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Allianz Hurling League – Roinn 1, Group A – Round 3



**Tiobraid Árann** v **Gaillimh**

1.30 pm

Referee: JOHN KEENAN (Wicklow)

Allianz Football – Roinn 3 South – Round 2



**Tiobraid Árann** v **Cill Mhantáin**

4.30 pm

Referee: SEAMUS MULVIHILL (Kerry)

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*On behalf of Tipperary Co Board it gives me great pleasure to welcome the Galway Senior hurling team and officials to Semple Stadium today for the third round of the League versus Tipperary. Both teams are unbeaten to date, but Galway come into this game today after a morale boosting win over All-Ireland Champions Limerick last weekend.*

*Tipperary will be anxious to build on their performances in the opening rounds of the League which should result in a very keenly contested game. The first two rounds of the League have provided great entertainment for the viewing public and I expect that trend to continue with today's game.*

*We look forward to a great game of hurling where skill and sportsmanship will be the order of the day between these two great rivals.*

*Best wishes to Referee John Keenan and his officials in their duties today.*

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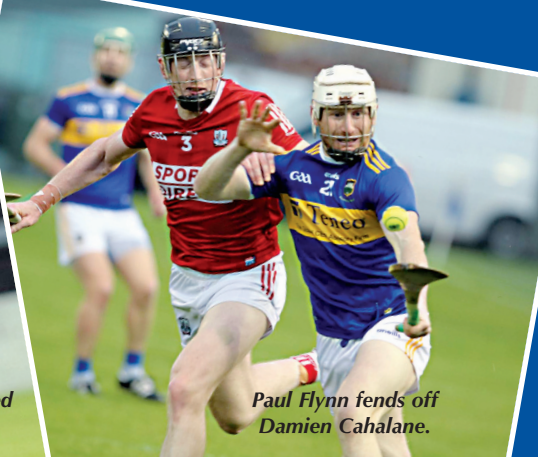
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*GER CORBETT, Programme Editor*



*Jake Morris is pursued by Alan Cadogan.*



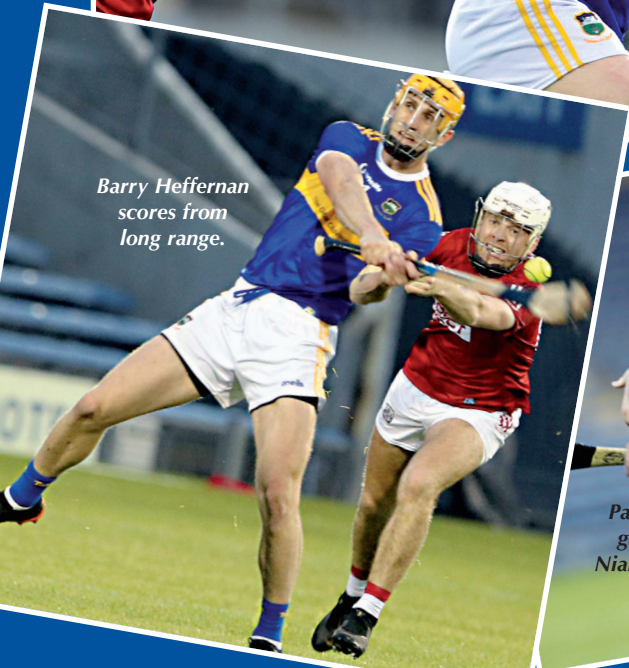
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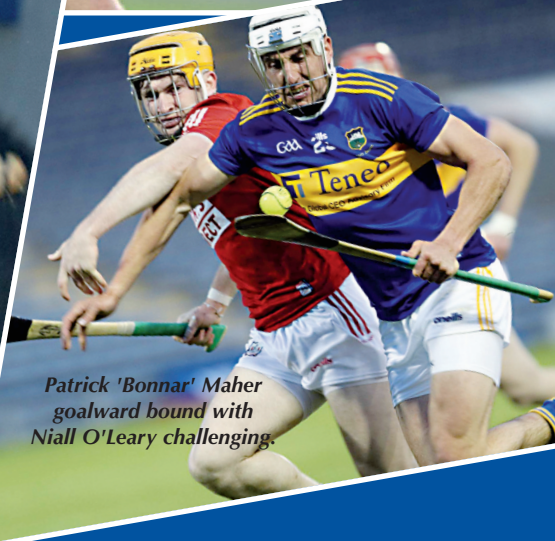
*Jason Forde goes on a solo run despite the attentions of Sean O'Leary-Hayes.*

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[Photos: Bridget Delaney]



*Barry Heffernan scores from long range.*



*Patrick 'Bonnar' Maher goalward bound with Niall O'Leary challenging.*

# Fáilte ón gCathaoirleach Bord Peil



**O**N BEHALF of all involved in Tipperary Football I want to extend a big welcome to the Wicklow team and its management group for this Allianz Division 3 game. With both teams having lost their opening fixture, a win today is vital to keep both alive in the hunt for a top two spot in the group.

Wicklow arrive to Thurles having had a very successful 2020 League campaign, gaining promotion to Division Three and will no doubt be determined to push on for further progress. On the last occasion these two sides met in a League game, Wicklow came from seven points down in the final few minutes to gain victory by virtue of three late goals.

