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Participation Officer



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About Andy and his role

What's the main focus of your role as Participation Officer?

Player retention, coach and club development.

How do you engage new players, schools, and communities with Gaelic Games?

Through regular coaching sessions, fun days and club camps and also providing as many game opportunities as possible.

What do you enjoy most about working with young people and new participants?

Their enthusiasm for the game, the chance to be creative with sessions and teach transferable skills they can use in their lives.

What's been the most rewarding project or initiative you've been involved in?

The development of an internal coach development course and couch resources with my associated clubs for players from nursery age to under 11.

How do you measure the impact of your work in growing participation?

Through consistent seasonal reviews with clubs and schools.

What's your favourite memory or moment from your time working in GAA so far?

Networking with other GPOs from other counties in Leinster during a training week in Portlaoise.

What motivates you to keep promoting Gaelic Games every day?

My passion for the GAA and hoping the game can provide all the benefits to others that it has provided to me.

What do you love most about the GAA and what it brings to communities?

The passion and pride it instills in people, being a small part of something bigger than yourself. Also, the sense of community it can provide for people especially during difficult times in people's lives.

