

Minutes of the meeting of Dyffryn Cennen Community Council held on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 at Capel Tabernacl Festri , Ffairfach.

**Present:** Councillor D. Beynon in the chair

**Councillors:** P. Thomas, J. Jenkins, T. Amery, D. Saunders, L. Griffiths, B. Davies, County Councillor E. Thomas  
Councillor D. Greenish and Councillor D. Davies joined the meeting via the APP

**Apologies:** Councillor L. Durgan,

**3169 - MINUTES**

Minutes were accepted as correct.

**3170 – Public Question Time**

No one present.

**3171 – Issues for the PCSO**

Virtual meetings are now being held.

**3172 – Issues for the County Councillor**

(a) Culvert issues up the road from Maesifan

(b) Flooding problems were discussed at the last meeting and they are on going. SWTRA and CCC are involved. There is a problem with cracking water pipes in the field nearby.

(c) SWTRA cut the hedge by the bus stop at the top of Heol Cennen, passengers can't see if the bus is approaching.

(d) Tree planting was being organised in Tregib Woods.

(e) Mr Stuart Quick had not contacted Councillor Saunders, this would be sorted.

(f) The bus shelter outside Wynnstay had been removed, is it being replaced?

(g) Water running down the road near Maesevan Fach, either drain or gutter is blocked

(h) Potholes continue to be an issue near Hengrofft

(i) There had been disturbances at Ffairfach Play Area, noise and activity is worrying vulnerable senior citizen and those in Railway Terrace. Llandeilo and Ffairfach are not getting the level of policing it needs. These issues had been reported to the police.

(j) A meeting was being held at the White Hart, Llandeilo on the 15<sup>th</sup> of February and the Rural Affairs Cabinet Member will be attending to discuss the Bute Energy wind turbine plans.

### **3173 – Finance**

Following cheques were presented and resolved to be paid:

Clerks Wages	£240.00 cheque No. 001988
HMRC	£ 60.00 cheque No. 001989

### **Financial and Governance Tool Kit**

Copies of information to be completed to be sent to everyone.

### **Training Template**

It was discussed that everyone to attend Code of Conduct training.

### **Donations to local organisations:**

Councillor Pat Thomas had completed a report of every application and copies given to everyone present. The donations were agreed as follows:

Declaration of Interest – Llandyfan Church – Councillor D. Saunders	
Llandyfan Church	£125.00 cheque No. 001990
Declaration of Interest – Trap W.I. – Councillor P.Thomas	
Trap WI	£125.00 cheque No. 001991
Declaration of interest – Ysgol Feithrin Ffairfach – Councillor D. Beynon	
Ysgol Feithrin Ffairfach	£125.00 cheque No. 001992
Llandeilo Y.F.C.	£125.00 cheque No. 001993
Declaration of interest – Llandeilo Show – Councillor J. Jenkins	
Llandeilo Show	£125.00 cheque No. 001994
Declaration of interest – Trap Agri. Show – Councillors P. Thomas & D. Saunders	
Trap Agricultural Show	£125.00 cheque No. 001995
Declaration of interest – Llandeilo Spots Assoc. - County Councillor E. Thomas	
Llandeilo Sports Association	£125.00 cheque No. 01996
Declaration of Interest – Capel Tabernacl – Councillor L. Griffiths	
Capel Tabernacl	£125.00 cheque No, 001997
Urdd Blaenau Tywi	£125.00 cheque No. 001998
Pwyllgor Apel Eisteddfod Llandoverly	cheque cancelled 001999
Wales Air Ambulance	£200.00 cheque No. 002000
Carmarthen Y.F.C.	£ 50.00 cheque No. 002001
Y Lloffwr	£ 50.00 cheque No. 002002
Cerebral Palsy Wales	£ 25.00 cheque No. 002003

Following cheques were also resolved to be paid:

Computers Don't Byte	£205.97 cheque No. 002004
Ford Gron Llandeilo (Christmas sleigh)	£100.00 cheque No. 002005
Ysgol Gynradd Ffairfach (Choir)	£100.00 cheque No. 002006
Trap Community Association (refreshments)	£100.00 cheque No. 002007
Eisteddfod Llandoverly 2023 replacement cheque	£125.00 cheque No. 002008

### **3174 – to consider matters relating to Footpaths**

Brecon Beacons National Park – Path Diversion Order for Footpath No. 10 and Footpath No. 14 – Accepted.

### **3175 – To consider planning matters**

Cornerstone 12706321 – Proposed Base Station installation – Plasbach Farm, Ffairfach

Brecon Beacons 2/20881/FUL – Tregib Mill, Bethlehem – permission granted

Carmarthenshire County Council – PL/05353 – Formation of new cycle path between Ysgol Bro Dinefwr and Nantgaredig

No comments/issues

**3176 – Correspondence**

(a) Buckingham Palace Garden Party - nominations

It was discussed and agreed to nominate the chairman

(b) OVW – climate change survey

(c) Carmarthen Area Committee meeting

(d) OVW – building resilient places for nature

(e) OVW - Carbon literacy training

(f) CHC will be replaced by LLAIS

(g) OVW – defibrillator census

(h) CCC – latest news

(i) National Woodlands Liaison Officer

**3177 – Member’s Reports and Issues**

Defibrillator Training was being held on 23rd February, posters were either given or would be sent by email. Organisations/business to contact were discussed. The next training session would be held at Hen Ysgol Trap.

The Trap Fun Run would be held on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in May, the Community Council agreed to donate the medals.

The Clerk asked if the Annual General Meeting could be held 17<sup>th</sup> of May instead of the 10<sup>th</sup>, this was agreed.

The next meeting will be held at Capel Tabernacl and from April until July C.FF.I. Ffairfach.

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Chairman  
8<sup>th</sup> March, 2023