Tipperary will be hoping to reverse that result today having lost out to a strong Limerick team last weekend. Two wins in their remaining two games will guarantee them a semi-final spot and after the heroics of our 2020 Munster Final campaign, promotion back to Division Two is a realistic ambition. This team has brought much joy to so many followers of sport in the premier county in recent times. Here's hoping for more in the months ahead.

**Conor O'Dwyer**

Chairman, Tipperary Football Committee.

Tipperary's Steven O'Brien is first to the breaking ball against Limerick in the Allianz Football League Division 3 encounter last weekend.

(Photo: Odhran Ducie)



# A cracking game of hurling in prospect this afternoon

By: NOEL DUNDON  
(Tipperary Star)



THE visit of Galway to Semple Stadium this afternoon for their Allianz National Hurling League clash with Tipperary is one of the ties of the weekend – if not the entire league campaign.

Fresh from the defeat of All-Ireland champions Limerick last weekend, Shane O’Neill’s men will have a real spring in their step and the fact that they have beaten Tipperary in both league and championship in 2020, will give them an extra little bit of confidence too, if they needed it.

Of course, incentive is a great thing also in sport and Tipperary certainly have incentive this afternoon. Without a win in two outings, but without a defeat as well – Liam Sheedy will be emphasising to his charges the need to get over the line in games and if that means putting one across the Galway men in the process, well then so best.

Games between the counties in recent times have been very close – many would say that had Tipperary remained at full complement in last year’s championship, they could well have seen the game out as victors. But, that’s all mere conjecture right now and both Galway and Tipperary will be anxious to look forward rather than in their rear view mirror – being touted as a head above the rest following their win over Limerick will not sit comfortably with the Connacht men at all.

The league has come under much scrutiny over the last few weekends with pundits and scribes decrying the standard of play, the type of play, and the lack of play. Inter-

fering with the rules, interpreting the rules, and misinterpreting the rules has become the topic of much conversation and there are very real fears being expressed for the future of the game. The only thing is – one cracking game of hurling and all this cheap talk will be forgotten fairly quickly.

There is bound to be a level of adjustment when it comes to new rules, but once teams and officials become comfortable with them, it will work out and the level of fouling and frees should drop.

As for the kind of hurling being played by some teams, well, the answer to it, quite simply, is to beat them. Galway took on Limerick last weekend and beat them playing their own direct game; Tipp took on Limerick and Cork, and drew with them taking a tactical approach to the opposition’s hurling.

There is no game plan which cannot be defeated – so many teams have discovered that down through the years. Sooner or later, the smart hurling brains will work out a way of dealing with short puckouts, sweepers, third midfielders and all the other innovations which may be introduced to revolutionise the game.

What has not changed is the fact that the team which scores the most wins the game. And, the old adage that goals win games still rings through – Tipp have failed to net in the last two outings and have not won as a result. Liam Sheedy will want to see a change in that particular status this afternoon, but it won’t be easy against a lean, mean defensive machine in the maroon and white jerseys.

As games go, you couldn’t ask for a bigger, better clash than Tipperary and Galway – let’s hope it gives us the kind of clash that hurling enthusiasts have been craving.

Enjoy the game.

# The history

By: SEAMUS O'DOHERTY



THERE have been 73 previous League meetings between Tipperary and Galway. The Premier county has recorded 46 victories, the Tribesmen 21 and there have been 6 draws. The last ten games resulted as follows:

5/4/2009	at Pearse Stadium	Tipperary.....	1-17	Galway.....	1-15
14/3/2010	at Semple Stadium	Tipperary .....	2-17	Galway.....	0-14
3/4/2011	at Pearse Stadium	Tipperary.....	4-23	Galway.....	1-14
11/3/2012	at Semple Stadium	Tipperary.....	2-20	Galway.....	2-18
18/3/2013	at Pearse Stadium	Tipperary.....	4-22	Galway.....	1-20
16/3/2014	at Pearse Stadium	Galway .....	3-16	Tipperary .....	1-19
22/2/2015	at Semple Stadium	Tipperary.....	2-18	Galway.....	0-20
13/3/2016	at Pearse Stadium	Tipperary.....	1-22	Galway.....	2-19
23/4/2017	at LIT Gaelic Grounds	Galway .....	3-21	Tipperary .....	0-14 (final)
8/3/2020	at Pearse Stadium	Galway .....	3-21	Tipperary .....	3-13



Gearóid McInerney (Galway) and Tipperary's Michael Breen tangle for possession during the All-Ireland quarter-final game in November 2020. (Photo: Bridget Delaney)

# SNIPPETS

By: SEAMUS O'DOHERTY



# SNIPPETS

❖ Tipperary have played Galway more often than any other county in the League. Their next most frequent opponents are Kilkenny (72), Cork (65) and Limerick (64). Not surprisingly, in view of the frequency of their meetings, the counties have faced each other in ten League finals, of which Galway won six and Tipperary four.

❖ Coincidentally, Tipperary's last League title was won against Galway, in the 2008 decider at LIT Gaelic Grounds. Tipperary won by 3-18 to 3-16. Galway's last title was claimed in 2017 when they overcame the reigning All Ireland champions Tipperary by 3-21 to 0-14 at the same venue.

