



# GAA Master Fixtures Schedule 2022

An Lár Choiste Cheannais na gComórtaisí

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# GAA MASTER FIXTURE PLAN 2022

January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Week 1  1/2	Week 6  5/6	Week 10  5/6	Week 14  2/3	Week 18  30/1	Week 23  4/5	Week 27  2/3	Week 32  6/7	Week 36  3/4	Week 40  1/2	Week 45  5/6	Week 49  3/4
	AIB All Ireland Intermediate & Junior Club Finals  AFL Rd 2 AHL Rd 1  U20 Dev Football starts	AHL Rd 4	AFL Finals AHL Finals  U20 B Hurling Quarter-Finals	Mc Donagh Rd 3 U20 B Hurling Final	LSHC & McDonagh Finals (Sat) MSHC Final (Sun)  SFC Rd 1 Tailteann Quarter-Finals	SFC Semi-Finals (Sat & Sun)					AIB Club Hurling Semi-Finals
Week 2  8/9	Week 7  12/13	Week 11  12/13	Week 15  9/10	Week 19  7/8	Week 24  11/12	Week 28  9/10	Week 33  13/14	Week 37  10/11	Week 41  8/9	Week 46  12/13	Week 50  10/11
	AIB All Ireland Senior Club Finals AHL Rd2 Sigerson Semi-Finals  17 Wed Sigerson Final	AFL Rd 5	RRM Rd 1	RRM Rd 4 All-Ireland U20 Football Semi-Finals	SFC Rd 2  SHC Preliminary Quarter-Finals	SFC Semi-Finals (Sat & Sun) Tailteann Cup Final (Sat)  All-Ireland Junior Football Championship Semi-Finals (Fri) & Final (Sun)					AIB Club Football Semi-Finals
Week 3  15/16	Week 8  19/20	Week 12  19/20	Week 16  16/17	Week 20  14/15	Week 25  18/19	Week 29  16/17	Week 34  20/21	Week 38  17/18	Week 42  15/16	Week 47  19/20	Week 51  17/18
	AFL Rd 3  Fitzgibbon Final	AFL Rd 6 AHL Rd 5	Provincial Championships Commence  McDonagh Rd 1 RRM Rd 2  U20 B Hurling Semi-Finals	Mc Donagh Rd 4 RRM Rd 5  All-Ireland U20 Football Final	SHC QFs (Sat)  Tailteann Semi-Finals (Sun)	All-Ireland Hurling Final (Sun) (Replay Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> July)					
Week 4  22/23	Week 9  26/27	Week 13  26/27	Week 17  23/24	Week 21  21/22	Week 26  25/26	Week 30  23/24	Week 35  27/28	Week 39  24/25	Week 43  22/23	Week 48  26/27	Week 52  24/25
AIB Club Hurling Semi-Finals	AFL Rd 4 AHL Rd 3	AFL Rd 7 AHL Semi-Finals/ Relegation  U20 B Hurling R1.	Mc Donagh Rd 2 RRM Rd 3	Mc Donagh Rd 5 Ring, Rackard, Meagher Finals  All-Ireland U20 Hurling Final  SFC Prelim (if required)  Tailteann Cup Prelim Rd (if required)	SFC Quarter-Finals  SHC Relegation Play-off (if required)	All-Ireland Football Final (Replay Sat 6 <sup>th</sup> August)					
Week 5  29/30				Week 22  28/29		Week 31  30/31			Week 44  29/30		
AFL Rd 1  AIB Club Football Semi-Finals				MSFC & LSFC Final (Sat) CSFC & USFC Final (Sun)  Tailteann Cup Rd 1							



## GAA Hurling All-Ireland Senior Championship

### Counties Participating

The following counties shall be eligible to participate in the Championship in 2022.

Leinster	Munster
An Iarmhí	An Clár
Áth Cliath	Corcaigh
Cill Chainnigh	Luimneach
Gaillimh	Port Láirge
Laois	Tiobraid Árann
Loch Garman	

### **Provincial Championships**

- Leinster Championship 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.
- Munster Championship shall be played on a 'Round Robin' basis. Each County shall have two Home and two Away games.
- The Counties finishing in the top two places in each Provincial Group shall qualify for their respective Provincial Final.

### **Relegation**

- 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 playoff against the bottom team in the Munster Championship "Round Robin" at a neutral Munster Venue determined by the CCCC. The Winner 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.

