



PYLE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF FULL COUNCIL MEETING

on
Wednesday 25th June 2014
in the Talbot Community Centre

Questions from the Public

Mrs Karen Evans wished it to be recorded how well, the excellent newsletter produced by Cllr Beverley Jones, has been received.

The meeting commenced at 6.30pm

Present

Councillors; G Brown, G Hooper (Chair), A John, K John & E Peakman
Clerk to the Council; Harold Phillips.

1. Apologies for Absence; Cllrs; M Kearn, P James, A Jones & B Jones.
2. Declaration of Interest in Accordance with Section 51 of the Local Government Act 2000 - Any interest to be declared as items arise through the meeting.
3. Approval of Minutes.
 - a. The minutes for the meeting held on 28th May 2014 were approved.
Proposed by Cllr K John, Seconded by Cllr A John
 - b. Cllr G Hooper (Chair) signed the minutes as a true and correct record.
4. Business Arising
 - a. Festival Week 2014.

Cllr K John congratulated Cllr Hooper, as Chair of the Festival Week and the Clerk for organising a very successful Festival Week and Fun Day. Thanks were also given to Cllr Beverley Jones for producing an excellent newsletter.

It was resolved to make a donation of £250.00 to the ATC for the work they did in the setting up of the Fun Day, assistance throughout the day and cleaning the field at the conclusion.

The Clerk was asked to write Shaun Thomas (Kenfig Hill RFC) and Gareth Thomas (Tang So Doo) for invaluable assistance.

Next year's Festival Week will commence on Saturday 13th of June with the Fun day on Saturday 20th June with the first meeting to be held on Tuesday 9th September.
 - b. Footpaths to Bryndu House Farm.

The Clerk has written to NPT requesting when this project will be completed.
 - c. Heathbridge Miners' Square
The clerk reported he was to take further 60 plus application forms to the engravers this week with intention of fixing them to the wall before the end of July and a short dedication service the first week of July

- d. Five Year Plan
The draft plan will be available for the July meeting
 - e. Land behind Bus Shelter on the A48 Pyle Road
Cllr K John to arrange a meeting with the manager of the Co-operative.
 - f. The Collwyn
Ongoing
 - g. Bus Shelter opposite Cwrt Anghorfa
Awaiting a report from BCBC reference the proposal to demolish the existing shelter and replacing it with a “glass style” shelter.
 - h. Credit Union
No movement alternative source to deposit funds to be sought
 - i. Footpath at Riverside Walk
The scheme to make the western entrance walkable has been agreed by BCBC and funds have been allocated from this year’s budget, we now await a starting date.
 - j. Rosemount Garden
Awaiting grant from the Awards for all Wales lottery fund, but the project is still expected to commence in September.
 - k. The lane adjacent to Pwlygarth Street.
The requested authorisation from the Council to confirm it is their wish to proceed with the next stage of consultation. The clerk reported on a meeting with Mr Keith Power from BCBC Highways department where Mr Power presented the results of traffic survey carried out over a 14 day period. In one week over 4400 vehicles used the lane with 64 driving above the 30 mph limit. The Clerk was authorised to confirm to BCBC it is their wish to proceed.
5. Reports
- a. Clerk's Report
Clerk had nothing more than the reports given elsewhere in the meeting
 - b. Member Reports
6. Correspondence
- a. KPC Youth
Thanks and congratulations for providing a fantastic Fun Day & Festival Week
 - b. Cheryl Butcher.
A request to the council for any help assistance or advice on re-introducing scouting to the community
7. Planning
- a. Cynffig Comprehensive School, Kenfig Hill.
The provision of a bicycle storage facility to accommodate 40 bicycles. (No objection)
8. Rights of Way and Open Spaces
Ongoing
9. Highways
Ongoing
10. Donations
- a. Requests.
 - i. Prostate Cymru. A request for financial assistance to enable six members of Kenfig Hill RFC to tackle Mount Kilimanjaro in an effort to raise £20,000 for Prostate Cymru.
It was resolved to give £300.00
Proposed Cllr A John, seconded Cllr E Peakman
 - ii. Ogwr Talking Newspaper. A request for a donation to support the organisation
It was resolved to give £25.00
Proposed Cllr K John, seconded Cllr A John

- iii. Y Bont. A request for financial assistance
It was resolved to give £50.00
Proposed Cllr E Peakman, seconded Cllr K John

b. Acknowledgements
None

11. Finance and Accounts

The Clerk reported he had received the VAT refund of £ 7000.00 ???????

12. Any Other Business

It was resolved to hold a Civic Service in Pisgah Chapel on the 5th October

The meeting closed at 7.15pm

Date of Next Meeting Wednesday 30th July 2014 at 6.30pm

*Harold J. Phillips
Clerk to the Council*