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Dymunai Cyngor Tref Abergele Nadolig Llawen a Blwyddyn Newydd Dda i holl breswylwyr
Abergele Town Council would like to wish all residents a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year



Neges y Maer

Fel rydw i'n ysgfrifennu hwn, rydw i'n ymwybodol bod hanner y flwyddyn Ddinesig wedi mynd heibio, ac fel y mae amser yn hedfan pan mae rhywun yn mwynhau ei hun. Mae wedi bod yn bleser a baint i fynd i lawer iawn o ddigwyddiadau amrywiol yn ein cymuned ni a threfi cyfagos ac rydw i wedi mwynhau'r croeso cynnes a gawsom bob amser.

Fe fydd fy Ngwasanaeth Dinesig ym mis Gorffennaf yn gofiadwy i mi am byth. Rydw i'n ddyledus i'm Cydgynghorwyr a Chaplan, y Parch. Kate Johnson, am eu cefnogaeth barhaol, ac i'm teulu am eu presenoldeb.

Cawsom amser rhagorol yn yr Eisteddfod yn Awst, Rhaid llongyfarch Pwyllgor Apêl Abergele am eu holl ymdrechion yn sicrhau swm mor ardderchog gan ein tref.

Tra'n cymryd rhan yn yr Ŵyl Ganoloesol yng Nghastell Gwrych ym mis Awst roedd yn braf gweld canlyniadau cymaint o waith a wneir gan yr Ymddiriedolaeth Cadwraeth. Da iawn chi i gyd.

Gobeithiwn y mwynhewch ein Gwefan Tref newydd a gaiff ei lawnsio cyn hir, ac rydym yn eich cymell, os gallwch, i gyfrannu iddi mewn unrhyw ffordd bosibl. Fe fyddai hysbysebu eich busnes, lluniau a storïau i gyd yn dderbyniol iawn.

Gyda datblygiadau preswylfeydd bellach wedi hen ddechrau fe hoffwn groesawu'r holl breswylwyr a busnesau newydd i'n tref, gan obeithio y byddwch yn mwynhau byw/gweithio yn Abergele, a phopeth y mae'n eu cynnig.

Gobeithiwn y byddwch i gyd yn mwynhau'r goleuadau a'r coed Nadolig y mae Cyngor Tref Abergele'n falch o'u darparu, ac a fydd cyn hir i'w gweld o amgylch y dref a'r ardal gyfagos. Rydym yn ffodus iawn bod cymaint yn digwydd yn ein cymuned, yn arbennig felly yn ystod cyfnod y Nadolig. Edrychwn ymlaen unwaith eto at ymweld â ffrindiau yn ein nifer o gartrefi preswyl a gofal yr amser arbennig yma o'r flwyddyn.

Ac felly dyma fi, ar drothwy Tymor y Nadolig, ar ran Cyngor Tref Abergele, yn dymuno Nadolig Llawn a Heddychlon, a phob dymuniad da ar gyfer y Flwyddyn Newydd i'n holl breswylwyr.

Gyda chofion cynnes atoch i gyd,
Y Cyngorydd Shirley Jones-Roberts,
Maer Abergele 2019-2020



The Mayor Cllr Shirley Jones-Roberts & Deputy Mayor Cllr Alan Hunter at Canolfan Dewi Sant's Open Day in July

Mayor's Message

As I write this, I'm aware that half of the Civic year has already passed and how time flies when enjoying oneself. It has been a pleasure and privilege to attend very many various events in our community and neighbouring towns and have enjoyed the warm welcome we always receive.

My Civic Service in July will always be memorable to me, I am indebted to my fellow Councillors and Chaplain, Rev. Kate Johnson for their continuous support, all who contributed and my family for their presence.

We had a wonderful time at the Eisteddfod in August, the Abergele Appeal Committee, along with all the helpers must be congratulated for the efforts they made in securing such a wonderful amount from our town. Llongyfarchiadau i chi gyd.

Whilst taking part in the Medieval Festival at Gwrych Castle in August, it was pleasing to see the results of how much work is being carried out by the Preservation Trust. Well done to you all.

We hope you enjoy our new Town Website which will shortly be launched and encourage you if you are able, to contribute to it in any way you can, advertising your business, photos, stories would all be welcome.

With new residential developments now well under way, I would like to welcome all new residents and businesses to our lovely town and hope you will enjoy living/working in our community and all it has to offer.

