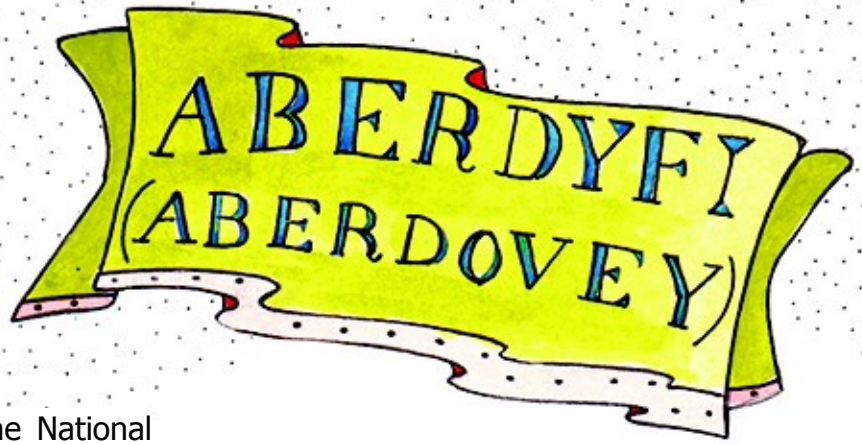


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Time & Tide Bell

Our Time & Tide Bell is now part of the National Parks Sound Map! Thanks to Izzy Lumley, who submitted a recording of the Bell, we are now part of this exciting project! Anyone can submit a recording and more can be found at the following website, or talk to Izzy for more information.

www.petestollery.com/nplandingpagepublic



Sgwrs Peint neu Banad meeting

Monday 3rd June 8pm at the Dovey Inn

Come & have a chat and practice your Welsh or help others improve. All welcome! This is the last meeting before having a break for the summer.

Compass refurbishment

The Community Council have arranged for the Compass feature in the wharf gardens to be repointed and refurbished, as the pointing was cracked and the features becoming illegible. We hope you agree that it looks much smarter now.

Community Council

The Community Council held its annual meeting on May 20th and Dewi Owen was elected as Chair and Catrin O'Neill as Vice-Chair at the meeting.

May 2024

Wales Air Ambulance changes

The Wales Air Ambulance have announced that they plan to go ahead with changes to the service which will see the bases at Welshpool and Caernarvon replaced by a single air base further North. They insist this is not a cost cutting exercise and will provide a better service for everyone. For us in mid-Wales, the "recommendation is to develop a bespoke, regional rapid response vehicle provision." More information can be found on the Wales Air Ambulance website:

www.walesairambulance.com/serviceimprovement

There is also a Senedd petition regarding the changes. Go to:

<https://petitions.senedd.wales/petitions>

and search for Wales Air Ambulance.





Voting Rules for 4th July

Wales has now decided to use the same rules as England for identification purposes for anyone wishing to vote at elections. All those wishing to vote in person will need to have some form of visual identity to present at the time of voting. Examples of the accepted forms of identity are a passport, driving licence or a bus pass with photo. If you don't have any of these then you may apply to the Electoral Services Team, Gwynedd Council for a Voter Authority Certificate (free of charge) providing you are registered to vote. This application needs to be made before the election and a deadline of 5 p.m., 6 working days before the election has been set.

No ID – No vote!

Community meeting

The Community Council would like to remind everyone that it was a representative of Gwynedd Council who attended the community meeting and not Parc Eryri. As Aberdyfi is in the Parc, we are governed by the planning guidelines of Parc Eryri, not Gwynedd Council but Dafydd Meurig came along to help explain the Article 4 proposals, even though we are not under the jurisdiction of Gwynedd Council.

Reporting problems

A reminder that if you spot any problems and need to report them, you need to make sure you give an accurate location and the best way to do this is with What3Words, or if this is not possible, take a photo with identifying features in the background so it is easy to pinpoint the location.

<https://what3words.com/how-to-use-the-what3words-app>



The D-Day flag of Peace will be raised outside the Literary Institute at 9am on 6th June and remain there for a week to commemorate the 80th Anniversary of D-Day.

Dates for your diary

17 August	Tywyn Race the Train
18 August	Aberdyfi Food Festival
20 August	Circus Raj at the Neuadd Dyfi
24-26 August	Aberdyfi Fun Fest

Car Charging Points

The charging points in the main car park for electric vehicles are now working!!!

Rushlight mailing list

If you would like to receive Rushlight direct by email, please contact the Clerk. We are trying to cut down on the amount of printing and paper we use to help the environment, so by signing up to receive it electronically, you can help the environment too!

Useful contacts

Tywyn Health Centre: 03000 843 200

MIND helpline: 0300 123 3393, info@mind.org.uk Samaritans: 116 123, jo@samaritans.org

Non-emergency police: 101 NHS Advice and Out of Hours: 111

Community Council: 01654 767816

clerk@aberdyfi-council.wales

www.aberdyfi-council.wales