

2022 GAA MEDIA GUIDE

Treoirleabhar na Meán 2022



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2022 GAA Media Guide - Teachtaireacht ón Uachtarán

A chairde,

I am delighted to formally welcome you to the GAA Championships for 2022.

For the last two years this media guide has felt like a leap into the unknown as we attempted to preview competitions while the harrowing pandemic cast its shadow over our plans.

In time, history will record the important societal role that major sporting events played in helping people endure many dark days of lockdowns and restrictions and the dread of the Covid disease. Just getting the Championships played in those calendar years was an achievement in itself.

As we look forward to what the 2022 summer has in store we do so with a renewed confidence and hope that the worst of those times are behind us.

And we have championships that will hopefully form part of that celebration of a new beginning.
This is a historic year for the GAA.

The advent of the split season is not without challenges, but it has not been rushed into and we sincerely hope that the benefits, particularly for providing certainty for club fixtures, will be worth any perceived risks.

It means that the inter-county calendar has been condensed and the action will come thick and fast.

In Liam MacCarthy hurling, Limerick have been the standard bearers who have responded to everything that has been asked of them in championship in 2020 and 2021 and have carved a special niche for themselves in the modern era. In sport, the envy of others is the fuel that drives pretenders to a throne and the Allianz Leagues have left us in no doubt, but that Limerick will be made work in the weeks ahead.

There is the return of the round robin groups in the Munster and Leinster Senior Championships which proved such a major attraction in the years before Covid with so many strong teams playing each other. Likewise, we expect the McDonagh, Ring, Rackard and Meagher Cup competitions to continue to play an invaluable role at affording these teams the chance to play and win a major trophy at Croke Park.

Gaelic football begins a new and exciting journey with the arrival of the Tailteann Cup.

Similar to the split season I am confident that players and supporters will respond to the increased competitiveness which it will achieve.

For six years the Sam Maguire Cup was in the hands of a Dublin team that created history. Last summer saw that run firmly ended by Mayo, who were then eclipsed by an inspired Tyrone side now cherishing their custody of the famous chalice. The drama and excitement of the recent Allianz Leagues has shown that there is a long list of serious contenders capable of stepping up to challenge the Red Hand county's grip of that prize. The result is that in both codes there is so much for us all to savour.

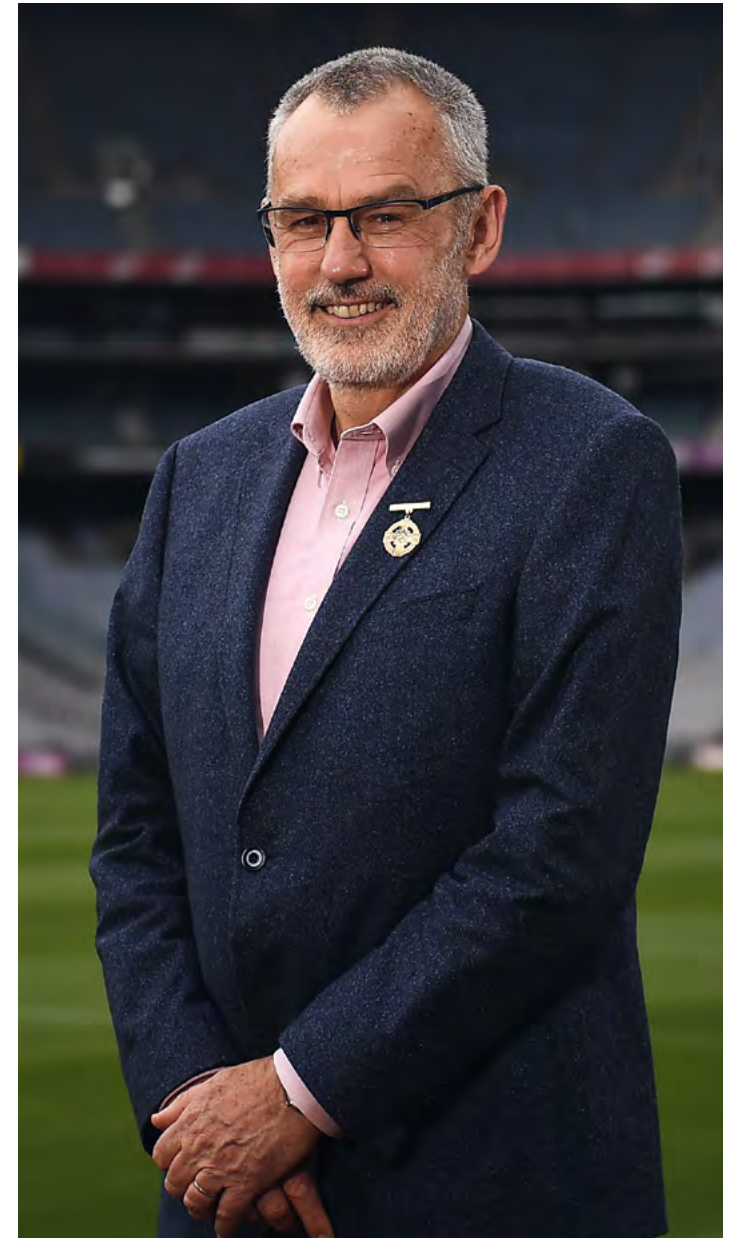
Since our very first days the relationship between the GAA and the media has been an important symbiotic one and I wish to acknowledge the assistance we receive from the various media outlets and platforms at enabling us to tell our story and celebrate our great games and the exceptional players who play them.

As the summer stretches out in front of us, we believe we have a great story still to tell and I look forward to your continuing support at assisting us in maintaining the prominent place that Gaelic Games has in Irish life and I hope that you find the assembled work of our communications department of benefit to you.

Rath Dé ar an obair.



Labhrás Mac Carthaigh
Uachtarán
Chumann Lúthchleas Gael





2022 GAA Media Guide – Foreword Alan Mac Maoldúin

A chairede,

Is cúis mhór áthais dom fáilte a chur roimh an bhfoilseachán seo agus tús Chraobhacha 2022 ag druidim linn.

It gives me great pleasure to mark the publication of the 2022 GAA Media Guide in what is in many ways an unprecedented period of change for our games.

Following the challenges and travails of the past two years due to the Covid pandemic, the 2022 season will bring with it more change as our season contracts with our All-Ireland finals scheduled for July and we see the staging of the Tailteann Cup for the first time.

Both are potentially ground-breaking developments, the full impact of which we are unlikely to see for a number of seasons.

While it means a possible loss of profile for our inter-county games in the month of August it poses a challenge of elevating and profiling our many club competitions in that month and beyond.

The advent of the Tailteann Cup has the potential to provide meaningful, competitive, knockout championship football for a host of counties previously denied that opportunity.

To that end the exposure of our games to the wider public through both the prism of our broadcast partners, the mainstream media and indeed our own channels has never been more important.

Of course, the focus of the GAA and our members does not fall on the Liam McCarthy and Sam Maguire competitions alone.

The commencement of the Tailteann Cup is an addition to a stable that already includes the Joe McDonagh, Christy Ring, Nickey Rackard and Lory Meagher competitions.

We acknowledge and thank you for the coverage afforded to our games and activities all year round and look forward to the same profiling of our games in the weeks and months ahead.

I hope you find the information contained herein useful over the course of the season and the Communications Department at Croke Park and our network of county Communications Officers will endeavour to assist you as required over the course of the championships.

Bainigí sult astu agus rath Dé ar an obair,

Alan Mac Maoldúin
Stiúrthóir Cumarsáide
Cumann Lúthchleas Gael



2022 Championship Formats

HURLING

The Liam MacCarthy Cup will begin with the Munster and Leinster championships with five teams in Munster and six teams in Leinster played on a round-robin basis.

The top two teams at the end of the round-robin phase will play in the provincial final. The provincial champions will progress to an All-Ireland semi-final.

Where two teams in the round robin phase are level on points the head-to-head result between them will determine their group place. If this does not apply due to a draw in that game or if more than two teams are tied on points, scoring difference will determine their league place.

The bottom-placed team in the Leinster Championship “Round-Robin” shall be relegated to the Joe McDonagh Cup. Exception, If Ciarraí wins the Joe McDonagh Cup, it shall play off against the bottom team in the Munster Championship “Round Robin” at a neutral Munster venue determined by the CCCC. The loser of that playoff game shall be relegated to the Joe McDonagh Cup. In that circumstance, the bottom team in the Leinster Championship “Round Robin” shall not be relegated.

The third-placed team in the Leinster & Munster group shall play off against the Joe McDonagh Winner & Runner-up in the Preliminary Quarter-Finals;

Winner Joe McDonagh Cup v 3rd-Placed Team Munster Group

Runner-Up Joe McDonagh Cup v 3rd-Placed Team Leinster Group

The Provincial Runner-up shall play a Preliminary Quarter-Finals winner in the Quarter-Final;

Leinster Runner-Up v Winner Joe McDonagh Cup/3rd Placed Munster Group

Munster Runner-Up v Runner-Up Joe McDonagh Cup/3rd Placed Leinster Group

The winners will progress to the semi-finals to play a provincial champion, The Semi-Finals will be subject to the respective Provincial Champions not meeting the defeated finalists from their province at this stage and, where feasible, the avoidance of repeat pairings, a draw shall be made to determine pairings.”

The All-Ireland final will take place on July 17th.

In the round robin phase of the provincial hurling championship, matches that end in a draw will result in each team receiving one point. A winning team gets two points.

In all knock-out games extra-time of two periods of 10 minutes will be required. In all games up to and including All-Ireland semi-finals if teams are still level after the 90 minutes, then a penalty taking competition will be required to determine the winner.

The only exception will be in the All-Ireland final where if teams are level after extra-time there is a replay. In the replay there will be extra-time and penalties if required.



2022 Championship Formats



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FOOTBALL

The Senior Football Championship will begin in April with the four provincial championships played on a straight knockout basis, with beaten teams taking part in Sam Maguire qualifiers or the Tailteann Cup.

The Sam Maguire Cup in 2022 will be contested by the teams that are ranked as Division 1 and Division 2 teams at the end of the 2022 Allianz league. This means the two promoted teams from D3 are regraded as up and replace the two teams who have been relegated from D2.

The teams ranked as D3 and D4 at the end of the Allianz League will compete in the new Tailteann Cup.

However, a team from D3 or D4 that reaches their provincial final will be eligible to play in Sam Maguire.

In the Sam Maguire Cup if one of the D3 or D4 teams reaches a provincial final it will require a Preliminary Round Game to reduce numbers to 16. The Preliminary Round shall be confined to Counties that have not qualified for their Provincial Championship Semi-Finals in the Competition Year. Byes are permitted in the Preliminary Round Draw where an uneven number of teams are involved.

