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St Clarets GFC: How long must we sing this song?

Why Comer came back

McMahon tied up

Claretian David McMahon is being lauded across the GAA for what has been described as his Beck-hamesque approach to fashion.



Ties up: McMahon above and below

The Clare native is burning a trail through the fashion world with his unorthodox approach to business attire.

Fashion followers are said to be "blown away" by the obvious disdain he displays for convention, and are said to be eagerly awaiting his autumn collection.

Meanwhile, club chairman John Kelly is in discussions with McMahon with regards to the club's new range of formal wear, which is expected to include McMahon's by now trademark head tie.



This week *The Claretian Echo* can exclusively reveal the exact whereabouts of defender Niall Comer over the past twelve months.

In 2012 he was spotted being chased by bears in Romania, working as a cleaner in a flat in Mallorca, seeking work as an extra in an adult film and drifting aimlessly at sea in the Atlantic.

However, *The Echo* can now announce that all those sightings were merely a body double he had employed.

Following an anonymous phone call from a Claretian who has recently spent some time Down Under, *The Echo* has meticulously pieced together the past twelve months of Comer's life.

According to the source, Comer rented a small farm in Oz, so remote that he would only see the postman once a month.



Bruce the night that Niall Comer left town



Niall Comer: very glad to be back with the St Clarets

For the first ten months, Niall enjoyed absolute peace and quiet, but towards the end of this period of isolation, a stranger knocked on his door.

When Niall opened it, there was a huge, bearded man standing there.

"Name's Bruce, your neighbour from forty miles up the road. Having a party Friday night. Thought you might like to come" the man said.

"Great" replied a delighted Comer. "After ten months out here, I'm ready for a night out."

As Bruce was leaving, he stopped. "Gotta warn you. Be some drinkin!".

"Not a problem" said Niall. "I play for St Clarets, I can drink with the best of them."

Again, the man

started to leave and stopped: "More 'n' likely gonna be some fightin' too."

"Well, I can handle myself pretty well. Like I say, I play for St Clarets, we can go toe-to-toe with the best of them" Comer replied confidently.

"More'n likely be some wild sex, too" Bruce added.

"Now that's really not a problem" said Comer, warming to the idea. "Us Claretians are known for our way with the ladies" Niall added with an excited grin on his face. "By the way, what should I wear?" the ever image conscious Claretian enquired.

"Don't much matter. Just gonna be the two of us." Bruce announced before leaving.

Comer has denied attending the party, although a picture of Bruce which appeared in the local *Woolloomooloo Times* the following week suggest that Bruce did not party alone that night.