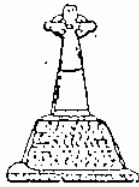


BRYMBO



CYNGOR CYMUNED COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BRYMBO COMMUNITY COUNCIL HELD ON
TUESDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2019 AT BRYMBO ENTERPRISE CENTRE

Present (Chairman) Cllr P Rogers

Brymbo Ward- Councillors D Ashworth, K Mathews, S Monti, J Phelen, L Prince and
S Rawlinson

Tanyfron Ward- Councillor D Griffiths

Bwlchgwyn Ward- Councillors J Bassford-Barton, L Steele and M White.

Apologies CBC Kelly

The minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday October 8th 2019 were confirmed as a
true record and signed by the Chairman.

2. POLICING

The Chairman told members that no police statistics were being sent to Community
Council from next month.

There had been numerous parking complaints reported and the police were dealing
with these. Cllr Steele said that there had been anti-social behaviour with fireworks
which had frightened livestock and horses.

3. COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS

CBC Rogers said that the LDP had been suspended due to the General Election. He
thanked everyone who had organised and participated in the Remembrance Sunday
service. He told members that BDL had donated a large Christmas tree to the
Enterprise Centre which had been delivered that day.

CBC Rogers said that the container for the youth service was awaiting a health and
safety risk assessment and would probably be sited in January. He told members
that the youth service had organised a very successful visit to Alton Towers and the
youths had behaved impeccably. He said that the youth project was going well in
Brymbo however the service in Tanyfron had struggled with a venue. They were
currently trying to engage with the school to come to a compromise. WCBC had
asked if BCC were willing to continue funding the play scheme during the school
holidays. Currently Brymbo were having 3 sessions and Tanyfron 2. There was an
offer to fund one for Bwlchgwyn also. The three Bwlchgwyn Councillors were happy
to discuss and engage with the community to see if there was a need. CBC Rogers
said he was fully supportive of the service. He said also that there had been
problems with providing the service in Miller Road and this would need to be

addressed. Cllr Ashworth said that the success of the service was a good thing and she was happy to hear that the number of children visiting had increased. Cllr Prince said that this should be an Agenda item for the next meeting. There was an option to lock in the provision for 1, 2 or 3 years. Cllr Monti proposed and Cllr Prince seconded that an agreement in principle should be made to further fund the service. A vote was taken. All were in favour.

CBC Rogers asked if the CC would consider funding three new grit bins for Brymbo. Bwlchgwyn and Tanyfron Councillors asked if they could also have more in their wards. Members agreed in principle to fund extra grit bins to be in place for the winter. The Chairman said that the litter bins had still not been received that had been ordered before the summer.

4. ROADS

Cllr Steele said that she had been approached by residents with regard to reducing the speed limit on Brymbo Road. CBC Rogers said that a certain criteria needed to be met however he had also been approached by residents in Brymbo regarding issues in the village. He asked members if the three villages could work together to identify roads which needed consideration and perhaps the funding for the surveys could be met by the CC.

5. BUS SHELTER SERVICES AND STOPS

The Chairman told members that the bus shelter was still outstanding (Blast Road) and he was liaising with WCBC as they had recently changed suppliers.

6. PLAYING FIELDS AND PLAYGROUNDS

No further information.

7. FOOTPATHS/LIGHTING

No further information.

8. WAR MEMORIAL

No further information.

9. PLANNING

No applications had been received.

10. BVHA

The Chairman had spoken in length with the solicitor representing the CC in this matter. The advice was, that this matter was not for BCC as they had not received any legal documentation from either WCBC, FIT or the Charities Commission. There was no evidence whatsoever that this was BCC's responsibility. Cllr White said that WCBC had said it was the responsibility of BCC. The Chairman said that no-one could provide any evidence of this. The advice of the solicitor was that BCC could do nothing as it was a bizarre situation where WCBC had not made any formal contact with BCC regarding the issues and until they did the CC could not act. If the CC acted without legal correspondence it would be admitting any wrong doing and this was not the case. The trigger to make a claim had not been met. Cllr Steele asked if the communication had come verbally and the Chairman said that most of it had, however an e-mail from WCBC had been sent to the Clerk. This was WCBC's opinion and not actual fact. The Chairman said that WCBC had forwarded 2 licences

that Clwyd County Council had granted to WCBC to use the building. There had been no correspondence with BCC regarding this. He said that BCC had no involvement in managing the building over the last 30 years. The agreement had been between BVHA and WCBC. Cllr White asked if WCBC were still looking for land to exchange. The Chairman said that WCBC had not contacted the CC about this. Cllr Bassford-Barton asked if the issue was between WCBC and BVHA. Cllr White said that he was very disappointed that WCBC were not looking for a solution and that the CBC had not had time to provide an update. The Chairman said that BCC could not intervene until a legal letter explaining the position had been received. Cllr Steele said that the lease agreement between BVHA and WCBC had lapsed. Cllr Mathews questioned why for over 40 years, WCBC had been accepting money for bookings and were still charging BVHA £4000.00 per annum for a building which they said did not belong to them. If they believed the building was the responsibility of BCC all that money should be passed to BCC. He said it looked like they were taking money under false pretences.

14. CORRESPONDENCE

Nightingale House- letter of thanks

12. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

3461	ROYAL BRITISH LEGION 6 X WREATHS	102.00
3462	B HUGHES REUND OF POSTAGES	9.97
3463	VRON GARDEN SERVICES B/G WAR MEMORIAL	134.36
3464	SCOTTISH POWER TYF MUGA	65.97
3465	SCOTTISH POWER B GREEN	37.11
3466	WCBC REPAIRES ARGOES PLAY AREA	150.14
3467	ONE VOICE WALES TRAINING	40.00
3468	SCOTTISH POWER ENERGY	1146.29
3469	WCBC LODGE C/C	658.42
3470	AJI ACCOUNTING SOL PAYROLL	58.98
3471	SLCC ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP	156.00
3472	B HUGHES SALARY	*
3473	BWLCHGWYN PLAYGROUPO DONATION	500.00
3474	VRON GARDENS SERVICES BRYMBO WAR MEMORIAL	273.40
3475	HALLETEC ENV LDP SITE SURVEY	660.00
3476	VRON GARDEN SERVICES BRONWENS GREEN	415.00
34777	T LLOYD BRONWENS GREEN	150.00

The meeting closed at 8.05 p.m.

Signed Chairman