## GAA Hurling All-Ireland Senior Championship

Leinster Senior Championship Draw	Munster Senior Championship Draw
<p><b>Round 1</b>                      Áth Cliath v Laois                      Loch Garman v Gaillimh                      An Iarmhí v Cill Chainnigh</p> <p><b>Round 2</b>                      Cill Chainnigh v Laois                      Loch Garman v Áth Cliath                      Gaillimh v An Iarmhí</p> <p><b>Round 3</b>                      Laois v Loch Garman                      Gaillimh v Cill Chainnigh                      An Iarmhí v Áth Cliath</p> <p><b>Round 4</b>                      Áth Cliath v Cill Chainnigh                      Laois v Gaillimh                      An Iarmhí v Loch Garman</p> <p><b>Round 5</b>                      Cill Chainnigh v Loch Garman                      Gaillimh v Áth Cliath                      Laois v An Iarmhí</p> <p><b>Final</b>                      1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team</p>	<p><b>Round 1</b>                      Port Láirge v Tiobraid Árann                      Corcaigh v Luimneach</p> <p><b>Round 2</b>                      Luimneach v Port Láirge                      Tiobraid Árann v An Clár</p> <p><b>Round 3</b>                      Port Láirge v Corcaigh                      An Clár v Luimneach</p> <p><b>Round 4</b>                      Luimneach v Tiobraid Árann                      Corcaigh v An Clár</p> <p><b>Round 5</b>                      Tiobraid Árann v Corcaigh                      An Clár v Port Láirge</p> <p><b>Final</b>                      1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team</p>

### Points/Tie-Breakers – Round Robin

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 ;

- (i) Where two teams only are involved – the outcome of the meeting of the two teams in the group
- (ii) Score difference – subtracting the total Scores against from the total Scores for;
- (iii) Highest Total Score For;
- (iv) Highest Total Goals For;
- (v) 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 walkover, the tie shall be decided by the following means and in the order specified below:

- (i) 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)
- (ii) Highest Total Score For, in which only the teams involved, have played each other, and have finished equal in (i)
- (iii) A Play-Off

## GAA Hurling All-Ireland Senior Championship

### All-Ireland Championship

#### **Preliminary Quarter-Finals**

**11-12.06.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

Winner Joe McDonagh Cup v 3<sup>rd</sup> Placed Team Munster Group

Runner-Up Joe McDonagh Cup v 3<sup>rd</sup> Placed Team Leinster Group

The Joe McDonagh Cup teams shall have home advantage\*.

**This round will be winner on the day.**

**\* The above arrangements shall be conditional on Home Grounds being deemed to meet the criteria set down by the National Facilities/Health and Safety Committee and the Central Competitions Control Committee.**

#### **Quarter-Finals**

**18.06.2022 (Sat)**

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

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

**This round will be winner on the day.**

**25.06.2022 (Sat)**

#### **Relegation Play-Off (If required\*)**

Joe McDonagh Cup Winner v 5<sup>th</sup> Placed Team Munster group

\*If Ciarraí win the Joe McDonagh Cup, they shall playoff against the bottom team in the Munster Championship 'round-robin' at a neutral Munster venue determined by the CCCC.

#### **Semi-Finals**

**02.07.2022 (Sat)**

\*Leinster Provincial Winner v Quarter-Final Winner

**03.07.2022 (Sun)**

\*Munster Provincial Winner v Quarter-Final Winner

\*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.

**This round will be winner on the day.**

**17.07.2022 (Sun) – (Replay 30.07.2022 (Sat))**

#### **All-Ireland Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

## Joe McDonagh Cup

### **Counties Participating**

The following counties shall be eligible to participate in the Championship in 2022.

<b>Leinster</b>	<b>Munster</b>	<b>Ulster</b>
An Mhí Ceatharlach Uíbh Fhailí	Ciarraí	Aontroim An Dún

### **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 CCCC. The Winner 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 CCCC.

### **Points/Tie-Breakers – Round Robin**

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- (iii) Highest Total Score For;
- (iv) Highest Total Goals For;
- (v) A Play-Off.

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- (ii) Highest Total Score For, in which only the teams involved, have played each other, and have finished equal in (i)
- (iii) A Play-Off

## The Joe McDonagh Cup

### Round Robin Fixtures

Joe McDonagh Cup Draw	
<p><b>16-17.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 1</b>                      An Mhí v Ceatharlach                      Ciarraí v An Dún                      Aontroim v Uíbh Fhailí</p>	<p><b>14-15.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 4</b>                      An Mhí v Aontroim                      Ceatharlach v An Dún                      Ciarraí v Uíbh Fhailí</p>
<p><b>23-24.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 2</b>                      Ceatharlach v Ciarraí                      Uíbh Fhailí v An Mhí                      An Dún v Aontroim</p>	<p><b>21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 5</b>                      Aontroim v Ciarraí                      Uíbh Fhailí v Ceatharlach                      An Dún v An Mhí</p>
<p><b>30.04-01.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 3</b>                      Ciarraí v An Mhí                      Aontroim v Ceatharlach                      An Dún v Uíbh Fhailí</p>	

\*First team listed has home venue.

**04.06.2022 (Sat)**

**Final**

1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team



## Christy Ring Cup

### **Counties Participating**

The following counties shall be eligible to participate in the Championship in 2022.

