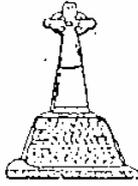


# **BRYMBO**



## **CYNGOR CYMUNED      COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BRYMBO COMMUNITY COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 AT BRYMBO SPORTS AND SOCIAL COMPLEX.

Present (Chair) Cllr P Rogers (also CBC)

Brymbo Ward- Councillors D Ashworth, J Garston, W Martin, J Phelen, S Rawlinson.

Tanyfron Ward- Councillor C Harris.

Bwlchgwyn Ward- Councillors K Peacock, M Peacock, J Williams.

County Borough Councillor P Rogers

Apologies Cllrs K Mathews, C Williams, G Hughes.

The minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025, were confirmed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST-Cllrs Garston and M Peacock BHT.

### **2 COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS**

No apologies or report had been received from CBC's Brown and Wellens.

CBC Rogers told members that the road re-surfacing was near completion. The 5 year window and door replacement scheme for Council properties was under way.

There were ongoing planning issues with a breach of the stop notice (fly tipping) at Pentre Vron. Planning had been refused and the outcome of the appeal was

pending. There had been issues with rough camping in Tanyfron. The camp site was

being promoted however the parking situation was affecting residents.

CBC Rogers said that the Tanyfron bus service was being reinstated at the end of the month. The service for Brymbo would also be returning to pre-covid services which was good news.

The Clerk told members that she had received an e-mail from CBC Brown with regards to an encroachment on land he believed to be owned by BCC. Upon further investigation the land was no longer in the ownership of BCC. It had been claimed many years ago by the resident.

### **3. ROADS**

No further information.

#### 4. BUS SHELTER SERVICES AND STOPS

No further information.

#### 5. PLAYING FIELDS AND PLAYGROUNDS

No further information.

#### 6. PLANNING

DEMOLITION OF EXISTING DWELLING AND ERECTION OF REPLACEMENT DWELLING

TANYFFORDD RUTHIN ROAD BWLCHGWYN

P/2025/0673-No observations.

CONVERSION OF FARM BUILDING TO DWELLING (PARTLY IN RETROSPECT)

CEFN FARM CEFN ROAD BWLCHGWYN

P/2023/0473-No observations.

#### 7. BWLCHGWYN PLAY AREA REPAIRS

The roundabout at Bwlchwyn play area was damaged and the Clerk had received a quote of £2091.04 (excluding VAT) to repair it. Members agreed that they would defer a decision until the environmental budgets were available. The Clerk would contact CBC to advise them of the decision.

#### 8. BRYMBO STEELWORKS CLOSURE 35 YEARS.

The Chair told members that he had requested an informal meeting with BHT to discuss the event and to clear the air. This had been declined.

The Clerk had received a letter from BHT which the Chair read out. He said he was disappointed that all the dates for an informal meeting that had been suggested had not been accepted by BHT. The CC had to follow standing orders and due process therefore members agreed that in future Cllr Garston or Cllr M Peacock who were the nominated trustees, would take minutes at the monthly meeting they attended.

These minutes would be for BCC business only. The minutes would then be forwarded to the Clerk who would distribute to all members so that everyone would be in the loop and fully aware of what was requested/discussed. The Clerk would then decide to place any BCC business that needed full Council approval on an Agenda for a future meeting. The Clerk would contact BHT to relay this decision. This decision would not prevent individual members raising matters with BHT that were a concern in the community. The Chair said that prior to the letter it had been suggested that BCC fund coffee and cake, coach to the reunion and a buffet. The coffee and cake had not been discussed prior to the meeting and the hire of the coach would not be practical as it would be exceedingly difficult to manage.

Members were happy to discuss funding a buffet at the sports and social club. The Chair said that if approx. 200 attended a catering company had been contacted who would charge £7.00 per head. He had spoken to the manager of the sports and social club who had agreed to this and would contact the catering company, The Chair said that as the event was only a fortnight away and BHT had not come

forward with numbers or costings the CC would go ahead and organise this in order that the ex-staff would not miss out. Cllr J Williams proposed, and Cllr Phelen seconded that BCC fund the buffet at an approx. cost of £1400.00 from the 3 environmental funds. A vote was taken. All were in favour.

#### 9. CHRISTMAS EVENTS

The Chair requested a subcommittee be set up with all Councillor's to plan for a Christmas event and bring ideas back to the next meeting Members agreed.

#### 10. URGENT TREE WORKS

The Chair said that there were several health and safety issues with trees in the villages. Branches were overhanging. He asked permission to obtain costs for the work that was needed as there were some that needed urgent attention at Brymbo Pool also. This would be delegate to the Chair and Clerk for immediate action once received.

#### 11. SPEEDWATCH

The Clerk had received an email from a resident who wanted to promote the speed watch scheme. Cllr Peacock said that he had been in correspondence with him and would therefore take this forward.

#### 12 STREET FURNITURE

The chair said that he would like to order 3 benches for the villages at an approx. cost of £500.00 each. Cllr Phelen proposed, and Cllr Ashworth seconded the proposal. A vote was taken. All were in favour. Cllr M Peacock said that he would like to purchase new pads for the de fib in Bwlchgwyn, Members agreed to this.

#### 13. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

57	AVOW	PAYROLL	51.00
58	SHERRATTS	BRON GREEN	360.80
59	WCBC REPAIRS	ST GEORGES PLAY AREA	125.53
60	B HUGHES	SALARY	
61	T LLOYD	BRONWENS GREEN	290.00
62	HAFREN	DYFRDWY B GEEEN	185.24

The meeting closed at 8.20 pm.

Signed ..... Chair