

Cyngor Tref
Rhuddlan
Town Council

Rhuddlan Town Council Meeting

Dear Councillor

7th February 2025

You are hereby summoned to attend a Hybrid* meeting of Rhuddlan Town Council on Thursday, 13th February 2025 at 7pm. Members of the public wishing to attend by Zoom should inform the Town Clerk by 4pm on 13th February so that necessary arrangements can be made. Members of the public are welcome to attend in person. **Can join by Zoom or attend in person at Hwb Rhuddlan, Clos David Own, Rhuddlan LL18 2UJ.*

Agenda

1. **Apologies**
2. **Declarations of Interest** * See page 2
3. **Urgent Matters as Agreed by the Chairperson**
4. **Police Commissioner** - to receive an update regarding e-scooters and e-bikes
5. **Police matters** - to receive a crime report
6. **Minutes:**
 - a. To approve minutes of the Town Council meeting held on 9th January 2025
 - b. To approve minutes of any Committee and Working Group meetings held since last meeting
7. **Progress report from minutes**
8. **Reports from:**
 - a. The Mayor and Deputy Mayor
 - b. The Town Clerk – correspondence and project report
9. **County Councillors' Reports** – to receive reports
10. **Planning**
 - a. 44/2025/0005/HH - Erection of a single storey extension to rear of dwelling at 16 Clos Y Berllan, Rhuddlan.
 - b. 44/2025/0013/HH - Alterations and erection of extensions to dwelling at Pen Y Lon Dyserth Road, Rhuddlan.
11. **Budget & Finance Matters**
 - a. Grant requests
 - a. Theatr Bara Caws
 - b. Clerks IT equipment replacement – to discuss and agree
 - c. Approve the payments listing due
12. **Christmas Lights** – to consider extending contract with Blachere
13. **Hwb Storage** – to consider container for Dragons FC and agree purchase of shelving
14. **Car Parking** – to discuss request for help from the Community Centre
15. **Annual Newsletter to residents** – to review and agree
16. **Community Matters**

Part 2. Exclusion of press and public. By virtue of The Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the press and public are excluded from discussions on the following items on the basis that disclosure thereof would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted

17. Date of next meetings:

- Full council meeting scheduled on Thursday 13th March 2025

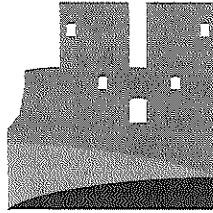
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***Declaration of Interest**

Personal interest – If you have a personal interest in any business of your Council, you must disclose the existence and nature of the interest before participating in any business to which it relates.

Prejudicial Interest – You must ask yourself whether a member of the public, if he or she knew all the relevant facts, would think that your personal interest was so significant that it would be likely to prejudice your judgement. In other words, the interest must be perceived as likely to harm or impair your ability to judge the public interest. This must be declared before the item is discussed and you will be expected to leave the room and not participate in the item.

In both cases you need to complete the form the Clerk gives you and it will appear on the register of member's interest on the RTC Website



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Cyfarfod Cyngor Tref Rhuddlan

Annwyl Gyngorydd

7 Chwefror 2025

Rwyf yn eich galw trwy hyn i fynychu cyfarfod Hybrid* Cyngor Tref Rhuddlan a gynhelir nos lau, 13 Chwefror 2025 am 7pm. Dylai aelodau'r cyhoedd sy'n dymuno ymuno drwy Zoom roi gwybod i Glerc y Dref erbyn 4pm ar 13 Chwefror fel bod modd gwneud y trefniadau angenrheidiol. Mae croeso i aelodau'r cyhoedd ddod i'r cyfarfod yn Hwb Rhuddlan hefyd. **Gellir ymuno drwy Zoom neu ddod i'r cyfarfod yn **Hwb Rhuddlan, Clos David Owen, Rhuddlan LL18 2UJ**.*

Agenda

1. Ymddiheuriadau
2. Datgan Buddiant* Gweler tudalen 2
3. Materion Brys fel y'u Cytunwyd gan y Cadeirydd
4. Comisiynydd yr Heddlu – derbyn diweddariad am e-sgwteri ac e-feiciau
5. Materion yr Heddlu – derbyn adroddiad troseddu
6. Cofnodion:
 - a. Cymeradwyo cofnodion cyfarfod Cyngor y Dref a gynhaliwyd ar 9 Ionawr 2025
 - b. Cymeradwyo cofnodion cyfarfodydd unrhyw Bwyllgor neu Weithgor a gynhaliwyd ers y cyfarfod diwethaf
7. Adroddiad cynnydd ar sail y cofnodion
8. Adroddiadau gan:
 - a. Y Maer a'r Dirprwy Faer
 - b. Clerc y Dref – gohebiaeth ac adroddiad am brosiectau
9. Adroddiadau'r Cyngorwyr Sir – derbyn adroddiadau
10. Cynllunio
 - a. 44/2025/0005/HH – Codi estyniad unllawr yng nghefn annedd yn 16 Clos y Berllan, Rhuddlan.
 - b. 44/2025/0013/HH – Addasiadau a chodi estyniadau i annedd ym Mhen y Lon, Ffordd Dyserth, Rhuddlan.
11. Y Gyllideb a Materion Ariannol
 - a. Ceisiadau am grantiau
 - a. Theatr Bara Caws
 - b. Adnewyddu offer TG y Clerc – trafod a chytuno
 - c. Cymeradwyo'r rhestr o daliadau dyledus
12. Goleuadau Nadolig – ystyried ymestyn y contract gyda Blachere
13. Adnoddau storio yr Hwb – ystyried gosod cynhwysydd storio ar gyfer Clwb Pêl-droed y Dreigiau / Dragons FC a chytuno i brynu silffoedd
14. Parco Ceir – trafod cais am gymorth gan y Ganolfan Gymuned
15. Newyddlen Flynyddol i breswylwyr – adolygu a chytuno
16. Materion Cymunedol

Rhan 2. Cau allan y wasg a'r cyhoedd. Yn rhinwedd Deddf Cyrff Cyhoeddus (Derbyn i Gyfarfodydd) 1960, mae'r wasg a'r cyhoedd yn cael eu cau allan o drafodaethau ar y materion canlynol ar y sail y byddai eu datgelu yn niweidiol i fudd y cyhoedd oherwydd natur gyfrinachol y busnes i'w drafod.

17. Dyddiad y cyfarfod nesaf:

- Cyfarfod y cyngor llawn wedi'i drefnu ar gyfer nos Iau, 13 Mawrth 2025

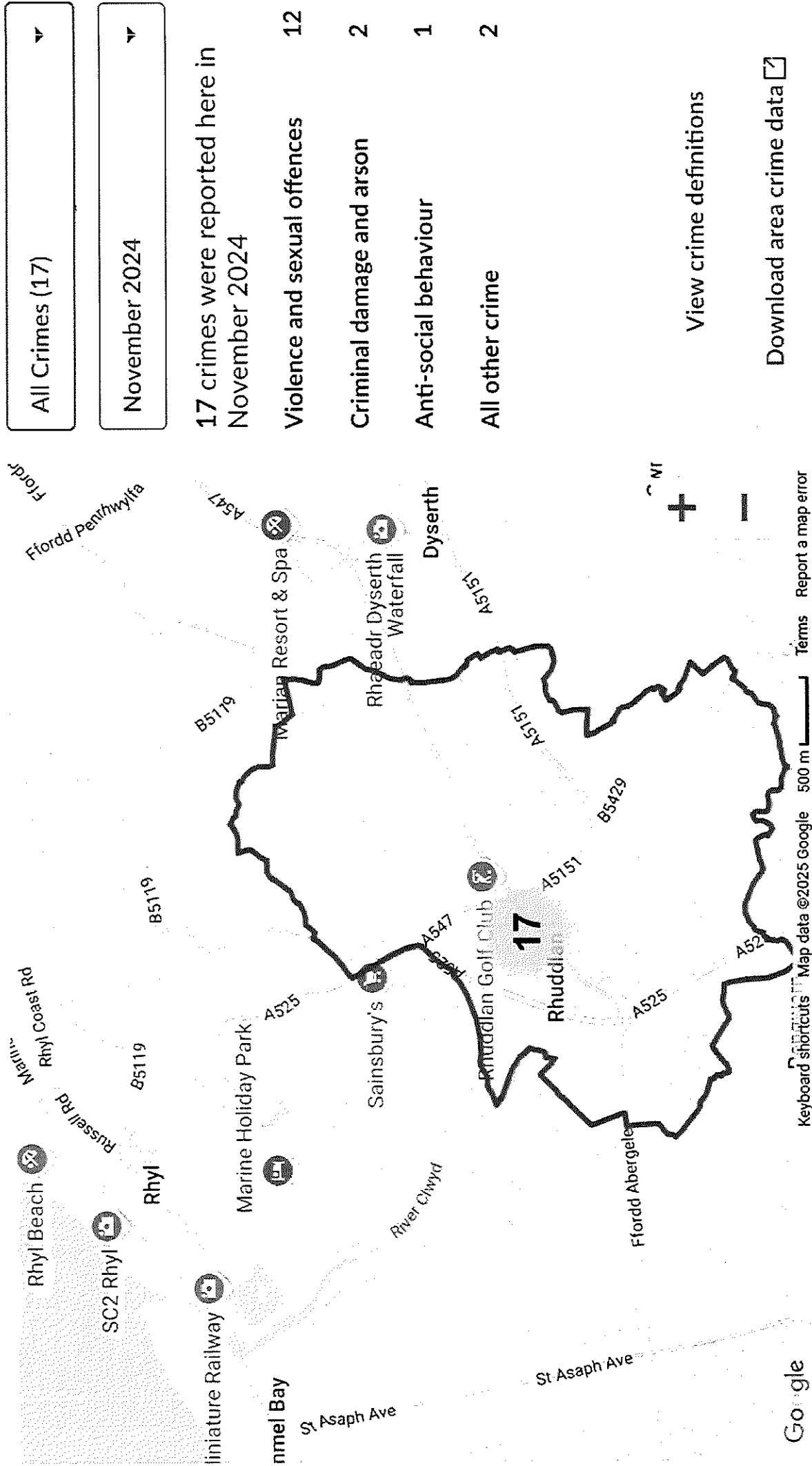
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***Datgan Buddiant**

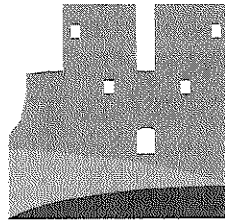
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Yn y ddau achos uchod, mae angen i chi lenwi'r ffurflen a roddir i chi gan y Clerc a bydd yn ymddangos ar gofrestr buddiannau aelodau ar wefan Cyngor Tref Rhuddlan.



