



Llangattock Community Council

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The following are the minutes of a meeting of the Llangattock Community Council Community Committee held online on 8th November 2022 at 7pm.

Attendance: Cllrs T Jones (Chair), H Burns, A Stubbs, A Williams.

Public Participation: None

57/22	Apologies for absence	Cllrs Richard Jones and Kate Inglis. The Clerk was not present, and Cllr T Jones took notes.
58/22	Members' declarations of interest	None
59/22	<p>To approve the previous Minutes of the 11th of October 7pm (proposed Cllr A Williams, Seconded Cllr Helen Burns and Motion Carried).</p> <p>Matters arising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landfill Disposals Communities Tax Grant Scheme - update on the interim report by Cllr T Jones. The report has been submitted, and the Council is awaiting the final £10k from the LDTCS. • Archaeological dig & SDF Funding. Cllrs H Burns and A Stubbs met with Brecon Beacons National Park Sustainable Development Fund to discuss a possible archaeological dig of Garn Goch and new interpretation signs/history projects around the village. The funders were enthusiastic, and it is hoped Llangattock-based historians can be persuaded to become involved. • Defibrillator at the Limekilns/Boat Club. The Canal and River Trust has been persuaded to drop all fees and charges other than a £50 annual fee (uprated by RPI) for electricity. It is requested that the Central Services Committee raise this in their budget and the Council had decided previously to take responsibility for this project. • Kissing Gates Update. Cllrs T Jones and R Jones met with the new owners of some of the land on which the footpath from the River Usk to Llangattock Church runs to ask permission to replace the kissing gates, which are not accessible. The Council has requested permission, subject to agreement on a design to prevent misuse of the path. • Energy efficiency improvements to the public toilets - Cllr Andy Stubbs reported that more detail was needed for grant funders. Cllrs are visiting the energy efficiency centre in Newport on November 28th and Cllr T Jones agreed to approach a local architect. • Basketball hoop – The Council has agreed that a basketball hoop can be installed on the tarmac area in the Recreation Ground but has been unable to identify grant funding to pay for it. A community group is going to fundraise for this shortly. 	
60/22	<p>Spending Priorities 2023/4: suggestions will be presented for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spending priorities for the community committee were discussed, proposed, seconded (Cllrs H Burns and A Williams) and agreed. The spending round is going to be particularly tight this year and Cllrs agreed to remove aspirational projects from the Committee's request for funding from the Council Tax Precept and instead try to identify grant funding. • The Committee discussed whether to include football posts in the list of priorities and decided against at this time. 	
61/22	<p>Standing Item: Updates from Llangattock Village Society</p> <p>Christmas events:</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Christmas tree will be delivered to the park on 21st Nov and will be erected by the Woodland Group the following day, spectators welcome. • A planned fundraising quiz night on 25th November has been cancelled. • A Christmas window decorating workshop will be held at the community hall on Sat 26th, 2pm - 5pm. • The 'Light Up Llangattock' switching on of the Christmas lights will be held at 6:15 on November 30th at the Recreation Ground with music from the Llangattock primary school children and from local singing groups. From there, there will be carols in the church and a party at the hotel, with male voice choir and BBQ.
62/22	Date of next committee 13th December 2022 – 7pm 2022 - Noted