❖ Since 2000 the counties have met on twenty occasions in the League. There were two encounters, group and final, in 2008, but there was no meeting in 2018 and 2019.

❖ The trend in this fixture since the GAA Centenary Year (1984) is that the county which leads at half-time generally goes on to win the game. There have been only three exceptions in the thirty four games played since then. Firstly, Galway overturned a five point deficit to win the 1995/96 League final by two points and in a group match in Semple Stadium in March 2012, Tipperary came from one point arrears at half-time to win by two. Last year, at Pearse Stadium, Galway recovered from seven points down at the break to win by eight.

❖ There have been many impressive scoring returns in this fixture over the years. Since 2000 the best were – **Tipperary**: Seamus Callanan 1-11 (2014), 0-11 (2009), Shane Bourke 3-4 (2011),

Eoin Kelly 0-11 (2002), 0-10 (2005), Pa Bourke 1-6 (2012), John O'Dwyer 1-6 (2013). **Galway**: Evan Niland 0-14 (2020), Eugene Cloonan 1-8 (2002), 0-10 (2007), Joe Canning 1-11 (2016), 1-10 (2013), 1-6 (2008 final), 0-9 (2017 final), Rory Gantly 0-9 (2000 final), Richie Murray 0-8 (2003).



❖ The counties first met in the new National League competition at Tuam on April 18th 1926. Tipperary won by 4-5 to 1-7 and the referee was Sean Robbins from Offaly.

❖ Galway's biggest win over Tipperary in this competition was achieved in the 2017 final played at LIT Gaelic Grounds on April 23rd. The winning margin was sixteen points (3-21 to 0-14). Tipperary's highest margin of victory was achieved at Nenagh on September 29th 1963, when they had thirty four points to spare (9-14 to 1-4).

❖ Games between the counties have been hosted at neutral Limerick, Ennis and Croke Park, but the majority were played on home soil. The Westerners have welcomed Tipperary to Portumna, Pearse Stadium (Galway), Ballinasloe, Tuam and Loughrea.

❖ In return, the Premier county has hosted games at Semple Stadium, MacDonagh Park Nenagh and MacDonagh Park Cloughjordan. While Galway have managed to win at all three venues, their total is a modest four. They achieved a victory in the last of three games, at Cloughjordan, in November 1977 (1-11 to 1-10). It was also in the last of their seven visits to Nenagh, in February 1994, that they claimed a first win (3-12 to 1-11). The last frontier was Semple Stadium, where in the fourteenth outing, March 1997, they achieved victory on a 1-16 to 0-17 scoreline. Another win was claimed there in 2006 (3-11 to 0-12). A total of nineteen League games have been played at Thurles, with Tipperary winning fourteen, drawing three and losing two.



❖ While it wasn't all good, Tipperary's Management have happy memories of League meetings with Galway. Liam Sheedy was a winner as left



corner back against the Tribesmen in the 1999 final, and he was Manager of the 2008 team, which also beat Galway in the final. Thomas Dunne was captain of that 1999 team and lined out at right half forward, scoring 0-9. Eoin Kelly, who contributed 0-7, lifted the cup with Paul Ormond after Tipp's 2008 win also against Galway. Darragh Egan was an unused substitute for that 2008 success, while Eamon O'Shea was right half forward on the 1979 team, which claimed the title with a comfortable win over Galway, at Limerick .

❖ The only three games in the history of this fixture which failed to produce a goal, ended in draws. The first, in March 1977, a quarter-final at Croke Park finished 0-12 each, then in November 1987 it was 0-7 all in a group match at Semple Stadium and finally in March 2008 they were level, with 0-16 on the scoreboard, in another group fixture at Pearse Stadium.

❖ There have been seven occasions that Tipperary and Galway meet twice in the same League competition. The 'double' has only been achieved twice by Galway in the 1988/89 season and in 1997 – the first calendar year League. Tipperary never won the two games in the one season and there won't be an opportunity this year with the current restrictions.

## SNIPPETS

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❖ There has been an impressive array of referees for this fixture and since 1984 there have been twenty one men appointed. In that time, Dickie Murphy handled most games with four assignments, while Barry Kelly, Pat O'Connor and Terence Murray handled three each. From more recent panels, Wexford's James Owens was appointed to the 2011 and 2016 group matches. Cork's Cathal McAllister refereed the 2012 group fixture, Colm Lyons was in charge of the 2017 League final, while Limerick's Johnny Murphy was the referee for last year's game at Pearse Stadium. Wicklow's John Keenan will referee this pairing for the first time, in the Allianz League today.



❖ Current Galway and Waterford Managers Shane O'Neill and Liam Cahill, have also enjoyed League final victory over Galway. The Na Piarsaigh club man O'Neill was at midfield when Limerick beat the Tribesmen at Ennis in the 1997 final. The Decies Bainisteoir, Liam Cahill from Ballingarry, was at right corner forward when Tipperary beat Galway also at Ennis in the 1999 decider.

❖ In the Group match at Pearse Stadium on April 3rd 2011 the All-Ireland champions Tipperary scored 4-20 of their 4-23 tally from play, with the 2010 League champions returning a modest 1-14.

