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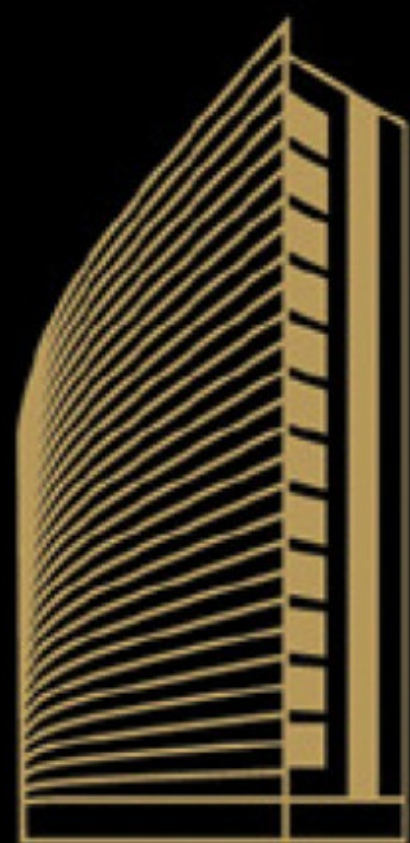


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# GAMES



**59 WINS 19 DRAWS** **11 WINS IN A ROW**

**CLUB RECORD**



# UNITED WE STAND

WITH PARAIC COLLINS



Welcome to Eamonn Deacy Park for tonight's game against Kerry F.C. in the Men's SSE Airtricity League of Ireland First Division. A special welcome to the manager, the players, and the supporters that made the long journey from the Kingdom.

Our gaffer celebrates his 100th game in charge of Galway United. So let's dig a bit into some numbers since he took over the club back in August 2020.

Maroon View's resident statistician Julian Canny informs me John's record is 59 wins, 19 draws, and 21 defeats. That's a 60% win record. The best of any Galway United manager. One more win and Caulfield will equal the most wins of any manager during their tenure. Currently, United is on an 11-match unbeaten run at home, and getting another win looks highly likely.

One more piece of trivia, John scored 15 times against us during his playing days!

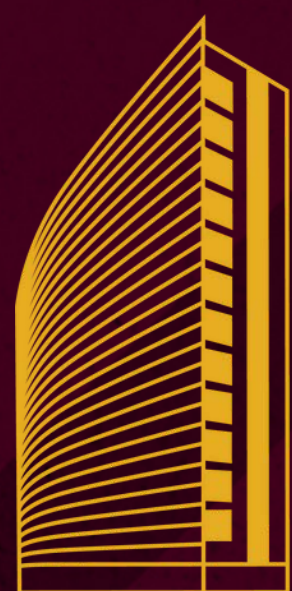
In his notes, John mentions while we're having a great season the club is not in the Premier Division, and of course, he is dead right. As understatements go this is where we need to be, this is where we have to get to. The club has been on the up for a while but until we get promoted - it's almost certain we will - and Galway United remains a mainstay in the top division, a beacon of professional football in the west of Ireland, supporters of our wonderful club cannot take anything for granted.

As always come on United!





**CONOR  
McCORMACK**



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# CAPTAIN'S LOG

WITH CONOR McCORMACK

**Tell us about the game against Longford Town?**

It was another important win for us last Friday against Longford Town. We were out for revenge after they turned us over earlier in the season.

We had a lot of the ball and lots of chances but failed to make any of them count in the first half. Maybe, we were a little rusty after the break but we had a few words and changed a few things at half-time, and, in fairness to the boys, we were at it straight from tip-off. We knew as soon as we got the first goal we would score another, and we were delighted with the final result and the overall second-half performance. Three points in the bag and onto the next game.

**How has the squad prepared for Kerry F.C. tonight?**

Kerry F.C. are our opponents tonight and they will be out to get something from us. We've beaten them twice already this season but we know they will be determined to make it a much tighter game than previous meetings. They've improved hugely in defence and are a completely different outfit from the last time we met.

We know we will have to be at it from the off this weekend. So this week we've watched back their last couple of games which they've done pretty well in. So we will prepare properly and make sure we're at it.

We're all looking forward to the game and hopefully, another bumper crowd comes in to support us they've been brilliant for us all season.





