



FAI INTERMEDIATE CUP FINAL 2026



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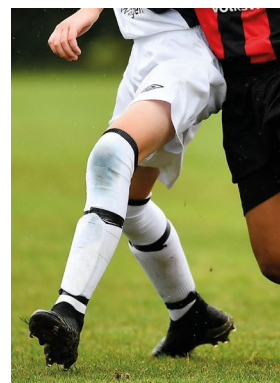
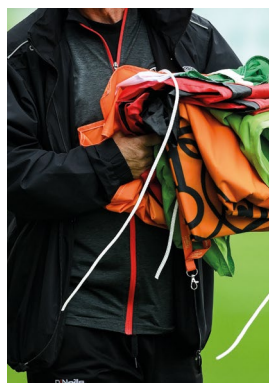
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WELCOME

A very warm welcome to everyone gathered here today for what promises to be a truly special occasion – the 2026 FAI Intermediate Cup Final. It is a genuine pleasure to see such anticipation and support for one of the most prestigious competitions in Irish amateur football.

Today, we celebrate not only a national final but also a fantastic showcase of Cork football, as Cobh Wanderers AFC and St. Mary's AFC, go head-to-head for this coveted trophy. Reaching this stage is a testament to the immense hard work, dedication, skill, and resilience demonstrated by both clubs throughout a demanding cup campaign. Each team has navigated tough opposition and challenging matches to earn their place here, and they deserve huge credit for their achievements.

The FAI Intermediate Cup holds a unique and cherished place within our football landscape. The fact that both finalists hail from Cork adds an undeniable extra layer of local passion and rivalry to today's proceedings. Finals are always special, but a final between two clubs who know each other so well, representing their respective areas with such pride, guarantees an atmosphere and intensity that will make this a truly memorable event for everyone involved.

On behalf of the FAI, I want to extend my sincere thanks to everyone who makes days like today possible: the volunteers at both clubs whose tireless efforts underpin everything they do; the match officials who play such a crucial role; the organising committee and venue staff for their preparation; and of course, you, the supporters, whose passion fuels the players on the pitch. We anticipate a competitive and compelling final, showcasing the quality and commitment that defines Intermediate football in Ireland.

I wish both Cobh Wanderers and St. Mary's, their players, management teams, and supporters, the very best of luck this afternoon.

Beir bua agus beannacht le gach duine!

Paul Cooke

President

Football Association of Ireland





COBH WANDERERS AFC



Picture Back Row L to R

Domagoj Mikleusevic, Eoin Hastings, Oisin Dorgan, Mark Power & Sean Cummins

Front Row Left to Right

George Keating, Evan Cummins, David Curran, Ciaran Griffin, Alex Lynch & Adam O'Sullivan

PATH TO FINAL

Round 1

Cobh Wanderers AFC BYE

Round 2

Everton **0-3** **Cobh Wanderers AFC**

Round 3

Cobh Wanderers AFC **2-0** Skerries Town

Round 4

Cobh Wanderers AFC **4-3** Wayside Celtic

Quarter-Final

Cobh Wanderers AFC **1-0** Malahide United

Semi-Final

Cobh Wanderers AFC **1-1** Finglas United
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COBH WANDERERS AFC

SQUAD

NAME	POSITION
Mark Power	Goalkeeper
Darragh Burke Jr	Goalkeeper
Dave Curran	Defender
David Stack	Defender
Adam O'Sullivan	Defender
Cormac Downing	Defender
Eoin Hastings	Defender
Samuel Dow	Defender
Adam Hastings	Defender
Connor Walsh	Defender
Kyle Downing	Defender
Luke McDonell	Defender
Sean Cummins	Defender
Stephen Rowe	Defender
Bill Anderson	Midfield
Adam Barrett	Midfield
Alex Lynch	Midfield
Diarmuid Kearney	Midfield
Domagoj Mikleusevic	Midfield
Kevin Foster	Midfield
Dylan McNamara	Midfield
James Stoot	Forward
Ciaran Griffin	Forward
Jack Leahy	Forward
Oisin Dorgan	Forward
Alan O'Flynn	Forward
Evan O'Leary	Forward
Charlie Sillet	Forward
Ryan Stapleton	Forward

