SCLEDDAU COMMUNITY COUNCIL/ CYNGOR CYMUNEDOL SCLEDDAU

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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2023 AT FISHGUARD AFC, MANOROWEN

In attendance

A Phelps (Vice-Chair), A Anderson, J Miles, Cllr D Harries, D Hadan, D Williams, A Phillips, S Price

Apologies

M Raymond, W Miles, M Scrimshaw

Declarations of interest

None.

Minutes of last meeting

D Hadan clarified that it was suggested to contact SR Bell Minibuses, Top of Town Motors and Aberblast.

A donation of £50 had been received from Tony Morris.

Proposed D Williams, seconded A Anderson. All in favour.

1. Matters Arising

- 1.1 Fireworks It was a successful event again. Around 196 people were in attendance and all cars were parked tidy outside Greenacres and Tony Morris. Yet Y Gors have clarified that they are not keen to hold the event next year. £176.89 was made in donation and D Williams explained that it would cover the Insurance bill.
- 1.2 Asset transfer A Phillips explained that a 4 x 4 pedestrian gate had been installed. There was a gap for a 10ft gate. It was believed that this would d have to be purchased by the Community Council. Cllr Harries clarified that he was meeting with the new Head of Property later that week and would discuss the Asset transfer. It was agreed to discuss the playing fields at the next meeting.

2. Agenda Items

2.1 Review of Democratic Health in The Community and Town Council Sector – This was a survey that needed to be completed. A Anderson agreed to complete it. S Price to forward the email to A Anderson.

- 2.2 Review of Community Arrangements of Pembrokeshire This had no affect on Scleddau as current arrangements were staying the same.
- 2.3 Blocked Drains and Manorowen Tip Cllr Harries had asked for examples of any specific drains that were causing issues. He also outlined that he would be to speak with the Head of Department who oversee the recycling centre as issues had been raised previously. It was noted that a lot of these issues had now been resolved, but he would raise a number of items that had been discussed, such as booking online, fly tipping and better communication on opening hours, however, he was reluctant to raise too much as he did not want there to be a negative impact on the recycling centre and it be under threat of closure. He would also raise some positive feedback from the Community Council..
- 2.4 Working Better together 12 seminar not really applicable for Scleddau Community Council.
- 2.5 Damage to Parked Vehicle on the A487 Cllr Harries had been contacted by a parish member outlining that their car had incurred damage to the windscreen from loose chippings on the road from passing cars. Cllr Harries felt that this incident might give the council more scope for reducing the speed limit.
- 2.6 Additional Community Governor Ysgol Ger Y Llan J Miles expressed an interest. S Price to email Governor Support Services.

3. Planning applications

3.1 Application – An application had been received from the Planning Department for 1 Cefn Coed, Dwrbach, Fisghuard. Plans had not been included with the application and therefore it was noted that a decision could not be made in their absence.

4. Finance Expenditure

Clerk's Salary (by standing order – paid)	£217.20	By standing order
Fishguard and Goodwick Food festival	£100	By transfer as agreed at
		meeting
Margaret Mabe (by standing order –	£40.00	By standing order
paid)		
Fireworks – The Gate Inn	£400.00	By cheque as agreed at
		meeting

5. Financial Income

Greenacres Skip Hire	£100	Bank transfer for donation for Fireworks
Tony Morris	£50	Cheque for fireworks donation
NFU Mutual	£200	Bank transfer for fireworks donation

6. PCC report

It was noted that the footpath situated by the last house in Scleddau going towards Letterston had become increasingly slippery and that 2 people had already had an accident from walking on it. Cllr Harries outlined that he would look into this.

7. Any other business

Barnham Road – It was noted that Pollution Control had applied for a grant to carry out the necessary works at Barnham Road. This had been successful and it was believed that there could possibly be enough to complete the entire job, however, a small contribution could be requested. Cllr Harries noted that the job needs to be completed by the 24th December 24.

Regeneration Project – A Anderson was the representative for Scleddau Community Council, however, was unable to attend the recent meeting and M Raymond attended in his place. Shortly a survey would be sent out to see what is required from the Project.

Christmas Lights – S Price had already the sent the information off outlining usage. This was based on last years figures.

Notice Board – It was agreed to obtain a price to install the notice board and this would be reported back to the next meeting.

Date of the next meeting Monday 11th December at 7.00pm

Meeting closed at 8.05pm.