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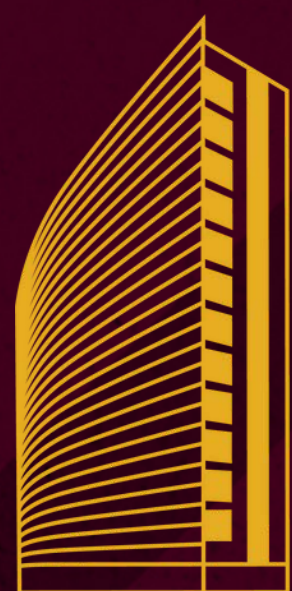
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**JOHN  
CAULFIELD**



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# FROM THE DUGOUT

WITH JOHN CAULFIELD

It is another hugely important game for Galway United Football Club in the SSE Airtricity League First Division. Welcome to Billy Dennehy, his staff, players, and Kerry supporters.

This will be my 100th game in charge of Galway United, it has been enjoyable. Obviously we feel that the club is on the up. In the last 18 months we have felt that, but as we all know, we want to be in the Premier Division.

In the first half of this season we have performed very well. With 16 games to go we have to keep the pressure on, to keep the performances as good.

Last Friday we were delighted with the display against Longford Town. At half-time it was nil all, they were proving difficult to break down, but the lads kept at it, they believed in themselves.

Then we played some fantastic football in the second half, it was a great three points for us to get. It leads into tonight's game against an improving Kerry outfit.

Kerry took a few hammerings in the first part of the season, but they have learned quickly. You can see that in the second series, the games they were involved in were much tighter.

The game against Bray when they lost narrowly 3-2 shows how much they have tightened the gap.

Even reflecting back on our match with Kerry in Tralee, right from the start they were at it, they were physical and went a goal up and they deserved to be ahead.



# FROM THE DUGOUT

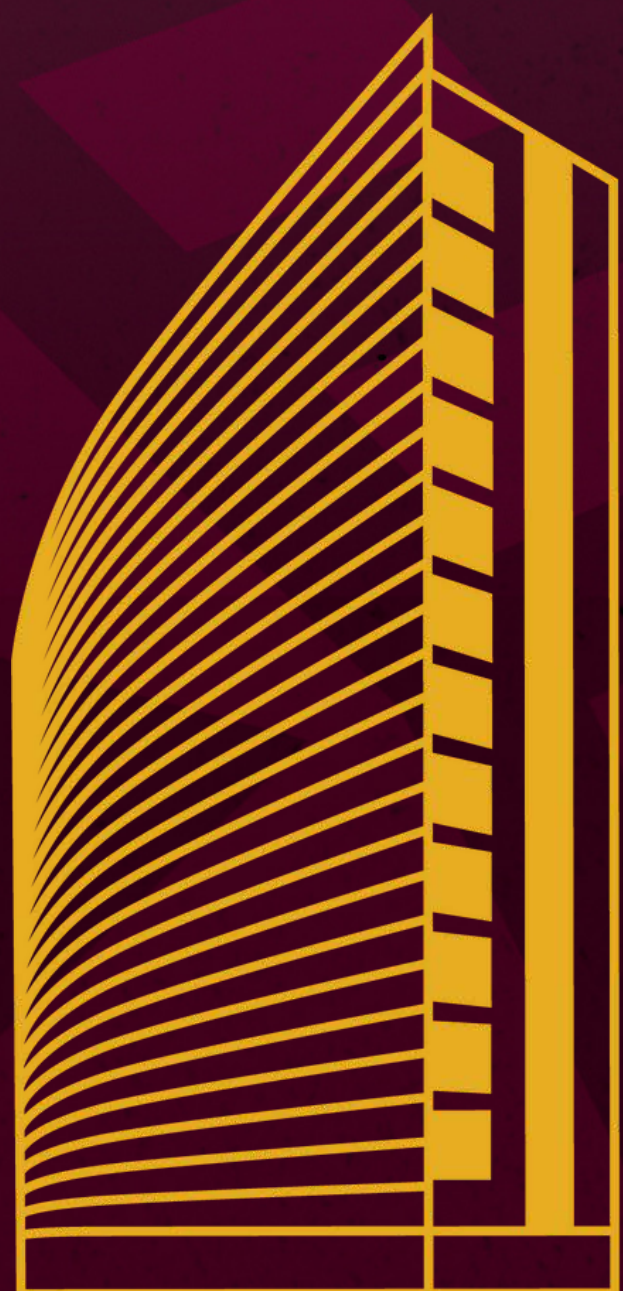
WITH JOHN CAULFIELD

It looked as if they would be going in at half-time 1-0 up, but then on the stroke of half-time, we equalised. We needed that goal because it looked like we were in a bit of trouble.

