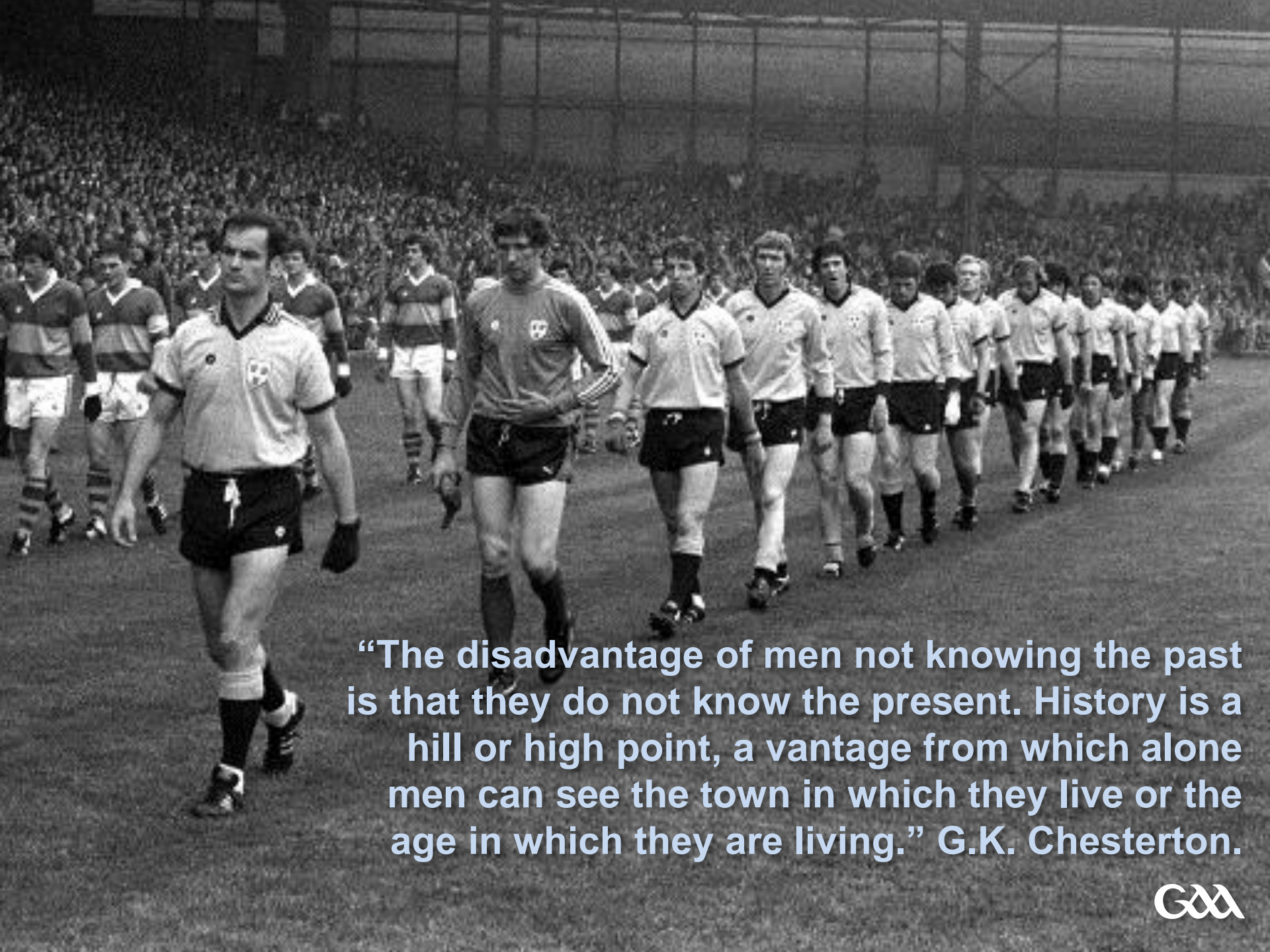


Hello!

I'm Tony Hanahoe





“The disadvantage of men not knowing the past is that they do not know the present. History is a hill or high point, a vantage from which alone men can see the town in which they live or the age in which they are living.” G.K. Chesterton.

The St. Vincent's Story



1931 - 2006



St. Vincents Mission Statement

"To promote healthy and character forming recreation and association for the youth of Dublin North East through the promotion of Gaelic Games, culture and the Irish language."



*Very Reverend
Dr W Fitzpatrick, P.P.
Marino, Dublin, Founder
and Life President of St.
Vincents Hurling and
Football Club.*



*Reverend Brother Fitzgerald,
Scoll Mhuir, who, in a
conversation with the very Rev.
Dr Fitzpatrick, in 1931, made
the suggestion that led to the
establishment of the Club.*

History

Founded in 1931 by Fr. Fitzpatrick and Bro. Fitzgerald.