Round 1 of the Sam Maguire qualifiers will be four games involving eight teams. An Open Draw shall be made to determine the pairings, with the first team drawn having home venue.

Round 2 will feature the four winners from round 1 against one of the provincial runners-up. An open draw shall be made to determine the pairings. Venues for Round 2 shall be determined by the CCCC.

All-Ireland Quarter-finals will feature the Round 2 winners against the Provincial champions. Draw is Subject to Provincial Final Winners avoiding defeated finalists from their own Province in this Round and to the avoidance of repeat pairings where possible. Venues for Quarter-Finals shall be determined by the Central Competitions Control Committee. All-Ireland semi-finals will be Munster v Leinster (or the qualifier teams that beat them) and Connacht v Ulster (or the qualifier teams that beat them).

The All-Ireland SFC final will be played at Croke Park on July 24th.

In all games extra-time of two periods of 10 minutes will be required. In all games up to and including All-Ireland semi-finals if teams are still level after extra-time, then a penalty taking competition will be required to determine the winner.

The only exception will be in the All-Ireland final where if teams are level after extra-time there is a replay. In the replay there will be extra-time and penalties if required.

In the Tailteann Cup teams will be divided by CCCC into a North Group and a South Group. New York will enter the competition at the quarter-final stage with their game played in Ireland.

There will be an open draw to determine a preliminary round if there are more than 16 teams involved.

The **Tailteann Cup** is played as a straight knockout competition.

The Tailteann Cup semi-finals will be stand-alone fixtures with live tv on Sunday June 19th. The Tailteann Cup final will be played in Croke Park on July 9th along with a Sam Maguire Semi-Final.

In all games, extra-time of two periods of 10 minutes will be required. In all games up to and including All-Ireland finals if teams are still level after extra-time, then a penalty taking competition will be required to determine the winner.



2022 Hurling Media Guide - Plenty of Challengers

by John Harrington, GAA.ie



When Limerick dismantled Cork in last year's All-Ireland Final to make it three Liam MacCarthy Cups in four years, their dominance of the game looked more pronounced than ever.

And when you considered the age profile as well as quality of their panel combined with the excellence of their management brains trust, it was easy to look towards the 2022 All-Ireland Championship with green-tinted glasses.

And now? Well, it's not looking so cut and dried any more, is it?

Limerick's Allianz League campaign was a subdued one that saw them display an unfamiliar vulnerability as they were beaten three times, including a heavy nine-point defeat to Cork.

What stood out most about that match was just how second-best Limerick were in terms of the metric they usually score highest in – work rate.

It was very unusual to see them so comprehensively out-hustled and out-fought by Cork in the physical exchanges and made you wonder if perhaps the success of the last four years had sated appetites somewhat.

It'll be no surprise if Limerick are a very different beast when they play Cork in the first round of the Munster SHC round-robin on April 17, but we can only judge them on what we've seen so far this year and there will be a couple of areas of concern for manager John Kiely.

Until they cut loose in their final match of the campaign against Offaly, they'd only scored two goals in four matches and don't seem to have the same cutting edge without the injured Peter Casey to call on. In his absence, a lot of responsibility will rest on Aaron Gillane's shoulders to get back to his very best form.

If Limerick have regressed slightly, then who is best placed to knock them from their perch? The obvious answer is a Waterford team that looked sensational at times when cutting through Cork in the Allianz Hurling League Final.

Liam Cahill's well-drilled team look to have everything they need to go all the way this year. Serious depth, a voracious work-ethic, and a forward line that is now consistently going for the jugular as evidenced by the 22 goals they scored in their successful league campaign.

As for the other contenders, Cork and Kilkenny probably look the next best placed to mount serious challenges in this year's championship.

Their heavy defeat to Waterford in that league final does raise some doubts about Cork's mettle again, but until that match they'd played with an impressive physical intensity and defensive organisation to complement the skill and speed in attack that was already there.

Having just one home match in Munster will be a disadvantage, but if they can hit the ground running in the first round against Limerick then Cork's talented young team could really take off.

Kilkenny will take lots of positives from the league, most especially Pádraig Walsh's successful relocation to the forwards and the form of young players like David Blanchfield, Mikey Butler and Cian Kenny.



2022 Hurling Media Guide - Plenty of Challengers

Centre-back remains something of a problem position, but if Paddy Deegan can nail down that defensive pivot then the Cats will really start looking like a potent team.

Wexford were the most improved team in the country until they were taken apart by Waterford in the league semi-final. It looked like Lee Chin suffered a recurrence of his hamstring injury in that match too and if he's missing for their opening match against Galway it'll be a big blow.

As for the Tribesmen, they look like a team in transition under new manager Henry Shefflin as do Tipperary under Colm Bonnar. You would never write off either county, but on the basis of what we've seen so far this year they both look some way off the standard that was set by Waterford.

Dublin had a solid league campaign but lack a little bit of magic in attack, while Clare have plenty of firepower but perhaps not the defensive solidity to complement it.

Momentum is key in the round-robin phase, so a good start will be half the battle for all concerned.

JOE McDONAGH CUP

Antrim look like the team to beat in the Joe McDonagh Cup this year after an encouraging Allianz Hurling League Division 1 campaign that saw them stay up by beating another McDonagh Cup competitor, Offaly.

As well as that win Antrim were also extremely competitive against Waterford, Kilkenny, Dublin, and Laois and if they can bring the same consistency of performance into the Championship should be well-placed to lift some silverware, with Offaly and Carlow arguably their two biggest rivals.

CHRISTY RING CUP

Last year's beaten Christy Ring Cup finalists, Derry, look like a team on a mission to go one further this year. They were very impressive winners of Division 2B of the Allianz Hurling League this year winning all six of their matches. Their biggest challengers in the Christy Ring Cup this year is likely to be Kildare. The Lilywhites operated in Division 2A of the Allianz Hurling League this year and competed in the Joe McDonagh Cup last year so they're used to a higher level of competition.

NICKEY RACKARD CUP

It's 100 years since the birth of Nickey Rackard, and the Cup that honours him should be a very competitive one this year. 2020 champions Donegal have arguably the best pedigree, but Tyrone looked strong when winning Division 3A of the Allianz Hurling League this year.

LORY MEAGHER CUP

Monaghan and Louth are the two highest ranked league teams in the Lory Meagher Cup this year and will start the competition as favourites, but keep an eye out too for a Longford team that showed good form when reaching the Division 3B League Final. Lancashire are dark horses too.



Senior Hurling Championship Roll of Honour



KILKENNY

36

1904, 1905, 1907, 1909, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1922, 1932, 1933, 1935, 1939, 1947, 1957, 1963, 1967, 1969, 1972, 1974, 1975, 1979, 1982, 1983, 1992, 1993, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015



CORK

30

1890, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1902, 1903, 1919, 1926, 1928, 1929, 1931, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1946, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1966, 1970, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1984, 1986, 1990, 1999, 2004, 2005



TIPPERARY

28

1887, 1895, 1896, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1906, 1908, 1916, 1925, 1930, 1937, 1945, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1958, 1961, 1962, 1964, 1965, 1971, 1989, 1991, 2001, 2010, 2016, 2019



LIMERICK

10

1897, 1918, 1921, 1934, 1936, 1940, 1973, 2018, 2020, 2021



DUBLIN

6

1889, 1917, 1920, 1924, 1927, 1938



WEXFORD

6

1910, 1955, 1956, 1960, 1968, 1996



GALWAY

5

1923, 1980, 1987, 1988, 2017

OFFALY

4

1981, 1985, 1994, 1998



CLARE

4

1914, 1995, 1997, 2013

WATERFORD

2

1948, 1959



KERRY

1

1891

LONDON

1

1901

LAOIS

1

1915



2022 Hurling Media Guide - Senior Hurling Championship Fixtures

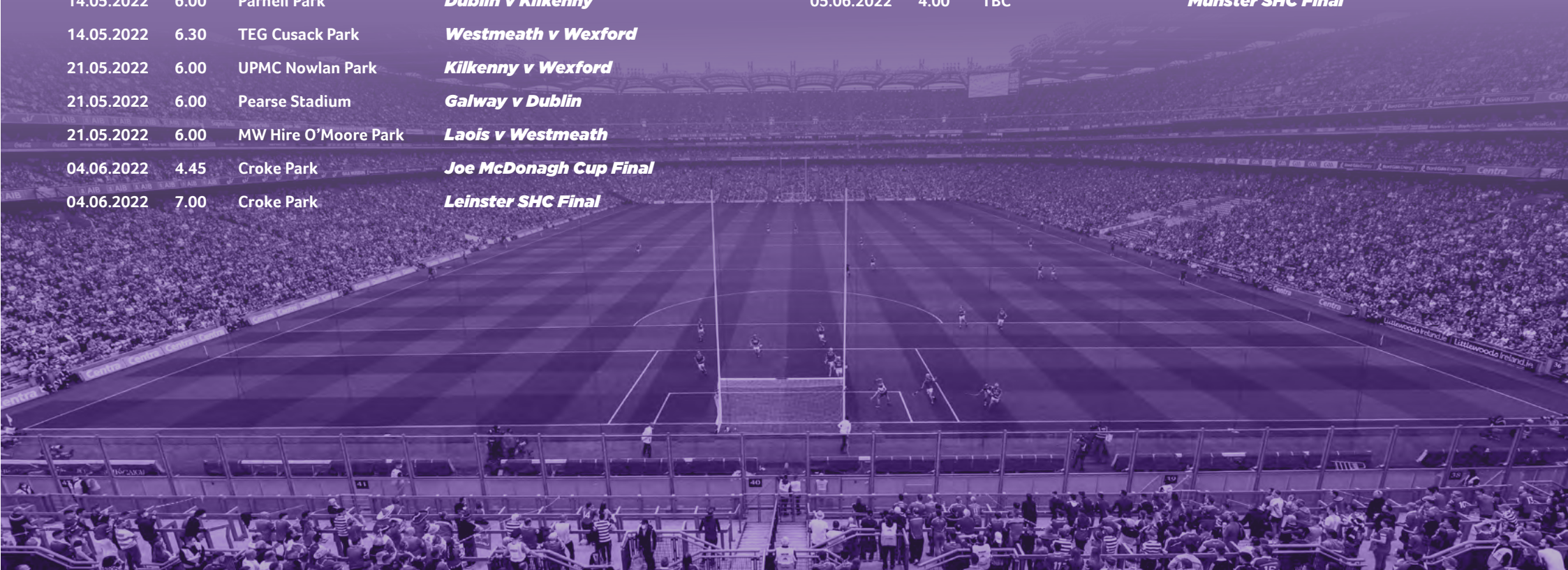


LEINSTER SHC FIXTURES 2022

16.04.2022	4.30	Chadwicks Wexford Park	Wexford v Galway
16.04.2022	6.00	TEG Cusack Park	Westmeath v Kilkenny
16.04.2022	6.30	Parnell Park	Dublin v Laois
23.04.2022	5.00	Chadwicks Wexford Park	Wexford v Dublin
23.04.2022	5.30	UPMC Nowlan Park	Kilkenny v Laois
23.04.2022	6.00	Pearse Stadium	Galway v Westmeath
01.05.2022	2.30	MW Hire O'Moore Park	Laois v Wexford
01.05.2022	2.00	Pearse Stadium	Galway v Kilkenny
01.05.2022	3.00	TEG Cusack Park	Westmeath v Dublin
14.05.2022	5.00	MW Hire O'Moore Park	Laois v Galway
14.05.2022	6.00	Parnell Park	Dublin v Kilkenny
14.05.2022	6.30	TEG Cusack Park	Westmeath v Wexford
21.05.2022	6.00	UPMC Nowlan Park	Kilkenny v Wexford
21.05.2022	6.00	Pearse Stadium	Galway v Dublin
21.05.2022	6.00	MW Hire O'Moore Park	Laois v Westmeath
04.06.2022	4.45	Croke Park	Joe McDonagh Cup Final
04.06.2022	7.00	Croke Park	Leinster SHC Final

