## **Tailteann Trophies for McMahon**



The GloHealth Tailteann Interprovincial Track & Field Championships took place on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2016 in Morton Stadium, Santry. Munster athletes took home 29 medals in total (10 gold, 11 silver & 8 bronze). Star athlete for Munster was **Gearoid McMahon, St. Caimin's Shannon** who not only won the Roisin O'Callaghan Memorial Trophy for the Best Athlete in the Race Walking event for the second year in a row in a new personal best time of 13.47.25 but he was also awarded the Fr. Lonergan Trophy for the Best Boy Athlete competing at the Championships.





Other athletes who put in top class performances on the day were Miriam Daly, Scoil Mhuire Carrick-On-Suir who did the double in the Girls 80mH & 300mH, Orla O'Connor, Waterpark College who won the Girls 3km Walk in 14.34.68, Joseph Miniter, Ennistymon CBS who won the Long Jump with 6.60m & bronze in the Triple Jump, Ciara Sheehy, St. Mary's Charleville who threw the Shot Putt out to 12.65m, Sean Mockler, Thurles CBS who won the Boys Hammer with a throw of 53.71m & bronze in the Discus, Tony Odubote, Rice College Ennis who won the Boys 400m in a time of

50.32, Claire Rafter, Ursuline Thurles who won the Girls 1500m in 4.44.85 & Darragh McElhinney, Colaiste Pobal Bheanntrai who won gold in the Boys 1500m in a time of 4.09.99. Silver medals were won by Jade O'Farrell Bond, Borrisokane CC (Hammer 47.15m), Joseph McEvoy, St. Anne's Killaloe (High Jump 1.95m), Jake Vermeer, Comeragh College (400mH 1.00.19), Sophie Meredith, SMI Newcastlewest (Long Jump 5.52m), Brian Lynch, Colaiste an Spioraid Naomh (Long Jump 6.36m), Katie Moynihan, Davis College (Javelin 38.74m), Emma Coffey, St. Angela's Cork (Pole Vault 3.20m), Alex O'Neill, Rice College Ennis (800m 2.16.99), Laura Nicholson, Bandon Grammer (1500m S/C 5.18.52), Conor Devane, St. Flannan's Ennis (1500m S/C 4.37.61) & Shane Monagle, Ard Scoil na Mara (100mH 13.89). Bronze medals went to Sean Mockler, Thurles CBS (Discus 40.52m), Ben Donovan, Midleton College (High Jump 1.90m), Gary Cronin, St. Brendan's Killarney (400mH 1.00.34), Sean Carolan, St. Mary's Newport (Long Jump 6.33m), Noelle Lenihan, Hazelwood College (Discus 32.38m), Joseph Miniter, Ennistymon CBS (Triple Jump 12.90m), Aaron Donnelly, Abbey CC (1500m S/C 4.44.75) & Katie Murphy, Abbey CC (200m 25.09).

In the Relay competitions, the Munster teams were  $2^{nd}$  in the Girls 4 x 100 with 3rd place finishes in the Boys 4 x 100m, Girls 4 x 400m & Boys 4 x 400m. Congratulations to all our athletes who competed on the day.