We hope you all enjoy the Christmas lights and trees Abergele Town Council proudly provide annually and which will shortly be displayed around the town and surrounding areas. We are very fortunate that much goes on in our community, especially over the Christmas period, and I thank the very many volunteers who work hard to organise all the events which make our town such a friendly place for all. We again look forward to visiting friends in our many Residential and Nursing homes at this special time of the year.

As we approach the Christmas Season, I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our residents, on behalf of Abergele Town Council, a very Happy and Peaceful Christmas with all our Good Wishes for the New Year.

With kind regards to you all,
Cllr Shirley Jones-Roberts,
Mayor of Abergele 2019-2020

Gwyl Canoloesol Castell Gwrych
yn Awst / Gwrych Castle
Medieval Festival held in August



Abergele Deputy Mayor and Deputy
Mayoress at Denbigh Town Council's Civic
Sunday 7th July 2019



The annual **Distinguished Gentlemen Ride** took place on Sunday 29th. September. On a very wet and windy Sunday morning, a very large group of motorbike enthusiasts turned out on a charity ride starting at Rhyl, visiting the promenades of Pensarn, Colwyn Bay, Llandudno and ending at Conwy. Despite the weather, the Distinguished Gentlemen along with many ladies! all enjoyed this annual event which raised an amazing £14,500 for Prostrate Cancer and Mental Health. Well done to you all.

Abergele and Conwy County Cllr. Andrew Wood, Mayor
Cllr Shirley Jones-Roberts and Anna Revell.



Y Maer, y Cyng Shirley Jones-Roberts, a'i Chymar, y Cyng Brian Roberts, gyda Lewis Ferguson yng nghyflwyniad cystadleuaeth Medal yr Ifanc / The Mayor Cllr Shirley Jones-Roberts and Consort Cllr Brian Roberts with Lewis Ferguson at the presentation of the Junior Medal competition



Wythnos agored Clwb
Golff Abergele.

**Medal yr Ifanc, Awst
20fed, 2019.**

Roedd 25 cystadleuydd ar y diwrnod o 11 o wahanol glwbiau golff, gan gynnwys bechgyn a merched i gyd o dan 18 oed.

Fe noddir y gystadleuaeth gan Gyngor Tref Abergele. Yr enillydd oedd Lewis Ferguson, aelod iau o Abergele, gyda sgôr o 18-16-65.

Enillydd y cyfanswm gorau ar y diwrnod oedd Macey Roberts o Glwb Golff Wrecsam gyda chyfanswm sgôr o 71.

Mae aelodaeth ar gael yng Nghlwb Golff Abergele, ac mae'n cynnwys gwersi i'r aelodau iau bob bore Sadwrn. Am fwy o wybodaeth cysylltwch, os gwelwch yn dda, gyda Siop Pro Abergele ar 01745 823813.

Abergele Golf Club Open
Week

**Junior Medal Tuesday 20th
August 2019**

There were 25 competitors on the day from eleven different golf clubs including boys and girls all under the age of 18.

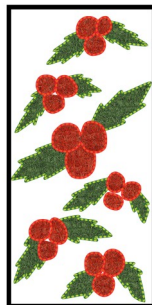
This event is sponsored by Abergele Town Council, the winner of the event was Lewis Ferguson an Abergele junior member with a score of 81-16-65

The best gross on the day was won by Macey Roberts from Wrexham Golf Club with a 71 gross.

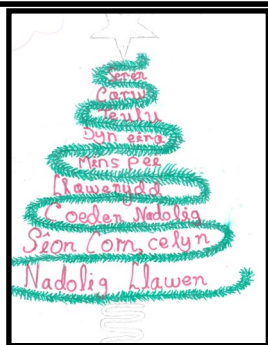
Membership is available at Abergele Golf club and offers junior lessons every Saturday morning for junior members, please contact Abergele Pro Shop if you require any further information, 01745 823813.



Nunwaith eto eleni fe ofynnodd Cyngor Tref
Abergele i ddisgyblion ein hysgolion cynradd i
ddylunio motif Nadolig ar gyfer y cylchfan ger
Tesco. Cawsom ymateb ardderchog ac fe fydd yr
enillydd Kelsea McKenna cyn bo hir yn gallu gweld ei
fotif yn cael ei arddangos. Fe gynhaliwyd hefyd
gystadleuaeth cerdyn Nadolig y Maer. Fe
ddewisiwyd dau ddyluniad hyfryd ac fe
fydd y Maer yn hynod falch o'u hanfon i'r
holl Bwysigion Dinesig ar hyd yr arfordir.



Again this year Abergele Town Council asked the pupils of our Primary schools to design a Christmas motif for the roundabout at Tesco. We had a wonderful response and the winner Kelsea McKenna will soon be able to see her motif displayed. A Mayor's Christmas card competition was also held, two lovely designs were chosen and the Mayor will be very proud to send them to all the Civic Dignatories along the coast.



