

Notes from the Radyr and Morganstown PACT Meetings held on 11th October 2011.

Six attendees from, Station Road, Ty Gwyn Farm, Llwyn Drysgol, Heol Isaf, Hazel Tree, Clos y Gwyddfifd

Chair of Panel - Councillor Rod McKerlich, and in attendance PCSO Tori Miller
FLSO Cathy Mangles

Apologises from Ralph Vaughan, PC Huw Thomas

Notes from the last meeting were agreed and signed..

Matter arising.- None

PACT Priorities- Station Road-Youth Annoyance

There have been 2 calls to the area relating to Youth Annoyance,
Officers have attended the area at closure time of the SPAR to ensure all was secure.

Radyr and Morganstown-Theft of Metal-

This is an ongoing problem city wide. Residents are asked to be vigilant and report any vehicles that they have concerns about. If they can take the registration numbers and report to the Neighbourhood Policing Team they can check if they have a licence to carry metal and that they are registered with Trading Standards. .

Other Issues - Bridle path at Radyr

Councillor McKerlich advised that the signage for this area had now been put on the Council list but would be a long time in being produced.

Councillors Update-

Taff Trail- Concerns re the amount of Knotweed that is overgrowing the path. There is no available funding for this and the cost will be put in next year's budget.

Railway Bridge Project- This is moving along very slowly. A new member of staff from ARRIVA trains is dealing with this matter .

Radyr Comprehensive Football pitch- Will be available from 24th October 2011 but no lighting in place yet.

Blocked Drains- All cleared

Parking on Station Road - The Civil Enforcement Officers have been asked to attend. Residents have asked that the lay by the shop be a No Parking Zone as it is blocking the view on the zebra crossing

Park Road -Parking . Problems at school times , Tori will try the junior PCSO scheme in the area and the Councillor will see if the step can be taken out of the junction so, the vehicles cannot park on the bend.

Park Road- Heol Isaf- Looking at 20MPH speed limit

Taylor Wimpey- Have withdrawn their application.

Radyr Library- The building will close on the 9th November and will remain shut for 6 months. There are no plans for temporary provision.

Residents asked where they can collect the green bags from in the future. The Councillor will follow up and advise

Bus routes- This review has been deferred until Spring 2012

Windsor Crescent-Parking. There has been an increase in calls to the Councillor about parking across residents' drives. Tori will follow up.

Road Adjustments- Heol Isaf outside the new Kindergarden – A central reservation is being laid outside the property to ensure vehicles all come into and go out of the kindergarden the same way for health and safety issues.

A470 beyond Whitchurch Golf Club- A priority lay by for buses is in place by the lights.

Crime Statistics and Policing Update.- From 30th August to 10th October there have been 85 calls with 16 crimes and 6 arrests 3 are related to Anti Social Behaviour. There has been an increase in the theft of expensive bicycles in the area.

Clos Tylaway-A group of youths are gathering here at lunch times. They are not causing any problems

Radyr Comprehensive- Tori has had several visits to the schools in the area. She is working with the Road Safety partnership to get the junior PCSO scheme set up.

New Issues

Gelynys Farm-

The farm is complaining that when walkers use the footpath through to the Taff Trail they are being verbally abused. The fencing is only in good repair in one part . The Right of Way was discussed and will be checked by the Councillors .

Tori will get the Secure by Design team to have a look at the area and see what proposals they can produce.

PACT Priorities

- 1) Station Road-Youth Annoyance
- 2) Radyr and Morganstown area-theft of metal

Date of next meeting;- Tuesday 29th November at 7pm at Old Church Rooms, Park.Road, Radyr.

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