

ANNUAL REPORT

MAY 2015 - MAY 2016



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ELECTORAL WARD: Cefn Fforest

PARTY: Labour

PROFILE: Treasurer and Trustee of Cefn Fforest and Pengam Eco Park.

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council
Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee
Licensing Committee
Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Committee
Audit Committee
Planning Committee (from March 2016)

SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS

Blackwood Town Centre Management Group
Community Council Liaison Sub-Committee
Grants to the Voluntary Sector Panel
Voluntary Sector Liaison Committee

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Aneurin Bevan Community Health Council
Gwent Association of Voluntary Organisations
Wales Council for Deaf People

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

Chair of Cefn Fforest Primary School Governors

ATTENDANCE

From May 2015 to May 2016 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Council	12	12
Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee	8	8
Licensing Committee	4	5
Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Committee	2	2
Audit Committee	4	4
Planning Committee (From March 2016)	3	4
Blackwood Town Centre Management Group	1	3
Community Council Liaison Sub-Committee	3	3
Grants to the Voluntary Sector Panel	2	3
Voluntary Sector Liaison Committee	2	4
Licensing Committee (Taxi & General)	3	3
Licensing Gambling Sub Committee	2	2

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

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

Licensing Committee (Annual)

Policy and Resources (Annual & 6 Monthly Update)

Blackwood Town Centre Management Group (Annual)

Health and Wellbeing Act (Seminar)

Voluntary Sector Liaison Committee (Annual)

Medium Term Financial Plan (Seminar x2)

Community Council Liaison Sub-Committee (Annual)

Crime and Disorder (Annual)

Institute of Licensing – Councillor Training Day

Institute of Licensing – Licensing and Gambling Training for Committee Members

Grants to the Voluntary Sector Panel (6 Monthly Update)

Planning Committee (Mandatory)

CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY

I reported on road conditions in my ward and highlighted issues to the highways department, this included working with Officers on the problems on the highway at Bryn Road.

I was Treasurer of the Cefn Fforest and Pengam Eco Park.

I was elected as Chair of Governors at Cefn Fforest Primary School and worked closely with the school throughout the year. I was also elected as a Governor to Blackwood Comprehensive School during 2015/16.

I attended meetings of the committee for Cefn Fforest Community Centre and provided support as and when needed.