# Gaillimh

Dathanna: Marún agus Bán



(1)  
É. Ó Murchú  
**EANNA MURPHY**  
(Tomás Ó Lorcáin)

(2)  
D. Ó Muireasa  
**DARREN MORRISSEY**  
(Na Sáirsealaigh)

(3)  
D. de Búrca  
**DAITHÍ BURKE**  
(An Turloch Mór)

(4)  
T.S. Ó Braonáin  
**T.J. BRENNAN**  
(Droichead an Chláirín)

(5)  
A. Ó Tuathaigh  
**ADRIAN TUOHEY**  
(Beithe)

(6)  
P. Ó Mainnín (Capt.)  
**PADRAIC MANNION**  
(Áth Eascrach-Fothaine)

(7)  
A. Ó hAirt  
**AIDAN HARTE**  
(Gort Inse Guaire)

(8)  
S. Ó Cainín  
**JOE CANNING**  
(Port Omna)

(9)  
S. Ó Cadhain  
**JOHNNY COEN**  
(Baile Locha Riach)

(10)  
S. Ó Cuana  
**JOSEPH COONEY**  
(Na Sáirsealaigh)

(11)  
G. Ó Floinn  
**JASON FLYNN**  
(Tomás Ó Lorcáin)

(12)  
C. Ó Cuanaigh  
**CONOR COONEY**  
(Naomh Thomáis)

(13)  
B. Concheanainn  
**BRIAN CONCANNON**  
(Cill Iomair Dálaigh)

(14)  
C. Ó Cuanaigh  
**KEVIN COONEY**  
(Na Sáirsealaigh)

(15)  
C. Ó Faoláin  
**CONOR WHELAN**  
(Cinn Mhara)

## FIR IONAID

(16) D. Ó Fathaigh  
**DARACH FAHY**  
(Ard Rathain)

(17) S. Mac Giolla Pádraig  
**JACK FITZPATRICK**  
(Cill Iomair Dálaigh)

(18) S. Ó Lachtnáin  
**SEAN LOFTUS**  
(An Turloch Mor)

(19) D. de Búrca  
**FINTAN BURKE**  
(Naomh Thomáis)

(20) G. Mac an Airchinnigh  
**GEARÓID McINERNEY**  
(Óran Mór-Mearaí)

(21) D. Mac Giolla Chomáin  
**DIARMUID KILCOMMINS**  
(Anach Cuain)

(22) I. Ó Mainnín  
**JARLATH MANNION**  
(Ceapach an Seagail)

(23) N. de Búrca  
**NIALL BURKE**  
(Óran Mór-Mearaí)

(24) E. Ó Nialláin  
**EVAN NILAND**  
(Droichead an Chláirín)

(25) C. Ó Mainnín  
**CATHAL MANNION**  
(Áth Eascrach-Fothaine)

(26) S. Ó hOisín  
**JACK HASTINGS**  
(Liam Uí Maoliosa)

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# Tiobraid Árann

Dathanna: Gorm agus Ór



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(Lorrha-Dorrha)

(2)  
C. Ó Baróid  
**CATHAL BARRETT**  
(Hollycross-Ballycahill)

(3)  
P. Ó Meachair  
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(Thurles Sarsfields)

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**BARRY HEFFERNAN**  
(Nenagh Éire Óg)

(5)  
R. Ó Broin  
**ROBERT BYRNE**  
(Portroe)

(6)  
S. Ó Cinnéide  
**SEAMUS KENNEDY**  
(St. Mary's)

(7)  
R. Ó Meachair  
**RONAN MAHER**  
(Thurles Sarsfields)

(8)  
A. Ó Floinn  
**ALAN FLYNN**  
(Kiladangan)

(9)  
P. Cadal  
**PADDY CADELL**  
(JK Brackens)

(10)  
D. Mac Cormaic  
**DAN McCORMACK**  
(Borris-Ileigh)

(11)  
N. Mac Craith (Vice-Capt.)  
**NOEL McGRATH**  
(Loughmore-Castleiney)

(12)  
D. Ó Coirc  
**DILLON QUIRKE**  
(Clonoulty-Rossmore)

(13)  
S. Ó Dubhuir  
**JOHN O'DWYER**  
(Killenaule)

(14)  
I. Mac Giollarnáth  
**JASON FORDE**  
(Silvermines)

(15)  
S. Mac Craith  
**JOHN McGRATH**  
(Loughmore-Castleiney)

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(17) M. Ó Braoin  
**MICHAEL BREEN**  
(Ballina)

(18) E. Conghaile  
**EOGHAN CONNOLLY**  
(Cashel King Cormacs)

(19) L. Ó Conchúir  
**WILLIE CONNORS**  
(Kiladangan)

(20) P. Ó Floinn  
**PAUL FLYNN**  
(Kiladangan)

(21) B. Ó Meachair  
**BRENDAN MAHER**  
(Borris-Ileigh)

(22) P. Ó Meachair  
**PATRICK MAHER**  
(Lorrha-Dorrha)

(23) B. Mac Craith  
**BRIAN McGRATH**  
(Loughmore-Castleiney)

(24) S. Ó Muiris  
**JAKE MORRIS**  
(Nenagh Éire Óg)

(25) N. Ó Meóra  
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(26) S. Ó Coigligh  
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# TODAY'S VICTORS CAN LOOK FORWARD WITH OPTIMISM

By: ENDA O'SULLIVAN



**T**ODAY'S encounter between Tipperary and Wicklow has taken on a new significance following last weekend's defeats of both counties by Limerick and Offaly respectively.

