

Minutes of a meeting of Llanbethma Community Council, held in the Celtic Manor Hotel on Thursday 31st October 2013, at 7.30pm

Present: Cllr. Jean Luc Picard (Chair), Cllrs Wil Riker, Beverley Crusher, Wesley Crusher, Data, Geordi La Forge. Clerk: James T. Kirk

Apologies: Cllr Deanna Troy

1. Minutes of the last meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting were ACCEPTED.

2. Declarations of interest.

None.

3. Matters arising

a) New swimming baths. Following a review of the proposed plans by the planning sub-committee it was AGREED to publish a request for tenders for the construction of the new swimming pool based on the plans, but with the addition of a jacuzzi and sauna. ACTION: Clerk to publish notice in parish newsletter.

b) Parking. Reply received from Caerbethma County Council agreeing to proposed double yellow lines outside Tŷ Mawr. Planning notice to be published shortly.

4. Correspondence

a) Letter from the Mid-Wales Society for Fox and Badger Protection requesting donation. REFUSED

b) Letter from Caerbethma County Council regarding Banquet to celebrate 155th anniversary of the closing of the Caerbethma Leprosy Hospital. AGREED Cllrs. Riker and W.Crusher to attend.

5. Finance

a) Balances in the bank on 1st October: Current a/c £2,497.17, Deposit a/c £173,987.12

b) Invoice received for salary and expenses for Clerk, for 3 months ending 30th September, total £17,432.87. AGREED.

6. Planning

a) Application ref CCC/2013/2976 by Picard, Picard and Picard Ltd. for construction of new tannery adjacent to the Tai Newydd Council Estate. No objection.

b) Application ref CCC/2013/2966 by Mr Hamish McTavish for addition of porch to Duneadin. Llanbethma. AGREED to send objection on grounds that it will not be in keeping with the area.

7. Other matters

a) Town twinning: Cllr. Wil Riker proposed that Llanbethma should consider a village twinning arrangement with Erewhon in Tuscany, Italy. AGREED to to pay the costs of a visit by Cllr and Mrs Riker to discuss the matter with the Mayor of Erewhon.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm