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Trustees' Meeting

7.00pm on Tuesday 24th May 2022

at The Philanthropic Inn, Twyncarn Road, Pontywaun. NP11 7DU

Combined Agenda and Meeting Briefing Paper

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES

2. THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE BEACON

Need this item upfront so that our guest/s can leave once details are approved

- i. We have invited Craig Hale and Lewis Griffiths of Abercarn scouts to join us this evening to go over arrangements for the lighting of a beacon on Twmbarlwm for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Thursday 2nd June 2022.
- ii. Sue and Sally are leading on this and will take us through arrangements so far.
- iii. Deputy Mayor is Cllr Mike Adams has agreed to attend

3. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING – and MATTERS ARISING

- i. The last Trustees Meeting was 14th March 2022 at The Philanthropic Inn, Pontywaun – Copy of the minutes are attached please ensure to print them out and read them before the meeting – I won't be dwelling on these notes.
- ii. Matters Arising

4. ARCHAEOLOGY and CADW

- i. An update of the archaeology project has anyone read the report? (Sent to all Trustees on 23/03/22)
- ii. What next?
- iii. Update and implementation of the Sward Management report.
- iv. Application for further funding from Welsh Government was refused (see separate notes on "Additional Funding") - and Norman has made two further applications to Viridor and Community Empowerment - mainly to cover the Bio-blitz which are still in progress (see notes). TE has suggested that CTS could fund this themselves.

5. CCBC / TORFAEN / COMMONERS WORKS

- i. Update on Adventure Triangle Project.

6. MEMBERSHIP & FINANCE

- i. Statement of current figures and bank balance.
- ii. Membership summary, subs, cards, payments etc.

7. EVENTS

- i. **The Hot-Cross-Bun Walk** – Good Friday 15th April 2022 - report - big group came up with Rob Southall from Cwmcarn. Only about 20 from Pontymister. Tesco gave us £20 for buns - but had to buy them elsewhere because they were out of stock on the day. Made £18 plus 5 Czech cents in the collecting bucket. Scouts were very helpful and helped carry and distribute the buns.
- ii. Archaeology report (The CPAT team, Will and Amelia) - will this ever happen?
- iii. Talk on Newport Castle (Will Davies)??
- iv. Walk to Pwll Tra?? and/or Llanderfel??
- v. Bio-Blitz (Andy Karan, Gwent Wildlife Trust) - not heard about any dates
- vi. BBC Countryfile Walk (Children in Need) (Oct/Nov)
- vii. Other Suggestions – ?
- viii. **Summer Solstice at Newport Transporter Bridge Tuesday 21st June 7.30pm**
- ix. **Charity Abseil at Newport Transporter Bridge Saturday 18th June 8.30am**
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8. TIDY TWMP

- i. Report on Litterpicks/Workdays held since March 2022
- ii. Identify future workday tasks that need to be done
- iii. Next scheduled litter pick and volunteer day will be 29th May 2022

9. A.O.B.

10. Date of next Trustees' Meeting