

Minera News September 2023

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Minera Community Council (MCC) met at the Tyn y Capel on September 20th. Kathleen (Kate) Coventry was co-opted to serve as a Community Councillor with MCC, and after signing the relevant paperwork, was welcomed and joined the meeting.

Community speed checks on the Old Road will take place after liaison with GoSafe.

There will be a meeting on November 2nd where speakers from We Mind the Gap and the new National Park will present information. All are welcome and full details of time and venue are will be published on our website.

The broken gate off Ty Brith Lane onto the footpath to the Lead Mines, and the pond which floods in rain, have been reported by a resident and passed to Wrexham council for action.

Following a request which arose in our August meeting, Wrexham council has agreed to provide dimensions of existing buildings in planning applications, so that a comparison with the proposed dimensions can be made more easily.

The Community Agent service is still under review by Wrexham council, and MCC has made it clear that we are happy with the service provided by Susanne. A researcher from Swansea University who is studying aspects of preventative social care is including some of the users of the service in Minera as part of his research.

There were no reports of crime in the past month, and we were pleased to say there has been no antisocial behaviour or vandalism over the school summer holidays. Unfortunately, the day before our meeting, the Perspex on the side of the football pitch shelter was broken shortly after it was repaired by a volunteer. This is very disappointing – if anyone has any information, please report it to the Police. Cameras for the football field are being considered.

The Youth Club is back up and running on Tuesdays at the Portakabin on the football field. There are new resources, and wi-fi will be installed shortly.

The footpath from Maesyffynnon Rd to the White Road has been cleared and is now easier to navigate.

Minera's Remembrance event will take place this year on Saturday November 11th at the Bus Stop.

MCC has joined in with other community councils in making a representation opposing the planned cuts to the Fire service in Wrexham.

The landscaping work in New Brighton is now complete, and a picnic bench will be installed so that passers by can sit and enjoy the space.