

The Claretian Echo



The Echo: There are lies and there are Echo lies. There is a difference.

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“ It’s easy to believe a lie..... but hard to accept the truth ”

“Too clean” Killeen Echo-sposed



Frustrated journalists at *The Echo* have taken the unprecedented step of exposing a Claretian player for being too squeaky clean.

Following investigations into the private life of Sean Killeen, senior figures at *The Echo* have decided they have gathered enough evidence to warrant calling in the authorities.

It has become apparent during a period of intense scrutiny that Killeen is just too clean to be true. A Facebook account, believed to belong to the Daniel O’Donnell wanna-be, is at the centre of the investigation.



Sean does Daniel O’Donnell

The account has been forensically examined and after the findings were revealed to *Echo* staff, several were given extended periods of compassionate leave in order to help them cope with post-trauma related illnesses. One insider at *The Echo* told this reporter: “I’ve



Family guy: Sean’s just too good to be true

been doing this gig a long time, and I’ve come across some pretty freaky stuff, but that’s the cleanest Facebook account ever.

“We examined 941 images in Sean’s personal files and there wasn’t one single picture we could use in *The Echo*. That’s just twisted. People like Killeen deserve to be locked up. They make me sick” he concluded angrily.

Count yourself lucky



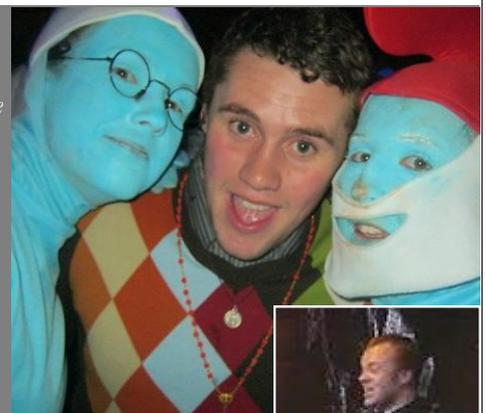
Dracula-loving Luke Kelly (above) has defended his actions following his recent sending-off for “nibbling at an opponent’s ankle”. He told *The Echo*: “The bloke’s lucky it was still daylight. If it was any darker, I’d have had a proper chunk of him.”

Diamond Geezer

Having been completely ignored by *The Echo* since his arrival in London, tenacious defender Niall Quinn has followed the lead of Darren Mallon and decided to take the snazzy knitwear approach to super-stardom.

Unable to find a suitably loud jumper in a store, Quinn took to the internet and won an on-line “stars and their bras” auction to purchase one of the diamond-patterned jumpers worn by Graham Norton during his time as Fr Noel Furlong on the TV show *Fr Ted*.

What Quinn didn’t realise was that the jumper came along with a complimentary pair of Smurf ear-muffs.



Quinn and Norton dazzle in the jumper



Ah well, at least he won’t get cold waiting for Offaly to win another All Ireland in football or hurling or camogie!