



Cwmbran Community Council Cyngor Cymuned Cwmbrân

You are summoned to attend the following meeting:

Events & Community Projects Committee

Monday 4 April 2016 @ 6.00pm

Venue: Council Chamber Council House, Ventnor Road, Cwmbran NP44 3JY

To: Councillors: WJ Walker (Chair), D Daniels, M Day (Vice Chair), S Evans, R Jones, KK Manneh, TA Matthews, JC Powell, J Rees, PJ Williams.

Councillors M Johnston, L Chaney, S Brooks & WM Howell
(Ex Officio Members)

To: ALL OTHER MEMBERS FOR INFORMATION

1. **Apologies for Absence**
2. **Members' Declarations of Interest**
3. **Summer Playschemes 2016**

Oral report on progress.

4. **Commemorative Plaque at Blaen Bran Woodland**

The Council has agreed to fund certain works at the above woodland. (Minute ESP15/043).

The works will include a commemorative plaque. It is proposed to use a similar inscription on the plaque to that used to dedicate the flagpoles at the Council House, which are dedicated to those who gave up their lives in the struggle for liberty (see "members Matters" 15 March 2016.) This matter is being reported to this committee for information as any plaque would be funded from the Remembrance budget, which is held by this committee (code L10).

The Clerk has negotiated a generous discount on the cost of construction, fitting, laying and engraving of the plaque with Mossfords, details of which will be reported at the meeting.

Other opportunities will be sought to commemorate the contribution of former Members who have passed away, which members have suggested in discussing the above works.

Review of Previous Events

5. **[Primary Schools Choral festival 1,2 and 3 March 2016](#)**

To consider the attached report.



6. **"An Evening to Celebrate Cwmbran and its Communities" 5 March 2016**

To consider the attached report.

Forthcoming Events

7. **Big Event 11 June 2016**

To report the proposal to purchase commemorative coins to celebrate HM Queen's 90th Birthday for distribution at the Big Event. A sample coin will be available to view at the meeting. Purchase and distribution of the coins would fit in well with the proposal to invite the public to sign a large birthday card for Her Majesty at the Council's stand. (Minute ENT15/041)

Delivery of the coins could take up to 6 weeks. It would therefore be necessary to purchase any coins before the committee's recommendation has been approved by Full Council. However the Council has already allocated £1,000 to fund its participation in the 2016 Big Event (Code L05a). Any items purchased in conjunction with the Big Event would therefore be funded from this approved expenditure.

It is **recommended** that the above proposal is supported.

8. **Christmas Entertainment 2016**

At a meeting held on 7 March 2016, the Council's Policy & Finance Committee asked this committee to review the fees paid to providers of Pre-Christmas entertainment. (Minute PF15/069 (2) refers.)

The budget for this has already been approved by the Council and is included within the approved estimates for 2016/17. £1,500 is included for "Pre Christmas Entertainment" (L06) and £4,000 has been included for "Christmas Trees & Carols" (L09).



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