

**BRONLLYS COMMUNITY COUNCIL**  
**CYNGOR CWMUNEDD BRONLLYS**  
**A MEETING WAS HELD AT LLYSWEN PUBLIC HALL, LLYSWEN**  
**ON 6<sup>th</sup> MARCH, 2017**

Present:                    Cllr Ms. C. Powell                    Cllr Mr. H. Lewis  
                                 Cllr Ms. A. Lloyd                    Cllr Mr. C. Williams  
                                 Cllr Mrs. L. Hughes                Cllr Mrs. S. Richards  
                                 Cllr Mrs. S. Lewis  
                                 Mrs. Denise Abberley-Williams – Clerk

In Attendance:           Mrs. L. Emerson                    Mrs. J. Watts

**DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest expressed.

The minutes of the meeting held on the 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2017 were read, agreed and confirmed as a correct record. Proposed by Cllr Williams and seconded by Cllr H. Lewis.

**MATTERS ARISING**

389/2014 Royston Hall Management Committee – The Clerk reported that she is yet to receive the template document from Powys County Council but will continue to chase this. The Management Committee have asked if the Community Council would fund a metal post box and key holder for the front of Royston Hall at a cost of approximately £70. This was agreed. Mrs. Emerson reported that they had a donation from the Black Mountains for flooring in the ante room and also requested a financial statement of utilities for the hall which the Clerk agreed to do. An E Mail had been received from Susan Jones from Powys County Council regarding the licence which is currently under the name of the Community Council and whether we wished to have it transferred to the newly formed Management Committee. Following discussion it was agreed that the licence be transferred to the Management Committee. The Clerk will inform Powys County Council regarding this.

**Action By:**           Clerk

393/2014 Powys Wellbeing Group – Cllr Hughes reported that there was nothing further to report.

410/2015 Grants for War Memorial – The Clerk reported that the forms have been submitted.

428/2016 “SLOW” road markings, Bronllys and Llyswen – It was reported that this work has still not been carried out and as Cllr Davies was not present it was agreed that the Clerk contact Powys County Council directly about this.

**Action By:**           Clerk

449/2016 Barrier, Llys Meillion – It was reported that this work has now been completed.

450/2017 Tenders for Grass Cutting – The Clerk reported that she had received one tender from Mr. Jan Credland for the same price as the past 3 years. It was agreed that the Clerk write to Mr. Credland to say that he has been successful with the tender.

**Action By:** Clerk

451/2017 Street Lights, Bronllys and Llyswen – It was reported that the lights have not been repaired as Powys County Council are in the process of replacing all lights with LED.

452/2017 Lighting by Honey Café, Bronllys – Following the last meeting the Clerk had E Mailed the quote for one light by the Honey Café and this had been agreed at a total cost of £3,184.98.

453/2017 Primary Schools Llyswen and Talgarth – It was reported that work on both schools has now commenced. Cllr Williams expressed concern about the state of the path from Bronllys and Talgarth and it was agreed that the Clerk would write to Kirsty Williams, Education Minister regarding this.

**Action By:** Clerk

454/2017 Planning Application Upper Barn – As Cllr Davies was not present there was nothing further to report on this.

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

A letter was received from One Voices Wales regarding renewal of membership for 2017/18. This was agreed. Proposed by Cllr Williams and seconded by Cllr H. Lewis.

An E Mail had been received from Mr. G. Howland, resident of Bronllys regarding the poor state of the bench seat on the main road through Bronllys near the Anchorage Caravan Park. Cllr Williams had been to look at the seat and it is in a very poor state of repair and either needs to be repaired or replaced. In the first instance it was agreed that the Clerk contact Mr. Howland to ask if he would like to repair the seat but if not costings will be sought from Mr. Carl Selby.

## **ACCOUNTS**

### **Unpaid Accounts (For Approval)**

Denise Abberley-Williams (February)	£179.12
HMRC (February)	£ 40.11
Janet Lewis (February)	£ 40.00
Brecon & Radnor (Advert re. Code of Conduct)	£ 59.12
Powys County Council (Light by Honey Café)	£3,184.98
Dwr Cymru (Water – Royston Hall)	£ 93.69
SWALEC (Electricity – Royston Hall)	£ 77.19

### **Bank Balances As Per Latest Statements**

Current Account	£7,989.95
Reserve Account	£ 463.91
Bonus Saver Account	£ 408.57

**ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Cllr Mrs. S. Lewis reported that dogs are fouling on the path from the Anchorage Caravan Site to Bronllys Hospital despite two bins situated on this path. It was agreed that the Clerk contact Powys County Council regarding getting some No Fouling signs and Cllr Williams agreed to erect them.

**Action By:** Clerk

Cllr Hughes reported that she had recently attended a meeting of Llyswen Hall Committee. The committee reported that we had not paid any bills for the past 3 years. When Councillor Hughes asked if they had copies of these bills they had not got them but did produce a bill for 2016. The Councillors were disappointed as we had had no prior warning that they would be charging us for use of the hall as previously it had been agreed that as we had always given them financial support that we could use the hall free of charge. It was felt that all correspondence should come via the Clerk for the Community Council. It was agreed that the Clerk write to the Hall Committee with regard to the aforementioned points and that the bill that has been issued be paid.

**Action By:** Clerk

Cllr Richards reported that there are raised ironworks on Mintfield Lane and that drivers are hitting the bottom of their cars on the soakaways. It was agreed that the Clerk write to Powys County Council regarding this.

**Action By:** Clerk

Cllr Williams reported that the road from the mini roundabout by the new estate to the Honey Café has still not been resurfaced as had been promised previously. It was agreed that the Clerk write to Powys County Council regarding this.

**Action By:** Clerk

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held in Royston Hall, Bronllys on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2017 at 7.30 p.m.

