

# Appendix 1 –2018 Ulster Fixtures

## Ulster Senior Football Championship

(In SFC, Extra Time shall be played if required. Replays if needed will take place the following weekend).

**Sun 13<sup>th</sup> May First Round (4.00pm)**

(a) Dún na nGall V An Cabhán at Pairc MacCumhaill  
(Replay Sat 19<sup>th</sup> May)

**Sat 19<sup>th</sup> May Quarter Final (7.00pm)**

(b) Fear Manach V Ard Mhacha at Brewster Park  
(Replay Sat 26<sup>th</sup> May)

**Sun 20<sup>th</sup> May Quarter Final (4.00pm)**

(c) Tír Eoghain V Muineachán at Healy Park  
(Replay Sun 27<sup>th</sup> May)

**Sat 26<sup>th</sup> May Quarter Final (7.00pm)**

(d) An Dún V Aontroim at Pairc Esler  
(Replay Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> June)

**Sun 27<sup>th</sup> May Quarter Final (4.00pm)**

(e) Doire V (a) Dún na nGall / An Cabhán  
*If Doire V Dún na nGall at Celtic Park; If An Cabhán V Doire at Kingspan Breffni*  
(Replay Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> June)

**Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> June First Semi Final (2.00pm)**

(b) Fear Manach / Ard Mhacha V (c) Tír Eoghain / Muineachán  
(Replay Sat 9<sup>th</sup> June)

**Sun 10<sup>th</sup> June Second Semi Final (4.00pm)**

(d) An Dún / Aontroim V (e) Doire / Dún na nGall / An Cabhán  
(Replay Sun 17<sup>th</sup> June)

**Sun 24<sup>th</sup> June Senior Football Final (2.00pm)**

(Replay Sun 1<sup>st</sup> July)

## **Ulster Under 20 Football Championship (With Rule Change)**

All games are Finish on the Day (CCC reserve the right to assign the venue. First team drawn may not be assigned a home venue in this competition as it may precede a SFC game on the same date)

**Sat 26<sup>th</sup> May Quarter Final (5.00pm)**  
(d) An Dún V Aontroim at Pairc Esler

**Sun 27<sup>th</sup> May First Round (2.00pm)**  
(a) Dún na nGall V An Cabhán at Celtic Park / Kingspan Breffni

**Quarter Finals (2.00pm)**  
(b) Fear Manach V Ard Mhacha at Brewster Park  
(c) Tír Eoghain V Muineachán at Healy Park

**Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> June Quarter Final (11.45am)**  
(e) Doire V (a) Dún na nGall / An Cabhán

**Sun 10<sup>th</sup> June Semi Finals (2.00pm)**  
(b) Fear Manach / Ard Mhacha V (c) Tír Eoghain / Muineachán  
(d) An Dún / Aontroim V (e) Doire / Dún na nGall / An Cabhán

**Sun 24<sup>th</sup> June Under 20 Football Final (11.45am)**

## **OR Without Rule Change**

All games are Finish on the Day (CCC reserve the right to assign the venue. First team drawn may not be assigned a home venue in this competition as it may precede a SFC game on the same date).

**Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> June First Round**  
(a) Dún na nGall V An Cabhán

**Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> / Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> June Quarter Finals**  
(b) Fear Manach V Ard Mhacha  
(c) Tír Eoghain V Muineachán  
(d) An Dún V Aontroim

**Sun 10<sup>th</sup> June Quarter Final**  
(e) Doire V (a) Dún na nGall / An Cabhán

**Semi Final**  
(b) Fear Manach / Ard Mhacha V (c) Tír Eoghain / Muineachán

**Sun 17<sup>th</sup> June Semi Final**  
(d) An Dún / Aontroim V (e) Doire / Dún na nGall / An Cabhán

**Sun 24<sup>th</sup> June Under 20 Football Final**

## **Minor (Under 17) Football Championship**

Where possible, first team drawn will receive home advantage up to and including Qualifier Round 2. (CCC reserve the right to assign the venue. First team drawn may not be assigned a home venue in this competition as it may precede a SFC game on the same date).

