

Colleges Cup Finals 2009



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***Colleges Football
Association of Ireland***
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Salthill Devon, Drom, Galway
Wed 11th & Thurs 12th of March

Price €1

Welcome from CFAI Chairman

On behalf of the Colleges Football Association of Ireland, I would like to welcome you to Salthill Devon's grounds here in Galway and I would particularly like to congratulate all the teams and coaches on making it to our Annual UMBRO Cup Finals.

I would like to take the opportunity to again congratulate Salthill Devon FC and their ground staff on the wonderful condition of their facilities and the continued improvements they have made to the grounds. I would also like to thank our sponsors UMBRO, Nivea and Lucozade sport for their continued support in helping to make this celebration of football take place.

Finally, I hope everyone involved enjoys their time here in Galway and represents their college both on and off the field of play with honour.

The very best of luck to everyone!

Tim Kelleher
CFAI Chairman

The Executive Committee for 2008/2009 are:

Tim Kelleher (Chairman), John Quinlan (Hon. Secretary),
Padraig Carney (Treasurer), Paddy Gleeson (Competitions Coordinator),
Michael Cox (PRO)



Niall, Brian, Paddy, Tim and Bob at last years Finals



Finals Programme

Wednesday 11th March, Drom, Galway

12noon UMBRO Colleges Cup Semi Finals

Letterkenny IT v IT Carlow

IT Sligo v Athlone IT

3.30pm Bob Eustace Cup Final

Tipperary Institute v Dundalk IT

Thursday 12th March, Drom, Galway

11am UMBRO Colleges Plate Final

IT Tralee v Colaiste Ide

11am UMBRO Colleges B-Teams Final

IT Tralee v Colaiste Ide/ITCarlow

2.30pm UMBRO Colleges Cup Final

***6.30pm Presentation Awards,
Salthill Hotel, Galway***



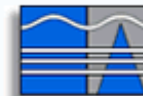
UMBRO Colleges Cup Semi-finalist



Letterkenny IT 2009



N. McGonagle, G Harkin (*Capt*), Darren McElwaine (Arena 7)



1	Liam Mailey (Finn Harps)	The 6ft 4ins Convoy native has the physique and athleticism to make to make the breakthrough to League of Ireland football and this could be his year. Has also represented Donegal GAA team at under 21 level.
2	Declan McGarvey (Finn Harps)	Right-back who moved to Harps last year after a spell with Limavady United in the Irish League. A tenacious defender who offers great options in attack. Has represented Ireland at under 15 level and has the potential to play in the League of Ireland.
3	Gary Whoriskey (Finn Harps)	Left-back who also loves to get forward. Whoriskey has broken into Harps 1st team in the last few weeks and with the right encouragement has the ability to stay there. Member of the 2006 LYIT team who won the Umbro Cup in 2006. known for his romantic nature!
4	Patrick Bonner (Finn Harps)	Paddy can play centre-back or centre midfield but has been operating at the back for the LYIT this season. A fantastic reader of the game with good passing ability Bonner has also recently broken into the 1st team at Finn Park. A former Irish under 15 international.
5	Shaun McElwaine (Fanad Utd)	Centre-half and son of former Harps player John McElwaine. The 6ft 5ins defender was player of the year for top intermediate side Fanad United last season. Another who has the ability to play at a higher level.
6	Paul Doohan (Glenea Utd)	CM who plays his club football for Glenea Utd in the Donegal League. A native of Glasgow, Doohan is a no nonsense tough tackling midfielder who does things simple & possesses good technical ability. Kind of player you hate to play against. The heartbeat of the team.
7	Oisin McMenamin (Finn Harps)	Winger/striker who has progressed through the youth system at Finn Park and has also recently broken into the 1st team. Possesses great pace and trickery and is very two-footed. Irish Schools international 2008. Affectionately known as Tosh by his team-mates.
8	Mark Forker (Finn Harps)	Centre-mid Mark joined Finn Harps last season after spending 3 years at Hearts where he played for youth and reserve teams. Mark will be an important member of Harps 1st team squad this season. Blessed with a great engine and the ability to run at defenders. AKA "Rip" after Rip Van Winkel. But when he's awake he's a nightmare for defenders.
9	Fintan Bonner (Finn Harps)	Can operate on either flank or up front. Extremely two-footed player who played a number of games in the Eircom Premier League for Harps under Felix Healy. A match winner on his day Fintan was also a member of the LYIT team which won the Umbro Cup in 2006. Back now for his second spell at Finn Park.
10	Darren McElwaine (Letterkenny Rvs)	The Letterkenny Rovers striker has the ability to play with his back to goal and makes intelligent decisions with his passing. "Macca" has been one of the top strikers in the Ulster Senior League in the past few seasons and famously gave big Bobo Balde the run around while playing in a friendly for Finn Harps against Celtic in 2007.
11	Gareth Harkin (Coleraine FC)	Gareth can operate at LB, LM or striker. Letterkenny native started his career with Fanad Utd before move to Derry City. Played on Loan with Limavady Utd in 2007/8 before signing for Coleraine at the start of last year, frustrated at the lack of 1st team football at Derry. Harkin is fast becoming one of the top left sided players in the Irish League after been named Coleraine's player of the month for Feb.
12	Shane Gibbons (Bonagee Utd)	Striker who plays for Bonagee United in the Ulster Senior League. Possesses bags of pace and has scored some very important goals this year for the LYIT after an injury ravished season last year.
13	Karl Hogan (Bonagee Utd)	Centre-back or left-back who also plays for Bonagee United in the Ulster Senior League. A native of County Clare Karl is a no nonsense defender who also possesses a great left foot.
14	Connor McCullough (Unattached)	Right midfielder or striker Connor is a native of Belfast. Possesses lightning pace and scored a very important goal in round 2 of the Umbro Cup this year against GMIT. Can also play on either flank.
15	Paddy Heraghtey (Fanad Utd)	Centre-half Paddy plays his club football with Fanad Utd in the Ulster Senior League. Paddy is a footballing centre-back with great passing ability. Was outstanding in this years league quarter final against Sligo IT. At just 18 Paddy is a player to watch out for in the future.
16	John McLaughlin (Rasheney)	Striker John plays his club football in the Inishowen League with Rasheney FC. A big strong striker who has done well when called upon this season and scored in the cup 2nd round against GMIT last month.
17	Paddy Harkin (Sub GK) (Clonmany Shamrocks)	Goalkeeper who has shared the keeping duties with Liam Mailey this season. Has superb distribution qualities and a fantastic shot stopper. Plays with Clonmany Shamrocks in Inishowen League.
	Niall McGonagle	Manager
	Paddy Gallagher	Coach
	Tommy Harkin	Team Physio



