

The A.G.M. of 'The Gleeson Cup' competition was held in the Belfield sports complex on Saturday 19th Oct. at 11 a.m. Those in attendance included:

Anne Moran, NIHE Limerick
 Seamus Rendale 'Bears' RTC
 Conor Shaw, 'Bears'
 William Despard, Kevin St
 Michael Galvin, NIHE Dublin
 Damien O'Kane, R.T.C. Athlone
 Turlough O'Brien, R.T.C. Dundalk
 Brendan Johnston, R.T.C. Dundalk

Anne Moran in opening the meeting gave an outline of the competition in previous years with particular emphasis on the collapse of the competition in the 84/85 season. It was agreed that the collapse of the competition was due to the lateness of the competition and its close proximity to exams. It was decided to commence this years competition immediately.

Election of officers

President Turlough O'Brien R.T.C. Dundalk

Hon. Secretary Brendan Johnston R.T.C. Dundalk

Committee member Tom Donegan R.T.C. Tralee

1985/6 Competition

The teams were divided into the following sections:

A	B	C	D
Parnell Sq.	Cathal Brugha St R.T.C. Athlone	Coleraine	Plassey
✓ Bolton St. ✓	✓ NIHE Dublin ✓	Jordonstown	R.T.C. Cork ✓
✓ Kevin St. ✓	✓ Rathmines ✓	R.T.C. Dundalk	R.T.C. Tralee ✓

- (a) Hon. Secretary to write to Coleraine University and Jordonstown concerning the strength of their team.
- (b) Concern was expressed at the amalgamation of Thomond College and NIHE Limerick as a combined team - Plassey R.F.C.
- (c) It was agreed that the competition be confined within reason to the colleges of Technology - the inclusion of Universities, because of their strength, would be detrimental to the spirit of the Gleeson Cup.
- (d) The inclusion of participant colleges to be reviewed annually.

Parnell sq 13
Kevin St 13
Balla St
Kevin St - Kevin St was

NOTES ON THE COMPETITION

Games to be played on a one-leg basis.
The home team to be responsible for the appointment of the official Referee. In the event of a clash of jersey colours, the home team must change. In the event of teams completing their fixtures with equal points the following rules apply;

1. The team scoring most tries goes forward.
2. If tries are equal - then aggregate score.

All results to be forwarded to the Hon. Sec.

SEMI-FINALS

Group A v Group C (Group A - home venue)

Group B v Group D (Group B - home venue)

Semi-finals are scheduled for Wednesday 12th February.

FINALS

The winners of the previous year's competition to host the finals for the incoming year. The finals to be arranged at the most convenient venue for both finalists. A meal for both teams to be provided.

Final Date: Wednesday 26th February.

Finance: Affiliation fee for the incoming year agreed - £35 per team (to be forwarded to the hon. Secretary)

A.O.E.

Anne Moran to enquire into the whereabouts of 1984/5 affiliation fee. The incoming committee to investigate the possibility of an Irish co Representation side.

Conor Smith 'Pirates', Parnell Sq.	981340
Conor Shaw 'Bears' Bolton St. College	983880
William Despard Kevin St. College	974513
Michael Galvin NIRE Dublin	325055
Damien O'Kane R.T.C. Athlone	0702-72647
Turlough O'Brien R.T.C. Dundalk	H 042-34599
Brendan Johnston R.T.C. Dundalk w	042-32368 H 042-34159
Tom Donegan R.T.C. Tralee	066 22032 or S/U office
Ann Moran Plassey Limerick	061-333644

Joss Lapsley Cole Raine
College of Commerce RATHMINES

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FIXTURES

On or before 13th Nov 1985 (1st team home team)

Parnell Sq v Bolton St

R.T.C. Athlone v N.I.H.E. Dublin

Coleraine v Jordonstown

Plassey Limerick ⁹ - ⁴ v R.T.C. Cork

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On or before 27th Nov 1985

Bolton St. v Kevin St

N.I.H.E. Dublin v College of Comm. Rathmines

R.T.C. Dundalk v Coleraine

R.T.C. Cork v R.T.C. Tralee

On or before 22nd Jan 1986

Kevin St v Parnell Sq

Jordonstown v R.T.C. Dundalk

R.T.C. Tralee v Plassey Limerick

Rathmines v R.T.C. Athlone

IMPORTANT

The home college to contact visiting colleges to agree fixture time dates.

Home team to forward results to Hon. Secretary.