

# Trebles for Connolly, McCarthy and Breathnach at Western BLOE finals

THE Capri Sun sponsored West Region BLOE Championships were concluded on Saturday at the Regional Sports Centre. Competition was for boys and girls under-15 to under-18. There was a number of outstanding performances from Galway athletes.

Colm Connolly of Galway City Harriers had a winning treble in the boys under-15 100m, 100m hurdles and long jump. Martina McCarthy of Athenry took the three under-16 sprint titles at 100m, 200m and 300m. In the under-16 throwing events, Sean Breathnach of Cor-na-Mona AC took the gold medals for shot, discus and javelin.

In the under-15 age group doubles were recorded by Sinead Glennon (Castlegar) 200m and 800m, Sarah Kelly (Portumna) 80m hurdles and long jump and Aine Breathnach (O'Cor-na-Mona) javelin and shot putt.

Eoin O Muircheartaigh took the 200m and 250m hurdles while Liam O Cathasaigh (Cor-na-Mona) won the 1500m and 3000m middle distance events.

In the boys u-16 sprints, Daniel Gillett of Athenry was a convincing winner of both 100m and 200m events at under-17, Fiona Curley of Galway City Harriers took the 200m and 300m titles while David Burke of Castlegar scored in the 200m and 400m events.

Paul Reilly of Loughrea took the under-18 800m and 1500m titles while Kathryn Casserly of Castlegar took the girls u-18 1500m and 3000m titles.

The following are the complete results of events in which Galway athletes won medals.

**Girls under-15, 2000m:** 1, Sinead Glennon, Castlegar; 2, Aoife Cunningham, Roscommon. **800m:** 1, Sinead Glennon; 2, Catherine Mulleady, St. Ronan's; 3, A. M. Cuffinane, Sligo. **80m Hurdles:** 1, Sarah Kelly, Portumna; 2, Emer Flannery, Portumna; 3, Deirdre O'Mahoney, Claremorris. **250m Hurdles:** 1, Emer Flannery; 2, Sarah Kelly; 3, Deirdre O'Mahoney. **Long Jump:** 1, Sarah Kelly; 2, Emer Flannery; 3, Deirdre O'Mahoney. **Discus:** 1, Emer Kelly,



AT THE Capri Sun sponsored Western Region BLE/BLOE Outdoor Championships at Galway: Fabian Walsh, Chairman, Connacht BLOE presents Niamh Hennelly of the Border Ramblers AC with her under-14 1500m gold medal. Also included are Sharon Mullen, St. Ronan's AC, silver, and Sharon McCarthy, Tuam, bronze.

Kilmore; 2, Aine Breathnach, Cor-na-Mona; 3, Denise Murray, Ballinamore. **Javelin:** 1, Aine Breathnach; 2, Avril Hanley, Kilmore; 3, Fiona Hopkins, Westport. **Shot Putt:** 1, Aine Breathnach; 2, Emer Kelly, Kilmore; 3, Aveline Duffy (Longford). **4x100m Relay:** 1, Portumna; 2, Longford.

**Girls under-16, 100m:** 1, Martina McCarthy, Athenry; 2, Linda Geraghty, Border Ramblers; 3, Sinead Flynn, Portumna. **200m:** 1, Martina McCarthy; 2, Eilish Keaveney, St. Mary's, Boyle; 3, Sharon Nolan, Athenry. **300m:** 1, Martina McCarthy; 2, Gillian Clyne, Lough Ree; 3, Sarah Naughton, South Galway. **800m:** 1, Gillian Clyne; 2, Sharon Nolan, Athenry; 3, Regina Murphy, Border Ramblers. **1500m:** 1, Amanda Hanley, Lough Ree; 2, Caroline Currid, North Sligo; 3, Caroline Clancy, Portumna. **100m Hurdles:** 1, Sheila Farrell, Loughree Ree; 2, Aileen McNamara, Athenry. **300m Hurdles:** 1, Sheila Farrell; 2, Aileen McNamara; 3, Damaelza Casey, Roscommon. **Long Jump:** 1, Sheila Farrell; 2, Deirdre Cunningham, Westport; 3, Mary Duffy, Castlegar. **High Jump:** 1, Deirdre Cunningham; 2, Sinead Flynn, Portumna; 3, Claire O'Hara, Castlebar. **4x100m Relay:** 1, Portumna; 2, Athenry; 3, Castlebar.