With the top two from Division 3 South qualifying for the promotion semi-finals, the pressure is already mounting on David Power and Davy Burke's sides if they are to achieve their ambition of playing Division 2 football in 2022. Added to that there is also the knowledge that the bottom two teams in the group will find themselves battling it out to avoid the dreaded drop to Division 4.

Teams who harbor ambitions of dining at Gaelic football's top table will devour the opportunity to play football in the highest possible league before embarking on the championship trail to give their players every opportunity to adequately prepare for the challenges that lie ahead.

However, Tipperary proved last year that Division 3 is not always a major hindrance when it comes to the championship as they won their first senior provincial title in 85 years, defeating Cork in an emotional final on the 100th anniversary of Bloody Sunday.

Tipperary came unstuck last weekend against Limerick in the Gaelic Grounds in a result that should not have shocked too many people. The Shannonsiders did after all knock the Premier out of the Munster championship in 2019 and it required two moments of individual brilliance from

captain Conor Sweeney and Brian Fox to overcome their formidable challenge in last year's semi-final. Tipperary did however only field seven of the starting team from the All-Ireland semi-final clash with Mayo with management allowing other members of the panel to stake a claim for a starting position. On top of that David Power has been dealt significant blows with the retirement of Philip Austin, the return to Australian Rules Football for Colin O'Riordan while midfielder Liam Casey is also heading Down Under for a spell. Added to that was the news last weekend that Robbie Kiely has been ruled out for the year following a serious hamstring injury. As the old saying goes when one door closes another opens and players like Michael O'Reilly, Tadhg Fitzgerald and Jack Harney amongst others now have a real opportunity to prove their worth and give management some serious selection headaches.

While Wicklow will have been disappointed to lose last weekend, they did show that they have plenty to be optimistic about. Mark Johnson in goals displayed superb reflexes and no end of courage making two-point-blank saves before venturing up the field to convert two frees. Eoin Darcy added a fine goal to show why he is a dangerous forward who needs minding while Dean Healy kicked three points in an excellent personal display.

There is no doubt that whoever comes out on top today will have earned it and can look forward to their final game with a degree of optimism while the losers will be perched up at the bar in The Last Chance Saloon wondering what might have been and whilst devising schemes to ensure their Division 3 survival.

# Football Clippings



By: ENDA O'SULLIVAN

ONLY once have Tipperary and Wicklow crossed swords in the championship at any grade. The 1971 All-Ireland intermediate hurling final was played in Nowlan Park and the Premier emerged on the right side of a 3-16 to 3-13 score line. Wicklow started brightly and had two goals within the opening four minutes of the encounter, however they were reduced to fourteen men on twenty minutes with the dismissal of Oliver Quinn after which Tipperary's greater experience and numerical advantage told.

## All-Star Conor

2020 saw Tipperary's **Conor Sweeney** become the county's third All-Star winner after his dominant performances saw the county win the Munster title for the first time since 1935.

He joined Declan Browne (1998 and 2003) and Michael Quinlivan (2016) as Tipperary's only winners of this prestigious accolade.

Kevin O'Brien (1990) is Wicklow's only All-Star recipient. The Baltinglass man had a dream year in 1990 as his club captured the All-Ireland senior club title defeating Roscommon's Clann na nGael.

*Tipperary's Conor Sweeney gets out ahead of Limerick's Brian Fanning last weekend.*

[Photo: Odhran Duce]

## Three late goals

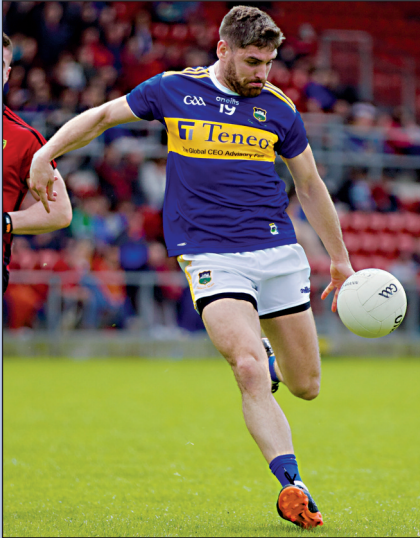
IN 2014 today's opponents met in a Division 4 clash in Semple Stadium and with two minutes 40 seconds left to play Tipperary had a comfortable seven point lead but a remarkable three late goals from Rory Finn, James Stafford and Seanie Furlong gave the Garden County a dramatic 4-12 to 0-22 win, however it wasn't enough to secure promotion alongside Tipperary as Clare's win over Antrim that same day secure the promotion spot for the Banner county.

## Provincial honours

CLONMEL Commercials are the only Tipperary club to win senior provincial honours when they famously defeated Nemo Rangers in 2015 in the Munster decider while Baltinglass (1990) and Rathnew (2001) are the only two Wicklow clubs to have won the Leinster title.



## Philip retires



**P**HILIP AUSTIN recently announced his retirement from the inter-county stage. The Borrisokane man made his senior inter-county championship debut in 2006 against Kerry before finishing his career in last year's All-Ireland semi-final encounter with Mayo.

