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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 12TH FEBRUARY 2024 AT FISHGUARD AFC, MANOROWEN

In attendance

M Raymond (Chair), J Miles, A Anderson, Cllr D Harries, D Williams, A Phillips, D Hadan, M Scrimshaw, S Price

Apologies

W Miles A Phelps

Declarations of interest

None.

Minutes of last meeting

Proposed D Williams, A Anderson seconded, all in favour, save for, that the D Day lamp would be kept in Jordanston Church.

1. Matters Arising

- 1.1 Asset transfer the proposed forms were produced at the meeting. It was agreed that the transfer would be agreed as set out, however, a protected walkway was made available to the entrance as currently lorries and vans are parking by the access area and it was felt that this needed to be cut back and made safe. It was also felt that bins needed to be provided in both sites.
- 1.2 Salt bins it was noted that the bins are sufficient at the moment and do not require replenishing.
- 1.3 Car damage Cllr Harries explained that he had finally received a response from the Council, outlining shoddy workmanship. The Council confirmed that the road would be resurfaced in the summer. The Council also agreed that they would sweep the road every 2 weeks to prevent any further damage to cars. Cllr Harries noted that the Council has accepted liability.

2. Agenda Items

- 2.1 Community Liaison Group The next meeting will be held on the 21st February 2024. Both M Raymond and D Hadan will be in attendance.
- 2.2 Police and Crime Commissioner Election Application forms were available for those who were interested in assisting in the polling stations in the forthcoming election. It was noted that The Gate Inn would be used as a polling station.

2.3 Garden Parties Buckingham Palace nomination – Nominations were being take to reward Councillors who have gone above and beyond for their communities, to attend the upcoming Garden Parties during the summer.

3. Planning applications

Llanstinan Home Farm, Letterston, Haverfordwest

No issue with planning application. D Hadan proposed, M Scrimshaw seconded, all in favour.

Millbrook, Manorowen, Fishguard

It was felt that the entrance needed to returned to its original state and should not have been widened. It was felt that work is being carried out that exceeds what had been initially agreed. There were reservations regarding the small lane and that larger vehicles would be utilising it. This in turn would affect the neighbouring residents. These concerns were to be relayed to the Planning Department.

15 Barham Road, Trecwn, Haverfordwest

A planning application had been submitted for a single storey extension. D Hadan proposed to agree the application and M Scrimshaw seconded. All were in favour.

4. Finance Expenditure

Clerk's Salary (by standing order – paid)	£232.20	By standing order
Margaret Mabe (by standing order –	£40.00	By standing order
paid)		
Letterston Memorial Hall	£20.00	By bank transfer
Fishguard Garden Centre	£45.00	By bank transfer

A cost analysis was provided on the income and expenditure of holding the fireworks event. The difference for holding last years event came at an additional cost of £853.91 to the community council. It was felt that this figure was quite reasonable, and it was felt that by omitting certain things such as the Traffic Management Company this figure could be lowered further.

It was felt that companies needed to be contacted sooner in relation to donations. A site would need to be determined for this year's event.

5. Financial Income

None	

Precept – This year precept was agreed to continue at the same figure as last year £7,500.

6. PCC report

Cllr Harries outlined that there had been a lot of discussion surrounding the recommended increase on council tax this forthcoming financial year. The figure that had been discussed in the press was 16%. The LA councillors would be meeting in early March to discuss a final recommendation.

7. Any other business

The Clerk was asked to bring a cost analysis to the next meeting outlining the expenditure for the equipment for the playpark.

YFC – A letter had been received from Fishguard Young Farmers asking for support for their new hall in Jordanston. They were hoping to be in situ by the end of the year. It was agreed that this would be discussed at the meeting when all funding applications would be considered. This would be placed on April's agenda.

Date of the next meeting Monday 11th March 2024.

A Anderson gave his apologies for the meeting in March as he had a prior engagement.

Meeting closed at 8.30