

Betws-y-Coed Community Council  
Minutes of the Virtual Meeting held on the 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Present – Gareth Wynne Chairman, Gwawr Jones, Neil Pringle, Janet Charlton, Mari E M Mathews, Catherine Williams, Cllr Elizabeth Roberts, Caerwyn Roberts, Clerk.

Apologies, Catherine Williams

Declaration of interest. No declaration of interest

Election of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson

Resolved unanimously to elect Gareth Wynne as Chairman and Gwawr Jones as Vice Chairperson.

Resignation. Noted the resignation of Dyfed Jones, Rhoslan, Pentre Du. Clerk to arrange to display vacancy.

Minutes of the meeting of the 4<sup>th</sup> May 2021, read and approved.

Matters Arising

[1] Police Matters

No Police presence.

[1.1] Proposed Footbridge upstream from Pont-y-Pair

Noted that a meeting with CADW will be arranged once covid restrictions allow.

[1.2] Management of Cae Llan / Proposed Services

The clerk explained that discussions had taken place with the electricity company Jones & Whitehead regarding the provision of electricity to the field. The company were advising however that as alternative electricity could be provided as and when necessary.

[1.3] Conwy CBC Sustainable Services

Noted that the matter was ongoing

[1.4] Miners Bridge

The clerk reported that Conwy CBC was advising that the new bridge should be in place by September 2021.

[1.5] CCTV Pentre Du

Noted that the matter had been delayed due to coronavirus restrictions.

[1.6] Climber & Rambler Empty Shop

Cllr Elizabeth Roberts explained that no response had been received from SNPA regarding the loose slates on the roof and that the estate agent responsible for the sale of the property was trying to establish responsibility for the building's maintenance.

[1.7] Repairs Memorial Hall

The clerk reported that along with the chairman, a meeting with Conwy CBC was being arranged to discuss options

[1.8] Skip Services

Noted that the skip service will be at the far end of Station Road on the 30<sup>th</sup> June and on the grassed triangle at Pentre Du on the 20<sup>th</sup> July.

[1.9] Affordable Housing /Cartrefi Conwy

Clerk to contact Cartrefi Conwy to seek a copy of the Housing Association's housing policy.

[2] Minature Railway Café

In the absence of any response from Conwy CBC, clerk to write to Environmental Health officer Bethan Lloyd .

[2.1] Parking Issues Bro Gethin, Pentre Du

The clerk explained that along with the Vice Chairperson Gwawr Jones they had met with representatives of Cartrefi Conwy /Cllr Elizabeth Roberts and tenants regarding lack of parking spaces on the estate. Resolved to wait for the Housing Association's recommendations regarding the matter.

[2.2] SNPA Parking Consultation.

Noted that SNPA was arranging a webinar in the near future.

[2.3] Local Signage

The clerk reported that SNPA was arranging to new signage within the village and also a new gate at the bottom of Cae Llan. The signage will be subject to planning approval.

Main Agenda

[2.4] Financial Matters

- [a] Resolved to approve the receipts and payments for the period 1<sup>st</sup> -31<sup>st</sup> May 2021
- [b] Noted that Swallow Falls had now reopened following the coronavirus restrictions

[2.5] New Member

Resolved to invite Mrs Bethan Thomas, as a co-opted member of the Community Council

[2.6] Bench Seats Cae Llan

Noted that the several benches were in poor condition, and that the litter bins were in need of cleaning. Clerk to arrange replacement benches etc.

Gareth Wynne Chairman. \_\_\_\_\_