

Sean Tobin selected on Irish Junior Cross Country Team

News came through today that Sean Tobin has been selected on the Irish Junior Team for the upcoming European Junior Cross Country Championships in Velenje, Slovenia on December 11th. This is a tremendous honour for Sean who has shown great dedication and enthusiasm to the Sport from an early age.

Last Sunday Sean ran a brilliant race when finishing 3rd overall in the combined Under 18 and Junior Men's race at the All Ireland Cross Country Championships in Sligo racecourse on his way to win the Under 18 All Ireland Cross Country title very convincingly. . He was just edged out of the 2nd automatic place close to the line.

Earlier this year, January, in Tullamore he won the Under 17 All Ireland Cross Country title. Then on August 28th Sean ran the proverbial blinder when finishing a very close 4th in the European Youth Olympics 3000m Track final in Trabazon, Turkey in 8 mins 29.91 secs, a Personal Best. Two weeks ago he ran in the McCain's Invitational Cross Country race in Bristol in the Men's under 20 race where he finished a very creditable 9th in 25 mins 7 secs.

Sean is a great ambassador for the Sport and Club and he has encouraged many an athlete to join Clonmel Athletic Club.

Club Chairman, Albert Doyle said that it was a fantastic achievement and he like everyone else in the Club were delighted for Sean and that it couldn't happen to a nicer person.