Throughout that time Austin made 32 championship appearances scoring 3-26 including a wonder goal against Kerry in the 2010 Munster championship.

# Football Clippings



By: ENDA O'SULLIVAN

**K**ERRY man **John Evans** managed Wicklow from August 2017 to July 2019, the highlight of his tenure being a victory over Offaly in the 2018 championship.

The Laune Rangers man had previously managed Tipperary from 2008 to 2012, bringing the county tfrom Division Four to

Division Two in the Allianz National Football League while also managing the county to their first Munster under-21 crown when they defeated Kerry in the decider.



**B**OTH counties heritage and history dominate the crests on their respective jerseys. Wicklow's crest features the famous round tower from the monastic site of Glendalough while the Rock of Cashel is depicted on the crest of Tipperary. Blue and gold are the dominate colours of today's opponents. Bray Emmets were Wicklow county champions at the turn of the century and wearing a green jersey won the All-Ireland club championship of 1901/02. The Wicklow inter-county team wore green until the early 1930s. Blue with a gold hoop was then used until the changeover to the present style in 1970.

Up to about 1925 the Tipperary team usually wore the colours of the county champions. In 1925 the present gold hoop on a blue jersey was introduced. These colours reflected the influence of Tubberadora, the legendary Tipperary club.

# Cill Mhantáin

Dathanna: Gorm agus Ór



	1ADH LEATH	2ADH LEATH	IONLÁN
CÚIL			
CÚILÍNÍ			
SEACHAÍ			
45m			
SADR CICEANNA			

(1)

M. Mac Siacais

**MARK JACKSON**

(Baltinglass)

(2)

N. Déabhrús

**NICKY DEVEREUX**

(Ballinteer St. John's)

(3)

S. Snell

**JAMIE SNELL**

(Rathnew)

(4)

O. Ó Mainnín

**OISÍN MANNING**

(St. Jude's)

(5)

A. Ó Meachair

**ANDY MAHER**

(Na nGearaltaigh/Baile Mhuine)

(6)

N. Ó Donnghaile

**NIALL DONNELLY**

(St. Patrick's)

(7)

A. Ó Murchú

**ARRAN MURPHY**

(Bray Emmets)

(8)

P. Ó Tuathail

**PODGE O'TOOLE**

(Kiltegan)

(9)

D. Ó hÉalaí

**DEAN HEALY**

(St. Patrick)

(10)

D. Mac Gearailt

**DARRAGH FITZGERALD**

(Na nGearaltaigh/Baile Mhuine)

(11)

M. Ó Cionaoith

**MARK KENNY**

(Ballymanus)

(12)

C. Ó Broin

**CONOR BYRNE**

(Avondale)

(13)

E. Ó Dorchaí

**EOIN DARCY**

(Tinahely)

(14)

S. Furlong

**SEANIE FURLONG**

(Kiltegan)

(15)

S. Ó Sioráin

**JAMES SHEERIN**

(Garrycastle)

## FIR IONAIÐ

(16) R. Loimbeart  
**ROBERT LAMBERT**  
(Aughrim)

(17) R. Ó Briain  
**ROSS O'BRIEN**  
(Rathnew)

(18) E. Ó Muircheartaigh  
**EOIN MURTAGH**  
(Dunlavin)

(19) C. Ó Briain  
**CHRISTOPHER O'BRIEN**  
(Ballymoney)

(20) D. Ó Catháin  
**DANIEL KEANE**  
(Éire Óg Greystones)

(21) P. Ó Conchubhair  
**PATRICK O'CONNOR**  
(Blessington)

(22) D. Déabhrús  
**DAVE DEVEREUX**  
(Ballinteer St. John's)

(23) P. de Búrca  
**PAT BURKE**  
(Baltinglass)

(24) S.P. Ó hUrthuile  
**J.P. HURLEY**  
(Na nGearaltaigh/Baile Mhuine)

(25) C. Ó Coinn  
**KEVIN QUINN**  
(Blessington)

(26) C. Ó hAodha  
**CATHAL McGEE**  
(Bray Emmets)

Manager: Davy Burke

Selectors: Gary Gameson, Mike Hassett



# Tiobraid Árann

Dathanna: Gorm agus Ór



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CÚIL			
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**MICHAEL O'REILLY**  
(Clonmel Commercials)

(2)  
A. Mac Cathmhaoil  
**ALAN CAMPBELL**  
(Moyle Rovers)

(3)  
S. Ó Fiacháin  
**JIMMY FEEHAN**  
(Killenaule)

(4)  
C. Ó Seachnasaigh  
**COLM O'SHAUGHNESSY**  
(Ardfinnan)

(5)  
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**EMMET MOLONEY**  
(Drom & Inch)

(6)  
P. Ó Fiacháin  
**PAUDIE FEEHAN**  
(Killenaule)

(7)  
S. Ó hAthairne  
**JACK HARNEY**  
(Moyle Rovers)

(8)  
S. Ó Briain  
**STEVEN O'BRIEN**  
(Ballina)

(9)  
C. Ó Cinnéide  
**CONAL KENNEDY**  
(Clonmel Commercials)

(10)  
I. Ó Longargáin  
**JASON LONERGAN**  
(Clonmel Commercials)

(11)  
C. Ó Cinnéide  
**COLMAN KENNEDY**  
(Clonmel Commercials)