<b>Connacht</b>	<b>Leinster</b>	<b>Ulster</b>	<b>Britain</b>
Maigh Eo Sligeach	Cill Dara Cill Mhantáin	Doire	Londain

### **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 CCCC.

### **Points/Tie-Breakers – Round Robin**

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 ;

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- (ii) Highest Total Score For, in which only the teams involved, have played each other, and have finished equal in (i)
- (iii) A Play-Off

## Christy Ring Cup

### Round Robin Fixtures

Christy Ring Cup Draw	
<b>09-10.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 1</b> Doire v Cill Mhantáin Maigh Eo v Cill Dara Londain v Sligeach	<b>07-08.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 4</b> Doire v Londain Cill Mhantáin v Cill Dara Maigh Eo v Sligeach
<b>16-17.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 2</b> Cill Dara v Londain Cill Mhantáin v Maigh Eo Sligeach v Doire	<b>14-15.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 5</b> Cill Dara v Sligeach Maigh Eo v Doire Londain v Cill Mhantáin
<b>23-24.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 3</b> Londain v Maigh Eo Sligeach v Cill Mhantáin Cill Dara v Doire	

\*First team listed has home venue.

**21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team

## Nickey Rackard Cup

### **Counties Participating**

The following counties shall be eligible to participate in the Championship in 2022.

<b>Connacht</b>	<b>Ulster</b>	<b>Britain</b>
Ros Comáin	Ard Mhacha Dún na nGall Fear Manach Tír Eoghain	Warwickshire

### **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 CCCC.

### **Points/Tie-Breakers – Round Robin**

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 ;

- (i) Where two teams only are involved – the outcome of the meeting of the two teams in the group
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- (ii) Highest Total Score For, in which only the teams involved, have played each other, and have finished equal in (i)
- (iii) A Play-Off

## Nickey Rackard Cup

### Round Robin Fixtures

Nickey Rackard Cup Draw	
<b>09-10.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 1</b> Fear Manach v Dún na nGall Ard Mhacha v Ros Comáin Warwickshire v Tír Eoghain	<b>07-08.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 4</b> Ros Comáin v Tír Eoghain Warwickshire v Dún na nGall Ard Mhacha v Fear Manach
<b>16-17.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 2</b> Ros Comáin v Warwickshire Dún na nGall v Ard Mhacha Tír Eoghain v Fear Manach	<b>14-15.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 5</b> Fear Manach v Ros Comáin Tír Eoghain v Dún na nGall Warwickshire v Ard Mhacha
<b>23-24.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b> <b>Round 3</b> Dún na nGall v Ros Comáin Tír Eoghain v Ard Mhacha Fear Manach v Warwickshire	

\*First team listed has home venue.

**21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team

## Lory Meagher Cup

Connacht	Leinster	Ulster	Britain
Liatroim	An Lú An Longfort	An Cabhán Muineachán	Lancasír

### 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 Nickey Rackard Cup.
- The venue for the final shall be determined by the CCCC.

### Points/Tie-Breakers – Round Robin

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 ;

- (i) Where two teams only are involved – the outcome of the meeting of the two teams in the group
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- (iii) A Play-Off

## Lory Meagher Cup

### Round Robin Fixtures

Lory Meagher Cup Draw	
<p><b>09-10.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 1</b>                      Lancashire v Lú                      Muineachán v An Cabhán                      Liatroim v An Longfort</p> <p><b>16-17.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 2</b>                      An Cabhán v Liatroim                      Lú v Muineachán                      An Longfort v Lancashire</p> <p><b>23-24.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 3</b>                      An Longfort v Lú                      Liatroim v Muineachán                      An Cabhán v Lancashire</p>	<p><b>07-08.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 4</b>                      Lancashire v Liatroim                      Lú v An Cabhán                      Muineachán v An Longfort</p> <p><b>14-15.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)</b>  <b>Round 5</b>                      An Cabhán v An Longfort                      Muineachán v Lancashire                      Liatroim v Lú</p>

\*First team listed has home venue.

**21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team

**GAA Hurling All-Ireland U20 Championship  
(All-Ireland Series)**

**21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

Leinster Winner v Munster Winner

**Note**

- A player shall have celebrated his 17th birthday prior to January 1st and his 20th birthday on or after January 1st of the Championship Year.
- A player who plays an Inter-County Senior Hurling (Tier 1) Championship game at any stage in a current Championship Year shall be ineligible to participate in the Inter-County U20 Hurling Championship in that year until after his County Senior hurling team has been eliminated from the Inter-County Championship.

**GAA Hurling All-Ireland U20 'B' Championship  
(Richie McElligot Cup)**

Connacht	Leinster	Ulster
Maigh Eo Ros Comáin Sligeach	Cill Mhantáin An Mhí An Lú	Aontroim/An Dún* Ard Mhacha Doire Dún na nGall Muineachán

**Format:**

- An open draw for pairings will be carried out by the C.C.C.C. later in the year once competing teams are confirmed.
- Based on the draw for Round 1, Quarter-Finals & Semi-Finals, the first Team drawn shall have Home Advantage.
  - **Exception:** If the distance between the two Counties is greater than 130 miles, then the game will be played at a neutral venue. The distance will be calculated from the main County Hurling venue in each County.
- An Dún & Aontroim will play-off with the winner entering the Leinster U20 Hurling Championship & the loser entering the GAA Hurling All-Ireland U20 B Championship.
- All games will be winner on the day.