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Rhuddlan Town Council – Minutes of the meeting on Thursday 9th January 2025

Hybrid Meeting

Present:

Cllr Val Simmons (Mayor)
Cllr Jackie Burnham (Deputy Mayor)
Cllr Sophie Baker
Cllr Reg Davies
Cllr Mike Elgin (remotely)
Cllr Mike Kermode
Cllr Arwel Roberts (remotely)
Steve Wilson - Town Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

There was 1 member of the public present.

The meeting was recorded from this point (audio only)

1. Apologies

Cllr Ivor Beech - illness, absence accepted by Council
Cllr Ann Davies – no reason given
Cllr Gareth Rowlands – illness, absence accepted by Council
Cllr Bleddyn Williams – child care issues, absence accepted by Council

The Mayor welcomed all present and reminded Members to follow the Code of Conduct and be respectful to other members.

2. Declarations of Interest

None

3. Urgent Matters

None

4. Police Matters

The Clerk took councillors through the crime figures for November. Concerns regarding e-scooters and e-bikes were discussed by Members. It was suggested that the Clerk invites the Police Commissioner to a future meeting to discuss. **Resolved.**

5. Minutes of Town Council Meeting held on 14th November 2024

Subject to adding note regarding the recruitment process for the Assistant Town Clerk in part 2, the minutes were proposed as a true record by Cllr Jackie Burnham, seconded by Cllr Mike Kermode. **Resolved.** The Minutes were signed by the Mayor

6. Progress Report from Minutes

The Clerk updated councillors regarding the following:

- Code of Conduct training is confirmed for 27/2 at Hwb Rhuddlan.
- Gone out for quotes for the replacement finger post pedestrian sign on the High Street, one quote for £1,170 received so far. Cllr Mike Kermode proposed if the cost is below £1,500 then the Clerk should proceed, seconded by Cllr Arwel Roberts. **Resolved.** The other finger post sign that has been removed incorrectly by DCC should be reinstalled by DCC at their cost.
- DCC Officer Paul Jackson is attending February meeting to discuss public toilets.
- Regarding de-fib for Ysgol Y Castell, the headteacher had informed the council that the school gate could have a padlock with a number code the ambulance service could give out for access if the unit was located on an external wall of the school. This was discussed by Members who preference is for it to be more accessible to residents as well as the school. Further investigation is required.
- Cllr Kermode updated members on the success of the Treasure Chest Christmas Event and that they would like to use the Hwb for regular meetings but are concerned at the £20 cost. He suggested the group could apply for an grant for their operational costs that would fund the Hwb rental.
- Cllr Arwel Roberts highlighted that North Wales Pulmonary Fibrosis Support Group would like to use the Hwb. The Clerk confirmed that they had already been in touch and a grant application form sent to them.
- Cllr Mike Elgin highlighted available grants for warm hubs and whether the council could apply to help support local groups. The Clerk will investigate.
- Cllr Kermode proposed that the Council support local voluntary groups applying for grants for operational costs, Cllr Jackie Burnham seconded. **Resolved.** Cllr Sophie Baker suggested local group should be invited to view the Hwb. The Clerk suggested that the grant availability is promoted locally.

7. Reports from

a. The Mayor submitted a written report and informed members of the success of both Christmas competitions. The nomination process was discussed and it was proposed by Cllr Val Simmons that the six prizes be increased by £5 each for the 2025 competition, seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.** The Deputy Mayor added she had attended the December Market and judging of the Christmas Houses competition. Cllr Sophie Baker suggested using a discreet Google form for future nominations.

The report was accepted.

b. The Town Clerk had circulated his report and highlighted the following correspondence:

- Covid day of reflection on 9th March. This was discussed by Councillors with a Church Service being the obvious thing to do. The Clerk will contact Canon Jayne to discuss. Cllr Sophie Baker suggested a wellbeing walk. Cllr Jackie Burnham proposed it is passed to the Events Committee, seconded by Councillor Val Simmons. **Resolved.**
- Updated councillors on a successful grant application to equip Hwb Rhuddlan with learning equipment.
- Asked councillors to approve new basketball backboards for the MUGA. The replacement was proposed by Cllr Jackie Burnham, seconded by Cllr Val Simmons. **Resolved.** The Mayor thanked the Clerk for his efforts in obtaining various grants for the council.

The report was accepted.

8. County Councillor Reports

Cllr Arwel Roberts had circulated his written report for Members attention and ran through each item. He stated he will share information regarding DCC owned garages and for Members to contact him if they are interested. He had information from Natural Resource Wales from a recent Scrutiny meeting which he would share with Councillors and highlighted concerns regarding skips not being emptied and cars left rotting outside houses. Cllr Arwel Roberts proposed that this discussed further and then reported to DCC to try and resolve these issues, seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.**

The report was accepted

9. Planning

No planning applications to consider.

10. Budget & Finance Matters

a. The Clerk ran members through the forecast spend by cost code for the 2024/2025 budget then proposed the budget by category for 2025/2026. Each proposed budget was accepted with the exception of:

120/4450 Green Community Projects which Cllr Arwel Roberts proposed is increased to £3,000, seconded by Cllr Mike Elgin. **Not Resolved.** Cllr Mike Kermode proposed increasing to £2,500, seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.**

120/4903 Cemetery working Group, Cllr Mike Kermode proposed reducing by £500, seconded by Cllr Val Simmons. **Resolved.**

Cllr Mike Kermode proposed the council accept the 2025/2026 budget of £257,477, seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.**

The precept options were discussed by councillors and Cllr Jackie Burnham proposed that the precept per household is maintained at last years' cost of £116.70/year, seconded by Cllr Reg Davies. **Resolved.**

b. No grant requests to consider.

c. Cllr Arwel Roberts proposed to pay all payments on the payments listing, seconded by Cllr Reg Davies. **Resolved.**

11. Main Sewer Pipe Issues

This was discussed by councillors who were concerned that the pipe is very old and has been repaired many times. Cllr Arwel Roberts stated that some of the concerns of Cllr Ivor Beach were answered in the email from NRW that he will copy to Councillors and at the DCC Scrutiny Committee Welsh Water stated that the sewerage leak was repaired very quickly.

Cllr Val Simmons stated she had received a phone call from a concerned local business owner regarding the issue especially the strong stench.

Cllr Reg Davies stated he reported the issue to the Clerk and that Welsh Water had attended promptly within a few hours. He stated that sewerage was pumping out of the pipe into the river and the smell at the time was terrible. He states that 3 other residents witnessed the issue and that the Engineer had switched off the pump so the flow of sewerage ceased. Cllr Reg Davies was aggrieved that Cllr Ann Davies sent out an email to councillors that appeared to doubt what Cllr Reg Davies had said in stating that this was only a minor issue with no smell, Cllr Reg Davies stated he felt that Cllr Ann Davies's email was undermining what he had said, seen and reported. He believes that Cllr Ann Davies should apologise to him for making him feel like he had stated incorrect information. It was proposed by Cllr Val Simmons that the Clerk should write to Cllr Ann Davies regarding an apology, seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.**

12. Community Matters

Cllr Jackie Burnham:

- Informed Councillors of issues with 2 SID's. Clerk to report to DCC.
- Asked to check if the raised paving slab on High Street by the notice boards had been repaired. Clerk to check.

Cllr Reg Davies:

- Informed Councillors that Scout Leader Royston Williams had retired after 42 years of Service. Councillors agreed to invite him to a presentation at the Hwb and give him a gift. Proposed by Cllr Mike Kermode, seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.**
- Told Councillors that the Vicar Jayne Coxall has been promoted to Canon, it was agreed to send a letter of congratulation. Proposed by Cllr Reg Davies and seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.**
- Reported further graffiti on the by-pass bridge towards the Cob. Councillors discussed this issue and agreed the Clerk will report to DCC
- Suggested that the Council send a letter of thanks to Jessica at the Fei Von for allowing the Christmas tree to be located outside their premises. It was agreed to send a letter be sent. Proposed by Cllr Reg Davies, seconded by Cllr Mike Kermode. **Resolved.**
- Informed Councillors of a resident who celebrated his 100th birthday over Christmas, it was agreed the Mayor would visit with a gift and card when the address could be located. Proposed by Cllr Jackie Burnham and seconded by Cllr Mike Kermode. **Resolved.**
- Reported that a resident had complained of the lack of seats on Vicarage Lane path. The Clerk clarified the situation to Councillors.

