



Powys County Council Councillor's Annual Report

This report gives details of the Councillor's key activities over the year ending 13 May 2020. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose.

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Section 1: Role & Responsibilities

Details of the Committees and Working Groups in which I participated and my attendance are available via the following link to my page on the Council website:
[Committees & attendance](#)

I served on the following outside organisations:
Mid and West Wales Fire and Rescue Authority
Newbridge Church in Wales Primary Governing Body

Section 2: Constituency activity

Over the past 12 months there has been a flurry of activity in Llanyre and Newbridge on Wye. In addition to dealing with the day to day issues that residents face such as waste and recycling problems, grass cutting, housing problems etc. there have been some exciting developments.

One of the highlights of the past twelve months was the Second Annual Llanyre Show and we were lucky for the sun to be shining yet again. The theme for this year's Show was "The Circus". Many activities took place from Circus Skills, to a coconut shy, to fancy dress competitions along side the old time favourites like the dog show, football competitions and a very successful crafts tent. I continued to chair the Show Committee along with the dedicated team of volunteers who continuously gave their time and full efforts throughout. It was indeed a wonderful day. In addition to the Show a Race Night was organised by the Show Committee to raise a wonderful £600 towards next year's show.

Llanyre Church Hall has been in a dilapidated state for many years with the building not being fit for purpose with areas being off limits to users. Over the previous two years the committee has worked tirelessly to fundraise and organise works bringing the once old and tired Church Hall into 21st Century. It has been a pleasure to sit on the fundraising committee and follow the progress of the renovations.

There has also been boundless activity in Newbridge with the forever growing and successful Community Speed Watch Campaign. Following on from undertaking the necessary training with Dyfed Powys Police, I attended a number of speed watch sessions on a regular basis. We have seen first-hand how effective the sessions are with drivers who regularly travel through the village slowing down to the appropriate speed. I worked alongside the Co-ordinator and Dyfed Powys Police in order for

Newbridge to become a Community Concern Site with increased and highlighted signs in the village. In addition, I was successful in working alongside Powys County Council to secure the turning on of the 20mph signs outside the school earlier in the day to accomodate breakfast clubs. Also the signs are now left lit later in the afternoon to cover after school clubs.

Following on from a number of requests in Llanyre I have also successfully set up a Community Speedwatch Campaign in the village with a team of wonderful volunteers. All volunteers are vetted by Dyfed Powys Police and have completed the appropriate training. We have gone from one approved location in the village to three in a matter of months.

Section 3: Learning & Development

Details of my attendance at learning and development sessions are available via the following link to my page on the Council website:

[Member development & seminars](#)

Section 4: Outside organisations and other activities

As part of my role within Mid and West Wales Fire and Rescue Service Authority, I represent the Authority on the Welsh Government Scheme Advisory Board for Fire Service Pensions. Last year I was also appointed as the Equalities Champion for Mid and West Wales Fire Authority and had the pleasure attending the He for She launch at the Senedd whilst representing the Fire Authority.

Mae'r adroddiad hwn yn rhoi manylion am weithgareddau allweddol y Cynghorydd dros y flwyddyn a ddaeth i ben 13 Mai, 2020. Fe'i darperir er gwybodaeth i'r holl etholwyr ac nid at unrhyw ddiben arall.

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Adran 1: Rôl a Chyfrifoldebau

Mae manylion y Pwyllgorau a Gweithgorau yr wyf wedi cymryd rhan ynddynt ynghyd â fy mhresenoldeb ar gael trwy ddilyn y ddolen ganlynol i fy nhudalen ar wefan y Cyngor:

Pwyllgorau a phresenoldeb

Gwasanaethais ar y cyrff allanol hyn:

Awdurdod Tân ac Achub Canolborth a Gorllewin Cymru

Corff Llywodraethu Ysgol Gynradd yr Eglwys yng Nghymru Pontnewydd-ar-Wy

Adran 2: Gweithgaredd yr etholaeth

Section 2: Constituency activity

Dros y 12 mis diwethaf, mae llu o weithgareddau wedi'u cynnal yn Llanllŷr a'r Bontnewydd-ar-Wy. Yn ychwanegol at ddelio gyda materion o ddydd i ddydd a wynebir gan drigolion megis problemau gwastraff ac ailgylchu, torri glaswellt, problemau tai ac ati, mae rhai datblygiadau cyffrous wedi bod.

