

**Minutes of the meeting of Bronington Community Council-  
Held at Bronington School on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2018 at 7.30 pm**

<b>Present</b>	<p>Cllrs. A Reardon (Vice Chairman), R Mottershead, D Evans, R Hill, M Watson, R Millington, A Warren, A Edwards.</p> <p>Resolved: - In the absence of the Chairman it was agreed that Cllr Reardon chair the meeting. Proposed by Cllr Warren and seconded by Cllr Hill.</p> <p>The Clerk.</p>	
<b>1- Apologies</b>	<p>Cllrs. V Brodie (Chairman), P Robinson, A Lewis.</p> <p>An election has not been called for the casual vacancy therefore the Council are able to go ahead and co-opt a new Cllr.</p>	
<b>2- Declarations of Interest</b>	<p>There were no declarations of interest declared.</p>	
<b>3- Police Update</b>	<p>The police did not attend the meeting.</p> <p>The monthly report is as follows: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No community based ASB reported.</li> <li>• RTC – A 495 Ellesmere Road, non-injury RTC reported by passing motorist who witnessed a car colliding with a van knocking the wing mirror off and failing to stop.</li> <li>• Couple of vehicles on the A495 near Chapel Lane stopped due to blowout. This has been reported to Highways.</li> <li>• General and targeted patrols carried out on a regular basis.</li> <li>• Nothing to report for Ty Broughton area.</li> </ul>	
<b>4- Adoption of the minutes</b>	<p><b>Resolved: - The minutes of the business meeting held on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018 were proposed by Cllr Watson and seconded by Cllr Evans. The minutes were then adopted and signed as correct.</b></p>	
<b>5- Matters Arising</b>	<p>All matters arising are dealt with below.</p> <p>5.1 A525 between Redbook Maelor and Painters Green: - the double white lines that were in the middle of the road are no longer visible due to the road eroding away. This is causing a hazard as vehicles are overtaking when they shouldn't be. Reported to Highways and requested that the double white lines are reinstated.</p> <p>5.2 Blocked Grids: - located on the recently resurfaced road of the A525 in Bronington. Reported to Highways.</p> <p>5.3 Water Leak: - located between Eglwys Cross Farm and the lane from Eglwys Cross to Llanbedllth on the A525. Reported to Highways.</p> <p>5.4 State of Road: - the road surface on the A495 between Chapel Lane and Pinfold is in a shocking state. Reported to Highways.</p> <p>5.5 Gulley's: - request sent to Highways to empty the gulley's on the A495 near to School Lane, Bronington.</p>	
<b>6- Open Forum</b>	<p>There was no consideration of this item.</p>	
<b>7- Correspondence</b>	<p>7.1 <u>List of post received:</u> -</p>	
	<p>7.2 <u>List of emails forwarded to councillors:</u> -</p>	
	<p>Armistice Day/Remembrance Sunday local police arrangements</p>	
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	<p>Review of the Electoral Arrangements for Wrexham County Borough Council</p> <p>Please help us to Support the Armed Forces Community</p>	

