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Sneem Derrynane bowed out of the South Kerry Championship to Waterville on Sunday in Caherciveen. Waterville playing against a slight breeze were first on the scoreboard with a point from midfielder Seamus O'Sullivan. Sneem Derrynane's first and second scores came from Brendan Teahan from placed balls. Both sets of defences were on top and we had to wait until the 20th minute for a score when Barry O' Dwyer pointed to level matters. Teahan again put Sneem Derrynane ahead with a lovely long range effort. Sneem Derrynane lost wing back Adrian O' Sullivan with a back injury being replaced by Donal Galvin. Waterville's Alan O'Shea levelled matters again with another point from play. Richard White came to Sneem Derrynane's rescue with a superb save from Barry O' Dwyer. Wing back Niall Fitzgearld the struck for Watervilles first goal on the 27th minute. Sneem Derrynanes response was immediate and points from Morgan O' Donoghue and a huge score from centre back Michael O' Connor and a pointed free from Ronan Hussey levelled to leave the half time score Sneem Derrynane 6 points Waterville 1-3. On the restart Waterville pressed hard but great defending from Mike Neill and Shane and David Mac kept scores level. Ronan Hussey edged Sneem Derrynane ahead after 5 minutes with a pointed free. On the 10th minute a high ball went into the Sneem Derrynane square and was fisted into the net by Barry O' Dwyer. 2 more points from Donnacha Fenton and Niall Fitzgearld put daylight between the teams. Sneem Derrynane were back in match on 20 minutes when Mike Neill pounced on a loose ball and scored a goal for Sneem Derrynane. Points from Barry O' Dwyer and Gearoid O 'Sullivan once again put a goal between the sides. Ronan Hussey pointed again to give Sneem Derrynane hope but two late scores from Niall Fitzgearld and Patrick Curran gave Waterville a 4 point win.

