

LLANYMYNECH AND PANT PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on the 23.6.22 at Llanymynech Village Hall.

PRESENT: Cllrs. Bond (Chairman), K. Allcock, A. Brown, S. Brown, R. Hitch, R. Kynaston, D. Catmur-Lloyd, T. Mason, P. Roberts, B. Robinson, and the Clerk. Plus Shropshire Cllr. V. Hunt, and one member of the public.

22/078 **Apologies** were received from Cllr Pollitt due to health issues. This reason was accepted.

22/079 **Police report.** The Report had not been received and there was no attendance.

22/080 **Shropshire Council Report.** Cllr Hunt reported there are 313 resettled refugees in Shropshire and another 702 are expected in the coming months. New wheelie bins are being delivered commencing in the south of the County, which is where they are being manufactured. The baton was travelling through the County on the way to the Commonwealth Games in Birmingham. Pot holes were mentioned, 32,000 have been repaired and importantly they are not reappearing. Acton Scott Museum had been the subject of a consultation and there were 1,122 responses. He closed by mentioning that 1,500 children are being fed by the Council. Cllr Hunt was thanked for his report.

22/081 **Matters Raised by The Public** One member of the public present raised the forthcoming Centennial Fair being held at Pant Memorial Hall, which was opened in 1922 and asked that residents support the event on the 25th June 2022.

22/082 **Declarations of Interest.** None declared.

22/083 **Acceptance of Office.** Cllr S. Brown signed the Acceptance of Office and was given a form for Declaration of Interests to complete.

22/084 **Planning.**

22/ PPDO/Bridleway 196 Waen Wen to Crickheath. There were no objections as the new route was considered appropriate. Cllr Hunt agreed to forward this comment. 20//00712/FUL Lion Hotel alterations refusal was noted. A van had been parked outside for some time blocking the pavement causing pedestrians to step into the road and has left oil on the pavement, to be reported.

22/01708/FUL Redcott, Llanymynech permission granted was noted.

Copy of a resident's letter to the Planning Committee concerning safety issues on retaining walls and fence at the Development (Cysgod y Coed), Tregarthen Lane, Pant had been received and was noted.

21/085 **Highway Matters.** It was noted that traffic lights had been controlling traffic on the main road. Two items were raised about the A483 north of the junction with the B4398. A vehicle parks on the pavement just beyond the entrance to the Heritage Limeworks which creates a hazard for cars exiting the site and the motor works. There have been FPN issued for vehicles travelling towards Pant which are just above the speed limit, but it needs to be noted that if the visibility is hindered it is necessary to accelerate out of the path of oncoming traffic.

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21/086 **Rights Of Way** The Chairman explained about Kinnerley Parish Council's project on their footpaths and had made contact about holding a meeting with the Group. It was RESOLVED to invite the Group to an informal meeting in July.

22/087 **Minutes.** Minutes of the meeting held on the 24.5.22 were confirmed and signed.

22/088 **Internal Audit Report.** The Clerk gave the Report from the Internal Auditor. The items raised were: No evidence that the previous year's Notice of Public Rights could be found on the website as the site would not load – response the Clerk had a screenshot of the notice on the site and would forward this to the external Auditor as proof. The website was not compliant as it would not load properly- response this was to be investigated. The Clerk had now forwarded all the necessary documents to London for the external audit.

22/089 **Accounts.** A Statement of expenditure v budget to March 2022 had been circulated and approved. Payment of accounts as list below totalling £3913.95 was approved.

22/090 **Oswestry Area Committee** Cllr Catmur-Lloyd gave a report on the recent meeting and it was noted that Oswestry Rural PC are trying to get a speed limit introduced at Coed-y-go, the Highway Department had suggested that a contribution of £15k is made towards this.

22/091 **Climate Change Action Policy** A meeting of the sub-committee had been arranged for 6.7.22 to agree target dates for actions.

22/092 **Rockwell Meadow.** Report given by the Clerk that the land registration had been completed and the sale had gone through with the proceeds received. Arvensis had agreed to produce a Management Plan for the meadow but would like to discuss this with the Council and suggested a virtual meeting. Agreed a meeting be arranged.

22/093 **Local Issues.** The following items were raised:

- (a) Litter on Penygarreg Lane – agreed to monitor this.
- (b) Tennis Club reply was noted and the Club would take forward the suggestions made.
- (c) Burial Committee Report. This was circulated to members of the Committee. It had been reported that the Churchyard is very overgrown and Cllr Hunt agreed to report this to Shropshire Council who maintain it.
- (d) Village Clock. An update had been received on the repairs to the Clock and the need for fundraising. This item would be on the Agenda of Carreghofa CC meeting next week and Cllrs would try to attend on 28.6.22 at Llanymynech Village Hall.
- (e) Visit of MP Helen Morgan. The visit to the village had taken place and some of the Cllrs had attended. A reply to the PC's invitation to attend a future meeting had been received and this would take place at the September meeting.
- (f) Training. Chairmanship training was on offer for the 5.10.22 and the 12.10.22. Cllr Bond agreed to attend on the 12.10.22 and the Clerk would make the arrangements.

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(g) Anti Social Behaviour at Llanymynech Hill. It was reported that young persons had been seen throwing rocks off the top of the Hill, the matter to be brought to the attention of the PCSO.

LIST OF ACCCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

1815	V E Byrne	49.00	Travel Expenses to Audit	
1816	R & N McCluskey	200.00	Donation to Fund Raising	For NW Cancer Centre.
1817	Soc.of Clerks	171.00	Membership Fees	
1818	Highline Electrical	98.16	S. Lighting Maintenance	
1819	J D H B S Ltd	270.00	Internal Audit Fee	
1820	Shropshire Council	100.00	Election Fees	
1821	Scottish Power	670.64	Street Lighting energy	Increase under investigation.
1822	V E Byrne	920.05	Salary	
1823	HMRC	123.10	Tax & NI	
1824	M & T Pritchard	1,272.00	Grounds Maintenance	
1825	Llanymynech V H.	40.00	Room hire	

The meeting closed at 8.40pm

Signed.....(Chairman)