

# ANNUAL REPORT

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**ELECTORAL WARD:** Morgan Jones

**PARTY:** Plaid Cymru

**PROFILE:** Youth Champion

## COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council

Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

## SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS

Grants to the Voluntary Sector Panel

Caerphilly Town Centre Management Group

## OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Young Persons Forum

## SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Caerffili and Plas-y-Felin Primary School

## 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	9	9
Regeneration and Environment	7	8

## **TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT**

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

Managing Constituency Casework	Equalities and Diversity
Planning (New Permitted Development Rights)	E Voting
Medium Term Financial Plan	Common Housing Register
Social Services and Wellbeing Bill	

## **CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY**

Over the last year I have held surgeries on Saturday mornings where we have had issues to take forward and have addressed them. I also find that my constituents call at my home as it is in the centre of the ward where I live and represent.

I have called at every home on the Morgan Jones Ward in some form or other and I am constantly being stopped on the street where again issues are being brought to my attention.

I have also represented my ward on various planning applications where there were issue that the residents were not happy with I have provided support on planning procedures or the planning application and reported the issues presented by them on consultation.

I have had a busy year as Youth Champion dealing with their major issues and I was elected again as their Champion in March 2014 for the 6th time where over 2500 young people voted for me to represent them at Council level.

I represent the age of 11-24 at the youth council and have met with the Police and Children's Commissioner of Wales raising issues that effects the young people of Caerphilly

We are currently completing 3 short educational films on how easy it is to get Drugs and Alcohol on the streets and the harm and upset they can cause at home and at school,

I have attended PACT meetings on my ward and encourage them to continue.