Then in the second half, we played more like ourselves, but they have shown with the quality of some of their players that they can compete strongly. Kelliher up top has impressed, while Gaxha and McGrath are two tasty players. So we expect them to defend deeply, to be very compact, and to try to hit us on the counterattack.

We are in a great run of form at the moment and our home form has been really good this year which is a major plus, and we want to keep that going.

Enjoy the game!



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# WOODQUAY WANDERER

WITH BERNIE O'CONNELL

Fáiltíonn Gaillimh Aontaithe roimh Chiarraí anseo i bPáirc Eamonn Deacy don darna cuairt acu Cois Coiribe. Is mór linn Chiarraí a bheith ar ais inár measc. Cé nach bhfuil siad ag fáil an aistir éasca i Sraith na hÉireann is maith ann iad.

Tógfaidh sé píosa ar Chiarraí dul i dtaithí ar chaighdeán na sraithe. Mar sin féin tá infra structúr maith acu, stáid deas agus togha leantóirí. Chuaigh an club i bhfeidhm ar go leor againn a thaistil ó dheas leis an gcaoi gur chaith siad le leantóir a raibh deacrachtaí aige ag an gcluiche. Daoine gnaíúil a bhí iontu riamh.

An tseachtain seo caite tugadh ardú meanmain do leantóirí baile anseo leis an taispeántas cumasach sa darna leath. Cé go raibh an imirt agus na seansanna againn sa chéad tréimhse chuir cúil Dave Hurley ar ár gcompord muid t'éis an briseadh.

Ba mhór an rud scil agus compord Ed McCarthy. Togha taispeántas ó Francely Lomboto , cinnireacht aisteach Conor McCormack, obair na gcapall ó Stephen Walshe, ard chaighdeáin an chosaint ag Conor O' Keefe agus Maurice Nugent, an stiúir ábalta ar an taobh clé ag Regan Donelan.

Tugadh go leibhéal eile arís muid nuair a tháinig Ronan Manning chun páirce. Ba mhaith freisean go raibh a dheartháir Ryan i láthair chun draíocht an lead óg a bhlaiseadh arís eile. T'éis an chluiche dúirt mé le cairde go meabhraíonn Ronan, Tommy Keane (RIP) do dhuine. Tommy bocht agus Jimmy Duffy, Bobby Ryan, Jay O' Shea. Níos deise ná sin osclaíonn imirt Ronan an doras níos leithne do Ed McCarhy draíodóir cumasach eile.



Mise a rá leat a léitheoir gur chodail mé go sámh an oíche céanna. Blas milis ar phraiseach na gcomharsan t'éis aicsean Wilson Waweru ó dheas. Fair plé dhó féin agus leads Shane Keegan.

Labhraíodh i dTír Oileáin faoin mbearna idir muid agus an fhoireann sa darna áit. Ní suim liom féin ach an chéad chluiche eile.

Ar casadh an oiread saineolaithe riamh ort faoi United nach bhfaca an fhoireann i mbliana ? Go deimhin nach bhfaca United riamh. Cuid eile ní bhfaighidís amach cá raibh Tír Oileáin ar léarscáil. Is féidir roinnt a fhoghlaim ó thábla sraithe ach le Gaillimh Aontaithe deirim i gcónaí, bí ann, bí linn.

Nach aisteach freisean gur féidir an titim beag sa tinreamh a chur síos do fhoireann John Caulfield a bheith ag déanamh chomh maith. Sábhála Dia sinn ach mar dhuine a ghlac páirt in aistir sraithe Rovers agus United tá chuile short feicthe anois agam. Is deacair daoine a thuiscint.

Is ar Luimneach a bhí ár dtriail ar an Satharn chun tacú le báireoirí na Gaillimhe. Bhí spiorad aisteach sa taispeántas acu cé nach an aimsiú iontach acu bhíodar níos fearr ná na Tiobradaigh,. Páirc an Chrócaigh anois le haghaidh a thabhairt ar na seaimpíní. Dúshlán aisteach don Rí Anraoi. Cá bhfios?

