欢迎来到^{*}to Churchtown GAA





Front elevation of developments proposed for GAA Grounds (when completed). The Sports Stand and dressing room are already in place. The Sports Hall & Hurling Alley to the right are expected to begin in 2008 (subject to adequate sports capital grant from the Department of Arts, Sports & Tourism).

CÉAD MÍLE FÁILTE agus akwaaba benvignût go Churchtown GAA. Velkommen dobro dosli dumanon cayo esiet sveicinati bienvenue foon ying agus g'day mates! Bienvenidos vítejte huan yin isten hozta kalos condy dines orisate Churchtown GAA. Bonvenon karibu vitajte witajci ongi etorriak sveiki atvyke mar mahogany gaspipe! Swaagatam benvinguts hw y'all doin' dobrodošli tere tulemast ukenereri*. Welcome!

Invitation

Churchtown GAA was founded in 1890 and almost 120 years later our Club is proud to provide facilities to encourage people to participate in sport. Our Club is a not-for-profit community organisation and our GAA teams participate in leagues and championships in County Cork.

In order to cater for more diverse sports on an all weather basis our Club has received planning permission to build 750 square metres or 8,000 square feet of new indoor facilities which will allow us to offer participation in a range of indoor sports. As part of this initiative we will also be providing new female dressing rooms aimed at increasing the number of women participating in sport. We would especially like to thank all the people who purchased memberships in our "Win a House" draw in 2004 and 2005 which raised \in 250,000 towards our proposed development that will cost over \in 750,000. This is on top of the \in 800,000 already invested by the Club in existing facilities.

Like Ireland, Churchtown is changing fast as we all know. We now welcome residents to our parish from very many countries including Britain, France, Holland, China, Nigeria, India, Pakistan, Latvia, Poland, Slovakia and the Dominican Republic to name just some. In short, the population of Churchtown has grown hugely since 1997 and we invite ALL our residents – old and new – to increase your involvement or become involved in our Club as players or supporters. And don't forget to support our weekly Club Lotto which helps to pay the Club's day-to-day expenses which amounted to over €85,000 in 2007.

Finally, thanks again to all our members, players, volunteers, committees and supporters for your help over the years.

Ar aghaid leat Churchtown.

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* The word 'welcome' in the range of languages spoken by old and new residents of Churchtown.



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Existing Facilities

- Conveniently located 11 acre community facility
- Superb main playing pitch
- Juvenile and training pitch floodlit for winter training
- Dressing Rooms (3)
- Referees' Room
- Public and Disabled Toilets
- Walking path around main pitch
- Spectator Stand accommodating 500 people.

Main Teams

Premier Junior Hurling Team Junior A Gaelic Football Team Juvenile 'Granard Gaels' (combined Churchtown and Liscarroll).

Phased Development

Phase 1: Dressing Rooms and Spectator Stand (already in place).

Phase 2: Sports Hall and Hurling Alley (subject to grant support construction starts in 2008).

Future Leisure Centre

Phase 3: Leisure Centre (to begin when Phase 2 is completed).

Phase 2

Proposed Sports Hall & Hurling Alley

The Sports Hall & Hurling Alley will be 4,000 square feet and the adjoining Hurling Alley will be 2,000 square feet. The entire building is 36m x 15.6m and, if you include the remodelled dressing rooms, the proposed development will amount to 8,000 square feet (c. 750 square metres). The Sports Hall will be available for indoor sports such as indoor football, tennis, badminton and volleyball to groups within the North Cork area.

