Suncroft GFC Minutes



Date: 15th January 2020

In Attendance:

 Mag Malone, Mickey Harnett, Sandra Dillon, Val Dillon, Johnny McGuirk, Louise McGuirk, Des Brannock, Mick Kehoe, Hugh O'Byrne.

Apologies:

• Pat Sutton, Flan Hassett, Kevin Fennelly, Mary Val Dillon, Paddy Behan.

Condolences:

Chris Donavan mother.

Approval of Minutes Previous Meeting:

• Mag Malone, Mick Kehoe.

Financial Update:

- No update. Pat ran into a problem at last minute.
- Quantum draw €5,050 clear. Great work done by all, especially Mag in organising, senior ladies (c. €2k), Val Dillon (c. €1.2k) and senior lads (c. €0.8k) with sales. Paddy Behan and Louise McGuirk did great work on the draw night selling €675. Congratulations to all the winners, especially Ella Kennedy Burk who won the €3k. Pity it wasn't a local that won but demonstrates the integrity of the draw.

Correspondence:

- List of upcoming training workshops.
- LGFA running course for Go Games ref.

Team News:

- U15 Lads won the play D4 final which was a great way to close out 2019.
- U13 & U15 Leagues start at the beginning of February. No coaches in place for U15's at the minute.

Child Welfare Update:

- Documents and forms, etc as required updated after December meeting.
- As new coaches are identified for 2020 garda vetting and Child Safeguarding Course to be a priority and followed by Coaching Level 1 where not already done.

Fundraising

- Again, well don't to all on the Quantum Draw. Circa €5k cleared after costs a great result.
- €10 GAA National Club Draw. 159 sold in 2019 (+ The ones sold at the dinner dance). 163 sold in 2018. GAA fund prizes so every ticket sold is profit for Suncroft GFC. Big push please over next month as we only have to the 21st of February to sell the tickets.
- Mick Kehoe to talk to Meadow Court Stud to see I they will stay on board for another year hopefully. If they do year three is Jerseys for the senior lads team.
- Golf Classic booked for 17th April in the Curragh.
- Registration fees to be reviewed for 2021. Facilities enhances since last rise agreed at the 2015 AGM.
- Between affiliation, club registration etc, c. €1.7k of bills for the ladies landing in Jan/Feb. Louise & Sandra targeting €6k specific fundraising for the ladies this year. Starting of with tea's and coffees in the centre a games and training and a few bag-packs.
- Between registration, golf classic and other bits an pieces Mikey targeting €8k from the senior lads team
- Fundraising Committee to organising a club underage raffle for April/May. Majority of registrations will be complete at that point and most underage teams back training and playing. Wont impact on the golf. Every player on every panel give 5 €5 tickets to sell.
- Paddy, Pat, Mag & John Troy looking at Grass Maraton. Maraton on the Curragh, on grass, possibly in
 conjunction with the race course. Run together as fundraiser for Suncroft GFC, Athletics and Jockey
 Injury fund. Events of this kind would need to be flagged many months in advance. John Troy talking to
 Kildare Athletics to see what supports would be available and what issues might arise.

Facilities Management

- Grass needs fertiliser, broad leave weeds killer and a roll. MK to talk to Colm Keane.
- Tender and pricing currently under way for pitch side hand railings and dugouts. Ideally a hand rail between the soccer and GAA pitch would be installed but that would require both the GAA and soccer to give up a bit of their pitches. Hand rail would need to be c. 2.5m from each side-line, so 5m needed between pitches. Space there but relocating goalposts would be a big undertaking.
 - Grant €17,632. Club will have to contribute a minimum of €882. Budget for works €18.5k.

