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"What happens is fact, not truth. Truth is what we think about what happen "

Swapping pints for points



Kelly saving St Clarets

John Kelly has vowed to turn the fortunes of the senior team around by imposing a booze ban.

In a desperate bid to get a head start on the competition, Kelly has been spotted scouring the pubs of north London, consuming any and all alcoholic beverages. It has even been rumoured that the Galway man stormed into the Kilkenny hurlers' banquet last Saturday night and emptied the contents of the Liam McCarthy, just as legend Henry Shefflin was about to take a sip.

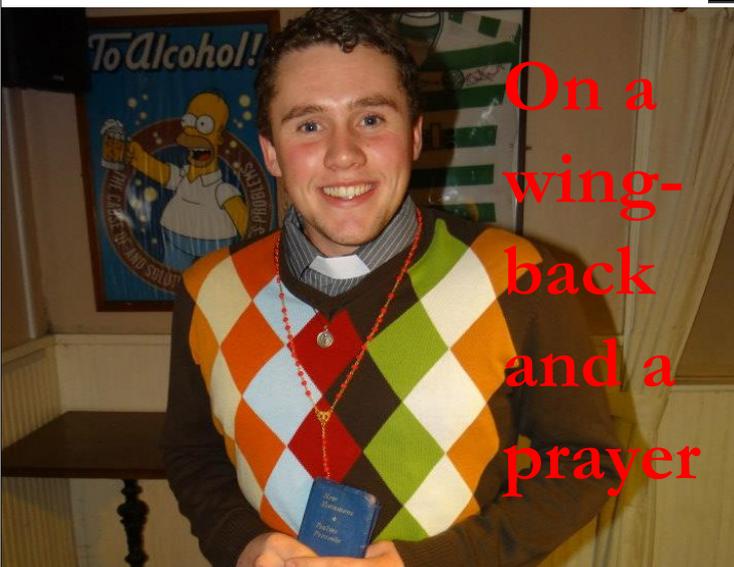
However, security at the hotel insist that Kelly's antics had the blessing of the team, as they felt it was the closest any Galway man was going to get to the cup in years.

Meanwhile, Eamonn Hughes is said to have volunteered to help Kelly "drink this town dry" ... although that would kind of defeat the purpose of the policy in the first place.



Eamonn Hughes: prepared to take one (or more) for the team

Following on from the success of the no-alcohol policy employed by the club's under-12s in 2014, chairman



On a wing-back and a prayer

The mystery of the whereabouts of Niall Quinn has been solved.... He's working as a missionary in Africa. Wing back Quinn (above) was last spotted going on a solo-run up the left wing in Greenford last July, and hasn't been heard from since.



Icely does it

Following what has been described as a "few too many lager-fuelled nights on the pull", Sean Killeen has decided to stop drinking, hoping it will help him pull what he describes as a "better class of bird."

Speaking to *The Echo*, Killeen (above) said: "Let's face it, the beer goggles weren't working for me. I was starting to scare myself, so I've traded them in for something cooler..... ice cream glasses."