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*Invitation  
Basketball  
Tournament*

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**BASKETBALL CLUB**

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## WELCOME.

Sligo All Stars Basketball Club welcome you to the Annual G.W.I. Tournament.

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## APPRECIATION.

Very much appreciated is the kind support of G.W.I. Ltd. for their sponsorship. We thank them for their generosity.

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## ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

The organisers wish to thank every one who has contributed to the staging of the Tournament. Without their generous help we could not succeed.

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## VISITING TEAMS.

We have been fortunate in attracting many of the Country's first-class teams and we look forward to an exciting week-end of basketball which we hope you will enjoy.

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INTRODUCING OUR TEAMS

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BLUE DEMONS: One of Cork's leading teams and present holders of the G.W.I. Trophy. They have many other champions to their credit with a number of Internationals on the team.

CLADAGH SHAMROCKS: From Galway city, a team that is making strong efforts to reach the top. Took part in last season's National Cup for the first time.

CORINTHIANS: Perhaps Ireland's longest established Club but definitely one of the best and progressive in the country. With many honours over the years and Internationals on the side.

KILLESTER: The youngest team in the Tournament with lots of "know how". Have under 20's and youth internationals on their squad and hail from Dublin.

MARTIAN: A top Dublin team with lots of experience. Have several International players in their line out.

NEPTUNE: Just returned from a tour of Belgium. This well established Cork team have a lot to their credit. Their starting five will include Internationals.

POOL A

ST. VINCENT'S, DUBLIN.  
 ST. MARY'S, ATHLONE.  
 NEPTUNE, CORK.

POOL B

U.S.N. DERRY.  
 U.C.G. GALWAY.  
 MARIAN, DUBLIN.

POOL C

KILLESTER, DUBLIN.  
 SLIGO ALL STARS  
 CLADAGH SHAMROCKS, GALWAY.

POOL D

CORINTHIANS, DUBLIN.  
 ST. GALL'S, BELFAST.  
 BLUE DEMONS, CORK.

PROGRAMME Saturday Oct. 21st.

10.00 a.m.	U.S.N.	___ V	U.C.G.	___
11.00 a.m.	ST. VINCENT'S	___ V	ST. MARY'S	___
12.00 noon	ALL STARS	___ V	CLADAGH SHAMROCKS	___
1.00 p.m.	CORINTHIANS	___ V	ST. GALL'S	___
2.00 p.m.	ST. MARY'S	___ V	NEPTUNE	___
3.00 p.m.	U.S.N.	___ V	MARIAN	___
4.00 p.m.	ST. GALL'S	___ V	BLUE DEMONS	___
5.00 p.m.	KILLESTER	___ V	CLADAGH SHAMROCKS	___ +
6.00 p.m.	U.C.G.	___ V	MARIAN	___
7.00 p.m.	ST. VINCENT'S	___ V	NEPTUNE	___
8.00 p.m.	KILLESTER	___ V	SLIGO ALL STARS	___
9.00 p.m.	CORINTHIANS	___ V	BLUE DEMONS	___

PROGRAMME Sunday Oct. 22nd

10.00 a.m. Play Off 11th and 12th Place

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11.00 a.m. SEMI FINAL ONE

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12.00 noon SEMI FINAL TWO

\_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_

1.00 p.m. Play Off 9th and 10th Place

\_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_

2.00 p.m. Play Off 7th and 8th Place

\_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_

3.00 p.m. Play Off 5th and 6th Place

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4.30 p.m. TOURNAMENT FINAL

\_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_

6.00 p.m. PRESENTATION

ST. GALL'S: Newcomers to this Tournament, they come from Belfast with Ireland's tallest Senior International. Have youth Internationals as well plus experience.

ST. MARY'S: From Athlone and a leading Club in Leinster. Long established with a record of many Honours and Internationals over the years.

ST. VINCENT'S: Ireland's National Cup holders and No. 1 team for the past four years. Every team member is an International with overseas experience.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE GALWAY(U.C.G.): The top team in the city and Connacht Junior League holders last season.

UNITED STATES NAVY (U.S.N.): Visiting us from the U.S. Naval Base in Derry with all their players coming from several different States. Each year they bring a different team but always display attractive Basketball.

SLIGO ALL STARS: The Tournament's "Home Team" and placed No. 2 in Ireland's National Cup. Have several Tournament victories and many International players.

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## RULES IN BRIEF.

1. A basketball team consists of five players on court plus a maximum of seven substitutes. A team is allowed an unlimited number of substitutions during the game.

2. Basketball is essentially a no-contact game. A player who makes personal contact with an opponent commits a foul. If a player commits five fouls he must leave the game.

3. A basket scored from play counts as two points.

4. A player who is fouled in the act of shooting is awarded two free-throws. A basket scored from a free-throw counts as one point.

5. During the last three minutes of play of the second half and during all periods of extra time all personal fouls shall be considered as committed on a player who is throwing for goal. The offended team has the choice of either attempting the two free-throws or of putting the ball in play from out of bounds at the half way line.

6. When moving with the ball a player must bounce it continually. This is called dribbling the ball. When a player completes his dribble he must pass or shoot. He must not start a second dribble. It is illegal to dribble with both hands.

7. Having completed a dribble a player may only move by pivoting on his rear foot.

8. Each team is allowed two time-outs in each half plus one time-out in each period of extra time. A time-out is taken by a team so that it can receive instructions from its coach.

9. During the last three minutes of play and during all periods of extra time the attacking team must bring the ball to its front-court within 10 seconds from the moment it has got possession of the ball in the court. Having brought the ball into its front court the same team cannot cause the ball to return to its back-court.

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