

LLANSILIN COMMUNITY COUNCIL - MEETING AGENDA

Date: 10 March 2026

Time: 7:30 PM

Venue: Llansilin Memorial Hall, Llansilin, Oswestry, SY10 7QB.

Attendees

- **Councillors:** Meirion Thomas (Chair), David Price (Vice-chair), Wendy Clough-Jones , Huw Edwards, Hywel Evans, Hywel Jones, Malcolm Jones and Dennis Socket
- **Clerk/RFO:** Chris Hooper
- **Others:** Aled Davies (Councillor for ward: Llanrhaeadr-ym-Mochnant and Llansilin, Powys County Council).

1. Welcome

- To welcome attendees.
- To confirm quorum.

2. Apologies for Absence

- To receive and approve apologies for absence.

3. Declarations of Interest

- To receive any declarations of interest from members on items on the agenda.

4. Minutes of the Previous Meeting(s)

- To approve the minutes of the ordinary meeting held on **13 January 2026** as a true record.
- To approve the minutes of the extraordinary meeting held on **20 February 2026** as a true record.
- To note any amendments to the minutes.

5. Matters Arising from the Minutes

- **Ysgol Bro Cynllaith:** Community Asset Transfer / Calon Cynllaith (CH).
- **Mynydd Mawr Energy Park:** Status of the scheduled 2026 in-person meeting (CH).
- **Churchyard Projects:** Update on the conifer removal project (CH).
- **Footpath Volunteers:** Update on project progress (MJ).
- **Treftadaeth Llansilin Heritage Project:** Progress update (WCJ).
- **Hand Inn:** Update on the condition/status of the premises (AD).
- **Llanrhaeadr Surgery:** Support requested for campaign to oppose closure (CH).

6. Financial Matters

- To receive and approve financial statements for the period **13 January – 7 March 2026**:
 - Profit and Loss
 - Bank Transactions
 - Balance Sheet
- **Precept 2026/27**: To confirm the final submission of the Precept Demand (Total £13,600) to Powys County Council.
- **Clerk/RFO Expenses**: To approve any outstanding expenses (none).
- **Public Conveniences**: Update on energy renewal.

7. Planning Matters

- To consider any new planning applications received since the last meeting (none).
- To note any planning decisions received from Powys County Council (none).

8. Correspondence

To discuss any new correspondence received:

- **16/01/26 Llanrhaeadr YM, Penybontfawr and Llangynog Community Councils**: Llanrhaeadr YM Surgery closure.
- **21/01/26 Footpath Group (Malc Jones)**: Progress update.
- **21/01/26 Llanrhaeadr Community Council (Ann Klages)**: Llanrhaeadr YM Surgery closure.
- **29/01/26 Canolfan Rhiwlas**: LCC representation on management committee.
- **02/02/26 Powys County Council (Corporate)**: Changes to black bin/recycling collections.
- **04/02/26 Llanrhaeder ym Mochnant Primary School (Sioned Morris)**: LLansilin representation on governing body.
- **21/02/26 Wrexham Council (Trevor Bates)**: NRW performance in National Park Consultations.
- **03/03/26 Natural Resources Wales**: [2025 Statutory Consultation Report](#).
- **09/09/26 Calon Cynllaith (Sarah Hooper)**: Registration of public green space at Ysgol Bro Cynllaith.

9. Highways & Environmental Issues

- Review of ongoing issues:
 - Water on road (Rossett, Moelfre near Ty Du)
 - Hedge maintenance (Moelfre triangle, Lledrod)
 - Structural concerns (Peniarth Bridge)
 - Drainage and Sarn/Lloran Ucha/Rifle Range updates
 - Road subsidence near the bridge at LLyn Moelfre
- **Powys Winter Plan**: Review of gritting effectiveness and salt pile levels.
- **Bin/recycling collections**: Problems with the new collection dates

10. Clerk's Report & Governance

- **Governance Documents:** To review/approve final versions of:
 - Vision and Purpose.
 - Code of Conduct / Training Plan.
 - Standing Orders.
 - Financial Regulations.
- Update on any audit requirements for the upcoming year-end.

11. Any Other Business (AOB)

12. Date of Next Meeting

- To confirm the next meeting: **12 May 2026 (Annual General Meeting)**.

2026 Meeting Schedule:

- 10 March
- 12 May (AGM)
- 14 July
- 8 September
- 10 November