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IT Carlow 2009

Path to the Semi Final—Umbro Colleges Cup 2009

UMBRO Cup 2009		UMBRO Cup 2009		UMBRO Cup 2009	
Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Semi finals		
Home Venue 19th Nov	Home Venue 4th Feb	Home Venue 26th Feb	Galway 11th Mar 12pm		
CSN 4	W1				IT Sligo
IADT 1	CSN 4				
Bray College FE					
Away Bye	Bray College FE 1	CSN 3	WQ1		
IT Sligo 3	W3				
Colaiste Ide 2	IT Sligo (wo) 3	Q1			
Cork College of Commerce					
Away Bye	Cork College of Commerce 0	IT Sligo 3 (5.4 penos)			
GMIT Castlebar 1	W5				
IT Blanchardstown 6	IT Blanchardstown 6				
DBS					
Away Bye	DBS 2	IT Blanchardstown 0	WQ2		
AIT (WO) 3	W7				
GMIT Letterfrack 0	AIT 5	Q2			
Garda College					
Away Bye	Garda College 1	AIT 3		AIT	



First Name	Surname	Club	Position	Comment
Arnoud	Chapoux	F.J.E.P Lornil	Gk	Brave and Vocal keeper with a solid pair of hands
Mark	Gorman	Tullamore FC	DM	A good solid performer and leader with good feet. Always gives 100%
Jonathan	O'Hanlon	Ballybrack	CB	Experienced defender with a hint of style to his play. Fond of the Hair straightener
Richard	Newport	Kildare County	CB	Captain Fantastic returning from injury, Rises like a salmon out of water to grab the odd goal. Nice mBoob too.
Arran	Mullins	Newbridge Town	M	Versatile player with bags of energy and fitness. Not too bad either
Angier	Loic	Saint Omer	M	Fit as a fiddle, afraid of the drink. Great attacking midfield maestro
Eigbogba	Sylvester	Shamrock Rovers	S	Goals are his game and leads the line well. Tank!!!!
Max	Carroll	St. Josephs	S	The BRC. Plays with great heart and works extremely hard im Afraid!!!
Bowie	Dee	Wexford Youths	S	Rejuvenated man and starting to find form again. Bags of Speed!
Sylvain	Rigal	Prigonrieux FC	M	Just back from injury but has been a key player all year
Laulhe	Benoit	Elan Beanmais Onthez	M	Skillful Frenchie with a good work rate.
Guillame	Badonnell	Stade Olympic Chaletais	M	The Cesc Fabregas of the team. Loves his Ronaldinho passes but the opposition dont.
Nicoli	Joubert	Fc Perly Centoux (Swiss)	D	Solid Defender with good pace and great in the air
Coach				
Gerry Bikerstaff Coach		Gerry is more like one of the lads than a manager but when it comes down to the match day there is no other man with experience like him. Great to work with and knows the game inside out. In his time in Carlow he has put I.T Carlow on the map in terms of Soccer and has been there or there-about, if not a finalist every year		



