**CYNGOR CYMUNED DINAS CROSS COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

**The monthly meeting was held at Yr Yen Ysgol on Tuesday 13TH June at 7pm. Keith Battrick presided.**

**Members present – Sheila Lacroix, Lynne Upsdell, Alison Parkes, Tricia Curtis, Phil Simpson, Bob Kilminster.**

**Apologies were received from Michelle Bartram, Mike Parkes and Eric Nicholas.**

**The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed as a true record.**

**Matters arising.**

**Planning application for telephone mast near the playing field - The council strongly opposed this due to the visual impact on the village, concerns were also expressed about the drainage of the area, the environmental damage to flora and fauna, and possible risks to the health of those living nearby. It was suggested that a more appropriate site would be at Spring Hill, where there is already one mast.**

**Conservatory at Trewach: The council supported this application with no observations.**

**Those new councillors present signed the declaration of office. Those not present are to sign at the next meeting.**

**It was agreed that minutes should be sent via e-mail in future.**

**Tennis Court Committee: An advert was placed in the County Echo asking for volunteers for this committee. There had been no response so far. The financing of the Committee was discussed, but a new committee needs to be in place.**

**2016-17 Audit – The annual audit has been submitted and no response has been received so far.**

**Good Councillor’s Guide – Members were advised that they can download their own copy.**

**Keil House Bus Shelter – The shelter needs repairs and attention, and the Chairman is to contact a contractor to carry out this work.**

**Works near Garngelli – The Council was asked what works had been going on in the lane around Garngelli layby . It was reported that broadband contractors had dug trenches to install cabling to the Fishguard Bay Caravan site, and the work was now completed.**

**Bob Kilminster spoke about the meeting to be held on June 23rd to discuss road safety. There are three sites of speed concern in the village.**

**Pwllgwaelod – the Council agreed to pay for the paint to mark out the disabled bays in the Boat Park at Pwllgwaelod. Alison Parkes said that the paint would cost approximately £140 and should last ten years. The Clerk asked that a VAT registered invoice be submitted for the Council’s financial records.**

**Norman Thomas, Clerk, announced that after over 60 years of service to the Council he was tendering his resignation. He is happy to help with a handover to whoever replaces him. Claire Jones, Monitoring Officer, will help the Council with this arrangement.**

**Bank mandates – the Clerk has the forms ready for the new clerk.**

**National Park Meeting – Bob Kilminster said he had arranged a meeting for 27th June at Yr Hen Ysgol. It would be a public meeting open to all, to discuss the proposed Local Development Plan.**

**Defibrillator – Enquiries are to be made about how to obtain a defibrillator. Alison Parkes suggested that Pwllgwaelod beach area would be a good site, due to the large numbers of visitors in the summer. It was also suggested that yr Hen Ysgol would be a good site. The Clerk said he would speak to the Cwm yr Eglwys Trust to see if they might contribute towards one for Cwm yr Eglwys.**

**Flowers are to be given to Sally Williams to thank her for her 34 years of service to the Community Council.**

**Alison Parkes raised the issue of the water and sewage problems at Pwllgwaelod after heavy rains. It was suggested that the Council contact Welsh Water to investigate the problem.**

**Lynne Upsdell reported that Planed were hoping to arrange the funding for a community worker to be available one day a week for the community.**

**Date of the next meeting – 4th July 2017.**