TECHNICAL STAFF

NAME	POSITION
Jason Abbott	Manager
Darragh Burke	Assistant Manager
Bryan Fitzgerald	Coach
Gary Collins	Coach
Ian Murphy	Coach
Stephen Quinlan	Coach
Eddie Nolan	Coach
Tony Girasole	Coach



ST. MARY'S AFC



Back Row L to R

Liam Hopkins, Ronan Murphy, Neill Cunningham, Conor Sexton, Cian Browne, Conor Doherty, James O'Leary, Aaron Corcoran

Middle Row Left to Right

Pat McCarthy, Stephen Moynihan, John Hurley, Bradley Walsh, David Dunphy, Scott Hurley, Jamie Geasley, Robert Rourke, Jason Conway, Sean Lennon, Ryan Manley, Kenny Purcell, Alan O Flynn & Liam O'Connor

Front Row Left to Right

Michael Walsh, Kyle Keeley, Corey Murphy, Dan Ryan Fortune, Craig Hurley, Colm Murphy, Shane Brown, Craig Mostyn & Eric O'Driscoll

PATH TO FINAL

Round 1

St. Mary's AFC **BYE**

Round 2

Carrigtwohill United **0-3** **St. Mary's AFC**

Round 3

Montpelier FC **2-3** **St. Mary's AFC**
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Round 4

St. Mary's AFC **2-1** Sacred Heart

Quarter-Final

College Corinthians **1-5** **St. Mary's AFC**

Semi-Final

St. Mary's AFC **4-3** St. Mochta's

ST. MARY'S AFC

SQUAD

NAME	POSITION
Oisin Barry	Goalkeeper
Jamie Geasley	Goalkeeper
Jason Conway	Defender
Colm Murphy	Defender
Robert Rourke	Defender
Dan Ryan Fortune	Defender
David Dunphy	Defender
Fionn Kelly	Defender
Scott Hurley	Defender
Conor Sexton	Defender
Kyle Keeley	Defender
Ronan Murphy	Defender
Ryan Manley	Defender
Jakub Gaup	Midfield
Neill Cunningham	Midfield
Cian Browne	Midfield
Shane Brown	Midfield
James O'Leary	Forward
Dylan Doherty	Forward
Sean Lennon	Forward
Corey Murphy	Forward
Bradley Walsh	Forward
Sean O'Keeffe	Forward
Craig Mostyn	Forward

TECHNICAL STAFF

NAME	POSITION
Craig Hurley	Manager
Eric O'Driscoll	Assistant Manager
Alan O'Flynn	Coach
Stephen Moynihan	Gk Coach
John Hurley	Physio
Michael Walsh	Coach

FAI INTERMEDIATE CHALLENGE CUP ROLE OF HONOUR

YEAR	WINNER	RUNNER UP
1926-27	Drumcondra	Cobh Ramblers
1927-28	Bohemians (Cork)	Strandville
1928-29	Richmond United	Fermoy
1929-30	Cahir Park	Glasnevin
1930-31	Bohemians (Cork)	Rossville
1931-32	Bohemians 'B'	Cork 'B'
1932-33	Shelbourne 'B'	Cork Bohemians 'B'
1933-34	Sligo Rovers	Tramore Rookies
1934-35	Tramore Rookies	Bohemians 'B'
1935-36	B. and I.S.P.	Co. G.S. Rlys (Cork)
1936-37	Longford Town	Fearon's Athletic
1937-38	Terenure Athletic	Bohemians (Cork)
1938-39	Distillery	Bohemians (Cork)
1939-40	Distillery	Cobh Ramblers
1940-41	Distillery	Bohemians (Cork)
1941-42	Distillery	Cobh Ramblers
1942-45	No Competition	
1945-46	UCD	Cobh Ramblers
1946-47	Drumcondra 'B'	Rockville (Cork)
1947-48	St Patrick's Athletic	Cobh Ramblers
1948-49	St Patrick's Athletic	Freebooters (Cork)
1949-50	Jacobs	St. Patrick's Athletic
1950-51	St. Jame's Gate	Evergreen (Cork)
1951-52	A.O.H. (Cork)	Pike Rovers
1952-53	St Patrick's Athletic	'B' Jacobs
1953-54	Albert Rovers (Cork)	Jacobs
1954-55	Longford Town	Workmen's Club
1955-56	Bray Wanderers	A.O.H. (Cork)
1956-57	Workmen's Club	A.O.H. (Cork)
1957-58	Bray Wanderers	Chapelizod
1958-59	Albert Rovers (Cork)	Bray Wanderers
1959-60	Longford Town	Bray Wanderers
1960-61	Workmen's Club	Jacobs

