

## CYNGOR SIR POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL.

Standards Committee  
29<sup>th</sup> September 2010

REPORT BY: Strategic Director – Law and Governance

SUBJECT: Matters appertaining to Standards Issues

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**REPORT FOR: Decision, Information and Discussion**

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**A. Members' Code of Conduct****A1. Training of County Councillors in respect of Members' Code of Conduct****A1.1** Training for County Councillors and Co-opted Members on the Members' Code of Conduct took place on a Shire basis on the following dates:

- 7<sup>th</sup> July 2010 Welshpool
- 14<sup>th</sup> July 2010 Llandrindod Wells
- 28<sup>th</sup> July 2010 Brecon

The attendance figures for this training are detailed in **Appendix 1**.

**B. General Training for Members****B1. Training of County Council Members – Member Development Strategy/Programme****B1.1** Copies of notes of the last meeting of the Member Development Working Group held on the 17<sup>th</sup> June 2010 and the 26<sup>th</sup> July 2010 are attached to this report as **Appendix 2 and 3** for information.**C. Referral of Councillors to Public Services Ombudsman****C1. County Councillor Referrals****C1.1** Two new referrals have been received by the Ombudsman who has decided to investigate the complaints.**D. Other Standards Issues****D1. Advice by Ombudsman****D1. Liaison with Brecon Beacons National Park Standards Committee.****D1.1** Committee are reminded that a joint meeting with the Standards Committee of the Brecon Beacons National Park Committee has been arranged for the afternoon of Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2010.

### **D3 Social Media Protocol**

The Member Development Working Group has included the Social Media Protocol on its forward work programme.

### **E. Recording of Members Interests**

Members have received reminders of their responsibility to amend their register of interests within 28 days of a change in circumstances orally at the July meetings of the Shire Committee followed up by a written reminder in August 2010.

#### **E1. Placing the Register on the Council's public website**

**E1.1** Work is nearing completing on publishing the register of Members interests on the Council's website.

### **F. Meetings of Chairs and Vice Chairs of Scrutiny, Audit and Standards Committees**

**F1.** Notes of the meeting held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2010 are attached as **Appendix 4.**

### **G. Dispensations**

#### **G1. Applications - County Councillors**

**G1.1** No applications for dispensation have been received.

#### **G2. Blanket Dispensations – School Modernisation.**

Following the decision of the Standards Committee at its last meeting to grant a blanket dispensation in relation to school modernisation but to require Members to pre-declare their interests in this subject a proforma was circulated to all Members for completion. The information gathered through this exercise has been collated into a document outlining Members interests in this subject. 58 Members have responded to date and the remaining 15 Members have been sent reminder letters.

A copy of the document outlining Members interests is attached at **Appendix 5.**

### **H. Raising the profile of the Standards Committee/Sub-Committee**

**H1.** A document 'Standards in Powys' is being drafted. Pen portraits have been received from eight members and the Clerk would be grateful to receive pen portraits from the remaining four members so as to progress this project.

### **I. Standards Conference**

The Annual Standards Conference Wales 10 is being held at City Hall, Cardiff on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2010 with a theme of 'Theory into Practice'. Five spaces are available for Standards Members and Officers and bookings have been made.

A report on the conference will be made to the next meeting of the Standards Committee.

**J. Meeting Dates.**

**J.1** To note dates of future meetings as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> December, 2010 (joint meeting with BBNP Standards Committee in the afternoon)

2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2011

27<sup>th</sup> April, 2011

29<sup>th</sup> June, 2011

7<sup>th</sup> September, 2011

30<sup>th</sup> November, 2011

All meetings to commence at 10.00am with the option of training available afterwards.

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Surname	Initials			Surname	Initials		
Code of Conduct Training Attendance				Code of Conduct Training Attendance			
Ashton	P.J.	✓		Powell	W.D.	✓	
Bailey	D.	✓		Powell	C.E.		
Banks	G.R.	✓		Price	G.D.	✓	
Barker	F.			Price	D.R.		
Baynes	S.R.M	✓		Pritchard	P.C.		
Brown	R.G.	✓		Ratcliffe	G.W.	✓	
Brunt	J.H.			Roberts-Jones	K.M.	✓	
Corfield	L.V.	✓		Shearer	J.G.	✓	
Curry	K.W.	✓		Silk	K.S.	✓	
Davies	E.R.			Steadman	J.	✓	
Davies	A.W.			Thomas	D.G.	✓	
Davies	L.G.	✓		Thomas	A.G.	✓	
Davies	L.R.E.	✓		Thomas	W.B.	✓	
Davies	M.J.B.	✓		Torrens	F.A.		
Davies	S.C.			Van-Rees	T.J.		
Davies	D.	✓		Vaughan	B.	✓	
Evans	W. J.	✓		Vaughan	G.P.	✓	
Evans	G.T.	✓		Weale	A M C	✓	
Evans	D.O.	✓		White	R.J.	✓	
Evans	V.E.	✓		Williams	J.M.		
Fitzpatrick	W A			York	A.		
George	R.I.	✓					
Gwillim	C.G.	✓					
Harris	M.R.	✓		Attendance	52/73=	71%	
Harris	K.A.	✓					
Harris	P.						
Hayes	S.M.	✓					
Hodges	M.	✓					
Holloway	A.	✓					
Holmes	J.	✓					
Hopkins	G.G.	✓					
Jones	E.Michael						
Jones	M.J.	✓					
Jones	T.						
Jones	W.T.	✓					
Jones	D.R.	✓					
Jones	E.A.	✓					
Jones	Eldrydd	✓					
Jump	F.H.	✓					
Lewis	W.G.	✓					
Lewis	P.E.						
Mackenzie	M.	✓					
McNicholas	S.						
Meredith	D.W.	✓					
Millington	S.J.	✓					
Mills	R.H.						
Morgan	G.						
Morgan	E.T.	✓					
Morgan	R.W.						
Morris	M.E.	✓					
Morris	J.G.	✓					
Pathak	K.	✓					

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE MEMBER DEVELOPMENT WORKING  
GROUP HELD AT COUNTY HALL, LLANDRINDOD WELLS ON  
THURSDAY 17 JUNE, 2010**

**PRESENT:** County Councillors P.J. Ashton, Miss S.J. Millington, and Mrs M.E. Morris.

**Officers in Attendance:** Wyn Richards (Scrutiny Services Manager) and Shane Thomas (Member and Executive Support Manager).

Apologies were received from County Councillors S.M. Hayes E.A. Jones and G.W Ratcliffe and from Stephen Boyd and Carol Johnson.

**1. NOTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

- (a) The notes of the previous meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2010 were agreed as a correct record.
- (b) It was noted that arising from the Member Development Seminar regarding partnerships, several roles and competencies needed to be developed in relation to the role of Members on statutory bodies, role of Members on outside bodies, role of members as LEA appointed and non-LEA appointed school governors. The roles of Members as the local representative on bodies also needed to be captured.

**2. WORKSTREAMS**

**Member Development Questionnaire**

The Working Group considered the revised draft questionnaire which had been amended following discussion at the previous meeting. It was suggested that the heading on individual pages needed to be clarified to read:

“Are You Currently a Member?” and “Do You Aspire to become a Member?”

It was further suggested that the name of the member should appear at the end rather than the beginning of the document. In addition to simplify the paper version of the document, a list of the sections should appear at the beginning of the document, which Members could initially complete followed by completion of each relevant section once the quick assessment had been undertaken. This was felt to make the document less daunting to complete. Members also asked for the individual questions to be revised and simplified to improve the speed of completion.

Finally Members asked if an “Other Box” could be added to the questionnaire so Members could identify any additional development requirements.

It was suggested that Members should receive certificates for individual development sessions or an annual statement of development undertaken which members could utilise for seeking other

appointments whilst a member or when they completed their term of office.

**Agreed that an updated version be discussed at the next meeting.**

**3. CHARTER SELF ASSESSMENT.**

The Working Group received the initial self assessment relating to the requirements for achieving the Charter for Member Support and Development. It was noted that officers would be liaising with colleagues from the Brecon Beacons National Park as to the documentation and background information required for Charter status as the National Park Authority had recently gained Charter status itself.

**Agreed that Shane Thomas provide the Working Group with copies of other self assessments prepared by other Councils for information.**

**4. PROTOCOL ON COUNTY COUNCILLOR / COMMUNITY COUNCIL RELATIONS.**

The Working Group received the draft protocol which sets out the working relationship between County Councillors and Town and Community Councils.

**Agreed that the document be circulated to the Political Groups for consultation, and that responses be reported to the next meeting of the Working Group.**

**5. MEMBER SUPPORT REVIEW.**

The Working Group was asked whether it would act as a sounding board for the Member Support Team in relation to what Members might want as a support service to assist them in their role, to which the Working Group agreed.

**Agreed that Shane Thomas provide further information to the Working Group as to the types of Member support provided elsewhere, so that a further discussion can be held on this matter.**

**6. MEMBER CHAMPION NETWORK.**

The Working Group received an oral presentation from County Councillor Mrs Margaret Morris relating to member Champions, accredited training, the role of the WLGA, Member Induction, Social Networking and Media Training.

