

**Draft Summary of the Ordinary Meeting of the Garw Valley Community Council
held on Monday 20th March 2023 at the Richard Price Centre and via Zoom**

Attendance:

Councillors D Davies (Chair), G Andrews, J Coles, W Davies, H Griffiths, M Jones, M Lewis C Lloyd, M Trowbridge and G Walters*

*via zoom

Apologies: Councillor M Thomas

No Apologies: Councillor R Jones

Declarations of Interest:

Councillor	Item	Interest
D Davies	Tynyrheol Primary School Richard Price Centre	Vice-Chair of Governors Director
M Jones	All Bridgend County Borough Matters	Member
M Lewis	All Bridgend County Borough Matters	Member
C Lloyd	Tynyrheol Primary School	Governor
H Griffiths	All Bridgend County Borough Matters Ysgol Cymunedol y Dderwen Ffaldau Primary School	Member Governor Chair of Governors

Minute Number	Agenda Item	Action
147/22-23	To Receive Apologies for Absence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As above
148/22-23	To Receive Declarations of Interest	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As above
149/22-23	To Receive a Presentation from Halo Leisure Ref. Playscheme 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It was confirmed that there is £9,650 for the 2023/24 scheme in the 2023/24 budget. The Clerk was asked to confirm to Halo that the council would continue to support the scheme to this amount.
150/22-23	To Approve the Minutes of the February 2023 Ordinary Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The minutes were approved and were signed by the Chair of the Meeting.

151/22-23	To Consider Matters Arising from the February 2023 Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The information and action of the Clerk was noted. • The Clerk would forward the dog fouling emails to Councillor M Jones to refer. • The Clerk was asked to purchase and install the one trail camera as suggested by Rural Crime Wales and the boardwalk idea would not be progressed. • The Clerk would chase up the repair to the lantern off Victoria Street.
152/22-23	To Receive the Crime Figures for December 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The information was noted.
153/22-23	Co-option Bettws Ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was unanimously agreed to co-opt Mr Neal Harwood-Scorer as a Councillor for the Bettws Ward.
154/22-23	King's Coronation 6 th May 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Following a vote it was unanimously agreed to purchase Coronation Coins for each child in the valleys' 5 primary schools, that the Clerk would deliver the gifts to each school, that the Chair would attend a presentation at each school and the representative governors for each school would make the presentation arrangements with the schools in time for the Coronation date.
155/22-23	Deferred Financial Requests to March 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was unanimously agreed to donate £25 each to the Wales Air Ambulance, Marie Curie and Ronald McDonald House.
156/22-23	Finance & Accounts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The payments for March 2023 were approved and authority was given to make the payments. • All other information was noted.
157/22-23	Borough Council Updates/Ward Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The updates were noted.
158/22-23	Chair's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All agreed the event had been a success.
159/22-23	Clerk's Report including Warden's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The information was noted. • The Clerk was given the go ahead to action the additional baskets for each ward. Future events would require the Warden to be on site, a site visit organised beforehand etc.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Clerk was given approval to purchase the requested tools for the Warden. • It was unanimously agreed that the Clerk could action and progress the projects and works identified in the 2023/24 budget.
160/22-23	Correspondence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All correspondence was noted. • The Clerk was asked to include the IRPW Report on the April agenda. • It was noted that the Community Health Board is now known as Llais, that the funding request from McMillan Cancer Support had been discussed in item 9 on the agenda and that as the funding request from Llangeinor Boys & Girls Club is the second in the financial year it could not be considered. • The Clerk had written to them to see if they could access any other funding pots but had not received a reply. • The Clerk was asked to inform the Llangollen International Eisteddfod of the reasons why their funding request could not be considered.
161/22-23	Planning Matters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All information received was noted. • There were no observations.
162/22-23	Items for the April 2023 Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IRPW Report • Community Award • The agenda would be kept open for items to be added in the month. • Councillor M Jones would speak to Zena at Bettws Life Centre ref. a venue for the April and May meetings. • The date for the next meeting is Monday 17th April 2023 at a Bettws venue tbc and via Zoom at 6.30 pm. <p>Note: Councillor G Walters gave his apologies for the April, May and June meetings and explained why he'd be unable to attend.</p>