Cllr Arwel Roberts requested a date for the next community litter pick. The Clerk agreed to set up dates for the year.

Cllr Mike Kermode proposed the council write to DCC to complain the wet weather has made visits to Rhuddlan Cemetery very distressing, ask them what they tell the undertakers prior to funeral bookings regarding the state of the cemetery and update the council on the latest view on when the cemetery will be full. Seconded by Cllr Jackie Burnham. **Resolved.** He also informed Councillors of a Charity Event on 24th January being held in the Community Centre.

Cllr Val Simmons informed Councillors of a proposed Charity Choir concert being held on the afternoon on 8th March. She also expressed concerns regarding residents being sent home from hospital for end of life care at home.

Cllr Jackie Burnham asked if there were any homeless in Rhuddlan and whether the Hwb could be used as a Warm Hub. Cllr Arwel Roberts stated that the Community Centre is used in emergency situations and homelessness is a DCC issue. This was discussed by councillors and agreed that this needed to be managed by a formal group (not the council) and the Hwb could be made available if required. The Clerk will discuss with DCC.

Cllr Sophie Baker commented that the health care issues are something that only the WAG and UK Government can address and that locals should be looking out for friends, families and neighbours especially during the cold weather.

Part 2 Exclusion of the Press & Public

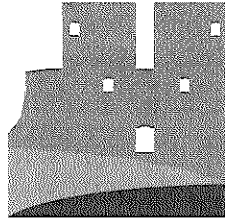
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No part 2 business.

The Mayor thanks everyone for their attendance and closed the meeting.

13. Date of next meeting – 13th February 2025 Full Council Meeting 7pm

Signed Cllr Val Simmons (Mayor)



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Minutes of Library Working Group Meeting

Held on 27th November 2024 at Hwb Rhuddlan

Present:

Cllr Mike Kermode (Chair)
Cllr Val Simmons (Mayor)
Matt Baker (DCC Libraries)
Deborah Owen (DCC Principal Librarian)
Fran Williams (DCC Community Resilience)
Richard Polden (Rhuddlan Local History Society)
Steve Wilson – (Town Clerk)

1. Apologies

Cllr Mike Elgin

2. Declaration of Interest

None given

3. Minutes and progress update from Last Meeting on 27th November 2024

Cllr Mike Kermode ran through the minutes. Matt updated the group on the latest progress of the DCC property team who have put together the site and location drawings, as well as constraints and opportunity mapping. They are in the process of collating existing information on the Library and the nearby utilities that are present then putting together some building concepts for the Heritage Centre through sketches and diagrams. The next steps will be to use the information provided to complete the concept drawings.

4. Other discussions

Discussion on ownership of the new building, agreed it should not be DCC as this will impact the ability to apply for grant funding.

The Clerk stated he will be budgeting the existing council funding plus inflation in the precept budget for 2025/2026.

Discussed future funding opportunities and Matt shared a two page draft information document. Discussed who should apply for funding, cannot be the County but the Town Council could apply but it would be better for an independent group to apply such as Friends of the Library. Funds could be used for day to day operations as well as enhancements. Richard suggested the council investigate if any other councils have been successful in obtaining external funding for library operating costs.

Fran Williams explained the concept of a "Friends of a Library" and shared Lancashire's structured approach which is supported by the County Council and has a very good standard constitution that could be used. Cllr Val Simmons highlighted some potential pitfalls of Friends of Groups. Cllr Mike Kermode suggested an Open Day to promote the Group which could be held in the Library or Community Centre. It was agreed that a good terms of reference for the group is important and the Open Day should be held in the Spring. Fran offered to help setting up the Group.

Ideas for sponsorship topics were discussed and included:

Holiday Club for children

Story and a snack

Breakfast and crafts

Summer reading challenge

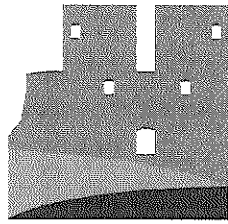
Warm area for families.

How to promote the Friends of concept was discussed, Fran to see if there is any DCC expertise that could be used and Cllr Mike Kermode suggested funding external expertise.

Matt mentioned the Library were looking at an opportunity to get a small funding stream from external lockers on the side wall of the building.

Date of next meeting Tuesday 18th February 2025 at 9am in Rhuddlan Library.

SignedCllr Mike Kermode



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Rhuddlan Town Council – Minutes of the Events Committee Meeting 4th February 2025

Held at Rhuddlan Community Centre

Cllr Mike Kermode (Chair)
Cllr Val Simmons (Mayor)
Cllr Mike Elgin
Steve Wilson - Town Clerk
Morgan Ditchburn – Assistant Clerk
Roy & Gill Price

1. Apologies

Cllr Arwel Roberts & Cllr Ivor Beech

2. Declaration of Interest

None

3. Minutes

The previous meeting Minutes of 29th October 2024 had already been reviewed & approved by the full Council. No matters arising.

4. Covid Day of Reflection 9th March

Canon Jayne has agreed to use this theme for the usual Sunday Service at St Mary's. Council will publicise and invite local "key-workers" and representatives from other organisations that were active locally during the lock-down, to attend. The council will fund refreshments post the service. Attendees will be invited to view the Covid Memorial Garden on Admiral's Field.

The Wellness Walk was discussed and it was agreed to ask Cllr Sophie Baker if she wants to organise one on a future date, with support from the Committee.

5. VE Day Thursday 8th May

The Community Centre are holding a 1940's VE day themed event at the Community Centre on Saturday 3rd May and asked if they could have an events grant towards holding the event. The event will be open to everyone on a ticket basis. The committee agreed to support in principle, dependent on the amount of grant requested, the Community Centre will confirm shortly.

Based on the National advice on VE day celebrations it was agreed to ask Cllr Reg Davies to ring the church bells at 8am, ask Canon Jayne to hold a short service at St Marys in the

evening followed by the lighting of the beacon at 9.30pm. It is recommended that the Town Council's AGM still take place that evening. But to enable councillors to attend the service and beacon lighting, the business meeting should be moved back one week to the 15th May

6. VJ 80 day 15th August

Agreed to flag this with Canon Jayne and discuss at a future Events Committee meeting.

7. Summer Volunteer Fair and Picnic in the Park on 2nd August

Agreed the same format as the 2024 event including the volunteer fair element.

Entertainment discussed and it was agreed to have Children's Entertainer Andy Green and ask Muddy Boots instead of the Wee Bag Band and to use Matty Roberts to compare. Cllr Ivor Beech to be asked to provide straw bales for this event and also the Gwledd. The Clerk and Assistant Clerk will look out for grants to support the event and it was agreed that volunteer groups could also get involved in obtaining grant support to fund this event.

8. Gwledd 17th May

Ffion updated the committee stating 28 vendors to date with many more being chased for confirmation. Entertainment was discussed at it was agreed to ask Matty Roberts to compare the event and sing.

The entry fee was discussed and it was agreed to charge £2 per adult as last year. Morgan to research for a workable card payment system.

PR was discussed and it was agreed to advertise in the Rhuddlan Mag, create a FB event, caravan park poster, usual banners and social media communications.

The School needs to be informed regarding parking and a marshal will be in place to ensure correct parking.

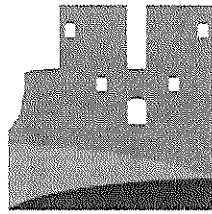
9. Twinning

No update.

10. Date of next meeting

15th April 2025 at 7pm at Hwb Rhuddlan.

Signed Cllr Mike Kermode Chair



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Rhuddlan Town Council February 2025 Meeting - Mayor and Deputy Mayor's Report

Mayor

On Friday 31st January I attended the weekly meeting at the library, it was great to see so many residents there, it was full !! Many of them asking about how much their Council Tax would be going up, it was good to tell them that Rhuddlan Town Council were not putting up their element of the Council Tax, but I didn't know about Denbighshire County Council.

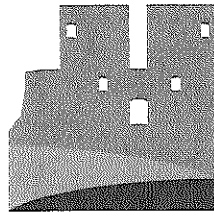
I have been in contact with County Councillor Arwel Roberts regarding a resident who needed help with Social Services, thank you so much for your help Councillor Arwel, it was much appreciated.

I have been trying to organise another event for The Mayor's Charity but unfortunately with dates and availability of Acquire, it has not been able to do so.

