

**Cyngor Cymuned
Rhigos
Community Council**

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Dear Sir/Madam

You are summoned to attend the ordinary meeting of the Rhigos Community Council to be held at the Rhigos Community Centre on Monday 11th June 2018 at 6.45 p.m. to transact the following business.

Dated this day 4th June 2018

1. Apologies
2. To confirm minutes of the ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 21st May 2018
3. Matters Arising
4. Planning Applications
5. County Borough Council Matters
6. Correspondence
7. General Data Protection Regulation
8. Rhigos Playgrounds
9. Rhigos Signs
10. Accounts/Burial Fees
11. Members Verbal Reports

Yours sincerely
Susan Harvey Powell
Clerk

To The Chairman and all members of Rhigos Community Council

Rhigos Community Council

Minutes of the ordinary meeting of Rhigos Community Council held at Rhigos Community Centre on Monday 21st May 2018 at 6.45 p.m.

Present: Cllrs. P Oliver, H Wagner, G Thomas, L Leach, S Maull, O Morgan

Apologies: Cllr. A Tobin, C Hopes, M Pope, M Evans

2018/44 Minutes

It was resolved to confirm Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on 21st May 2018

2018/45 Election of Officers

Chairman: Cllr Maull proposed Cllr. P Oliver, seconded by Cllr. Wagner

Vice- Chairman: Cllr. Oliver proposed Cllr. H Wagner, seconded by Cllr. Maull

2018/46 Declaration of Interest

2018/56 b Cllr. Wagner declared an interest and left the meeting as she is on the Youth Club committee

2018/47 Matters Arising

- a. Bike Track Cwm Hwnt - there are still some pre-application consultations outstanding therefore it is still a 28 day allowance.

2018/48 Planning

It was resolved to note:

No planning received.

2018/49 County Borough Council Matters

It was resolved that the following complaints be passed on to Councillor G Thomas for his attention.

- a. The fence is broken around the park opposite the community centre, some palettes and a lot of litter has been left there.
- b. There is knot weed near Cefn Farm in Cwm Hwnt
- c. Can we have an update on the Post Office.
- d. Recycling bags - RCT have said they can be left at the community centre. The centre is open every Tuesday afternoon. Cllr. Maull reported that there was a van in the village recently giving out recycling bags.

Also the mobile library carries bags.

- e. Telephone box - the receiver has been replaced but it is still not working.
- f. Could the grass be cut on the verges approaching Hirwaun roundabout.
- g. Beacons Reclamation are parking a van with an advertising board on Hirwaun roundabout.
- h. The concrete edging outside a house in Heol y Bryn is dangerous.
- i. The pavements are bad all around the village especially the one near the play area.
- j. There is a settee in the garden of a house in Heol y Bryn owned by Trivallis.
- k. A mess has been left in Heol y De by drainage contractors.

2018/50

Correspondence

It was resolved to receive the following correspondence.

- a. Minutes & Agenda One Voice Wales

2018/51

Independent Remuneration

It was agreed to adopt the following statutory remunerations,

- a. Care for dependents £200.00
- b. Chairman's Allowance £100.00

It was agreed to adopt the following mandatory remuneration,

- a. Travelling expenses for council business.

2018/52

General Data Protection Regulation

An email has been received stating that smaller council's may not need to appoint a data Protection Officer. Policies will be adopted at the next meeting.

2018/53

Rhigos Playgrounds

- a. Heol y Bryn playground – Cllr. Evans was not at this meeting.
- b. The Old Adventure playground – The padlock has been replaced and keys cut. The payment date will run from 1st April and not January as previously agreed. Insurance is needed which could cost about £3 - £4 per head. Also the joining fee for the Allotments Society is about £3 - £4 per head. Cllr. Wagner has a meeting with Pen y Cymoedd to discuss funding. Cllr. Morgan has not yet been able to sort out a container..

2018/54**Rhigos Signs**

It will cost £180.00 per sign to make the amendments, Cllr. Morgan will arrange this.

2018/55**Accounts**

Mrs Powell presented the balance sheet for 2017/18. It was agreed to engage Mrs R Holcombe as the internal auditor as in previous years.

Morton Michel (Youth Club Ins)	£420.70
BHIB (Ins.)	£848.51
Swalec	£101.79
A Thomas (cemetery)	£435.00
Wages and tax	£396.55
Current Account	£9197.99
High Interest Account	£3809.08
Field Account	£4052.05
Croesffordd Account	£2509.76
Croesffordd High Interest	£2480.44
Croesffordd Treasury	£23,000.00
Selar	£42627.14
Solar Farm Fund	£0.00

2018/56**Members' Verbal Reports**

- a. Parking outside the school is dangerous.
- b. Cllr. Wagner presented an insurance quote for the Youth Club, she then declared an interest and left the meeting. The quote was for £420.70, Cllr. Oliver proposed that the community council pay it, seconded by Cllr. Morgan and agreed by all.
- c. A resident asked if they could borrow some chairs from the community centre for a party,. agreed by all.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held at Rhigos Community Centre on Monday 11th June 2018 at 6.45 p.m.

SIGNED..... DATE.....

Chairman