AOB

- GDPR Website form APP provided by POWr notified us of a breach of their system. Of the elements used
 by Suncroft GFC on its website unauthorised persons may have got access to a photo of the 1948/49 Minor
 team whish was uploaded in May 2018. The uploaded photo was published on the Suncroft Website and on
 Facebook at the time. Suncroft GFC has no data protection concerns or issues.
- Number of administration issues arising in relation to the transfer of the old KCC pumping site to Suncroft.
 - 1) Need GAA permission at Croke Park level for any property procurement, even if the costs is $\in 0$.
 - 2) Land purchased some years back (training area) not properly vested in the GAA.
 - 3) Moving away from Club Trustees to GAA Corporate Trustee.
 - 4) Have to get the plot valued. Val Dillion may have an option for that.
- Cheque required for Kildare LGFA for affiliation at County Meeting this week.
- Board na NoG meeting next week. All requests frog raiding to be submitted in advance.

Next Meeting

• Wednesday February 12th

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Date: 12th February 2020

In Attendance:

• Mag Malone, Pat Sutton, Sandra Dillon, Val Dillon, Dee Cahill, Louise McGuirk, Johnny McGuirk, Mary Val Dillon, Hugh O'Byrne, Ollie Brannock, Seamus Dillon, Dessie Brannock, Mick Kehoe.

Apologies:

• Paddy Behan, Ger Fox, Noel Sammon, Flan Hassett.

Condolences:

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Approval of Minutes Previous Meeting:

Hugh O'Byrne added to attendance. Approved by Louise McGuirk & Sandra Dillon.

Financial Update:

- Pat Sutton presented overview of finances. Copy attached.
- In short there is c. €2k in the bank and between GAA coaching fee, Insurance and grass there is in the order of €12k due to be paid,
- Meadow Court Stud confirmed continued sponsorship for 2020, invoice for €6k issued.
- Dominic and The Well have confirmed they will sponsor the Golf Classic again his year.

Correspondence:

- Transfers:
 - o Jamie Connolly Senior from Moorfield
 - o James Maguire Senior from Moorefield
 - Cathal Bolger U15 to Athgarvan. Not properly registered with Suncroft since U10's/2015. No signed form, no grounds for objection.

Team News:

- Seniors started in Keogh Cup. 1 win to date.
- Minor lads start next weekend. Fixture clash with seniors.
- U15 commenced at start of Feb. 1 win to date.
- U13's not fielding a team for winter league. 13's playing up with 14's who start at beginning of March. U12 league starts at beginning of April.

Child Welfare Update:

- As new coaches are identified for 2020 garda vetting and Child Safeguarding Course to be a priority and followed by Coaching Level 1 where not already done.
- A new Children's Officer was required as Flan Hassett is unable to give it the necessary time and delighted to welcome Dee Cahill into the role. Flan will be there in the background to help out.
- Dave Brannigan has agreed to coach the U8's with Flan Hassett helping him.
- Pauraic & Bernard Salmon have agreed to coach the U14 Girls.
- Safeguarding Course in Suncroft on 4th March. Will take 20 people. Training matrix to be checked.

Fundraising

- €10 GAA National Club Draw. Agreed to get students to sell €5 to club. Tickets need to be back this week.
- Table quiz in The Croft to raise funds for Suncroft house fire on 21st. Organised by some of the ladies senior team panel.
- Clubs first Table Quiz on 13th March in The Well. Will follow up with quiz in The Bush & Dowlings.
- Golf Classic booked for 17th April in the Curragh.
- Murphy weekend 24 to 26th April.
- Bag Pack in Dunnes booked for 20 June.
- Family 5k walk on the Curragh raise funds for the Club and St Brigids Hospice, The Curragh being reviewed for Summer.
- Tea/Coffee before home matches Sandra and Mag trialling.
- Corporate afternoon on 2nd October in Kadeen. Big draw guest speakers needed. €1,000 to €1500 a table depending on quality of speaker. Louise & Sandra to coordinate speaker search. Needs to be tied down in next month.
- Longer term Paddy, Pat, Mag & John Troy looking at Grass Maraton. Maraton on the Curragh, on grass, possibly in conjunction with the race course, fundraiser for Suncroft GFC, Athletics and Jockey Injury fund. Events of this kind would need to be flagged many months in advance. John Troy talking to Kildare Athletics to see what supports available and what issues could arise.