Bhí mé dóchasach go maith ag tús na himeartha i Stáid an Phiarsaigh ar a Domhnach ach ní raibh ár ndothain scóráilte againn le cóir na gaoithe sa gcéad leath. Bhí an lá ag an dearg agus glas. Bhí mé ag cuimhniú an tráthnóna céanna ar Connor Gleeson againn féin. Caractar chomh maith agus a chuir togs air féin don chlub, Tá leads eile den scoth eile sa gcampa. Guím go bhfíorófar don aisling acu go luath.



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# STATS WITH JULIAN

## DIVISION 1 TABLE

		P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1	Galway United	20	18	1	1	57	8	49	55
2	Waterford	20	13	3	4	54	16	38	42
3	Cobh Ramblers	20	9	5	6	29	26	3	32
4	Athlone Town	20	9	2	9	33	30	3	29
5	Bray Wanderers	20	7	7	6	27	32	-5	28
6	Wexford	20	7	4	9	23	29	-6	25
7	Treaty United	20	6	5	9	24	34	-10	23
8	Finn Harps	20	5	6	9	20	40	-20	21
9	Longford Town	20	4	6	10	18	27	-9	18
10	Kerry	20	1	3	16	14	57	-43	6

## DIVISION 1 LATEST RESULTS

Athlone Town	0 - 2	Treaty United
Bray Wanderers	3 - 2	Kerry
Cobh Ramblers	1 - 0	Waterford
Finn Harps	0 - 1	Wexford
Galway United	4 - 0	Longford Town

## DIVISION 1 WEEKEND FIXTURES

Athlone Town	v	Cobh Ramblers
Galway United	v	Kerry
Longford Town	v	Wexford
Treaty United	v	Bray Wanderers
Waterford	v	Finn Harps

## TOP GOALSCORERS - 2023

R. Coughlan	Waterford	25
F. Pierrot	Athlone Town	13
D. Hurley	Galway United	12
A. Dobbs	Wexford	11
V. Borden	Galway United	8
J. Doherty	Cobh Ramblers	8
S. Walsh	Galway United	8
E. Curran	Treaty United	8
B. Feeney	Bray Wanderers	7
R. Kelliher	Kerry	6
V. Dolya	Athlone Town	6
C. Omorehiomwan	Bray Wanderers	5
J. Giurgi	Longford Town	5
S. Griffin	Waterford	5
R. Idowu	Waterford	5
E. McCarthy	Galway United	5
R. Flood	Finn Harps	5
W. Warewu	Cobh Ramblers	5



# HEAD TO HEAD

## GALWAY UNITED -V- KERRY FC

PLAYED

2

WON

2

DRAWN

0

LOST

0

GOALS FOR

13

GOALS AGAINST

2

LAST 5 H2H

WW

LAST 5 H H2H

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### DIVISION 1 RECORD v KERRY FC

PLAYED

2

WON

2

DRAWN

0

LOST

0

### HOME RECORD v KERRY FC

PLAYED

1

WON

1

DRAWN

0

LOST

0

POSITION

1

55 PTS

LAST PLAYED

KFC 1 GUFC 4

21st April 2023

POSITION

10

6 PTS

R. Kelliher 40' 1-0

1-1 45' D. Hurley

1-2 50' S. Walsh

1-3 58' D. Horgan

1-4 68' S. Walsh

### BIGGEST VICTORIES v KFC

9-1

(H) 10th Mar 2023

4-1

(A) 21st Apr 2023

### BIGGEST GUFC VICTORIES 2023

9-1

H v KERRY

4-0

A v WEXFORD

### TEAM TOP LEAGUE GOALSCORERS 2023

DAVID HURLEY - 12

RYAN KELLIHER - 6



# CLUB TABLES & FIXTURES

## AVENIR SPORTS CUP GROUP A

		P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1	Shelbourne	2	1	1	0	5	2	3	4
2	Galway United	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	4
3	Linfield	2	0	1	1	1	2	-1	1
4	Athlone Town	2	0	1	1	1	4	-3	1

## WEEKEND CLUB FIXTURES

### Saturday 1st July

Galway United	v	Shelbourne	Avenir Sports Cup Group A	17:00	Terryland Park
Galway United	v	CK United	Men's u17 Lol Academy	14:30	Moyne Villa
Treaty United	v	Galway United	Women's u17 Cup Group C	14:00	University of Limerick
Galway United	v	Athlone Town	Men's u14 Eddie Wallace Cup	12:00	Moyne Villa