MUNSTER SHC FIXTURES 2022

17.04.2022	4.00	Páirc Uí Chaoimh	Cork v Limerick
17.04.2022	2.00	Walsh Park	Waterford v Tipperary
23.04.2022	7.00	TUS Gaelic Grounds	Limerick v Waterford
24.04.2022	2.00	FBD Semple Stadium	Tipperary v Clare
01.05.2022	2.00	FBD Semple Stadium	Cork v Clare
08.05.2022	2.00	TUS Gaelic Grounds	Limerick v Tipperary
15.05.2022	4.00	Cusack Park	Clare v Limerick
15.05.2022	2.00	Walsh Park	Waterford v Cork
22.05.2022	TBC	FBD Semple Stadium	Tipperary v Cork
22.05.2022	TBC	Cusack Park	Clare v Waterford
05.06.2022	4.00	TBC	Munster SHC Final



2022 Hurling Media Guide - LEINSTER



AN IARMHÍ / WESTMEATH

All-Ireland Titles: 0
Leinster Titles: 0
Manager: Joe Fortune
Captains: Killian Doyle and Aonghus Clarke

2021 Championship: (Joe McDonagh Cup): Westmeath 0-23 Carlow 0-18, Westmeath 2-19 Kildare 1-21, Westmeath 2-28 Kerry 1-24

PRO: Marie Lynagh **Ph:** 087 6716595 **e:** pro.westmeath@gaa.ie



ÁTH CLIATH / DUBLIN

All-Ireland Titles: 6 (1938)
Leinster Titles: 24 (2013)
Manager: Mattie Kenny
Captain: Eoghan O'Donnell

2021 Championship: Dublin 3-31 Antrim 0-22, Dublin 1-18 Galway 1-14, Kilkenny 1-25 Dublin 0-19, Cork 2-26 Dublin 0-24

PRO: Fiona Waters **Ph:** 01 8312099 **e:** pro.dublin@gaa.ie



CILL CHAINNIGH / KILKENNY

All-Ireland Titles: 36 (2015)
Leinster Titles: 73 (2021)
Manager: Brian Cody
Captain: Richie Reid

2021 Championship: Kilkenny 2-37 Wexford 2-29, Kilkenny 1-25 Dublin 0-19, Cork 1-37 Kilkenny 1-32

PRO: Paul Fitzgerald **Ph:** 087 9745950 **e:** pro.kilkenny@gaa.ie



LAOIS

All-Ireland Titles: 1 (1915)
Leinster Titles: 3 (1949)
Manager: Séamas Plunkett
Captains: Podge Delaney and John Lennon

2021 Championship: Wexford 5-31 Laois 1-23, Laois 2-27 Antrim 2-21, Waterford 3-23 Laois 2-21

PRO: Canice McCarthy **Ph:** 086 2652503 **e:** pro.laois@gaa.ie



GAILLIMH / GALWAY

All-Ireland Titles: 5 (2017)
Leinster Titles: 3 (2018)
Manager: Henry Shefflin
Captain: Daithí Burke

2021 Championship: Dublin 1-18 Galway 1-14, Waterford 1-30 Galway 3-20

PRO: Michelle Healy **Ph:** 087 2233982 **e:** pro.galway@gaa.ie



LOCH GARMAN / WEXFORD

All-Ireland Titles: 6 (1996)
Leinster Titles: 20 (2019)
Manager: Darragh Egan
Captain: Lee Chin

2021 Championship: Wexford 5-31 Laois 1-23, Kilkenny 2-37 Wexford 2-29, Clare 2-25 Wexford 2-22

PRO: Colm Lambert **Ph:** 086 2737617 **e:** pro.wexford@gaa.ie

2022 Hurling Media Guide - MUNSTER



AN CLÁR / CLARE

All-Ireland Titles: 4 (2013)

Munster Titles: 6 (1998)

Manager: Brian Lohan

Captain: Tony Kelly

2021 Championship: Clare 1-22 Waterford 0-21, Tipperary 3-23 Clare 2-22, Clare 2-25 Wexford 2-22, Cork 3-19 Clare 1-23

PRO: Michael O'Connor

Ph: 087 9840184

e: pro.clare@gaa.ie



CORCAIGH / CORK

All-Ireland Titles: 30 (2005)

Munster Titles: 54 (2018)

Manager: Kieran Kingston

Captain: Mark Coleman

2021 Championship: Limerick 2-22 Cork 1-17, Cork 3-19 Clare 1-23, Cork 2-26 Dublin 0-24, Cork 1-37 Kilkenny 1-32, Limerick 3-32 Cork 1-22

PRO: Francis Kenneally

Ph: 086 8332158

e: pro.cork@gaa.ie



LUIMNEACH / LIMERICK

All-Ireland Titles: 10 (2021)

Munster Titles: 22 (2021)

Manager: John Kiely

Captain: Declan Hannon

2021 Championship: 2021 Championship: Limerick 2-22 Cork 1-17, Limerick 2-29 Tipperary 3-21, Limerick 1-25 Waterford 0-17, Limerick 3-32 Cork 1-22

PRO: Hugh Murphy

Ph: 087 9231493

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TIOBRAID ÁRANN / TIPPERARY

All-Ireland Titles: 28 (2019)

Munster Titles: 44 (2016)

Manager: Colm Bonnar

Captain: Ronan Maher

2021 Championship: Tipperary 3-23 Clare 2-22, Limerick 2-29 Tipperary 3-21, Waterford 4-28 Tipperary 2-27

PRO: Jonathan Cullen

Ph: 086 8098669

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PORT LÁIRGE / WATERFORD

All-Ireland Titles: 2 (1959)

Munster Titles: 9 (2010)

Manager: Liam Cahill

Captain: Conor Prunty

2021 Championship: Clare 1-22 Waterford 0-21, Waterford 3-23 Laois 2-21, Waterford 1-30 Galway 3-20, Waterford 4-28 Tipperary 2-27, Limerick 1-25 Waterford 0-17

PRO: Taylor Murray

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Joe McDonagh/Christy Ring/Nickey Rackard/Lory Meagher Cups Roll of Honour

JOE McDONAGH CUP – ROLL OF HONOUR

1	Carlow	(2018)
	Laois	(2019)
	Antrim	(2020)
	Westmeath	(2021)

CHRISTY RING CUP – ROLL OF HONOUR

3	Westmeath	(2005, 2007, 2010)
	Carlow	(2008, 2009, 2017)
	Kildare	(2014, 2018, 2020)
2	Kerry	(2011, 2015)
	Meath	(2016, 2019)
1	Antrim	(2006)
	London	(2012)
	Down	(2013)
	Offaly	(2021)



NICKEY RACKARD CUP – ROLL OF HONOUR

3	Donegal	(2013, 2018, 2020)
2	London	(2005, 2011)
	Armagh	(2010, 2012)
	Roscommon	(2007, 2015)
	Derry	(2006, 2017)
	Sligo	(2008, 2019)
	Mayo	(2016, 2021)
1	Meath	(2009)
	Tyrone	(2014)

LORY MEAGHER CUP – ROLL OF HONOUR

2	Tyrone	(2009, 2012)
	Longford	(2010, 2014)
	Warwickshire	(2013, 2017)
	Louth	(2016, 2020)
1	Fermanagh	(2015, 2021)
	Donegal	(2011)
	Sligo	(2018)
	Leitrim	(2019)



JOE McDONAGH CUP

FORMAT

- The Joe McDonagh Cup shall have Six Teams in its Championship and shall be played on a Round-Robin basis.
- Each County shall have three home games and two away games which shall rotate every other year.
- The counties who finish in the top two places shall qualify for the final.
- The winner of the final if a non-Munster team, shall be promoted to the Leinster Championship. If Ciarraí wins the Joe McDonagh Cup, it shall play off against the bottom team in the Munster Championship "Round Robin" at a neutral Munster Venue determined by the CCC. The loser of that playoff game shall be relegated to the Joe McDonagh Cup. In that circumstance, the bottom team in the Leinster Championship "Round Robin" shall not be relegated.
- The bottom-placed team in the "Round-Robin" shall be relegated to the Christy Ring Cup.
- The venue for the final shall be determined by the CCC.

