

HENLLYS COMMUNITY COUNCIL
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Meeting of Henllys Community Council held at the Village Hall on
Monday 8th June 2026 at 6pm

MINUTES

1. No questions from the public.
 2. In Attendance
Cllr's Waters , Webb , Roberts , Smith-Higgins , Lewis , Burnett
Clerk
Apologies for absence.
Cllr Thomas
 3. Declaration of interests.

Henllys Village Hall – Cllr's Waters & Burnett
 4. Approved minutes - Annual Meeting 11th May 2026
Ordinary Meeting 11th May 2026
 5. Matters arising and actions from those minutes .
Cllr Waters referred to the info provided to Council about the role of Cllr Burnett in relation to the Village Hall .
 6. Notes of Business Planning & Finance Working Group – Meeting not held
Cllr Waters requested members send apologies if unable to attend a meeting .
 7. Approval of Payments of £500 or more (excluding VAT) – None
 8. Noted report of the Internal Auditor – 25/26
Councillor Smith-Higgins thanked the Clerk for all his excellent work on the finances on behalf of the Council .
 9. Approved Annual Return – 25/26
 10. Income & Expenditure , year to date
Following the agreement reached with TCBC Play Services council approved the following revised budgets
 - Original budget – Play clubs £8000
Playscheme £3500
 - Revised Budget – Playschemes £11,000
- HCC has agreed a playschemes contribution of £8600 but there are residual costs of the play clubs .

Cllr Burnett expressed concerns about the cost of the playschemes & expects to see info on the number of Henllys children who attend both the summer & half-term provisions .

Cllr Waters provided feedback from a meeting with residents in relation to the Health Determinants questionnaire . Concerns were expressed about :

- Termination of play clubs & need to find activities for youngsters
- Scouts group is believed to be at full capacity
- Limited bus services

Cllr Roberts is to seek info from TCBC on provision of bus services .

11. Village Fete

Cllrs Burnett , Webb & Roberts will be in attendance from 11am to control access to the park & direct stallholders .

Cllr Smith-Higgins will provide a sketch of the layout .

Rotary to be contacted about poster for dog show .

12. Grant Application – Neighbourhood Watch
Funding of £300 was agreed

13. Potential Projects 26/27

Cllr Webb – computer games

Cllr Roberts – charging point for electric vehicles

Cllr Smith – Higgins – play equipment for children with disabilities
road safety measures

Cllr Lewis commented on the need to review usage of playscheme provision by January , in order that there is time to consider other funding options .

TCBC to be advised that in due course Council will want to see info on numbers of Henllys children attending the playschemes .

Cllr's Lewis & Waters expressed concerns about the condition of the play equipment in Juniper Crescent .

Cllr Waters - Overgrown vegetation at the top of Pensarn Way to be reported to TCBC – restricts highway visibility .

14. AOB

The Deal Torfaen - the signs are to be placed on benches outside the park & at the bottom of Henllys village road . Cllr Waters will liaise with the Parks Attendant .

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Date of next meeting – 13th July 2026