**7. MEMBER SUPPORT OFFICER NETWORK.**

The Working Group received an oral presentation from Wyn Richards, Scrutiny Services Manager.

**8. WORK PROGRAMME.**

The Working Group received the Work Programme. It was suggested that the item relating to the Local Development Plan be deleted as this had been completed.

**9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Future meetings as follows (all commencing at 10.00 a.m.):

26<sup>th</sup> July, 2010.

24<sup>th</sup> September, 2010.

5<sup>th</sup> November, 2010.

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE MEMBER DEVELOPMENT WORKING  
GROUP HELD AT COUNTY HALL, LLANDRINDOD WELLS ON  
MONDAY 26 JULY, 2010**

**PRESENT:** County Councillor P.J. Ashton [in the Chair]  
County Councillors S.M. Hayes, E.A. Jones, Mrs M.E. Morris and G.W Ratcliffe.

**Officers in Attendance:** Stephen Boyd (Board Business Manager) and Carol Johnson (Committee Clerk).

Apologies were received from County Councillors Mrs S.C. Davies and Miss S.J. Millington and from Wyn Richards and Shane Thomas.

**1. NOTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

- (a) The notes of the previous meeting held on 17 June, 2010 were agreed as a correct record.
- Member Development Questionnaire – the revised draft was being worked up and would be available for the next meeting.
  - Charter Self Assessment – details of submissions from Authorities which had received the Charter had been obtained, including the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority. Information would be reviewed and relevant information forwarded to Members.

**2. PROTOCOL ON COUNTY COUNCILLOR / COMMUNITY COUNCIL RELATIONS**

The draft protocol had been forwarded to Political Groups. The groups had not had time to consider this in detail, but the initial comments were not favourable. The Working Group agreed that the document should be seen as guidance for Members and Town and Community Councils. It should be included in the Member Induction pack as guidance, for newly elected members some of who may be unaware of the relationship between them and their community councils.

**Agreed that the document be circulated to the Political Groups for consultation, emphasising that the document was for guidance. The responses from Political Groups be reported to the next meeting of the Working Group and the draft then circulated to Town and Community Councils for comment.**

**3. QUALIFICATIONS FOR MEMBERS**

The Working Group considered the University of Glamorgan's draft proposals for a member qualification. Members agreed that:

- The benefits of this course to councillors in their councillor role was questioned and it was not seen as a priority,
- The cost was probably prohibitive at this point in time,
- Tax payers' money should not be used to support such training which would benefit a member on leaving the authority.

The Working Group however stated that if a qualification was introduced Councillors should be advised of its availability.



Members agreed that information on the courses attended and other training received by Members during their term of office should be recorded and details of this should be given to them at the end of their appointment. Steve Boyd advised that a database had recently been introduced which recorded Councillor's membership of Committees and attendances. Information on Committee membership had been backdated to 2008.

**Agreed that a log of Members' training should be provided to individuals at the completion of their term of office.**

Councillor P.J. Ashton noted that candidates standing for election were not required to have a CRB check. He enquired what would happen if a newly elected councillor then received an adverse CRB check.

**Agreed that legal advice be sought regarding the implications of an adverse CRB check for a newly appointed councillor.**

**The Working Group agreed that issues in the Local Government Measures regarding Member Development be discussed at the next meeting.**

#### **4. WORK PROGRAMME**

The Working Group received the Work Programme. Members noted the following:

Work in progress:

- Members Training Needs Analysis Questionnaire – revised draft for next meeting
- Membership of outside bodies – WLGA leaflet and toolkit on Members appointment to outside bodies – awaiting comments on the revised draft from the Director of Performance, Partnerships and Communication and then comments from the Legal Department
- Casework - draft template. It was noted that everyone would be transferred to Outlook for emails and a facility was available on this to manage tasks, which could be used for casework.
- Recording of Members' involvement in organisations as part of their wards – Information was being collated regarding this. In respect of Members involvement in outside organisations it was considered important to review such membership at least once during the term of a council.
- Review of Charter self assessment form – this would be updated as work progressed.

Work to be undertaken:

- Member Champions “specialist knowledge” form - rather than producing a separate form Members could be invited to add this information to the Trent database, which other Members could access as required.
- Personal Development Review [PDR] for members – the PDR process needed to be piloted with Members of the Working Group and a representative from each political party.
- Data Protection issues – issues regarding the keeping of personal information by Councillors had been raised at a previous meeting. Any follow up work need to be checked.
- Development of a Protocol for using Social Media.
- Review of the 2008 Induction pack and programme for the 2012 election – the review would need to cross reference with the work of the Democracy Working Group.