LEINSTER	MUNSTER	ULSTER
An Mhí	Ciarraí	Aontroim
Ceatharlach		An Dún
Uíbh Fhailí		

Antrim v Offaly	16/04/2022	Round 1
Kerry v Down	16/04/2022	Round 1
Meath v Carlow	16/04/2022	Round 1
Carlow v Kerry	23/04/2022	Round 2
Offaly v Meath	23/04/2022	Round 2
Down v Antrim	24/04/2022	Round 2
Antrim v Carlow	30/04/2022	Round 3
Kerry v Meath	30/04/2022	Round 3
Down v Offaly	01/05/2022	Round 3
Carlow v Down	14/05/2022	Round 4
Kerry v Offaly	14/05/2022	Round 4
Meath v Antrim	15/05/2022	Round 4
Antrim v Kerry	21/05/2022	Round 5
Down v Meath	21/05/2022	Round 5
Offaly v Carlow	21/05/2022	Round 5
Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner	04/06/2022	Final



2022 Hurling Media Guide - Joe McDonagh Cup Teams



AN MHÍ / MEATH

Manager: Nick Weir
Captains: Seán Geraghty and Mark O'Sullivan

2021 Championship: Down 1-27 Meath 2-16, Meath 0-28 Kerry 1-21, Meath 0-28 Kildare 1-15

PRO: Ciarán Flynn Ph: 086 8458408 e: pro.meath@gaa.ie



CEATHARLACH / CARLOW

Manager: Tom Mullally
Captain: TBC

2021 Championship: Carlow 2-22 Kildare 3-16, Westmeath 0-23 Carlow 0-18

PRO: Ger Doyle Ph: 087-6182062 e: pro.carlow@gaa.ie



UÍBH FHAILÍ / OFFALY

Manager: Michael Fennelly
Captain: Ben Conneely

2021 Championship: (Christy Ring Cup): Offaly 2-39 Sligo 2-17, Offaly 6-30 Wicklow 0-10, Offaly 0-41 Derry 2-14

PRO: Pádraig O'Meara Ph: 087 9795636 e: pro.offaly@gaa.ie



CIARRAÍ / KERRY

Manager: Stephen Molumphy
Captain: Paudie O'Connor

2021 Championship: Kerry 2-24 Down 1-21, Meath 0-28 Kerry 1-21, Westmeath 2-28 Kerry 1-24

PRO: Leona Twiss Ph: 087 9840125 e: pro.kerry@gaa.ie



AONTROIM / ANTRIM

Manager: Darren Gleeson
Captain: Eoghan Campbell

2021 Championship: (Liam MacCarthy Cup): Dublin 3-31 Antrim 0-22, Laois 2-27 Antrim 2-21

PRO: Dan McConnell Ph: 075 13559036 e: pro.antrim@gaa.ie



AN DÚN / DOWN

Manager: Ronan Sheenan
Captain: Stephen Keith

2021 Championship: Kerry 2-24 Down 1-21, Down 1-27 Meath 2-16

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CHRISTY RING CUP

FORMAT

- The Christy Ring Cup shall have Six Teams in its Championship and shall be played on a Round-Robin basis.
- Each County shall have three home games and two away games which shall rotate every other year.
- The counties who finish in the top two places shall qualify for the final.
- The winner of the final shall be promoted to the Joe McDonagh Cup.
- The bottom-placed team in the "Round-Robin" shall be relegated to the Nickey Rackard Cup.
- The venue for the final shall be determined by the CCC.

CONNACHT	LEINSTER	ULSTER	BRITAIN
Maigh Eo	Cill Dara	Doire	Londain
Sligeach	Cill Mhantáin		

London v Sligo	09/04/2022	Round 1
Derry v Wicklow	10/04/2022	Round 1
Mayo v Kildare	10/04/2022	Round 1
Kildare v London	16/04/2022	Round 2
Wicklow v Mayo	16/04/2022	Round 2
Sligo v Derry	17/04/2022	Round 2
Kildare v Derry	23/04/2022	Round 3
London v Mayo	23/04/2022	Round 3
Sligo v Wicklow	23/04/2022	Round 3
Mayo v Sligo	07/05/2022	Round 4
Wicklow v Kildare	07/05/2022	Round 4
Derry v London	08/05/2022	Round 4
Kildare v Sligo	14/05/2022	Round 5
London v Wicklow	14/05/2022	Round 5
Mayo v Derry	14/05/2022	Round 5
1st Placed Team v 2nd Placed Team	21/05/2022 - 22/05/2022	Final



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MAIGH EO/ MAYO

Manager: Derek Walsh
Captain: Shane Boland

2021 Championship: (Nickey Rackard Cup): Mayo 2-14 Donegal 0-17, Mayo 0-29 Leitrim 0-10, Mayo 2-23 Armagh 2-9, Mayo 2-27 Tyrone 1-14

PRO: John Walker

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SLIGEACH / SLIGO

Manager: Pádraig Mannion
Captain: Finnian Cawley

2021 Championship: Offaly 2-39 Sligo 2-17, Sligo 2-18 Roscommon 1-20, Derry 0-28 Sligo 2-17

PRO: Pádraig McKeon

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CILL DARA / KILDARE

Manager: David Herity
Captain: Brian Byrne

2021 Championship: (Joe McDonagh Cup): Carlow 2-22 Kildare 3-16, Westmeath 2-19 Kildare 1-21, Meath 0-28 Kildare 1-15

PRO: Lorraine O'Connor

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CILL MHANTÁIN / WICKLOW

Manager: Eamonn Scallan
Captain: Eoin McCormack

2021 Championship: Wicklow 2-18 Roscommon 1-11, Derry 2-23 Wicklow 0-18, Offaly 6-30 Wicklow 0-10

PRO: Bridget Kenny

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DOIRE / DERRY

Manager: Dominic McKinley
Captain: Cormac O'Doherty

2021 Championship: Derry 0-19 Roscommon 1-15, Derry 2-23 Wicklow 0-18, Derry 0-28 Sligo 2-17, Offaly 0-41 Derry 2-14

PRO: Ciarán McRory

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LONDAIN / LONDON

Manager: Kevin McMullan
Captain: Brendan McCarry

2021 Championship: Did Not Participate

PRO: Fiona O'Brien

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NICKEY RACKARD CUP

FORMAT

- The Nickey Rackard Cup shall have Six Teams in its Championship and shall be played on a Round-Robin basis.
- Each County shall have three home games and two away games which shall rotate every other year.
- The counties who finish in the top two places shall qualify for the final.
- The winner of the final shall be promoted to the Christy Ring Cup.
- The bottom-placed team in the "Round-Robin" shall be relegated to the Lory Meagher Cup.
- The venue for the final shall be determined by the CCC.

CONNACHT	ULSTER	BRITAIN
Ros Comáin	Ard Mhacha	Warwickshire
	Dún na nGall	
	Fear Manach	
	Tír Eoghain	

Armagh v Roscommon	10/04/2022	Round 1
Fermanagh v Donegal	10/04/2022	Round 1
Warwickshire v Tyrone	10/04/2022	Round 1
Donegal v Armagh	17/04/2022	Round 2
Roscommon v Warwickshire	17/04/2022	Round 2
Tyrone v Fermanagh	17/04/2022	Round 2
Donegal v Roscommon	23/04/2022	Round 3
Tyrone v Armagh	23/04/2022	Round 3
Fermanagh v Warwickshire	24/04/2022	Round 3
Armagh v Fermanagh	07/05/2022	Round 4
Roscommon v Tyrone	07/05/2022	Round 4
Warwickshire v Donegal	07/05/2022	Round 4
Fermanagh v Roscommon	14/05/2022	Round 5
Tyrone v Donegal	14/05/2022	Round 5
Warwickshire v Armagh	14/05/2022	Round 5
1st Placed Team v 2nd Placed Team	21/05/2022 - 22/05/2022	Final



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ROS COMÁIN / ROSCOMMON

Manager: Francis O'Halloran
Captain: Peter Kellehan

2021 Championship: (Christy Ring Cup): Wicklow 2-18 Roscommon 1-11,
Derry 0-19 Roscommon 1-15, Sligo 2-18 Roscommon 1-20

PRO: John O'Connor

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ARD MHACHA / ARMAGH

Manager: Pádraig O'Connor
Captain: Paddy McBride

2021 Championship: Tyrone 1-18 Armagh 1-16, Armagh 7-25 Leitrim 1-21,
Mayo 2-23 Armagh 2-9

PRO: Shaun Casey

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DÚN NA nGALL / DONEGAL

Manager: Michael McCann
Captain: Ronan McDermott

2021 Championship: Mayo 2-14 Donegal 0-17, Donegal 1-27 Leitrim 4-10,
Tyrone 2-24 Donegal 1-21

PRO: John McEniff

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FEAR MANACH / FERMANAGH

Manager: Joe Baldwin
Captain: Ryan Bogue

2021 Championship: (Lory Meagher Cup): Cavan 1-16 Fermanagh 0-17,
Fermanagh 3-15 Monaghan 4-6, Fermanagh 1-21 Longford 1-13, Fermanagh 3-26 Cavan 1-17

PRO: Deirdre Felloni

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TÍR EOGHAIN / TYRONE

Manager: Michael McShane
Captain: Conor Grogan

2021 Championship: Tyrone 1-18 Armagh 1-16, Tyrone 2-24 Donegal 1-21,
Mayo 2-27 Tyrone 1-14

PRO: Eugene McConnell

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WARWICKSHIRE

Manager: Chris Brough
Captain: John Collins

2021 Championship: Did Not Participate

PRO: Shay Harnett

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LORY MEAGHER CUP

FORMAT

- The Lory Meagher Cup shall have Six Teams in its Championship and shall be played on a Round-Robin basis.
- Each County shall have three home games and two away games which shall rotate every other year.
- The counties who finish in the top two places shall qualify for the final.
- The winner of the final shall be promoted to the Nicky Rackard Cup.
- The venue for the final shall be determined by the CCC.

CONNACHT	LEINSTER	ULSTER	BRITAIN
Liatroim	An Lú	An Cabhán	Lancasír
Sligeach	An Longfort	Muineachán	

Points/Tie-Breakers – Round Robin for Lory Meagher, Nicky Rackard, Christy Ring and Joe McDonagh Cups

Each team will play the other teams once. Two points for a win and one point for a draw shall be awarded. In the event of teams finishing on equal points in the Groups, the tie shall be decided by the following means and in the order specified as per rule ;

- Where two teams only are involved – the outcome of the meeting of the two teams in the group
- Score difference – subtracting the total Scores against from the total Scores for;
- Highest Total Score For;
- Highest Total Goals For;
- A Play-Off.

In the event that two teams or more finish with equal points, but have been affected by a disqualification, loss of game on a proven objection, retirement or walk over, the tie shall be decided by the following means and in the order specified below:

- Score Difference from the games in which only the teams involved, (teams tied on points), have played each other. (subtracting the total Scores Against from total Scores For)
- Highest Total Score For, in which only the teams involved, have played each other, and have finished equal in (i)
- A Play-Off

Lancashire v Louth	10/04/2022	Round 1
Leitrim v Longford	10/04/2022	Round 1
Monaghan v Cavan	10/04/2022	Round 1
Cavan v Leitrim	17/04/2022	Round 2
Longford v Lancashire	17/04/2022	Round 2
Louth v Monaghan	17/04/2022	Round 2
Longford v Louth	23/04/2022	Round 3
Cavan v Lancashire	24/04/2022	Round 3
Leitrim v Monaghan	24/04/2022	Round 3
Lancashire v Leitrim	07/05/2022	Round 4
Louth v Cavan	07/05/2022	Round 4
Monaghan v Longford	07/05/2022	Round 4
Cavan v Longford	14/05/2022	Round 5
Leitrim v Louth	14/05/2022	Round 5
Monaghan v Lancashire	14/05/2022	Round 5
1st Placed Team v 2nd Placed Team	21/05/2022 - 22/05/2022	Final