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IT Sligo 2009

Path to the Semi Final—Umbro Colleges Cup 2009

Letterkenny IT 2	W9					
NCI 0		Letterkenny IT 3				Letterkenny IT
GMIT						
Away Bye		GMIT 1		Letterkenny IT 2	WQ3	
ITT Dublin 2	W11					
DIT 1		ITT Dublin 1 5.3 Penos	Q3			
DIT				ITT Dublin 0		
Away Bye		DIT 1				
IT Tralee 1	W13					Letterkenny IT
Sallynoggin College 0		IT Tralee 0				
LIT				LIT 0	WQ4	
Away Bye		LIT 1				
IT Carlow 5	W15					
WIT 0		IT Carlow (wo) 3	Q4			
South West College Fermanagh	W16			IT Carlow 2		IT Carlow
Inchicore College FE 4		Inchicore College FE 0				



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Ronan Boyle, Finn Harps, Striker	A good wee grafter from Donegal. Has been a good man for sneaking important goals
Gerrard Coniffiee, Tuam Celtic Full Back	Galway Boy with a wicked right foot cross. Has been a long standing member of the club.
Owen Cattigan, St John's Athletic Striker	Speedy Gonzales. Dedicated to the cause.
Stephen Coen, Sligo Rovers Midfield	Unbelievable engine, good in defence as well as attack. A complete soccer player.
Niall Costello, Sligo Rovers Centre Half	Captain Fantastic. What can we say? Embodies all that soccer should be about. Attitude, commitment, skill. Also top scorer. Not bad for a centre half.
Thibaut Galland, ES Liergues Striker	Allez les Blues. The foreign contingent of IT Sligo. A bit of Gallic flare. Comprenez vous Thibaut?
Francis Gillagan, IT Sligo Centre Forward	Honest hard working always gives a 100%. Likes trains. A Dub from the Palmerstown Rangers brigade.
Ciaran Greene, Sligo Rovers Striker	Class act/actor. An enigma. Capable of brilliance. Every team needs one! And Ciaran is it.
Pat Kelly, Westport UTD Full Back	Solid. Tackles tractors for breakfast. But has nerves to take one step penalty kicks.
Rory Kelly, Buncrana Hearts Goal Keeper	The Donegal kid. Hero of penalty shoot outs. Both saving and taking Penalty Kicks.
Sean Kelly, Ballina Town Midfield	Solid performer. Lives for soccer and it shows on and off the field. A very professional performer.
Ryan Mc Combe, Dromare Villa Centre Forward	Good poacher around the box. New boy on the block. Deadly over 5 yards. Has Good potential.
Gary Melly, Strand Celtic Midfield	Nippy winger, not afraid to tackle. Has Put his body on the line for the team many times over the years.
Barry Mc Loughlin, Snugboro UTD Midfield	Barry's cheeky chirpy personality comes through in his play. A trickster.
Bradley O Donnell, Charlestown Full back	Good balanced left footed player. Dedicated and skilful. Another new kid on the block.
Rohan O Donnell, Longford Town Full Back	An all round performer good on the ball and good off it. Knows the game really well. Mature beyond his years.
Gavin O Dwyer, Sligo Rovers Centre forward	Holds the ball up well. Has good skills. Always willing and is certainly able.
Caolan O Grady, Merville Utd Centre Half	A good solid performer provides good balance for Niall. Hard working. Good skills for a big man!
Mark Rooney, IT Sligo Centre Half	Good in a number of positions. Great left footed player, reads the game well, crosses a great ball.
Paul Harte Coach - Paul (Scotty) Harte's commitment to IT Sligo and the development of Soccer in the North West cannot be under estimated. In his time as head coach of IT Sligo first team, Scotty has coached the team to two consecutive Final stages of the Umbro Cup and one quarter final of the premier league.	



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Athlone IT 2009

The Coaching Staff	
Gordon Brett Manager	Captained AIT to success in this Cup in 1998 in Galway and was involved with AIT's 2004 success also, as a coach. Former Athlone Town and Galway Utd player who would love to win the Cup again in Galway. Modeling his hair style on the Assistant Managers 'style'!!!
Gerry Lennon Assistant Manager	Gerry has a wealth of experience with AIT and the Roscommon Oscar Traynor team. If anybody deserves success this weekend Gerry does. He has had a number of very successful seasons at AIT with both the men's and women's teams. Famous for his dry wit and he could crown a perfect season if the cup could be won. Refuses to laugh at the physios jokes and is in training to beat the manager in a 5k road race (He has no hope).
Gerry Joyce Physio	AIT's answer to George Clooney. Has a joke for every moment of every day, not always good jokes but jokes none the less!!! Examples: 1. What's black and white and eats like a horse? A zebra. 2. Two cannibals are eating a clown. One clown turns to the other and says "Does this taste funny to you?". Gerry has a wealth of experience in soccer as a player and now as a physio. Current Athlone Town physio who really knows his stuff. He is also a qualified paramedic. We've bought crutches for some of his jokes.
Maz Sweeney AIT/FAI Soccer Facilitator	Maz was a closed season transfer from IT Sligo who ironically we meet in the semi final. Hopefully her loyalties are not divided and we might sneak into the final. Maz has lifted the organisation of soccer in AIT to a new level and overseen a very productive season. A former World Student Games player and Irish U-19 international. Suffered a mystery knee injury recently but we hope to see her back in action soon.