(12)  
B. Ó Sionnach  
**BRIAN FOX**  
(Éire Óg Annacarty/Donohill)

(13)  
L. Ó Beolláin  
**LIAM BOLAND**  
(Moyle Rovers)

(14)  
C. Mac Suibhne (Capt.)  
**CONOR SWEENEY**  
(Ballyporeen)

(15)  
S. Ó Conchúir  
**SEAN O'CONNOR**  
(Clonmel Commercials)

## FIR IONAIÐ

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**EVAN COMERFORD**  
(Kilsheelan-Kilcash)

(19) T. Mac Gearailt  
**TADHG FITZGERALD**  
(Moyle Rovers)

(22) P. Lóoram  
**PADRAIC LOORAM**  
(Clonmel Commercials)

(25) S. Ó Conaill  
**SHANE O'CONNELL**  
(Golden-Kilfeacle)

(17) C. Ó Buaigh  
**CONOR BOWE**  
(Moyné-Templetoohy)

(20) S. Ó Foghlú  
**SHANE FOLEY**  
(Moyle Rovers)

(23) R. Ó Coigligh  
**RIAIN QUIGLEY**  
(Moyle Rovers)

(26) P. Ó Riain  
**PHILIP RYAN**  
(St. Brigid's, Dublin)

(18) D. Ó Braonáin  
**DÁIRE BRENNAN**  
(Kilsheelan-Kilcash)

(21) S. Ó Cinnéide  
**JACK KENNEDY**  
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(24) S. Ó Coirc  
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# Tipperary GAA Kelloggs Cúl Camps now Open for Booking

CLUB	SUPERVISOR	NUMBER	CAMP WEEK	DATE
Aherlow	John Hayes	087 9407476	Week 8	Mon 16th Aug -> Fri 20th Aug
Ardfinnan	Sarah Jane Burke	086 3221872	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Arravale Rovers	Ivor Wilkinson	087 9484574	Week 1	Mon 28th Jun -> Fri 02nd Jul
Ballingarry	Aine Walton	086 0892032	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Ballina	Sean Ó Maoláin	087 8862102	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Ballylooby	Michael Hurley	087 7970018	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Boherlahan-Dualla	Maria Gleeson	087 8244730	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Burgess	Deirdre Power	086 3934363	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Cahir (Duneske)	Charlotte Kirwan	087 3577838	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Cappawhite	Owen Doody	087 2357134	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Carrick Swan	Siobhán O'Dwyer	086 8871311	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Cashel	Eileen Moloney	087 6705635	Week 9	Mon 23rd Aug -> Fri 27th Aug
Clerihan	Eoin Kerrigan	086 2529000	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Clonakenny	Aodan Ó Flaithearta	087 1263644	Week 6	Mon 02nd Aug -> Fri 06th Aug
Clonoulty-Rossmore	Kieran Hammersley	083 0656827	Week 6	Mon 02nd Aug -> Fri 06th Aug
Dúrlas Óg	Brian Burke	087 9126756	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Éire Óg Anacarty	Ollie Kelly	087 2861599	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Emly	David Byrne	087 6148773	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Fethard	Carol Barry	087 6503584	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Fr Sheehys	Declan English	086 6008487	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Galtee Rovers	Karl Hickey	083 0447906	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Golden-Kilfeakle	Jamie Curriuan	086 8468724	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Gortnahoe-Glengoole	Catherine Campion	086 3841491	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Grangemockler-Ballyneale	Carmel Murray	083 3003949	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Holycross-Ballycahill	Paula Briody	089 4104896	Week 1	Mon 28th Jun -> Fri 02nd Jul
J.K. Brackens	Caroline Broderick	086 8106722	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Kiladangan	Kevin Connolly	087 6885214	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Killenaule	Kevin Shelly	086 8231019	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Kilruane McDonaghs	Michael O'Meara	087 2474768	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Kilruane McDonaghs	Michael O'Meara	087 2474768	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Knockavilla Donaskeagh Kickhams	Paul O'Dwyer	087 7099986	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Knockshegowna	Martin Costello	086 8503212	Week 6	Mon 02nd Aug -> Fri 06th Aug
Lattin-Cullen	Diarmuid O'Halloran	087 2679337	Week 6	Mon 02nd Aug -> Fri 06th Aug
Lorrha-Dorrha	Kathleen Gleeson	086 8694528	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Loughmore-Castleiney	Yvonne Doyle	086 8315922	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Moneygall	Damian Shanahan	087 6902544	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Moycarkey-Borris	Mary Shelly	086 3190653	Week 1	Mon 28th Jun -> Fri 02nd Jul
Moyle Rovers	Edmond Burke	086 0585932	Week 8	Mon 16th Aug -> Fri 20th Aug
Mullinahone	Gráinne O'Meara	086 8564897	Week 6	Mon 02nd Aug -> Fri 06th Aug
Nenagh Éire Óg	Niall Cahill	087 4086439	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul
Newcastle	Honor Goonan	087 9338736	Week 1	Mon 28th Jun -> Fri 02nd Jul
Newport	Colette Collins	087 2941943	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Portroe	Shane McElroy	085 2747229	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Rockwell Rovers	Gerry Heenan	087 7604012	Week 1	Mon 28th Jun -> Fri 02nd Jul
Roscrea	Fiona Phelan	086 1698588	Week 4	Mon 19th Jul -> Fri 23rd Jul
Rosegreen	Louise Brennan	087 6185400	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Sarsfields Ladies	Amy O'Gorman	087 2936348	Week 7	Mon 09th Aug -> Fri 13th Aug
Sean Treacys	Angela O'Dwyer	087 9015931	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Shannon Rovers	George Hannigan	TBC	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Silvermines	Melanie Bloice	087 9236365	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Solohead	Kieran Ryan	086 337 8492	Week 6	Mon 02nd Aug -> Fri 06th Aug
St Mary's/Clonmel Commercial	Andy Griffin	087 2820027	Week 9	Mon 23rd Aug -> Fri 27th Aug
St Patrick's	Julieann Gahan	087 6277169	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Thurles Gaels	Aisling Cotter	086 8150839	Week 5	Mon 26th Jul -> Fri 30th Jul
Toomevara	Bernard Hackett	087 6138959	Week 2	Mon 05th Jul -> Fri 09th Jul
Upperchurch-Drombane	Michael Corcoran	086 3872706	Week 3	Mon 12th Jul -> Fri 16th Jul