Facilities Management

- Fields need light rolling and grass needs fertiliser and broad leave weeds killer. Colm Keane will do when weather suits.
- Tender and pricing currently under way for pitch side hand railings and dugouts.
 Grant €17,632. Club will have to contribute a minimum of €882.

AOB

- Registration day 22nd February 4pm to 6pm in the community centre.
- Small presentation was made on behalf of club to the Howards on the 40th wedding anniversary.
- Transfer of the old KCC pumping site to Suncroft issues being resolved slowly.
- Online registration issue to be checked.
- Congratulations to Cian Prendergast who played for the Ireland U20's in the Six Nations at the weekend.

Next Meeting

• Wednesday March 11th

Income & Expenditure Account Suncroft GFC 1 December 2019 to 13 February 2020

	13 Feb 20
Income	
Income - lottery tickets	€920.00
Income - national car draw	€10.00
Income - quantum draw	€4,877.37
Membership - family	€360.00
Membership - lotto	€1,310.00
Membership - senior player male	€200.00
Membership - underage boys	€50.00
Total Income	€7,727.37
Less Expenditure	
Bank Fees	€107.34
Club Kildare	€75.45
GAA loan interest	€60.00
Hawkfield	€562.95
Ladies costs	€915.00
Paypal fees	€42.15
Rent	€960.00
Senior costs	€1,200.00
Stripe fees	€13.46
Underage costs	€802.65
Total Expenditure	€4,739.00
Surplus	€2,988.37

Balance Sheet Suncroft GFC As at 13 February 2020

	13 Feb 2020	30 Nov 2019
Assets		
Bank		
Bank c/a	€2,631.78	€2,005.61
Bank savings a/c	€14,414.11	€13,114.11
Paypal a/c	€230.02	€307.82
Stripe a/c	€0.00	€100.00
Total Bank	€17,275.91	€15,527.54
Fixed Assets		
Land	€60,000.00	€60,000.00
Total Fixed Assets	€60,000.00	€60,000.00
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Total Assets	€77,275.91	€75,527.54
Liabilities		
Current Liabilities		
Provision for grass cutting & coaching	€10,300.00	€10,300.00
Total Current Liabilities	€10,300.00	€10,300.00
Non-Current Liabilities		
GAA Loan	€18,224.64	€19,464.64
Provision for Lotto Payout	€10,000.00	€10,000.00
Total Non-Current Liabilities	€28,224.64	€29,464.64
Total Liabilities	€38,524.64	€39,764.64
Net Assets	€38,751.27	€35,762.90
Facility		
Equity	62.000.07	66 204 02
Current Year Earnings	€2,988.37	-€6,384.92
Retained Earnings	€35,762.90	€42,147.82 €35.763.00
Total Equity	€38,751.27	€35,762.90

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Date: 11th March 2020

In Attendance:

• Mag Malone, Pat Sutton, Mick Kehoe

Apologies:

Noel Sammon (Board na nÓg), Dee Cahill, Louise McGuirk, Johnny McGuirk, Paddy Behan.

Condolences:

None

Approval of Minutes Previous Meeting:

• Mag Malone, Pat Sutton

Financial Update:

- Pat Sutton presented figures (copy attached). Membership fees starting to come in. Meadow Court sponsorship has come in.
- Dominic / The Well have confirmed they will sponsor the Golf Classic again his year €1.5k.
- Sponsorship secured again this year for underage footballs and some jerseys.
- Large bills outstanding for grass cutting from 2018/19 and for 2020 Insurance.
- Circa €1,240 raised via the GAA €10 National Club Draw. Earlier effort required in 2020 Nov/Dec and use of discount with minor/students to be better organised.
- Kildare GAA Car Draw €100 tickets now on sale. Need to sell 30 to break even.

