

Cofnodion Cyngor Bro Trelech a'r Betws Community Council Minutes

The meeting was held at Alma Community Centre on Monday evening the 13th of May 2024 at 8.40pm.

Councillors present: Andrew Jones(Chair), Alyson Harries, John Phillips, Derrick Harries, Ambrose Lewis, Eirian Howells, Dyfed Davies & Arwyn Jones

Recording minutes: Liza Jones (Clerk)

1. Apologies : Apologies were received from Ann Sillars, Linda Davies & County Councillor Jean Lewis

2. Chairman's Comments:

Andrew Jones thanked all for attending.

3. Declaration of Interests:

None were noted.

4. To confirm minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on the 4th of March 2024 had been circulated prior to the meeting. They were agreed and signed as a true record.

5. To discuss matters arising from the minutes

- Councillor Linda Davies had accepted her nomination to be the representative on Hafodwenog Schools' Governing Body.
- The clerk had requested confirmation from Carmarthenshire County Council who's responsibility was the fence at the lay by near Bronllan. The clerk had not received a response. In the meantime it was ascertained that the fence had been originally installed by the County Council. The clerk would follow up on this matter.
- The clerk had received information from Carmarthenshire County Council on how to proceed with the track leading to Rhoscrugebolion past Lleine. The clerk would commence work on this shortly.
- The clerk had received an email from Carmarthenshire County Council regarding the proposed works at Clunfelyn. The latest update was that due to the expense involved, the Council proposed to either build a bridging section or to divert the path. Their preferred choice was to divert the path and were in discussions with the landowner regarding this.
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6. Correspondence

- a. Carmarthenshire County Council had sent the annual invoice for the electricity and maintenance costs of the street lighting, It was agreed to pay the £843.71 due.
- b. The membership renewal from One Voice Wales for £130 was approved.
- c. Emails noting road closures received from Carmarthenshire County Council had been forwarded to all.
- d. DMB Davies, the Internal Auditors had sent an invoice for £384 following the completion of the 2023-2024 accounts. It was agreed to pay.

7. Planning Applications:

PL/07699 – Proposed Remodelling of existing farmhouse (following refusal of previous application) @ Pantyberth, Trelech, SA33 6RX

8. Financial Report – Business Current Account £1,128.63

9. Any Other Business

- The clerk noted her frustration that despite emailing the County Council regarding various issues such as highways, planning, etc, no response would be received. Councillors agreed that the concerns should be raised with the County Council and with One Voice Wales.
- The Chairman noted the recent success the local Young Farmers Club had received in the County Rally. The Senior Team had won the Rally, with the Junior team placed third. A note of congratulation would be sent.

There being no other business the Chairman thanked all present and closed the meeting at 9.30pm.

The next meeting will be held on the 1st of July 2024.