“Admission to Membership of St. Vincent’s shall in the future be confined to persons who are eligible to play Minor Grades or who were born in Dublin, or who on the date of application were ordinarily resident in the parishes of Marino, Fairview and Clontarf”
(1947)

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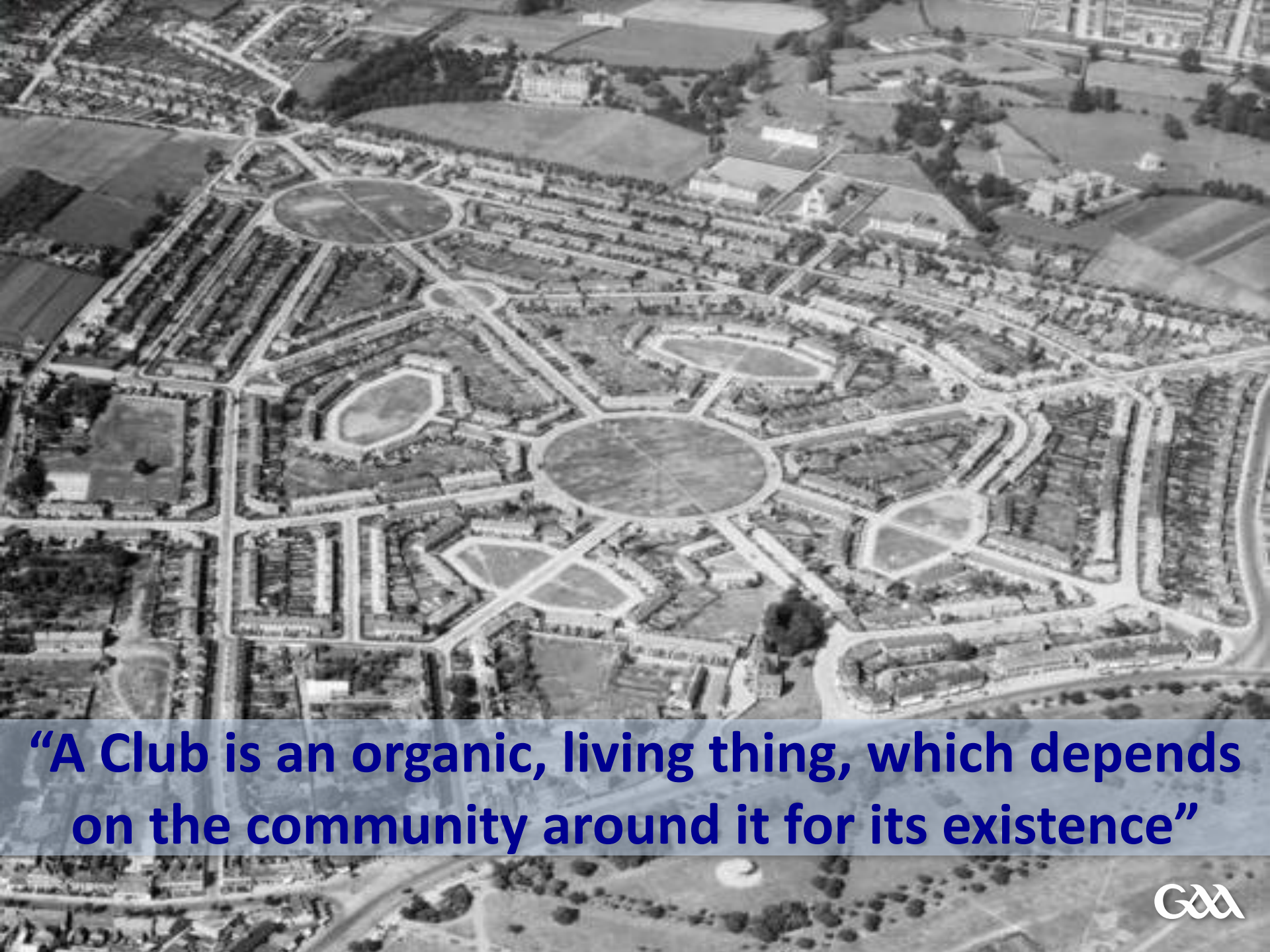
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“A Club is an organic, living thing, which depends on the community around it for its existence”



The Importance of Schools

Breeding Ground for Champions



DUBLIN: National Football League winners v. Cavan 1953

Standing from left: C. Freaney, D. Mahony, A. O'Grady, J. Lavin, F. Young, M. Wilson, O. Freaney, J. Farrell (sub)
Front Row from left: X. Heffernan, J. Crowley, X. Allen, M. Whelan, X. Maher, X. Magan, B. Atkins, D. Ferguson, G. O'Toole (sub)
*(The Dublin team wearing St. Vincent's colours which beat Cavan in the National League Final 1953
contained 14 outfield St. Vincent's players and goalkeeper A. O'Grady (Air Corps))*

SAINT. VINCENT'S HURLING CLUB.
 WINNERS MINOR LEAGUE AND CHAMPIONSHIP, 1936.