**26-27.03.2022 (Sat/Sun)**  
**Round 1**

**02-03.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)**  
**Quarter-Finals**

**16-17.04.2022 (Sat/Sun)**  
**Semi-Finals**

**30.04-01.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**  
**Final**



**AIB GAA Hurling All-Ireland Senior Club Championship  
2022/2023**

**03-04.12.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Ulster  
Leinster v Munster

**15.01.2023 (Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**AIB GAA Hurling All-Ireland Intermediate Club Championship  
2022/2023**

**03-04.12.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Ulster  
Leinster v Munster

**07-08.01.2023 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**AIB GAA Hurling All-Ireland Junior Club Championship  
2022/2023**

**03-04.12.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Ulster\*  
Leinster v Munster

**07-08.01.2023 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**Note:**

\*The winners of Ulster & Britain to play-off for a place in the All-Ireland Series.

## GAA Football All-Ireland Senior Championship

### Provincial Championship Draws

<u>Connacht</u> <u>Preliminary Round</u>	<u>Leinster</u> <u>Round One</u>	<u>Munster</u>	<u>Ulster</u> <u>Preliminary Round</u>
	Laois v Cill Mhantáin		Fear Manach v Tír Eoghain
	Lú v Ceatharlach		
	Uíbh Fhailí v Loch Garman		
<u>Quarter-Finals</u>	<u>Quarter-Finals</u>	<u>Quarter-Finals</u>	<u>Quarter-Finals</u>
Londain v Liatroim	Áth Cliath v Uíbh Fhailí / Loch Garman	An Clár v Luimneach	Aontroim v An Cabhán
New York v Sligeach	Cill Dara v Lú / Ceatharlach	Port Láirge v Tiobraid Árann	Dún na nGall v Ard Mhacha
Maigh Eo v Gaillimh	An Mhí v Laois / Cill Mhantáin		Muineachán v An Dún
	An Iarmhí v An Longfort		Doire v Fear Manach / Tír Eoghain
<u>Semi-Finals</u>	<u>Semi-Finals</u>	<u>Semi-Finals</u>	<u>Semi-Finals</u>
Ros Comáin v New York / Sligeach	TBC v TBC*	Ciarraí v Corcaigh	Dún na nGall / Ard Mhacha v Aontroim / An Cabhán
Londain / Liatroim v Gaillimh / Maigh Eo	TBC v TBC* <b>*Semi-Final draw to be done after the QFs</b>	Tiobraid Árann / Port Láirge v An Clár / Luimneach	Muineachán / An Dún v Fear Manach / Tír Eoghain / Doire
<u>Final</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Final</u>
Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner	Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner	Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner	Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

### Format

- Provincial Championships shall be played on a Knock-Out Format.
- The winners of the Provincial Championships shall qualify for the All-Ireland Championship Quarter-Final Group Stage.

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## GAA Football All-Ireland Senior Championship

### **All-Ireland Senior Football Qualifier**

#### **Eligible Counties**

The following Counties shall be eligible to participate in the All- Ireland Championship Qualifiers:

- a) The National League Divisions 1 and 2 Counties excluding the four Provincial Championship Winners in the Competition Year.
- b) Any League Division 3 or 4 County (including New York) that has qualified for its Provincial Championship Final in the Competition Year.

#### **Note**

The compositions of the Divisions of the National League will be on the basis of the outcomes, including those of Promotion and Relegation, determined in the National League in the current Competition Year. Thus, the two counties promoted from Division Three in the competition year will be eligible for Tier 1, and the two counties relegated from Division Two in the competition year will be eligible for Tier 2, unless otherwise provided for above.

#### **Venues**

- Home Venues shall be used for the Preliminary Round and Round 1 games of the All-Ireland Qualifier Series, with the first team drawn having Home Advantage.
- Venues for Round 2 shall be determined by the Central Competitions Control Committee.
- Home Venues shall be subject to approval by the Central Competitions Control Committee and shall meet the criteria set down by the National Facilities/Health and Safety Committee.

#### **Winner on the Day**

- In the All-Ireland Football Qualifiers, Quarter-Finals & Semi-Finals there will be a **winner on the day**.

## GAA Football All-Ireland Senior Championship

### Qualifier Series

**21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Preliminary Round (If required)**

A Preliminary Round shall be played to reduce the number of teams to eight. 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.

An Open Draw shall be made to determine the pairings, with the first team drawn having home venue.

### Round 1

**04-05.06.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**(Four Games)**

An Open Draw shall be made to determine the pairings, with the first team drawn having home venue.

### Round 2

**11-12.06.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**(Four Games)**

Each of the four defeated Provincial Finalists shall play against one of the four winners from Round 1.

An open draw shall be made to determine the pairings.

Venues for Round 2 shall be determined by the CCCC.

## GAA Football All-Ireland Senior Championship

### All-Ireland Series

#### Quarter-Finals

**25-26.06.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**(Four Games)**

Each of the four Provincial Final Winners shall play against one of the four Winners of Round 2.