(All games up to and including Qualifiers Round 3 are Finish on the Day, subject to approval of rule deviation request)

### **Sat 21<sup>st</sup> April Preliminary Round**

(a) Doire V Muineachan at Celtic Park

### **Sat 28<sup>th</sup> April Round 1**

(b) Aontroim V Fear Manach

(c) Dun na nGall V Tir Eoghain

(d) An Dun V Ard Mhacha

(e) An Cabhan V (a) Doire / Muineachan

*If An Cabhán V Doire at Kingspan Breffni; If Muineachán V An Cabhán at Inniskeen*

### **Sat 5<sup>th</sup> May:**

#### **Qualifiers R1**

(Losers of (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) - should the winners of (a) lose in (e), they will be excluded from this Round)

1. V 2. (loser eliminated)

### **Sat 12<sup>th</sup> May / Sun 13<sup>th</sup> May:**

#### **Round 2 (Open Draw – 4 Winners of Round 1)**

#### **Qualifiers R2**

(Remaining three losers not drawn in Qualifiers R1, plus Qualifier R1 winners)

3. V 4. (loser eliminated)

5. V (loser eliminated)

### **Sat 19<sup>th</sup> May / Sun 20<sup>th</sup> May:**

#### **Qualifiers R3**

(Two Round 2 losers V two Qualifiers R2 winners)

(1) V (loser eliminated)

(2) V (loser eliminated)

### **Sat 30<sup>th</sup> June: Semi Final**

(Two Round 2 winners V two Qualifiers R3 winners)

(1) V

(2) V

### **Sat 14<sup>th</sup> / Sun 15<sup>th</sup> July: Final**

## **Jim McGuigan Minor (Under 17) Football League**

**Group A:** Ard Mhacha, An Cabhán, An Dún, Muineachan

**Group B:** Aontroim, Doíre, Dún na nGall, Fear Manach, Tír Eoghain

**(All games at 12:00pm, unless otherwise stated)**

### **Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> March Roinn 1**

Antrim V Donegal at Corrigan Park

Fermanagh V Derry at Brewster Park

### **Sat 10<sup>th</sup> March Roinn 2**

Down V Cavan at Pairc Esler

Armagh V Monaghan at Athletic Grounds

Donegal V Tyrone at Ballyshannon

Derry V Antrim at Owenbeg

### **Fri 16<sup>th</sup> March Roinn 3 (8.00pm)**

Monaghan V Cavan at Inniskeen

Armagh V Down at Athletic Grounds

Tyrone V Derry at Healy Park

Fermanagh V Antrim at Brewster Park

### **Sat 24<sup>th</sup> March Roinn 4**

Cavan V Armagh at Kingspan Breffni

Monaghan V Down at Inniskeen

Donegal V Fermanagh at Pairc MacCumhaill

Antrim V Tyrone at Corrigan Park

### **Wed 28<sup>th</sup> March Roinn 5 (8.00pm)**

Derry V Donegal at Celtic Park

Tyrone V Fermanagh at Healy Park

**Sat 31<sup>st</sup> March** Semi Finals in League & Shield (Extra time to be played if required)

**Sat 7<sup>th</sup> April** Finals in League & Shield (Extra time to be played if required)

### **MFL Competition Regulations:**

(1) Fixtures must be played on designated date and at the stated time, unless otherwise authorised by the CCC Comhairle Uladh.

(2) Minor Football League will be played in two sections with two points for a win and 1 point for a draw.

(3) The top two teams in each section will qualify for the League Semi Finals (Top team in Group A will play Second Placed Team in Group B and the Top team in Group B will play the Second Placed Team in Group A), with the winners then meeting in the League Final. The highest placed team will have home advantage in the Semi Finals.

(4) The third and fourth placed teams in each section will qualify for the Shield Semi Finals (Third Placed Team in Group A will play Fourth Placed Team in Group B and the Third Placed Team in Group B will play the Fourth Placed Team in Group A), with the winners then meeting in the Shield Final. The highest placed team will have home advantage in the Semi Finals.

(5) Where two or more teams are equal on points, the group winner/best runner up will be decided in accordance and in the order specified in Rial 6.21 & 6.38 T.O. 2017.

(6) All counties should submit a panel prior to the competition commencing detailing the list of players that they will be using, including their club and their dates of birth.