Davide Bruno Goalkeeper	Bruno is a penalty saving legend who returned to AIT this year to steady the ship. Has great presence in our side and has proved to have been one of the best keepers we have had in years. Holds the biggest chest size in AIT.
Jan Wohlers Goalkeeper	The 'Big Man' of the squad put in a superb performance v UCC in the CUFL quarter final. He is a more than capable keeper & if called into duty will do AIT & everybody in Holland proud !!! A gentle giant who is so easy to deal with.
Giovanni Tabellini Defender	'Gio' is the quiet man of the squad but his composed displays mark him out as one of our best players all season. AIT's answer to Marco Baresi will be doing everything in his power to win the UMBRO Cup. Trappatoni will be looking at his compatriot's passport.
Alan Fox Defender	'Foxy' scored a screamer in the quarter final but was consequentially subbed due to his nose bleed from being too far up the pitch. Has been very dependable all season and won't be found wanting on the big day. Himself and 'Haysey' form the 'bostic brothers' and may elope together after this cup run.
Kevin Gaylard Defender	'Braveheart' has bled regularly this season for AIT. Has been known to head 'jumbo jets' out of our 18 yard box. Having the season of his life which has been crowned by his selection in the CFAI National Squad which resulted in him finding our training ground!!!
Craig Tone Defender	Craig has played in a number of positions this season but has settled at centre half where he has been flawless. Possesses a cultured left foot which is only ruined by his dodgy barnet !!! Hopes to put a cup medal in his cabinet in his first season at AIT.
Carmine Russo Midfielder	Carmine is also having a super season and was rewarded by his selection on the CFAI National Squad. He also has excelled in a number of positions. Has a bit too much to say for himself and really needs to lose those yellow boots. Has a great attitude to the game and could be a match winner.
Jason Pohl Midfielder	The energetic Jason was promoted to the first team recently and has proved his worth by giving hard working skillful performances. This nature lover spends plenty of time in the bushes during shooting practice at AIT. He won't let AIT down in any way.
Anthony Hayes Midfielder	'Haysey' is the 'old man' of the team who leads us from the centre of the pitch with all his experience. He'll be looking to sign off on his tenure at AIT with a cup winner's medal. Has been one of our most consistent performers for a number of years now and coaxed his 'bostic brother' 'Foxy' into the squad this year.
Brian Cauldwell Striker	'BC' is definitely one of our most skillful players ever. Another fresher making his mark on AIT. Possibly could pull off a unique double of CFAI UMBRO Cup and FAI Junior Cup wins as he is also excelling with St. Peters Athlone. Great record of scoring vital goals throughout his career.
Hafeez Sholola Striker	Nigeria's answer to Tony Cottee. Has scored a bag of goals this year and is so important to us. One of the easiest players to deal with in the squad!!!. 'Good' Hafeez and 'Bad Boy' Hafeez are constantly at war so we left 'Bad Boy' Hafeez at home. If he turns it on AIT could turn it on.
Eoghan Doddy Midfielder	Eoghan is a pacy and skillful winger. He is a phantom we know nothing about but he could be a 'super hero' in his spare time for all we know!!! Loves answering text messages but usually has the answer on the pitch when the tempo rises. A gentleman to deal with.
Davide Galardo Midfielder/Striker	Davide has been outstanding for AIT this season. Gives the team great physical presence. Always threatening to score goals from midfield, actually he never scores!!! Benitez has been tracking his progress all season and he could be at Anfield next season. Another of the great foreign imports to play for AIT in recent times.
Ben Reynolds Defender	The 'Scarlett Pimpernel' has had more dodgy phones than a dodgy phone factory. We think we saw him get on the bus but we're not sure. Could be under contract to the CIA. Ben has been doing the business for AIT for a few seasons now & has played well in two or three positions. If anybody would love a cup medal it would be Ben. Very dependable when on the pitch!!!
Darren Pierce Striker/Midfielder	Darren captained the reserve side to glory in the CUFL Division 1 West. He led the team by example and is brimming with confidence at the moment. Always in the hunt for goals in every game and he certainly won't let the team down at these finals. He is the genuine heartbeat of the club and he even played in goal a number of times last season.
Declan Tonra Def/Mid/Striker	'Decky' has excelled in every sector of the pitch for AIT over the past three seasons. Unfortunately he bought a dodgy phone from Ben so contacting him can be a problem. He is a strong fit player who would be an addition to any team. He plays on a 'week on, week off' basis but when we have him on board we are much happier with our strength in depth.
Padraig Geraghty Defender	Padraig is another player to have stepped up from our successful reserve side. He is lightning quick, reads the game very well and is 100% committed. He is definitely one for the future of this team. His inclusion recently in the squad has given us so many more options but he needs to eat a few burgers!!!
Luca Gastaldo Midfielder/Striker	Luca excelled with the reserve team all season and really deserves his promotion to the first team. His football career has been ruined by his good looks as the AIT women just won't leave him alone. When called into action Luca always does his best and could make a dramatic impact at these finals.
Chris Ferncombe Defender	Chris had a great season with the reserves and almost scored in the quarter final when introduced as a late sub for 'Bad Boy' Hafeez. He's a strong lad who will relish the opportunity to have a crack at the first team set up. Could provide us with a big aerial advantage ala 'Gary Doherty' his twin.