The Mayor Cllr S Jones-Roberts
with Evelyn Kirkham, Olivia
Grimes-Thomas and Morgan
Browes, Ysgol St Elfod.



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Gwefan gymunedol i Abergele, Pensarn a Llansansiôr

The new community website for Abergele, Pensarn & St George

Mae'r wefan newydd ar gyfer San Siôr, Pensarn ac Abergele yn nesau at orffen ac yn agos at fynd yn fyw, efallai fyddai yn fyw erbyn yr amser yr ydych yn darllen hwn. Os nad ydych wedi gwneud yn barod, cofrestrwch eich busnes, clwb neu sefydliad yn y dref gyda wefan y dref.

Mae ffurflenni cofrestr ar gael o Neuadd y Dref.

Y wefan newydd yw'r lle i fynd i gael gwybodaeth ar ddigwyddiadau a gweithgareddau a'r busnesau o fewn y dref. Hwn yw'r lle cyntaf bydd ymwelwyr yn defnyddio fel adnodd i ddarganfod beth sydd ar gael yn Abergele.

The new town website covering St George, Pensarn and Abergele, is nearing completion and is close to going live, it may be live by the time you read this. If you have not already done so, register your business, club or organisation with the town website.

Registration forms are available at the Town Hall.

The new website will be the place to go for information on events and activities as well as the businesses within the town, it will be the place that town visitors will use as a resource to find out what's on offer in Abergele.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

JOIN WITH LOCAL SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITY TO HEAR
THE GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD
AS WE CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF CHRIST
FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER 2019 at 6pm
St. Michael's Church, Abergele.
ALL WELCOME !



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Cylchlythyr Abergele

Peidiwch ag anghofio mae'r
Cylchlythyr ar gael ar lein yma:
[www.abergele-towncouncil.co.uk/
quarterly-newsletter.html](http://www.abergele-towncouncil.co.uk/quarterly-newsletter.html) ac hefyd o'r
lefydd isod:

Abergele Newsletter

Don't forget your Newsletter is available
online [www.abergele-towncouncil.co.uk/
quarterly-newsletter.html](http://www.abergele-towncouncil.co.uk/quarterly-newsletter.html) and at the locations
listed below:

Canolfan Dewi Sant Llyfrgell Abergele

Eglwys San Mihangel Eglwys San Sior

Canolfan Feddygol Gwrych

Canolfan Hamdden Abergele

Coleg Abergele

Canolfan Dewi Sant Abergele Library

St Michael's Church St George
Church

Gwrych Medical Centre

Abergele Leisure Centre

Abergele College

Os ydych yn sefydliad neu fusnes yn ardal
Abergele/Pensarn ac yn fodlon cymryd 10 neu
15 copi i'w codi gan y cyhoedd, cysylltwch â
ni os gwelwch yn dda ar: 01745 833242

e-bost: info@abergele-towncouncil.co.uk

If you are an organisation or business in the
Abergele/Pensarn area and are happy to take
10 or 15 copies for collection by the public,
please contact us on: 01745 833242

e-mail: info@abergele-towncouncil.co.uk

Cynllun Cynnal a Chadw Tiroedd Cymuned Cyngor y Dref

Mae Cyngor y Dref yn chwilio am amcan-bris am
gynnal a chadw tiroedd yn ardal Abergele ar
gyfer 2020/21. Mae hyn yn cynnwys:

Torri Gwair Cynnal plannwyr

Dyfrio Cynnal a chadw llwybrau
cyhoeddus

Os hoffech gynnig pris cysylltwch, os gwelwch
yn dda, gyda Chlerc y Dref ar 01745 833242

Town Council Community Grounds Maintenance Scheme

The Town Council are seeking quotes for the
2020/21 Grounds Maintenance in the Abergele
area this includes:

Grass Cutting Planter maintenance

Watering Public Footpath
maintenance

If you would like to provide a quote please
contact the Town Clerk on 01745 833242

Y diweddaraf am y Cynllun Lleoliad Bagiau Cario

Efallai eich bod wedi cael cynnig bag
cario glas gan fusnesau lleol. Os nad oes
gennych chi un hyd yma, fe allwch gael
cynnig un y tro nesaf y byddwch yn
siopa'n lleol - defnyddiwch eich bag
gyda balchder!



Placeplan Update Tote bags

You may have been offered a blue tote
bag by local businesses, if you don't yet
have one, you may be offered one next
time you shop locally - use your bag with
pride!