I Participated in the Community litter pick on 1st February

Deputy Mayor

I Participated in the Community litter pick on 1st February and chaired the Ysgol Y Castell School Governor's 2nd Term meeting on 3rd February



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Clerk's Project Report and Correspondence for February 2025 Meeting

Correspondence

The following has been received:

1. Thank you letter regarding the donation of £50 to the Urdd National Eisteddfod to be held in Margam Park in May.
2. CCTV – the transfer from Cheshire to Conwy will go live on the 1st March.
3. Email from Dec Hold who is the Acting Police Sergeant for Rhuddlan on a very short term basis stating that the role will be taken over next week by a permanent Sergeant Iwan Hughes. He stated he will ask Iwan to improve police attendance at future council meetings.
4. Thank you from the Rhyl Youth Marching Band for the donation.
5. Email from the DCC Community Development team regarding Commuted Sums for 2025, there are none allocated to Rhuddlan, however Rhuddlan can apply if there are any unallocated funds. Deadline is the 7th April and the money must be spent on improvements to open spaces and play areas in Denbighshire.
6. Update from DCC regarding improvements to the Vicarage Lane Car Park stating there is a query off BCHB around enforcement of the bays that are being allocated for patients.
7. SM message from resident concerning deterioration in the Knights Sculpture (copied to councillors) – ACTION REQUIRED
8. Thank you from the Wales Air Ambulance for the council's kind donation.
9. Email off DCC stating the council can install a finger post pedestrian sign that can direct pedestrians up Admiral path to the public toilets/Hwb/Play area/Bowling Club, Allotments/Admiral's Field – cost is £1,163 to purchase and an estimated £1,200 to install – DECISION REQUIRED
10. Email from DCC toilets team acknowledging receipt of our letter and also asking when the council will respond to their latest consultation.

Thanks to all councillors who participated in the litter pick on 1st Feb

Dates for the diary

Community Market 8th Feb

Biodiversity Meeting 20th February

Community Market 8th March

Covid Day of Reflection Church Service Sunday 9th March

Full Council Meeting March 13th

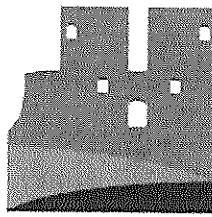
Full Council Meeting April 10th

Community Market April 12th

AGM and VE80 day Service 8th May

Gwledd 17th May

Summer Volunteer Fair and Picnic in the Park 2nd August



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County Councillor Arwel Roberts – Adroddiad/Report for February 2025 Meeting

The Clerk is being drawn into the problems with emptying the trolley boxes. A resident hasn't had her bins emptied for 5 weeks. I have reported this to DCC. I phoned Mrs Evans and hopefully they will be emptied this Friday the 7th.

Another saga with the bins is the policy of insisting that the residents have to pay for a new trolley box. Storms occur, and operators don't place them back on the trolley correctly. I have had complaints from residents regarding this. Again, this has been reported to officers.

Good partnership with the Mayor regarding a purple bin in Ffordd y Nant more details in the meeting.

On the same wavelength houses which have allowed their house fronts to be left in an untidy & unsightly state with rubbish/cars/machines left to rust etc. Deputy Mayor is aware of this and I have reported this to an officer. I reported a similar issue in Ffordd Dewi which has been resolved.

Dogs which are left to bark constantly are a nuisance to neighbours. An incident is occurring regularly on one street and causing a lot of stress to a neighbour. This is ongoing and DCC officers are trying to bring this to a correct solution.

I have tried to assist a resident regarding a planning matter. I cannot divulge because it's confidential.

There will be a tax increase from DCC in 2025-2026. Officers have recommended a 6% rise. This could be increased or decreased on the 20th of February. Needs to have full council report.

If any councillor has a problem regarding the environment [Natural Resources Wales] then please bring it to my attention. The Elwy Mag has had ratification that officers from NRW are willing to attend the Mag meetings.

I'm looking forward to having an activity on the Nature Reserve soon with youngsters and Countryside Services officers. Planting saplings for instance.

On 25th January I attended a hybrid meeting regarding Active Travel with 2 Highways officers. The plan is that both County Councillors will meet with them again with AT officers virtually on the 17th of February.

Have a meeting scheduled in Abbey Rd with Highways Officers and County Cllr. Ann Davies.
Residents invited also I believe

Dropped kerbs- a grant funding has been found to place kerbs on six routes around the Rhuddlan area. Hopefully there will an extra one outside the Memorial Building (Community Centre)

Dyddiad/Date: 29/01/2025

Rhuddlan Town Council

CAIS/APPLICATION: 44/2025/0013/HH

LLEOLIAD/LOCATION: Pen Y Lon Dyserth Road, Rhuddlan, Rhyl, Denbighshire, LL18 5RD

CYNNIG/PROPOSAL: Addasiadau a chodi estyniadau i'r annedd / Alterations and erection of extensions to dwelling

Annwyl Syr / Fadam

Mae'r cais uchod wedi dod i law y Cyngor Sir a gellir ei weld ar y ddolen isod:

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Yr eiddoch yn gywir

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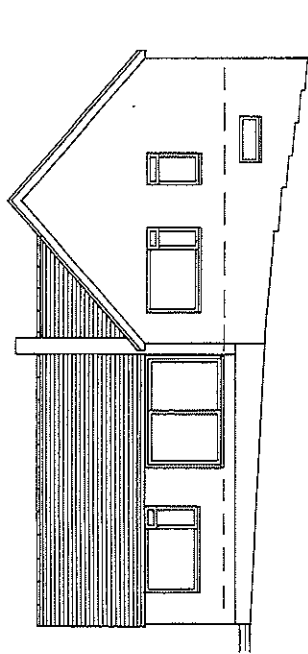
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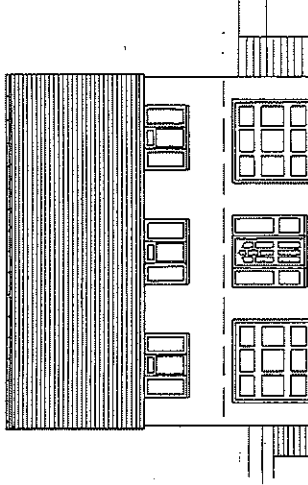
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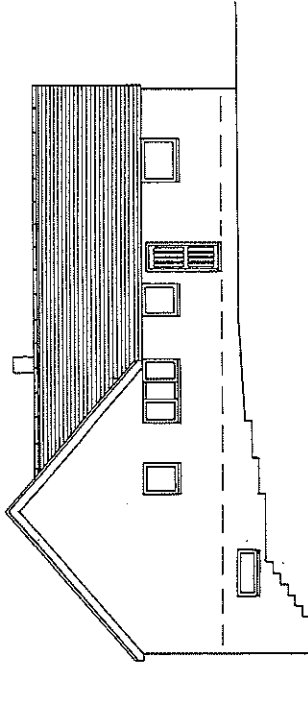
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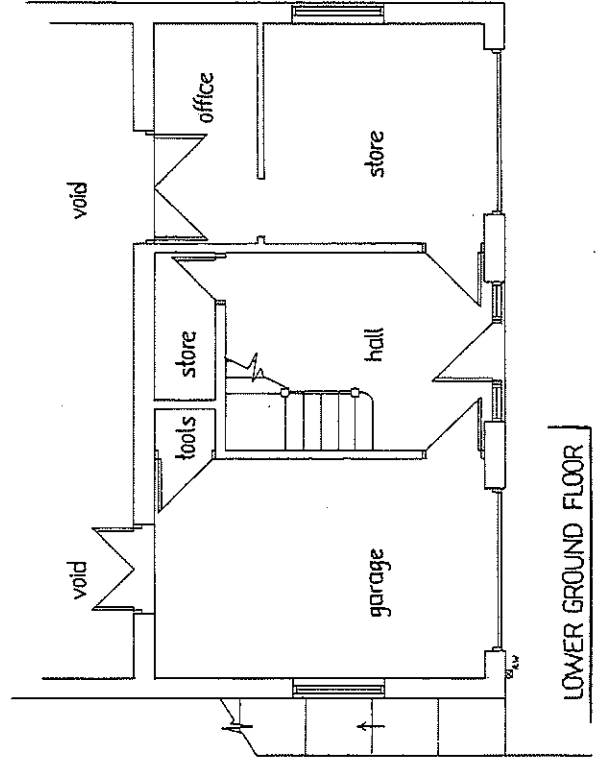
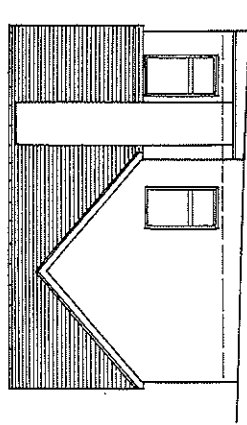
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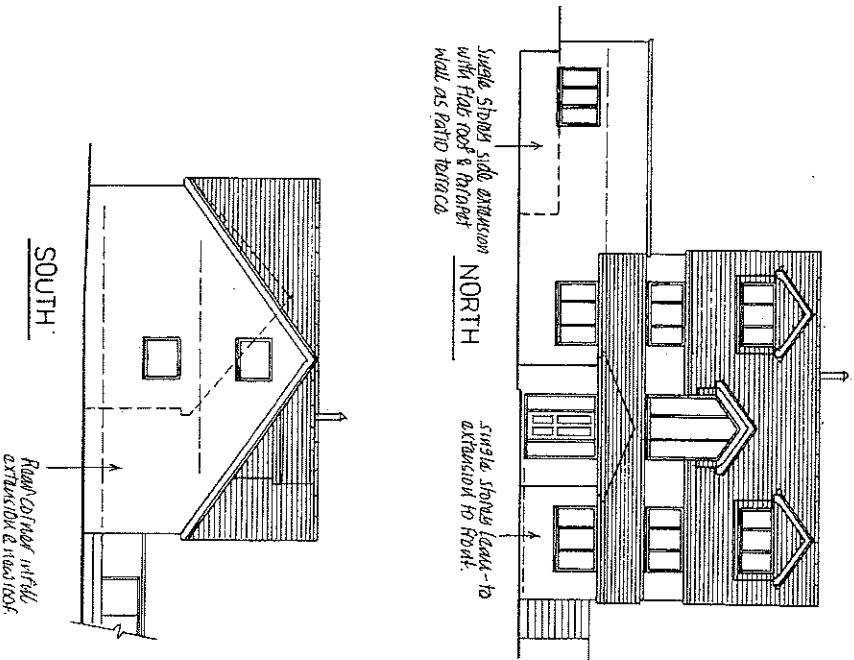
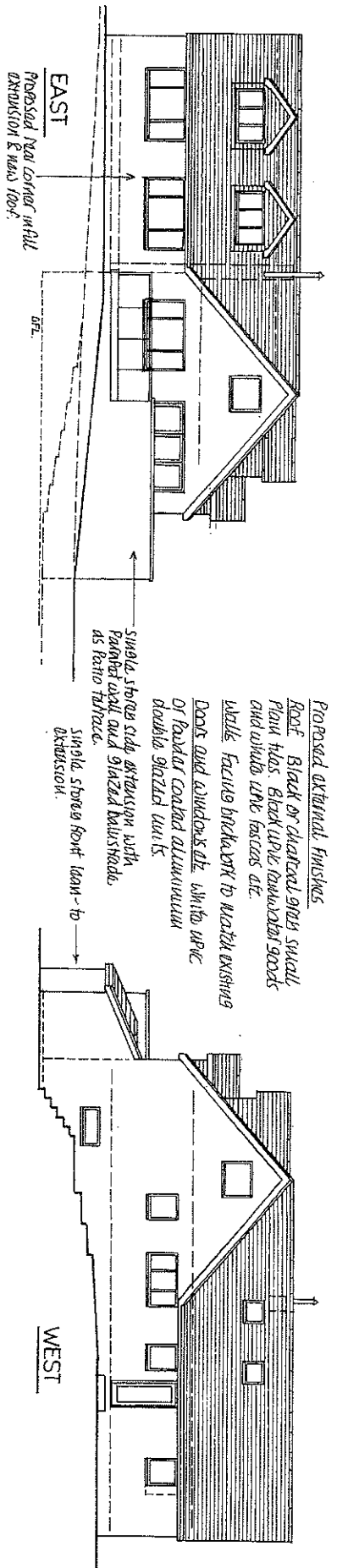


