

# ANNUAL REPORT

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**ELECTORAL WARD:** Pengam

**PARTY:** Labour

**PROFILE:** Cabinet Member for Community & Leisure Services

## **COUNCIL COMMITTEES**

Council  
Cabinet

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

Bryn Compost Liaison Group  
Caerphilly Community Safety Partnership Delivery Group  
Joint Consultative Committee  
Rights of Way Cabinet Committee

## **OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS**

Fields in Trust (formerly National Playing Fields Association)  
Heads of the Valleys Joint Organics Project Joint Committee  
Local Government Association  
Prosiect Gwyrdd Joint Committee  
Safer Caerphilly Community Safety Partnership  
South East Area Environment Group  
Welsh Local Government Association  
Urban Commission (Local Government Association)

## **SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY**

Pengam Primary School

Hendre Infants School

Fleur-de-Lis Primary School (observer status)

## **ATTENDANCE**

From May 2013 to May 2014 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Council	8	9
Cabinet	21	22

## **TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT**

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

Area Forum Expenditure

Freedom of Information and Data Protection

Appointments

Private Sector Housing

Equalities and Diversity

Planning

## **CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY**

During this civic year I have continued to hold joint surgeries with Gwent Police in Pengam library. The Pengam Community Partnership has ceased to function and therefore no meetings have been held. I had the pleasure of opening the Pengam and Fleur de Lis flower show which again this year has been a big success, with the number of entrants continuing to grow. The Britannia, Pengam and Fleur de Lis community association continues to flourish with well-attended monthly meetings held in the Fleur de Lis Rugby Club, which I attend.

I have again returned all calls and made house visits when required both in my role as the Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure services and as the ward member for Pengam.

I have attended ad hoc meetings of the Pengam and Fleur de Lis Institute trust and assisted obtaining remedial work to the building from Caerphilly County Borough Council when requested by the trustees.