

# Breaking news: Scotland under-20s coach concern at player conditioning and Italy threat after Six Nations wooden spoon – The Scotsman

The 59-5 thumping to Grand Slam winners Ireland in Cork on Sunday exposed the gulf there is between the sides and was Scotland's fifth loss in five games. Since a fifth-place finish at the World Championship in 2017, Scotland have won five and lost 30 games at this level as well as being relegated from the World Championship. Sign up to our daily newsletter The i newsletter cut through the noise The world has changed for us all since March 23, 2020, because of the pandemic and for young sporting talent it has been a tricky time, but whatever way you dress it up, results do not lie. Head Coach Kenny Murray during Scotland under 20's training. (Photo by Mark Scates / SNS Group) As well as Ireland winning five games

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