MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL 29th FEBRUARY 2016 TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

1. Letter of Thanks

a) Conway Yacht Club Ltd

"I write to acknowledge with thanks your kind donation of £50 to Conway Yacht Club. It was a pleasure to open up the club on Boxing Day for the brave dippers & we hope that you will approach us next year with a similar request. We enjoy playing our part, however small, in the larger community" Commodore, Conwy Yacht Club.

2. Courses/Workshops/Training/Conferences

a) Free Digital Champion Training Sessions

There are places available on 2 day digital champion training: Location: CVSC building, 7 Rhiw Road, Colwyn Bay LL29 7TG. Dates: 11/3/16, 18/3/16 – 10am- 3.30pm(on both days) I would be more than happy to answer any questions about the session. Could anyone interested please register following this link: http://bit.ly/opendigichampconwy

b) WCVA training

i) Charity financial management - your roles and responsibilities

13 April, Rhyl. Protect your organisation against theft, mismanagement of funds & other financial risks with our new course for staff & trustees. Charities & voluntary organisations can be vulnerable to financial risks such as theft & damage to or mismanagement of funds. This course provides an overview of the responsibilities of managers or trustees who are involved in charity financial administration. You will learn how to protect your organisation & how to demonstrate the robustness that is essential for securing funding.

ii) Working with outcomes

(Delivered in Welsh) 9 March, Rhyl. An introductory course giving you the knowledge to implement an outcomes approach in your planning, management & development.

iii) Measuring soft outcomes

22 March, Rhyl. Learn to describe the effects your project or service has on the people you work with, & how to best demonstrate the difference you've made.

To view full course information, including prices & places available, please click course title or contact our Helpdesk 0800 2888 329 or help@wcva.org.uk

c) CVSC Training

Introduction to Quality Assurance

By the end of the session, participants will: • Understand the concept, principles and benefits of Quality Assurance • Have the resources and information to decide which Quality Assurance system is most suited to their organisation's need • Have an overview of how Quality Assurance systems can be mapped against each other. 9/3/16, 9.30am to 12.30pm Colwyn Bay Youth Centre, Douglas Road Colwyn Bay LL29 7PE. Please contact CVSC on 01492 534091 or e-mail mail@cvsc.org.uk to book your place, remembering to let us know of any specific requirements you may have.

3. Events

a) Conwy Play Sufficiency Action Plan

You are invited to the launch event for the Conwy Play Sufficiency Action Plan 2016 on 21/3/16, 9 - 1pm in Conwy Business Centre. This event will bring together the stakeholders of play sufficiency in Conwy & all those committed to delivering actions to improve play opportunities in the county. There is a duty on all local authorities in Wales to assess & secure sufficient play opportunities in their counties. Conwy has completed its assessment & action plan & now wishes to co-ordinate the actions being carried out through communicating the diverse work being done by various organisations & departments. This event will inform delegates of the aims of play sufficiency & how, by working in partnership we can achieve them. The event will be an opportunity to network with other organisations & departments to learn what they are doing to contribute towards play sufficiency & how their work can enhance & support yours.

b) Dementia event

Interested in making your community Dementia Friendly? Come along to our FREE event where you will find out how to get started & learn from other communities 29/2/16. 1:30pm until 4:30pm at The Main Hall, Reichel Building, Bangor University Ffriddoedd Road, Bangor LL57 2TR. To book places please contact the Ageing Well in Wales team on ageingwell@olderpeoplewales.com / 02920 445030

4. Newsletters

Go Safe Newsletter

The latest edition is available on the Chamber table in the Guildhall

5. Welsh Government Consultations

Closing Date

Health & Social Care

- School Pupil Eye Care Service for Wales

2/05/16