## **Bank of Ireland Dr McKenna Cup**

**All Sunday games at 2:00pm; All midweek games at 8:00pm.**

**(Extra time to be played in Semi Finals & Final)**

**Section A:** St Marys, Tyrone, Cavan & Antrim

**Section B:** UU, Derry, Down & Armagh

**Section C:** QUB, Donegal, Monaghan & Fermanagh

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Jan (Wed) - Round 1**

#### **Section A:**

Tyrone v Antrim at Healy Park

Cavan v St Marys at Kingspan Breffni

#### **Section B:**

Down v Armagh at Pairc Esler

Derry v UU at Owenbeg

#### **Section C:**

Donegal v QUB at Pairc MacCumhaill

Fermanagh v Monaghan at Brewster Park

### **7<sup>th</sup> Jan (Sun) - Round 2**

#### **Section A:**

Antrim v Cavan at Glenavy

Tyrone v St Marys at Healy Park

#### **Section B:**

Armagh v Derry at Athletic Grounds

Down v UU at Downpatrick

#### **Section C:**

Fermanagh v QUB at Brewster Park

Monaghan v Donegal at Clones

### **10<sup>th</sup> Jan (Wed) - Round 3**

#### **Section A:**

Cavan v Tyrone at Kingspan Breffni

Antrim v St Marys at Woodlands (3G)

#### **Section B:**

Derry v Down at Owenbeg

Armagh v UU at Athletic Grounds

#### **Section C:**

Monaghan v QUB at Castleblayney

Donegal v Fermanagh at Pairc MacCumhaill

### **14<sup>th</sup> Jan (Sun) Semi Finals**

(1) Section C Winner v Section A Winner

(2) Section B Winner v Best Runner Up

### **20<sup>th</sup> Jan (Sat) Final**

**N.B. All Fixtures potentially should be considered as floodlit games.**

#### **Competition Regulations:**

(1) University Teams have first preference on Players.

(2) University Teams must submit their panel of twenty-six players prior to 27<sup>th</sup> November and counties will have the opportunity to respond by 4<sup>th</sup> December, the same date that they must submit their panel of twenty six players. All lists will be approved by Competition Control Committee on behalf of Comhairle

Uladh at the December meeting. Teams must be drawn from the twenty-six players or from an amended list approved by Comhairle Uladh.

(3) Comhairle Uladh PRO Michael Geoghegan will act as mediator who will facilitate dialogue in the event of a disputed player.

(4) A player who has played with his University team in the Dr McKenna Cup or a similar competition in another province may only participate with his county for the semi-finals and final of the Dr McKenna Cup. This only applies if his university team has been eliminated from the aforementioned competition.

(5) Where two or more teams are equal on points, the group winner/best runner up will be decided in accordance and in the order specified in Rial 6.21 & 6.38 T.O. 2017.

(6) The fourth placed team shall be determined from the runner up in each Section using the formula at (5) above.

(7) Refixtures shall be played at Floodlit Grounds.

(8) The Semi Finals and Final shall be played at Floodlit Grounds and include extra time if required.

(9) Failure to comply with Competition Regulations shall entail forfeiture of game.

(10) Teams are entitled to video their own games in the competition.

(11) Failure by a team to provide a player in attendance at the launch event will result in a €1,000 fine.

## **Conor McGurk Cup**

**All games to be played at Upper Malone unless otherwise stated.**

**(Extra time to be played in Final)**

**Section A:** QUB, An Dún & Dún na nGall

**Section B:** UU, Aontroim & Tír Eoghain

### **17<sup>th</sup> Dec (Sun) Round 1**

**Section A:** Dún na nGall V QUB (1.30pm)

**Section B:** Tír Eoghain V UU (12.00pm)

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Jan (Tues) Round 2**

**Section A:** An Dún V QUB (7.30pm)

**Section B:** Aontroim V UU at Ulster University (7.30pm)

### **6<sup>th</sup> Jan (Sat) Round 3**

**Section A:** An Dún V Dún na nGall (1.30pm)

**Section B:** Aontroim V Tír Eoghain (12.00pm)

### **13<sup>th</sup> Jan (Sat) Final (7.00pm)**

#### **Competition Regulations:**

(1) University Teams have first preference on Players.

(2) Section A winner will play Section B winner in the Conor McGurk Cup Final.

(3) Where two or more teams are equal on points, the group winner will be decided in accordance and in the order specified in Rial 6.21 & 6.38 T.O. 2017.

(4) Teams are entitled to video their own games in the competition.

(5) All teams must be represented with a player in attendance at the launch event.

