## Cyngor Cymuned Llywel Community Council

Minutes of the Meeting held on Thursday,

19th April 2018

at 7.30 in the Committee Room of Trecastle Community Centre

1. Members Present :

Bernard Attkins (chairman), Gareth Davies, Dave Howells, Caroline Morgan, Cllr Edwin Roderick, Janice Williams, PCSO Jason Hawkins,

Mrs J Davies (clerk)

1. Apologies:

Sheila Davies, Wynne Pugh,

1. Approval of minutes: The minutes for the 15 th March 2018 meeting were accepted as a true record of the business of the meeting and were therefore signed by the chairman. Proposed by Cllr Gareth Davies and seconded by Cllr Dave Howells.
2. Matters arising from the minutes:

There were no matters arising.

1. PCSO Jason Hawkins-

PCSO Jason Hawkins been assigned to Hay On Wye and will be covering the two areas. The Chairman thanked PCSO Jason Hawkins for attending.

1. Evan Morgan. –

The Chairman welcomed Mr Evan Morgan to the meeting. Mr Morgan said concerns had arisen with regards to the Crai Senni and Usk swimming pool account which was first started in 1968 following 2 deaths locally in the river. The association aimed to provide a heated indoor swimming pool with all parishes contributing to its building in 1973. Over the years Powys County Council noted the cost of heating the pool was a lot and proposed shutting the pool from October to April. The locals again funded a wood burner to heat the pool. The pool was closed in 1996/97 due to building repairs in the hope to build a new one. Mr Morgan is going to propose to the committee that the moneys in the account be distributed to the parishes pro rata for each resident to the village halls as the money would have to go to a charitable organisation. He thought a meeting would be arranged for the end of May beginning of June and original members would be asked to attend. The Chairman thanked Mr Morgan for coming and all Councillors agreed the proposal was good.

1. Planning : – Land to the east of Heol Lan Trecastl – change of use of area of grazing land construction of service reservoir formation of a new vehicular access and access track and the erection of fencing (Welsh Water 16.4.) There were no objections.
2. Highways:

Cllr Gareth Davies noted the road above Ynysfawr was still in need of attention also by the Chapel and by Portis. Penvay bend and the old Trecastle road. Cllr Edwin Roderick sad he was meeting with Jo Lancy with regards to 2 roads by Crai Cllr Gareth Davies asked to meet with them also. Cllr Edwin Roderick to let him know when.

1. Park update:

The Clerk had got some quotes for new wooden swings:

Creative Play – double flat swing square timber £1195.00 excl VAT

Discovery Timber Play Bridgend – wooden swing £2845.00 excl VAT (includes grass matting and erection and stabilising mess.

Playdale – wooden junior swing £4358.00 excl VAT (includes matting and erection.)

Wicksteed – viking swing £3846.15 excl VAT (includes matting and erection)

All agreed to discuss next month and look at the accounts.

1. Buses –Cllr Dave Howells noted the bus was being used.
2. Hall Transfer - Clerk to quiery why we have paid the land registry twice and for a copy of the documents.
3. Accounts – Community Account - £9107. 84 on 31st March
4. Cooption of Traianglas Ward – No applicants for vacancy.
5. Correspondence –
6. Police and Crime Commissioner for Dyfed Powys community link monthly newsletter.
7. Powys – notice of adoption of the Powys Local Development Plan (2011 – 2026)
8. Any other Business:
   1. Cllr Edwin Roderick asked if we knew when the Dragon bikes were coming to the area? Usually ride around Crai and Trecastle and Senni.
   2. Cllr Dave Howells noted Dementia training by PAVO with the Upper Usk group date to follow.
   3. Cllr Dave Howells drop in sessions at the Rarebit centre 3.30 – 5pm tea and chat all welcome.
   4. Cllr Dave Howells Upper Usk Valley leaflets and visitor guide 3000 new booklets available.
   5. Cllr Dave Howells Kirsty Williams having a drop in session in Trecastle on Monday May 3.30 –
   6. Cllr Dave Howells has Peter Willis asked to come to a meeting. Clerk noted previously agreed in a meeting for Mr Willis to come to the May meeting.
   7. Cllr Caroline Morgan asked if we were going to ask Mr Rhys Price to cut the grass on the playing fields as he had done such a good job last year. All present agreed he had done a good job and for Cllr Caroline Morgan to approach Mr Price and request a quote.
   8. Cllr Janice Williams noted the land by the chapel was overgrown and unsightly. Clerk to write to CTF again about the land asking if the Community Council can rent it for a peppercorn fee.
   9. Cllr Gareth Davies met Welsh Water by the bridge they said they were going to fix it but a concrete footing needs replacing as it has been washed away.
   10. Cllr Bernard Attkins noted the only ongoing concern were the trees in the park- under our lease of the park they are not our responsibility. The chair asked if Cllr Dave Howells could seek advice from PCC on which branches may be removed.

1. Next meeting: The next meeting will be held on the 17th May 2018. The meeting closed at 8.20 pm.