

6<sup>th</sup> August 2010  
CAHILL CUP

RESULTS: Fossa 1-15 Derrynane 2-7

Derrynane went out of the Cahill Cup on Friday night, losing away to Fossa.

The visitors had a very bright opening and raced into a three-point lead. The first came when Raymond Gleeson, enjoying his new role at centre-half back, went on a bursting run up the field and was fouled, Morgan O'Donoghue tapping over the free. Then some fine passing saw Cian Boland finish off with another point. Another drive up the field by Gleeson and O'Donoghue put over the third point. Fossa pulled back three points but a fine penetrating run by Mark Healy saw him fouled and O'Donoghue pointed very well from distance to restore the lead. Cormac Breen was looking very lively up front and finished off another nice passage of play with a point. Fossa got another three in a row, Derrynane missed a free and then just on the stroke of half-time they gave the ball away once too often and were punished by a Fossa goal, leaving it 1-6 to 0-5 at half-time.

The second-half started badly for the visitors with Fossa rattling off six unanswered points. Michael White with a neat free and Ian Casey from play then got two more points for Derrynane. Fossa continued to get points and in between, both Breen and David MacGillicuddy goaled for a battling Derrynane, but it was all too little too late.

In defence, Healy, Gleeson and Jason Quinlan all did well, John O'Shea battled manfully at midfield fielding some fine ball, and up front Breen and Boland sparkled, but as ever each player tried their best.

A bit more training and things would surely improve for this bunch of players.

Welcome back to Kevin Fitzmaurice, who has returned from the U.S.A. and was back in action with the Black and Amber.

Team: J. Galvin, S. O'Donoghue, M. Healy, J. Quinlan, K. O'Sullivan, R. Gleeson, D. MacGillicuddy

1(g), J. O'Shea, S. MacGillicuddy, I. Casey 0-1, M. White 0-1(f), M. O'Donoghue 0-3(2f), C. Boland 0-1, C. Breen 1-1, A. Casey

Subs used: D. Casey and K. Fitzmaurice

Congratulations to Derrynane girl Anna Galvin who captained the Kerry U16 Girls to victory over Sligo in the All-Ireland Semi-Final. A fine achievement. They will meet Dublin in the final.

Fixture: Sneem/Derrynane U14 girls are in the South Kerry Final against Waterville.

The game takes place this Wednesday at 7.30 in Dromid. Try and make it.