

ANNUAL REPORT

MAY 2017 - MAY 2018



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ELECTORAL WARD: Risca East

PARTY: Labour

COUNCIL COMMITTEES:

Council
Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS:

Community Council Liaison Sub Committee
Risca Town Centre Management Group
Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal - Crumlin Arm Working Group
Risca East Community Council

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS:

N/A

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY:

Governor Risca Community Comprehensive

ATTENDANCE:

From May 2017 to May 2018 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Community Council Liaison Sub Committee	0	3
Council	9	13
Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal	0	3
Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny	4	8
Risca Town Centre Management Group	0	2

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

I have undertaken the following training and development: -

Induction 2017

Medium Term Financial Plan (Seminar) (20.09.2017)

Understanding Data for Secondary Schools

Data Protection

Code of Conduct for Community Councillors

Autism Awareness Risca Community Comprehensive

VAWDASV E-Training

CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY

These are the issues that I have worked on over the past year many of which are ongoing: -

As I work full time, I am unable to attend the certain meetings held in the middle of the afternoon and attend as many council meetings as I can. My priority is always given to providing support within my ward.

I held local surgeries along with fellow councillors and met with tenants and residents.

I Held meetings with CCBC Officers, Police and Residents regarding local issues of concern. i.e.. Fly-Tipping, Royal Mail Deliveries, Speeding, Anti-Social Behaviour and Proposed Resource Centre, Parking and Dog Fowling

I have taken part in litter picking events within my ward on a regular basis.

I regularly attended Risca Community Comprehensive Governors meetings.

I attended the 40th Anniversary amongst other fund raising events at Risca Community Comprehensive.

I organised and attended many local events such as the Christmas and Summer fetes in Risca and Tysign, Armistice Services, Christmas Events for local children and Carol Services.

I have attended House visits with local residents regarding private issues.

I have collected food and water and set up a donations area for the public to donate to the firemen and taken the supplies to Abercarn Fire station.

I have walked around My Ward with the Community Safety Warden and arranged a public meeting with tenants and residents regarding issues in certain areas.

I have arranged and attended a public meeting for residents and officers from the Recycling and Waste Dept.

I attended the turning on of the 1st Christmas lights in TySign along with father Christmas 😊

These are some of the events I have taken part in or help organise, along with the usual Councillor representation and duties via email or telephone.