

BRYNFORD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

CYNGOR CYMUNED BRYNFFORDD

Minutes of the meeting held 11th July, 2017 at Brynford C.P. School.

ITEMS RAISED BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

THE Chairman welcomed Mrs. Linda Astbury to the meeting. Linda provided a full report on the past and future events to be held at St. Michael's Church, Brynford.

Linda also reported the following issues:-

Uneven road surface following the installation of the new water main along the B5121 Brynford to Lixwm road.

The dog fouling bins provided along Ffrith Lane, Brynford were not being serviced frequently enough.

The Chairman thanked Linda for bringing the above matters to the Council's attention.

PRESENT:

In the absence of Councillor D. Jones, Councillor J. Davies was appointed Chairman for the meeting.

Councillor J Davies – Chairman

Councillor T. Alcock

Councillor W. Beaumont

Councillor M. Flynn

Councillor L. O'Hare

Councillor D Redfern-Lloyd Jones

Councillor T. Stephenson

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:

Councillor D. Jones

Councillor G. Legg

Councillor P. Wahl

IN ATTENDANCE:

Mr. A. Roberts – Clerk to the Council

27/17 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None were declared in respect of the business of the Council.

28/17 MINUTES

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the meeting held 13th June, 2017 were approved as a correct record.

29/17 STREETSCENE SERVICES

The Chairman welcomed to the meeting Mr. Ian Williams Streetscene Area Supervisor. Ian reported on ongoing maintenance issues advising that grass verge cutting had started in the area and that the gullies along Brynford Village road were scheduled to be cleaned this week. Ian further advised that the dog fouling bins along Ffrith Lane had been placed on the servicing schedule and would be serviced twice weekly.

The Japanese Knotweed in Pen-Y-Pyllau Milwr was being surveyed.

Members reported the following items:-

Dolphin Layby being used for storage of road surfacing stone causing damage to adjacent boundaries and road surface.

Pot-hole repairs required along Brynford Village road.

Tarmac being tipped on Village Green verge by Welsh Water contractors.

Traffic light warning signs for road works along B5121 not providing sufficient distance of notice.

The Chairman thanked Ian for his attendance.

30/17 BRYNFORD HERITAGE AND I-BEACON PROJECT

Members reported that the children of Brynford CP School had held an event today to re-enact aspects of the local heritage and promote the I-beacon project. Residents and parents were in attendance and the event had been a great success. Members suggested that part of the re-enactment could be performed for the Brynford Over 55s club in the future and that the school may wish to provide an item for publication in the Halkyn Mountain News Letter.

31/17 BRYNFORD RECREATION GROUND

The Clerk reported on the charity event held on June 24th 2017. The hirer of the recreation ground had tried to obtain keys for the football changing rooms but had been advised by Brynford Football Club that the Council was the key holder.

Members reported that the condition of the crowd barrier had deteriorated and was becoming a hazard to users of the recreation ground.

RESOLVED:

That a letter be sent to the Chairman of Brynford Football Club advising that the Council is not the key holder for the football changing rooms and that repairs be undertaken to remove the corrosion from the crowd rails or that the rail be removed within 28 days of receipt of the letter.

32/17 PROVISION OF VEHICLE BARRIER – FFRITH LANE, BRYNFORD

Following the Council's enquiry Sarah Dawson, Rural Surveying Technician, Eaton Estate had advised that the estate were currently liaising with Natural Resources Wales about consent requirements to install the barrier.

33/17 TRAINING FOR MEMBERS OF TOWN AND COMMUNITY COUNCILS

Notice of training to be held Thursday 14th September, 2017 for 6.00pm at Clwyd Room, County Hall, Mold.

34/17 PROVISION OF CERAMIC POPPIES – REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

12TH November, 2017

Flintshire County Council were hoping to purchase large ceramic poppies, a number of which would be provided to Town and Community Councils at no charge. Members suggest that 3 be provided which could be presented by Brynford CP pupils at the Remembrance Service.

35/17 CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED:

- A) Active Travel Integrated Network Map Consultation – 3rd July, 2017 – 24th September, 2017.

- B) Draft Supplementary Planning Guidance Note – Great-Crested Newts Mitigation Requirements.

36/17 FLINTSHIRE COUNTY SUMMER PLAY SCHEME 2017

Mrs Janet Roberts had written to the Council confirming that this year's scheme would commence on Monday 24th July, 2017 for a period of 3 weeks finishing on Friday 11th August, 2017.

37/17 COMMUNITY POLICING

Members requested that a letter be sent to the Police Inspector requesting clarification as to the policing policy regarding attending meetings of Community Councils.

38/17 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

A) BMK/057111

Amendment to approved application 056003- Proposed 1st floor extension and single storey rear extension infill with replacement roof over annex, demolition of front porch with proposed 2 new front porches.

Bryn Hyfryd Farm, Pwll Clai, Brynford

B) GMN/057114

Application for the approval of details reserved by condition nos; 2,6,16,23,24,25,28,& 30 attached to planning permission ref: 027395
Bryn Mawr/Aberdo Quarry, Brynford, Holywell.

RESOLVED:

That a letter be sent inviting the Minerals Planning Officer to attend a future meeting of the Council.

39/17 REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT

Councillor M. Flynn provided a report on the meeting of Halkyn Mountain Joint Consultative Board meeting.

40/17 ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

RESOLVED:

That the following accounts were approved:-

1396)	Treetops Environmental	Grass cutting	£45.00
1397)	H.M. Revenue & Customs	P.A.Y.E.	£100.91
1398)	A. Roberts	Clerk's salary	£403.63
1401)	Polly Snape	Heritage Drama Workshops	£300.00
1400)	Lorna Jenner	Heritage Lottery Design and Admin Fees	£1000.00

41/17 DURATION OF THE MEETING

The meeting commenced at 7.00pm and was closed at 9.05pm.