**5. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Future meetings as follows (all commencing at 10.00 a.m.):

24<sup>th</sup> September, 2010.

5<sup>th</sup> November, 2010.

County Councillor P.J. Ashton  
In the Chair

## **NOTES OF A MEETING OF THE CHAIRS AND VICE-CHAIRS OF THE SCRUTINY COMMITTEES AND THE STANDARDS AND AUDIT COMMITTEES HELD AT COUNTY HALL, LLANDRINDOD WELLS ON FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER 2010**

**PRESENT:** County Councillor J G Morris. (Chair)  
County Councillors D. Price, J. H. Brunt, A W Davies, Mrs S C Davies, G. Morgan, Mrs K Roberts-Jones, Mrs D. G. Thomas and Independent Member P. Swanson.

Officers in Attendance: Jeremy Patterson (Chief Executive), Cliff Shields (Director Performance, Partnerships and Communication), Paul Griffiths (Strategic Director Communities, Skills and Learning), Caroline Byrt (Interim Strategic Director Care and Well-Being), Clarence Meredith (Strategic Director Law and Governance), Wyn Richards (Scrutiny Services Manager), Lisa Richards (Senior Committee Clerk) and Liz Patterson (Committee Clerk).

### **1. Apologies**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mrs J Shearer and L. R. E. Davies.

### **2. Notes of Last Meeting**

The notes of the last meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> June 2010 were received

### **3. To discuss with the Management Team**

#### **i) Scrutiny and the Powys Change Programme**

The Powys Change Programme sets out the Council's programme of improvement and efficiency priorities for the next four years. There are four improvement priorities and six efficiency priorities to effect the £16million savings the Council will have to make over the next 4 years. The priorities are:-

##### Improvement Priorities

- Adult Living
- Learning in the Community
- Regeneration
- Climate Change

##### Efficiency Priorities

- Processes
- ICT
- Workforce
- Support Services
- Assets
- Regulation

Each of these priorities will be led by a Portfolio Holder who will be accountable to fellow Portfolio Holders.

The Welsh Assembly Government has placed a duty on local authorities to produce a Community Strategy. In Powys this is undertaken by the Local Service Board which has set up five thematic partnerships:-

- A Healthy Powys - Health, Social Care and Well Being
- A Learning Powys - Lifelong Learning
- A Prosperous Powys - Regeneration
- A Green Powys - Environment
- A Safe Powys - Community Safety

The Council is in the process of setting up a Shared Services agreement with Ceredigion relating to Engineering, Transport and Property Services. This would involve a Joint Board and would also require a Joint Scrutiny Committee. The Scrutiny Services Manager indicated that his expectation was that any items subject to scrutiny under the Joint Scrutiny arrangement would not be scrutinised at individual authority level.

#### Scrutiny Issues:

In the past scrutiny has tended to scrutinise officers rather than portfolio holders. Historically apart from the Principal Scrutiny Committee the committees developed from service committees and this has led to some difficulties in undertaking scrutiny. With the current proposals from Council to move to a Leader and Cabinet Model in 2011 (or a requirement by the WAG to cease operating the 4<sup>th</sup> Option by 2012) it would make sense to introduce changes to the scrutiny committees concurrently with any change in political arrangements implemented in May 2011 or 2012.

Scrutiny Committees will remain politically balanced in a Leader and Cabinet arrangement.

The current workload between the Committees is unbalanced with People Committee covering a huge area including Adult Social Care, Children's Services, Education and Leisure and Recreation.

The matter of Co-opted Members was raised with the imbalance on People Committee of having a potential of 7 co-opted members on a committee of 15. The wide remit of the People Committee meant that the Education Co-opted Members were covering areas other than their intended role.

The Joint Chairs Committee has been an extremely useful forum and could have an extended role in the new structure.

Options for future scrutiny committees include:-

- Scrutinise each of the Powys Change Programme Priorities
- Scrutinise the LSB and each of the 5 Thematic Partnerships
- Include a Joint Chairs Scrutiny Committee to scrutinise cross cutting areas.

Note there is no requirement under amended political arrangements to have a Principal Scrutiny Committee.