**Girls under-17, 200m:** 1, Fiona Curley, Galway City Harriers; 2, Mary Flynn, Portumna; 3, Rhona O'Mahoney, Claremorris. **300m:** 1, Fiona Curley; 2, Deirdre Mollal, Ballina. **1500m:** 1, Geraldine Flannery, Portumna. **3000m:** 1, Jean O'Connor, Galway City Harriers. **Discus:** 1, Angela Flynn,

Portumna; 2, Geraldine Flannery, Portumna; 3, Ethel Jinks, Corran. **4x100m Relay:** 1, Portumna.

**Girls under-18, 200m:** 1, Rosemary McGloin, North Sligo; 2, Orla Flannery, Portumna; 3, Anne Marie Byrne, Tuam. **400m:** 1, Rosemary McGloin; 2, Anne Marie Byrne. **1500m:** 1, Kathryn Casserly, Castlegar; 2, Yvonne Larkin, Portumna; 3, Anne-Marie Byrne. **3000m:** 1, Kathryn Casserly. **Long Jump:** 1, Breda Mongan, Cuchullain. **Shot Putt:** 1, Mary O'Meara, Sligo; 2, Nicola Farrell, Claremorris; 3, Orla Flannery, Portumna. **Javelin:** 1, Orla Flannery; 2, Breda Mongan. **Discus:** 1, Mary O'Meara, Sligo; 2, Breda Mongan, Cuchullain.

**Boys under-15, 100m:** 1, Colm Connolly, Galway City Harriers; 2, Damien Martin, Ballinamore; 3, James Cooney, Roscommon. **200m:** 1, Eoin O Muircheartaigh, Galway City Harriers; 2, Damien Martin; 3, Brendan Mullaney, Coran. **800m:** 1, James Cooney; 2, Bryan Madden, Galway City

Harriers; 3, Peter Gavin, Westport. **1500m:** 1, Liam O Cathasaigh, Cor-na-Mona; 2, Raymond Hynes, Castlereaa; 3, Kieran McGowan, North Sligo. **3000m:** 1, Liam O Cathasaigh. **100m Hurdles:** 1, Eoin O Muircheartaigh, Galway City Harriers; 2, Bryan Madden, Galway City Harriers; 3, Lorcan Shine.

**Long Jump:** 1, Colm Connolly, Galway City Harriers; 2, David Harrison, Lough Ree; 3, Mark Halpin, Westport. **High Jump:** 1, Mark Halpin; 2, Paul Feaney, Westport; 3, Eoin O Muircheartaigh, Galway City Harriers. **Triple Jump:** 1, Mark Halpin; 2, Bryan Madden, Galway City Harriers; 3, Paul Feaney. **4x100m Relay:** 1, Galway City Harriers; 2, Roscommon; 3, Sligo.

**Boys under-16, 100m:** 1, Daniel Gillen, Athenry; 2, Trevor Kelly, Corran; 3, Robert Glynn, Galway City Harriers. **200m:** 1, Daniel Gillen; 2, Trevor Kelly; 3, Robert Glynn. **1500m:** 1, Edward Costello, Galway City Harriers; 2, Stephen

Casserly, Castlegar; 3, Fergal Geraghty, Galway City Harriers. **300m:** 1, Mark Smyth, North Sligo; 2, Vincent McGuinness, Loughree; 3, Emmet Dunleavy, Sligo. **1500m Steeplechase:** 1, Stephen Casserly, Castlegar; 2, James Loughlin, Galway City Harriers. **300m Hurdles:** 1, Chris McDermott, Roscommon; 2, Robert Glynn, Galway City Harriers. **Shot Putt:** 1, Peter McConnell, South Galway; 2, T. J. Coyle, St. Deirbhle's. **4x100m Relay:** 1, Galway City Harriers. **4x400m Relay:** 1, Galway City Harriers; 2, Sligo.

