



# Villa F.C. Newsletter

Villa Football Club  
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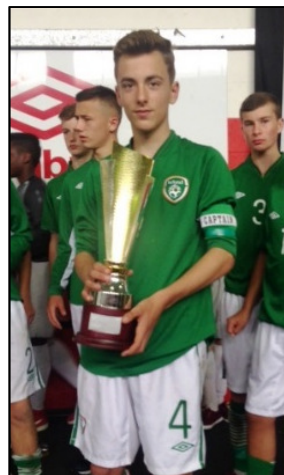


## Introduction

Welcome to Villa F.C. bi-monthly newsletter. Our newsletter will keep you informed of all the major news in the club. For regular updates on fixtures, results and other news go to our website on <http://www.villafc.yourclub.ie/> or why not follow up on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/THEVILLAFC>

## Under 15 Hibernia Cup

Villa FC were well represented at the recent Hibernia cup tournament in Dublin from Aug 15 - 17, where Lee O' Connor captained the Republic of Ireland U15 development squad and Jason Goldsmith played for Sunderland. The Republic of Ireland team won the tournament with wins over the hosts St Josephs, Sunderland and Leicester City in the group stage and they beat Wolves 4-1 in the final. Well done to Lee and Jason.



## RESPECT

Players, coaches and supporters are reminded of the Club Code of Conduct - Respect match officials and opposition players and coaches

## Junior Football News

Our two youth teams and four junior teams were all back in action since mid August.

Our Premier team have had a great start to the season winning three of their opening four games. Two premier players were also called for Oscar Traynor panel, Ian Cantwell and Eoin Ginney. Well done to the two lads.

## FAI National Draw

Please support this important fund raiser for the Club. Tickets cost €10 each. The club will receive €8.50 for every ticket sold.

Contact your team coach or committee member for your ticket now !  
Full draw details are on [www.fai.ie/national-draw.html](http://www.fai.ie/national-draw.html)

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## Waterford U'12 Development Squad 2013 - 2014

The Waterford U'12 Development Squad had a very successful time last season. They won the Munster final against neighbours Cork in the RSC and won the All Ireland title after another penalty shootout .

The boys also won our own Frank O'Byrne Tournament  
The squad competed very well in the Foyle Cup in Derry last July.



Villa were represented on this squad by Josh Kelly, Rory Furlong, Tega Agberhiere, Timi Sobowale and John Fredrick Tamen.

## Academy News

Our academy is back up and running. Great to see so many players back in Newtown enjoying themselves. A big welcome to all our new players too.

We will be organising Matches for our two older Groups over the coming weeks.

We would like to extend a warm welcome to Robbie Lannon who takes charge of the Beginners Group. Welcome aboard Robbie.



Academy is for 5-10 year olds Sat Mornings 9:30 – 10:45 **Contact:** 087-2636885

## Chia bia

Many thanks to Chia Bia for their recent generous sponsorship of a set of jerseys.



## SFAI Cup Draw

The Schoolboys FAI Cup Draws are now up online at <http://www.sfai.ie/>

## FAI Junior Cup Draw

We play Johnville away in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Round. Game to be played on 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> Sept.

## Quiz Night

We are having a Quiz night in The Cove Bar on Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct. €20 per team of 4. Come along and support your club. Some great prizes and crack guaranteed.

## Clothes Collection

We are having an old clothes collection fundraiser in November – so please start collecting now !