

# ANNUAL REPORT

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**ELECTORAL WARD:** Pontllanfraith

**PARTY:** Labour

**PROFILE:** Deputy Mayor and Chair of Planning

## **COUNCIL COMMITTEES**

Council  
Planning Committee  
Investigating and Disciplinary Committee  
Partnerships Scrutiny Committee  
Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee

## **SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS**

Corporate Health and Safety Committee  
Caerphilly Car Parks Task and Finish Group

## **OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS**

Islwyn Bowls Club Management Board

## **SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY**

Pontllanfraith Comprehensive School  
Pontllanfraith Primary School

## **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>
Corporate Health and Safety Committee	2	3
Council	13	13
Planning Committee	10	11
Policy and Resources Scrutiny	7	8
Partnerships Scrutiny Committee	1	2
Investigating and Disciplinary Committee	4	4

## **TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT**

I have undertaken the following training and development: -

Induction 2017

Data Protection

Planning Training (Recommended)

Treasury Management

Medium Term Financial Plan (Seminar) (31.01.2018)

21st Century Schools (Seminar)

Aneurin Bevan Health Board (Seminar)

Information Governance Training (Mandatory)

Effective Governance – Call-in

Pre-determination

VAWDASV E-Training

## **CIVIC OFFICE ACTIVITY**

During 2016/17 I was very proud to be elected as the Deputy Mayor of Caerphilly County Borough Council. During the year I represent the Council and the people of Caerphilly at 47 different events including the Opening of Woodfieldside's new Playground, Wales Young Enterprise Finals 2017 and the launch of Abercarn Primary Schools Radio Station. I Judged a Charity Competition at Islwyn High School and attended the Charity Fun Run at Newbridge Scout Field. I also attended the 'Start a Heart' Event in Blackwood and the Re-opening Celebration of Abermill Care Home. I was privileged to attend the visit by HRH the Prince of Wales to the miners centre in Caerphilly and Stage 4 Presentation Evening at Blackwood Comprehensive, along with the VIP Military Opening at Newbridge Memo. In December 2017 I represented Council at the Music Service, End of Year Concert at Lewis Girls School, Bedwas, Trethomas and Machen's Brass Band's Christmas Concert and a Community Carol Service at Tabernacle Church and in January 2018 I was very proud to attend the National Holocaust Memorial Day Service. Along with these visits I also made presentations of flowers to Caerphilly residents who celebrated their Golden and Diamond wedding anniversaries and 100th Birthdays.

## **CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY**

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

Worked with colleagues to seek the reinstatement of Post office Services at Pontllanfaith.