

**Cyngor Cymuned
Rhigos
Community Council**

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Dear Sir/Madam

You are summoned to attend the ordinary meeting of the Rhigos Community Council to be held at the Rhigos Community Centre on Monday 9th September 2019 at 6.45 p.m. to transact the following business.

Dated this day 29th August 2019

1. Apologies
2. To confirm minutes of the ordinary meeting of the Council held on 8th July 2019
3. Matters Arising
4. Planning Applications
5. County Borough Council Matters
6. Correspondence
7. Review of Financial Regulations
8. Rhigos Allotments
9. Rhigos Signs
10. Accounts
11. Members Verbal Reports

Yours sincerely
Susan Harvey Powell
Clerk

To The Chairman and all members of Rhigos Community Council

- e. All footpaths around the village need spraying as weeds are growing through
- f. The footpaths on the main road need sweeping.
- g. Brambles and nettles are growing over some footpaths.
- h. There is a road sign in the hedge opposite the bottom of Heol y Graig.
- i. The phone box in the village is to be removed.
- j. Grass on the verges is not being cleaned up after being cut.
- k. Residents were unable to access the village recently due to the road being tarmaced.
- l. There is a dip in the road where it has been resurfaced.
- m. There is a tree overhanging Heol y Graig.
- n. The new tarmac on Heol y Bryn has not been sealed and is going under the drive of no. 14
- o. The bus stop opposite the school is not marked. RCTCBC say it is not registered.
- p. Buses are pulling off before passengers are seated.
- q. The stile in Halt Road is unsafe.
- r. The tarmac is breaking up on the Glynneath bank.

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Correspondence

It was resolved to receive the following correspondence.

No correspondence received

2019/68

Rhigos Allotments

An email has been received from a resident saying that the allotments flooded his garden shed recently. He also mentioned a certain weed that has appeared in the allotments. The contractors will be contacted about the flooding, the weeds were there previously.

Mrs K Morgan attended and presented a letter regarding a conversation she had with the allotments society regarding a container being placed at the back of her garden. She was concerned that it would be an eyesore. After discussion it was agreed that it was not a good idea to put one big container and each plot holder could have a small container for tools etc. It was also asked whether plot holders could have polytunnels. It was agreed as long as they are not home made. The fences of 2 properties in Cwrt Twyn Rhyd are over the boundary, a letter will be sent asking them to take the fence back.

It was agreed to charge plot holders £10.00 this year and £15.00 per annum from next year. Cllr. Smith reported that the allotments gate needs to be bigger.

2019/69**Rhigos Signs**

The signs are ready to be erected

2019/70**Accounts**

The accounts have been sent to the external auditor.

A Thomas (Cemetery)	£510.00
Welsh Water	£59.16
Wages and tax	£402.52

Current Account	£6921.20
High Interest Account	£3818.58
Field Account	£4545.24
Croesffordd Account	£2643.10
Croesffordd High Interest	£2485.40
Croesffordd Treasury	£23,000.00
Selar	£14,315.96
Solar Farm Fund	£0.00

2019/71**Members' Verbal Reports**

- a. The grass needs cutting around the community centre, Cllr. Evans will ask Alan Thomas.
- b. The scrap railings have now been removed from the cemetery
- c. Some graves in the cemetery need to be levelled off. Cllr. Oliver will give the grave diggers number to Alan Thomas (cemetery maintenance)
- d. No update on the playground repairs. Residents are asking for more benches there.
- e. The community council vacancies need to be advertised.
- f. The gas meter grid is off.
- g. There is a pipe off the wall that needs repairing.
- h. A new lock is needed for the gates at the side of the community centre.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held at Rhigos Community Centre on Monday 9th September 2019 at 6.45 p.m.

SIGNED..... DATE.....
 Chairman