Bob Eustace Cup Finalist



Tipperary Institute 2009



Bob Eustace Cup 2009



Round 1 19th Nov	Round 2 4th Feb	Semi final 26th Feb	Final Galway 11th Mar 3pm
DunLaoghaire College FE			
ITC Wexford	W1 ITC Wexford 0		
Drogheda Institute FE			
Away Bye	Drogheda Institute FE 2	Drogheda Institute FE 1	
Rathmins College FE	W3		
IT Dundalk	DKIT 3 aet		
ITT Dublin C			
Away Bye	ITT Dublin C 2	DKIT 3	
Tipp Institute 6	W5		
Griffith College 2	Tipp Institute 4		
St Pats Carlow			
Away Bye	St Pats Carlow 2	Tipp Institute 1	
Cavan College FE	W7		
SNR College Dunlaoghaire	SNR College Dunlaoghre		
DBS	W8		
Mater Dei	DBS		
			Tipp Institute

1. Pierce Dargan (GK)	Having recovered from a broken hand, allegedly sustained in an incident outside Hayes, Pierce emphasised his shot stopping ability with a clean sheet in the semi-final.
2. Jonathon Crean (RB)	A veteran of the team, this wiley full back hails from the republic but unlike the hurlers, he's not on strike...yet.
3. Kevin Keegan (Capt) (LB)	Kevin doesn't have a perm and doesn't wear number 7. He has however been an integral part of the team for the last four years. Lifting a cup in his final year would be fitting.
4. Robert Browne (CB)	Versatile centre half / midfielder. Takes a lot of the free kicks around the area. Can't believe he claimed the deflected free kick in the semi-final which got us to Galway.
5. Graham Guiry (CB)	An very young old school centre half. Excellent in the air, doesn't make mistakes and scores goals from set pieces...at both ends.
6. Phil O'Brien (CM)	Vice captain. The best thing to come out of Wexford football since Kevin Doyle.
7. David Brophy (RM)	The nippy winger. Every team has one. Dave is ours. A DIY enthusiast. Especially when it comes to shin guards.
8. Seamus Ryan (CM)	A ball winner. Hails from up around the mountains between Tipperary & Limerick. Seems to have an improper relationship with a Physio.
9. David Rencontre (CF)	A tricky forward from South Tipperary. Is fierce allergic to Strawberries.
10. Simon Hensey (CF)	The quintessential centre forward. Thing Steve Bull from Wolves. Two hat-tricks on the way to a college goal scoring record season.
11. Rob Murray (LM)	Left sided midfielder / forward from Tullamore with a my little pony hair do that would remind you of Ronaldo. Has his boots too, but not hjs touch.
12. Tony Greene (LM)	Left sided midfielder. Injured or too drunk to make the semi final. We're not quite sure.
13. Gearoid O'Connor (Def/Mid)	No nonsense defender / midfielder. Always in stitches, especially after playing against Cork teams.
14. Dean Grannell (LB)	Left sided Full back. Had some vision issues earlier in the season. Made contact with an optician and hasn't looked back since.
15. Proinseas Mathews (Mid)	Midfielder. Likes to use extra tape on his socks, his boots the whole fceking lot.
16. Justin Dermody (CB)	No nonsense Centre Half/Kilkenny Hurler. Thing Tony Adams but without the first touch.
17. Tom Gleeson (GK)	Veteran Goalkeeper. Deputised to good affect versus Griffith College in the first round. We won't mention their second goal. Thank god for protective gloves.
18. Paul Bowe (CF)	David Fairclough but without the red hair. A Rough marker as the wexford lad will attest.
19. Ciaran McConway	Scary Northern Forward. Almost scored against Carlow.
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Team Manager: Michael Cox	



