

Member's Annual Report 2020/21

This is the report by the Councillor below regarding his key activities over the year ending 31 March 2021. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose. The views expressed in this report are those of the Councillor and they do not necessarily reflect the views of the Isle of Anglesey County Council.

Councillor: Carwyn Jones

Party: Plaid Cymru

Ward: Seiriol Cymru

1 - Role & Responsibilities

Between 1 April 2020 and 31 March 2021, I sat on the following main committees / sub-committees:	Attendance Summary
Indemnities Sub-committee	Attendance Record
Isle of Anglesey Charitable Trust Committee	
Isle of Anglesey County Council	
Regeneration Committee	
The Executive	
<p>The above list does not include all meetings related to the work of the Council.</p> <p>Attendance levels may vary due to the nature of work and responsibilities of members - as portfolio holder, committee chair or representing the Council on outside bodies, for example.</p>	

I am a member of the Isle of Anglesey Charitable Trust. I am also a member of the Trust's Investment and Contracts Committee – details of my attendance at these meetings are also available on the above link.

I represent the Council on the following outside bodies:

Outside Body	Summary of role and contribution
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - North Wales Tourism Partnership - School Governor / Llandegfan Primary School 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discuss the sector in North Wales and ways to work together - Chair of the Governing body, work with the headmaster and fellow governors to support the

<p>- School Governor / Ysgol David Hughes</p>	<p>school in providing the best education</p> <p>- YDH member and sit on the finance and personnel panel</p>
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2 - Constituency Activity

Locally the Covid situation has dominated and I tried my best to help share the messages and reassure local people to help them through this pandemic. A key feature of the communications was working with the Puffin editorial team on a special edition of the magazine which was fully bilingual and full of information to help people through Covid, this was out early in the first lockdown and as worries were at their highest. We gained funding from Medrwn Mon and were able to publish nearly 5,000 copies and set up an account with the Royal Mail to distribute.

Another key feature was in supporting the Seiriol Alliance in setting up the 'Good Turn Scheme' and the grant funding through Anglesey Council for this purpose. The good turn scheme has played a key role locally in helping the most vulnerable during Covid and beyond.

Regularly attend the community Councils, Llanddona, Cwm Cadnant, Llangoed and Penmon and the Beaumaris Town Council.

Helped many with their personal issues, around housing, social care and issues such as highways matters and environmental health.

One issue I had been pressing for a number of years on was flood protection for Llansadwrn, and was delighted when the IACC secured around £80,000 for a scheme, this work was carried out during the year and although not perfect it has no doubt improved the situation.

Following on from the flood work, I secured a donation from Griffiths the contractor to purchase a defibrillator for Llansadwrn and through working with Cwm Cadnant who have been fantastic we managed to take over the BT phone kiosk to house the unit, the community council funding and putting a lot of work in to see this through.

3 - Initiatives and Special Activities

Within my Maritime portfolio role, I was delighted to secure and see over £220,000 investment in Beaumaris Pier.

As the Economy and Tourism portfolio holder the past 12 months has been like no other, firstly in closing and protecting and then in supporting and reopening safely. When measures were eased I lead on a campaign to rediscover Anglesey safely, with a public campaign on the key measures to follow to enjoy a visit in a safe and responsible way.

4 - Learning and Development

Information about the learning and development initiatives I have attended during the past year is available here (information supplied by the Isle of Anglesey County Council): [Training](#)

5 - Other Activities and Issues

The past year has been a challenge like no other I have known since starting as a Seiriol Cllr in 2013. I must take this opportunity to thank all the key workers within the Seiriol Ward and beyond who have continued on the front line from day one and thought the pandemic, our thanks and debt of gratitude to all is heartfelt and immense.

More information about me can be found here: [Councillor Carwyn Jones](#)

Councillor Carwyn Jones	June 2021
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