**Boys under-17, 100m:** 1, Daniel Kilgallon, Ballina; 2, Kieran Connell, Castlegar; 3, John Walkin, Castlebar. **200m:** 1, David Burke, Castlegar; 2, Kieran Connell; 3, Christopher Daly, Carrick-on-Shannon. **400m:** 1, David Burke; 2, John Minnock, Longford. **110m Hurdles:** 1, Ashley Henry, Corran; 2, Alan Delaney, Castlereaa; 3, Cormac Flanagan, Portumna. **400m Hurdles:** 1, Ashley Henry; 2, Cormac Flanagan.

**Boys under-18, 800m:** 1, Paul Reilly, Loughree; 2, Robert Mullen,

North Sligo; 3, Niall O'Donoghue, Sligo. **1500m:** 1, Paul Reilly; 2, Kevin Kiernan, Sligo; 3, Brendan McCawley, North Leirrim. **High Jump:** 1, Nigel Madden, Westport; 2, John Loughlin, Galway City Harriers; 3, David Langan, Westport. **Shot Putt:** 1, Sean Breathnach, Cor-na-Mona; 2, J. J. Mangan, St. Deirbhle's; 3, Robert Mullen, North Sligo. **Javelin:** 1, Sean Breathnach; 2, J. J. Mangan; 3, Brendan McCawley, North Leirrim. **Discus:** 1, Sean Breathnach; 2, J. J. Mangan.

## Loughrea

**Result, Sunday, June 22, Captain's (Mr. Gerry Glynn) Prize, over 45 holes:** 1, Gerry Farragher 162.5; 2, Kevin Greally 164.5; gross, Eamon Hannon 184; 3, Pat Gilchrist 165.5; 4, Johnny Greally 166.5. **1st 18:** 1, Michael Maher; 2, M. Flanagan. **2nd 18:** 1, James Gilligan; 2, Vincent Leahy. **Gross 1st 18:** John Counihan Shr; **2nd 18:** Michael Bond. **Past Captains:** Paddy Madden. **Veterans:** Jim Fishery. **Special Prize:** Mick O'Neill. **Category 1:** Declan Curley. **Category 2:** Pat Lawless. **Category 3:** Michael Shal.

**Sunday, June 29: Minor Scratch Cup Open, sponsored by Paul Healy.**

## Padraic Pearse Golfing Society

**Results of President's (Joe Granham) Prize, which took place in ideal conditions recently in Ballinalee Golf Club:** 1, Michael Burns 40 pts; 2, Martin Lyons 40 pts; gross, John Burns 34 pts; 3, Brian Kelly 39 pts; 4, Jackie Flynn 39 pts; 5, M. Craughwell 39 pts; 5, Willie O'Rourke 36 pts; **2nd gross,** Dermot Dunican 32 pts. **Category 1:** Paddy Creaven 36 pts; **Category 2:** Tom Sweeney 35 pts; **Category 3:** Killy Creaven 36 pts. **1st nine:** Mauraen Dolphin 22 pts; **2nd nine:** Kevin Dooley 20 pts. **Special prize:** Gerry Gulnan.

**Captain's (Kevin Cunniffe) Prize** takes place in Ballinalee Golf Club on Thursday, July 3. **Tea:** 2.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. **Timesheet** in operation, please contact Willie O'Rourke, Honorary Secretary.

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## Ladies lose out

THE Galway ladies junior footballers were knocked out of the Connacht Championship by a much stronger Roscommon team at Frenchpark last Saturday evening. The final score was 5-9 to 2-3.

The junior team would like

to especially thank Mother Hubbards Restaurant, Moyvalley for their generous sponsorship of gearbags while trainers P. J. Rabblite and Tom Silke paid tribute to the girls who turned out in such great numbers all year.