

Llanfihangel y Pennant Community Council held at Y Ganolfan Abergynolwyn on Monday 13th November at 7 p.m.

Present: Vice Chair E Evans H E Thompson, Gareth Evans, Steve Lewis, Wendy Whitby, Gwynedd Councillor Beth Lawton and Clerk Eileen Jones. One from the public.

Apologies Chair Eleri Puw,(another meeting) Cllr R D Jones (another meeting).

Declaration of Interest: Cllr Elwyn Evans and Cllr W Whitby on no 3

All were welcomed by Vice Chair Elwyn Evans

October minutes were accepted but for one mistake, Gwynedd Councillor Beth Lawton is on the Standards Committee for Gwynedd and not the Chair. Minutes were signed by the Chair.

Play Area: It was passed to pay B Shellis for the work carried out on the slide. All were happy with the work. This expenditure to come from the reserves as it was urgent. A prepayment invoice was received from Genesis re the notice for play area, again this expenditure to come from reserves due to new picnic tables given to the play area All were happy to pay.

Cemetery: (a) The Manager of crematorium of Gwynedd Council enquired if we had cemeteries. It was an enquiry re charges for burial of under 18 year olds. (b) a letter was received from Bro Ystumanner Ministry Area, by the Rev. Janet Fletcher asking permission to place two notices on the outer wall of the lynchgate, this to welcome visitors to the St Michael's church. This was discussed and in principal was agreed, provided that permission was had from CADW, Community Council kept informed re design, size and location and assurances re damage to wall. The financial donation to be considered at a later date, when cost will be known. It was agreed to forward a letter of support to be sent to the Bishop of Bangor and Diocesan Council to keep the Church small and beautiful and open.

Paths: A report was given by Cllr Gareth Evans and Emrys Thompson regarding a meeting at the Maesymeillion path, at the time being in the care of Cartrefi Cymunedol Gwynedd. CCG want rid of the path. Length of path is from Siop y Cwrt to D A Jones's field. Historically it's a postman's or fisherman's path. It was discussed and the Councillors were in unison to take over the path and keep for the future, but firstly we must receive head of terms from CCG. It was proposed by Cllr Whitby and seconded by Cllr E Thompson. Gwynedd Council working on Path 13, plus a gate.

Gwynedd Councillor report: A promise was made by Gwynedd Council that the weeds near kerbs would be seen to. Side of kerbs to be brushed and roundup sprayed on the weeds. Cllr Lawton asked for the general feelings of the Councillors regarding the the lifting of Section 157 on local empty properties. This to help her if the suggestion would be put to her as a Gwynedd Councillor. It was asked of Cllr Lawton to follow up the promise by Gwynedd Council to blitz the rats during November throughout the village Our Thanks to Cllr Beth Lawton.

One Voice Wales: A full report was given by Cllr Elwyn Evans from the local meeting and the annual conference. The message given by Betsi Cadwaladr Health Board was for all to keep well due to finances and lack of doctors. One Voice Wales had not received an answer to their letter re the speeding at Abergynolwyn. The annual fees will go up 5%. Our thanks to Cllr Evans.

Salt Bins: The Clerk had been checking the salt bins in our area. Sion Wilkes from the Highways has promised a new bin on Ty Mawr road and also to relocate.

Ty Bont, Abergynolwyn: A complaint was received, regarding a bush / tree on Mr Mitchel's land , not allowing a driver coming from Tywyn to see clearly. It was passed to write a letter to ask if he could cut it back.

Bronygader: Complaints were received regarding the new lights, they are not lighting the area as before. A petition received by the residents was forwarded by a letter of support to Gwynedd Council.

Cyngor Gwynedd: It was noted that the wall had been rebuilt near Cedris bridge.

External Audit: No further news.

Gwynedd Council: Election invoice received and it was passed to pay it.

Boundary Commission for Wales: The 2018 Review of Parliamentary Constituencies in Wales revised Proposals – see www.bcomm-wales.gov.uk

Apple Trees: The Talyllyn Railway are willing to plant the trees on their land.

It is noted that the following areas have not had full attention – near Pengarreg, Ty'n Ffordd – Llanllwyda – Tynybryn-Pontygarth

Payments:	BRShellis	slide	£516.00	cheque 912
	Genesis	notice	67.50	913
	Gwynedd Council election		131.00	914

Mary Jones

£3.60 was collected from honesty box. Thanks Cllr G Evans.

Next Meeting: Monday 11th December 2017 at 7 p.m.