J. O'NEILY, 47 ST. PATRICK'S ROAD. B. HANRATTY. BRUNSWICK, DUBLIN.

T. McQUILLAN, S. O'SHAUGHNESSY, P. TOOLAN, B. HURLEY, G. CONNOLLY, B. GUINN, S. EGAN, P. ROONEY, D. GUINN, M. LEONARD, D. MOORE, C. CARR (CHAIRMAN), A. DWYER, T. BLACKTON, M. DELANEY, T. MCCANN, A. FARRELL, S. DONNELLY, H. SWORDS, D. FARRELL, B. HARRIS.

Late CEBIL CARR

At a special meeting of the Board, a vote of condolence was passed with Mr. Carr and family at the St. Vincent Club on the death of Cecil Carr. The deceased was a prominent member of the St. Vincent Club, and immensely popular in the Marino district. He captained the Marino School hurling team that won the Primary Cups 1934-35. He played for the Dublin Primary Schools against Belfast in 1932-33, and has represented Dublin in hurling and football championships. He figured prominently on the St. Vincent's teams that won the hurling and football championships last year. Only 17 years of age, his early demise is greatly regretted by all, whom he came in contact with on the G.A.A. Sports Fields.

**TRANSFORMING
 OUR GAMES**





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“By 1952... it was business as usual. St. Joseph’s of East Wall offered the traditional challenge in the quarter finals of the Senior Football Championships, and the game, which started fifteen minutes late after a manhunt for a referee, was described as “a mixture of spasmodic football, frequent wrestling and occasional fisticuffs with many deliberate fouls and some interference by sideline spectators” (Irish Times, 12 May, 1952)



1966 – '72: Dublin beaten by Kildare, Westmeath, Longford, Kildare, Laois and Louth.



Dublin Senior Football Champions 1967

Back Row (l to r): Tony Hanahoe, Kevin Heffernan, Des Foley, Pat Hallinan, Richie Hession, Sean Mullins, Mick Kissane, Lar Foley.
Front Row (l to r): Buster Leaney, Simon Behan, Gay O'Driscoll, Jimmy Keaveney, Leslie Deegan, Liam Ferguson, Pat Flood.

Dedication



Laois jersey worn by The Toiry on St. Patrick's Day 1916 when he became the only player ever to win Railway Cup Medal in hurling and football on the same day.



What I learned from Heffo...

Providing Leadership

TRAINING SESSION



*Back Row (Left to Right): P. J. Reid, Mick Hannick, Jim Hackett, Gay O'Driscoll.
Front Row (Left to Right): Tony Hanahoe, Brian Fitzpatrick, Tom O'Byrne, Dave Billings,
Gerry O'Connor, Dave Redmond, Martin Corcoran, Jimmy Keaveney, Bobby Doyle, Tony
Diamond.*



The Importance of Values...



COACHING & GAMES

PLEASE REMEMBER

THE PLAYERS ARE CHILDREN
THE COACHES ARE VOLUNTEERS
THE REFEREES ARE HUMAN

• **SHOW RESPECT** •

ENJOY OUR GAMES!

The banner features silhouettes of athletes in various sports: a soccer player, a basketball player, and a Gaelic football player. On the left side, there is a circular logo for Naomh Uinsionn, which includes a shield with a cross and the text 'naomh uinsionn' and 'Gaelic Football Club'.

TIME
EFFORT
HARD WORK
+ PATIENCE
RESULTS

NO MAGIC PILL.
NO SECRET DIET.
NO SHORTCUTS.
JUST DEDICATION.



"I hope that St. Vincent's will bring into their lives and into the lives of the nation, the qualities they developed during their playing membership of the club – the qualities of courage, resourcefulness, punctuality & reliability"

Fr. Fitzpatrick, October 9th, 1956 (Jubilee year)





“You never see the spokes till the wheels have stopped!”



On the 2nd day of September 1919 a special match was established by G. Vaneer's strength making the greatest number of 44 (around 40) men per side and the game was: The senior team 1919 and G. Vaneer's special team members of the following year: Eamon McFadden (Capt.), Jim K. Conroy, Martin White, Michael Whelan, Leo Folan, Eamon O'Leary, Dan Ferguson, Eamon J. Conroy, Paddy Sheehan, Paddy Conroy, Johnny Sheehy and Christy Egan. The seniors included Moran and O'Connell were represented by: Jim Foley (Capt.), Tom Foll, Mick Kavanagh, Jack Cahill, Simon and Paddy Behan.

Thank you.

