

FRIENDS OF CWRT MYTTON, CWRT MYTTON CARE HOME, ABERTILLERY

31/07/2020

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31 JUL 2020
TOWN COUNCIL

Dear Tracy

RE DONATION TO 'FRIENDS OF CWRT MYTTON' CARE HOME

On behalf of the 'Friends of Cwrt Mytton' Care Home, I write to thank Nantyglo & Blaina Town Council for the very kind and generous donation of £100.

The monies will go towards achieving ongoing projects at Cwrt Mytton and, we will in due course update you on the latter.

With kind regards to all Council Members and yourself

Anita Banks

For and on behalf of 'The Friends of Cwrt Mytton'

REMINDER - TRAINING AVAILABLE FROM ONE VOICE WALES

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From: Wendi Patience <wpatience@onevoicewales.wales>
Sent: Wed, 26 Aug, 2020 at 11:12
To: Wendi Patience
Cc: Wendi Patience

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Bursary letter up to Feb 2021 - £100.docx (108.6 KB)
Overview Modules Jan 2020 Eligible for free places.doc (309.9 KB)

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Dear Chair/Clerk,

TRAINING AVAILABLE FROM ONE VOICE WALES

As you will appreciate, we have been unable to offer face to face training since early March this year and the probability is that this form of training will not be available for some time yet. We have therefore decided to offer webinar training to all Councils, and we are currently involved in establishing a new system for delivering this form of training with StarLeaf video conferencing. The webinar training programme will be launched in September this year and our trainers are currently receiving training and support to enable them to deliver training based on our current modules on a webinar-based approach. We will of course re-introduce face to face training at some future point in time but there is little likelihood of this being a possibility for some time yet. The likelihood for the longer term is that we will offer a mixture of both training methods which will provide an element of choice which will be appealing to many Councillors in Wales.

I am pleased to inform you that the Welsh Government is providing additional financial support in the current financial year to reduce the cost to Councils of funding training places. I feel certain that you will welcome the support being given which is designed to not only reduce the cost of training to Councils but also to encourage higher levels of participation which will enhance the knowledge and skills of Councillors enabling them to effectively engage in all aspects of their important governance, financial and accountability responsibilities.

The Welsh Government's financial support provides for: -

- a. Subject to a cost ceiling, the funding of two free places for Councils with priority being given to those Councillors who are either Chair of the Council or of the Finance Committee. One Voice Wales will prioritise the award of free places depending on the number of nominations received. For us to arrange for the allocation of places to these courses can you

please complete and return to Wendi Patience the attached form.

- b. The free places will only apply to those who are nominated to attend one or more of designated modules, namely The Council as an Employer, Understanding Local Government Finance and Understanding the Law.
- c. A financial allocation has been approved to enable the continuation of the bursary scheme but for the current financial year, Councils with an annual budgeted income of £100k or less will be eligible based on a maximum grant per Council of £100 as a contribution of up to 50% of the cost of training delivered by One Voice Wales.

As well as programmed courses which Councils can book places on, there remains the option for Councils to request bespoke training sessions for their own Council members.

The cost of training courses in the current financial year are as follows: -

Council Description	Webinar Place Cost	Face to Face Delivery Cost	Bespoke Course Cost (Webinar)	Bespoke Course Cost (Face to Face)
Member Councils (More than 200 dwellings)	£30.00	£40.00	£299	£399
Member Councils (Less than 200 dwellings)	£20.00	£30.00	As above	As above
Non-Member Councils (More than 200 dwellings)	£50.00	£60.00	Not available	Not available
Non-Member Councils (Less than 200 dwellings)	£40.00	£50.00	Not available	Not available

Note – There will be a maximum of 20 places on webinar and face to face training events.

You should be aware that we now offer a new training module on the process elements of community asset transfers. This is best delivered on a bespoke basis and is offered at the current time as a webinar training session. If your Council would wish to book a bespoke webinar on any of our courses including this new course please contact Wendi Patience for further details - wpatience@onevoicewales.wales

For your reference, I am enclosing a summary of all our current training courses together with the bursary claim form.