### Sunday 2nd July

Bohemians	v	Galway United	Men's u19 Lol Academy	14:00	Oscar Traynor Complex
Treaty United	v	Galway United	Women's u19 Cup Group C	14:00	University of Limerick
Treaty United	v	Galway United	Men's u15 Lol Academy	16:00	University of Limerick

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## U19 PHASE 2 TIER 1 TABLE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1 Shamrock Rovers	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	3
2 St Patrick's Athletic	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	3
3 Bohemians	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	3
4 Galway United	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
5 UCD	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
6 Shelbourne	1	0	0	1	2	3	-1	0
7 Cobh Ramblers	1	0	0	1	0	2	-2	0
8 Drogheda United	1	0	0	1	0	2	-2	0

## U17 PHASE 2 TABLE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1 Kerry	1	1	0	0	5	1	4	3
2 CK United	1	1	0	0	5	2	3	3
3 Cobh Ramblers	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3
4 Galway United	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Limerick	1	0	0	1	1	3	-2	0
6 Klub Kildare	1	0	0	1	2	5	-3	0
7 Wexford	1	0	0	1	1	5	-4	0

## U15 PHASE 2 TIER 1 TABLE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1 Bohemians	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 Cork City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 Finn Harps	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Galway United	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Shamrock Rovers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Shelbourne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 St Patrick's Athletic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Treaty United	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## WU19 CUP GROUP C

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1 Athlone Town	1	1	0	0	5	3	2	3
2 Sligo Rovers	1	1	0	0	5	3	2	3
3 Galway United	1	0	0	1	3	5	-2	0
4 Treaty United	1	0	0	1	3	5	-2	0

## WU17 CUP GROUP C

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1 Galway United	1	1	0	0	5	2	3	3
2 Bray Wanderers	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	1
3 Treaty United	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	1
4 Shamrock Rovers	1	0	0	1	2	5	-3	0

## U14 EDDIE WALLACE CUP GROUP D

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
1 St Patrick's Athletic	2	2	0	0	9	1	8	6
2 Cork City	4	2	0	2	8	4	4	6
3 Galway United	3	2	0	1	4	7	-3	6
4 Treaty United	2	0	0	2	1	4	-3	0
5 Athlone Town	1	0	0	1	0	6	-6	0



# ACADEMY UPDATES

WITH JULIAN CANNY

After a break over the summer the Galway United Academy teams are all entering the second half of their seasons. The Men's u19s have qualified for Tier 1 in the final phase after finishing runners-up behind Shelbourne in the first series, winning nine of their 10 matches.

Last weekend they opened the season with a 1-1 draw at home to UCD - the goal coming courtesy of Brian Cunningham - this weekend they travel to Bohemians in Dublin.

The Women's u19s are in Cup Action in a 4-team group with Athlone, Sligo & Treaty United. Last weekend they suffered a 3-5 reversal against Sligo but will look to bounce back when they travel to Treaty this weekend. It is worth noting that a number of these players have also featured for the senior team this season.

The Men's u17s had a bye week last weekend and open their Phase 2 Tier 3 group at home to CK United this weekend. They also remain in the Mark Farren Cup having overcome Bray in the first-round tie.

The Women's u17s had the result of the weekend last Saturday defeating Shamrock Rovers 5-2 in the cup. Ava Mullins, a brace from Michaela McGough, Brona Garvey, and Kassie Rather scored the goals to emulate the famous "5-2 in the RDS" scoreline from almost 30 years ago!

The Men's u15s received a bye to the last 16 of the Cup but will open their Tier 1 Phase 2 League campaign away at Treaty United on Sunday.

Finally the Men's u14s won 1-0 away at Cork City last weekend with Mark O'Callaghan netting the only goal and goalkeepers Harry Naylor and Sam Begley sharing a clean sheet at the other end.

Keep track of how each of the teams are progressing on the FAI Connect App which lists all fixtures and score lines for each team.



