

Llancarfan Community Council News



Spring time

Welcome to the 2nd edition of the community Newsletter.

Our aim for the newsletter is to bring together the four villages and to let everyone know what is going on in our local community. If you would like to add anything to our Summer - newsletter, please speak to one of your village council representatives who will gladly pass the information on.



Website

Just a reminder about our Llancarfan Community Council website. Here you will find lots of useful information including minutes of recent Council meetings. <http://www.llancarfan-cc.org.uk/>

A message from the Chair of Llancarfan Community Council:

Every January, the Community Council needs to set the amount of revenue that needs to be raised to help meet running costs for the forthcoming year across the community and so the council will issue a request for a contribution, which is known as the local 'Precept'.

The LCC works out the income required for the forthcoming year in the form of a Budget. The budget is based on previous year's expenditure, anticipated costs (including inflation), extra increased costs for products and services, changes in legislation, repairs etc. This is then converted into an amount per Council Tax Band that is added onto the general Council Tax demand. We have slightly increased our precept request this year and are requesting a total of £13,600. The last two years the precept has remained the same at £12,350, which is divided between all residents who are liable to pay council tax. The budget of £13,600 is divided by the number of Band D properties and calculates as £2.57 per household per year, or £0.21 per month, or £0.05 per week, for properties in Band D. Residents in Bands A-C will pay less and those in receipt of Council Tax Support will be unaffected. We would like to reassure our communities that the proposed increase is not taken lightly and that all monies managed by the LCC are used for the good of all the local communities. Anyone wishing to see the budget for 22/23 can find this on the LCC website.

Yours Sincerely

Alex Rees

Save the date! Sunday 26th March 2-4pm St Illtyd's Church in Llantrithyd will be hosting a 'Family Eco afternoon' on the behalf of the East Vale Ministry Area. This will be a free event open to all families in our local schools and communities, and will involve lots of activities such as making bug hotels, hedgehog houses, crafts, learning about the wildlife in our churchyards and thinking about our role in protecting



Family Eco Afternoon

Come and join us as we explore God's creation and how we can help protect it!

Expect craft, activities, bug hotels and cake!

Book your ticket at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/family-eco-afternoon-tickets-547509093437>



26th March 2023
2 - 4 PM
St Illtyd's Church
Llantrithyd

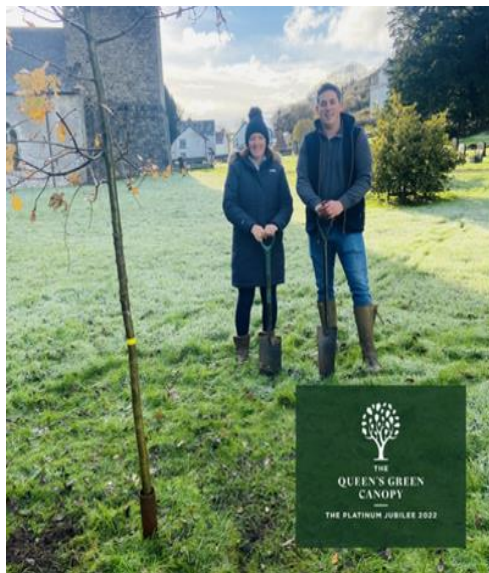


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BINGO!

Friday April 21st Bingo & Curry Night organised by the LDCA and the Llancarfan Society. More details to follow via the WhatsApp group and Llancarfan hub.

Jubilee tree planting



Council members took to gardening to plant the Jubilee tree in Llancarfan. The tree has been uploaded to the Queens Green Canopy (QGC) map.

#plantatreeforthejubilees Club

Fundraising Events



Thank you to everyone who attended the Llancarfan Boxing Day duck race. The event was extremely well supported and raised £400 for Llancarfan Church and £425 for the Vale food Bank.

The Llancarfan Burns Supper was a huge success. The event was a huge success and was joined by the musical talents of John the bagpiper. All profits went to the upkeep of Llancarfan Village hall



The Sports section



Llancarfan and Penmark Cricket Club is currently preparing for another season.

The club plays a number of friendly midweek and Sunday matches during the summer, with the emphasis being on enjoyment of the game.

New players of any ability are always welcome. Please contact Tim Bluff-Higgins on

07793 561751 or tim.bluff@btinternet.com for further information.

Fox and Hounds

Update...



A message from Emily, manager of the Fox and Hounds....

On behalf of the whole Fox and Hounds Team we'd like to thank everyone for all their support since we took over in October, we've had some busy weeks including over Christmas, so, thank you!

Coming up in the next few weeks we have:

Mother's Day Sunday Lunch on 19th March

Easter Sunday Lunch 9th April

Early May Bank Holiday BBQ Monday 1st May

King Charles III Coronation on Monday 8th May

Spring Bank Holiday Monday 9th May

We hope to see you soon.

Emily & Team

The Village Show

The Village show will be returning this year on Saturday 5th of August. Brochures to support the event will be provided. If you would like to advertise your business in the brochure prices are as follows;

- £60 for a full page
- £30 for a half a page.

If you are interested, please contact jane.john123@icloud.com

Easter Services



Llancarfan:

There will be a mid day Service on Tuesday 28 March followed by the Lenten Lunch at 1pm in Llancarfan Village Hall.

All proceeds will be given to the Earthquake Disaster Fund.

There is no definite charge per person but a suggested contribution will be £5. Everyone is invited to attend.

Easter week services:

Tuesday 4th April 12pm Eucharist Llantrithyd

Saturday 8th April 6pm Easter Vigil, Llancarfan

Sunday 9th April 9.30am Eucharist, Llantrithyd

11am Eucharist, Llancarfan

This newsletter has been distributed via Village WhatsApp & Facebook, however if you would like an email or hard copy please email; jane.john123@icloud.com

On behalf of everyone on the Llancarfan Community Council, we wish you a very Happy Easter!

