

LLANELLI TOWN COUNCIL

ORDINARY MEETING

11th April 2022

In accordance with the provisions of Schedule 12 of the Local Government Act 1972 and Section 47 of the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 the **ORDINARY MEETING** of **LLANELLI TOWN COUNCIL** was held **REMOTELY** and at The Old Vicarage, Town Hall Square, Llanelli, on Monday, 11th April 2022 at 6.00 p.m.

PRESENT: Councillor M.D. Cranham, J.P. (Town Mayor)

Councillors

Bigyn Ward

J.S. Edmunds
L.A. Edmunds
W.E. Skinner

Elli Ward

D.Ll. Darkin
J.P. Jenkins (Leader of
the Council)

Glanymor Ward

J.E. Jones, J.P.
B.A.L. Roberts

Lliedi Ward

C. Griffiths
S.J. Griffiths
S. Najmi J.P.
P.T. Warlow
J. Williams

Tyisha Ward

T. Davies

APOLOGIES: Councillors S. Curry, M.P. Edmunds, A.S.J. McPherson, N.J. Pearce and J.G. Prosser .

78. VERIFICATION AND CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

RESOLVED – that the following minutes of the Town Council, its committees, and joint committees (prints of which having been previously circulated to members) be taken as read, and the same are hereby verified, received and confirmed respectively: -

Llanelli Town Council	7 th March 2022
Planning, Licensing and Consultation Committee	7 th March 2022
Building and Finance Committee	7 th March 2022
Establishment Sub-Committee	14 th March 2022
Town Twinning Committee	14 th March 2022
Extraordinary Llanelli Town Council	28 th March 2022

79. COMMUNITY SUPPORT PROGRAMME

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER'S REPORT

Further to Minute No. 68 of the Council meeting of 7th February 2022, consideration was given to the written report of the Community Development Officer (copies having been previously circulated to members). The report dealt with the following:

(1) UPDATES AND ACTIVITIES

COMMUNITY

- **Llanelli Rotary - Ukrainian Appeal** - On the 26th March, Town Council Mayor Cllr Cranham attended the event at EJs to thank the volunteers for all that they had done to raise funding for the Rotary Ukrainian appeal. Ysgol Penrhos children took part along with several community acts. The Town Council will continue to support the community were possible moving forward.
- **HM The Queen's Platinum Jubilee** - Her Majesty the Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations take place on the weekend of 2nd - 5th June 2022. The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Beacons will be a major part of the celebrations with other activities expected. Parc Howard association have successfully received funding from the National Lottery for the free community celebration event to be held at the Park on the 4th June. Further information to follow as event details are finalised.

YOUTH PROJECTS

- **Falklands 40 schools project** - June 2022 sees the Falklands 40 national programme in Wales. The schools-based project will look to support military children and others based in Llanelli primary schools. The project partners with Connect 2021, Links Veterans project and the Schools Liaison Support scheme with Carmarthenshire County Council. The project will work with 4 schools, Penrhos, Old Road, Stebonheath and Penygaer to look at the Falklands conflict and the current Ukraine conflict. The project will be delivered during May and June.

- **Meet the Mayor** – on the 8th, 9th and 10th March, 6 primary schools took part in 7 sessions to meet the Mayoral team. 230 young people were welcomed to the Parlour. The project looked at the role of the Town Council, voting and democracy and the young people were given the opportunity to ask questions of the Mayoral party. The projects falls in line with the National Curriculum looking at global citizenship and works in partnership with the Connect 2021 schools based project.
- **Agen Schools Project** – 6 primary schools in Llanelli have taken part in the twinning project to date. The project looks to engage and educate on twinning and why we are twinned. The briefing sessions have been very well received. The project is funded by Llanelli and District Twinning Association. 3 schools will take part in the next phase of the project to develop a welcome gift box introducing their school, which will be sent to partner schools in Agen.

RESOLVED – that the information be noted.

This meets goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of The Wellbeing of Future Generation Act 2015.

(3) DATES FOR DIARIES, COMMUNITY ACTIVITY EXAMPLES FOR APRIL – MAY 2022

Community activity continues online with face-to-face provision:

- Men in Conversation 10.0am to 3.00pm, contact the Community Development Officer for detail on how to book.
- People Sing Up - from the 15th March 1.30pm to 3.30pm at the Ffwrnnes Fach.
- Story Care and Share – gathering and connectivity project, 11.30am every Wednesday at the Ffwrnnes Fach.
- Homeless provision being provided in Llanelli (however may be subject to change):
 - Ty Gwyn continue to support on a Saturday evening – 5.30pm – 7.00pm.
 - Greenfield Baptist Church on a Wednesday.
 - Sosban Soup Station are supporting on a Sunday night at Paddock Street Community Centre 5.30pm – 7.00pm.
- Multicultural Network every Tuesday from 10.30am-12.30om at EJS Cafe Vauxhall Llanelli.
- Repair Café 12-14 John Street 10.00am-1.00pm every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- 12th April Dinosaur Eggstravaganza 1.00pm to 3.00pm Llanelli Town Centre.
- 16th April Llanelli Monthly Food Market from 9.00am Llanelli Town Centre.

80. NOTICE OF AUDIT 2021/22

Further to Minute No. 91 of the Council meeting held on 12th April 2021, the Town Clerk reported the receipt of a letter dated 17th March 2022 received from Audit Wales (copies of the letter together with the Town Council's Notice of Audit having been previously circulated to members).

RESOLVED – that the information be noted.

81. MATTERS FOR INFORMATION

RESOLVED – that the undermentioned matters be noted (copies of which having previously been circulated to members):

- (1) Llanelli Town Council Working Group – Minutes of meeting held on 2nd March 2022;
- (2) Parc Howard Association – Minutes of meeting held on 9th March 2022;
- (3) Welsh Government – Preparation and Publication of Statutory Financial Accounts for 2021-22

FURTHER RESOLVED - that the undermentioned matters be noted (copies of which having previously been circulated by email):

- (4) Mid and West Wales Fire and Rescue Authority - Strategic Plan 2022-2027 and Annual Business Improvement Plan 2022-2023

The Meeting concluded at 6.08 p.m.