Transport Survey	
One Voice Wales Conference Dates for 2019	
November Training Sessions	
Lunch and Learn at Rainbow Centre	
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<b>8- Accounts</b>	<p>8.1 <u>Financial Report:</u> -  The bank balance as at 1<sup>st</sup> November 2018 is as follows: -  Lloyds Current Account £ 27,274.75.  <b>To approve payments / receipts: -</b>  Payments: -</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Chq No</th> <th>Payee</th> <th>Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>210</td><td>Running Costs</td><td>£ 55.06</td></tr> <tr><td>211</td><td>Little Red Tractor Company</td><td>£ 172.80</td></tr> <tr><td>212</td><td>DONATION:- Whitewell Church</td><td>£1,000.00</td></tr> <tr><td>213</td><td>R Clorley</td><td>£ 150.00</td></tr> <tr><td>214</td><td>DONATION:- Nightingale House</td><td>£ 200.00</td></tr> <tr><td>215</td><td>DONATION:- The Rainbow Centre</td><td>£ 500.00</td></tr> <tr><td>216</td><td>DONATION:- Shooting Stars Appeal</td><td>£ 200.00</td></tr> <tr><td>217</td><td>DONATION:- Wales Air Ambulance</td><td>£ 200.00</td></tr> <tr><td>218</td><td>DONATION:- Jubilee Luncheon Club</td><td>£ 500.00</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The Clerk's salary was paid by standing order.  Receipts: - None  <b>Resolved: - Councillors agreed to accept the Financial Report and the above payments. Proposed by Cllr Watson and seconded by Cllr Evans.</b></p> <p>8.2 <u>Financial Year 2018 – 2019:-</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Council deferred the request received from Bronington School for ICT purchases</li> <li>• The Council deferred the donation towards upkeep of Bronington Churchyard</li> <li>• To considered whether to pay for redirection of post when the clerk moves  <b>Resolved:- The Council agreed to pay for the redirection of post for three months. Proposed by Cllr Reardon and seconded by Cllr Warren.</b></li> </ul> <p>8.3 <u>Financial Year 2019 – 2020:-</u>  To approve budget for 2019– 2020 (see attachment) including: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Payments to schools in the Community</li> <li>• Payments towards the upkeep of Burial Grounds in the Community: - The Council agreed to defer the payment to Bronington Church as further information is required. The Council agreed to earmark £1,000.00 to Whitewell Church.</li> <li>• Payments towards the upkeep of War Memorials in the Community</li> <li>• To review the Clerk's salary for the financial year April 2019 – March 2020  <b>Resolved: - that the Council agree to the following: -</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Schools in the Community - deferred</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Chq No	Payee	Amount	210	Running Costs	£ 55.06	211	Little Red Tractor Company	£ 172.80	212	DONATION:- Whitewell Church	£1,000.00	213	R Clorley	£ 150.00	214	DONATION:- Nightingale House	£ 200.00	215	DONATION:- The Rainbow Centre	£ 500.00	216	DONATION:- Shooting Stars Appeal	£ 200.00	217	DONATION:- Wales Air Ambulance	£ 200.00	218	DONATION:- Jubilee Luncheon Club	£ 500.00
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<b>9- Barry Barlow Memorial Play Area Update</b>	<p>9.1 <u>Repairs to Equipment:</u> - Ace Playgrounds are due to carry out the agreed work schedule on 10<sup>th</sup> December. The replacement sign has now been put up at the site. The hedges have been cut.</p>	
<b>10- Planning</b>	<p>10.1 <u>Applications Received:</u> - P/2018/0916 – proposed single storey extension at Woodlands Farm, Conery Lane, Bronington <b>Resolved: - The Council support the application.</b></p> <p>10.2 <u>New Applications Received:</u> - To consider any Planning Applications received after the agenda has been distributed: - P/2108/0930 - LBC for two storey extension separated by single storey glazed flat roof link, new entrance porch and landscaping at The Cottage, Hamner Road, Eglwys Cross <b>Resolved: - The Council support the application.</b></p> <p>10.3 <u>Decisions:</u> - Granted: - No updates.</p>	
<b>11- Community Agent</b>	No update.	
<b>12- Hanmer Surgery</b>	Cllr Brodie attended a meeting regarding the surgery – report to follow.	
<b>13- Village Hall Committee</b>	Representative of the committee has been invited but not responded.	
<b>14- Bronington School</b>	Cllr Reardon has informed the headteacher of the Christmas event.	
<b>15- Christmas</b>	Cllrs discussed the arrangements for the Christmas Carols on 20 <sup>th</sup> December and the Christmas Tree Festival in the Church.	
<b>16- Councillors Questions</b>	<p>16.1 Broken and Missing Road Signage: - located at Grange Road junction with the A495.</p> <p>16.2 Missing Road 40MPH Sign: - that was previously located on the bend on the A495 before the turning for Bronington – request to be sent to replace sign.</p>	

	<p>16.3 Blocked Grids: - as various locations.</p> <p>16.4 Hanmer Estate: - write to Hanmer estate to thank them for the offer of land on School Lane for parking.</p> <p>16.5 Highways Update: - Cllr Reardon has received the following update from WCBC: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A525 Chequer Bends: - WCBC are hoping to secure extra money from the Welsh Government, if successful WCBC will carry out work at the Chequer Bends.</li> <li>• A495: - WCBC have met with the road safety team regarding funding for some work in the area. WCBC are hopeful that they will secure monies to resurface the A495 by School Lane and tidy / repair the footpath to the church together with new signage.</li> <li>• Gullies: - at present WCBC only have one gulley wagon in the road at present, however two new ones are due before Christmas so they are hoping to catch up with the outstanding work.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Date of next meeting</b></p>	<p>Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2019 – Bronington School</p>	