

Minutes of the meeting of Stackpole and Castlemartin Community Council held at Castlemartin Community Hall on Monday, April 8th 2019, at 7.30pm.

Update on current issues

1. **Stackpole VC School**-sale no further update.

2. **St. Twynells Bus Shelter** –. The councillors asked the clerk to contact Helen McLeod-Baikie regarding the lease.

3. **Councillor Gary Evans**–Gary Evans from the Stackpole Inn has been appointed as a councillor for Stackpole & Castlemartin Community Council and attended was invited to attend this meeting.

4. **Buckspool Farm Pot Hole** – It was decided to speak to Simon Davies to see if he can make a soak away in the area.

5. **Street Lights** –The streetlight opposite Windsor House in Castlemartin has not yet been repaired Councillor Steve Alderman to report the issue using my account on the PCC website and detailing the lamppost identity number.

6. **Fly Tipping** – The fly tipping has been dumped on the right hand side at Lyserry Councillor Steve Alderman to report to the county council.

7. **Planed Meeting** –Councillor David Edwards attended the meeting held at County Hall on the 4th March 2019. Update to follow at next meeting.

8. **Pot Hole** – Between Stackpole and Cheriton bottom, the councillors asked the clerk to take a photograph and report to Darren Thomas of Pembrokeshire County Council.

9. Bosherton Car Park – The secretary of St Michael's and All Angels church wrote a letter expressing concerns relating to the present intention of the National Trust to paint double yellow lines on the tarmac leading to Bosherton village car park.

10. National Trust Update – Freshwater west visitor numbers increasing year on year with 2018 being the busiest ever. There have been problems with parking. Freshwater West Steering Group will be setting up a visitor's survey with café MOR handing out the questionnaires. There will be a Freshwater West community drop in day at Castlemartin Community Café on Tuesday the 30th April 2019 3pm-7pm. Pembrokeshire County Council are reviewing double yellow lines, restrictive parking bays and no overnight camping for camper vans at Freshwater West. The National Trust will employ an enforcement officer if the new parking restrictions are introduced. Steve Alderman will be the representative for the Stackpole & Castlemartin Community Councillors on the steering group. The car parking structure has been reviewed and now offers 3 hours for £3. Himalayan Balsam is spreading and the National Park is looking at additional funding. Barafundle becoming very busy ranger team direct people to Broad Haven South.

11. The councillors asked the clerk to contact Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to passing places between Stackpole and East Trewent could they be opened up.

12. The councillors asked the clerk to contact Pembrokeshire County Council to see if an illuminated flashing speed sign could be put in the village of Stackpole to encourage the traffic to slow down.

NEW CORRESPONDENCE

Invoice received from One Voice Wales inviting the Stackpole & Castlemartin Community Council to join.

Letter received from Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to the appointment of community council member of the standards committee.

Email received from Marc Edwards of Broadway Partners in relation to wanting to connect the last 5% of properties in Pembrokeshire to the superfast Cymru II they are looking for the next village to participate, either through the DCMS funded Rural programmes or through Gigabit Voucher/Welsh Government schemes (whereby a Business can receive up to £5500 and residential properties up to £800 towards a Gigabit connection).

Email received from Valero advising that the next Valero Pembroke Refinery Community Advisory Panel to discuss environmental and community matters will be held on Thursday the 23rd May 2019. The meeting will commence at 9.30 am in the Main Lecture Theatre, Main Admin Building

at Pembroke refinery. Steve Alderman will attend to represent Stackpole & Castlemartin Community Council.

Email received from One Voice Wales detailing the Advanced Local Government Finance training course being offered on Thursday 25th April 2019 6.30 – 9.00 pm.

Email received from One Voice Wales detailing the Finance Committee of the National assembly for Wales is seeking information to inform its inquiry on consideration of proposals to amend the Public Audit (Wales) Act 2013.

Email received from Robert Evans PCC in relation to the Stackpole & Castlemartin Community Council request for vehicular activated speed (VAS) signs in Maiden Wells at the roundabout. PCC is not in a position to fund such signs and suggest the council refer the concerns to the Road Policing Unit.

Letter received from the secretary of Bosherton Church Council expressing concerns relating to the intention of the National Trust to paint double yellow lines on the tarmac area leading to Bosherton village car park.

Letter received from the Long Course Weekend, which will be held on the 5th, and 6th July 2019 information detailing road closures during the long course weekend can be found on the website www.walesportive.com

Email received from Darren Thomas PCC detailing the fact that he has passed the matter of the streetlight opposite Windsor House in Castlemartin onto the lighting maintenance engineer.

Email received from Rob Scourfield of PCC asking the architects for more information in relation to the red cladding for the proposed extension at Parke Castlemartin.

Email received from Hole Architects in relation to the red cladding for the proposed extension at Parke Castlemartin detailing the revised proposal seeks to clad the extension to the property entirely in standing seam zinc panels, the previous approval had a zinc roof but slate clad walls. The coated zinc finish has been chosen for the colour compatibility with the ochre reds in the existing cottage and because the zinc does not fade or patinate.

PLANNING

Pembrokeshire Coast National Park – Notice of confirmation of a public path diversion order. Highways Act 1980 Section 119. Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Authority Public footpath SP4/6 (Part) Bosherton, in the community of Stackpole, Pembrokeshire Public Path Diversion Order 2019.

NP/19/0189/FUL – Creation of wetsuit drying area attached to existing Activity Centre Gupton Farm, Castlemartin, Pembroke, Pembrokeshire, SA71 5HW/

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The councillors asked the clerk to write to Robert Evans and find out how much vehicular activated speed signs would cost to be put up near the roundabout in Maidenwells on the St Twynells side and report that the camera at the roundabout is facing Pembroke traffic from St Twynells and Castlemartin is not being seen.

The councillors asked the clerk to report that there is a street light out in Woodbine Rise, St Twynells councillor Billy Evans to email the lamppost number.

The councillors asked the clerk to write to Pembrokeshire County Council and request the sign on the Pound in Castlemartin be replaced, as currently there is no sign.

The councillors asked the clerk to write to Emrys Llewellyn re still water at the bottom of Brownslade and ask can a trench be dug.

Steve Jones Emergency Planning at Pembrokeshire County Council has offered to come along to our meeting in June to talk to the councillors about emergency planning.

The councillors asked the clerk to contact Hundelton Community Council in relation to the manhole at the Speculation Inn need repairing.

The councillors asked the clerk to contact Pembrokeshire County Council in relation the signage at Thorn please can a dead end sign be put up.

Next Meeting: The meeting closed at 8.30 pm. The council will next meet at Bosherton Church Hall on Monday 13th May 2019 at 7.30 pm. This will be the Annual General Meeting.