## **Munster Juvenile Uneven Age XC Championships**





Galbally, Co. Tipperary was the venue for the Munster Juvenile Uneven Age Cross Country Championships on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2017. Our thanks to Mooreabbey Milers A.C. and the Tipperary County Board for hosting the event. Numbers participating were large on the day with the breakdown as follows: - Girls U/9 (99), Boys U/9 (111), Girls U/11 (137), Boys U/11 (155), Girls U/13 (120), Boys U/13 (111), Girls U/15 (40), Boys U/15 (63), Girls U/17 (53), Boys U/17 (44), Girls U/19 (33), Boys U/19 (26). Cork was dominant again in the Inter-County competition with 8 gold, Clare was the next best (3 gold) with Waterford winning one gold. Cork and Clare both won 4 titles each in the individual competitions with Tipperary winning two and Kerry and Waterford one apiece. See winners below: -

# <u>Clare</u>

- 1. Faye Mannion, Ennis Track A.C. (Girls U/9)
- 2. Gemma Galvin, St. Mary's A.C. Clare (Girls U/11)
- 3. Louise O'Mahony, B.M.O.H A.C. (Girls U/13)
- 4. Mark Hanrahan, Ennis Track A.C. (Boys U/15)

### Cork

- 1. Odhrán O'Sullivan, Midleton A.C. (Boys U/11)
- 2. Lucy O'Keeffe, Youghal A.C. (Girls U/17)
- 3. Stephanie Cotter, West Muskerry A.C. (Girls U/19)
- 4. Charlie O'Donovan, Leevale A.C. (Boys U/19)

#### **Tipperary**

- 1. Cian Hodgins, Nenagh Olympic A.C. (Boys U/13)
- 2. Aimee Hayde, Newport A.C. (Girls U/15)

#### **Kerry**

1. Luke Merrigan, Kenmare A.C. (Boys U/9)

#### Waterford

1. Matteo Mary, Waterford A.C. (Boys U/17)

Ennis Track A.C. were top Club on the day winning 6 Inter-Club titles with Bantry A.C., Carraig na BhFear A.C., St. Cronan's A.C., St. Mary's A.C. Clare, Waterford A.C. & Youghal A.C. all winning one each.

Top 3 in the Girls U/9 race were **Faye Mannion Ennis Track A.C.**, **Holly Megan Flynn Skibbereen A.C.** & **Sophie Maher Ennis Track A.C.** Ennis Track A.C., St. John's A.C. Clare & North Cork A.C. were the top 3 Clubs with **Cork, Clare & Waterford** taking the honours in the Inter-County competition. In the Boys U/9 race, first home was **Luke Merrigan Kenmare A.C.** with **Eoin Prendergast West Waterford A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place and bronze for **Colm Ryan Newport A.C. St. Cronan's A.C.** won the team event with **Nenagh Olympic A.C.** in 2<sup>nd</sup> place & **Grange/Fermoy A.C.** in 3<sup>rd</sup>. **Cork, Clare & Tipperary** were the top 3 in the Inter-County competition.

The Girls U/11 title went to Clare athlete, **Gemma Galvin**, **St. Mary's A.C.** with silver for **Sophie Coughlan**, **Moycarkey Coolcroo A.C.** & bronze **for Lucy Lynch**, **Carraig na BhFear A.C. St. Mary's A.C. Clare**, **Ennis Track A.C. & Dooneen A.C.** were the top 3 Clubs with gold for **Clare**, silver for **Cork** & bronze for **Tipperary** in the Inter-County competition. **Midleton A.C.** duo **Odhrán O'Sullivan & Jack McGrath** & **Brian Scanlan Finisk Valley A.C.** were the top 3 winners in the Boys U/11 race with **Ennis Track A.C.** winning gold, silver for **West Waterford A.C.** & bronze for **Midleton A.C.** Clare, **Cork & Waterford** were the top 3 in the Inter-County competition.

Louise O'Mahony B.M.O.H. A.C., Caoimhe Prendergast West Waterford A.C. & Leah Quane Mooreabbey Milers A.C. were the top 3 finishers in the Girls U/13 race with Carraig na BhFear A.C. winning gold, silver for Bandon A.C. & bronze for Leevale A.C. in the Inter-Club competition. Cork, Clare & Tipperary were the winners in the Inter-County category. In the Boys U/13 race, there was gold for Cian Hodgins, Nenagh Olympic A.C. with silver for Thomas McGuire Ennis Track A.C. & bronze for Eoin Quirke, Midleton A.C. Bantry A.C., Ennis Track A.C. & Nenagh Olympic A.C. won gold, silver & bronze with Cork, Tipperary & Clare the top 3 Counties.

Aimee Hayde, Newport A.C. added another gold to her win in the Munster U/16 race last month when she won the Girls U/15 race with Sarah Hosey Dooneen A.C. in 2<sup>nd</sup> place and Shauna McCarthy Farranfore Maine Valley A.C. in 3<sup>rd</sup> place to add to her gold medal win in the Munster Girls U/14 last month. Club winners were Youghal A.C., Ennis Track A.C., & Dooneen A.C. with Cork, Clare & Tipperary the top 3 Counties. In the Boys U/15 race, Ennis Track A.C. athletes dominated winning the top three medals. There was gold this time for Mark Hanrahan, adding to his silver medal won in the Boys U/16 race last month, with silver for Dean Casey and bronze for Dylan Casey. Ennis Track A.C., West Waterford A.C. & St. Mary's A.C. Limerick were the top 3 Clubs with Clare, Waterford & Cork winning Inter-County honours.

In the Girls U/17 race, **Lucy O'Keeffe Youghal A.C.** won gold adding to her bronze medal last month in the Girls U/16 with silver for **Alyce O'Connor Kenmare** (adding to her bronze medal in the Girls U/18) & bronze for **Caoimhe Carey Midleton A.C. Ennis Track A.C.**, **Waterford A.C. West Waterford A.C.** were the Club winners with **Cork, Clare & Waterford** winning the top 3 prizes in the Inter-County competition. In the Boys U/17 race, the winners were **Matteo Mary Waterford A.C.** 

(also 3<sup>rd</sup> in Boys U/16), **Tommy Connolly Leevale A.C.** (winner of Boys U/16 race last month), & **Jake McCarthy Youghal A.C.** Club winners were **Ennis Track A.C.**, **Waterford A.C.** & **Ferrybank A.C.** with **Cork, Waterford & Clare** winning the Inter-County competition.

Girls U/19 winners were **Stephanie Cotter West Muskerry A.C.**, **Aisling Kelly St. John's A.C. & Anna O'Connor Waterford A.C.** with Club honours going to **Waterford A.C.**, **Ferrybank A.C. & Kilmurray/Ibrickane A.C. Waterford, Cork & Clare** won the Inter-County medals. **Charlie O'Donovan, Leevale A.C.** won the title in the Boys U/19 race with silver and bronze for **Ennis Track A.C.** twins **Donal & Conor Devane. Ennis Track A.C.**, **Leevale A.C. & Waterford A.C.** were the top 3 Clubs with Inter-County medals for **Cork, Waterford & Tipperary**. Congratulations to all.

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