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.

#### Semi-Finals

**09-10.07.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

Connacht\* v Ulster\*

Leinster\* v Munster\*

\* The Provincial Champions or the team that defeats them in the Quarter-Final.

**N.B. Order of the Semi-Finals will be confirmed when the pairings are known.**

#### All-Ireland Final

**24.07.2022 (Sun) (Replay: 06.08.2022 (Sat))**

Final

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**Note:** All-Ireland Final will have Extra time in the original fixture and will be winner on the day in the event of a replay only.

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## Tailteann Cup

### Eligible Counties

The following Counties shall be eligible to participate in this Championship:

- All National League Division 3 and 4 Counties excluding the following:
  - Counties that are qualified for their respective Provincial Championship Finals in the Competition Year.
- New York, who will enter the competition at the Quarter-Final stage.

### Note

The compositions of the Divisions of the National League will be on the basis of the outcomes, including those of Promotion and Relegation, determined in the National League in the current Competition Year. Thus, the two counties promoted from Division Three in the competition year will be eligible for Tier 1, and the two counties relegated from Division Two in the competition year will be eligible for Tier 2, unless otherwise provided for above.

### Format

- The Championship shall be played on a knock-out basis.
- Round 1 and the Quarter Finals shall be organised on a geographical basis with Northern and Southern Sections.
- The Central Competitions Control Committee shall decide on an annual basis which Counties shall be included in each Section.
- The Draws shall be conducted by the Central Competitions Control Committee.
- A Preliminary Round may be played if there are more than 16 eligible teams.
- New York, will enter the competition at the Quarter-Final stage.
- All games will be winner on the day.

### Venues

- Home Venues shall be used for Round 1 and Quarter-Final games, with the first team drawn having Home Advantage.
  - Exception: New York will play their game in Ireland, and their opposition will have Home Advantage.
- The Venues for the Semi-Finals shall be determined by the Central Competitions Control Committee.
- Home Venues shall be subject to approval by the Central Competitions Control Committee and shall meet the criteria set down by the National Facilities/Health and Safety Committee.

## Tailteann Cup

### **Preliminary Round (If required)**

#### **21-22.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

- This Round shall be played to reduce the number of teams to 15 (including New York who will enter at the quarter final stage).
- The draw will be restricted to those Division 3 and 4 teams who did not reach their Provincial Semi Final.
- The first team drawn will have home venue.

### **Round 1**

#### **28-29.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

- This Round shall be played to reduce the overall number of teams to eight (including New York who will enter at the Quarter Final stage) and be organised on a geographical basis with Northern and Southern Sections.
- Where less than fourteen teams are involved in this Round, Bye(s) may apply.
- There will be an open draw for each section, with the first team drawn having home venue.

### **Quarter-Finals**

#### **04-05.06.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

- This stage shall be comprised of the Winners and any Bye Team(s) of Round 1, along with New York.
- The round will be organised on a geographical basis with a Northern and Southern Sections.
- There will be an open draw for each section, with the first team drawn having home venue.
  - Exception: New York will play their game in Ireland, and their opposition will have Home Advantage.
- The Winners of the four pairings shall qualify for the Semi-Finals.

### **Semi-Finals**

#### **19.06.2022 (Sun)**

- An Open Draw shall determine the two pairings.
- Venues shall be determined by the Central Competitions Control Committee.

### **Final**

#### **09.07.2022 (Sat)**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**GAA Football All-Ireland Junior Championship  
(All-Ireland Series)**

**08.07.2022 (Fri)**

**Semi-Final**

Britain Winners v Kilkenny/New York

Britain Runners Up v Kilkenny/New York

**10.07.2022 (Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**Format**

- The Winners and Runners-Up of the British Junior Football Championship shall be drawn to play Kilkenny and New York annually in the Semi-Finals of the All-Ireland Junior Football Championship.
- All games will be winner on the day.
- Venues shall be determined by the CCCC.



**Eirgrid GAA Football All-Ireland U20 Championship  
(All-Ireland Series)**



**07-08.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Leinster

Munster v Ulster

**14-15.05.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**Notes:**

- A player shall have celebrated his 17th birthday prior to January 1st and his 20th birthday on or after January 1st of the Championship Year.
- A player who plays an Inter-County Senior Football Championship game at any stage in a current Championship Year shall be ineligible to participate in the Inter-County Under 20 Football Championship in that year until after his County Senior football team has been eliminated from the Inter-County Championship.

**AIB GAA Football All-Ireland Senior Club Championship  
2022/2023**

**10-11.12.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Ulster  
Leinster v Munster

**15.01.2023 (Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**AIB GAA Football All-Ireland Intermediate Club Championship  
2022/2023**

**10-11.12.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Ulster  
Leinster v Munster

**07-08.01.2023 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**AIB GAA Football All-Ireland Junior Club Championship  
2022/2023**

**10-11.12.2022 (Sat/Sun)**

**Semi-Finals**

Connacht v Ulster\*  
Leinster v Munster

**07-08.01.2023 (Sat/Sun)**

**Final**

Semi-Final Winner v Semi-Final Winner

**Note:**

\*The winners of Ulster & Britain to play-off for a place in the All-Ireland Series.