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LIATROIM / LEITRIM

Manager: Olcan Conway
Captain: Martin Feeney

2021 Championship: (Nickey Rackard Cup): Mayo 0-29 Leitrim 0-10, Donegal 1-27 Leitrim 4-10, Armagh 7-25 Leitrim 1-21

PRO: Barbara Loughlin Byrne

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AN LÚ / LOUTH

Manager: Paul McCormack
Captain: Feidhlim Joyce

2021 Championship: Longford 8-25 Louth 3-19, Louth 3-15 Monaghan 0-17, Cavan 1-21 Louth 0-20

PRO: Mark Byrne

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AN LONGFORT / LONGFORD

Manager: Adrian Moran
Captain: John Casey

2021 Championship: Longford 8-25 Louth 3-19, Longford 1-16 Monaghan 0-19, Fermanagh 1-21 Longford 1-13

PRO: Gerry Forde

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AN CABHÁIN / CAVAN

Manager: Neil Cole
Captain: Matthew Hynes

2021 Championship: Cavan 1-16 Fermanagh 0-17, Cavan 1-21 Louth 0-20, Fermanagh 3-26 Cavan 1-17

PRO: Susan Brady

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MUINEACHÁIN / MONAGHAN

Manager: Arthur Hughes
Captains: Paddy Finnegan and Fergal Rafter

2021 Championship: Louth 3-15 Monaghan 0-17, Monaghan 0-19 Longford 1-16, Fermanagh 3-15 Monaghan 4-6

PRO: Majella Boyd

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LANCASÍR / LANCASHIRE

Manager: Stan Murray-Hession
Captain: Brian Slattery and Greg Jacob

2021 Championship: Did Not Participate

PRO: Dan Mellett

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COUNTY	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Antrim	Qualifier Preliminary Round	Joe McDonagh Winners	Joe McDonagh 3rd	Joe McDonagh 5th	Christy Ring Final
Armagh	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Nickey Rackard Round 2A	Nickey Rackard Final	Christy Ring Group 2 4th	Nickey Rackard Final
Carlow	Joe McDonagh 3rd	Joe McDonagh 4th	Leinster Round Robin 5th	All-Ireland preliminary q-final	Christy Ring Winners
Cavan	Lory Meagher Winners	Lory Meagher 3rd	Lory Meagher 4th	Lory Meagher 3rd	Lory Meagher 5th
Clare	Qualifier Round 2	All-Ireland quarter-final	Munster Round Robin 4th	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland quarter-final
Cork	All-Ireland Final	Qualifier Round 2	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland semi-final
Derry	Christy Ring Final	Christy Ring Round 2B	Christy Ring semi-final	Christy Ring semi-final	Nickey Rackard Winners
Donegal	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Nickey Rackard Winners	Christy Ring Group 1 4th	Nickey Rackard Winners	Nickey Rackard quarter-final
Down	Joe McDonagh 4th	Christy Ring Final	Christy Ring Final	Christy Ring Group 2 3rd	Christy Ring semi-final
Dublin	All-Ireland quarter-final	Qualifier Round 1	All-Ireland preliminary q-final	Leinster Round Robin 4th	Qualifier Round 2
Fermanagh	Lory Meagher Final	Lory Meagher Final	Lory Meagher 3rd	Lory Meagher 4th	Lory Meagher 6th
Galway	Qualifier Round 2	All-Ireland semi-final	Leinster Round Robin 4th	All-Ireland Final	Champions
Kerry	Joe McDonagh Final	Joe McDonagh Final	Joe McDonagh 4th	Joe McDonagh 3rd	Leinster Qualifier Group 3rd
Kildare	Joe McDonagh 6th	Christy Ring Winners	Christy Ring Group 2 3rd	Christy Ring Winners	Christy Ring quarter-final
Kilkenny	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland Final	All-Ireland quarter-final	Qualifier Round 2
Laois	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 1	All-Ireland quarter-final	Joe McDonagh 4th	Qualifier Round 1
Leitrim	Nickey Rackard quarter-final	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Lory Meagher Winners	Nickey Rackard Group 2 - 3rd	Lory Meagher Final
Limerick	Champions	Champions	All-Ireland semi-final	Champions	Qualifier Round 1
Longford	Lory Meagher semi-final	Nickey Rackard Round 2B	Nickey Rackard Group 1 - 3rd	Nickey Rackard Group 1 - 3rd	Nickey Rackard quarter-final
Louth	Lory Meagher semi-final	Lory Meagher Winners	Nickey Rackard Group 2 - 4th	Nickey Rackard Group 1 - 4th	Nickey Rackard Round 2
Mayo	Nickey Rackard Winners	Nickey Rackard Final	Nickey Rackard Group 2 - 3rd	Christy Ring Group 2 4th	Christy Ring Round 2
Meath	Joe McDonagh 5th	Joe McDonagh 5th	Christy Ring Winners	Joe McDonagh 6th	Leinster Qualifier Group 4th
Monaghan	Lory Meagher quarter-final	Nickey Rackard Round 2B	Nickey Rackard Group 1 - 4th	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Nickey Rackard semi-final
Offaly	Christy Ring Winners	Christy Ring semi-final	Joe McDonagh 5th	Leinster Round Robin 5th	Qualifier Round 1
Roscommon	Christy Ring quarter-final	Christy Ring semi-final	Christy Ring semi-final	Christy Ring Group 2 3rd	Christy Ring Round 2
Sligo	Christy Ring semi-final	Christy Ring Round 2B	Nickey Rackard Winners	Lory Meagher Winners	Lory Meagher 3rd
Tipperary	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland quarter-final	Champions	Munster Round Robin 4th	All-Ireland semi-final
Tyrone	Nickey Rackard Final	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Nickey Rackard semi-final	Nickey Rackard semi-final
Waterford	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland Final	Munster Round Robin 5th	Munster Round Robin 5th	All-Ireland Final
Westmeath	Joe McDonagh Winners	Joe McDonagh 3rd	All-Ireland preliminary q-final	All-Ireland preliminary q-final	Qualifier Round 1
Wexford	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland quarter-final
Wicklow	Christy Ring semi-final	Christy Ring Round 2A	Christy Ring Group 1 3rd	Christy Ring semi-final	Christy Ring semi-final

Senior Hurling Championship Referees

LIAM GORDON (GALWAY)

Club: Killimor
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Waterford v Laois

SHANE HYNES (GALWAY)

Club: Oranmore/Maree
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 10.7.2021 – Meath v Kerry

BRIAN KEON (GALWAY)

Club: Tommy Larkins
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Fermanagh v Longford

JAMES JUDGE (MAYO)

Club: Tooreen
2021 Championship Matches: 0
Last Championship Match: N/A

CAYMON FLYNN (WESTMEATH)

Club: St Loman's
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Armagh v Leitrim

KEVIN BRADY (LOUTH)

Club: Pearse Óg
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Derry v Sligo

SEÁN STACK (DUBLIN)

Club: Parnells
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Waterford v Galway

THOMAS GLEESON (DUBLIN)

Club: St Finbarr's
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 1.8.2021 – Offaly v Derry

CHRIS MOONEY (DUBLIN)

Club: St Patrick's Palmerstown
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 3.7.2021 – Derry v Roscommon

PAUD O'DWYER (CARLOW)

Club: Palatine
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 18.7.2021 – Limerick v Tipperary

PATRICK MURPHY (CARLOW)

Club: Ballinkillen
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 3.7.2021 – Down v Meath

SEÁN CLEERE (KILKENNY)

Club: O'Loughlin Gaels
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Westmeath v Kerry

JOHN KEENAN (WICKLOW)

Club: Aghrim
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 7.8.2021 – Limerick v Waterford

JAMES OWENS (WEXFORD)

Club: Askamore
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 31.7.2021 – Cork v Dublin

RICHIE FITZSIMONS (OFFALY)

Club: Birr
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 31.7.2021 – Mayo v Tyrone

RORY McGANN (CLARE)

Club: Newmarket-on-Fergus
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 3.7.2021 – Westmeath v Carlow

COLM LYONS (CORK)

Club: Nemo Rangers
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 31.7.2021 – Waterford v Tipperary

NATHAN WALL (CORK)

Club: Ballincollig
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Offaly v Wicklow

JOHNNY MURPHY (LIMERICK)

Club: Ballylanders
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Kilkenny v Dublin

THOMAS WALSH (WATERFORD)

Club: Modeligo
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 26.6.2021 – Wexford v Laois

FERGAL HORGAN (TIPPERARY)

Club: Knockavilla Kickhams
2021 Championship Matches: 4
Last Championship Match: 22.8.2021 – Limerick v Cork

KEVIN JORDAN (TIPPERARY)

Club: Thurles
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Mayo v Armagh

MICHAEL KENNEDY (TIPPERARY)

Club: Newcastle
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 31.7.2021 – Fermanagh v Cavan

JAMES CLARKE (CAVAN)

Club: Killinkere
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Fermanagh v Monaghan

COLUM CUNNING (ANTRIM)

Club: Cuchullains
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Meath v Kildare

COLM McDONALD (ANTRIM)

Club: St Gall's
2021 Championship Matches: 3
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Tyrone v Donegal

KEVIN PARKE (ANTRIM)

Club: St Enda's
2021 Championship Matches: 2
Last Championship Match: 24.7.2021 – Cavan v Louth

TARLACH CONWAY (DERRY)

Club: Ballinascreen
2021 Championship Matches: 1
Last Championship Match: 3.7.2021 – Mayo v Leitrim

AIDAN McALEER (DONEGAL)

Club: Naomh Pádraig
2021 Championship Matches: 0
Last Championship Match: N/A

JAMES CONNORS (DONEGAL)

Club: St Eunan's
2021 Championship Matches: 0
Last Championship Match: 17.10.2020 – Antrim v Down

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COUNTY	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Antrim	Ulster quarter-final	Ulster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 1
Armagh	Ulster semi-final	Ulster semi-final	Qualifier Round 3	Qualifier Round 4	All-Ireland quarter-final
Carlow	Leinster preliminary round	Leinster preliminary round	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 3
Cavan	Ulster quarter-final	All-Ireland semi-final	Qualifier Round 4	Qualifier Round 3	Qualifier Round 2
Clare	Munster quarter-final	Munster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 4	Qualifier Round 3	Qualifier Round 3
Cork	Munster Final	Munster Final	All-Ireland quarter-final	Qualifier Round 4	Qualifier Round 4
Derry	Ulster quarter-final	Ulster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2
Donegal	Ulster semi-final	Ulster Final	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland quarter-final	Qualifier Round 4
Down	Ulster preliminary round	Ulster semi-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 4
Dublin	All-Ireland semi-final	Champions	Champions	Champions	Champions
Fermanagh	Ulster quarter-final	Ulster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 4	Qualifier Round 1
Galway	Connacht Final	Connacht Final	Qualifier Round 4	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland quarter-final
Kerry	All-Ireland semi-final	Munster semi-final	All-Ireland Final	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland semi-final
Kildare	Leinster Final	Leinster semi-final	Qualifier Round 3	All-Ireland quarter-final	Qualifier Round 4
Laois	Leinster quarter-final	Leinster semi-final	Qualifier Round 4	Qualifier Round 4	Qualifier Round 2
Leitrim	Connacht semi-final	Connacht quarter-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 3	Qualifier Round 2
Limerick	Munster semi-final	Munster semi-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 1
Longford	Leinster quarter-final	Leinster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 2
Louth	Leinster preliminary round	Leinster preliminary round	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 1
Mayo	All-Ireland Final	All-Ireland Final	All-Ireland semi-final	Qualifier Round 3	All-Ireland Final
Meath	Leinster semi-final	Leinster Final	All-Ireland quarter-final	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 3
Monaghan	Ulster Final	Ulster preliminary round	Qualifier Round 2	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland quarter-final
Offaly	Leinster quarter-final	Leinster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 3	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 1
Roscommon	Connacht semi-final	Connacht semi-final	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland quarter-final	All-Ireland quarter-final
Sligo	Connacht quarter-final	Connacht semi-final	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 2
Tipperary	Munster semi-final	All-Ireland semi-final	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 3
Tyrone	Champions	Ulster quarter-final	All-Ireland semi-final	All-Ireland Final	All-Ireland semi-final
Waterford	Munster quarter-final	Munster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2	Qualifier Round 1
Westmeath	Leinster semi-final	Leinster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 3	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2
Wexford	Leinster quarter-final	Leinster preliminary round	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 2
Wicklow	Leinster preliminary round	Leinster quarter-final	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 1	Qualifier Round 1