Bob Eustace Cup Finalist



Dundalk Institute of Technology 2009



Bob Eustace Cup Winners 2008—Senior College Dun Laoghaire



Alan Doyle	DKIT	Left-Mid	Club Captain, Longest serving player. Scored in semi-final.
Desmond Eiffe	DKIT	Centre Forward	Pacey. Great enthusiasm.
Gary McGrane	DKIT	Right-Mid	International trials'.
Eoin Murphy	Sporting Fingal	Centre Forward	Good first touch excellent team player.
John Scott	Monaghan	Centre Back	Excellent game in the semi-final.
John Clarke	DKIT	Centre Forward	Reliable and excellent link man.
Daryl O'Flaherty	DKIT	Right-Mid	Good understanding of the game.
Michael Young	DKIT	Goalkeeper	Great shot stopper.
Niall Fergus	Quay Celtic	Midfield	Hard working player
Colin Nolan	DKIT	Centre Back	Dominant defender
Joseph Flynn	Glenmuir	Midfield	Wide range of passing.
Sean Hand	Dundalk FC	Midfield	Links the play very well.
Luke McDonnell	Dundalk FC	Centre Back	Very Strong
Michael Grimes	DKIT	Midfield	Clever hard working player
Alan Devine	DKIT	Centre Back	Very reliable when needed.
Karl Johnston	DKIT	Right Back	Scored 2 great goals in the semi-final.
Michael McEvoy	DKIT	Goalkeeper	Good communicator.
Barry Mooney	DKIT	Midfield	Makes things happen when in possession.
Ben Barthe	DKIT	Centre Back	Excellent all-round performer.
Darren Kane	DKIT	Left Back	Excellent defender
Johnny McGailey	Glenmuir	Midfield	Great tackler and passer.
Coach			
Brian Donnelly, DKIT Coach (I done the list so I'd rather not say.)			



B-Teams Cup Finalist



Institute of Technology Tralee B 2009

		B Teams Cup 2009			
Round 1		Round 2	Round 3	Final Galway	
19th Nov		4th Feb	26th Feb	12th March 11am	
1	ITT Dublin CIT	ITT Dublin 1			
2	Colaiste Ide Away Bye	Colaiste Ide 2	Colaiste Ide 2 (5.4 penos)		
3	IT Carlow NCI	IT Carlow 2 (aet)			
4	DIT Away Bye	DIT 1	IT Carlow 2		Colaiste Ide
5	IT Sligo AIT	IT Sligo O			
6	IT Tralee Away Bye	IT Tralee 1	IT Tralee 3		
7	CSN WIT	WIT 3			
8	IT Blanchardstown Away Bye	IT Blanchardstown 1	WIT 0		



Player	Age / Position / Club		
Stephen Keeney	19	Goalkeeper	Donegal Town F.C.
Dennis Moriarty	20	Right Back	Brandon Celtic
David Fitzpatrick	19	Right Back	Mervue United
Brian Stack	19	Center Half	Cobh Ramblers
Darren Kenny	19	Center Half	Mountmellick United
Paul Sweeney	21	Center Half	N/A
Shane Byrne	19	Left Back	Park AFC
Michael Carroll	19	Winger/Forward	Mountmellick United
Keith Conway	19	Center Midfield	Kildare County
Sean Buck	21	Center Midfield	Abbeyfeale United
Fergus Kennedy	18	Midfield/Forward	N/A
Shane O'Neill	21	Winger	Castlegregory Celtic
Michael Thompson	21	Winger	N/A
Ronan Phelan	19	Forward	Clash Celtic
Dan Cahalane	19	Forward	Inter Kenmare
Darragh O'Brien	20	Forward	N/A
Adam O'Mahoney	19	Midfield/Forward	N/A
Thom McDermott	25	Forward	N/A
Sam O'Callaghan	19	Forward	N/A
Joe White	19	Midfield	N/A
Ger McNamara	20	Midfield/Forward	Rinenanna Rovers
Team Managers			
Barry McGann	26	Manager/Coach	N/A
Kenny Ward	21	Manager/Coach	Lisselton Rovers



B-Teams Cup Finalist



Colaiste Ide B 2009



B Team Cup Winners 2008—Dublin Institute of Technology



Coláiste Íde

college of further education

Aidan Dempsey	club: huntstown position: right full Done well with this team all season, great at winning headers
Colm byrne	club: orchid united position: right wing Has great pace, great work rate in all games
David Arthur	Club: bohemians Position: centre half Great at winning the ball back, has done very well for this team so far
Eoin Mc Gowen	club: free agent position: midfield Has improved greatly since start of the course, important part of the squad
Graham Nugent	Club: bohemians position: right back Great tackler, players rarely get by him
Jay hevey	club: ballymun united position: midfield/ forward Possesses great pace and has very quick feet, a defenders nightmare. Great free kick taker.
John Morgan	Club: rivervalley positon: forward Great at beating players, very rarely gives the ball away
Keith Martin	Club: free agent position:midfield Good passer of the ball, has great vision on the pitch
Lee duggan	club: free agent position: midfield Great control, very rarely loses the ball. Also a great passer of the ball
Paddy Grehan	Club: free agent position: midfield/ forward Has improved a lot since the start of this course and is a good passer of the ball.
Thomas Mclroy	club: castleknock celtic position: goalkeeper Very reliable keeper, played great in the semi final.
Paddy Grehan	Club: free agent position: midfield/ forward Has improved a lot since the start of this course and is a good passer of the ball.
Sean hayden	club: ballymun united position: right back/ centre half Captain of the team, great tackler and reads the game very well.
Shane mc Caffrey	club:balbriggan position: left full Very comfortable on the ball, always does his job well
Stephen Mc Cormack	Club: bohemians position: left wing/ forward Has a great strike with his left foot and also possess great pace.
Stephen Walsh	club: dundoyne fc position: right wing/ right back Scored a last minute goal to bring semi final to penos. Very strong on the ball, has a great strike of the ball.
Jim Conroy / Danny Crowley	