## Allianz League Regulations

These Regulations are to be read in conjunction with **Regulations Governing the Organisation and Presentation of Inter-Club Championships, Inter County Championship and Allianz League Games.**

### Match Programme:

1. The **Home County** shall provide an official match programme for each ordinary round game.
2. The **Home County** shall provide the Referee with a copy of the match programme for forwarding to Páirc an Chrócaigh (Central Competitions Control Committee) with his report.
3. The players' clubs shall be included.
4. The names of players and details of the game (names of counties, venue, name of referee etc.) **shall be printed in Irish** in the programme.
5. *Additional provisions & penalties in relation to the Match Programme are as per Regulations 1.8 – 1.10, "Regulations governing the Organisation and Presentation of inter-club championships, inter-county championships and Allianz League games", as approved by Ard Chomhairle and require;*
  - a. The **Travelling County** to forward their team selection for receipt by the Home County not later than noon on the Wednesday prior to a weekend game, to enable the **Home County** to produce a match programme
  - b. Players to be numbered in accordance with the Official Programme, from 1 to not more than 26
  - c. **The use of A.N. Other is not permitted.**

**Penalty: Minimum fine of €500 for each individual breach.**

### Games Officials:

1. Coiste Náisiunta Roghnaithe na Réiteoirí are responsible for the appointment of all Games Officials.
2. It is the responsibility of the Home County to provide the Referee Radio Equipment (Where available), Substitution Board and Linesmen flags.

### Playing Equipment:

- It is the responsibility of the Home County to provide GAA Approved sliotars/footballs for each home fixture.
- Sliotars for all divisions of the Allianz Hurling league will be yellow.

### Playing Pitch:

1. The playing pitch shall be properly marked and flagged.
2. The grass shall be cut appropriately for hurling/football.
3. The Home County shall provide adequate stewarding to ensure that spectators do not encroach on the playing pitch.

***Penalty: Minimum fine of €500/County may lose Home Venue for future games as determined by the Central Competitions Control Committee.***

### Scoreboard:

1. A scoreboard, giving the names of the counties in **Irish**, shall be used.  
***Penalty: Minimum fine of €500***
2. Where scoreboard clocks are in place, they should continue to display the time played until the referee sounds the half-time or full-time whistle

### Public Address System:

A proper Public-Address System should be available at all Grounds. The announcements shall be made in English and Irish where practical.

***Penalty: Minimum fine of €500.***

### Venues:

The Central Competitions Control Committee is responsible for all arrangements (excluding the appointment of Referees) for and Control of Games under the jurisdiction of the Central Council in accordance with Riail 3.47 (b) T.O. 2021 and has authority on behalf of Ard Chomhairle, to decide the venues for all Allianz League games.

1. The Central Competitions Control Committee shall request Counties to nominate home (and alternative) venues for Allianz League games. Counties who do not nominate venues within the specified time may have their venues decided by the CCCC.
2. All grounds must meet the criteria set down by **the National Facilities/Health and Safety Committee** and must comply with Health and Safety Legislation and relevant best practice guidance.
3. An **Event Controller and Safety Officer** to be appointed by the Provincial Secretary at the grounds hosting National League games in accordance with Health and Safety Regulations. An adequate number of trained stewards must also be arranged.
4. All grounds to operate a ground specific Event Safety Management Plan including an emergency plan agreed with the relevant statutory agencies. A match specific Event Management Document must also be produced for the day.
5. A Defibrillator must also be available to trained personnel.
6. The Medical Room should conform to the recommendations issued by the Medical Scientific and Welfare Committee.
7. Priority must be given to providing the highest quality Team and Match Officials Dressing Rooms and covered accommodation for spectators.
8. Where a **Home County** has a choice of venue, consideration to be given to the location and suitability of the nominated venue for the visiting County.
9. Grounds used to stage games in non-daylight hours should have adequate lighting and auxiliary lighting throughout all parts of the grounds which the public have access to including turnstiles and car parking areas.
10. The Rúnaí Contae of the Home County shall determine and notify both Teams in advance of the game of their designated Sideline area, designated seated area for substitutes and other officials, area of the pitch to be used for the Warm Up.

### **Procedures:**

When the **Event Controller** makes a request to a Referee arising from a safety consideration, the Referee shall assent to such a request.

1. In a case where the venue is in doubt during the week prior to the game, the Rúnaí Contae must alert the Central Competitions Control Committee immediately. The County shall make arrangements for the game to be hosted at their nominated alternative venue.
2. In the event of inclement weather and when there is a possibility of a pitch or pitches being unplayable the Central Competitions Control Committee will nominate an Official who shall be called upon to carry out a pitch inspection, on the evening before or the morning of a fixture and shall have the authority to declare a pitch unplayable. The Central Competitions Control Committee shall then make the necessary arrangements to notify the Teams and Officials immediately.
3. Where a venue may be unplayable, due to adverse weather/ground conditions, and the game has to be transferred at short notice to the nominated alternative venue, the Rúnaí Contae, having received the approval of the relevant Provincial Secretary, shall be responsible for notifying the Central Competitions Control Committee and the local media. The Central Competitions Control Committee shall notify the opposing county, the Games Officials and the National Media.

