**Cyngor Cymuned Tregolwyn**

**Colwinston Community Council**

**Nodyn Cyfarfod Meeting Note**

**Meeting of Colwinston Community Council held on 17th March 2025 at 7.00 pm.**

**Attendees:** Cllr’s. Gareth Jones (Chairman), Huw Thomas (Vice Chairman), Cllr’s. Edward Lewis, Brian Morris, Carl Hadley, Caroline Nightingale, Mrs Karen Jacobs, John Egan (Clerk), VoGC Cllr C.Cave and one member of the public.

**Apologies:** PCSO A. Stone

**Declaration of Interest:** None.

**Minutes** of the meeting held on 17th February 2025 were received and approved.

**Council Bank Reconciliation:** The bank reconciliation for February 2025 was approved.

**Up Dated Budget 2025/26:** The Council discussed and agreed the up-dated budget.

**Village Memorial:** The current memorial plaque, which has become difficult to read, will be replaced with a new granite plaque and the stone base will be cleaned within the next few weeks.

**Old Ford Project:** The Council have agreed to a number of works including the removal of six ash trees and further work in clearing the area and planting bluebells in the woodland.

**The Council agreed the following payments:**

* £105 OVW 2025/26 membership, for payment after 1st April 2025.
* £85 Email (21.02.25) request to pay Pheasant Acre Plants Ltd, Llandow for Village Christmas Tree.
* £380.00 Email (14.02.25) containing Grant Smith invoice for erecting signs in woodland adjacent Old Ford.
* Email (13.03.25) from with 3 invoices:

1. £100.00 to reimburse Julie Lloyd for Christmas Tree. Paid invoice provided from Cowbridge Christmas Tree Farm.
2. £50.00 + £10 VAT for print cost of January 25 Village Newsletter.
3. £50,.00+ £10 VAT for print cost of February 25 Village Newsletter

* Email (15.03.25) containing two invoices from Richard Morgan:

1. £280.00 clear pathways and cut back overgrown hedges near church.
2. £280.00 clear pathways and cut back overgrown trees on Spinney Bank.

* £400.00 agreed at Council Meeting (17.03.25), this is to support the Old Ford Group with installation of bird boxes in woodland area.

**The date of the next meeting** will be on Monday 28th April 2025 at 7.00 pm.

The meeting closed at 8.45 pm.