Fundraising

- Clubs first Table Quiz on 13th March in The Well. POSTPONED. Not enough people available to run it properly. Will follow up with quiz in The Bush & Dowlings.
- Golf Classic booked for 17th April in the Curragh. Requires a big push no that Table Quiz is postponed.
- Murphy weekend 24 to 26th April. Trip to Shelbourne park on sat 25th.
- Bag Pack in Dunnes booked for 20 June.
- Family 5k walk on the Curragh raise funds for the Club and St Brigid's Hospice, The Curragh being reviewed for Summer.
- Corporate afternoon on 2nd October in Kadeen. Big draw guest speakers needed. €1,000 to €1500 a table depending on quality of speaker.
- Registration ongoing. Need another day in the Community Centre when the underage are back playing.

Correspondence:

• None

Team News:

- Seniors: Keogh Cup. 1 win, 1 draw, 1 loss. League starts 21 March.
- Minor lads. 1 win, 1 loss
- U16 start 14 March.
- U15 1 win, 1 draw & 1 loss.
- U14 start 15 March.
- U14-L Feile 17 March
- U16-L 3 games postponed
- Senior start 31 March. (big number of senior players unavailable in 2020. D1 & Senior will be a challenge.

Child Welfare Update:

• Well attended Safeguarding Course held in Suncroft on 4th March.

Facilities Management

- Fields need light rolling/spiking and grass needs fertiliser and broad leave weeds killer. Colm Keane will do when weather suits.
- Tender and pricing currently under way for pitch side hand railings and dugouts. Grant €17,632. Club will have to contribute a minimum of €1k.
- Transfer of the old KCC pumping site to Suncroft issues being resolved slowly.

AOB

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Next Meeting

• Wednesday April 15th

Balance Sheet Suncroft GFC As at 10 March 2020

	10 Mar 2020	30 Nov 2019	
Assets			
Bank			
Bank c/a	€8,425.26	€2,005.61	
Bank savings a/c	€14,814.11	€13,114.11	
Paypal a/c	€1,362.30	€307.82	
Stripe a/c	€0.00	€100.00	
Total Bank	€24,601.67	€15,527.54	
Fixed Assets			
Land	€60,000.00	€60,000.00	
Total Fixed Assets	€60,000.00	€60,000.00	
Total Assets	€84,601.67	€75,527.54	
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Provision for grass cutting & co	€10,300.00	€10,300.00	
Total Current Liabilities	€10,300.00	€10,300.00	
Non-Current Liabilities			
GAA Loan	€17,824.64	€19,464.64	
Provision for Lotto Payout	€10,000.00	€10,000.00	
Total Non-Current Liabilities	€27,824.64	€29,464.64	
Total Liabilities	€38,124.64	€39,764.64	
Net Assets	€46,477.03	€35,762.90	
Equity			
Current Year Earnings	€10,714.13	-€6,384.92	
Retained Earnings	€35,762.90	€42,147.82	
Total Equity	€46,477.03	€35,762.90	