UMBRO Colleges Plate Finalist



Colaiste Ide A 2009

Road to the Plate Final 2009

Qfinals - Home Venue 4th Feb		Semi Finals - Home Venue 26th Feb		Final Galway 12th March 11:00
WIT 0	WQF1	CIT (wo) 3	CIT	CIT
CIT (WO) 3	WQF2			
IADT 1	WQF3	Sallynoggin College 0		
Sallynoggin College 3	WQF4	Colaiste Ide 6		
Colaiste Ide 9		South West College Fermanagh 0	Colaiste Ide	
NCI 2				
GMIT Castlebar 0				
South West College Fermanagh 3				



Coláiste Íde

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Dean McNevin	Club: bohemians position: right wing The speedy winger has plenty of tricks up his sleeve
Eoin Dolan	Club: dunboyne fc position : centre mid Great long range passer and a good vision on the pitch.
Graham Quinn	club: home farm position: left back Drafted in from second team, had a great game in the semi final
Kurtis Murphy	club: shelbourne position: centre forward A young up and coming centre forward, always a threat
Sam Zarka	Club: Paris Saint Germain The French man has impressed throughout the season
Stephen Hickey	club: free agent position: right wing/ forward Winger creates a lot of chances for the forwards
Ian O reilly	Club: ballymun united position: centre mid A composed centre mid fielder, a good ball carrier
Stephen Campbell	Centre midfield. Club: Drogheda united Great vision in midfield from the Drogheda native
Thomas Cooney	Club: Free agent position: rw/ cf The agile centre forward has scored some spectacular goals this season.
Jamie king	club: grange woodbine position: centre mid A tough tackling midfielder, good ball winner
Andrew Byrne	club: ashbourne fc position: centre back Tall centre half, strong in the air
Dave mc mahon	club: the mill fc Position: centre back A rock in the ide defence
Keith murray	Club: shelbourne position: right back/ centre back Is arguably Ide's most consistent player this year
Kevin Cornwall	club: belgrove fc position: forward Top goal scorer, great pace and gets by defenders with ease
Noel downey	Club: Ballymun United position: forward Great touch, creates a lot of chances for his strike partner
Ryan Coulter	club: dundalk fc position: goalkeeper Bray native, great shot stopper. Great season so far this year
Simon brown	club: belgrove fc position: right back / centre mid Speedy right full, has good composure on the ball
Stephen Flynn	Club: ballymun united position: left back The captain has been a regular all season. Great tackler and a good leader
Coaches	
Danny Crowley / Jim Conroy	



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Cork Institute of Technology Cup Winners 2007



Inchicore Celebrate winning the UMBRO Colleges Plate 2008

Name	Nickname	Sponsor	Club	Position	Comment
Wesley Connolly-Tong	The Berb	Ann Summers	Cork City	GK / Striker	Considers himself to be the best in the world at everything. Still eats worms and secretly fancies Dot Cotton from Eas-tenders.
Shane Harrington	Harry	Utterly Butterfly	Cobh Ramblers	GK	Currently has a personal ad for a male seeking female for friendship or maybe more. Favorite show: Dale's Supermarket Sweep.
James O'Sullivan	Jugz	Ear Lingus	Greenwood	Defender	Can't find a girl in cork so searched Dublin. Dislikes include curtains.
Kyle Smith	Mr. Universe	Granny Smiths Apples	Lakewood Athletic	Defender	Solid as a sponge. Most embarrassing moment making love to a goat.
Eoin Ryan	Rhyno	Fota Wildlife	Lakewood Athletic	Midfield	A secret member of Tenacious D. Once appeared on the Late Late Show.
Paul Deasy	Eric from 'That 70's Show'	Head and Shoulders	Cork City	Striker	A professional shuffler. Often confused for a meerkat.
Colin Kearney	Sick note	Goober Walsh	Cobh Ramblers	Midfield	Still wears pyjamas. Hobbies include licking batteries.
Luke Foran	Huggies	TG4	College Corinthians	Striker	An egg and spoon race gold medalist. Has a road map fetish.
James Groake	Mingie	The Canteen	Ballincollig AFC	Defender	Wears a banana hammock and enjoys the odd bit of tom foolery.
Brian Bell	End	Heinz Ketchup	CIT	Midfield	Hair like Sonic the Hedgehog .CIT's oldest student at 49.
Fabien Godard	Une Ba-guette	Cuisine de France	CIT	Midfield	Claims to have French kissed Mel Gibson at the Cannes Film Festival. C'est tres
Sean Foley	Chick	Bovril	CIT	Defender	Eats a jar of mayonnaise before bed each night. Once starred in the Rose of Tralee as Shauna.
Ruairi Kelly	Ro Ro	E45	CIT	Midfield	Not available to comment at this time.
John Duggan	Sandles	Boddis	CIT	Defender	He's a very nifty guy. Fond of spooning.
Terry O Connell	The Diamond	Its not made from wheat its made from	Lakewood Athletic	Midfield	Considered to be a marshmellow. Fears include carpet.
Brian Murphy	Fox	Largeladiez .com	Cork City	Defender	Absolute pity on booze. Wets the bed on occasions. Favourite food includes Green Giant Sweetcorn.
Oisín Mcgrath	Toilet	Rohipnol	The Charlie Lynch Academy	Defender	Currently studying janitor studies. Loves jam and wooly jumpers.
Charlie Lynch	Mr Tactics	Old Spice	CIT	Manager	Taught Jose Mourinho everything he knows. Was once caught wearing women's underwear.
Thomas Houlihan	Hula	Hula Hoops	Midleton FC	Defender	Talks like Barry White. Once studied for and failed a fitness test.