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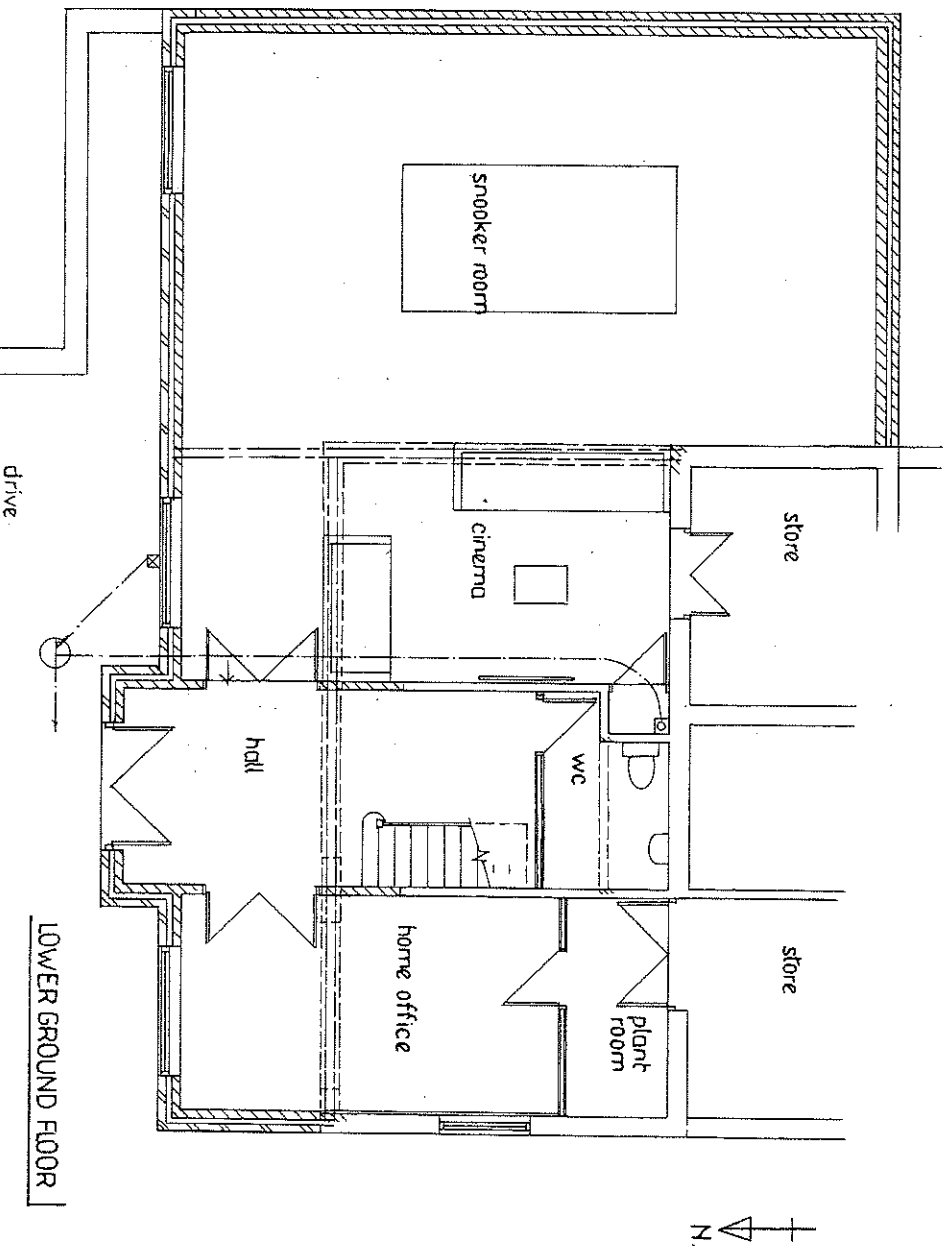
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PROPOSED A2



Dyddiad/Date: 22/01/2025

Rhuddlan Town Council

CAIS/APPLICATION: 44/2025/0005/HH

LLEOLIAD/LOCATION: 16 Clos Y Berllan, Rhuddlan, Rhyl, Denbighshire, LL18 2UL

CYNNIG/PROPOSAL: Codi estyniad unllawr yng nghefn yr annedd / Erection of a single storey extension to rear of dwelling

Annwyl Syr / Fadam

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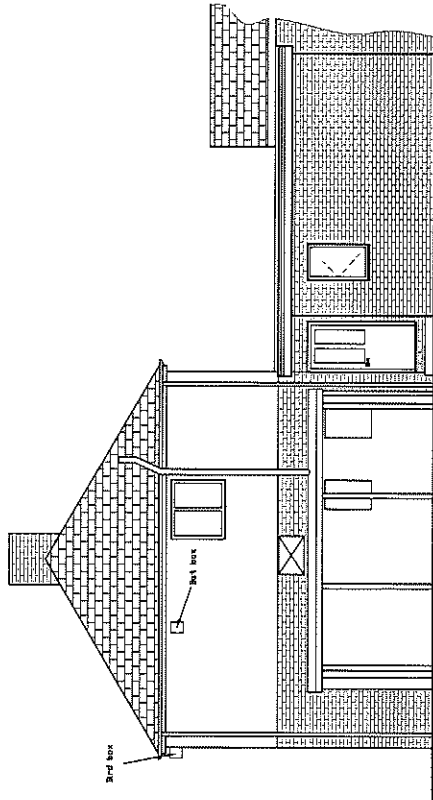
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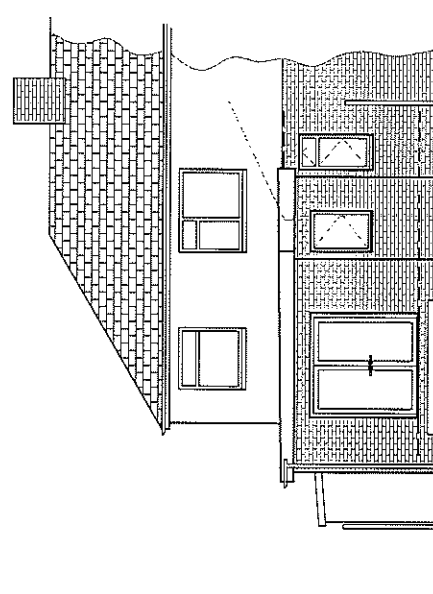
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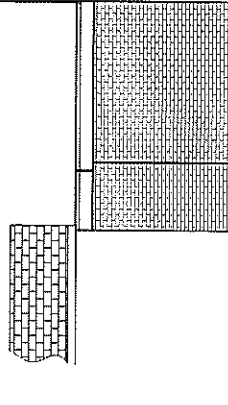
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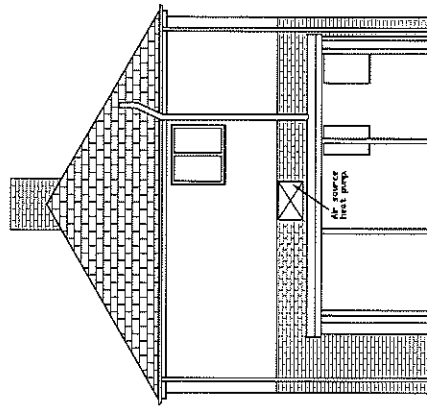
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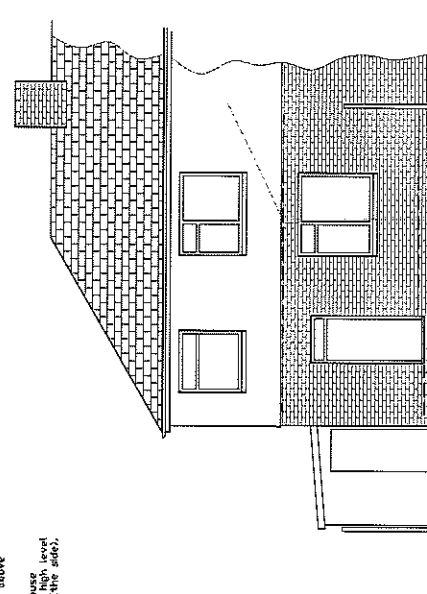
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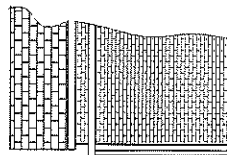
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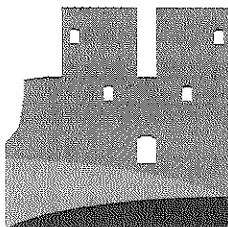
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EXISTING SIDE ELEVATION

