

**Trefeglwys Community Council**  
**Minutes of Meeting**  
**7:30pm, Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2017**  
**at Trefeglwys Village Hall Meeting Room**

**Present:** Councillors: Beryl Crone  
William Davies  
Myra Jones  
Morris Smith  
David Jerman  
Endaf Meddins  
County Councillor Graham Jones

**In Attendance:** Ann Jones

**Members of the Community:** None

**Apologies:** Derrick Pugh, Tim Parker, Rhiannon Jones  
Nick Bennett

**Approval of Minutes** from Community Council Meeting 26<sup>th</sup> January 2017 proposed as correct by Cllr Myra Jones and seconded by Cllr Morris Smith

### **Resignation**

Cllr Tim Parker wished to tender his resignation from Trefeglwys Community Council due to work commitments. In his absence Cllr Parker was thanked for his time on the Community Council.

### **Matters Arising**

#### **Merge of Llanidloes Library/Museum**

It was agreed to wait to hear from Sonia Pritchard regarding the merge of the Llanidloes Library/Museum as we have requested a breakdown of the costs. We cannot commit until further information has been received.

#### **Footpath Update**

County Cllr Graham Jones has received an e-mail from Mr Clive Jones apologising his late reply. He states that the pedestrian refuge is a possible option but will need more detailed investigation prior to any funding, ranking and installing. If the Community Council are in full agreement that this option should be explored in further detail then he will ask the PCC Traffic Engineer in partner with PCC highway design team to look at it in more detail. The Authority can as we request include the footway extension in the future capital programmes list, but he stresses that the low volume of traffic along with the unclassified road is unlikely to help this scheme to be a priority in a future capital works programme. Councillors agreed to reply to Mr Jones in agreement with the e-mail.

#### **Trefeglwys Village Sign**

Mr Chris Lloyd will be contacted again regarding the Village Sign.

#### **Day Centre**

A meeting was held at the Town Hall, Llanidloes on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2017 6.30pm. Cllr Derrick Pugh and Cllr Beryl Crone attended the meeting.

Powys County Council do not have the funding to keep the Day Centre open 5 days a week without some commitment of financial help from local councils for the next 12 months whilst alternative solutions are considered. Llanidloes Town Council has offered £10,000 towards this and if accepted by Powys County Council they would appreciate some financial help from surrounding Community Councils to raise this amount.

Trefeglwys Community Council agreed to provide some financial support, no figure was decided and the matter to be further discussed when more details are received from Llanidloes Town Council.

### **Street Lighting**

We have not yet received a date as to when our lights will be re-instated.

### **Precept**

The Precept for 2017/18 has been applied for.

### **War Memorial at Staylitttle Centre.**

It was agreed to leave the matter for the time being.

### **Reports -None**

#### **Highways**

**Culvert by Sarn-y-Glyn - Ongoing**

**Penfridd Lane** – Mr Emlyn Jones is aware of the situation.

**Staylitttle Finger Post** – County Cllr Graham Jones has received an e-mail from Mr Chris Lloyd requesting Trefeglwys Community Council's support to remove the Staylitttle fingerpost from the junction by the old post office in Trefeglwys, the Llawr-y-Glyn fingerpost would be retained at that junction. All Councillors present agreed that this would be acceptable.

**Blaen Hole Change of Junction Priority C2177/C2178 side road junction** –In hand.

#### **One Voice Wales Award**

This has been sent to One Voice Wales.

#### **Letter to One Voice Wales**

It was agreed to write to Mr Lyn Cadwallader, Chief Executive of One Voice Wales following the meeting that took place at Abermule Community Centre on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2017. An e-mail has been received acknowledging the letter but no reply has been received.

#### **Finance:**

All monies in and out agreed by the council

#### **Monies Out**

Bills to be paid	Clerk's Wages	£128.31
	Clerk's Expenses	£ 27.68
	HMRC	£ 32.07
	One Voice Wales Membership	£119.00
	Hire of Trefeglwys Memorial Hall	
	For Meetings 2015 and 2016	£460.00
	Trefeglwys Memorial Hall Precept	£1,000.00
	Staylitttle Village Hall Precept	£300.00

#### **Monies In**

None

**Request for Hall Bills.** We have now received the bills for the Hire of the Memorial Hall for meetings 2015 and 2016. The amounts per meeting were incorrect. This has been corrected in agreement with the booking secretary and paid to the Village Hall. New invoices have been requested.

## **Correspondence:**

### ***Post***

- Russell George “advice surgery notice”
- One Voice Wales Membership 2017/18. It was agreed to renew their membership
- Montgomeryshire County Music Festival 8<sup>th</sup> May 2017
- Walk for Life 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2017
- Bobarth Children’s Therapy Centre Wales requesting donations.

All email correspondence received had previously been forwarded to community councillors. No correspondence was raised by councillors for discussion as not considered appropriate for Trefeglwys Community Council.

An e-mail has been received and forwarded to all Councillors from Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) for Proposed Free Range Poultry Unit and all associated works at Cefnbarach, Trefeglwys, Caersws, Powys SY17 5QG.

An e-mail has been forwarded to all Councillors regarding the recycling situation and the footpath. It was agreed to draft a letter to the Re-cycling department explaining that a local business uses the re-cycling and has a license to do so.

E-mails have been received from Glen Parry-CSP-W&R Strategy) requesting name of Clerk as contact.

Marian Bufton – re Playground Inspection Fee – Hard Copy of renewal to follow.

Electoral Services dates

### **Letter**

A letter was read out from the Clerk Mrs Ann Jones offering her resignation from the post of Clerk. It was agreed to ask the person that had applied for the post to attend the March meeting.

### **Planning – None**

### **Chairman / Councillors Comments:**

The hedge in Staylittle has been maintained.

The gate to the Llyn Ebyr Walk appears to be locked. Cllr David Jerman agreed to find out more on the matter.

### **Date of next meeting:**

Date of the Next Meeting Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2017 at 7.30pm.

The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the Meeting at 9.15pm.