

# LLANGYNWYD MIDDLE COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNEDOL LLANGYNWYD CANOLOG



## Minutes of the Ordinary Full Council Meeting Llangynwyd Village Hall Monday June 9<sup>th</sup> 2014

### Members Present

Cllr D Berry (Chairperson)  
Cllr D Jones  
Cllr R M James  
Cllr C Griffiths  
Cllr M Griffith Jones  
Cllr D Morgan  
Cllr L Morgan  
Cllr G Davies MBE

**Clerk:** Mrs N Morgan

The Meeting commenced at 6.30pm and was chaired by Councillor D Berry.

### 37.15 Apologies for Absence

Councillors Williams and Councillor Guscott sent their apologies. Councillor Sasiruban was not in attendance.

### 38.15 Declarations of Interest (in accordance with S51 Local Government Act 2000)

<b>Councillor I Williams</b>	Cwmfelin School Maesteg Comprehensive School Maesteg Town Council Maesteg Celtic RFC
<b>Councillor E Guscott</b>	Cwmfelin Primary School Llangynwyd Primary School
<b>Councillor M James</b>	Bridgend CBC Planning Matters Llangynwyd Village Hall Ysgol Gyfun Llangynwyd
<b>Councillor D Jones</b>	Llangynwyd Rangers
<b>Councillor P Sasiruban</b>	Village Hall

### **39.15 Ratification of Minutes of May 2014 Meeting**

Resolved: The minutes were a true recording of proceedings. Proposed by Councillor James and seconded by Councillor Jones.

### **40.15 Matters Arising from the Minutes**

Councillor James advised the Council the ongoing issues regarding the playing fields were still being discussed at Bridgend County Borough Council and there were proposals to arrange a meeting with both parties and their respective Councillors to discuss the matter further.

### **41.15 Police Matters**

- Anti social behaviour Heol Cadrawd
- Theft of vehicle Maiden Street
- Damage to property Heol Llwyn Dyrus
- Theft from property Parc Tyn y Waun
- Drugs Raid Station Road
- Dangerous driving Cwmfelin Primary School

It was noted that there was a Speed Partnership van located outside Llangynwyd Comprehensive School between 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> May in which 17 vehicles were caught exceeding the speed limit. These will be dealt with by a fixed penalty notice or speed awareness course as this is currently a Pact priority.

### **42.15 Correspondence**

All matters of correspondence were duly noted. The War Memorial plaque cenotaph was discussed and it was agreed a cenotaph would be preferable to a plaque and it could possibly be placed in the grounds of the Village Hall. The Clerk to obtain prices and research possibly grants.

### **43.15 Planning**

There were no objections to the planning applications.

### **44.15 Summer Event**

An events meeting was held prior to the commencement of the Ordinary General Meeting in which the main entertainment for the event was discussed. The Clerk to confirm all stall holders and

entertainments, positions on cancellation policies, liaise with the opening of the pavilion etc. Another events meeting to be held on June 27<sup>th</sup> at 10am.

#### **45.15 Public Participation**

There were no members of the public in attendance.

#### **46.15 Rights of Way**

Councillor James advised Footpath 38 was still a mess and would cost £250 to put right. Bridgend County Borough Council has requested the community council make a donation to repairing the same. This matter discussed and it was agreed to pay half the costs. The Clerk to liaise with Councillor James in this regard.

**Councillor D Jones advised the grass at footpath 24 has been cut.**

Amended – September 8<sup>th</sup> 2014: Councillor D Morgan advised the grass at footpath 24 has been cut.

#### **47.15 Crossing**

The Clerk advised the Council that an applicant was successful in applying for the crossing patrol position outside Cwmfelin School. The post is subject to various checks etc but it is hopeful the applicant will be in place by the start of the new school year in September.

Talks have been held with regards the possibility of placing a crossing at Llan Village Square as the proposed crossing outside Cwmfelin School was rejected. It would appear Bridgend County Borough Council would approve the site however the Clerk to contact Tony Godsall in this regard to obtain cost estimates etc.

#### **48.15 Safety Railing**

The Clerk advised she had spoken with Bridgend Council and the railings had been ordered and should be fitted shortly.

#### **49.15 Replacement Councillor**

Councillor Les Jones advised he would not be returning to his position on the Council. The Clerk therefore to advertise the position and should there be no candidates after 28 days the position could be eligible for co option.

#### **50.15 Litter Bins**

Councillor James advised he was meeting with John Clarke of Bridgend Council with regards the litter bins on June 10<sup>th</sup> so hopefully progress can be made imminently.

## **51.15 Heritage Signs**

Councillor Berry advised he had spoken with the contractors and the signs are in the process of being made.

## **52.15 Ysgol Gyfun Llangynwyd**

Councillor James advised the school were turning the fields into vegetable plots and inmates of HMP Parc were also taking part. It was noted the community council provide Maesteg Comprehensive with an annual donation of £50 for a green award to be presented and Councillor James asked the Council if the same could be done for Ysgol Gyfun Llangynwyd and it was unanimously agreed.

The Clerk to obtain the contact details from Councillor James in this matter.

## **53.15 Members Reports**

Councillor James raised the point of grass cutting at properties belonging to Valleys to Coast. Nicola has been provided with a list of those properties Valleys to Coast cut the grass for as those properties being cut by Valleys to Coast will not then have their grass cut by the community council.

## **54.15 Finance and Accounts**

The financial records were put before the Council. They were approved by Councillor Davies and seconded by Councillor James.

## **56.15 Items for the July 2014 Meeting**

- Rights of Way
- Heritage Signs
- Audit
- Replacement Councillor
- Crossing
- Litter Bins
- Safety Railing
- Summer Event
- Tree Cutting

**19.15 Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting is to be held at 6:30pm on Monday July 14<sup>th</sup> 2014 at Llangynwyd Village Hall.

The meeting closed at 7:30pm

**Signature of Chairman** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Chairman in print** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_