**CYNGOR CYMUNED TREAMLOD / AMBLESTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

A meeting of Ambleston Community Council was held at Ambleston Memorial Hall on Monday 24th July at 7.30 pm.

Present: Rosie McDonald (Chair), Gail Davis, Julian Harries, Kevin Morris, E Forrest (Clerk)

1. **Apologies** – Gareth Owen, Cllr David Howlett
2. **Minutes of the AGM and last Meeting (26.06.23)**

 Minutes of the last meeting had been distributed to members which were agreed by all that they were to be signed.

1. **Matters arising from the minutes.**
2. Willow trees near Wallis Bridge – One side has been clipped, but the pond side still needs doing.
3. Scrap vehicles on the common – No update.
4. **Highway matters**

Kevin reported overhanging branches at the bottom of the hill on the road as you enter Tufton. The hedge had been cut, but the vans and lorries are having to pull out into the road to avoid the higher branches and noticed a few wing mirrors on the floor. Eirian will report.

1. **Planning**

Nil.

1. **Wallis Pond**

Mair Rees did meet Adrian Johns the contractor who is on the PCC framework and is waiting for a quote. Will need to find out if Adrian is able to do the work outside the nesting season. It was agreed that when the quote is received, Eirian will circulate to all and draft the National Lottery funding application. Gareth has previously offered to help with the application. Once it is complete will circulate to all for approval before submitting.

1. **Broadway Partners gone into administration.**

No update.

1. **Correspondence**
* Urgent and Emergency Children & Young People’s (Pediatric) Services at Withybush and Glangwilli Hospitals – two extra dates added 1st & 10th August. Rosie will try and attend on the 10th.
* PCC - Press Release on Avian Flu in Pembrokeshire. Noted and has been posted on Facebook.
* Margaret Griffiths, Ambleston Memorial Hall room hire charge £30 from April 2023 – July 2023, including two nights for the defibrillator training. Kevin declared an interest. Payment was agreed. To note that from 1st August the hall hire charge will increase to £10.00.
* Cllr David Howlett email to all prior to the meeting giving an update on the Review of Community Electoral Arrangements.
1. **Any other business**

As a guardian for the defibrillator Kevin asked for clarification on what he needs to do. Rosie explained that the battery needs to be checked and that the pads were in date. The Circuit will send out an email to remind him to check it. To note the pads for Wallis and Woodstock expire February 2024 and the cost need to be budgeted for.

1. **Date of next meeting**

25th September 2023 at 7.30pm

There being no further matters the Chair declared the meeting closed at 8.05 pm.

**Signed ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….**

**Date………………………………………………….**