Senior Football Championship Referees

JEROME HENRY (MAYO)

Club: Castlebar Mitchels

2021 Championship Matches: 1

Last Championship Match: 26.6.2021 – Kerry v Clare

PADDY NEILAN (ROSCOMMON)

Club: St Faithleach's

2021 Championship Matches: 0

Last Championship Match: 21.7.2019 – Kerry v Donegal

FERGAL KELLY (LONGFORD)

Club: Ballymahon

2021 Championship Matches: 2

Last Championship Match: 11.7.2021 – Mayo v Leitrim

DAVID COLDRICK (MEATH)

Club: Blackhall Gaels

2021 Championship Matches: 3

Last Championship Match: 17.7.2021 – Monaghan v Armagh

DAVID GOUGH (MEATH)

Club: Slane

2021 Championship Matches: 2

Last Championship Match: 31.7.2021 – Tyrone v Monaghan

BRENDAN CAWLEY (KILDARE)

Club: Sarsfields

2021 Championship Matches: 2

Last Championship Match: 10.7.2021 – Cork v Limerick

MAURICE DEEGAN (LAOIS)

Club: Stradbally

2021 Championship Matches: 1

Last Championship Match: 27.7.2021 – Donegal v Down

CONOR LANE (CORK)

Club: Banteer/Lyre

2021 Championship Matches: 4

Last Championship Match: 14.8.2021 – Mayo v Dublin

DEREK O'MAHONEY (TIPPERARY)

Club: Ardfinnan

2021 Championship Matches: 2

Last Championship Match: 18.7.2021 – Kildare v Westmeath

JOE McQUILLAN (CAVAN)

Club: Kill Shamrocks

2021 Championship Matches: 4

Last Championship Match: 11.9.2021 – Tyrone v Mayo

NOEL MOONEY (CAVAN)

Club: Cavan Gaels

2021 Championship Matches: 0

Last Championship Match: 4.8.2019 – Roscommon v Cork

PAUL FALOON (DOWN)

Club: Drumgath

2021 Championship Matches: 1

Last Championship Match: 26.6.2021 – Mayo v Sligo

BARRY CASSIDY (DERRY)

Club: Bellaghy

2021 Championship Matches: 2

Last Championship Match: 25.7.2021 Kerry v Cork

NIAL CULLEN (FERMANAGH)

Club: Erne Gaels

2021 Championship Matches: 1

Last Championship Match: 10.7.2021 – Kerry v Tipperary

MARTIN McNALLY (MONAGHAN)

Club: Corduff

2021 Championship Matches: 2

Last Championship Match: 1.8.2021 – Dublin v Kildare

SEÁN HURSON (TYRONE)

Club: Galbally Pearses

2021 Championship Matches: 1

Last Championship Match: 4.7.2021 – Armagh v Antrim

2022 GAA Media Guide - A Festival of Football is Imminent

by *Cian O'Connell*

For much of the past decade the format of the All-Ireland SFC has dominated the agenda. Debates and motions have been discussed at length, but on the eve of the 2022 Championship several counties quietly believe that success can be attained in the coming weeks.

A new schedule with the Tailteann Cup in operation means that progress can be made: hoisting silverware is a possibility.

Six years ago, Dermot Earley, then the GPA's chief executive, stood in the GAA museum surrounded by a string of reporters talking about the latest proposed solution to help remedy format and fixture issues.

During the course of the interview Earley acknowledged the relevance of tradition and the difficulties encountered in changing minds and approaches.

"I think an inter-county player, with the time that it takes from your personal life to be a player at that level, I think everybody deserves their shot at the top," Earley said. "Growing up as footballers, from the first time you kicked a ball, it was all about winning Sam Maguire and that's what I think is probably important."

An opportunity still exists to take a scalp and a run through the provincial championships for division three and four teams could lead to a place in the All-Ireland race.

A number of established counties will be striving to reach the latter stages as the Allianz Football League supplied ample evidence of Kerry's ability and the enduring class of David Clifford.

At the end of his acceptance speech, as Croke Park emptied, Clifford acknowledged the fact that another tussle involving Kerry and Mayo could well transpire. "No doubt we will be meeting you again," Clifford suggested.



Before that Kerry will want to produce in Munster. A May meeting awaits against Cork, while Limerick, Tipperary, and Clare, still passionate and purposeful, will all feel that 2022 could end on a positive note.

The nature of the Kerry loss meant the league finished on a disappointing note for Mayo, but nonetheless the previous seven matches offered encouragement for the green and red. James Horan experimented, but still won four encounters and drew one in a highly competitive environment.

Cillian O'Connor's return as a substitute in the league decider offered a crumb of comfort ahead of an eagerly anticipated Castlebar clash against Galway on April 24.

Roscommon's unbeaten Division Two campaign is a real boost for Anthony Cunningham's charges, who want to make an impact out west.

It promises to be typically competitive and hard fought in Ulster. In the league All-Ireland champions Tyrone did what was required to avoid relegation. Fergal Logan and Brian Dooher had Tyrone primed last year and that should certainly be the case once more in 2022.

Monaghan, with Jack McCarron in splendid form, defeated Dublin in a dramatic last round. After the match the locals celebrated gleefully at St Tiernach's Park, another chapter in the Monaghan football story added. Séamus 'Banty' McEnaney, ever the competitor, will want Monaghan to flourish on the Ulster stage.

Armagh enjoyed a productive return to the top tier too with Rian O'Neill showcasing his skill. Declan Bonner's Donegal and Cavan, who claimed Division Four glory, will have similar intentions.

In 2023 Dublin will play in Division Two, but before then Dessie Farrell will be adamant that a summer adventure can occur.

Transition is a dreaded word in elite sport, but the fact that so many decorated figures have departed the inter-county scene in recent years means Dublin have to reinvent themselves.

There is still an abundance of class in the Dublin panel and edgy championship matches at GAA headquarters might precisely be the place to illustrate their pedigree.

Can Meath and Kildare make a bid for Leinster honours? Mickey Harte's Louth, prompted by the brilliant Sam Mulroy, have claimed back-to-back promotions in league fare. Will further progress be made in the next few months?

The Tailteann Cup affords others an opportunity to dream. Perhaps that captures what sport is all about: the thought that better days await a team or a county.

Now a real chance to stitch a winning run together ensures counties are hopeful. Michael Maher's effective work with London was one of the tales of the league, especially the stirring start following two disrupted years.

Momentum can be generated and it will be fascinating to see how some of the journeys unfold in that competition. April, May, June, and July will be action packed. A festival of football is imminent.





Senior Football Championship Roll of Honour



SuperValu

	Kerry	37	1903, 1904, 1909, 1913, 1914, 1924, 1926, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1937, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1946, 1953, 1955, 1959, 1962, 1969, 1970, 1975, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1997, 2000, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2014
	Dublin	30	1891, 1892, 1894, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1901, 1902, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1942, 1958, 1963, 1974, 1976, 1977, 1983, 1995, 2011, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020
	Galway	9	1925, 1934, 1938, 1956, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1998, 2001
	Cork	7	1890, 1911, 1945, 1973, 1989, 1990, 2010
	Meath	7	1949, 1954, 1967, 1987, 1988, 1996, 1999
	Cavan	5	1933, 1935, 1947, 1948, 1952
	Wexford	5	1893, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918
	Down	5	1960, 1961, 1968, 1991, 1994
	Kildare	4	1905, 1919, 1927, 1928
	Tipperary	4	1889, 1895, 1900, 1920
	Tyrone	4	2003, 2005, 2008, 2021
	Mayo	3	1936, 1950, 1951
	Offaly	3	1971, 1972, 1982
	Louth	3	1910, 1912, 1957
	Roscommon	2	1943, 1944
	Donegal	2	1992, 2012
	Limerick	2	1887, 1896
	Armagh	1	2002
	Derry	1	1993



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LEINSTER SFC FIXTURES 2022

24.04.2022	2.30	Páirc Tailteann	Louth v Carlow
24.04.2022	3.00	Chadwick's Wexford Park	Wexford v Offaly
24.04.2022	3.30	Aughrim	Wicklow v Laois
30.04.2022	6.30	Tullamore/Wexford	Dublin v Offaly/Wexford
30.04.2022	6.00	TEG Cusack Park	Westmeath v Longford
01.05.2022	4.30	Portlaoise/Navan	Meath v Laois/Wicklow
01.05.2022	TBC	Navan/Portlaoise/Tullamore	Kildare v Louth/Carlow
15.05.2022	TBC	TBC	TBC v TBC
15.05.2022	TBC	TBC	TBC v TBC
28.05.2022	5.00	Croke Park	Leinster SFC Final

MUNSTER SFC FIXTURES 2022

30.04.2022	7.00	Fraher Field	Waterford v Tipperary
30.04.2022	6.00	Cusack Park	Clare v Limerick
07.05.2022	6.00	Fitzgerald Stadium	Kerry v Cork
14.05.2022	7.00	TBC	Clare/Limerick v Tipperary/Waterford
28.05.2022	3.00	TBC	Munster SFC Final



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CONNACHT SFC FIXTURES 2022

17.04.2022	2.30	Gaelic Park	New York v Sligo
17.04.2022	2.30	McGovern Park	London v Leitrim
24.04.2022	4.00	TBC	Mayo v Galway
01.05.2022	TBC	Markievicz Park/Hyde Park	Roscommon v New York/Sligo
08.05.2022	TBC	TBC	Mayo/Galway v London/Leitrim
29.05.2022	TBC		Connacht SFC Final

