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NANTYGLO & BLAINA

- 7 JUL 2020

2 July 2020

TOWN COUNCIL

Dear colleagues,

Coronavirus has had a significant impact on all countries around the world and Wales. As well as the health risks; jobs are at risk; public finances are at risk; our vulnerable communities are at risk.

Providing for the recovery from the public health emergency represents the biggest challenge we have faced as a Devolved Government. This vital work will impact all areas of Welsh peoples' lives and will be profoundly important for public services, for the economy and society.

There can be no doubt that we face huge, unprecedented, challenges. As we plot a course to recovery and reconstruction, our approach will be based on the same values – a commitment to social, economic and environmental justice – and will embed our obligations to those who follow us alongside those that are living through Covid19, under the Well-Being of Future Generations Act.

Our values remain the same, but we will need to be fearless and radical in applying to our established policies the lens of the new post-Covid realities. Many of the things that have worked in the past will no longer be fit for purpose. We will need to show flexibility and imagination in appraising our current approaches and in developing new ones. That is why as well as drawing on thinking from within the Government, we are also determined to look outside for challenge to our established ways of thinking and for fresh inspiration.

We are issuing an invitation to people in Wales to send us their thoughts on how we should support future post-Covid recovery and reconstruction in Wales. We have a dedicated email address – ourfuturewales@gov.wales – and would like to hear your thoughts on how we can shape our future Wales. We would like to hear from the people in Wales about what really matters, about where we should focus our efforts on recovery.

Canolfan Cyswllt Cyntaf / First Point of Contact Centre:
0300 0604400

Bae Caerdydd • Cardiff Bay
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CF99 1SN

Gohebiaeth.Julie.James@llyw.cymru
Correspondence.Julie.James@gov.Wales

Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb gohebiaeth a dderbynnir yn Gymraeg yn Gymraeg ac ni fydd gohebu yn Gymraeg yn arwain at oedi.

We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

We are asking people to aim to do that by the end of July. That will be far from the end of this crucial national conversation, but we want to help focus people's efforts in contributing to our understanding and thinking in these early stages.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julie James". The script is cursive and fluid, with the first letter 'J' being particularly large and stylized.

Julie James AS/MS
Y Gweinidog Tai a Llywodraeth Leol
Minister for Housing and Local Government

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hannah Blythyn". The script is cursive and elegant, with a prominent flourish at the end of the name.

Hannah Blythyn AS/MS
Y Dirprwy Weinidog Tai a Llywodraeth Leol
Deputy Minister for Housing and Local Government

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NANTYGLO & BLAINA TOWN COUNCIL CYNGOR TREF NANT-Y-GLO A BLAENAU

Council Offices, Blaina Institute, High Street, Blaina. NP13 3BN

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Mrs T Hughes - Town Clerk/RFO

Community Grant Application Form

Please contact the Town Clerk if you require any information or assistance in completing the application form.

NANTYGLO & BLAINA

- 9 MAR 2020

Section 1: Contact Information

TOWN COUNCIL

Applicant Name/Group Name:

Welsh Air Ambulance Charitable Trust

Contact Name:

Mark Stevens

Contact Address:

Wales Air Ambulance,
Tŷ Elusen,
Llanelli Cwre
Dafen, Llanelli, SA14 8LQ

Contact Email Address:

Fundraising@walesairambulance.com

Daytime Telephone Number:

0300 0152 999

Your position in the group:

Fundraising Manager

Section 2: Tell us about your group

What category does your project fall into (please tick all relevant boxes):

Children/Education

Arts & Culture

Health & Wellbeing

Elderly

Environment

Active Lifestyles

Other

Section 3: Tell us about the community activity you wish to support

Are you applying for, or receiving funding from another source?

Yes



No



If so, where from and how much?

Community Council in Wales.

* Please explain what the community grant support will be used for?

Every year we apply for grant income from Community Council grants. The ~~title~~ request includes support for our goal in 2020 to become a 24 hour service. Currently we operate 7 days a week but only operate during daylight with the aircraft. This year we hope to raise an additional £1.5m to become 24 hours a day.