CFAI National Squad 2009

Each season, the CFAI select a representative squad from the players of member colleges. Members nominate players to attend a trial game, usually held in early December. Players are then selected to become part of a squad, which will usually meet again for a session in early January prior to being finalised.

The association play annual fixtures versus the Defence Forces and the Universities representative teams and usually travel abroad on a development trip.

The trials for the national squad this year were held in Athlone on Friday the Jan 30th. Over 70 players representing 19 College members took part.

Again this year the trials were based loosely around the provincial system with two games. Players from Munster and Ulster took part in the first game with Connacht and Leinster players playing in the second game, which needed to be extended due to the number of players who turned up to trial.

A panel of thirty players were invited to a development session held in Dublin on 16th of February. Following this session the management of the CFAI squad have finalised their squad and stand-by squad for the forthcoming season. .



CFAI National Squad 2008

Many thanks to all players who attended and especially to those who did not make it this time around and to all colleges for encouraging student participation.

CFAI National Squad 2009

Ryan Coulter GK Coláiste Íde, Wesley Tong GK CIT, Keith Murray RB Coláiste Íde, Dean Zambra RB DIT, Kevin Williamson LB Garda College, Brian Murphy LB CIT, Conor McMahon CB DIT, Paul Whelan CB DIT, Kevin Gaylard CB AIT, Colin Bargarry CM CSN, Frank Brown CM Garda College, Paul Doohan CM Letterkenny IT, Nicholas Byrne CM Sallynoggin IT, Carmine Russo RM AIT, Kevin Crehan RM GMIT, Gareth Harkin LM Letterkenny IT, Rory Keily LM CSN, Stephen Roche CF DIT, Kevin Cornwall CF Coláiste Íde, Davy O' Sullivan CF DIT

CFAI National Squad - Stand by

Karl Donnelly Coláiste Íde, John Egan GMIT, James Lynch Inchicore, Stephen Coen IT Sligo, Niall Costello IT Sligo, Daragh McGovern South West College, Owen Ford CSN, Ian Brazil Garda College, Ciaran Green IT Sligo, Shane Hynes GMIT

CFAI Games

The provisional fixtures to take place this year are :
Tolka Rovers March 18th (under lights in Dublin)
Gleb North April 8th (under lights Dublin)
Defence Forces 15th April (home: venue TBC)
Irish Universities 22nd April (away: venue TBC)

CFAI National Squad Management Team

Team Manager:	Danny Crowley	Colaiste Ide
Assistant Manager:	Paddy Gleeson	Colaiste Stiofan Naofa
Assistant Coach:	Jim Conroy	Coliaste Ide





***Garda College
2008 UMBRO Colleges Cup Winners***



The Silverware up for grabs

CFAI Cups Roll of Honour



UMBRO Colleges Cup

1973 DIT Kevin St
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1976 DIT Bolton St
1977 RTC Sligo
1978 RTC Carlow
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1981 DIT Kevin St
1982 RTC Carlow
1983 RTC Waterford
1984 RTC Athlone
1985 RTC Athlone
1986 RTC Cork
1987 DIT Bolton St
1988 RTC Waterford
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1990 RTC Waterford
1991 RTC Letterkenny
1992 RTC Dundalk
1993 RTC Letterkenny
1994 RTC Waterford
1995 DIT Bolton St
1996 DIT Bolton St
1997 Garda College
1998 Athlone IT
1999 Waterford IT
2000 IT Tralee
2001 Foot & Mouth
2002 GMIT Galway
2003 IT Carlow
2004 Athlone IT
2005 Colaiste Ide
2006 Letterkenny IT
2007 Cork IT
2008 Garda College

UMBRO Colleges Plate

2002 IT Tallaght
2003
2004 IT Tralee
2005 IT Blanchardstown
2006 Limerick IT
2007 IT Carlow
2008 Inchicore Institute

Bob Eustace Cup

2007 DLIADT
2008 Senior College Dun Laoghaire

B-Teams Cup

2007 Colaiste Ide
2008 DIT

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