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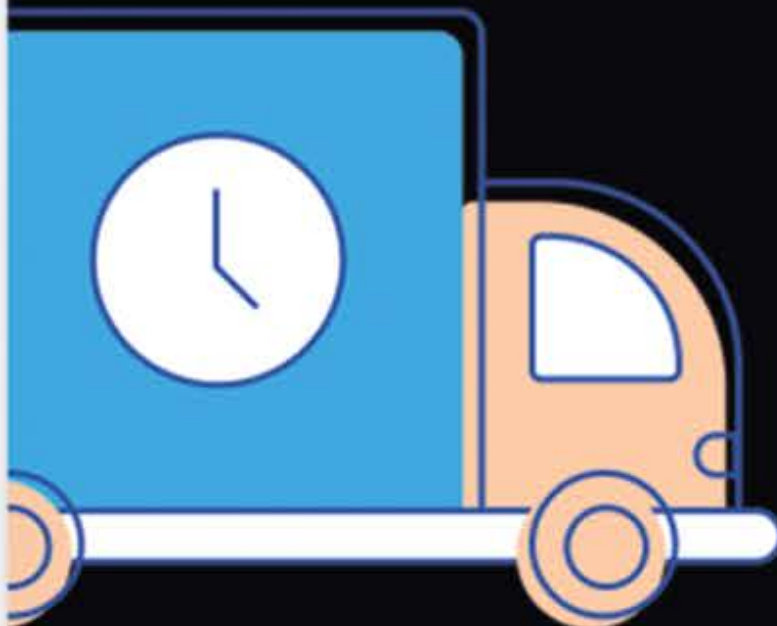
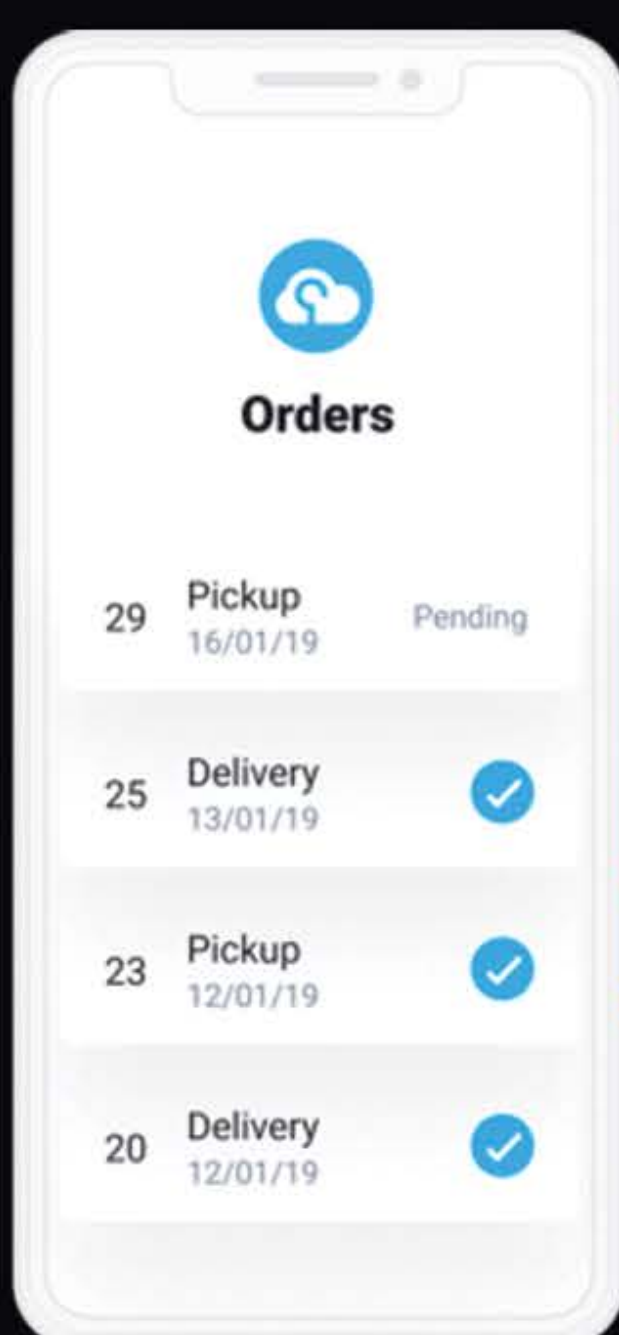
## 2023 FIXTURES