***Penalty for breach of 1 to 3 above: Minimum fine of €500 County may lose Home Venue for future games as determined by the Central Competitions Control Committee.***

### **Forced Postponements:**

- Any forced postponements due to bad weather or unplayable surface will be re-fixed by the Central Competitions Control Committee for the next available date. *In the case of Saturday night games, the 'next available date' should be taken to mean the following day, if deemed appropriate and practical by the Provincial Secretary of the home county so involved.* In exceptional circumstances, the Central Competitions Control Committee may re-fix the postponed game in a venue outside of the home County.
- Where postponements in the Allianz Leagues are due to an unplayable surface and when the Home County is unable to provide a suitable alternative venue, *the Home County may be liable for reasonable travelling and overnight expenses of the away team* (to be deducted from league pay-out as appropriate). In instances where there is a dispute over what constitutes 'reasonable' costs, CCCC will act as arbitrator. This policy applies only to counties within Ireland.

### **Failure to fulfil Fixtures:**

The penalties for a unit failing to fulfil an Allianz League game shall be as outlined in Riail 6.38 T.O. 2021.

### **Check List for Live TV Games:**

- The National Flag to be displayed in the most suitable and presentable location. The National Flag can be displayed at floodlight games as long as it is properly illuminated at all times, preferably by spotlight.
- All flags (Sideline included) to be clean and crisp.
- Playing area, grounds generally to be presented to the highest standards.
- Ground markings i.e. lines to be clear for players, spectators and viewers.
- Clean sliotars/footballs to be in use at all times.
- Prevent unapproved advertising.

### **Where Counties finish with Equal Points**

“.....the tie shall be decided by the following means and in the order specified:

- (i) Where two Teams only are involved - the outcome of the meeting of the two Teams in the previous game in the Competition;
- (ii) Scoring Difference (subtracting the total Scores Against from total Scores For);
- (iii) Highest Total Score For;
- (iv) Highest Total Goals For;
- (v) 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:

- (i) 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)
- (ii) Highest Total Score For, in which only the teams involved, have played each other, and have finished equal in (i)
- (iii) A Play-Off

### **Winner on the Day**

Knock out games in the Allianz League will be winner on the day.

## Allianz Football League 2022 Format

**(Roinn 1-4, year One of a Two-year cycle)**

### Allianz Football League Roinn 1

**Counties:**

Ard Mhacha  
Dún na nGall  
Muineachán  
Tír Eoghain  
Áth Cliath  
Ciarraí  
Cill Dara  
Maigh Eo

**Format:**

- Each Team to play seven ordinary rounds.
- The top two teams contest the Roinn 1 final.
- The bottom two teams are relegated to Roinn 2.

### Allianz Football League Roinn 2

**Counties:**

An Dún  
An Mhí  
An Clár  
Corcaigh  
Doire  
Uíbh Fhailí  
Gaillimh  
Ros Comáin

**Format:**

- Each Team to play seven ordinary rounds.
- The top two teams contest the Roinn 2 final.
- The top two teams are promoted to Roinn 1.
- The bottom two teams are relegated to Roinn 3.

### Allianz Football League Roinn 3

**Counties:**

An Longfort  
Fear Manach  
Cill Mhantáin  
Luimneach  
An Iarmhí  
An Lú  
Aontroim  
Laois

**Format:**

- Each team to play seven ordinary rounds.
- The top two teams contest the Roinn 3 final.
- The top two teams are promoted to Roinn 2.
- The bottom two teams are relegated to Roinn 4.

### Allianz Football League Roinn 4

**Counties:**

An Cabhán  
Tiobraid Árann  
Liatroim  
Sligeach  
Ceatharlach  
Loch Garman  
Port Láirge  
Londain

**Format:**

- Each team to play seven ordinary rounds.
- The top two teams contest the Roinn 4 final.
- The top two teams are promoted to Roinn 3.

**Promotion & Relegation Summary**

Both promotion and relegation to be organised on the basis of two up/two down.



## Allianz Hurling League 2022 Format

### Allianz Hurling League Roinn 1

#### Counties:

Roinn 1A	Roinn 1B
Gaillimh	Port Láirge
Luimneach	Tiobraid Árann
Corcaigh	Laois
Loch Garman	Cill Chainnigh
An Clár	Aontroim
Uíbh Fhailí	Áth Cliath

#### Format:

- Each team to play five ordinary rounds within their group.
- Top two teams in each group play in the Semi-Finals
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team Roinn 1A v 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team Roinn 1B
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Placed Team 1A v 1<sup>st</sup> Placed Team 1B
- Two Semi-Final winners will play in the Final.
- 6<sup>th</sup> placed team in Roinn 1A and Roinn 1B shall play in the Relegation Play-Off with the loser relegated to Roinn 2A.
- Venues for the Semi-Finals, Final & Relegation Play-Off will be determined by the CCCC.