I sincerely hope that you will encourage your members to take up the opportunity to take part in our programme of webinar courses. Full details of the course dates and times together with joining instructions will be circulated to you in early September.

Yours faithfully,

Lyn Cadwallader
Chief Executive

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FW: [SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL] Gift Card Scam being targeted at Councillors

From: Tracy Gilmartin-Ward <tgilmartinward@onevoicewales.wales>
Sent: Thu, 27 Aug, 2020 at 13:58
To: Tracy Gilmartin-Ward

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Please see email below for your information and attention / Gweler yr e-bost isod er eich gwybodaeth a'ch sylw

From: Jordan Gareth DC 357 <gareth.jordan@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk>
Sent: 27 August 2020 11:45
To: Admin <admin@onevoicewales.org.uk>
Subject: [SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL] Gift Card Scam being targeted at Councillors

SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL

Hi there

I am Detective Constable Gareth Jordan from the Cyber Crime Unit at Dyfed Powys Police HQ, Carmarthen.

We have been having a number of calls stating councillors are emailing constituents asking for Gift Cards to be purchased.

This is a scam, but some people are likely to believe it.

Please could you put a warning out to councillors that this scam is ongoing and see if they can alert their constituents about it.

I have pasted one such email below, I have redacted the name and email of the recipient, but left the senders email address (suspect). but some are going out in texts as well...

++++ EMAIL ++++

From: Cllr. J.E. Jones <executivecouncil37@gmail.com>
To: XXX
Date: Tuesday, 25 August 2020, 08:40 +0100
Subject: Re: Sorry to bother you

XXX, I am in a conference meeting right now as I would be working till late midnight but need you to get me some gift cards. Could you pick a few iTunes gift cards for me, i tried purchasing online but no luck. When I'm done with the meeting I will reimburse you.

Kind Regards,
Cllr. J.E. Jones

On 8/25/20, XXXX> wrote:

>
> Yes of course, what's up? Give me a call if it's easier XXX
>
> Sent from myMail for iOS
>
>> Tuesday, 25 August 2020, 08:34 +0100 from
executivecouncil37@gmail.com
> <executivecouncil37@gmail.com>:
>>XXX, are you free at the moment?
>>

>>Cllr. J.E. Jones

+++ TEXT MESSAGE +++

Regards,
Gareth Jordan

DC357 Gareth Jordan
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Tim Troseddau Seiber / Cyber Crime Team
Heddlu Dyfed-Powys / Dyfed-Powys Police
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SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL

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Nid yw'r e-bost hwn nag unrhyw ffeiliau a drosglwyddir gydag ef o angenrheidrwydd yn adlewyrchu barn Heddlu Dyfed-Powys. Bwriedir yr e-bost ar gyfer y person neu'r sefydliad a enwir uchod. Os derbyniwyd yr e-bost hwn trwy gamgymeriad, dylid hysbysu'r anfonydd a dileu'r e-bost oddi ar eich system os gwelwch yn dda. Os na'i fwriadwyd ar eich cyfer chi ac nid chi yw'r cyflogwr na'r asiant sy'n gyfrifol am roi'r e-bost i'r derbynnydd bwriadedig, fe'ch hysbysir gan hyn na chaniateir i chi ddefnyddio, adolygu, lledaenu, dosbarthu na chopio'r e-bost ar unrhyw gyfrif. Archwiliwyd yr e-bost hwn ac unrhyw ffeiliau a drosglwyddir gydag ef am firws. Serch hynny, dylai'r derbynnydd hefyd archwilio'r e-bost a'r ffeiliau sydd ynghlwm am firws oherwydd nid yw Heddlu Dyfed Powys yn derbyn cyfrifoldeb am unrhyw ddifrod a achosir gan unrhyw firws a drosglwyddir trwy gyfrwng yr e-bost hwn.