17/02/23	Finn Harps	23/06/23	Longford Town
24/02/23	Treaty United	30/06/23	Kerry
03/03/23	Waterford	07/07/23	Cobh Ramblers
10/03/23	Kerry	14/07/23	Athlone Town
17/03/23	Cobh Ramblers	23/07/23	FAI Cup 1st Round
24/03/23	Longford Town	28/07/23	Bray Wanderers
31/03/23	Athlone Town	04/08/23	Finn Harps
07/04/23	Wexford	07/08/23	Treaty United
14/04/23	Bray Wanderers	11/08/23	Waterford
21/04/23	Kerry	20/08/23	FAI Cup 2nd Round
28/04/23	Cobh Ramblers	25/08/23	Cobh Ramblers
01/05/23	Longford Town	02/09/23	Longford Town
05/05/23	Waterford	08/09/23	Bray Wanderers
12/05/23	Wexford	15/09/23	Finn Harps
19/05/23	Treaty United	22/09/23	Kerry
26/05/23	Athlone Town	29/09/23	Athlone Town
02/06/23	Bray Wanderers	06/10/23	Waterford
05/06/23	Finn Harps	14/10/23	Treaty United
09/06/23	Wexford	20/10/23	Wexford



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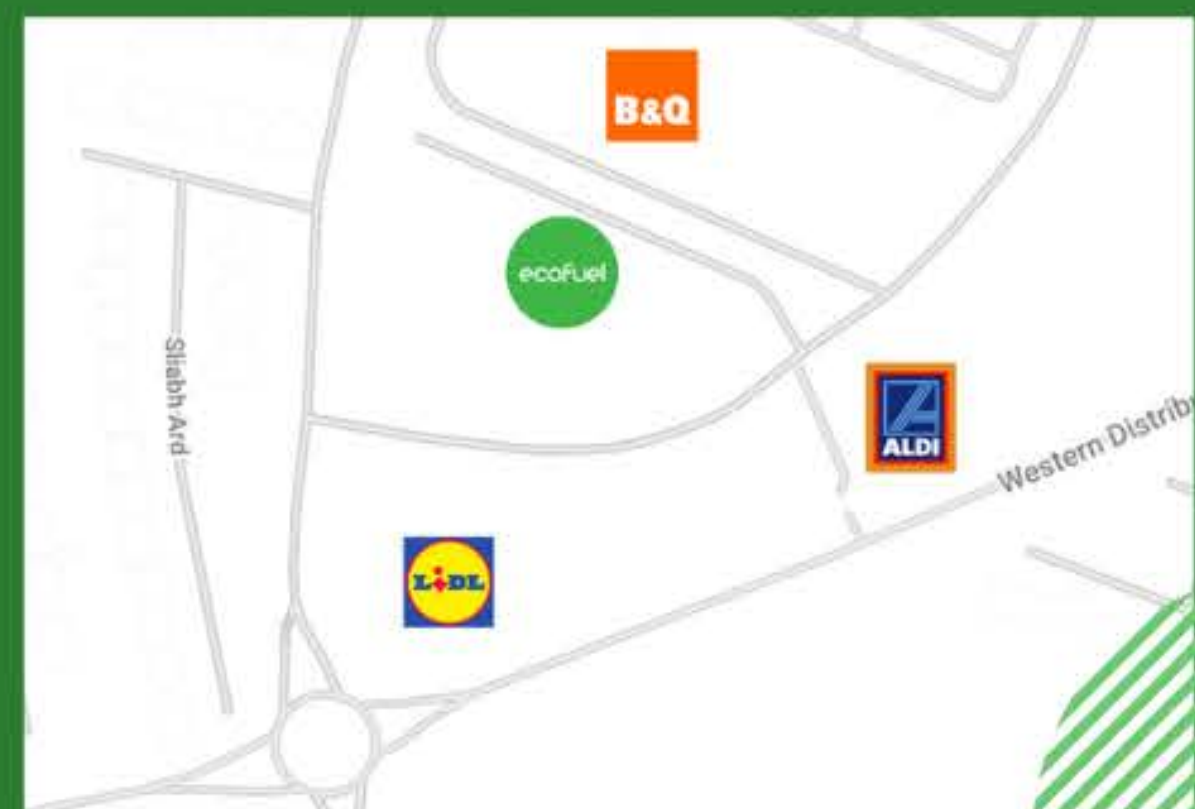


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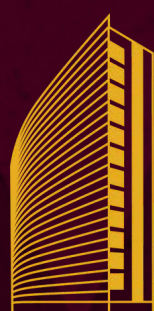
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2. Conor O'Keeffe
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4. Rob Slevin
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