

### **Big Numbers at Munster Juvenile Even Age XC Championships**

Huge participation was the order of the day for our juvenile athletes at the Munster Juvenile Even Age Cross Country Championships in Ballinahina, Carraig na BhFear A.C. on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2016. Participation numbers - Girls U/10 - 134, Boys U/10 - 157, Girls U/12 - 143, Boys U/12 - 147, Girls U/14 - 76, Boys U/14 - 77, Girls U/16 - 71, Boys U/16 - 55, Girls U/18 - 45, Boys U/18 - 40.

Our thanks to Carraig na BhFear A.C. who did an excellent job in hosting the event, to the Cork County Board & to all who assisted on the day. In the individual competitions, there was a break in dominance from Cork with **Clare, Tipperary & Cork** all winning 3 titles each & **Limerick** winning 1.

In the Inter-Club competition, **West Waterford A.C.** won 3 titles, with 2 titles each for **Ennis Track A.C. & Youghal A.C.** & 1 title each for **Dooneen A.C., North Cork A.C., Waterford A.C.**

Breakdown of Club winnings is below: -

- West Waterford A.C. – 3 gold, 1 bronze
- Ennis Track A.C. – 2 gold, 4 silver
- Youghal A.C. – 2 gold
- North Cork A.C. – 1 gold
- Waterford A.C. – 1 gold
- Dooneen A.C. – 1 gold
- St. Cronan's A.C. – 2 silver
- St. Mary's Clare A.C. – 1 silver, 1 bronze
- West Muskerry A.C. – 1 silver, 1 bronze
- Ferrybank A.C. – 1 silver
- Kenmare A.C. – 1 silver
- Carraig na BhFear A.C. – 2 bronze
- Leevale A.C. – 1 bronze
- Thurles Crokes A.C. – 1 bronze
- Moyne A.C. – 1 bronze
- St. Catherine's A.C. Cork – 1 bronze

Top 3 in the Girls U/10 race were **Orla O'Shaughnessy Dooneen A.C., Sophie Coughlan Moycarkey Coolcroe A.C. & Lucy Lynch Carraig-Na-Bhfear A.C. Dooneen A.C., St. Mary's A.C. Clare & Bandon A.C.** were the top 3 Clubs with **Cork, Clare & Limerick** taking the honours in the Inter-County competition. In the Boys U/10 race, first home was **Ben O'Halloran Ennis Track A.C.** with **Odhrán O'Sullivan Midleton A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **Zak O'Sullivan, Tramore A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup>. **Ennis Track A.C.** won the team event with **St. Cronans A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **West Waterford A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup>. Clare, Cork & Waterford were the top 3 in the Inter-County competition.

The Girls U/12 title went to Tipperary athlete, **Leah Quane Mooreabbey Milers A.C.** with silver for **Amy McCarthy Bandon A.C.** & bronze for **Avril Millerick Youghal A.C. Youghal A.C., Ennis Track A.C. & Carraig-Na-Bhfear A.C.** were the top 3 Clubs with gold for **Cork**, silver for **Clare** & bronze for **Tipperary** in the Inter-County competition. Tipperary made it a 1 & 2 with **Joe Egan Moycarkey Coolcroe A.C.** crowned Munster Champion, silver for **Cian Hodgins Nenagh Olympic A.C.** & bronze

for **Cian Neylon Marian A.C. North Cork A.C.** won gold with silver for **West Muskerry A.C.** & bronze for **Moyne A.C. Tipperary, Cork & Clare** were the top 3 in the Inter-County competition.

**Aimee Hayde Newport A.C** added another Munster title to her collection when she won the Girls U/14 race with silver for **Sarah Morrison St. Nicholas A.C.** & bronze for **Neasa Ni Ainifein Ennis Track A.C. Youghal A.C.** won gold with silver for **Ennis Track A.C.** & bronze for **St. Marys (Clare) A.C.** **Cork, Clare & Tipperary** were the winners in the Inter-County category. In the Boys U/14 race, there was gold for **Mark Hanrahan Ennis Track A.C.** with silver for **Dean Casey Ennis Track A.C.** & **bronze for Oisin O'Riordan West Waterford A.C. Ennis Track A.C., St. Cronans A.C. & Thurles Crokes A.C.** won gold, silver & bronze with **Clare, Cork & Waterford** the top 3 Counties.

Top 3 in the Girls U/16 race were **Emily Cahill St. Cronans A.C., Una O'Brien Tramore A.C. & Leah O'Neill Ennis Track A.C.** Club winners were **West Waterford A.C., Kenmare A.C. & Waterford A.C.** with **Clare, Waterford & Cork** the top 3 Counties. In the Boys U/16 race, Cork dominated with a win for **Jake McCarthy Youghal A.C.** with silver for **Tommie Connolly Leevale A.C.** & bronze for **Christopher O'Reilly Togher A.C. West Waterford A.C., Ennis Track A.C. & West Muskerry A.C.** were the top 3 Clubs with **Waterford, Cork & Clare** winning County honours.

**Stephanie Cotter West Muskerry A.C., Aisling Kelly St. John's A.C. & Laura Hayes St. Catherines (Cork) A.C.** were the first 3 home in the Girls U/18 race. **West Waterford A.C., Ferrybank A.C. & St. Catherines (Cork) A.C.** were the Club winners with **Cork & Waterford** winning gold & silver in the Inter-County competition. In the Boys U/18 race, the winners were **Charlie O'Donovan Leevale A.C. Cork, Michael Power West Waterford A.C. & David McGlynn Waterford A.C.** Club winners were **Waterford A.C., Ennis Track A.C. & Leevale A.C.** with **Waterford, Cork & Clare** winning the Inter-County competition.

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