



List of Events 2012



HSE Community Games

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Introduction to HSE Community Games

The HSE Community Games is an independent voluntary organisation which operates in local communities throughout the island of Ireland, providing opportunities for young people to develop in a healthy and safe environment through experiencing a wide range of sporting, social and cultural activities. There are over 700 Areas across all four Provinces; representing approximately 200,000 participants, 15,000 volunteers and 1.3 million supporters taking part annually.

HSE Community Games organises activity at four levels;

1) Area, 2) County, 3) Provincial and 4) National level; catering for young people aged 6-16 years in an Annual Programme of Events with a strong emphasis on fun, participation and creating community spirit.

Adult Volunteer members of the HSE Community Games play an active role in organising all these activities. The social aspect is tremendously important and many volunteers have found the HSE Community Games an ideal way to meet and make new friends.

HSE Community Games Events

Throughout the thirty-two counties, HSE Community Games volunteers organise a wide range of sporting and cultural activities all year round. Annually, over 9,000 competitors participate in the National Finals held over three weekends (one in May and two in August) in AIT, Athlone, Co. Westmeath.

Every November, there is a National Area Awards Event held to honour and recognise the excellent work carried out by our volunteers and in February each year our AGM is held.

During the year many courses are held (Activities Tutor Courses, Foundation Leader Courses, Code of Ethics Courses, Child Protection Courses, First Aid Courses etc).



How to create/register a New Area?

Creating a new Area is simple, you just need to organise a small group of adults to give up some spare time as volunteers, who are from your local community and who want to offer new sporting, social and cultural opportunities for young people. Below is the step by step process to register a new Area and on the reverse you will find the contact numbers for each County Secretary. Alternatively contact National Development Staff Team on:

Regional Development Officer's:

- (Longford, Westmeath, Offaly & Laois) – Paul Friel: Tel. 086-0455509
- (Dublin, Meath & Louth) – Sinead Stynes: Tel. 086-0201495

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- Nationwide – Caitriona Reynolds: Tel. 086-7953564

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The Development Staff Team will be happy to assist you with any queries relating to registering new or lapsed Areas.

New Areas – Step by Step Registration Process

- Step 1:** Set up a committee of volunteers to plan and organise activity filling the following positions; Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer.
- Step 2:** Outline on a map the exact boundary of the Area you wish to set up.
- Step 3:** Contact the County Secretary (details attached) and establish firstly that the Area you have outlined is not or partly affiliated to another Area nearby. If the Area was previously registered; the County Secretary will be able to provide the contact details of previous volunteers for you.
- Step 4:** Fill in an Area Registration Form (download from www.communitygames.ie) and submit to your County Secretary with the registration fee (covers all members in your Area with Insurance).
- Step 5:** All new Areas are encouraged to take up four activities in the first year, promote the new Community Games Area, recruit as many volunteers as possible, ensure that character references are carried out and that all new volunteers adhere to the Community Games Garda Vetting Policy. Plan the activities and events for the year, then have fun and enjoy!! Remember we are here to help! So please contact us for information or support!!

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National Finals - Weekend I

25th -27th May 2012

TEAM EVENTS			
EVENT	AGE	TEAMS	PANEL SIZE & MAKE UP
Badminton	Under 15 years	5 Boys 5 Girls	Panel of 10
Chess	Under 12 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 7 (5+2 subs)
	Under 16 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 7 (5+2 subs)
Choir	Under 13 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 20
	Under 16 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 20
Culture Corner Stage Presentation	Under 15 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
Cross Country 1200m	Under 13 years	5 boys & 5 girls	Panel of 10
Draughts	Under 10 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 7 (5+2 subs)
	Under 12 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 7 (5+2 subs)
	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 7 (5+2 subs)
Handball	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 6 (4+2 subs)
	Under 15 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 6 (4+2 subs)
Mixed Distance Relay	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 6
	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 6
Project	Under 11 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Team of 4
	Under 13 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Team of 4
	Under 16 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Team of 4
Soccer-Indoor	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 8 (5+3 subs)
	Under 15 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 8 (5+3 subs)
Table Tennis	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 5 (3+2 subs)
	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 5 (3+2 subs)
TALENT			
Group Dance - Irish or Contemporary	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
Modern Disco Group Dancing	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
Set Dancing	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 10
Group Singing	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
Group Music	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
Drama/Comedy/Sketch	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
Quiz U14	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 6
INDIVIDUAL EVENT			
EVENT	AGE	GENDER	
Art (HSE Community Games Activity)	Under 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 years	Boys & Girls*	
Handwriting	Under 10 years	Boys & Girls*	
Model Making (Based on any HSE Community Games Theme)	Under 10, 12, 14, 16 years	Boys & Girls*	
Talent Competition			
Solo Dance (Modern or Disco)	Under 14 years	Boys Girls	
Solo Singing	Under 14 years	Boys Girls	
Recitation	Under 14 years	Boys Girls	
Solo Music	Under 14 years	Boys Girls	

