



Rhwydwaith Amgylchedd 3ydd Sector Sir Gâr Carmarthenshire 3rd Sector Environment Network

04/12/2019
10.00 – 12.00 noon
Venue - CAVS

1. Croeso ac Ymddiheuriadau / Welcome and Apologies

In attendance:

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| Ieuan Davies | West Wales Rivers Trust |
| Nancy Hardy | Tir Coed |
| Diana Groom | XR/ Kidwelly Hub /Common Ground |
| Dan Snaith | Keep Wales Tidy Cymru |
| Rod Bowen | Llandysul and Pont-Tyweli Ymlaen / Dolen Teifi Community Transport |
| Peter Hughes | NEST |
| Adam Hearn | West Wales Walking for Well-being |
| Clare Pilborough | CAVS Engagement Officer |
| Jamie Horton | CAVS Community Volunteering Development Officer |

Ymddiheuriadau / Apologies

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| Helen Hunt | British Red Cross |
| Angie Darlington | West Wales Action on Mental Health - WWAMH |
| Liz Davies | Great Dane Care |
| Kendal Davies | Carmarthenshire County Council |
| Victoria Bancroft | Severn Wye |

2. Cyflwyniad gan / Presentation by

Ieuan Davies from [West Wales Rivers Trust](#)
Presentation to be circulated later.

3. Cyflwyniad gan / Presentation by

Nancy Hardy from Tir Coed – [Improving Lives Through Woodlands](#)
Tir Coed is a charity that engages people with woodlands for learning and wellbeing and improves woodlands for the benefit of everyone. [Tir Coed Training Poster](#)

4. Argyfwng Hinsawdd / Climate Emergency

Information about [Carmarthenshire County Council's draft Net Zero Carbon Plan](#)

Resources:

Cynnal cymru

<https://www.cynnalcymru.com/resource/tackling-climate-change/>

CAVS information sheets:

Climate Change:

<http://www.cavs.org.uk/information-sheets/#climate>

Environmental Sustainability management systems:

<http://www.wcva-ids.org.uk/cavs/1892>

Climate Action Fund:

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/climate-action-fund>

“The Climate Action Fund will support communities across the UK to take action on climate change. These communities will demonstrate what is possible when people take the lead in tackling climate change. With National Lottery funding, they will work together, share their learning and be active participants in a broader movement of change.”

Initial ideas must be submitted by **5pm Wednesday 18 December 2019**.

Full proposals must be submitted by midday Friday 27 March 2020.

Carbon Literacy Training

<https://www.cynnalcymru.com/event/carbon-literacy-open-course/>

10th December 2019 | 09.30 to 16.00 | Cardiff Bay

This is too short notice now but may be useful for future reference.

Nancy has attended previously and found the level too low – she says it was probably aimed at people with little prior knowledge.

5. Yr Amgylchedd a Lles /Environment and Well-being

There have been no new meetings of the PSB Healthy Environment Delivery Group* this quarter. (*Under the Well-being and Future Generations Act, Carmarthenshire PSB was charged with creating a Well-being Plan for Carmarthenshire.

One of the objectives of the plan is “Healthy Habits - People have a good quality of life and make healthy choices about their lives and environment.” This goal is being taken forward by the Healthy Environment PSB Delivery Group which has been working on an Environmental and Climate Change Risk Assessment.

This meeting will be informed of the work taking place in Healthy Environment Delivery Group and will be able to feed back to it.

[Healthy Environment Page](#) from [Carmarthenshire Well-being Plan](#)

[Healthy Environment Page](#) from [Carmarthenshire Public Services Board \(PSB\) Well-being Plan 2018-2023 First Annual Report](#))

6. Cyfnewid Gwybodaeth / Information exchange

How does the environment concern us – why are we here?

The people present explained their involvement with environmental matters.

It was agreed that contact details will be shared so that people can follow up with each other after the meeting.

Anyone is welcome to forward information that they wish to share for Clare to circulate to the group.

Information regarding Woodland training and Community Tree planting shared by Nancy:

Training:

[Coppice wood college](#)

[Denmark Farm](#)

[Centre For Alternative Technology](#)

[5 Acre Forest Garden for Cardigan](#) (volunteer training)

[Forest School training](#) (recommended)

[Coleg Sir Gar](#) (Get started in Tree Planting)

Community Tree planting:

[TCV I dig Trees](#)

7. Eitemau Agenda'r Dyfodol / Future Agenda Items

If anyone has suggestions for agenda items or presentations they should contact Clare.

8. Unrhyw Fusnes Arall / Any Other Business

Meetings will be held quarterly.

Date of next meeting: **04/03/19** 10 am at CAVS.