## **ii) Identification and Prioritisation of Scrutiny Work/Reviews**

The Management Team suggested how they saw scrutiny assisting in the aims of Powys County Council:

- By scrutinising the Powys Change Programme resources will be focussed on what Powys is trying to achieve and this will support the organisation when subject to Wales Audit Office reviews looking at achievement of objectives.
- Scrutiny needs to be appropriate and sufficiently timely to be of assistance to the process. It should not just block decisions which are unpopular.
- There will be insufficient capacity to be able to undertake reviews which are not directly relating to the aims of the Council.
- The critical friend element is valuable challenging the way problems are intended to be solved
- Scrutiny has a role examining the balance between efficiencies and improvement.
- It is necessary to ensure that the balance between scrutiny and the Board was correct with the Board being the decision makers.
- Some form of benefits analysis was needed when prioritising matters for scrutiny.
- Scrutiny Members working with officers in the Change Programmes.

## **iii) Structure of Scrutiny Committees**

A meeting was arranged for 17<sup>th</sup> September 2010 for the Chairs and Vice-Chairs of Scrutiny Committees to examine potential options for the structure of scrutiny committees.

## **iv) Lead Officers**

Chairs expressed concern that their requests for Lead Officers were being rejected. The Strategic Director confirmed that those who had undertaken the role had enjoyed the experience but that it was necessary to target reviews to ensure that they related to the Council's aims.

#### 4. Allocation of Work/Work Programmes

##### (i) Board

Since the Chair had written to the Board Chair there had been an improvement in the range of items identified on the Board Work Programme. Some areas were still not showing because the decisions were taken in a different forum. For example, Children's Services and Adult Services decisions are taken at the Social Services Steering Group and therefore scrutiny have no method of identifying the work programme for these areas.

<b>Action</b>
<b>The Chair to write to the Chair of Board asking for a meeting to discuss the Board Work Programme.</b>

##### (ii) Scrutiny Committees

###### Principal Scrutiny and Crime and Disorder Committee

No issues raised.

###### Corporate Governance Scrutiny Committee

There are problems with getting the new performance information. This matter to be discussed at the meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> September.

###### People Scrutiny Committee

Ty Gwyn is ongoing. Some items might slip due to late receipt of Inspection Reports.

###### Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

The Committee is at saturation point. Four reviews were being undertaken. Members were sending problems to the Scrutiny Chairs and expecting them to be addressed.

###### Audit Committee

No issues raised.

##### (iii) Chairs and Vice Chairs

The attendance of Management Team had been valuable and it was requested that this could become a regular event.

##### (iv) Standards

No issues raised.

Members commented on the need to review the timetable of scrutiny meetings as they were currently scheduled too close together.

## **5. Powys Teaching Local Health Board Merger update**

At Council on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2010 it was agreed to bring together the post of Chief Executive of the Local Health Board with the post of Strategic Director Care and Well-Being at Powys County Council. Much of the work undertaken in the area of social care was duplicated to a greater or lesser extent between the two bodies and there were clear advantages in bring the two areas together. This is a pilot project and work is ongoing producing the Service Level Agreement, Memorandum of understanding and financial arrangements to ensure that if this project does not deliver the expected benefits it will be possible to extricate Powys from the pilot with limited financial or political fallout. Work had commenced on shadow working with an expectation the pilot would formally commence in November with a 9 month review.

It would be necessary to agree governance arrangements including scrutiny arrangements and it may be appropriate for joint scrutiny to work with an existing Health Board equivalent for example the Clinical Governance Committee.

The Joint Project Board was also likely to be reconfigured to include Board Members rather than Scrutiny Members.

## **6. Paperless Committees**

The Chair of Regeneration advised that the last two Committees had been run electronically accessing the agenda via the Members' Portal. An email was sent to Committee Members with a link to the Members' Portal which when Members log in will allow access to confidential documents. Two Members had requested paper copies of the agenda which had been provided. Additionally the agenda and documents were projected onto a screen in committee. This was undertaken by a volunteer Member as neither the Clerk or Chair could undertake this role.

A number of issues were raised including that co-opted Members on Standards and People Committees do not have laptops to access electronic papers and the difficulty of Chairs managing a meeting with only an electronic agenda. This could be overcome by printing the agenda but viewing the papers electronically. Planning Committee had found that the issues that they dealt with were not suitable for viewing electronically. Some Members will always wish to receive paper copies but accessing agendas through the Members' portal would produce substantial savings.

## **7. Items for the next meeting 28<sup>th</sup> October 2010 – 10.00am**

A Joint Scrutiny Chairs meeting to be held on 17<sup>th</sup> September 2010 to discuss potential structures for Scrutiny Committees from May 2011.

# POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL

## PRE-DECLARATION OF PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS IN RELATION TO SCHOOL MODERNISATION

### BOARD MEMBERS

#### Chairman - Councillor Michael Jones

Governor of **Radnor Valley** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **John Beddoes** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **East Radnor** Leisure Centre Management Committees  
appointed by CC

#### Councillor Graham Brown

Governor of **Brynhafren** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Arddleen** Primary School appointed by CC

#### Councillor Leslie Davies

Governor of **Llandrindod Wells** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Rhayader** Leisure Centre Management Committee  
appointed by CC

#### Councillor Liam Fitzpatrick

Governor of **Brecon** High School appointed by CC  
Member of **Brecon** Leisure Centre Management Committees  
appointed by CC  
Parent of child/children attending **Llanfaes** School  
Close association of parents with child/children attending **Llanfaes**  
School

#### Councillor Russell George

Governor of Ladywell Green Primary School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Coleg Powys Board appointed by PCC

#### Councillor Gwyn Gwillim

Governor of **Abercraf and Penrhos** Primary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Maesydderwen** Leisure Centre Management Committee  
appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children attending **Maesydderwen, Cynlais**  
Grandparent of child/children of pre-school age who may attend  
**Maesydderwen, Cynlais**



### **Councillor Ken Harris**

Governor of **Knighton** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **John Beddoes** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Knighton** Leisure Centre Management Committee appointed by CC  
Member of **East Radnor** Leisure Centre Management Committee appointed by CC

### **Councillor Rosemarie Harris**

Governor of **Llangynidr** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Crickhowell** High School appointed by CC  
Member of **Crickhowell** Leisure Centre Management Committee  
Grandparent of a child/children of pre-school age who may attend **Sennybridge** Primary School

### **Councillor Stephen Hayes**

Governor of **Montgomery C in W** Primary School appointed by CC  
Parent of child/children attending **Welshpool** High School

### **Councillor Geraint Hopkins**

Governor of **Llanigon** County Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Gwernyfed High** Secondary School appointed by CC

### **Councillor David Jones**

Governor of **Guilfield** CP School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Castle Caereinion** C of E School appointed by CC  
Member of **Caereinion** Leisure Centre Management Committee appointed by CC

### **Councillor Wynne Jones**

Governor of **Abermule** Primary School appointed by CC

### **Councillor Gary Price**

Governor of **Trefonen C in W** Primary School not appointed by CC  
Chair of **Llandrindod Wells** Leisure Centre Consultative Committee  
Guardian of child/children attending **Llandrindod Wells** High School

### **Councillor Gareth Ratcliffe**

Governor of **Hay** County Primary not appointed by CC  
Governor of **Gwernyfed** Secondary School appointed by CC

Member of **Gwernyfed** Leisure Centre Management Committee appointed by CC

Member of **Gwernyfed** Leisure Centre Management Committee not appointed by CC

Parent of child/children of pre-school age who may attend **Gwernyfed** in 2012

Close association with family member at **Hay** County Primary School

Employment – brother teaches cycle proficiency in **Gwernyfed** catchment

### **Councillor Tony Thomas**

Member of **Brecon** Leisure Centre Management Committee appointed by CC

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## **NON BOARD MEMBERS**

### **Councillor Paul Ashton**

Governor of **Brecon Mount Street** Junior and **Brecon Mount Street** Infants appointed by CC

Member of **Brecon** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC

Grandparent of child/children attending **Brecon** High School

Close Association of family with child/children at **Gwernyfed** School

Close Association of family with child/children at **Llangorse** School

Employment – step-daughter is a mid-day supervisor at **Brecon**, St Joseph's School

### **Councillor Dawn Bailey**

Governor of **Buttington Trewern** County Primary School appointed by CC

### **Councillor Simon Baynes**

Governor of **Ysgol Pennant** Primary School appointed by CC

Residence – in grounds or close to **Llanfyllin** Primary School

Residence – in grounds or close to **Llanfyllin** Secondary School

Member of **Llanfyllin** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC

Close Association – friends with many people whose children attend Powys Schools/ friends with people whose pre-school age children may attend a Powys school.

Employment – close friend of people who are employed at a Powys school

### **Councillor John Brunt**

Governor of **Beguildy & Llanbister** Primary School appointed by CC

Member of **Knighton** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC

### **Councillor Linda Corfield**

Governor of **Leighton** Primary School appointed by CC

Governor of **Forden** Primary School not appointed by CC

### **Councillor Kelvyn Curry**

Governor of **Rhayader** Primary School appointed by CC

Governor of **Builth Wells** Secondary School appointed by CC

### **Councillor Aled Davies**

Governor of **Llanfyllin** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Llanfyllin** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Parent of child/children attending **Llanfyllin** Primary School  
Close association – **sister** with child/children attending Powys School  
Employment – **wife** employed at **Llanfyllin** High School

### **Councillor Roche Davies**

Governor of **Llandinam** Primary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Llanidloes** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children attending **Llandinam** and **Beguildy** Primary Schools and **John Beddoes, Presteigne** High School.