# AWARDS FOR JOE AND DAVID

By: JONATHAN CULLEN  
(Tipperary PRO)

**T**HE 2020 Gaelic Writers Association Award winners have been named and the year's list includes a very strong Tipperary element.

The awards which are presented in association with SKY Sports, are in recognition of each recipient's contribution to the GAA and are seen as very prestigious accolades. Tipperary has always produced officials of a very high standard and former County Board PRO **Joe Bracken** epitomized that trait throughout his tenure. Joe brought the role to a



new level and therefore it is no surprise that he has been chosen as the '2020 PRO of the Year' award winner. The Moycarkey-Borris club man, who's weekly *GAA Scene* article was a fountain of information and detail, also coordinated the Premier County's media affairs with great competence and efficiency over the course of his five year term of office. Joe has risen the bar and set a very high standard for

those who follow him.

The 'Football Personality of the Year' award went to Tipperary Senior Football Manager **David Power**, who masterminded his native Tipperary's first Munster football title win in 85 years. David previously guided the Tipperary minor footballers to All-Ireland glory in 2011 – just the county's second national title at that level – and back-to-back Munster titles the following year.

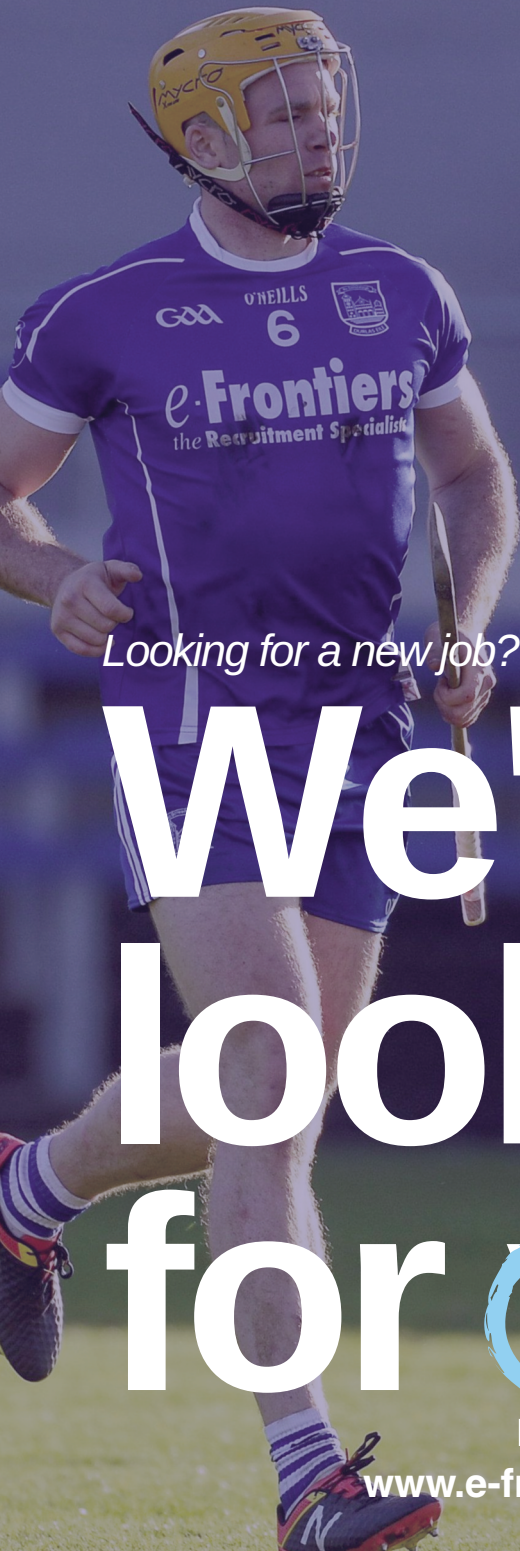
The Kilsheelan man also managed the Tipp Under-21s and had a spell as Wexford senior football boss.

Congratulations to both Joe and David who are most deserving of these prestigious awards That illustrate the high regard in which they are held by those who write about our games on a daily basis.





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