



## **MINI ALL-IRELAND HURLING 2016**

*"The aim is that each child participates fully and that the games are played in a spirit of fun and fair play for the enjoyment of all."*

### **UNDER 6**

Due to the number of entries expected for the Under 6 competition we propose to split the teams in half for each game and play 2 mini games instead of 1 full game. The combined score from both matches will count as the official result.

Under 6 - 1st Touch Ball, re-start in the middle after a score

Under 7 - Quick Touch Ball, re-start in the middle after a score

- Ground Hurling only except Goalkeeper who has Full Rules but can't score

### **UNDER 8, 9, 10 & 11/12**

- Full Rules
  - Goalkeeper cannot score, Under 9 to Under 11&12 Goalkeeper must put puck out ball
  - Solo allowed (4 steps & 1 Touch)
  - Quick Touch Sliothar - Under 8 & 9
  - Smart Touch Sliothar - Under 10, 11 & 12
- Scoring System Under 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 & 12
  - Normal scores - 1 pt over crossbar, 3 pts under the crossbar

### **SUBSTITUTIONS**

- If there is a difference of 1 between teams - No substitutes
- If a difference of 2 - Play with 1 sub
- If a difference of 3 - Play with 2 subs
- If 4 or more (highly unlikely), points are awarded & teams are mixed for a game

### **PLAYERS**

- Should assemble with your team manager at designated pitch 15 mins before kick off.
- T-shirt of your team colour must be worn every evening.
- We have tried to allocate team managers to every team. In the event of insufficient numbers we may require parents to fill in.

### **MANAGERS**

- Manager of the week competition in each age group, winners will be selected using listed criteria (see back of the application form)
- Team t-shirt to be worn every evening.
- Team sizes may vary, check with referee before each game follow guidelines on substitutes
- Assemble your team 15 mins before kick off at designated pitch.
- Players not on your list cannot be put on your team.
- Stay off the pitch & only shout encouragement. Rotate players through all positions.
- If you have any problem with parents, please report to Paraic/Niall immediately.
- On the Final night check your panel against the original list and notify Paraic/Niall of any changes.
- On the Final night bring your team up to Paraic/Niall for the presentation and Prize giving & for the BBQ and drink.