GERLDINE LEAGUE ROUND 6

DIVISION 4 FOOTBALL LEAGUE 2012

VENUE: - PAIRC EOIN CROSS

BALLYVAUGHAN 1:12 V NAOMH EOIN 0:09

16-06-12

Report Supplied by John Nilan

James Callinan, John Linnane, Damien Martyn, John Mooney Hynes, Sean Mc Namara, Kieran Casey, Lorcan Mahon, James Hynes & Raymond Casey, Cillian Fahy, Adrian Nilan, Cathal Irwin, Damien McNamara, Donnacha Mahon and Kevin Carrucan.

All roads led west to the village of Cross, 110 mile round trip from North Clare to West Clare. A 7pm Saturday evening throw in and a final league game for 2012 with relegation and survival at stake for 2013.

A delay to the throw in did not help the nerves of both teams as the appointed referee did not turn up, a replacement referee came and got proceedings under way shortly after the appointed match time of 7 O’clock and Ballyvaughan settled nicely in to the game but it was close all through the half as Naomh Eoin held a one point margin on 15 minutes it was 5 points to 4 points and at half time wind assisted they were leading 6 points to 5 points.

Naomh Eoin battled away well but was finding it difficult to convert possession into scores and on 45 minutes the score was 9 points to 6 in favor of Ballyvaughan. The final quarter was completely dominated by Balllyvaughan and a further 1:03 was added to the scoreboard.

Although Ballyvaughan will be happy with the win and there were some standout performances there is still room for much improvement and a number of players can do better. For now though they will be pleased to be safe in division 4 for 2013. And will be well pleased with the effort shown by their players and will hope that they can continue this form and bring it into Round 1 of the Championship.