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This e-mail and any files transmitted with it are not necessarily the view of Dyfed-Powys Police. It is intended only for the person or entity named above. If you have received this e-mail in error please notify the originator and erase this e-mail from your system. If you are not the intended recipient or the employer or agent responsible for delivering it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any use, review, dissemination, distribution or copying of the e-mail is strictly prohibited. This e-mail and any files transmitted within it have been checked for all known viruses. The recipient should still check the e-mail and any attachments for the presence of viruses, as Dyfed-Powys Police accepts no liability for any damage caused by any virus transmitted by this e-mail.

FW: [SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL] Dyfed Powys Police - Scam Warning -Microsoft Calls...

From: [Tracy Gilmartin-Ward <tracy.gilmartinward@onevoicewales.wales>](mailto:tracy.gilmartinward@onevoicewales.wales)

Sent: Fri, 28 Aug, 2020 at 09:44

To: [Tracy Gilmartin-Ward](mailto:tracy.gilmartinward@onevoicewales.wales)

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For your information and attention / Er eich gwybodaeth a'ch sylw

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28 AUG 2020 N.B.

From: Jordan Gareth DC 357 <gareth.jordan@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk>

Sent: 28 August 2020 08:42

To: Tracy Gilmartin-Ward <tracy.gilmartinward@onevoicewales.wales>

TOWN COUNCIL

Subject: [SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL] Dyfed Powys Police - Scam Warning - Microsoft Calls...

SWYDDOGOL OFFICIAL

JUST HANG UP!

Criminals pretending to be from Microsoft, Norton and BT are trying to scam Dyfed-Powys residents. If you receive a call saying your computer is infected or has serious errors, or your anti-virus needs updating, just hang up the phone. No genuine employee from Microsoft, Norton Anti-Virus or BT should ever phone you to tell you this.

These callers are criminals who will try gain your trust by making you think your computer has a problem. If you allow them access to your computer, you are at risk of having money taken from your bank account and your computer locked.

- Don't engage in conversation with them.
- Put the phone down.
- Block the number they called from.
- Tell your friends and neighbours about this scam.

I have made a graphic up that can be used as well, PDF's are attached to this email also.

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Heddlu Police
DYFED-POWYS

FW: Information re: experiences during Covid 19

From: andrew.parker@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk
Sent: Tue, 1 Sep, 2020 at 13:14
To: clerk@nantygloandblainatc.co.uk
Cc: Bernadette.Elias@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk

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From: Bernadette Elias - Governance
Sent: 01 September 2020 13:03
Subject: FW: Information re: experiences during Covid 19

Hi Tracey

Hope you are well. Please find a response on behalf of the Leader to your request. Obviously, the message referred to in your letter was made as a point in time, and May does seem like a while ago in these current times! That said, hopefully the examples below will give a flavour of the lessons learned and continuing reflection as we move between response and recovery phases.

Digital Transformation:

- We enabled remote working for approximately 80% of the workforce within two weeks of lockdown. Maintaining this type of flexible working is being built into our ways of working for the future.
- We introduced a hybrid mail room solution to ensure the flow of letters into and out of the council was uninterrupted.
- We created a remote working contact centre to ensure staff could work safely from their homes with no impact on the quality of service to our residents. This model was also used to establish 6 locality response teams homebased to support our shielding and non-shielding vulnerable residents. Our local Test, Trace, Protect Service is also delivered remotely.
- We increased the ability for residents to self-serve. When the waste service was fully restarted 60% of slots at the Household Waste and Recycling Centre were booked online and 50% of bulky waste collections were also made online. We plan to accelerate our plans for self-service and have started to map high demand

services and identify opportunities to do things differently.

- We moved swiftly to hold Democratic Committees remotely via MS Teams and provide recordings of meetings online.

Data and Insight:

- Through the careful analysis of local data, we were able to target our support to residents during lockdown. We used existing data and intelligence to identify those households that required additional help. We contacted all the people who received shielding letters from the Chief Medical Officer via the telephone and also wrote to all those we identified as non-shielding vulnerable residents.
- Data and insight is embedded into our recovery plans and we have created an intelligence hub.

Customer Experience:

- We created 6 virtual locality response teams to signpost residents to support in the community.
- We are continuing to provide our Locality Response Service beyond the initial phase of COVID19.

