

ANNUAL REPORT

MAY 2014 - MAY 2015



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ELECTORAL WARD: Ystrad Mynach

PARTY: Plaid Cymru

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council
Education for Life Scrutiny Committee

SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS

Bryn Compost Liaison Group
Community Council Liaison Sub-Committee
River Rhymney Task Group

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Trustee on the Board of Caerphilly MIND
Chairman of Ystrad Mynach Partnership
Ystrad Mynach Town Council (Vice Chair)
Gelligaer Community Council

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

Ystrad Mynach Primary School

ATTENDANCE

From May 2014 to May 2015 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Bryn Compost Liaison Committee	0	3
Community Council Liaison Sub Committee	0	2
Council	9	12
Education for Life Scrutiny Committee	4	8
River Rhymney Task Group	0	1
Ystrad Mynach Town Centre Management Group	1	3

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

I undertook the following training and development seminars and courses: -

Webcasting
Caerphilly Collection Services (Seminar)

CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY

I made representations to the appropriate Council Department and Officers on behalf of local residents.

Requested Planning Site Visits and spoke at Planning Committee on behalf of Local Residents.

Requested reports and further information on issues of concern at Scrutiny Committee.

Worked with my Ward colleague on behalf of the community.

I also held few public meetings in the Town with regard to various issues in the ward and handed in petitions to Council on behalf on local residents.

I was also the Gelligaer Community Council representative to One Voice Wales during 2014/15.