**CYNGOR CYMUNED TREAMLOD / AMBLESTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

A meeting of Ambleston Community Council was held on Zoom on Monday 27th March, commenced at 7.30 pm.

Present: Gareth Owen (Chair), Kevin Morris, Julian Harries, Gail Davis, Rosie McDonald, Cllr. David Howlett and Eirian Forrest (Clerk)

1. **Apologies** – Dai Ambrey
2. **Minutes of the last Meeting (23.01.23)**

 Copies of the last meeting had been distributed to members which was agreed by all that

 the minutes were to be signed.

1. **Matters arising from the minutes**
2. Dog fouling in Ambleston – Problem still ongoing. Gareth will post on Facebook asking people to be more responsible. If there is a set pattern/time a report could be sent to PCC. Rosie said that there is also a problem in Wallis.
3. Willow trees near Wallis Bridge – Not done. David Howlett will chase up.
4. Audit Wales invoices – no response received.
5. Blocked drain by Cwarre Duon and surface water other side of junction - works done in part, where road has eroded not done. The upper side still looks full. Julian will check and send pictures.
6. Enhancing Pembrokeshire Grant – No dates on website yet as PCC are reviewing system to simplify the process. David Howlett said that there will be less money going into the fund, however, the amount currently in the fund will remain.
7. **Highway matters**
8. Gail – fly tipping from Parcyllyn nursing home road to Wolfscastle (halfway down on left hand side, dumped behind vegetation. Noted that fly tipping and other matters can be reported on My Account.
9. David Howlett has the list of resurfacing for the new financial year, Cornel Bach to Whiteleys is on the list.
10. **Planning**

Nil.

1. **Wallis Pond**

Pete Howe has been unable to secure any funding for the works. Everyone is disappointed with the outcome. To progress funding options are to be explored. David Howlett said that Broadway Partners are funding projects in the area and will send the contact details. Will need a Land management plan (Rosie suggested her dad could help as he has experience), what will the total cost of the work be / contractor daily rate / number of days etc. Gail suggested that an option would be to let it rewild. It was agreed to give it further thought and discuss and vote at the next meeting.

1. **Defibrillator for Woodstock & Wallis**
* Cabinets are now fitted, on outside wall of Ambleston Memorial Hall, Woodstock and next to the notice board in Wallis. Both defibrillators have been delivered to Gareth and will check batteries etc. and will arrange to put them inside cabinets.
* One Voice Wales Public Access Defibrillator Census – to Rosie and Gail to complete and return.
* Will need to register on the circuit, the guardians will be Rosie and Dai in Wallis, Kevin and Julian Woodstock
* Post on FB group.
* Defibrillator training – couple of sessions to be arranged in Ambleston hall. Rosie to check availability and offer a couple of dates in April. When dates are agreed, will put the information on FB page, knock on doors, put up posters. David Howlett will circulate information to his list of contacts.
1. **Payments:**
2. TJB Electricals £360 for installing heated defibrillator cabinet in Wallis and Ambleston Hall. Proposed by Gail, seconded by Gareth and agreed to make payment.
3. Hall Hire £40 for the period April 22 – Jan 23 (no meeting in hall Feb and March 23). Proposed by Julian, seconded by Gareth and agreed to make payment.
4. One Voice Wales Membership for 2023/2024- £60.00 – Proposed by Gareth, seconded by Julian and agreed to make payment.

NB: All the above payments are dated 1st April 2023.

1. **Correspondence**
* PCC – Contacting PCC – A guide for Community Councils
* PCC/Cllr Neil Prior – Working Better Together Survey and diary marker for 20th April at 7pm via Zoom. Gareth will attend.
* Micheal O’Broin, Statkraft – Trecwn Green Energy Hub Project Update
* Calon Hearts Petition – Heart screening for all 11 – 35-year-olds
* One Voice Wales – Training dates
* Governing Body of Spittal VC School – seeking appointment of a Community Governor – no volunteers
* Hywel Dda – Launch of public consultation of new planned and urgent care hospital (23.02.23 – 19.05.23)
* PCC – Consultation on local toilet strategy, fees & charges, and bus services
* Dyfed-Powys Police & Crime Commissioner – Invitation to PCC Here for You events
1. **Any other business**

* Ambleston Defib Pads need replacing July 23 to be ordered in May. Gail to check if pads are the same as the new defibrillators.
* Kevin – Bingo in the hall on Thursday 30th March.
* Gail sent her apologies for the next meeting.

There being no further matters the Chair declared the meeting closed at 8.30pm. The next meeting will be 24th April 2023 at 7.30pm.

**Signed ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….**

**Date………………………………………………….**