NOTE:
Bats & Birds - Reasonable avoidance measures.
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Cyngor Tref
Rhuddlan
Town Council

Application for Grant Funding 2024/2025

Details about your organisation / Group

Name of Organisation **Theatr Bara Caws**

Name of Secretary **Stephen Owen Williams**

Address **Unit A1, Cibyn, Caernarfon, Gwynedd**

Post Code **LL55 2BD** Tel **01286 676 335**

Email **steve@thearbaracaws.co.uk**

Name of Treasurer **n/a**

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What are the main aims/objectives of your organisation? Maximum 50 words

Bara Caws is a community theater company that presents original and relevant work, mainly in the Welsh language, to the widest possible cross-section of the community, and giving as many people as possible the opportunity to enjoy and participate in the arts have been at the core of the Company's ethos since the very beginning. We offer first class theatrical experiences that bring entertainment and excitement, ingenuity and relevance to the heart of Welsh communities.

Developing and presenting the arts is an integral part of reviving and enriching our communities, and if we want to contribute to a fair and equal country the arts must be easily available and accessible to everyone.

Bara Caws was established in order to take Welsh plays to all corners of Wales, from the biggest towns to the smallest villages. No other company travels so widely

visiting a variety of communities from North to South, and from East to West, including remote and rural areas. It is essential to ensure that everyone, wherever they are, has the opportunity to experience artistic events through the Welsh language.

Where and when does your organisation meet?

Based in Caernarfon but will tour through out Wales

Project / Activity Details

For what purpose are you applying for funding (please continue on a separate sheet if required)

Because of the special and invaluable service that Bara Caws offers to the communities of Gwynedd we beg you as a community council to give serious consideration to our application this year. Accepting a contribution from your Council would ensure the continuation of our vital service of promoting culture and entertainment in the Welsh language.

The plans underway to secure a new workplace are exciting and innovative. Being able to move to a new home will offer invaluable opportunities for the company to develop in new and exciting ways, exploiting the capabilities and possibilities of a community theatre company's service to the fullest.

Please state the amount you are asking for with a breakdown of the estimated total costs:

On behalf of Bara Caws, I would like to thank the Council for considering us. We appreciate that times are tough on every organization so we appreciate any support that can go towards ensuring that Bara Caws continues to offer plenty of offer and entertainment in your area and areas across Wales.

Please provide details of any other sources of income to be used towards this project/activity/event:

We receive grants from Gwynedd and Anglesey County Councils, as well as the Arts Council of Wales.

Approximately how many people from the Rhuddlan Area will benefit from this project/activity/event?

We also try (when every possible) to ensure that you come to Denbighshire with every show (at least 3 shows a year)

Has your organisation/group received a grant from Rhuddlan Town Council previously?

No

If yes, please provide details:

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Please provide any other information that you would wish the Council to take into account when considering this application:

Statement to be completed by the Chairman/Secretary/Treasurer of the organisation.

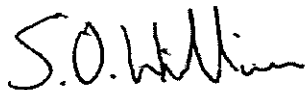
I confirm that all the information on this form is true and correct and that any grant received will be used for the specified purpose(s) only.

I confirm I have enclosed a copy of the following documentation to support this application (if not, please state reason why below)

Copy of latest audited accounts	Yes
Copy of latest bank statement	Yes
Covering letter on headed notepaper	Yes

Name **Stephen Owen Williams**

Position **Administrative and Finance Officer**

Signature 

Date **30/01/25**

Please return this form to:

Town Clerk
Rhuddlan Town Council
Clos David Owen
Rhuddlan
LL18 2UJ

Or email clerk@rhuddlantowncouncil.gov.uk



OVERVIEW OF 2024 AND A TASTE OF THEATR BARA CAWS' 2025 PLANS

This past year was an extremely productive and successful one.

The year began with Taigh/Ty/Teach a new piece of international, site-specific work was Taigh/Ty/Teach which is written to be performed in three indigenous Celtic languages: Welsh, Scottish Gaelic, and Irish.



This was a joint production with Theatre Gu Leòr, (Scotland), and Fishamble (Ireland), the event recognised as nationally significant, which took the Company's reputation and financiers to international levels with shows on the Isle of Lewis in Scotland and Ionad Na Dromoda in Kerry, Ireland.

We hosted the event in Wales at Nant Gwrtheyrn, and we have ambitions to co-create and co-host supporting events in that unique community and beyond.

Here is some feedback from the audience:-

Cynhyrchiad penigamp - lleoliad hudolus - y dair stori yn gwau i'w gilydd yn berffaith. Llongyarchiadau mawr i bawb sy ynghlwm â'r perfformiad.

Cynhyrchiad cofiadwy ac arbennig – llongyfarchiadau!

Wedi mwynhau hwn yn fawr iawn. Cynhyrchiad gwych a perfformiadau anhygoel gan yr actorion. Roedd yn noson emosiynol a chofiadwy.

Profiad arbennig yn gwtshad hwn yn Nant Gwrtheyrn heno - dal i fod dan deimlad yn meddwl amdano fo.

Wow! Byth yn rhannu unrhywbeth yma dim mwy ond oedd #TaighTyTeach yn ANHYGOEL! Pleser pur cael fy nhrochi mewn ieithoedd prydferth ac er fod y straeon am colli cymunedau'n rhai

We finally got the chance to fulfil the hopes of a special cohort of our audiences presenting a brand new club show by Iwan Charles and Llyr Evans, called Mwrddwr ar y Maes.

We toured around Wales for 3 weeks before ending the tour at the Rhondda Cynon Taf National Eisteddfod. There were 19 performances in 12 venues with an audience of 1,704!

'Mwrddwr ar y Maes' gan Bara Caws heno yn Neuadd y Dref yma yn adloniant arbennig o safonol, slic, crafog a hynod o ddigri. Cawsom gyfoeth o ddywebiadau a dyfyniadau oedd yn peri i'r dagrau o chwerthin lifo. Diolch hefyd i Bar Fechan am gyflenwi'r hylif. Y perfformiad gorau welais i ers talwm. Diolch am godi calon dyn!

'Diolch am ddod a'r laffs draw i Ddyffryn Clwyd. Bochau pawb yn brifo wrth adael Cae Cymro heno. Daliwch ati i godi calonnau'r werin!'

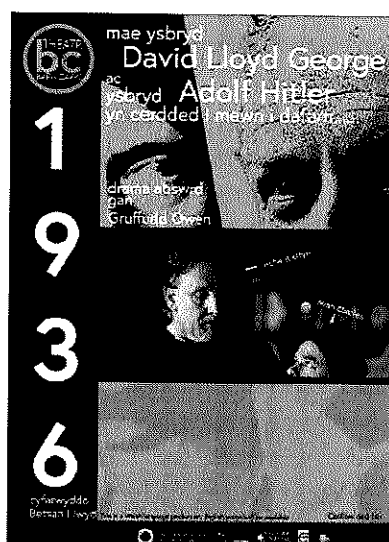
'Roeddwn yn Llanfairfechan neithiwr - Roeddynt yn wych chwerthin o'r dechrau i'r diwedd mae'n werth i'w gweld, actorion penigamp a sgript ddoniol iawn.'

'Mond isio'ch llongyfarch chi i gyd am eich holl waith trylwyr yn 'Mwrddwr ar y Maes' – nenwedig i Iwan a Llyr am eu sgriptio difyr iawn, iawn. Chwa o awyr iach – a phawb mor goeth a slic ac amryddawn ym mhopeth: – Betsan a'i chyfarwyddo, Ems a Berwyn a'r criw – y canu a'r actio – popeth! Wedi mwynhau'r dychan, y cymeriadu, y gerddoriaeth, a'r choreograffi, yr egni a'r bwrlwm – a – wel - bob un dim wir, heb anghofio neb, gobeithio!'

