

# Cyngor Cymuned Llangelynnin Community Council

## Minutes of the Community Council Meeting held on 11.01.17 – 7.00pm at “Y Ganolfan”

**Present:** Geraint Edwards (Chairperson), Dylan Thomas, Huw Davies, Ian Williams, Keith Carroll, Kevin Goodchild, Geraint Micah, Glenda Edwards (Clerk).

1. **Chairperson’s Welcome:** A warm welcome was extended to all to the meeting.
2. **Apologies Received:** Avril Garrod, Eleri Williams, Karen Shellis, Louise Hughes.
3. **Approval of previous minutes (14.12.16):** Previous meeting’s minutes were agreed a true account and approved.  
**Proposed** – Keith Carroll    **Second** – Kevin Goodchild    **Signed** – Geraint Edwards.
4. **Matters arising from the previous meeting (14.12.16):**
  - a) **New Noticeboard for Llwyngwriol** – two local carpenters have said they’d be interested in doing the work, but would need a “spec” before presenting their quote.
  - b) **Buckingham Palace Garden Party** – Keith Carroll expressed an interest in attending Garden Party this year.  
**Resolution** → members were happy for Keith to represent the Community Council.
  - c) **Gwynedd Electoral Review** – presentation arranged by The Boundary Commission on the electoral review  
**Resolution** → remind members of the details at next meeting.
5. **Correspondence:**
  - a) **Macmillan Cancer Support** – letter received asking for a financial contribution towards the local appeal  
**Resolution** → all agree to support this application = £50.00  
**Proposed:** Kevin Goodchild    **Seconded:** Geraint Micah.
6. **Planning Applications:**
  - a) **Application: NP5/69/390A – Llabwst Farm, Rhoslefain** – Alterations to previously approved application (dated 12.07.16) to include two storey extension, single storey link extension, re-roofing and conversion of pigsty to bicycle shed and store. Erection of porch and installation of windows and roof lights.  
**Resolution** → **No observations to be submitted to Snowdonia National Park by the Community Council.**
7. **Financial Report:** Financial Report for December 2016 was agreed a true account and approved.  
**Proposed** – Ian Williams    **Second** – Kevin Goodchild    **Signed** – Geraint Edwards.
  - a) Financial review for 2017/18’s finances was carried out.
  - b) **Community Council’s Precept for 2017/18** - Application to be submitted to Gwynedd Council by end of month.  
**Resolution** → **£7,800.00** = (£3,900.00 to be paid in May and October 2017)  
**Proposed:** Huw Davies    **Seconded:** Keith Carroll.

8. **Representatives' Reports:** None.

9. **County Councillors:** Did not attend.

10. **Any Other Business:**

a) **Language Policy** – policy reviewed, approved and signed.

b) **Quotes for maintaining the footpaths** – Perthi and Quakers footpaths = May, July and September  
- War Memorial = May, July, September and November  
- Quakers Burial Ground – May, July and September.

**Resolution** → all agree to send “spec” and ask for quotes from Geraint Micah, Kevin Jones and Daniel Jones.

c) **Christmas tree lights for next year** -- ?-- order spare pea light bulbs as in the past, or get new LED lights ?

**Resolution** → get quote from Turnocks for LED lights to be used with the present transformer.

d) **Xmas Trees** – the old tree has been cleared from Llwyngwriil, and Rhoslefain’s will be done soon.

e) **Bench in Rhoslefain** – Dylan Thomas offered to dispose of the old bench from Rhoslefain.

f) **Youth Service – Gwynedd Council** – as the Youth Club in Llwyngwriil has folded, and there’s money left in the “pot”, Gwynedd Council’s Youth Service has contacted the Community Council to ask for ideas as to how the money could be used to benefit the young people in the parish.

The Youth Workers suggested purchasing equipment for the Play Park?

**Resolution** → contact the Youth Service to inform them that the Community Council are responsible for the Play Park in Llwyngwriil, and would they be willing to transfer the money to the Community Council?

The Community Council could then ear-mark the money - to be used only for the Play Park in Llwyngwriil.

g) **Defibrillator** - members of the local First Responders are applying for grants to buy a Defibrillator for the community to use. They would like to situate one on the wall outside Y Ganolfan in Llwyngwriil.

h) **Moles in the Play Park** – Geraint Micah suggested that Grace and Rachel could set traps in the Play Park to catch the moles, but the Play Park would have to be closed for around a week to carry out the job safely.

Fee would be £10.00 for every mole they catch.

**Geraint Micah gave verbal notification of his personal interest (relatives), therefore did not take part in further discussion but did not leave the room.**

**Notification of Personal Interest form completed and signed by Geraint at the meeting.**

**Resolution** → Huw Davies suggested asking Grace and Rachel to do the job and a sign be put up on the gate to close the Play Park temporarily. **Propose:** Kevin Goodchild **Seconded:** Dylan Thomas.

**Community Matters**

i) **Stone Wall near Cae Du Corner – Rhoslefain** - wall has been damaged again, and needs to be repaired.

j) **Tree in Rhoslefain** – overgrown tree on the “green” opposite Glyn Bedw estate in Rhoslefain needs attention

**Resolution** → letter to be sent to Gwynedd Council to bring these matters to their attention.

**Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 08.02.17 – 7.00pm at “Y Ganolfan”, Llwyngwriil**

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