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Cyngor Tref ABERGELE Town Council



DATHLU PENBLWYDD DIWRNOD VE

CYNLLUN GRANT CYMUNEDOL

Mae Cyngor Tref Abergele'n cynnig **grantiau** i glwbau, cymdeithasau, grwpiau cymdeithasol ac ysgolion sy'n dymuno cynnal digwyddiadau i ddathlu penblwydd 75 Diwrnod VE.

Cynllun grant unwaith yn unig yw hwn hyd at **£250**, a bydd yn rhaid i'r digwyddiad ddigwydd yn ystod penwythnos VE

Mai 8 - 10 2020

Gall eich grŵp wneud cais am y grant trwy anfon llythyr ar bapur swyddogol i

Cyngor Tref Abergele, Neuadd y Dref,
Ffordd Llanddulas, Abergele, LL22 7BT

Y dyddiad cau ar gyfer ceisiadau yw **Rhagfyr 31, 2019**.

Am fwy o wybodaeth gwelwch y wefan os gwelwch yn dda:

www.abergele-towncouncil.co.uk/grants

neu ffoniwch 01745 833242

Cyngor Tref ABERGELE Town Council



THE VE DAY CELEBRATION:

COMMUNITY GRANT SCHEME

Abergele Town Council is offering grants for Clubs, Societies, Community groups and Schools wishing to hold events in celebration of the 75th Anniversary of VE Day.

This is a one-off **grant** scheme for up to **£250** and the event must take place during the VE Day weekend

8th - 10th May 2020.

Your group can apply for the grant by forwarding a letter of application on headed paper to :

Abergele Town Council, Town Hall,
Llanddulas Road, Abergele LL22 7BT,

closing date for applications is **31st December 2019**.

For further information please view the website

www.abergele-towncouncil.co.uk/grants

or telephone 01745 833242

HELPWCH NI I DDATHLU ACHLYSUR PENBLWYDD 75 DIWRNOD VE

Mai 8fed 2020.

Mae Cyngor y Dref yn ystyried rhifyn arbennig o'r Cylchlythyr i ddathlu penblwydd 75 diwrnod VE ym mis Mai y flwyddyn nesaf.



Fe fydd yn rhifyn coffáu byr i adrodd stori 'Abergele' o bryd y gorffennodd y rhyfel.

Os oes gennych storïau am berthnasau a oedd yn byw, neu'n hannu o Abergele neu'r ardal, gyda ffotograffau o'r dathliadau, neu o fywyd teuluol, neu hyd yn oed hen luniau o Abergele fel ag yr oedd pan orffennodd y rhyfel, cysylltwch os gwelwch yn dda gyda'r staff yn y swyddfa yn Neuadd y Dref, 01745 833242

info@abergele-towncouncil.co.uk



HELP US MARK THE OCCASION OF THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF VE DAY

8th May 2020.



The Town Council is considering a special edition of the Newsletter to celebrate the 75th anniversary of VE day in May next year.

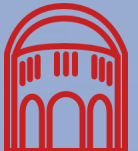
It will be a short commemorative edition to tell the 'Abergele' story of when the war ended.

If you have any stories of relatives who lived in or hailed from Abergele and district, with photos of the celebrations or family life or even past and present photos of Abergele as it was when the war ended, please do get in touch with the staff in the office at the Town Hall, 01745 833242

info@abergele-towncouncil.co.uk



CHURCH SERVICES



St Michael's Church, Abergele.

6/12/19 2019 6.00pm - Town
Christmas Service
12/12/19 7.00pm Abergele Hospital
Carol Service, lessons and carols.
24/12/19 Christmas Eve - 4.00pm
Christmas Crib Service
24/12/19 11.30pm Midnight Mass
29/12/19 11.00am-Bi-lingual lessons
and carols

Canolfan Dewi Sant, Pensarn.

8/12/19 3.30pm lessons and carols.

Eglwys St George

17 December 2019 7.00pm - Lessons
and carols
24/12/19 6.00pm -Christmas Eve Crib
Service
25/12/19 10.00am - Christmas Day
Holy Eucharist with carols



Mynydd Seion, Abergele.

06/12/19 - 10-12yb Paned a
Sgwrs

15/12/19 - 10.00yb Gwasanaeth
Plant ac Ieuenctid

15/12/19 - 6.00yh Naws Nadolig,
Cymdeithas Emrys ap Iwan

17/12/19 2.00yh ac 6.00yh
Gwasanaeth Plant Ysgol Glan
Morfa

25/12/19 - 9.00yb Gwasanaeth
Cymun y Nadolig

Nadolig Llawn



ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH

Bridge Street Abergele

Weekly services/meetings

Sunday morning service at 10.30am.
Wednesday 2.30pm. Women's Network
Thursday 10.30am. Prayer Fellowship

Special Christmas Services

Sunday 22nd December 10.30am. Carol service led by
Rev. David Woodward.