How will your project benefit Nantyglo and Blaina?

The Wales Air Ambulance charity operates throughout Wales however we have had numerous instances of accidents + emergencies in South East Wales. Blaenau region has also had a number of incidents where the crew have attended.

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- 4 MAR 2020
TOWN COUNCIL

Section 1: Contact Information

Applicant Name/Group Name: Friends of Cwrt Mytton Residential Home Abertillery

Contact Name: Mrs Anita Banks

Contact Address: 41 lansbury Tce
Beaufort
Ebbw Vale NP23 5QX

Contact Email Address: farmanita@hotmail.com

Daytime Telephone Number: 01495 619426

Your position in the group: A residents family member

Section 2: Tell us about your group

What category does your project fall into (please tick all relevant boxes):

Children/Education

Arts & Culture

Health & Wellbeing

Elderly

Environment

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Other

Please provide a brief description of the activities you/your group undertake:

Cwrt Mytton is a residential home catering for elderly residents with Alzheimer's and Dementia. It is owned and run by the local authority who provide the hotel and care services for residents. The Friends of Cwrt Mytton attempt to provide the funding for additional social and therapeutic activities for residents. These activities include Music therapy (people with Dementia greatly benefit from Music and nostalgic songs), Physical activity, mild Physical exercise led by a qualified personal trainer keeps mobility and coordination to the best of a persons ability. Memory sessions and clinics to maintain and develop residents life stories.

Social activities, residents were recently taken to the Pantomime held in the Met theatre and to reminiscence sessions in Llanhilleth institute.

In what year was the group founded?

Are you a registered charity?

Yes

No

If yes, please provide the registered number:

If your application relates to sport

Is the team a member of /or affiliated to a recognised sporting body?

Yes

No

If yes, which one?

If your application relates to a children's group

Have all the relevant DBS checks been completed?

Yes

No

Section 3: Tell us about the community activity you wish to support

Are you applying for, or receiving funding from another source?

Yes

No

If so, where from and how much?

Occasional raffles and donations from friends and families

Please explain what the community grant support will be used for?

To pay for a personal trainer to visit the home on bi weekly sessions to improve the mobility and dexterity of residents.

To pay for musicians/singers to visit the home to assist with the residents memory and reminiscence through the medium of music.

To organise social outings to the local theatre.

To help pay for the upkeep of a pets corner (Guinea Pigs) which are comforting and soothing for residents.

To help pay for refreshments for visiting schools, childrens visits help maintain residents links to the community.

How will your project benefit Nantyglo and Blaina?

The majority of the residents are are from Blaenau Gwent many of whom are from Blaina and Nantyglo.

Section 4: Independent Reference Details

Please give the name of someone who can provide an independent reference on behalf of you/your group:

Rev. Roy Watson

Job title/occupation of referee:

METHODIST MINISTER.

Referee contact address:

13, TANKERSWOOD PARK
BLAIR.

Email address:

roy.watson2806@hotmail.com

Daytime phone number:

01495 444382

Relationship to the group

(if any):

Section 5: To be completed for all applications

Please tick here to confirm that you have read and accepted the grant selection criteria:

Signed on behalf of (if you are applying on behalf of a group)

FRIENDS OF CWRT MYTON RESIDENTIAL HOME ABERTULLERY

Signature:

A. Banks.

Date:

02-03-2020.

Inspection of Salem Chapel – June 2020

MAIN CHAPEL / WEEK	3rd	11th	18th	23rd	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	/	/	/	/	
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.
First Aid Box	/	/	/	/	
Seating Area	/	/	/	/	
Stairway to upper room	/	/	/	/	
Upper Room	/	/	/	/	
Rear Entrance	/	/	/	/	
Side Door	/	/	/	/	
Observations/ Other Comments					Small amount of marker graffiti at rear exterior wall.
Statutory annual Inspections:					Dragon Fire & Security Systems (fire extinguishers) 16/10/2019 Dragon Fire & Security Systems (Intruder & fire alarms) 28/04/2020

Signed: *T Hughes*

Town Clerk

Date: 14/07/2020

Chairman of Finance & General Purposes Committee