YEAR	WINNER	RUNNER UP
1961-62	Longford Town	Workmen's Club
1962-63	Home Farm	Limerick 'B'
1963-64	Transport	T.E.K. United
1964-65	T.E.K. United	Glasheen
1965-66	Transport	Home Farm
1966-67	Home Farm	Tramore Athletic (Cork)
1967-68	Home Farm	Athlone Town
1968-69	Longford Town	Transport
1969-70	Rialto	Home Farm
1970-71	Tullamore	Bluebell United
1971-72	C.Y.M. (Dublin)	T.E.K. United
1972-73	Dalkey United	Rialto
1973-74	Transport	T.E.K. United
1974-75	C.Y.M.	Belgrove
1975-76	St Brendan's C.I.E.	Transport
1976-77	Pegasus	Bray Wanderers
1977-78	Avondale United	A.I.B.
1978-79	Tramore Athletic	Swilly Rovers
1979-80	Cobh Ramblers	Tramore Athletic
1980-81	Tramore Athletic	Ballyfermot United
1981-82	Bluebell United	Tramore Athletic
1982-83	Cobh Ramblers	Bluebell United
1983-84	Ballyfermot United	Bank Rovers
1984-85	Bank Rovers	Hammond Lane
1985-86	Croften Celtic	Everton
1986-87	Tramore Athletic	Bank Rovers
1987-88	Fanad United	Tramore Athletic
1988-89	T.E.K. United	St James's Gate
1989-90	Bluebell United	Ballyfermot
1991-92	Pegasus	Bluebell United
1992-93	Bluebell United	Wayside Celtic
1993-94	Bluebell United	Cherry Orchard
1994-95	Fanad United	College Corinthians
1995-96	Wayside Celtic	Fanad United
1996-97	Glenmore Celtic	Everton (Cork)
1997-98	Cherry Orchard	College Corinthians
1998-99	Rockmount	Garda
1999-00	Bluebell United	St. Mary's (Cork)

YEAR	WINNER	RUNNER UP
2000-01	Wayside Celtic	Ashtown Villa
2001-02	Ashtown Villa	Cherry Orchard
2002-03	Belgrove	Rockmount
2003-04	Rockmount	Bluebell United
2004-05	Wayside	Rockmount
2005-06	Avondale United	Blarney United
2006-07	Avondale United	Bangor Celtic
2007-08	Rockmount	Douglas Hall
2008-09	Crumlin United	Bluebell United
2009-10	Crumlin United	Avondale United
2010-11	Avondale United	Cherry Orchard
2011-12	Avondale United	Cherry Orchard
2012-13	Avondale United	Bluebell United
2013-14	Avondale United	UCD
2014-15	Crumlin United	Tolka Rovers
2015-16	Crumlin United	Letterkenny Rovers
2016-17	Liffey Wanderers	Cobh Wanderers
2017-18	Maynooth University Town FC	Firhouse Clover
2018-19	Avondale United	Crumlin United
2019-20	St Mochta's	Killester Donnycarney
2021-22	Rockmount AFC	Bluebell United
2022-23	Rockmount AFC	Cockhill Celtic FC
2023-24	Glebe North FC	Ringmahon Rangers FC
2024-25	College Corinthians (pictured)	Ringmahon Rangers FC



MATCH OFFICIALS

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