Tuesday 24th December 4pm Christingle service led by
Rev. Eleanor Reddington. Children especially welcome to
this service.

Christmas Day 10.30am Celebration service led by Rev. Eleanor Reddington Everyone welcome at all our services
and events



Christmas Masses,

St Theresa's Church,
Abergele

CHRISTMAS EVE 24th

CAROLS 7.30 PM FOLLOWED BY FIRST MASS OF
CHRISTMAS 8 PM

CHRISTMAS DAY

MASS 9.30 AM

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, TOWYN

MASS ON CHRISTMAS DAY

11 AM

CHANGES TO BUS PASSES

Bus Passes are Changing - Transport for Wales launched new-style Concessionary Travel Cards in June 2019 which will open up new exciting travel opportunities in the coming years. If you have a council-branded card, you'll need to get a new-style card before 31 December 2019 to continue enjoying concessionary travel benefits.

It's an easy and quick process. Please visit: <https://portal.tfw.wales/en>

To find out more about the changes to concessionary travel cards, please visit:

Transport for Wales website: tfw.gov.wales/travelcards

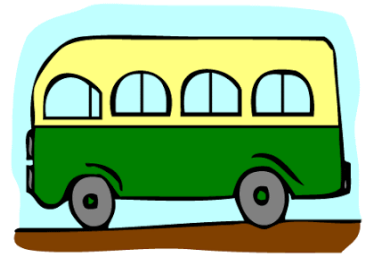
For further information: <https://tfw.gov.wales/QandA>

For Application Forms click here:

<https://tfw.gov.wales/sites/default/files/inline-files/Concessionary%20Travel%20Card%20application%20form.pdf>

Conwy County Borough Council will continue to issue/renew the Disability+Companion cards, please contact 01492 575337

www.Abergele-towncouncil.co.uk



It's all go at Abergele library!!



Having 'returned to earth' (so to speak) from a very successful 'Space Chase' where we challenged the under 12s to read at least 6 books over the summer holiday, we've now changed our mode of transport, and are thinking about Bus Passes. Remember that you have until the end of December to obtain a new Transport for Wales Concessionary Travel Card. We're happy to help with renewals at the library, and have FREE access to computers for all library members.

All our services will continue to be available over the Christmas period - books, audiobooks, computers, DVDs and local information. We'll be open between 10a.m.-1p.m. on the 27th, 30th and 31st December. However, it's good to remember that e-books and e-magazines are available to download at ALL times - even when we're closed! We'll all have very good intentions for 2020!! Why don't you challenge us to find a book for you that'll help keep your New Year's resolutions.

DDIFFIBRILWYR MYNEDIAD CYHOEDDUS (DMC)

PUBLIC ACCESS DEFIBRILLATORS (PADS)



Coleg Llandrillo

Abergele Fire Station

Abergele Hospital

Abergele Leisure Centre

Abergele Rugby Club

Gellir gweld y wybodaeth am union leoliad y diffibriliwyr yn y sir ar wefan NHS Direct

Pensarn Co-Op Store

Ysgol Glan Gele

Itaca Coffee Shop

Abergele Tesco Store

Threeways Petrol Station

Information about the location of defibrillators in the County can be found on the NHS Direct Wales website.

<https://www.nhsdirect.wales.nhs.uk/LocalServices/Default.aspx?s=DefibrillatorLocations&q=Abergele>

ABERGELE AUTUMN CLUB



We meet every Tuesday morning between 10 a.m. and 12 noon at the Abergele Community Centre next door to the Library.



Tea/coffee and a biscuit are provided at a charge of £1. There is also a weekly raffle at a cost of 50p per ticket and a game of bingo. All senior citizens are warmly invited to join us.

Earlier this year we were lucky to be awarded £1000 in the Tesco Bags for Help draw. This was used for coach hire. We visited the British Iron Works at Oswestry and a river cruise on the River Severn. We had a trip to Betws-y-Coed for lunch and a day out to Llangollen for a Horse Drawn Canal trip.

In October we had afternoon tea at the Tweed Mill.

