

8th November 2009

RESULTS - Sneem / Derrynane 0-6 Skellig Rangers 0-9 .

Sneem/Derrynane were defeated by three points in a close game against Skellig Rangers in the South Kerry Championship. It was five minutes before the first score as both defences were playing well. Ronan Hussey kick the first score of the day with an excellent point from distance. Skellig Rangers then had three very scoreable frees that they failed to score before Gary O'Driscoll scored Skellig Rangers first point which was followed quickly by a point from play by the lively Sean Courtney and a free by Bernard Casey. Sneem /Derrynane lost Darren Breen through injury as he collided heavily with Colin O Sullivan, Leonard Burns replaced him. Sneem/Derrynane responded with a pointed free from David Breen after he had been fouled himself. Bernard Casey scored from play and Ronan Hussey scored a point from a free to leave the halftime score 0-03 to 0-04.

In the start of second half as the first defences stood up well with Mike O'Neill and John Moran catching the eye for Sneem /Derrynane and Seamus and Wayne O'Sullivan for Skellig Rangers. Skellig Rangers scored the first of the second half with Brian Hickey scoring from play this point was followed by Bernard Casey's third point of the game. Joe Corridan and Ronan Hussey then linked up well as they split the Skellig Rangers defence and Joe slotted the point. Skellig Ranger then had a scare as they nearly put the ball in their own net as Sneem/Derrynane pressurised them. Ronan Hussey then scored two frees either side of a Skellig Rangers free. Skellig Rangers then rounded off the scoring with Sean Courtney scoring a fine point from play and Brendan O Sullivan pointing a free to leave Skellig Rangers three point winners.