### **Councillor Melanie Davies**

Governor of **Llangors** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Gwernyfed** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Gwernyfed** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Parent of a child attending **Coleg Powys**  
Close association – **friends** with a child/children attending **Llangors** School, **friends and family** with child/children attending **Gwernyfed** High School, friends with child/children of **pre-school age** who may attend a Powys School

### **Councillor Sandra Davies**

Governor of **Ysgol Gymraeg Cwmtwrch** appointed by CC  
Member of **Maesydderwen** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC

### **Councillor David Evans**

Governor of **Nantmel** Primary School appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children of pre-school age who may attend **Kerry, Newtown** School  
Close Association – family (nephew's child) of pre-school age who may attend a Powys School.

### **Councillor Gwilym Evans**

Governor of **Ysgol Dyffryn Trannon** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Llanidloes High** Secondary School appointed by CC

Member of Llanidloes Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children attending **Ysgol Dyffryn Trannon** and **Llanidloes** High School  
Employment – grand-daughter is a teacher at **Guilfield** Primary School

### **Councillor Viola Evans**

Governor of **Llanfair Caereinion** Primary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Caereinion** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Close Association - great, great niece attends a Powys School

### **Councillor John Evans**

Governor of **Newbridge-on-Wye** Primary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Llandrindod Wells** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children attending **Llandrindod Wells** High School  
Close Association of a grandparent with child/children attending a Powys School

### **Councillor Peter Harris**

Governor of **Pen y Gloddfa** County Primary appointed by CC  
Governor of **Newtown** High School appointed by CC

### **Councillor Michael Hodges**

Governor of **Trefonnan** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Llandrindod** High appointed by CC  
Resident living close to **Trefonnan** Primary School  
Member of **Radnorshire** at **Llandrindod** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Member of **Llandrindod** Leisure Centre Management Committees not appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children attending **Builth High** and **Newbridge** School  
Close association – family and friends with 5 Junior and 3 High Schools in Powys  
Employment – members of family and close friends employed **Trefonnan, Cefnlllys, Llandrindod High, Newbridge, Dolau. Builth High**, also **Coleg Powys**

### **Councillor Arwel Jones**

Governor of **Carreghofa** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Llandysilio** C in W School not appointed by CC  
Parent of child attending **Llanfyllin** High School

### **Councillor Eldrydd Jones**

Governor of **Trefnanney** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Llanfair Caereinion** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Llanfair Caereinion** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Grandparent of children attending **Castle Caereinion** School  
Grandparent of child of pre-school age who may attend **Meifod** School  
Employment – daughter does some supply teaching in Primary Powys schools

### **Councillor Tegwyn Jones**

Governor of **Llanfechain** Primary School appointed by CC  
Governor of **Llanfyllin** Secondary School appointed by CC  
Member of **Llanfyllin** Leisure Centre Management Committees appointed by CC  
Grandparent of child/children attending **Caereinion** School  
Grandparent of child/children of pre-school age who may attend **Caereinion** School  
Employment – daughter non teaching at **Pontrobert**

### **County Councillor Peter Lewis**

Governor of Llanfyllin C.P. School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Llanfyllin High School appointed by PCC  
Member of Llanfyllin Leisure Centre appointed by PCC  
Parent of child attending Llanfyllin C.P./ High Schools  
Close family relationship of a parent with child attending Llanfyllin High School

### **County Councillor Geoff Lewis**

Governor of Llanfihangle Rhydithon Primary School appointed by PCC  
Also Dame Anna Childs, Whitton.  
Member of Knighton Leisure Centre appointed by PCC  
Grandparent of child attending Nantmel School  
Grandparent of pre-school child who may attend Llandrindod Wells Sc.