Christmas lunch in December will be at the Golf Club. For further information please phone Norma Jones 01745 334794 or Ann Williams 01745 825882

ABERGELE HANDICAPPED CLUB

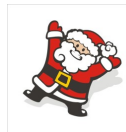
Thanks to our helpers Club members have enjoyed two lovely trips out, one for tea at Gladstone's Library, Hawarden and a lunch at the Bulkeley Arms Hotel at Beaumaris.

We have also had some lovely musical entertainment and even played the drums.

In October we celebrated our 53rd Anniversary with a Harvest Service and Party tea.

On 26th October we held our Coffee Morning at the Club room in Church Street, all money goes towards Club funds. We finish the year with our Christmas Party at the Abergele Golf Club.

New members are always welcome on a Tuesday afternoon and the contact is Mrs Pat Parker 01745 832273.



Abergele Women's Institute



Abergele Women's Institute meets on the third Thursday in the month at the Community Centre Abergele (next to the Library) at 7 p.m.

We would like to invite all Ladies who are interested in coming along to one of our meetings. We assure you of a friendly and welcoming atmosphere.

During 2020 we plan to have a variety of speakers.

We have many other groups that meet including

The craft group - Craft and Chatter, The Book Club, and of course the famous 'Ladies that Lunch'. Our reading group is informal and friendly, with every person's point of view taken into consideration.

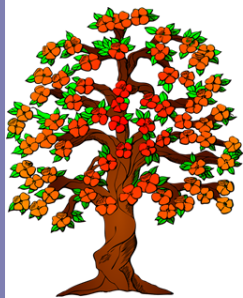
We have some planned outings for the group as well during the coming year.

For any further information please contact the Secretary Caryl Jones Mob: 07794 233058.

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ABERGELE GARDEN SOCIETY



We are a friendly and welcoming group of people, who meet the **second Monday of every month** (except December and January) in Mynydd Seion Chapel Rooms, Llanfair Road, Abergel, LL22 7AW to share our love of gardening and the outdoors. Meetings start at 7.30pm.

Members and visitors are currently enjoying a full and varied programme of speakers as part of our 2019/2020 season. Forthcoming topics include :

11 th Nov	Ian Lifford - "Green Flag Status Judging"
10 th Feb	Rob Potterton - "40 Years at Potterton Nursery"
9 th March	Marcus Hilton Jones - "The New RHS Bridgewater Site"
13 th April	Maureen Sawyers - "Scents of Purpose"

Every month there is a mini-show competition and a raffle, and then we round off our meetings with a friendly chat over tea, coffee and biscuits. For further details of the Society and our Programme of Events in 2020 and into 2021 please see our website

www.abergelegardensociety.org.uk, or contact our secretary Wendy Price.

New members and visitors are always welcome at the Garden Society meetings, so please come and join us.

ABERGELE BOWLING CLUB

Bowls Club shows the way

Thanks to Abergel Bowling Club, local man Iain Runcie is proving that even losing your eyesight is not a barrier to enjoying sport.

Iain was 25 when he was diagnosed with retinitis pigmentosa, leading to a gradual deterioration of his eyesight.

Last year he retired as Abergel Golf Club's resident professional and today his field of vision is tiny, but he is still active on the golf course and bowling green.

His team in the town's bowls club give him all the support he needs, including appointing another member, wearing a high-vis jacket, to indicate where the jack is.

"It's incredible how supportive the club is and in fact everyone in the bowls community" says Iain, age 61.

Anyone interested in playing bowls can contact the club via its website, abergelebowlingclub.com. Free taster sessions are organised annually in May/June - watch the website.

Iain Runcie, right, with his support dog Summer, at Abergel Bowling Club green, Water Street, with him is team captain Martin Williams, who says that despite his handicap, Iain is still a natural sportsman!



CLWB RYGBI ABERGELE

Abergel men have started their new season after 4 victories in their pre-season warm up matches and are hoping for a much-improved season. We are looking forward to, for the first time in 5 seasons, fielding a 2nd XV. With over 40 local players and Wyn Meirion Jones taking over as the men's senior team's manager an enjoyable season is in prospect.

The ladies have started their season and have a squad of 30 plus players all fighting for their places in the team and have started an Under 18's group who have had a couple of matches and are being encouraged by our Hub Officer, Chris Meyers, to play at Ysgol Emrys ap Iwan.

The Junior section had a fantastic registration day in September with over 100 young players turning up on the day to register and many more still to sign. It's hoped that this season we'll be able to field our first ever Under 13's, any youngsters who feel they may enjoy our National Game feel free to come down to Pentre Mawr on a Sunday morning where they'll be encouraged to 'Give It A Go'

We are always on the lookout for players of virtually any age and ability and also volunteers who feel they could find a little time each week to help out. The Club website is: <http://abergele.rfc.wales> and Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/CRAbergel/> please log on to keep up to date with your local rugby team.