Communications:

- Through effective use of social media, we have been able to communicate critical information at pace out to our residents and businesses. We have seen a significant increase in people accessing information via Facebook and Twitter.

Human Resources:

- We quickly aligned our people to critical services and used our workforce data to inform our decisions.

One Council Working:

- We have seen an increase in one council working during this time. This has been captured through lessons learned exercises across the organisation and is part of our ways of working for the future.

Kind regards
Bernadette

Bernadette Elias
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From: clerk@nantygloandblainatc.co.uk
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Sent: 19 August 2020 12:24
To: Nigel Daniels - Councillor <Nigel.Daniels@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk>
Cc: Andrew Parker - Governance <andrew.parker@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk>; Bernadette Elias - Governance <Bernadetteelias@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk>; Ceri Brown <ceri.edwardsbrown@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk>
Subject: Information re: experiences during Covid 19

Good afternoon Councillor Daniels,

Please find attached a letter which kindly requests information in respect of experiences and possible lessons learned by Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council as a result of the Covid 19 situation.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information and/or clarification.

Kind regards

Tracy

Tracy Hughes - Town Clerk
Nantyglo and Blaina Town Council

E-mail: clerk@nantygloandblainatc.co.uk
Tel: 01495 292817

Monday - Thursday: 9am-3pm
Friday: 9am - 1pm

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The Council welcomes correspondence in Welsh and English and we will communicate with you in the language of your choice, as long as you let us know which you prefer. Corresponding in Welsh will not lead to any delay.

Mae'r Cyngor yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg, Saesneg neu yn y ddwy iaith. Byddwn yn cyfathrebu â chi yn ôl eich dewis. Ni fydd gohebu yn

The Grange University Hospital is Opening Early!

From: ABB_Engagement (Aneurin Bevan UHB - Corporate Services) <ABB.Engagement@wales.nhs.uk>

Sent: Fri, 28 Aug, 2020 at 14:38

To: Undisclosed recipients

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Good Afternoon,

We are pleased to be able to contact you with the latest news from Aneurin Bevan University Health Board.

The Grange University Hospital is Opening Early!

The Grange University Hospital will officially open mid-November this year, instead of the original planned date in March 2021. The new facility based in Cwmbran, which has received over £360m Welsh Government funding will provide emergency and urgent care, bringing together services previously provided at the Royal Gwent Hospital in Newport and Nevill Hall Hospital in Abergavenny.

Parts of the hospital were made available to the NHS early as a field hospital to assist with the Coronavirus pandemic. The 60 acre site will have a 471 bed capacity and feature a 24 hour specialist assessment facility, intensive care facilities, and comprehensive diagnostic facilities, inpatient beds for major emergencies and complex surgery, and theatres.

A consolidated list of services will remain at the Royal Gwent and Nevill Hall Hospitals with inpatient and outpatient care including diagnostic tests, therapies, minor injuries treatment, and midwifery-led birthing services. The aim is that these will join Ysbyty Ystrad Fawr, Ysbyty Aneurin Bevan, St Woolos, Chepstow and County Hospitals to provide a network of hospitals able to provide the majority of care for their local communities. Alongside the hospital providing state of the art facilities the hospital has helped to create over 600 jobs during its build. The hospital will employ over 3,000 people when it opens, with circa 600 members of staff on shift at any one time.

Minister for Health, Vaughan Gething MS, said:

"It's with great pleasure that I am able to announce the Grange will open ahead of schedule. It's testament to the hard work of everyone involved that this has been achieved, and even more so during these challenging times. The new date gives us the opportunity to now include the facility in winter preparations and provide more capacity and resilience. It can also assist with any possible future waves of the coronavirus. The new facility is another example of key investments being made into the NHS here in Wales, which benefit both patients and staff. I'm positive that this fantastic new facility will also help us attract more people to working in the birthplace of the NHS".