## **Leinster Under 21 Hurling Qualifier**

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March: Final:**

Aontroim                      V An Dún                      at TBC

## **Ulster Under 21 Hurling Shield**

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> / Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March: Semi Finals**

(1)                                  V

(2)                                  V

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March: Final:**

(1)                                  V (2)                                  at TBC

## **Ulster Football Senior Club Championship**

### **20<sup>th</sup> / 21<sup>st</sup> October: First Round:**

(a) Muineachan      V Fear Manach

### **3<sup>rd</sup> / 4<sup>th</sup> November: Quarter Finals:**

(b) Aontroim      V Dun na nGall

(c) Ard Mhacha      V Tir Eoghain

(d) An Cabhan      V Doire

(e) An Dun      V (a) Muineachan / Fear Manach

### **17<sup>th</sup> / 18<sup>th</sup> November: Semi Finals:**

Aontroim / Dun na nGall V Ard Mhacha / Tir Eoghain

An Cabhan / Doire V An Dun/ Muineachan / Fear Manach

### **1<sup>st</sup> / 2<sup>nd</sup> December: Final**

## **Ulster Football Intermediate Club Championship**

### **20<sup>th</sup> / 21<sup>st</sup> October: First Round:**

(a) Doire      V Fear Manach

### **3<sup>rd</sup> / 4<sup>th</sup> November: Quarter Finals:**

(b) Aontroim      V Muineachan

(c) Ard Mhacha      V Tir Eoghain

(d) An Cabhan      V An Dun

(e) Dun na nGall      V (a) Doire / Fear Manach

### **17<sup>th</sup> / 18<sup>th</sup> November: Semi Finals:**

Aontroim / Muineachan V Ard Mhacha / Tir Eoghain

An Cabhan / An Dun V Dun na nGall / Doire / Fear Manach

### **1<sup>st</sup> / 2<sup>nd</sup> December: Final**

## **Ulster Football Junior Club Championship**

### **7<sup>th</sup> October: First Round:**

(a) An Cabhan      V Muineachan

### **20<sup>th</sup> / 21<sup>st</sup> October: Quarter Finals:**

(b) Ard Mhacha      V Fear Manach

(c) Doire      V An Dun

(d) Aontroim      V Dún na nGall

(e) Tir Eoghain      V An Cabhan /Muineachan

### **3<sup>rd</sup> / 4<sup>th</sup> November: Semi Finals:**

Ard Mhacha / Fear Manach V Doire / An Dun

Aontroim / Dún na nGall V Tir Eoghain An Cabhan /Muineachan

### **17<sup>th</sup> / 18<sup>th</sup> November: Final**

### **8<sup>th</sup> / 9<sup>th</sup> December: Twinning Final V British champions**



## **Ulster Club Hurling Championship**

*To participate in the Ulster Hurling Club Championship at any level, (with the current exception of Lisbellaw) a club must have taken part in a club championship within their county in that competition year. A club that has previously won an Ulster Intermediate or Junior Championship shall not participate for three years at that grade after their previous win. A County Board must apply to Comhairle Uladh for regrading if necessary.*

## **Ulster Hurling Senior Hurling Championship** **(Year 3 of 3)**

### **28<sup>th</sup> October: Semi Finals:**

- (a) Doire                      V An Dún  
(b) Aontroim                V Ard Mhacha (If Middletown)

### **11<sup>th</sup> November: Final:**

## **Ulster Hurling Intermediate Hurling Championship**

**(Antrim, Armagh, Derry, Donegal (If Setanta), Down, Fermanagh and Tyrone)**

### **14<sup>th</sup> October: Quarter Finals:**

- (a) 1.                        V 2.  
(b) 3.                        V 4.  
(c) 5.                        V 6.  
(d) 7.                        V

### **28<sup>th</sup> October: Semi Finals:**

- (a)                        V (b)  
(c)                        V (d)

### **11<sup>th</sup> November: Final**

## **Ulster Hurling Junior Club Championship:**

**(Antrim, Armagh, Cavan, Derry, Donegal, Down, Monaghan and Tyrone)**

### **14<sup>th</sup> October: Quarter Finals:**

- (a) Aontroim                V Doire  
(b) An Cabhan            V Ard Mhacha  
(c) Dún na nGall        V Muineachan  
(d) Tir Eoghain          V An Dún

### **28<sup>th</sup> October: Semi Finals:**

Aontroim / Doire        V An Cabhan / Ard Mhacha  
Dún na nGall / Muineachan V Tir Eoghain / An Dún

### **11<sup>th</sup> November: Final**

**24<sup>th</sup> / 25<sup>th</sup> November: Twinning Final V British champions**