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OFFICIAL LAUNCH

10th October 2019



Abergele Community Action launched their latest project - Abergele Youth Shed on 10th October which marks the start of a very interesting and exciting journey! The event was officially opened by the Mayor Cllr. Shirley Jones-Roberts and attended by the High Sheriff of Clwyd, members of the local community and networking partners. Throughout the summer, the young people from Itaca - together with Youth Shedderz from Colwyn Bay have been busy renovating a building

to use as a home for Abergele Youth Shed thanks to funding from Awards For All (National Lottery Community Fund) and Gwynt y Mor Wind Farm.

The project is driven by young people, for young people with a special emphasis in serving their local community. The Shed will provide young people age 11-16 with a safe place after school and during school holidays as well as providing opportunities for those age 16-25 not in employment, education or training to learn new skills, build confidence and self esteem that will enable them to return to education, training or employment.

Special thanks were given to Ysgol Emrys ap Iwan for granting a lease of the building on their Dinorben site and to the Dinorben Family Centre for their encouragement and support.

The Vinci Foundation UK have agreed to sponsor the project for 12 months and volunteers from the company will help the young people with practical skills. Generous donations were also received from the Steve Morgan Foundation and Abergele Tesco. Local trades people including Castle Carpets, Abergele Building Supplies, Paul Cheetham and Jim Duffy, have all supported the project and were all thanked at the opening event.

For more information drop in to Itaca.....in Hesketh House on Bridge Street to phone 01745 826570.

The Youth Shed is located behind the Dinorben Family Centre, Abergele. Tel: 07766836067/01492 875178

www.youthshedz.com



A new pilot scheme PATHWAYS TO BETTER HEALTH

was launched at the Abergele branch of the British Red Cross in July.

The British Red Cross has launched a pilot scheme in North Wales to help people build independence and better links with their communities and reduce unnecessary hospital admissions. **The move comes thanks to a £84,460 grant from North Wales Freemasons, through the Masonic Charitable Foundation.**

The 'Pathways to Better Health' service aims to help over-50s in Conwy and Denbighshire who have been identified as needing extra support due to a pattern of frequent hospital attendance or calls to the emergency services.

The project will help people who call 999 or go to emergency departments (ED) more than 12 times a year, many of whom are among the most vulnerable members of our communities with few alternative sources of help. They may have multiple, complex needs including loneliness, social isolation or drug and alcohol dependency issues.



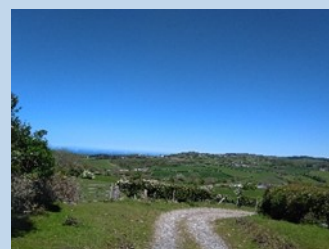
Abergele Rambling Club.

On Sunday 7th July 2019, a lovely sunny day, we went to Bala for our Club Rambling day. We walked along the side of the river, across fields and along tracks before starting the climb up Moel y Garnedd from where there were 360 degree views, an ideal lunch stop. At the end of the walk some of us went to a local Bistro for a very good meal.

Other enjoyable walks include Rowen, Llanrhaedr, Bryn Glo, Nebo, Penmon and Llangernyw. We walk about 8 miles every Sunday.



Llyn Tegid, Bala



Cwm

We are a small and friendly club and always welcome new members.

If you're interested in joining our club please phone Beryl 01492 580724 Sue 01492 518673 or email Bernie at dearbernadette@yahoo.co.uk or visit our web site abergeleramblers.wixsite.com

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Abergele Camera Club



Abergele Camera Club has now achieved 'Dementia Friendly' Status and is probably the first camera club, or photographic society to achieve this status in North Wales, if not in the country. The Club

supports the wider Abergele community and Dementia Friendly groups.

The Club continues to enjoy strong support with a varied programme of events. On a recent evening, members were challenged to take a series of photographs to illustrate topics that they had been given. The images were then viewed to assess members' creativity. In the coming months topics for club nights include 'Making A Splash' 'Shadows' and 'Creative 'Lighting''. The Club ethos is 'education' and provides the opportunity and forum for less experienced photographers to learn from their peers. All photographers are welcome at the Club whatever their experience or expertise level.

The Club continues to seek budding models for its monthly studio nights. If you are a model that wishes to expand your portfolio at minimal or no cost, please get in touch; for further information please see the club web site at: www.abergelecameraclub.co.uk or find us on facebook at www.facebook.com/AbergeleCameraClub



Abergele Hospital League of Friends come to the end of another successful year!