Judith Paget, Chief Executive of Aneurin Bevan University Health Board said:

"We are delighted that our new hospital will open four months earlier than planned to help us respond to winter pressures and a potential second wave of the COVID-19 pandemic. The centralisation of our specialist and critical care services at the Grange University Hospital will provide increased resilience for our services, extra flexibility of having 75% single rooms to treat seriously ill or infectious patients, additional capacity to ventilate patients requiring critical care and make better use of our staff resources to deliver the highest quality of care to our patients. We are very grateful for the support we have received from Welsh Government, our staff, partners and the public as we work towards the opening of the Hospital and implement significant changes to the way we deliver our NHS services in Gwent according to our longstanding Clinical Futures plan".

For further information about the Grange University Hospital or any of other hospitals please visit our website www.abuhb.nhs.wales / <https://bipab.gig.cymru/> or please get in touch with us if you have any questions or would like to discuss further.

For all the latest news from the Health Board please follow our social media pages on Facebook @AneurinBevanUniversityHealthBoard, Twitter @AneurinBevanUHB and Instagram @AneurinBevanUHB

Cofion gynnes / Kind Regards,

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Safety Inspections – Salem Chapel

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Inspection of Salem Chapel – July 2020

MAIN CHAPEL / WEEK	7th	14th	21st	28th	Report of any defects And action taken
Main Hall of Chapel	/	/	/	/	Dry rot detected on stage & part lifted. Further investigations undertaken 31/8/16. Pipe organ supports re-enforced Sept 2016.
Fire Alarm	/	/	/	/	Inspected 28/04/2020
Emergency Lighting	/	/	/	/	Inspected 28/04/2020 – repairs carried out
Stairways to Balcony	/	/	/	/	Stair lift not working
Balcony	/	/	/	/	
Toilets	/	/	/	/	Removed due to dry rot
High Street Entrance	/	/	/	/	
Office	/	/	/	/	
General Condition	/	/	/	/	
Fire Extinguishers	/	/	/	/	Inspected 16.10.19
Observations/ Other Comments	/	/	/	/	No change since last report in June.
ANNEX BUILDING					
Ground Floor	/	/	/	/	
Kitchen	/	/	/	/	Newly formed mould/rot on floor – R Dunham informed. Floor rotten through incident re: Cllr R Pagett fell through rotten floor (recorded in accident book). Kitchen units coming away from wall due to severe damp in floor of kitchen. R Dunham inspected & to advise further.
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Seating Area	/	/	/	/	
Stairway to upper room	/	/	/	/	
Upper Room	/	/	/	/	
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Signed: *T Hughes*

Town Clerk

Date: 08/09/2020

Chairman of Finance & General Purposes Committee

Safety Inspections – Salem Chapel

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Signed: *T Hughes*

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Date: 08/09/2020

Chairman of Finance & General Purposes Committee

Funding now available from the Office of the Gwent OPCC to support children and young people

From: Cook, Rhian <Rhian.Cook@gwent.pnn.police.uk>

Sent: Tue, 1 Sep, 2020 at 13:19

To:

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Good Afternoon,

Please see information sent on behalf of the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner of Gwent, please do share with any groups in your community who would like to benefit.

Funding now available to support children and young people

Organisations in Gwent can bid for a share of £300,000 from the Police and Crime Commissioner's Office to fund projects that support children and young people affected by crime.

The Police Community Fund is open to non-profit organisations that support children and young people who are involved, or at risk of becoming involved, in crime and antisocial behaviour, or those who have been victims of crime.

The fund is partly made up from money seized from criminals, and organisations can bid for sums from £10,000 up to £50,000.

The Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent, Jeff Cuthbert, said: "Children and young people are often the most vulnerable people in our communities and this can put them at risk of becoming involved in crime and antisocial behaviour.

"By supporting organisations that offer positive, diversionary activities for young people, helping them to develop confidence, skills and learning, we can help them to realise their full potential and create safer, more cohesive communities."

For more information on the Police Community Fund criteria and application process please visit the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner website - www.gwent.pcc.police.uk/en/what-we-spend/commissioning/tier-2-police-community-fund

The deadline for applications is Friday 2 October.

Kind Regards

Rhian Cook

Swyddog Cyfathrebu ac Ymgysylltu / Communication & Engagement Officer

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