## Cyngor Cymuned Llywel Community Council

Minutes of the Meeting held on Thursday,

15th September 2016

at 7.30 in the Committee Room of Trecastle Community Centre

1. Members Present :

Bernard Attkins (chairman), Dave Howells, Wynne Pugh, Cllr Evan Morgan, Caroline Morgan, Sheila Davies, PCSO Jason Hawkins and PC Colin Symmonds

Mrs J Davies (clerk)

1. Apologies:

Gareth Davies, Kerry Baverstock,

1. Approval of minutes: The minutes for the 11th August 2016 meeting were accepted as a true record of the business of the meeting and were therefore signed by the chairman. Proposed by Cllr Dave Howells and seconded by Cllr Bernard Attkins.
2. PCSO Jason Hawkins-

PCSO Jason Hawkins welcomed and introduced PC Colin Symmonds.

1. PC Jason Hawkins noted that the car was still up the road abandoned; process is very slow but ongoing.
2. Had spoken to Cllrs Caroline Morgan and Dave Howells with regards to a car parked in layby taking pictures of the school bus, after looking into it found it was a Powys surveyor studying where the bus stops and number of children using it. Looking at a crossing, but speed limit would need to be lowered to 30mph for that.
3. PC Colin Symmonds said he was promoting a neighbourhood watch for the community alongside the farm watch scheme. Need the public’s help to keep an eye out and put up signs in the area. PC Colin Symmonds noted he was available to come and look at home security and was it can be improved. At present looking for someone to run the watch in the village that will liaise with the police. Everyone should ensure that they have up to date pictures of valuables and security numbers written down.
4. Highways update:

No news to date.

1. Grant Thornton Audit: No correspondence.
2. Planning: none to date.
3. Hall Transfer - hall committee had received a valuation from Clee Tompkinson and Francis of £300, 000 for the rebuild of the hall. Community council had previously agreed to pay for the valuation of £150. Clerk still awaiting the documents to sign for the hand over.
4. Playing Field - clerk written initial query on 11th July with regards to grass cutting. Email received on the 15th July with quote of £682.81 for work. Clerk email back confirmation on the 22nd July and sent a hard copy on the 14th August. No response from Powys since and no grass cutting. Clerk emailed Brian Price and sent a hard copy on the 9th September. Clerk to write again to Brian Price. Cllr Dave Howells said he had been approached over the summer by children from the village with regards to the long grass and not being able to play football. All councillors agreed to look into putting it out to tender in future.
5. Buses - Cllr Dave Howells received an email from Kirsty Williams that she had received from Powys stating that negotiations with Carmarthenshire wasn’t very fruitful but maybe able to provide (with the community councils help and money) send a taxi to join connection in Sennybridge once a week. Monitoring of use would be essential. Unfortunately the community have no funds at present but will consider in the future. Cllr Dave Howells said he would ask Sennybridge Taxi cost of taxi one day a week to meet bus in Sennybridge. Clerk to write and let Kirsty Williams know situation at present.
6. Correspondence –
7. HMRC VAT repayment £345.12
8. Dyfed Powys Police – Dafydd Llywelyn asking for the community councils views on policing. Cllr Dave Howells took to look at.
9. Boundary commission for Wales – The 2018 review of parliamentary constituencies in Wales initial proposals. Website – [www.bcomm-wales.gov.uk](http://www.bcomm-wales.gov.uk)
10. Any other Business:
11. Point 10ii Aberpedwar bridge from July meeting clerk had response from Welsh water stating not under their remit and on land registry has no owner. Clerk in process of contacting Powys. Councillors said to contact Judith Harvey, Llandeusant one of the BBNP wardens.
12. Cllr Caroline Morgan noted that Arosfa in Brecon in threat of closing, petition on line.
13. Cllr Dave Howells inivited all councillors to the Upper Usk Valley unveiling of the new plaque up at the reservoir on the 22nd October, 2pm followed by tea in the hall.

Next meeting: The next meeting will be held on the 20th October 2016. The meeting closed at 8.35 pm.