

Last Sunday March 21<sup>st</sup> Club 4Ball qualifier saw a record number of players tee it up for this most popular of golf formats. With only 24 teams to qualify for the matchplay, competition for places was tight with only one team making the cut on 37 points and that only because the top qualifier is not available for the matchplay because Smurf has obtained a job overseas, we wish him good luck with it and are sorry to see him go. Young guns Jordan Nally & Dylan Beirne were 2<sup>nd</sup> on 45 points and 3<sup>rd</sup> also with 45 Donal Hanly & John Gallagher. . Some notable preliminary round ties, father & son combinations Mossie & Tom Martin V Noel & Jack Sharkey, Elphin heads Duval & Owen Caulfield V Brian Oates & Atty Hynes, Loftus & Loftus V King & King father & son Dara & Colm V brothers Jim & Pat

<b>Keith Murphy &amp; Jimmy Cassidy (unable to play in matchplay)</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>1. Jordan Nally &amp; Dylan Beirne</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>2. Donal Hanly &amp; John Gallagher</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>3. John McGuinn &amp; Niall McGreevy</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>4. Jason &amp; Niall Loftus</b>	<b>43</b>
<b>5. Padraic O'Dowd &amp; Aiden Sheerin</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>6. Aidan Farrell &amp; Dara Carey</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>7. Sean Bohan &amp; Keith Duignan</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>8. Chris Lowe &amp; Albert Hogg</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>9. Colm &amp; Dara Loftus</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>10. PJ &amp; Shane Sharkey</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>11. Duval McLoughlin &amp; Owen Caulfield</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>12. Noel &amp; Jack Sharkey</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>13. Joey Casey &amp; Des Beirne</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>14. Paul Anderson &amp; Mick Moran</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>15. Tommy Mulvey &amp; Kieran Green</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>16. Tommy Aherne &amp; Declan Loftus</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>17. John Coffey &amp; Shane Kelly</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>18. Paul O'Brien &amp; Gordon Kavanagh</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>19. Sean Heslin &amp; Shane Loftus</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>20. Colm Griffin &amp; Paddy Duffy</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>21. Mossie &amp; Tom Martin</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>22. Atty Hynes &amp; Brian Oates</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>23. Denis Flynn &amp; Jim Newcombe</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>24. Pat &amp; Jim King</b>	<b>37</b>

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John McCarthy & Sean Murray	37
Andy Connellan & Adrian Beirne	37
David McDermott & Fiachra Neary	37

Peter Maye & Oliver Curran	36
Tommy Flynn & Leo Mulvey	36
Peter Burke & Michael Duignan	36
Owen Gibney & Peadar Griffin	36
Alan Ffrench & Andrew Creighton	35
Michael Masterson & Seamus Sheeran	35
Pat Conlisk & Mickey Foley	35
Frank McGrath & Johnny Martin	34
Tom Daly & Sean Gilmartin	34
Hugh Bracken & James Connors	34
Bearach Doherty & Kieran Oates	33
John Crowe & John Glancy	33
Niall & Seamus Sweeney	33
David Taylor & Joe Bruen	32
Michael Gallagher & Martin Talbot	32
John Moffatt & George Martyn	32
Francis Casserly & Ted Hester	30
Alan Burke & Mickey Martin	24