National Finals - Weekend II

17th -19th August 2012

TEAM EVENT	AGE TEAMS	PANEL SIZE		
Gaelic Football	Under 10 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 20 (15+5 subs)	
	Under 12 years	Girls	Panel of 20 (15+5 subs)	
Gymnastics Team	Under 14 years	3 Boys & 3 Girls	Panel of 6	
Hardcourt Tennis	Under 13 years	5 Boys & 5 Girls	Panel of 10	
	Under 16 years	5 Boys & 5 Girls	Panel of 10	
Hockey	Under 16 years	Girls	Panel of 16 (11+5 subs)	
Olympic Handball	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 10 (7+3 subs)	
Pitch+Putt	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 5	
Soccer-Outdoor	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 16 (11+5 subs)	
	Under 15 years	Girls	Panel of 16 (11+5 subs)	
Skittles	Under 12 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel 7 (5+2 subs)	
	Under 14 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel 7 (5+2 subs)	
	Under 16 years	Mixed only	Panel 7 (5+2 subs)	
Variety (15 Min Spot)	Under 16 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 14	
Volleyball	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 12	
INDIVIDUAL EVENT	CATEGORY	AGE	GENDER	
Cycling	Grass 2km	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*	
	Grass 2km	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	
Gymnastics	Individual	Under 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 years	Boys & Girls*	
	Judo	Up to 25 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Up to 30 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Up to 35 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Up to 40 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Up to 45 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Up to 50 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Up to 55 kgs.	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
		Open	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
	Swimming	1-length Freestyle	Under 8 years	Boys & Girls*
1-length Freestyle		Under 10 years	Boys & Girls*	
1-length Backstroke		Under 10 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Freestyle		Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Breaststroke		Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Backstroke		Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Freestyle		Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Breaststroke		Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Backstroke		Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Butterfly		Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Freestyle		Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Backstroke		Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	
2-lengths Butterfly		Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	
Squad (4x1 length Freestyle +2 subs)		Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	
Squad (4x 50m Medley + 2 subs)	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*		

National Finals - Weekend III

24th -26th August 2012

TEAM EVENT	AGE TEAMS	PANEL SIZE	
Basketball	Under 11 years	5 Boys & 5 Girls	Panel of 10
	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 10
	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 10
Camogie	Under 14 years	Girls	Panel of 16
Futsal	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel 8 (5+3 subs)
Hurling	Under 11 years	Boys	Panel of 20 (15+5 subs)
Rounders	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 12 (9+3 subs)
	Under 15 years	Boys & Girls*	Panel of 12 (9+3 subs)
Rugby (mini)	Under 11 years	All Boys All Girls Mixed	Panel of 12 (8+4 subs)
Rugby (Tag)	Under 11 years	Mixed	Panel of 12
	Under 14 years	Mixed	Panel of 12
INDIVIDUAL EVENT	CATEGORY	AGE	GENDER
Athletics (track events)	60 Metres	Under 8 years	Boys & Girls*
	80 Metres	Under 8 years	Boys & Girls*
	100 Metres	Under 10 years	Boys & Girls*
	200 Metres	Under 10 years	Boys & Girls*
	60 Metres Hurdles	Under 10 years	Boys & Girls*
	100 Metres	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*
	600 Metres	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*
	900m Walking Race	Under 13 years	Boys & Girls*
	100 Metres	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*
	800 Metres	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*
	80 Metres Hurdles	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*
	100 Metres	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
	1500 Metres	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
	Relay (4 x 100m + 2 subs)	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*
	Relay (4 x 100m + 2 subs)	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*
	Relay (4 x 100m + 2 subs)	Under 10 years	Mixed
	Relay (4 x 100m + 2 subs)	Under 13 years	Mixed
	Relay (4 x 100m + 2 subs)	Under 15 years	Mixed
	Relay (4 x 100m + 2 subs)	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
	Marathon (boys 7k, girls 7k)	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
Athletics (field events)	Ball Throw	Under 12 years	Boys & Girls*
	Long Puck	Under 12 years	Boys
	Long Puck	Under 14 years	Girls
	Shot Putt (3.25 kilo)	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*
	Long Jump	Under 14 years	Boys & Girls*
	High Jump	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
	Discus (1 kilo)	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*
	Javelin	Under 16 years	Boys & Girls*



NOTES

- Please consult the Community Games Activity Rules for further information. Please note specifically rules regarding eligibility as certain activities do have a lower age limit (available on the website www.communitygames.ie).
- Each competitor must be under the age specified on 31st July in the year competitions are taking place.

* Indicates individual competitions for Boys & Girls.