

## Snippets

Malachy Hogan and Jimmy Dunne won Leinster and All Ireland Under-21 medals in 1973.

Tom Ryan, former Dunnamaggin great, was their captain in 1966 and later became a household name as a trainer. His successes include - 7 All-Ireland Senior Camogie, 6 National Leagues, 5 County Senior Hurling titles (Shamrocks), 3 Leinster Club, 2 All-Ireland Club. On the field of play Tom won 4 Leinster Junior Hurling Medals and 2 All-Irelands (1951 and 1956), 1 County S.H. title (1951) with Carrickshock.

Jimmy O'Neill from Ballintee, Dunnamaggin, was the first man from the parish to win an All-Ireland medal. He won a minor award in 1936.

Dinny Treacy, Raheen, Dunnamaggin, played with Kilkenny in the last of their three epic matches to decide the winners of the 1931 All-Ireland final.

In 1961, the Near South team, including the following Dunnamaggin players - Jim "Link" Walsh, Tom Walsh and Tom Ryan were beaten in the senior county final by Freshford. Playing with Freshford that day was Tom Ryan's brother, Jim, who unfortunately died recently. That was the only time two brothers played against each other in a senior county final.

In 1951, the year before the three parish rule was introduced, four Dunnamaggin men - Dick O'Neill, Tom Ryan, Tom Walsh, Billy Treacy - won a senior county final with Carrickshock.

Jimmy Kelly (R.I.P.) from Carrickshock, who lived in Kilmoganny, was one of Kilkenny's outstanding players in their All-Ireland successes of 1939 and 1947. Mick, his son, played with Dunnamaggin at centre half-back in 1994

Paul O' Dwyer, Kells, played with Kilkenny C.B.S. in 1983 who were defeated by St. Flannan's in the All-Ireland Final.

Malachy Hogan and Jimmy Dunne played against Limerick in 1975 in a similar game to the one being played today. Also playing was Eamonn Cregan (marking Jimmy Dunne) who manages today's Limerick team.

Brothers, Jim "Link" Walsh and Davy, both won Leinster championship in the same position with different counties.