### **County Councillor Maureen Mackenzie**

Governor of Franksbridge CP not appointed by PCC

Governor of Llandrindod High Sch appointed by PCC  
Parent of child attending Builth High School (Until June 2010)

**County Councillor Susan McNicholas**

Governor of Ysyscedwyn Primary appointed by PCC  
Governor of Maesydderwen School appointed by PCC  
Lives in grounds/close to Maesydderwen School  
Member of Ystradgynlais Leisure Centre  
Friend is employed as secretary in Maesydderwen  
Goddaughter is teacher in Maesydderwen

**County Councillor David Meredith**

Governor of Priory C in W School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Brecon High School not appointed by PCC  
Member of Brecon Leisure Centre appointed by PCC  
Great Uncle of a parent with a child attending Hay on Wye

**County Councillor Bob Mills**

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**County Councillor Gareth Morgan**

Governor of Llanidloes C P School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Llanidloes High School appointed by PCC  
Member of Llanidloes Leisure Centre appointed by PCC  
1 grandchild aged 6 months who will attend local schools  
Well acquainted with the staff at the school

**County Councillor Bob Morgan**

Governor of Ysgol Brynmair appointed by PCC  
Governor of Ysgol Bro Dyfi appointed by PCC

**County Councillor John Morris**

Governor of Crickhowell Primary School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Crickhowell High School appointed by PCC  
Member of Crickhowell Leisure Centre appointed by PCC  
Parent of child attending Crickhowell High School

**County Councillor Margaret Morris**

Governor of Ffynongynydd School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Clyro School appointed by PCC  
Grandparent of child/children attending Ffynongynydd  
Grandparent of child attending Hay-on-Wye School  
Grandparent of child who may attend Gwernyfed catchment

Member of the family of child attending Ffynongynydd and Hay  
Member of the family of a parent with child who may attend Hay

**Councillor Sarah Millington**

Governor of Cefnlllys Primary School appointed by PCC  
Member of Llandrindod Wells Leisure Centre appointed by PCC

**County Councillor Krishn Pathak**

Governor of Caehopkin Primary School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Maesydderwen High School appointed by PCC  
Member of Maesydderwen Leisure Centre

**County Councillor Clair Powell**

Governor of Llyswen-Archdeacon Griffiths appointed by PCC  
Governor of Gwernyfed High School appointed by PCC  
Parent of child attending Archdeacon Griffiths  
Parent of pre-school child who may attend Gwernyfed/Brecon  
Close association to a parent with child/children attending:  
Archdeacon Griffiths (friend); Hay (family); Gwernyfed (family)  
Has family/friends who may attend a Powys School.

**County Councillor William Powell**

Governor of Talgarth C.P. School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Gwernyfed High School appointed by PCC  
Member of Gwernyfed Sports Centre  
Parent of child attending Crickhowell High School  
Parent of child attending Cwmdu Church in Wales School

**County Councillor David Price**

Governor of Builth Wells C.P. School appointed by PCC  
Member of Builth Wells Sport Hall appointed by PCC  
Parent of child attending Builth Wells High School  
Wife is employed at Builth Wells Primary School

**County Councillor Kath Roberts-Jones**

Governor of St Michaels Primary School, Kerry appointed by PCC  
LEA Governor Brynllly warch Hall Special School, Kerry

**County Councillor Mrs J.G. Shearer**

Governor of Ysgol Rhiw-bechan Primary school appointed by PCC  
**Member** of Llanfair Caereinion Leisure Centre appointed by PCC



Grandparent of child/children attending Ysgol Rhiw-bechan  
Grandparent of pre-school child who may attend Ysgol Rhiw-bechan or  
Newtown or Llanfair Caereinion.  
Close association as friends/family/nieces child attend a Powys School

**County Councillor Kathryn Silk**

Governor of Cwmdu VA Primary school not appointed by PCC  
Governor of Crickhowell Secondary School appointed by PCC

**County Councillor John Steadman, J.P.**

Governor of Cynlais Primary School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Maesydderwen Secondary School appointed by PCC  
Member of Ystradgynlais Leisure Centre appointed by PCC

**County Councillor Mrs Gillian Thomas**

Governor of Cradoc C P School, Ysgol y Bannau, Brecon  
Member of Brecon Leisure Centre  
Grandparent of child attending Ysgol y Bannau and Brecon High  
School  
Daughter-in-law does some supply teaching

**County Councillor Barry Thomas**

Governor of Ysgol Pontrobert Primary School appointed by PCC  
Member of Llanfyllin Leisure Centre appointed by PCC

**County Councillor Beryl Vaughan**

Governor of Llanerfyl Primary School appointed by PCC  
Governor of Caereinion High School appointed by PCC  
Member of Caereinion Leisure Centre appointed by PCC  
Daughter in law a teacher at Banw Primary School

**County Councillor Michael Williams**

Governor of Ysgol Gynradd Primary appointed by PCC  
Governor of Ysgol Bro Dyfi Secondary appointed by PCC