



Freshford Area CE Scheme



#CES-2439330



TULLAROAN GAA CLUB, Curragh, Tullaroan,
Co. Kilkenny, R95 E0XR



No of positions : 1



Community Employment Programme



19.5 hours per week



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20/03/2026



01/05/2026

How to register your interest

To register your interest, take note of the scheme reference number and contact an Employment Personal Advisor (EPA) in your [local Intreo Office](#)



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Caretaker/Groundsworker

Application Details

Eligibility to participate on CE is generally linked to those who are 21 years or over and in receipt of a qualifying social welfare payment for 1 year or more or 18 years and over for certain disadvantaged groups. Your eligibility will have to be verified by the Department.

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Job Description

Duties

This is a developmental opportunity, no experience necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career.

The Caretaker / Groundskeeper is responsible for the maintenance, safety, and presentation of the club's pitches, grounds, and facilities, ensuring they are kept to a high standard for training, matches, and club events.

Key Responsibilities

Pitch & Grounds Maintenance

Maintain all playing pitches and training areas (mowing, lining, rolling, aeration, basic turf repair)

Monitor pitch conditions and report issues such as drainage or wear

Assist in determining pitch playability in adverse weather

Maintain surrounding grounds, walkways, and car parks

Match & Training Preparation

Prepare pitches for matches and training sessions

Erect and remove goals, nets, flags, padding, and other equipment

Ensure pitches are correctly marked for football, hurling, and other club activities

Facilities & Clubhouse Care

Open and close clubhouse and grounds as required

Clean and maintain dressing rooms, toilets, showers, and common areas

Carry out minor repairs and maintenance (where competent)

Monitor heating, lighting, water, and electrical systems and report faults

Health & Safety

Ensure all facilities are safe for players, officials, members, and visitors

Identify and report hazards or maintenance issues to the club committee

Assist the club in meeting health and safety standards

Equipment & Security

Maintain and store equipment securely

Act as keyholder for club facilities (where required)

Ensure grounds and buildings are secured after use

Communication & Support

Liaise with club officers, coaches, and committee members

Support referees and visiting teams on match days

Assist with preparation and clean-up for club events

Skills & Attributes

Practical knowledge of pitch and grounds maintenance

Ability to work independently and take initiative

Strong sense of responsibility and attention to detail

Good communication and reliability

Flexible availability, including evenings and weekends

Reporting To

Club Executive / Grounds Committee

- **Sector:** other service activities