'Noson anhygoel! Heb chwerthin cymaint ers oesoedd Llongyfarchiadau i bawb - bydd Dewch i ymuno â ni yn yr orsedd yn mynd rownd a rownd yn fy mhen am sbel.'

We finished the year with a tour from **1936** (an absurd drama about history, fame, old age and the shadow of war) by Gruffudd Owen. The script is derived from **Sgen ti Syniad? (1)**.





1,216 people came to watch 1936 in 16 nights at 15 different venues.

'Waw! Dyna gyfuniad cwbl gampus o gysyniad, sgriptio ac actio. Ymhlith y cynyrchiadau bach gorau i mi weld ar lwyfan erioed. Bachwch ar gyfle i fynd i'w gweld!'

'Thema l brocio'r meddwl ac yn codi y cwestiwn beth fydd fy etifeddiaeth?'

'Geiriau Gruff Sol yn gafael'.

'Mae drama hon yn wych! Welson ni hi yn Llangernyw. Y peth gorau dwi wedi gweld ers blynyddoedd. Sgript ofnadwy o glyfar ac actorion heb eu ail. Celfydd, digrif, dwys.'

In recent years we have established a close relationship with the **School of Medical Sciences, Bangor University** in order to contribute to the Medical Student Training programme. We have a pool of actors who take part in 'role play' sessions with the prospective doctors. Ysbyty Glan Clwyd and 'Northern, North West and Yorkshire Organ Donation Service' have also expressed an interest in using us as an agent for their students too. We believe that this element is an extremely important one to develop in the coming years.

NURTURING TALENT

Bara Caws entered into a partnership with Galeri to offer a placement for a Technical Apprentice as part of the Wales Millennium Center's scheme. The placement was for 12 months with the individual spending 9 months at Galeri and 2 months at Bara Caws, with 1 month on the course/holidays. The individual was part of Taigh/Tŷ/Teach and Mwrddwr ar y Maes.

The Gallery secured funding from the Laura Ashley Foundation to hold specific sessions to teach young people to create costumes for the theatre. They collaborated with us to create costumes specifically for Mwrddwr ar y Maes. The project aimed to teach local young people new skills, which will contribute to their general life skills.

HALIBALŴ

This is a project proposed by Theatr Bara Caws in collaboration with Antur Waunfawr and Galeri, Caernarfon. The project, which provides training and work opportunities for adults with learning disabilities in their community, has been specifically tailored by an experienced theater practitioner and facilitator who has extensive experience of working in the field of theatre in education and in the field of practical workshops

for adults with disabilities, and as a result of crucial input from the leaders of Antur Waunfawr, a specialist social enterprise established in 1984.

Our aim is to offer a unique cultural, social and creative experience, in a safe and friendly, supportive and relaxed environment, to Antur users and other adults with learning disabilities in Gwynedd, Anglesey and Conwy, and that in the Welsh language.

We provide recreational and therapeutic opportunities in order to develop each individual's potential, and as a natural development of the extracurricular activities we currently offer, the aim of Bara Caws is to provide a range of artistic activities to the participants, on a weekly basis.

Our experienced practitioner has devised and planned a series of workshops aimed at developing, nurturing and entertaining all participants, focusing mainly on drama, movement work and music. Depending on the amount of funding we receive, we could also offer contributions from other experienced practitioners in the field e.g. drumming, arts and crafts etc.

Should the project be successful, and should we secure long-term funding, our wish would be to continue this offer on a more permanent basis. We are keen to receive constant feedback from the participants in order to develop the project for the next stage of the scheme.

We feel that this is a unique opportunity for us as a company to develop our work practice and to extend our reach, exploring more deeply our 'community' potential, and the participants themselves would have access to more diverse practical cultural experiences, a service that is currently available to them.

“Gai ddiolch o waelod calon am y cyfle I fod yn rhan o Halibalw. Mae’n amlwg fod yr unigolion I gyd wedi mwynhau, ond be sy’n well ydi clywed gan staff bod yr unigolion sydd fel arfer yn swil a ddim eisiau rhoi eu hunain ymlaen I wneud rhywbeth o’r math yma fel arfer, wedi nid yn unig acshyli cymryd rhan, ond wedi mwynhau a wedi cael gymaint allan ohono. Mae gweld hyder rhywun yn codi yn rhywbeth sbesial iawn.

DIOLCH!!!!!!”

Gwenlli Wynne (Rheolwr Datblygu Busnes Antur Waunfawr Business Development Manager).

NEW HOME

It is our priority to secure a new home for Bara Caws in Penygroes, laying even firmer foundations for the future of the Company. The process has been long but progressing positively.

In September 2024, there was a decision by Grip Cynefin to develop Canolfan Lleu on a smaller scale, without the theatre. After years of commitment from Theatr Bara Caws with the opportunity for the company to be part of an exciting and innovative plan for the Dyffryn Nantlle area, this was a huge disappointment. But work has been going on by Bara Caws to explore into a contingency plan in the area. The discussions remain confidential but good progress is being made and we hope to be able to make a statement about these exciting plans soon.

7 freelance practitioners were hired to hold 3 workshops on Writing and Acting, to bridge a rather difficult period for the students. Year 6 of all Dyffryn Nantlle Primary Schools and all Year 7 students of Dyffryn Nantlle High School.

A few practitioners have had a few challenging groups, but on the whole everyone seems to be enjoying it and the feedback from the teachers is extremely positive.

2025



'Sgen Ti Syniad' (2) - As a result of the ideas we have received for the plan, we have commissioned 4 of them to be developed into complete scripts. Once again we will look at how best to develop the relevant talents - invite some to collaborate intensively for a short period with actors and a director, and show them to selected audiences to ask for opinions, and invite others to prepare longer scripts which can be traveled throughout Wales.

Our aim is also to give new practitioners from all disciplines the opportunity to be mentored through this period e.g. directing, lighting, sound, planning etc. This will enable them to learn new skills under the guidance of a professional company.

3 will be touring in March and April under the name 3 Drama:-

Dishgled 'da Del - Cai Llewelyn Evans

Wisgi - Carwyn Blayney

99'er - Ceri Ashe

And **A bydd Oes rhywun wedi gweld y Pernod King?** by Mari Emlyn being toured before finishing the tour at the National Eisteddfod in Wrexham.

The rest of our plans for 2025 will be released soon.

On behalf of Bara Caws, I would like to thank the Council for your time and for any support we have received from you in the past.

THANK YOU

Theatr Bara Caws

Statement of Financial Activities
(Incorporating an Income and Expenditure Account)
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Designated £	Restricted fund £	31.3.24 Total funds £	31.3.23 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM						
Donations and legacies	2	373,742	-	73,844	447,586	314,765
Charitable activities						
Primary purpose	4	93,815	-	-	93,815	126,525
Investment income	3	-	-	447	447	128
Other income		8,808	-	-	8,808	2,996
Total		476,365	-	74,291	550,656	444,414
EXPENDITURE ON						
Charitable activities	5					
Primary purpose		447,622	756	-	448,378	443,742
New home development funding		-	-	20,722	20,722	22,875
Other		7,355	-	-	7,355	5,602
Total		454,977	756	20,722	476,455	472,219
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)						
Transfers between funds	16	21,388 (33,203)	(756) -	53,569 33,203	74,201 -	(27,805) -
Net movement in funds		(11,815)	(756)	86,772	74,201	(27,805)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS						
Total funds brought forward		219,820	3,782	-	223,602	251,407
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		208,005	3,026	86,772	297,803	223,602

The notes form part of these financial statements

Theatr Bara Caws (Registered number: 03301990)

Balance Sheet
31 March 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Designated £	Restricted fund £	31.3.24 Total funds £	31.3.23 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS						
Tangible assets	12	2,392	3,026	-	5,418	6,772
CURRENT ASSETS						
Debtors	13	89,968	-	44,890	134,858	100,457
Cash at bank		<u>129,563</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>41,882</u>	<u>171,445</u>	<u>126,048</u>
		219,531	-	86,772	306,303	226,505
CREDITORS						
Amounts falling due within one year	14	<u>(13,918)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(13,918)</u>	<u>(9,675)</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>205,613</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>86,772</u>	<u>292,385</u>	<u>216,830</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>208,005</u>	<u>3,026</u>	<u>86,772</u>	<u>297,803</u>	<u>223,602</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>208,005</u>	<u>3,026</u>	<u>86,772</u>	<u>297,803</u>	<u>223,602</u>
FUNDS	16					
Unrestricted funds					211,031	223,602
Restricted funds					<u>86,772</u>	<u>-</u>
TOTAL FUNDS					<u>297,803</u>	<u>223,602</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2024.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2024 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

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Theatr Bara Caws (Registered number: 03301990)

Balance Sheet - continued
31 March 2024

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

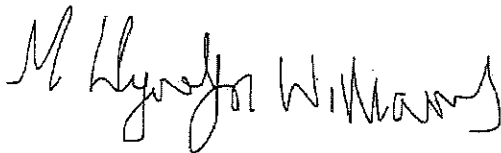
- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to charitable companies subject to the small companies' regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on **November 20th, 2024** and were signed on its behalf by:



