

ANNUAL REPORT - 2013/14

| <p>Councillor: Anne Lloyd-Jones</p> <p>Group: Independent</p> <p>Ward: Tywyn</p> <p>Purpose of the annual report:</p> <p>The aim of the Annual Report is to assist the electorate to become better informed of the work and activities of their elected local authority member during the year.</p> <p>Role and responsibilities:</p> <p>Representing the community interest in Gwynedd Council. Representing the Council on outside bodies.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>Constituency activities:</p> <p>As Vice Chairman of the Hospital Appeal Fund committee and working with the project group, we were successful in attracting over £5 million pounds towards a new primary care centre and 16 bed wards at Tywyn Hospital and the work will hopefully be completed before the end of 2015.</p> <p>The Appeal Committee have also given over £100,000 towards a new x-ray unit and refurbishment of the room.</p> <p>As Chairman of the Governing body of Ysgol Penybryn, we have recently completed a new hall and upgrading of all the classrooms at a total cost of over £1.8 million. Also finance was secured for work at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn.</p> <p>Had various meetings with Gwynedd officers, the AM Dafydd Elis Thomas and MP Elfyn Llwyd concerning constituency matters. Had a joint meeting with NRW and AM and Gwynedd Consultancy following the storms in January.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>Other initiatives and activities:</p> <p>Attended monthly Town Council meetings, and the various sub meetings. As Chairman of the Ynysmaengwyn Trust we were successful in gaining the Green Flag Award for the Park again this year.</p> <p>Met with the Minister John Griffiths AM earlier this year for him to see the important link to the Coastal Path of the new Tonfannau bridge, a project which I had been involved in with the Tywyn Partnership for many years. The cycle route between Tywyn and Aberdyfi has been started but unfortunately at the moment there is no money to complete the work.</p> <p>As Chairman of Mid Wales Tourism since 2001 and Director of Tourism Partnership Mid Wales, I have constant meetings with Politicians and the Visit Wales team to ensure that the whole area benefits economically from tourism.</p> <p>As treasurer of the local branch of the NSPCC since 1989, last year we raised over £2k in the area, and as treasure of the Meirionnydd Urdd Appeal, raised over £6,000.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>I attended the following Committees:</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>COMMITTEE</th><th>PRESENT</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>The Council</td><td>4</td></tr><tr><td>Democratic Services Committee</td><td>3</td></tr><tr><td>Planning Committee</td><td>14</td></tr><tr><td>Aberdyfi Harbour Consultative Committee</td><td>2</td></tr><tr><td>Meirionnydd Area Forum</td><td>4</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Percentage of Attendance: 93%</p> | COMMITTEE | PRESENT | The Council | 4 | Democratic Services Committee | 3 | Planning Committee | 14 | Aberdyfi Harbour Consultative Committee | 2 | Meirionnydd Area Forum | 4 |
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| <p>I participated in the following additional meetings, seminars, investigations and workshops:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Libraries sub group panel• Meirionnydd school reorganisation group | | | | | | | | | | | | |

- Principal Scrutiny committees
- Meirionnydd Employment Working Group
- Joint Local Development Plan and consultation
- Recycling Workshop
- Public Engagement
- School Governors Training
- Cartrefi Cymunedol Gwynedd away days

I represented Gwynedd Council on the following outside bodies:

Cartrefi Cymunedol Gwynedd. Attended all board meetings and Chairman of the HR committee and member of the Operations committee
 Attended the Annual 2 day Housing Conference.
 Ysgol Penybryn Tywyn (Governor)
 Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn (Governor)

I represented Gwynedd Council in the following meetings:

Dr Williams's Education Fund
 Cambrian Coast Liaison meetings/Shrewsbury to Aberystwyth and Cambrian Coast joint meetings.
 Tywyn Partnership.
 Pecynnau Profiad Gwynedd Group.
 High Sheriff's Annual Crime Beat Award Ceremony.
 Prize giving ceremony Coleg Meirion Dwyfor.
 Joint all Wales member support network in Elan Valley on 18/03/14.

I attended the following Learning and Development training sessions:

| Corporate |
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| Authority and Schools Performance Data |
| School Governance and Child Protection |
| Information about People: Your own responsibility |
| Propriety Matters and Planning Appeals |
| Structure and the state of Gwynedd's economy |
| Training for Members and Deputies on the Planning Committee |
| Corporate Parenting Panel |
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Total Number of hours: 17