
ABER VALLEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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CALLING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the above Council will be held at **Abertridwr Community Centre and on Microsoft Teams on Thursday 14th November 2024**. The meeting will commence at 7.00 pm.

The meeting will be held in a multi-location format. If members of the public or Press wish to attend, in person or remotely, please contact the Clerk to the Council 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

Julie Lloyd
(Clerk to the Council)

AGENDA

1. To note Members' attendance and receive any apologies for absence.
2. Declarations of Interest

Councillors and Officers are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any item of business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution, and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors, Officers and Clerk.

3. Public Matters.
4. Police Matters.
5. Community Safety Warden – Caerphilly County Borough Council.

6. Youth Ambassador.
7. To confirm the minutes of the Community Council meeting held on 10th October 2024.
8. Clerk's Report (attached).
9. Chairperson's Report.
10. The Green Plan.
11. Presentation Evening 2025.
12. Bonfire Night 2024/ 2025.
13. Aber Valley Community Council Logo Competition.
14. Christmas Lighting – 2024 Festive Period ('switch-on' event and Christmas Trees).
15. Financial Assistance from Aber Valley Community Council.
16. Summer schemes (SYDIC and YMCA).
17. Senghenydd Cenotaph.
18. Notice of Motion – Winter Fuel Payment.
19. CCBC – Consultation Review BT/4G CCTV cameras.
20. Draft Budget Proposals for 2025/26.
21. Members Matters.
22. Date of the next Community Council meeting – Thursday 12th December 2024.

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REPORT OF THE CLERK TO THE COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2024 COMMENCING AT 7.00 P.M.

1. CURRENT FINANCIAL SITUATION

- (a) To receive an update on the current financial situation and to approve the Community Council's accounts.

2. INCOME

- (a) The following income has been received:

- (i) Donation from All Weather Washin towards Firework Display - £100.
- (ii) Donation from Hughes Installation towards Firework Display - £150.

3. EXPENDITURE

- (a) To note the following expenditure:

- (i) Payroll – Month 07.
- (ii) EE Telephone Bill (monthly direct debit) - £26.98
- (iii) The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal – £25.00
- (iv) The Art of Sparks Ltd - £3,500
- (v) ECL Plastics - £48.00 (re-imburement to the Clerk)
- (vi) Post Office Ltd - £100 (re-imburement to the Clerk)
- (vii) SSE Energy Solutions - £153.44 (re-imburement to the Clerk)

4. APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- (a) To consider the following applications for financial assistance:

- (i) The Parent Network
- (ii) Aber Valley YMCA
- (iii) Friends of Emerald Academy

5. CORRESPONDENCE

(i) Freedom Of Information Requests

Two emails received requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act, on expenditure for Christmas lighting.

(ii) Request for Donation for Dwell Café/Christmas Grotto

An email has been received from T. Nelder requesting a donation towards the children's gift received at this event.

6. A.O.B

- (i) CCBC Consultation for Library Service.

7. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

None.