ULSTER SFC FIXTURES 2022

16.04.2022	6.30	Brewster Park	Fermanagh v Tyrone
23.04.2022	2.00	Corrigan Park	Antrim v Cavan
24.04.2022	2.00	Mac Cumhaill Park	Donegal v Armagh
30.04.2022	4.30	St Tiernach's Park	Monaghan v Down
01.05.2022	4.00	Celtic Park/O'Neill's Healy Park	Derry v Fermanagh/Tyrone
08.05.2022	4.00	TBC	TBC v TBC
15.05.2022	4.00	TBC	TBC v TBC
29.05.2022	4.00	TBC	Ulster SFC Final





GAILLIMH / GALWAY

All-Ireland Titles: 9 (2001)

Connacht Titles: 46 (2018)

Manager: Padraic Joyce

Captain: Seán Kelly

2021 Championship: Galway 2-11 Roscommon 0-12, Mayo 2-14 Galway 2-8

PRO: Michelle Healy

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LIATROIM / LEITRIM

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Connacht Titles: 2 (1994)

Manager: Andy Moran

Captain: David Bruen

2021 Championship: Mayo 5-20 Leitrim 0-11

PRO: Barbara Loughlin Byrne

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MAIGH EO / MAYO

All-Ireland Titles: 3 (1951)

Connacht Titles: 49 (2021)

Manager: James Horan

Captain: Stephen Coen

2021 Championship: Mayo 3-23 Sligo 0-12, Mayo 5-20 Leitrim 0-11, Mayo 2-14 Galway 2-8, Mayo 0-17 Dublin 0-14, Tyrone 2-14 Mayo 0-15

PRO: John Walker

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ROS COMÁIN / ROSCOMMON

All-Ireland Titles: 2 (1944)

Connacht Titles: 22 (2019)

Manager: Anthony Cunningham

Captain: Donie Smith

2021 Championship: Galway 2-11 Roscommon 0-12

PRO: John O'Connor

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SLIGEACH / SLIGO

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Connacht Titles: 3 (2007)

Manager: Tony McEntee

Captain: Keelan Cawley

2021 Championship: Mayo 3-23 Sligo 0-12

PRO: Pádraig McKeon

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LONDAIN / LONDON

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Connacht: 0

Manager: Michael Maher

Captain: Liam Gavaghan

2021 Championship: Did Not Participate

PRO: Fiona O'Brien

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NUA EABHARC / NEW YORK

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Connacht: 0

Manager: Johnny McGeeney

Captain: Jamie Boyle

2021 Championship: Did Not Participate

PRO: Tommy Kavanagh

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2022 Football Media Guide - MUNSTER



AN CLÁR / CLARE

All-Ireland Titles: 0
Munster Titles: 2 (1992)
Manager: Colm Collins
Captain: Eoin Cleary
2021 Championship: Kerry 3-22 Clare 1-11

PRO: Michael O'Connor

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CORCAIGH / CORK

All-Ireland Titles: 7 (2010)
Munster Titles: 37 (2012)
Manager: Keith Ricken
Captains: Seán Meehan and Brian Hurley
2021 Championship: Cork 1-16 Limerick 0-11, Kerry 4-22 Cork 1-9

PRO: Francis Kenneally

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CIARRAÍ / KERRY

All-Ireland Titles: 37 (2014)
Munster Titles: 82 (2021)
Manager: Jack O'Connor
Captain: Joe O'Connor
2021 Championship: Kerry 3-22 Clare 1-11, Kerry 1-19 Tipperary 1-8, Kerry 4-22 Cork 1-9, Tyrone 3-14 Kerry 0-22

PRO: Leona Twiss

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LUIMNEACH / LIMERICK

All-Ireland Titles: 2 (1896)
Munster Titles: 1 (1896)
Manager: Billy Lee
Captains: Donal O'Sullivan and Iain Corbett
2021 Championship: Limerick 4-18 Waterford 0-12, Cork 1-16 Limerick 0-11

PRO: Hugh Murphy

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TIOBRAID ÁRANN / TIPPERARY

All-Ireland Titles: 4 (1920)
Munster Titles: 10 (2020)
Manager: David Power
Captain: Conor Sweeney
2021 Championship: Kerry 1-19 Tipperary 1-8

PRO: Jonathan Cullen

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PORT LÁIRGE / WATERFORD

All-Ireland Titles: 0
Munster Titles: 1 (1898)
Manager: Ephie Fitzgerald
Captain: Dylan Guiry
2021 Championship: Limerick 4-18 Waterford 0-12

PRO: Taylor Murray

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2022 Football Media Guide - LEINSTER



CEATHARLACH / CARLOW

All-Ireland Titles: 0
Leinster Titles: 1 (1944)
Manager: Niall Carew
Captain: Darragh Foley
2021 Championship: Longford 0-25 Carlow 2-13

PRO: Ger Doyle **Ph:** 087-6182062 **e:** pro.carlow@gaa.ie



ÁTH CLIATH / DUBLIN

All-Ireland Titles: 30 (2020)
Leinster Titles: 60 (2021)
Manager: Dessie Farrell
Captain: TBC
2021 Championship: Dublin 0-15 Wexford 0-7, Dublin 2-16 Meath 1-13, Dublin 0-20 Kildare 1-9, Mayo 0-17 Dublin 0-14

PRO: Fiona Waters **Ph:** 01 8312099 **e:** pro.dublin@gaa.ie



CILL DARA / KILDARE

All-Ireland Titles: 4 (1928)
Leinster Titles: 13 (2000)
Manager: Glenn Ryan
Captain: Mick O'Grady
2021 Championship: Kildare 1-15 Offaly 0-13, Kildare 2-14 Westmeath 0-18, Dublin 0-20 Kildare 1-9

PRO: Lorraine O'Connor **Ph:** 087 6622945 **e:** pro.kildare@gaa.ie



SuperValu



LAOIS

All-Ireland Titles: 0
Leinster Titles: 6 (2003)
Manager: Billy Sheehan
Captains: Trevor Collins and Evan O'Carroll
2021 Championship: Westmeath 3-20 Laois 1-10

PRO: Canice McCarthy **Ph:** 086 2652503 **e:** pro.laois@gaa.ie



AN LONGFORT / LONGFORD

All-Ireland Titles: 0
Leinster Titles: 1 (1968)
Manager: Billy O'Loughlin
Captain: Michael Quinn
2021 Championship: Longford 0-25 Carlow 2-13, Meath 4-22 Longford 0-12

PRO: Gerry Forde **Ph:** 087 2789950 **e:** pro.longford@gaa.ie



AN LÚ / LOUTH

All-Ireland Titles: 3 (1957)
Leinster Titles: 8 (1957)
Manager: Mickey Harte
Captain: Sam Mulroy
2021 Championship: Longford 1-9 Louth 1-7

PRO: Mark Byrne **Ph:** 085 1428328 **e:** pro.louth@gaa.ie

2022 Football Media Guide - LEINSTER



AN MHÍ / MEATH

All-Ireland Titles: 7 (1999)

Leinster Titles: 21 (2010)

Manager: Andy McEntee

Captain: Cillian O'Sullivan

2021 Championship: Meath 4-22 Longford 0-12, Dublin 2-16 Meath 1-13

PRO: Ciarán Flynn

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UÍBH FHAILÍ / OFFALY

All-Ireland Titles: 3 (1982)

Leinster Titles: 10 (1997)

Manager: John Maughan

Captain: Johnny Moloney

2021 Championship: Offaly 3-19 Louth 0-19, Kildare 1-15 Offaly 0-13

PRO: Pádraig O'Meara

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AN IARMHÍ / WESTMEATH

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Leinster Titles: 1 (2004)

Manager: Jack Cooney

Captain: Kevin Maguire

2021 Championship: Westmeath 3-20 Laois 1-10, Kildare 2-14 Westmeath 0-18

PRO: Marie Lynagh

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SuperValu



LOCH GARMAN / WEXFORD

All-Ireland Titles: 5 (1918)

Leinster Titles: 10 (1945)

Manager: Shane Roche

Captain: Martin O'Connor

2021 Championship: Wexford 2-11 Wicklow 0-14, Dublin 0-15 Wexford 0-7

PRO: Colm Lambert

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CILL MHANTÁIN / WICKLOW

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Leinster Titles: 0

Managers: Alan Costello and Gary Duffy

Captain: Dean Healy

2021 Championship: Wexford 2-11 Wicklow 0-14

PRO: Bridget Kenny

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2022 Football Media Guide - ULSTER



SuperValu



AONTROIM / ANTRIM

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Ulster Titles: 8 (1951)

Manager: Enda McGinley

Captain: Peter Healy

2021 Championship: Armagh 4-15 Antrim 0-14

PRO: Dan McConnell

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ARD MHACHA / ARMAGH

All-Ireland Titles: 1 (2002)

Ulster Titles: 14 (2008)

Manager: Kieran McGeeney

Captains: Aidan Nugent and Rian O'Neill

2021 Championship: Armagh 4-15 Antrim 0-14, Monaghan 4-17 Armagh 2-21

PRO: Shaun Casey

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AN CABHÁN / CAVAN

All-Ireland Titles: 5 (1952)

Ulster Titles: 37 (2020)

Manager: Mickey Graham

Captain: Raymond Galligan

2021 Championship: Tyrone 1-18 Cavan 0-13

PRO: Susan Brady

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DOIRE / DERRY

All-Ireland Titles: 1 (1993)

Ulster Titles: 7 (1998)

Manager: Rory Gallagher

Captain: Christopher McKaigue

2021 Championship: Donegal 0-16 Derry 0-15

PRO: Ciarán McRory

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DÚN NA nGALL / DONEGAL

All-Ireland Titles: 2 (2012)

Ulster Titles: 10 (2019)

Manager: Declan Bonner

Captain: Michael Murphy

2021 Championship: Donegal 2-25 Down 1-12, Donegal 0-16 Derry 0-15, Tyrone 0-23 Donegal 1-14

PRO: John McEniff

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2022 Football Media Guide - ULSTER



SuperValu



AN DÚN / DOWN

All-Ireland Titles: 5 (1994)

Ulster Titles: 12 (1994)

Manager: James McCartan

Captains: Barry O'Hagan and Caolan Mooney

2021 Championship: Donegal 2-25 Down 1-12

PRO: Paula McGee

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FEAR MANACH / FERMANAGH

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Ulster Titles: 0

Manager: Kieran Donnelly

Captain: Declan McCusker

2021 Championship: Monaghan 1-21 Fermanagh 0-14

PRO: Deirdre Felloni

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MUINEACHÁN / MONAGHAN

All-Ireland Titles: 0

Ulster Titles: 16 (2015)

Manager: Seamus McEaney

Captain: Ryan Wiley

2021 Championship: Monaghan 1-21 Fermanagh 0-14, Monaghan 4-17 Armagh 2-21, Tyrone 0-16 Monaghan 0-15

PRO: Majella Boyd

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TÍR EOGHAIN / TYRONE

All-Ireland Titles: 4 (2021)

Ulster Titles: 16 (2021)

Managers: Brian Dooher and Feargal Logan

Captain: Pádraig Hampsey

2021 Championship: Tyrone 1-18 Cavan 0-13, Tyrone 0-23 Donegal 1-14, Tyrone 0-16 Monaghan 0-15, Tyrone 3-14 Kerry 0-22, Tyrone 2-14 Mayo 0-15

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Ferguson Archive

In late 2021 the GAA embarked on a project to provide an updated results and statistics archive for Gaelic games.

