

### Cork Triumphs at Munster Juvenile Even Age Cross Country

The official start of the Munster Cross Country Season got underway in Limerick Racecourse on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2013. County Cork reigned supreme on the day winning 7 out of 10 individual titles, 5 Inter-Club titles & 5 Inter-County titles. In the individual competitions there was gold for **Aniela Borkowski-Hogan North Cork A.C.** in the Girls U/10, **Diarmuid Healy, Midleton A.C.** in the Boys U/10, **Sarah Morrison, St. Nicholas A.C.** in the Girls U/12, **Darragh McElhinney, Bantry A.C.** in the Boys U/14, **Caoimhe Harrington, West Muskerry A.C.** in the Girls U/16, **Fearghal Curtin, Youghal A.C.** in the Boys U/16 & **Niamh Cotter, Bantry A.C. in the Girls U/18.** Clare won 3 individual titles with **Ben Whelehan, Kilmurray/Ibrickane A.C.** winning gold in the Boys U/12, **Alex O'Neill, St. Cronan's A.C.** taking the title in the Girls U/14 & **Kevin Mulcaire, Ennis Track A.C.** winning gold in the Boys U/18 race.

In the Inter-Club competition there were Munster titles for 5 Cork Clubs as follows:-

- **Youghal A.C.** in Girls U/10
- **Midleton A.C.** in Boys U/10
- **West Muskerry A.C.** in Boys U/12
- **Bandon A.C.** in Girls U/14
- **Togher A.C.** in Boys U/16

with 2 each for **West Waterford A.C.** in the Girls U/12 & U/16 & **Ennis Track A.C.** in the Boys U/14 & Boys U/18 & 1 title for **Clonmel A.C.** in the Girls U/18 competition.

In the Inter-County competition, **Cork** won 5 titles in the Girls U/10, U/12 & Boys U/12, U/16 & U/18 with **Clare** winning 3 titles in the Boys U/10 & U/14 & Girls U/14 & **Waterford & Tipperary** winning one title each in the Girls U/16 & Girls U/18 competitions.

Top 3 in the Girls U/10 race were **Aniela Borkowski-Hogan, North Cork A.C., Sarah Hosey, Limerick AC & Maeve O'Neill, Doheny A.C.** with **Youghal A.C., St. Mary's A.C. Clare & North Cork A.C.** winning the top 3 team titles. In the Boys U/10 race, gold went to **Diarmuid Healy Midleton A.C.**, silver to **Niall Murphy, St. Cronan's A.C.** & bronze to **Colin Ryan, Ennis Track A.C.** Top 3 team prizes went to **Midleton A.C., Fergus A.C. & St. Cronan's A.C.**

The Girls U/12 title went to **Sarah Morrison, St. Nicholas A.C.** with **Ellen Lynch, Dooneen A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **Meghan Carr-O Reilly, St. Catherine's A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Team prizes were won by **West Waterford A.C., Dooneen A.C. & Kilmurray/Ibrickane A.C.** **Ben Whelehan, Kilmurray Ibrickane A.C.** took gold in the Boys U/12 race with **Eoin Redmond, Riverstick Kinsale A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **Cormac Mahony, West Waterford A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Team credits went to **West Muskerry A.C., Ennis Track A.C. & Leevale A.C.**

**Alex O'Neill, St. Cronan's A.C.** was the winner of the Girls U/14 title with **Shona O'Brien, Spa Muckross A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **Laura Hayes, St. Catherine's A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. **Bandon A.C.** won gold in the team event with **Kilmurray Ibrickane A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **St. Cronan's A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup>. In the Boys U/14 race there was gold for **Darragh Mc Elhinney, Bantry A.C.**, silver for **Aidan McCarthy, Ennis Track A.C.** & bronze for **Donal Devane, Ennis Track A.C.** with team honours for 3 Clare Clubs, **Ennis Track A.C., Kilmurray Ibrickane A.C. & St. Mary's A.C. Clare.**

**Caoimhe Harrington, West Muskerry A.C.** won gold in the Girls U/16 race with **Aisling Kelly, St. John's A.C. Clare** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & club-mate **Caoimhe Harvey** in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. **West Waterford A.C., Ennis Track A.C. & St. John's A.C. Clare** were the top 3 winners in the team competition. In the Boys U/16 race, it was gold for **Fearghal Curtin, Youghal A.C.**, with silver for **Ruairi Casey, Togher A.C.** & bronze for **Michael Power, West Waterford A.C.** with team honours going to **Togher A.C., Leevale A.C. & West Waterford A.C.**

**Niamh Cotter, Bantry A.C.** won the title in the Girls U/18 race with **Louise Shanahan, Leevale A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **Laura Tobin, Clonmel A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Team winners were **Clonmel A.C & Togher A.C.** **Kevin Mulcaire, Ennis Track A.C.** took the Boys U/18 title with **Darren Dunne, Nenagh Olympic A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **David Fox, Leevale A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup> place with team honours going to **Ennis Track A.C., Leevale A.C. & Togher A.C.**

Next Munster Cross Country date is Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November in Castlelyons, Co. Cork for the Munster Juvenile Uneven Age Cross Country Championships.

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