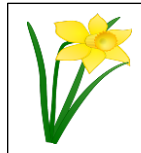


ABERMULE NEWS

MARCH 2017



FLICKS IN THE STICKS

The Girl on the Train (2016) (15)

In this thriller Rachel (Blunt), devastated by her recent divorce, spends her daily commute fantasizing about the seemingly perfect couple who live in a house that her train passes every day, until one morning she sees something shocking happen there and becomes entangled in the mystery that unfolds. based on a Paula Hawkins' bestseller.

Directed by TATE TAYLOR.

Starring *Emily Blunt, Haley Bennett, Rebecca Ferguson*

Friday 17th March 7.30pm at Abermule Community Centre

Admission Adults £4, Concessions £2.

Enquiries Tel. 01686 505103 or visit abermule.cymru

Friends of Abermule School
Montgomery Juniors FC
& Diabetes UK

Ladies Charity Lunch

Sun 19th March

12 - 7pm

Abermule Comm. Centre

Welcome Drink on arrival, Three Course Lunch, Tea & Coffee, Cheese & Biscuits, Charity Auction, Raffle, Licensed Bar,

Live band *All Fired Up*

Plus a surprise guest.....

Admission by Ticket £30.00

Call Sarah Cullen-Jones 07989302563

Alice Davies 07957652374 or

Louise Davies 07837637482

PRE-SCHOOL/PARENT & BABY GROUP

NURSERY SALE

Sat 25th March 10am-12pm

Abermule Community Centre.

Admission 50p.

Come along and grab a bargain, new, nearly new and used items for sale.

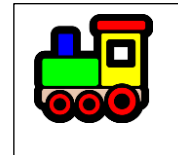
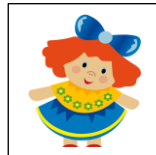
Refreshments available

Stalls £6 book by emailing

abermuleplaygroup@hotmail.co.uk

Proceeds to

Abermule Little Rascals & Tiddlers
(registered charity no 1033681)



Gareth Owen retires as Caretaker for Abermule School and Community Centre at the end of March. If anyone wishes to contribute towards a retirement gift, please send to Diane Jones, The Whym, Abermule or leave an envelope with the School or in Community Centre letter box by the main door. Please join us on

Thurs 30th March 6.30pm onwards in the Community Centre Hall

for light entertainment by the School Children and affiliated organisations with buffet and bar, to thank Gareth for all the years of dedicated service.

ALL WELCOME.

Update from your County Councillor.

1. Powys County Council Budget. The budget for 2017-20 was approved on 23rd February by the Full Council. The main points are:-

- Council Tax increase for 2017/18 will be 3.90%
- The Council has a balanced budget for 2017/18 & 2018/19 but has a deficit for 2019/20 of £6.8million.
- The budget included £6m for Schools(over 3 years) £7m for ASC(inc.£1.1m to keep Day Centres running) and £500k for Household Waste Recycling Centres to keep all 5 sites in Powys open for at least another year.
- Council efficiency savings for 3 years 17/19 therefore at £25million.

2. Abermule Business Park update. Now that agreement has been reached with WG and the County Council has agreed to purchase the site, completion of transfer is set for April 1st. I have previously advised residents of the interest in the site from the Councils Highways Transport & Recycling Service, and at time of writing this update a report is going to the Cabinet Meeting on Tuesday 28th February with a firm proposal for a recycling unit to be co-located on the site along with the planned development of 10 business units. I will update residents further in next month's NL.

3. Planning application for Church on Kerry Road.

This application is now in and was registered on 7th November, and details can be found on the Councils Planning website using Planning Application No. P/2017/0134. For those wishing to comment on the application this can be done via the website or by writing to the Planning Officer Tamsin Law at PCC, Planning Department.

4. County Council Elections May 2017. As the Portfolio Holder responsible for the Councils Finances, I successfully took the budget through Full Council Meeting on 23rd February and immediately followed up with an announcement that I intend to leave the Council in May after nearly 14 years. Locally this is hardly the best kept secret but I have not been able to formally announce this previously as it was important to protect the integrity of the Councils budget process. Since 2006 when I was first appointed to the Councils Executive it has been a 7 day a week commitment for me with a huge workload at Council as well my commitment to my work in the Dolforwyn Ward. For the sake of my health and in fairness, the need to spend more time with Diane and our 6 lovely grandchildren(spread between London & Melbourne!) who currently we hardly ever get to see, I have therefore decided the time is right for me to retire from the County Council. I am delighted that already an ideal candidate has come forward, and a person who already works very hard at the heart of our community.

5. DOG MESS!!!! My inbox has been busy with complaints from residents of **Dog Mess** at various locations in the Community including the **School and Community Sports field** where **NO DOGS ARE ALLOWED.** To leave Dog Mess is an offence punishable with a heavy fine. Can I ask residents who see this happen to take a short video of the incident and forward it....the Council will prosecute if it has the evidence. To the minority who commit this unsocial act, I ask you to please act more responsibly and **CLEAR UP YOUR DOGS MESS.**

Wynne Jones, Elected Member for Dolforwyn Ward – Powys County Council
Tel: 01686 630655 email. cllr.wynne.jones@powys.gov.uk.

ABERMULE with LLANDYSSIL COMMUNITY COUNCIL: Meetings scheduled;-
Wed 5th April in Abermule Community Centre 7pm / 7.30pm. Then due to Community Council Elections on 4th May The Annual Meeting Wed 17th May at Llandyssil Old School Hall Observers are welcome and a ten minute period is allowed at the start of each meeting for public participation.

COMMUNITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTIONS 4th May, 2017. Do you take an interest in your Community? Please consider standing as a Community Councillor visit our website or contact the Clerk for further information.

DOLAFON TRUST GOSPEL HALL: A major development in our Community, is now in the consultation process. Application No. P/2017/0134, for the erection of 4 dwellings and a Gospel Hall with parking and associated works Kerry Road, Abermule. Plans are available to view and comment on Powys County Council Planning Portal visit

<http://planning.powys.gov.uk/portal/servlets/ApplicationSearchServlet?PKID=147548>

CONTRACTOR REQUIRED for play ground inspections and waste collection in Llandyssil for more details please contact the Clerk.

www.abermulewithllandyssilcommunitycouncil.org.uk

Chair Cllr. Jane Rees 630623 / **Council Clerk : Gwilym Rippon** 01938 554065

llandyssilcommunitycouncil@yahoo.co.uk

HAFREN EVERGREENS

MEETINGS at 2pm

Abermule Community Centre

16th March 'Story Telling'

Carol Pearson.

6th April AGM Glenys Pears WVS

**20th April Trip to The Old Railway
Garden Centre, Three Cocks, Brecon.**

Coach from Abermule 9.30am

Newtown 9.40am

**Summer outings programme
to be announced shortly**

New Members Welcome

Contact Leader Lucy Owen 671189

Secretary Paul Davis 630734

CHURCH SERVICES MARCH

THE SERVICE THIS MONTH

AT ABERMULE COMMUNITY CENTRE

MARCH 26th at 3pm

if you would like to join us at

LLANMEREWIG CHURCH

at other times in the month we would love

see you on:-

5th MARCH MORNING PRAYER 11.15.am.

12th MARCH HOLY EUCHARIST 11.15.am.

19th MARCH MORNING PRAYER 11.15.am.

**26th MARCH MOTHERING SUNDAY HOLY
EUCHARIST 11.15.am**

**if you need a lift to any of the services
please telephone Peter Albrecht on 630 761**

LITTLE RASCALS PLAYGROUP Children aged 2 (Mondays only) and 2.5yrs and over (TUES-FRI). 9.15-11.45am sessions cost £6, inc. healthy snack. Funded spaces also available for children the term after they have turned 3 years old (Tue-Fri) for up to 10hrs a week. If you would like more information, to arrange a visit or to receive a parent pack please contact Louise (Play leader) on 07837637482 or email abermuleplaygroup@hotmail.co.uk. website abermulelittlerascals.weebly.com



ABERMULE TIDDLER'S (parent and toddler) every Wednesday during term time (9.15-11.45am) in the community centre with a range of toys and activities available, adults can meet other parents whilst their children play and make friends. A snack of toast and fruit provided for the children. Tea/coffee and biscuits for the adults too. £1.50 (first session is free). All Welcome.

ABERMULE FOOTBALL CLUB *Follow Abermule FC on Facebook and Twitter.*

First Team Results:-

4th Feb Abermule 2 Aberystwyth Uni. 2
 11th Feb Abermule 3 Dyffryn Banw 4
 18th Feb Penybont 0 Abermule 5
 25th Feb Bulth 2 Abermule 1



First Team Fixtures:-

4th March Four Crosses V Abermule
 11th March Newbridge V Abermule
 18th & 25th March No Game.

Reserve Team Results:-

11th Feb Newtown Wanderers 7 Abermule Res 1
 18th Feb Consolation Cup Round 1
 Llangedwyn 0 Abermule Res 2

Reserve Team Fixtures:-

4th March Abermule Res V Welshpool Town Res.
 11th March Carno Res. V Abermule Res
 18th March Waterloo Res V Abermule Res
 25th March Kerry Res V Abermule Res

200 CLUB 2017

Proceeds in aid of AFC and
 Abermule Community Centre.

Draw 2 of 4 Results :-

1st Marji & Sue James.
 2nd Ainscow
 3rd Jane Rees



ABERMULE WI **Celebrating 95 Years**

Meetings second Thursday
 each month 7.30pm

Abermule Community Centre

9th March Dr Ian Russell, Montgomery
 Emergency Doctors

13th April Chris Hurrell - Osprey Centre
 New Members Welcome – Contact
 Sec. Eira Humphreys 630331.



CAR BOOT SALES 2017 at Abermule Community Centre

All Car Boot Sales Saturday mornings - Refreshments available

£6 cars £11 trailers & large vans

N.B. No dogs should be brought onto the field

e.mail info@abermule.cymru Tel. 01686 505103

Date	Proceeds to:	Date	Proceeds to:
15 th April	Community Centre	29 th April	Young Farmers
13 th May	Abermule Bowling Club	27 th May	Llanmerewig Church
10 th June	TBC	24 th June	Brownies & Rainbows
8 th July	Little Rascals & Tiddlers	22 nd July	Abermule Football Club
5 th Aug	Abermule WI	19 th Aug	Community Centre
2 nd Sept	TBC		

For all Community Centre Bookings/Enquiries: Contact Chairman Leon Shearer
 Visit the website abermule.cymru e.mail info@abermule.cymru Tel.01686 505103

Calling all groups if you have any news or advert for the April
 Newsletter e.mail newsletter@abermule.cymru
 call Jane 630623 /07580235090 Deadline for April is 24th March