In its absence at national level, the Association acknowledges the work of numerous individuals who have preserved records on our behalf throughout our history. Sadly many of these pioneers like Raymond Smith, Mick Dunne, Tom Ryall and Owen McCann to name only a few are no longer with us. Thankfully their work has endured and inspired many others to whom the GAA remains enormously grateful for their diligence and care of records at local and national level.

The GAA's statistics project was given a significant boost when we received the co-operation of Sligo's Pádraig Ferguson, who since the 1980s has been assembling his GAA statistics database and has been making his work known on the GAA Lore platform.

A sample of his statistics are listed here and it is our intention to update and house the archive as part of the redeveloped gaa.ie website later this year.

Cian Murphy
Rúnaí
GAA History Committee

18,044 people have played in the Hurling Championship. Dublin have used the most players. Hertfordshire the least.

Antrim	612
Armagh	341
Carlow	302
Cavan	236
Clare	751
Cork	969
Derry	321
Donegal	234
Down	291
Down South	47
Dublin	1017
Fermanagh	169
Fingal	78
Galway	795
Glasgow	66
Hertfordshire	18
Kerry	771
Kildare	1168
Lancashire	105
Laois	793
Leitrim	339
Limerick	820
London	554
Longford	153
Louth	223
Mayo	464
Meath	583
Monaghan	284
New York	91
Offaly	776
Roscommon	533
Sligo	691
Tipperary	831
Tyrone	143
Warwickshire	148
Waterford	693
Westmeath	570
Wexford	719
Wicklow	345
TOTAL	18044

Brick Walsh has the **most championship appearances**, followed by Brendan Cummins and King Henry. The top 12 are as follows (Tied top 10)...

County	Player	Debut	Opponents	App
Waterford	Michael Walsh	11/05/2003	Kerry	76
Tipperary	Brendan Cummins	21/05/1995	Waterford	73
Kilkenny	Henry Shefflin	20/06/1999	Laois	71
Westmeath	Derek McNicholas	16/05/2004	Kildare	70
Kilkenny	JJ Delaney	10/06/2001	Offaly	67
Westmeath	Brendan Murtagh	15/04/2001	Carlow	67
Kilkenny	TJ Reid	15/06/2008	Offaly	66
Cork	Patrick Horgan	08/06/2008	Tipperary	65
Derry	Ruairi Convery	11/05/2003	New York	65
Cork	Christy Ring	07/07/1940	Tipperary	64
Down	Graham Clarke	22/06/1997	Derry	64
Tipperary	Eoin Kelly	23/07/2000	Galway	64



The **longest span of intercounty career** is 31 years. Others with 20 plus years are:

County	Player	Debut	Opponent	App	Goals	Points	Last Game	Last Opponent	Seasons
Roscommon	Anthony Flaherty	16/05/1976	Wicklow	17	7	11	15/07/2006	Meath	31
Sligo	Paul Seevers	02/07/1986	Leitrim	37	12	181	09/08/2008	Roscommon	23
Cork	Christy Ring	07/07/1940	Tipperary	64	30	205	08/07/1962	Waterford	23
Waterford	Tony Browne	30/05/1992	Clare	63	3	31	13/07/2013	Kilkenny	22
Meath	Joe Loughran	27/05/1928	Offaly	27	5	37	19/06/1949	Kilkenny	22
Wicklow	Doncha Hyland	27/05/1990	Armagh	48	7	133	04/06/2011	Kerry	22
Westmeath	Brendan Murtagh	15/04/2001	Carlow	67	14	167	28/11/2020	Carlow	21
Dublin	Conal Keaney	20/05/2001	Laois	38	2	60	07/11/2020	Cork	20
Kildare	Jack O'Connell	03/05/1970	Laois	27	1	18	23/07/1989	Antrim	20
Offaly	Damien Martin	14/05/1967	Westmeath	37	-	-	13/07/1986	Kilkenny	20
Sligo	Mick Burke	11/06/1967	Leitrim	14	1	6	08/07/1986	Roscommon	20
Louth	Aidan Carter	19/05/1996	Longford	19	1	4	13/06/2015	Fermanagh	20
Laois	John Carroll	27/07/1902	Kildare	14	4	2	14/08/1921	Dublin	20
Longford	Paddy Cullen	19/05/1996	Louth	29	1	-	23/05/2015	Louth	20
Wexford	Martin Quigley	21/06/1970	Dublin	41	11	51	18/06/1989	Kilkenny	20
Tipperary	Peter Maher	19/08/1894	Kerry	21	-	2	02/11/1913	Kilkenny	20
Dublin	Joe Delaney	29/09/1895	Wexford	10	1	1	07/06/1914	Offaly	20
Wexford	P. Roche	28/10/1900	Offaly	15	-	-	06/07/1919	Kilkenny	20
Clare	Pat McNerney	18/10/1914	Laois	12	-	2	28/05/1933	Limerick	20

Top Championship Goal Scorers

County	Player	Goals
Wexford	Nickey Rackard	61
Tipperary	Martin Kennedy	54
Cork	Jimmy Kennedy	45
Wexford	Tony Doran	40
Tipperary	Seamus Callanan	39
Kilkenny	Jimmy Kelly	38
Kilkenny	Matty Power	37
Cork	Michael Aherne	36
Kilkenny	Eddie Keher	35
Down	Gareth Johnson	35
Kilkenny	DJ Carey	34
Limerick	Mick Mackey	33
Kilkenny	Sim Walton	32
Limerick	Paddy McMahon	32
Limerick	Bob McConkey	31
Cork	Christy Ring	30
Longford	Joe O'Brien	29
Tipperary	Lar Corbett	29
Cork	Seanie O'Leary	29
Laois	Paddy Lalor	28
Tipperary	Hugh Shelley	28
Galway	Joe Canning	27
Kilkenny	Henry Shefflin	27

25,169 people have played Football Championship and **29,646** have played League. Dublin has the most players with championship appearances and Down has the least.

County	Championship	League
Antrim	823	950
Armagh	728	905
Carlow	644	1016
Cavan	847	884
Clare	905	949
Cork	1017	967
Derry	574	896
Donegal	667	822
Down	615	884
Dublin	1094	985
Fermanagh	616	822
Galway	795	929
Kerry	827	746
Kildare	852	932
Kilkenny	507	928
Laois	811	889
Leitrim	680	894
Limerick	907	979
Longford	589	873
Louth	982	1024
Mayo	792	931
Meath	806	885
Monaghan	814	862
Offaly	688	871
Roscommon	802	948
Sligo	707	908
Tipperary	1064	1026
Tyrone	703	864
Waterford	957	1040
Westmeath	654	1050
Wexford	931	974
Wicklow	771	1013
Grand Total	25169	29646

Cluxton has the **most championship appearances** followed by Seán Cavanagh.

The top 10 are...

County	Player	Debut	Opponents	App
Dublin	Stephen Cluxton	27/05/2001	Longford	111
Tyrone	Seán Cavanagh	19/05/2002	Armagh	89
Kerry	Tomás Ó Sé	05/07/1998	Cork	88
Kerry	Marc Ó Sé	12/05/2002	Limerick	88
Kerry	Colm Cooper	12/05/2002	Limerick	85
Mayo	Andy Moran	02/05/2004	New York	84
Kerry	Darragh Ó Sé	22/05/1994	Limerick	81
Laois	Ross Munnelly	11/05/2003	Wexford	80
Kerry	Tom O'Sullivan	18/06/2000	Cork	76

The **longest span of intercounty career** is 23 years.

Others with 20 plus years are:

County	Player	Debut	Opponent	App	Goals	Points	Last Game	Last Opponent	Seasons
Leitrim	Pakie McGarty	11/02/1951	Offaly	78	12	84	04/02/1973	Down	23
Cavan	Gerry Sheridan	04/02/1980	Tyrone	111	-	3	15/04/2001	Mayo	22
Limerick	Donal Fitzgerald	08/10/1978	Offaly	39	6	23	14/11/1999	Leitrim	22
Kerry	Dan O'Keeffe	08/03/1931	Laois	37	-	-	18/11/1951	Cork	22
Down	Mickey Linden	01/11/1981	Meath	126	27	176	31/03/2002	Derry	21
Meath	Graham Geraghty	27/10/1991	Derry	104	13	77	03/03/2012	Derry	21
Fermanagh	Peter McGinnity	15/11/1970	Westmeath	113	17	223	07/10/1990	Laois	21
Leitrim	Mickey Quinn	23/04/1978	Sligo	105	5	69	10/10/1997	Galway	20
Roscommon	Dermot Earley	17/10/1965	Tipperary	115	17	316	10/03/1985	Down	20
Meath	Colm O'Rourke	09/11/1975	Mayo	109	19	165	19/03/1995	Laois	20
Kildare	Anthony Rainbow	02/12/1990	Tyrone	105	-	18	11/04/2010	Meath	20
Kilkenny	Michael Meally	16/10/1960	Limerick	61	1	9	04/02/1980	Carlow	20
Offaly	Martin Furlong	23/01/1966	Tipperary	114	-	-	10/02/1985	Monaghan	20
Carlow	Jody Walsh	24/10/1976	Kilkenny	54	4	19	29/10/1995	London	20
Dublin	Stephen Cluxton	10/02/2002	Donegal	106	-	18	25/10/2020	Galway	20
Roscommon	Paddy Kenny	31/03/1935	Offaly	25	4	11	22/11/1953	Louth	20
Derry	Seán O'Connell	15/09/1957	Antrim	84	25	242	02/05/1976	Dublin	20
Mayo	David Clarke	10/03/2002	Kildare	77	-	2	25/10/2020	Tyrone	20
Wicklow	Peter Clarke	21/10/1956	Offaly	61	10	76	27/04/1975	Kildare	20

Top Championship Goal Scorers

County	Player	Goals
Mayo	Cillian O'Connor	30
Kerry	Mike Sheehy	29
Kerry	Colm Cooper	23
Dublin	Bernard Brogan	22
Wexford	Martin O'Neill	22
Cavan	John P Murphy	22
Down	Benny Coulter	20
Kerry	Eoin Liston	20
Cavan	Paddy Boylan	20





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