Mr B Gregory - Trustee



Ms M L Williams - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

Theatr Bara Caws

Cash Flow Statement
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024

	Notes	31.3.24 £	31.3.23 £
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	1	<u>44,950</u>	<u>(101,118)</u>
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities		<u>44,950</u>	<u>(101,118)</u>
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of tangible fixed assets		-	(958)
Interest received		<u>447</u>	<u>128</u>
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities		<u>447</u>	<u>(830)</u>
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting period		45,397	(101,948)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period		<u>126,048</u>	<u>227,996</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period		<u>171,445</u>	<u>126,048</u>

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Theatr Bara Caws

Notes to the Cash Flow Statement
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024

1. RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE) TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	31.3.24 £	31.3.23 £
Net income/(expenditure) for the reporting period (as per the Statement of Financial Activities)		
Adjustments for:	74,201	(27,805)
Depreciation charges	1,354	1,692
Interest received	(447)	(128)
Increase in debtors	(34,401)	(66,017)
Increase/(decrease) in creditors	4,243	(8,860)
Net cash provided by/(used in) operations	<u>44,950</u>	<u>(101,118)</u>

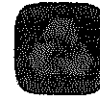
2. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS

	At 1.4.23 £	Cash flow £	At 31.3.24 £
Net cash			
Cash at bank	<u>126,048</u>	<u>45,397</u>	<u>171,445</u>
	<u>126,048</u>	<u>45,397</u>	<u>171,445</u>
Total	<u>126,048</u>	<u>45,397</u>	<u>171,445</u>

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Account Name
THEATR BARA CAWS CYF

Account No [REDACTED] Sort Code [REDACTED] Page No
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NatWest

THEATR BARA CAWS
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GWYNEDD
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Current Account

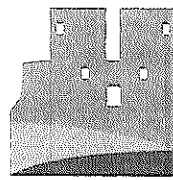
Summary	
Statement Date	17 JAN 2025
Period Covered	11 JAN 2025 to 17 JAN 2025
Previous Balance	£11,348.05
Paid In	£83,129.00
Withdrawn	£7,537.89
New Balance	£86,939.16
BIC	[REDACTED]
IBAN	[REDACTED]

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Current Bank A/c

List of Payments made between 31/01/2025 and 28/02/2025

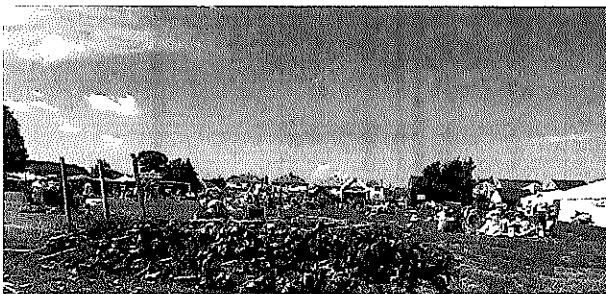
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31/01/2025	Mari A Williams Translations	PABT0596	102.92	Invoice No 1506	January translations
13/02/2025	One Voice Wales	PABT0579	40.00	Number 8950	Training
13/02/2025	Web Studio North Wales	PABT0580	6,840.00	Invoice 8618	Tourism Website
13/02/2025	North Wales Fire Protection Lt	PABT0581	64.80	Invoice S13462	Fire Est Inspections
13/02/2025	Flintshire Glass	PABT0582	70.00		Glass Bus Shelter
13/02/2025	Sage & Co	PABT0583	94.80	Invoice W7348	Payroll charges Q4/25
13/02/2025	One Voice Wales	PABT0585	40.00	Number 8937	Training
13/02/2025	Denbighshire County Council	PABT0586	678.00	Invoice 802298159	Hwb Waste Collection
13/02/2025	Signscape and Signconex Limite	PABT0587	1,476.34	Order No 26556	Replacement sign
13/02/2025	Signscape and Signconex Limite	PABT0584	435.90	Invoice PSI13533637	Replacement BB Backboards
13/02/2025	Signscape and Signconex Limite	PABT057	-435.90		CORRECTION
13/02/2025	Net World Sports	PABT0584	435.90	Invoice PSI13533637	Replacement backboards MUGA
13/02/2025	HSBC UK	DD	8.00		Bank Charges 21/12 to 20/1
13/02/2025	Initial Washroom Hygiene	PABT0588	168.17	Invoice35353880	Sanitary Provision at Hwb
13/02/2025	British Gas	DD	142.70	Bill 10049203	Electricity MUGA
13/02/2025	British Gas	DD	41.62	Bill 10049208	Electricity Hwb
13/02/2025	Steve Wilson	SO	2,050.06		Salary
13/02/2025	HMRC	PABT0589	997.33	120PP01122176	PAYE & NI
13/02/2025	NEST Pension	DD	326.75		Pension
13/02/2025	Steve Wilson	PABT0591	85.05	MK/VS	Travel Expenses
13/02/2025	Steve Wilson Starling	PABT0592	14.61	VS/MK	Misc Expenses
13/02/2025	RHUDDLAN TOWN COMMUNITY	PABT0593	150.00	Invoice No 225	CC Hire February Community Mkt
13/02/2025	Web Studio North Wales	DD	240.00	Invoice No 8654	Social Media and FB Mgmt
13/02/2025	British Gas	DD	100.70	Bill No 10092984	Gas Hwb Rhuddlan 3/1 to 3/2
13/02/2025	Canda Copying Limited	PABT0594	37.50	Invoice No 478629	Photocopier Rental 1/2 to 30/4
13/02/2025	Zoom Video Communications	PABT0590	15.59		Zoom payment starling paid
13/02/2025	BT	DD	72.37		Hwb Wifi
13/02/2025	Vodafone	DD	18.51		Clerk Mobile
13/02/2025	One Voice Wales	PABT0595	40.00	Invoice 8970	Training
13/02/2025	Tesco Mobile	DD	7.97		Assist Clerks Mobile
13/02/2025	Angela Wilkins	PABT0597	96.00		Hwb Cleaning 4/2 to 28/2
Total Payments			14,455.69		



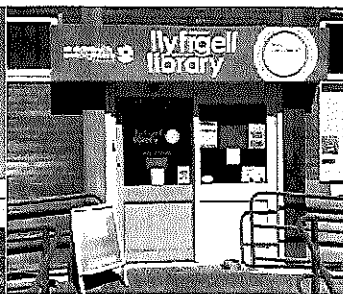
Town Council Newsletter- February 2025

The start of a new year and time to update residents about the work of the Town Council. The Council continues to work hard to maintain, retain and develop services and facilities for the community, as explained below.

In the current council year 2024/2025 – The Council have increased its funding to Rhuddlan Library to £29,000/year to ensure its opening hours were not reduced as a result of cutbacks made by Denbighshire County Council. If you don't use the library, you should visit this vibrant community space to experience all the services it offers, it is not just a library. A working group has been established looking at library funding for the future and the potential building of a grant funded Heritage Centre attached to the library. The Community Market has been busy and the summer Picnic in the Park and May Gwledd Food and Drink Festival organised by the council were very well attended.



Picnic in the Park on Admiral's Field



Rhuddlan Library



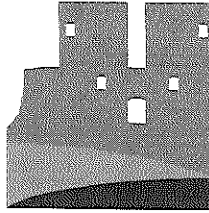
Mayor Cllr Val Simmons

For the year ahead – The Council's budget for 2025-26 will be £257,577. There will be no change to what each household will pay in its Town Council Community Charge so it remains at £116.70 per year based on a band D property. Within this budget the council have included a contingency fund in anticipation of further cuts to services that may be made by Denbighshire County Council. A clean and tidy Rhuddlan will be a main focus with litter picks scheduled for 1st Feb, 15th Mar, 26th Apr, 7th Jun, 19th Jul, 30th Aug, 4th October and 15th Nov. Each litter pick starts at Hwb Rhuddlan at 9.30am for 1.5hrs with all equipment provided, please come along and get involved. The Community market takes place at the Community Centre every second Saturday of the Month from 10am to 2pm with the exception of May when we hold our fabulous Gwledd Food and Drink Festival on Parliament Street, this years' date is 17th May. The Summer Picnic in the Park celebrating local volunteers/groups will take place on 2nd August on Admirals Field, a day of fun for all ages with plenty of entertainment planned.

For the future – The future of the library needs to be assured and the Heritage Centre will be important, as well as encouraging visitors to Rhuddlan it will help businesses in our town. The council continue to lobby Denbighshire to make drainage improvements to the cemetery as well as working with other neighbouring councils to look at future cemetery provision as the Rhuddlan cemetery will soon be full. The council are keen to embrace biodiversity and will make improvements to Admiral's Field and other public spaces to enhance biodiversity in our great town. Admiral's Field was named after Rear Admiral Rafe Grenville Rowley-Conwy (1875-1951) who gave the field to the Parish of Rhuddlan for the purpose of a Public Recreational Ground in March 1946

Openness and Transparency – all of the Council's meetings are open to the public and you can come along either in person at Hwb Rhuddlan or join remotely via Zoom. Agendas and minutes are on the Council's website, information is also published on the notice board in the High Street. Contact numbers for Town Councillors are also on the website and on the noticeboard.

If you have any questions regarding Rhuddlan Town Council then please contact the Town Clerk, Steve Wilson by ringing 07775 673706 or email clerk@rhuddlantowncouncil.gov.uk



Cyngor Tref
Rhuddlan
Town Council

Rhuddlan Town Council Meeting 13th February 2025

Additional Notes

1. The final payments listing will be published on 13/2 and can be found on the Rhuddlan Town Council Website under financial information <https://rhuddlantowncouncil.gov.uk>.