Profit and Loss Suncroft GFC For the period ended 10 March 2020

	Mar-20	Feb-20	Jan-20	Dec-19	YTD
Income					
Income - kildare car draw	€75.00	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€75.00
Income - corporate dinner	€0.00	-€1,000.00	€0.00	€0.00	-€1,000.00
Income - golf classic	€100.00	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€100.00
Income - lottery tickets	€210.00	€295.00	€695.00	€330.00	€1,530.00
Income - Meadow Court Stud sp	€6,000.00	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€6,000.00
Income - national car draw	€1,240.00	€0.00	€10.00	€0.00	€1,250.00
Income - Quantum Draw	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€4,877.37	€4,877.37
Membership - adults	€50.00	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€50.00
Membership - family	€255.00	€645.00	€120.00	€0.00	€1,020.00
Membership - lotto	€1,080.00	€1,092.00	€532.00	€594.00	€3,298.00
Membership - OAP's	€0.00	€70.00	€0.00	€0.00	€70.00
Membership - senior player male	€450.00	€105.00	€200.00	€0.00	€755.00
Membership - underage boys	€320.00	€350.00	€50.00	€0.00	€720.00
Membership - underage girls	€200.00	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€200.00
Total Income	€9,980.00	€1,557.00	€1,607.00	€5,801.37	€18,945.37
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Less Expenditure Bank Fees	€0.30	€11.20	€11.98	€95.06	€118.54
Club Kildare	€25.15	€0.00	€25.15	€50.30	€100.60
Donations	€95.92	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€95.92
Field maintenance	€10.30	€166.50	€0.00	€0.00	€176.80
GAA loan interest	€0.00	€0.00	€60.00	€0.00	€60.00
	€66.00	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€66.00
General Expenses Hawkfield	€0.00	€187.65	€187.65	€375.30	€750.60
Ladies costs	€80.00	€500.00	€415.00	€0.00	€995.00
Paypal fees	€55.52	€11.81	€22.10	€8.24	€97.67
Rent	€0.00	€0.00	€0.00	€960.00	€960.00
Senior costs	€980.00	€0.00	€1,200.00	€0.00	€2,180.00
Software costs	€389.28	€0.00	€1,200.00	€0.00	€389.28
Stripe fees	€22.21	€15.05	€6.27	€5.45	€48.98
Underage costs	€1,326.50	€261.70	€323.65	€280.00	€2,191.85
	€3,051.18	€1,153.91	€2,251.80	€1,774.35	€8,231.24
Total Expenditure	€3,031.10	€1,100.01	₹2,201.00	€1,774.33	60,251.24
Surplus /(deficit)	€6,928.82	€403.09	-€644.80	€4,027.02	€10,714.13

Suncroft GFC

Minutes



Date: 2nd June 2020

In Attendance:

 Mag Malone, Pat Sutton, Noel Sammon, Paddy Behan, Sandra Dillon, Hugh O'Byrne, Val Dillon, Ciaran Troy, Mick Kehoe

Apologies:

• Louise McGuirk, Johnny McGuirk.

Condolences:

None

Approval of Minutes Previous Meeting:

• Mag Malone, Pat Sutton:- All actions void due to COVID 19.

Financial Update:

- Field loan on agreed break (€100 per week).
- Hawkfield fee on agreed break (€187.65 per month)
- Annual PP&E Insurance paid (€4,190)
- Dugouts and railings finished in coming week, cost c. €19k, Sports Capital Grand of €17,620.
- Intel payment of €8.5k to €9k due shortly thanks to work of Austin Brannock.
- Keadeen Hotel have returned €1k deposit for cancelled corporate event.

When all that washes through:

- Current Account c. €8.5k
- Lottery Account c. €14k (Jackpot currently €10k)

Outstanding bills:

- Grass cutting c. €8k
- GPO 2019 c. €3.3k
- KCC site transfer c. €1.5k
- Training/GYM etc pre lockdown c. €2k

Total c. €14.8k

Other Financial Issues

- GPO 2020 c. €3.3k Have requested withdrawal from the scheme.
- Tony Howard has said the he would contribute even though Murphy weekend did not happen, Usually around €2.5k
- Kildare Car Draw €100 tickets. Potential €3k bill.

Fundraising

- Lottery closed and unlikely to reopen until 2021. 31 people/families that have paid for lottery will be compensated in some manner. 3 extra lines for 2021. Will need to decide when we know lottery is returning
- MK to chase Shane Kavanagh & Susan Brannock to see if a list of previous members could be located.
- Kildare Car Draw €100 tickets proceeding. Suncroft have to sell 30 to break even.
 - o First draw end of July
 - o Mag to get two or three tickets out to each of the committee members.
- Possibility of running a golf classic in September. Burger/snack bar at the 9th rather than food after.

Correspondence:

None

Team News:

- None.
- GAA expects Cul Camps to happen at end of July and in August.
- GAA planning return to training from 20 July with games commencing in the first week of August.
- Bord Na NoG haven't confirmed games programme but expected to commence in August
- LGFA haven't confirmed games programme but also expected to commence in August.
- Problems will include:
 - o Evening getting dark in September
 - Less than half the clubs in the county have playing/match lights
 - o October & November are usually the two wettest months of the year
 - Pitches won be able to take too many games.
 - o Overlap with soccer & rugby.