The Summer Fete was blessed with sunshine yet again and the Rhyl Silver Training Band and the Rock Choir provided excellent entertainment for all!

The October Coffee Morning at the Old People's Centre was a great success and all money made goes to Abergele Hospital.

Our very popular Carol Service will be held on 12th December at 7pm in St Michael's Church. This is a free event with refreshments to follow the service.

We are planning to hold a new event in the new year so keep a watch out for details!



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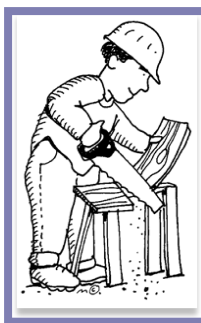
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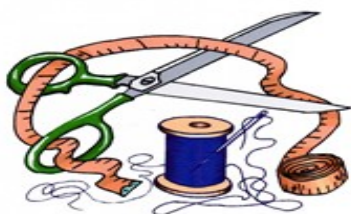
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ABERGELE GOLF CLUB

Winter membership. £120 until 31/3/2020 (If you join as a full member we will reduce the subscription by £120).

Social membership. £30.

Junior membership available. Weekly lessons with our professional.

Autumn and Winter activities include, whist, bingo, quiz nights, Pilates and Spanish club. We also host community hubs including Headway and Dementia Friendly.

Full bar and restaurant services available with members discount card for the bar.

Regular club functions throughout the year.

We are available for wedding reception hire.

Contact us for all enquires on 01745 824034.

Come along and join us for a fun and festive season and look forward to a happy golfing New Year.

For more information please email us at:-

reception@abergelegolfclub.co.uk or telephone Janine on **01745 824034**



Forthcoming Events



Gwrych Castle Trust Events

- 30/11/2019-01/12/2019 - Christmas Fair
- 30/11/2019-01/12/2019 - Christmas Grotto
- 07/12/2019-08/12/2019 - Christmas Grotto
- 14/12/2019-15/12/2019 - Christmas Grotto
- 21/12/2019-24/12/2019 - Christmas Grotto
- 31/12/2019 - New Year's Eve



Dementia- Friendly Abergele Community Christmas Concert

12.30-3.00pm, Thursday 5th December 2019
At Canolfan Dewi Sant, Pensarn.

Entertainment by Ysgol Glan Morfa and Beulah Brass with a complimentary buffet



St Michael's Church, Abergele.

27-29 November 2019 - 12.00-3.00pm
Advent festival refreshments and display of Christmas wreaths and Nativity sets.

30th November 2019 - 11.00-1.00pm
Christmas Fayre, soup and refreshments.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

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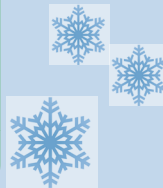
THE BIRTH OF CHRIST

FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER 2019 at 6pm

St. Michael's Church

Abergele

ALL WELCOME !



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Tree of Lights 6.00pm



Eglwys St George

13 December 2019 7.30pm - Lighted Stage, admission £4.00
17 December 2019 7.00pm - Lessons and carols



TREE of LIGHTS

Atgofion a chariad sy'n para byth | Memories and love last forever

29 November 2019 | Abergele Town Hall

Join us for an evening of remembrance and celebrating life at
Christmas time with carols, candles and the tree of lights.
With musical performances from Beulah Brass Band.

Entry | Free (Collection to St Kentigern Hospice)

This event is organised in partnership of St Kentigern Hospice and Abergele
Town Council as part of the hospice's Light up a Life campaign. For more
information about the campaign visit the website
www.stkentigernhospice.org.uk/events or call 01745 775415

CANCELLED
due to the election

Abergele
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League of
Friends Christmas
Carol Service

12th December 7.00pm

St Michael's Church, Abergele.





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Forthcoming meetings of the Council will be held on the following Thursday evenings commencing at 6.45pm. Members of the public are welcome to observe the proceedings.

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Dyddiad / Date	Cyfarfod / Meetings
21 o Dachwedd/21 November	GP&P/P&F
5 o Rhagfyr/5 December	Cyffredinol/Ordinary
19 Rhagfyr/19 December	P&F/GP&P
9 Ionawr/9 January 2020	Cyffredinol/Ordinary
16 Ionawr/January 2020	GP&P/P&F
6 Chwefror/6 February 2020	Cyffredinol/Ordinary
20 Chwefror/20 February 2020	P&F/GP&P

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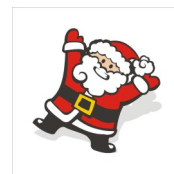
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