

LLANGAIN COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEWS

January 2016

Over Christmas and the new year, the Community Council arranged for an illuminated Christmas tree at Smyrna crossroads and was organised by Cllr. Haydn Williams and very much appreciated by residents .

At the January meeting, the Council resolved to reduce the community rate for a third consecutive year. The community rate for Band D properties from the 1st April will be £32.20 per annum.

The Community Council have expressed much concern regarding the speed of vehicle coming through the village on the main road and have asked the County Council to place a temporary traffic strip across the road near Smyrna Crossroads to measure the volume and speed of traffic through the village.

Cllr. Haydn Williams has been nominated to serve as the Community Council's representative on Llangain Primary School 's Governing Body from 6th March this year. Cllr. Terry Griffiths who has served in that capacity for the last 16 years was thanked for his valuable contribution during that time.

At the January meeting much concern was expressed regarding the nuisance caused by the incessant travel of large slurry transporters through the village and the damage done to the roads and verges, particularly on Heol Smyrna and Church Road. The Council will again write to the County Council to complain about the situation and its effect on the other road users and walkers in the area.

It is the Council's practice at their February meeting to give donations to local organisations and charities who serve the community. If any such organisations wish to apply for assistance, please contact the Clerk, Iwan Griffiths on 290 199 or by email - clerk@llangain.org before 15th February 2016.