Child Welfare Update:

• Some courses now available online.

Facilities Management

- Back pitch let grow. Front pitch being topped occasionally.
- Training area needs more fertiliser once rain arrives.

AOB

Membership: Letter to be sent to all members & players not registered encouraging them to register and be
ready to participate in July. It was agreed that there would be no reduction in fees of refunds offered.
 Membership is membership of the club and all involved. Insurance, grass cutting, facilities development, etc
all the costly club activities continued through the year. Membership is not just about playing games.

Next Meeting

Wednesday TBA

Suncroft GFC

Minutes



Date: 13th August 2020

In Attendance:

• Louise McGuirk, Sandra Dillon, Val Dillon, Paddy Behan, Johnny McGuirk, Kevin Fennelly, Hugh O'Byrne, Pat Sutton, Alan Troy, Mag Malone & Mick Kehoe

Apologies:

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Condolences:

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Approval of Minutes Previous Meeting:

• Mick Kehoe, Louise McGuirk.

Covid:

- Covid officer in place for every team and kitted out with hand sanitiser, wipes, bib's etc.
- One player confirmed with covid. HSE decide who was close or casual contact. To date it appears that the
 HSE are treating teammates as casual contacts (continue as normal but monitor themselves closely for
 symptoms and talk to their GP if any issue arises) 14 day up Sunday 16 Aug, no associated issues to date.
- A can of sanitiser will be put in the container for people to refill their bottles.

Financial Update:

- Field loan on agreed break ongoing (€100 per week).
- Hawkfield fee on agreed break for three months (€187.65 per month).
- Intel payment of €8.6k received in early June thanks to work of Austin Brannock.
- Grass cutting paid for up to end of end of 2019, Val Dillon did a favourable deal with Billy Whelan. Val to confirm with Billy what the bill is to date for 2020, estimate c. €1,500 (2 cuts early in year, big clean up at restart, 1 cut since).Once full normality returns a per cut price will be agreed.
- Thanks to Adam Talbot for keeping the front pitch & training are topped and to Val Dillon who took the grass off the back pitch and mad a contribution of €300 to the club for the same.
- With The Well closed Mag is keeping a float to pay referees.
- Registration income down on last year mainly due to no lottery option. Player numbers only down c. 10%.

Outstanding bills:

- GPO 2019 c. €3.3k. Suspend for the moment, may have to pay to up to March 2020.
- KCC site transfer legals c. €1.5k
- Community field lease legals c. €1.5k
- Training/GYM/physio etc pre lockdown c. €1.5k, post lock down, start July c. €1k
- O'Neills €350
- Grass cutting c. €1,500

Fundraising

- Tony Howard is likely to make a contribution. Possibly are some kind of an underage event / blitz in September.
- Lottery closed. Target is to restart in January 2021. A small number of people have signed up to DD monthly payments.
- Possibility of running a golf classic in September discounted.
- Kildare Club Car Draw (€100 tickets). Have to sell 23 tickets, pay €2.3k, to break even. Provisional count estimates that we may have sold over 30.
- Pitch Side signs. 8 confirmed to date. We need to get them moving as quickly as possible and try to get more as this is our only current fundraiser.

Correspondence:

• GAA close and then partial re-open at weekend just gone.

Child Welfare Update:

- Garda Vetting.....
- Child Safety Course.....
- Coaching Courses....

Facilities Management

- All areas no back in full use.
- Mid size relocatable goalposts (U12's) repaired, bolted and nets fitted.
- Grass on training area not growing as it should. Soil sent for test to see what's missing.
- Anti-climb non-drying paint put on top of dugouts and container. Will be a bit of smearing until all the kids realise that they can't climb, and the novelty wears off.

AOB

- Transfer of site from KCC ongoing. Unenviably slow.
- Lease agreed in principle with Trustees & SCDG and now with solicitors, Could very easily still blow up.

Next Meeting

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