**Minutes of the Meeting of the**

**Pwyllgor Lles Llangrannog Welfare Committee**

**9 November 2023**

1. **Present**: Kat Dawes, Adrian Brice, Paul Dawes, Clive Bullock, Gail Robinson, Gari Pwyll, Tracey Rix, Cynyr Ifan, Pob Thomas (to be co-opted).

**2. Apologies:** Helena Boyesen, Jez Rix.

**3. Minutes of the September meeting** (October meeting focused on Canolfan Crannog – see Agenda items).

**3.2** **Banking**. Clive has sorted the Natwest bank changes as far as possible and we await their decision.

**4.4. (3.4)** **Risk assessments.** Ongoing.

**4.5 (3.5)** **Bell**. Ongoing

**4.6 (3.7)** **Village Garden.** The old railings have been moved by Gerry and Adrian. The area where water was pooling has been re-set. Information boards are still to be organised (by the Cranogwen team).

**4.7 (3.8)** **Second home owners newsletter**. This will be part of the CC work to engage the wider community.

**4.8 (3.9)** **Electric vehicle** Following Gerry’s work, the Council will be putting some electric vehicle charging points in the free car park field.

**4.11 (3.12)** **Cranogwen statue**. We could look at products to help raise money.

**4.13 (4.2)** **Ukraine flag**. Replaced. We will add a Welsh flag at some point.

**4.14 (4.3) Disabled parking spaces.** Inform Community Council of our request to CCC.

**4.15 (5.1)** **Bins**. Bins on the pavement severely restrict disabled access. Create plan to submit to the Council. Revisit in spring.

It was reported that the rubbish collection team were spoken to negatively when emptying bins; if we have more information we could help here.

**4.16 (5.3) Sea Defences.** Gareth Lloyd and a planned sea defences meeting – ask when meeting will be.

Pob has mentioned to Cliff Bates that there is an issue with a blowhole re-appearing by the pole outside the Pentre. Report to Clic.

**5.2** **Christmas Fair** in the Pentre 2 December 12-3. Please donate for the tombola to raise funds (to KD).

**4.0 Agenda Items**

**4.1 Village Garden.**

It was noted that memorial benches, plaques etc. for the garden should be in the lower garden only.

It was reported to a committee member that a local person was shouting at visiting children playing in the garden. We are unanimous in thinking that the garden is for the use and enjoyment of everyone who visits it, and not focused around the memorials within it. This could be reiterated when information boards/signs are made.

We are unsure of the official title of the garden, and its provenance.

**4.2 Surf Club**

Lots of interest in reviving this. Rescue and water skills are important, and there is much knowledge and qualifications amongst those living locally which we would like to pass on. We have some money and equipment. Pob will set up an initial meeting with the hope of instating the club by Easter. Welfare happy to support. Is there any funding available?

**4.3 Over 60s Christmas Dinner**

Invitations have been printed and will go out in the next week. 6th December, 12pm in the Pentre. Welfare members are welcome to attend; please let Kat know if you’re coming. Note that invitations are for those with a Llangrannog address; single persons get a plus-one.

**4.4 Canolfan Crannog**

Notes from the previous meeting attached below.

*The meeting closed at 8:51pm*

*Next meeting 14th December, Pentre Arms, 7:30pm.*