

CYNGOR CYMUNED DWR COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of DWR Community Council Meeting held on Tuesday 24 February 2015 in Rudry Parish Hall at 7.30pm

Present: Cllrs. Terry Hall, Guy Bowden, Ray Davies, Julie Nobes, Emma Lamb, Chris Allender and the Clerk Sally Chick. Also, Lana Rees, Local Neighbourhood Police.

Apologies: Cllrs. Carlton James, Margaret Jones, Kevin Stanworth, Lyn Lee.

Declaration of Interest: None

40. Local Neighbourhood Police

Lana gave a report from the Police. See attached.
Issues raised were the off road bikes and parking issues in all Villages.

42. Minutes of January Meeting

The Minutes of the January Meeting were taken as read and accepted as a true record.

43. Chairman's Report

In Carlton's absence Guy took the Chair. No Chairman's Report.

44. Clerks Report

CCBC have stated that there is no legislation to say how many Councillors we have so we can invite both Ray and Julie to join us. There is a process CCBC need to go through to make this increase official. Sally to write officially requesting this be put into motion.

CCBC have sent through paperwork for registration of the Village Greens –Emma volunteered to look at this. Sally can email out to community asking for statements and photographs proving the areas have been used historically as Village Greens.

Following a meeting with Darren Williams, 9 April has been suggested for an Easter Egg Hunt in Draethen Park as an opportunity to start to raise awareness of the campaign for new park equipment. Sally awaiting response from Draethen Group as to what they want to do regarding this.

45. Councillors Reports

Draethen – Nothing new to report. The bollards on the bridge seem to be working well .

Waterloo – Sally has still not received information from CCBC regarding the report made of a static caravan on a site in the Village.

Rudry – Parking on double yellow lines in Starbuck Street are an ongoing issue.

Chris arrived at 20.20pm

46. Planning –

There were no new Planning Applications.

Council discussed the Local Development Plan which is currently undergoing consultation. It was agreed that Sally contact CCBC to register this Councils concerns at the number of proposed sites in the Villages. It is felt that these sites, if developed, would have a huge impact on the Villages, changing the nature of village life. There are currently inadequate traffic links in the area and there are no facilities such as shops, etc.

Also agreed Sally to mail out some information on the LDP consultation to raise local awareness.

Next Meeting date

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 31 March 2015 in Rudry Parish Hall.

SIGNED:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Sally', is written below the 'SIGNED:' label.