and Antrim) Hegarty is a corruption of *Ó hÉigearthaigh* for a man and *Ní Éigearthaigh* for a lady (a branch of the Clann Eoghain from western Ulster).

Barcelona Marathon

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Barcelona Marathon

Margaret Mc Veigh is now in her 3rd year of teaching in St. Martin's School, on St. Vincent's Island, in the Carribean. This is a much poorer region of the Carribean than we often hear about, and each summer when Margaret returns to Ireland she spends a lot of time trying to raise funds for the school. Gerry Mc Glynn and John Mc Veigh will run the Barcelona Marathon (42.195km) on Sunday 2 March 2008 to help raise funds for St. Martin's. If anyone wants to sponsor John or Gerry, all the children from Barnish Primary School have sponsor forms, or alternatively you can make a direct donation to John or Gerry for St Martin's.

We wish John and Gerry all the best in Barcelona next Sunday.