

ANNUAL REPORT

MAY 2022 - MAY 2023



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ELECTORAL WARD: Hengoed

PARTY: Plaid Cymru

PROFILE: Ward Member for Hengoed

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council
Education Scrutiny Committee (Chair)
Appeals Panel (Substitute)
Governance & Audit Committee

SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS

Advisory Panel for the Appointment and Removal of Local Authority Governors (Substitute)
Community Council Liaison Sub Committee
Voluntary Sector Liaison Committee
Ystrad Mynach Town Centre Management Group
Scrutiny Leadership Group
Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Aneurin Bevan Community Health Council (Vice Chair of Scrutiny Committee)
Governor Hengoed Primary
Governor YGG Bro Allta

Hengoed Community Centre Management Committee
Hengoed Crafters
Cascade Carvers
Hengoed Crafters Food Charity Distribution (FareShare Lead)
Gelligaer Community Council

ATTENDANCE

To view my attendance record, please follow the link below:

<https://democracy.caerphilly.gov.uk/mgUserAttendanceSummary.aspx?LLL=0>

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

Equalities and Diversity Training 13.06.22
Local Development Plan Training
Violence Against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Seminar 13.03.23
Education and Corporate Services Seminar 24.05.22
Economy and Environment Seminar 25.05.22
Governance and Audit 26.05.22 14.06.22
Licencing Seminar 01.06.22
Police and Crime Commissioner 20.06.22
Chairing Skills 19.09.22
Fire and Rescue Seminar 17.10.22
Bio Diversiy Seminar 24.10.22
Equalities, Diversities and Unconscious Bias 14.11.22

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT WITH COMMUNITY HEALTH BOARD

Equality and Diversity Training
Visiting and Engagement Training
Autism awareness Training
Dementia Training

COMMUNITY HEALTH COUNCIL

From May 2022 to May 2023 my attendance at CHC meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Attended</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Full Council	2	05.01.23 24.03.23
Scrutiny	5	19.05.22, 07.07.22, 08.09.22, 03.10.22, 08.02.23
Consultation Meetings	3	
Welsh Ambulance Briefings	5	
Visiting Hospitals	1	29.09.22,

GELLAGAER COMMUNITY COUNCIL ACTIVITIES (SOME)

Planting of fruit trees and herbs (with Keep Wales Tidy)
Young citizens awards
Community champions awards
Bilingual book for all Primary School Children in GCC villages
Easter Egg window Displays in all Villages
Christmas lighting
Ystrad Mynach in bloom
Remembrance day Poppys on lamposts

ONE VOICE WALES

Half day virtual events

POLICE MEETINGS AND REGULAR UPDATES

By Email, phone calls and In Person

WARD ACTIVITY

Over the past year I have continued carrying out my role as a Councillor, representing my community and providing assistance.

- Organising Food distribution from food Charity FareShare Cymru
- Planning issues
- Planning Proposals Kestrel View and The Graig
- Boundary Commission submissions
- Land Ownership disputes with CCBC
- Road Traffic Calming and double yellow lines
- Active Travel plans
- Planning objections
- Planning applications
- Trees
- Cleansing issues
- Fly Tipping
- Neighbour disputes
- Environmental health issues (garden clearances)
- Rats
- Street Lighting
- Anti social behaviour issues
- Off road bikes
- New playgroud

The War Memorial at Derwendeg School continues to be a success with grateful thanks to Pastor Steve Darby and Ceri Mortimer. A truly wonderful tribute to those who lost their lives and whom we will never forget. Thanks also to the Headteacher, Mrs Wangiel, for arranging for us to have the school hall and the caretakers time. My ward colleague Cllr Donna Cushing and I are very proud and grateful to all who contributed.