## Allianz Hurling League Roinn 2A

### Counties:

Roinn 2A
Cill Dara
An Dún
An Mhí
Ceatharlach
Ciarraí
An Iarmhí

### Format:

- Each team to play five ordinary rounds.
- Second and third placed team play in the Semi-Final, with the second placed team having home venue.
- First placed team & Semi-Final winner will contest the Roinn 2A Final.
- Winners of Final promoted to Roinn 1 and replace the loser of the Roinn 1 Relegation Play-off.
- The venue for the Final to be determined by the CCCC.
- Sixth placed team relegated to Roinn 2B.

## Allianz Hurling League Roinn 2B

### Counties:

Roinn 2B
Doire
Dún na nGall
Maigh Eo
Cill Mhantáin
Sligeach
Londain

### Format:

- Each team to play five ordinary rounds.
- Second and third placed team play in the Semi-Final, with the second placed team having home venue
- Top Team & Semi-Final winner will contest Roinn 2B Final.
- Winners of Final promoted to Roinn 2A.
- Bottom Two Teams Contest Relegation Play-Off – Loser is Relegated to Roinn 3A.
- Venues for the Relegation Play-Off and Final will be determined by the CCCC.

### Allianz Hurling League Roinn 3A

**Counties:**

Roinn 3A
Ros Comáin
Ard Mhacha
Muineachán
Tír Eoghain
An Lú
Warwickshire

**Format:**

- Each team to play five ordinary rounds.
- Second and third placed team play in the Semi-Final, with the second placed team having home venue
- Top Team & Semi-Final winner will contest Roinn 3A Final.
- Winners of Final promoted to Roinn 2B.
- Sixth placed relegated to Roinn 3B.
- The venue for the Final to be determined by the CCCC.

### Allianz Hurling League Roinn 3B

**Counties:**

Roinn 3B
An Cabhán
Fear Manach
An Longfort
Liatroim
Lancashire

**Format:**

- Each team to play four ordinary rounds and one bye round.
- Second and third placed team play in the Semi-Final, with the second placed team having home venue
- Top Team & Semi-Final winner will contest Roinn 3B Final.
- Winners of final promoted to Roinn 3A.
- The venue for the Final to be determined by the CCCC.

## Winner on the Day

### Winner on the Day

All knock out games in the below Championship competitions, will be subject to winner on the day regulations.

**Exception:** All Ireland Senior Football (Tier 1) and Hurling (Tier 1) Finals, which will have Extra time in the original fixture and will be winner on the day in the event of a replay only.

- GAA Football All-Ireland Senior Championship
- GAA Hurling All-Ireland Senior Championship
- Provincial Football & Hurling Championships
- Joe McDonagh Cup
- Christy Ring Cup
- Nickey Rackard Cup
- Lory Meagher Cup
- GAA Football All-Ireland Junior Championship
- Eirgrid GAA Football All-Ireland U20 Championship
- GAA Hurling All-Ireland U20 Championships
- GAA Hurling All-Ireland U20 B Championships
- Electric Ireland GAA Football All-Ireland Minor Championship
- Electric Ireland GAA Hurling All-Ireland Minor Championships

### Allianz League Covid Postponement Regulation

1. Postponements may not be granted due to the unavailability of players for Covid reasons.
  - **Exception:** if there is a clear 13 days between the scheduled game and the next round in the competition, the C.C.C. may consider a request to postpone a game by up to 7 days if it considers that sufficient players (a minimum of five who have played at some stage in the relevant Competition) are unavailable due to Covid reasons - i.e. are Covid positive or self-isolating up to 48 hours before the scheduled day of the game.
2. In the event of one or both Counties seeking the postponement of a final due to the unavailability of players for Covid reasons, the CCCC alone can, if it so decides, move the date of the final by up to 7 days.
3. It will be the responsibility of the county(s) seeking a postponement to provide medical evidence that players are unavailable for Covid reasons.

### Inter-County Championship Covid Postponement Regulations

1. Postponements may not be granted due to the unavailability of players for Covid reasons.
  - **Exception:** (1) if there is a clear 13 days between the scheduled game and the next round in the competition, the C.C.C. may consider a request to postpone a game by up to 7 days if it considers that sufficient players (a minimum of 5 who have played at some stage in that year's Allianz League or inter county championship) are unavailable due to Covid reasons - i.e. are Covid positive or self-isolating up to 48 hours before the scheduled day of the game.
  - **Exception (2):** All Ireland Finals
2. In the event of one or both Counties seeking the postponement of a final due to the unavailability of players for Covid reasons, the C.C.C.C or Provincial CCC (as appropriate) can, if it so decides, move the date of the final by up to 7 days.
3. It will be the responsibility of the counties seeking a postponement to provide medical evidence that players are unavailable for Covid reasons