Un o uchafbwyntiau'r deuddeg mis diwethaf oedd Ail Sioe Flynyddol Llanllŷr ac roeddym yn ffodus i weld yr haul yn tywynnun unwaith eto. Y thema ar gyfer y Sioe eleni oedd "Y Syrcas". Cynhalwyd nifer o weithgareddau o Sgiliau Syrcas, o stondin cnau coco, i gystadlaethau gwisg ffansi ynghyd â'r hen ffefrynnau megis sioe gŵn, cystadlaethau pêl-droed a phabell grefftau lwyddiannus iawn. Rwyf wedi parhau i gadeirio Pwyllgor y Sioe ynghyd â thîm ymroddedig o wirfoddolwyr a roddodd o'u hamser a'u ymdrechion llawn trwy gydol y cyfan. Roedd wirioneddol yn ddiwrnod hyfryd. Yn ychwanegol at y Sioe, trefnwyd Noson Rasys gan Bwyllgor y Sioe i godi £600 sy'n swm gwych tuag at sioe'r flwyddyn nesaf.

Mae Neuadd Eglwys Llanllŷr wedi bod mewn cyflwr adfeiliadol am nifer o flynyddoedd gyda'r adeilad ddim yn addas i'r diben a defnyddwyr wedi'u rhwystro rhag defnyddio rhannau o'r neuadd. Dros y ddwy flynedd diwethaf, mae'r pwylgor wedi gweithio'n ddiflino i godi arian a threfnu gwaith i ailgyflwyno Neuadd yr Eglwys, a oedd unwaith yn hen a blinedig, yn ôl i mewn i'r unfed ganrif ar hugain. Mae wedi bod yn bleser eistedd ar y pwylgor codi arian a dilyn y cynnydd ar y gwaith atgyweirio ac adnewyddu.

Mae gweithgareddau dibaid wedi bod hefyd yn y Bontnewydd-ar-Wy gyda thwf parhaus a llwyddiannus yr Ymgyrch Gwylio Cyflymder Cymunedol. Yn dilyn ymlaen o gynnal yr

hyfforddiant angenrheidiol gyda Heddlu Dyfed Powys, mynchais nifer o sesiynau gwyliau cyflymder ar sail reolaidd. Rydym wedi gweld o brofiad pa mor effeithiol yw'r sesiynau gyda gyrrwyr sy'n teithio'n rheolaidd trwy'r pentref yn arafu hyd at y cyflymder priodol. Rwyf wedi gweithio ochr yn ochr â'r Cydlynnydd a Heddlu Dyfed Powys i ddod yn Safle Pryder Cymunedol gyda chynnydd mewn arwyddion ac arwyddion amlycach o fewn y pentref. Yn ychwanegol at hyn, roeddwn yn llwyddiannus wrth weithio ochr yn ochr â Chyngor Sir Powys i sicrhau troi'r arwyddion 20 milltir yr awr y tu allan i'r ysgol ymlaen yn gynharach i ddarparu ar gyfer y clwb brecwast. Mae'r arwyddion yn cael eu gadael ymlaen hefyd erbyn hyn tan hwyrach yn y prynhawn i ddarparu ar gyfer y clybiau ar ôl ysgol.

Yn dilyn derbyn nifer o geisiadau yn Llanllŷr, rwyf wedi bod yn llwyddiannus hefyd wrth sefydlu Ymgyrch Gwylio Cyflymder Cymunedol yn y pentref gyda thîm o wirfoddolwyr gwych. Mae Heddlu Dyfed Powys wedi gwirio a dilysu'r holl wirfoddolwyr ac maent wedi cwblhau'r holl hyfforddiant priodol. Rydym wedi mynd o un lleoliad a gymeradwyir yn y pentref hyd at dri mewn mater o fisoedd.

Adran 3: Dysgu a Datblygu

Mae manylion fy mhresenoldeb yn y sesiynau dysgu a datblygu ar gael trwy ddilyn y ddolen ganlynol i fy nhudalen ar wefan y Cyngor:

[Seminars a Datblygu Aelodau](#)

Adran 4: Sefydliadau allanol a gweithgareddau eraill

Fel rhan o fy rôl o fewn Awdurdod Gwasanaeth Tân ac Achub Canolbarth a Gorllewin Cymru, rwyf yn cynrychioli'r Awdurdod ar Fwrdd Ymgynghorol Llywodraeth Cymru ar Gynllun Pensiynau'r Gwasanaeth Tân. Llynedd, cefais fy mhenodi fel y Pencampwr Cydraddoldeb dros Awdurdod Tân Canolbarth a Gorllewin Cymru a chefais y pleser o fynychu'r lansiad *He for She* yn y Senedd tra'n cynrychioli'r Awdurdod Tân.