

Greener Tywyn Committee Meeting Minutes: 10:15am – 12:15am, Friday 10th May 2019

In attendance: Joanna Houseman (minutes), Liz Hutchinson, Richard Garret, Heather Garret, Sara Waddington.

Apologies: Heather Broster, Chris Broster, Mat Gasquet.

Agenda – free agenda

1. Big Walk

- Eden Project Communities Wales Big Walk will stop in Tywyn on Friday 31st May. We will join them to walk in to the town and then visit the school garden (and do a task of some kind) and then to the leisure centre garden and have teas and coffees. We will then walk out of town with them.

AP – JH to liaise with Big Walk team to get timings and location for meeting. Liaise with leisure centre to okay teas and coffees and plan a task for the school garden. Invite wellbeing group, school eco group and forum and any GTG members we can.

2. Carnival

- Tywyn Carnival Sunday 26th May. Invite GTG members to walk/cycle with the banner, wearing green and maybe print out some logos to carry too? Meeting point for walkers is new fire station near Huws Gray @ 1:45 and walk ends at Talyllyn car park.

AP – HG to put a call out on Facebook for supporters.

AP – JH to make banner good for carrying with poles (banner at HB's house...?)

3. Climate strike

- We agreed to leave it to the students to organise and motivate themselves and each other, we will publicise and encourage online before and after. Cinema will provide space for banner making and possible workshop/talk?

AP – SW to liaise with strike organiser and cinema and let JH know if speaker needed.

AP – JH to see if XR Mach can help with finding a Mach student willing to speak to students at the cinema.

4. Bank account

- Paperwork underway, just a formality now.

5. Volunteer Awards Portmeirion

- Volunteer awards at Portmeirion on Friday 7th June. Four of us can be nominated and nominees and nominators can attend awards. We need to know who can attend and then nominate accordingly.

AP – JH to pass email round with details and research train times

6. Easter market

- Looking forward to helping with planning Easter market stalls improvement for 2020.

AP – HB to find out price of a stall for certain.

7. August event

- Idea of maybe having a Freecycle 'stuff' exchange type market on the stalls.

- Meeting scheduled for Friday June 14th at 12:30 (lunch meeting) for whoever wants to be involved.

AP – JH to email TBG and ABB to attend meeting.

8. High Street window display

HG had the idea that the window display could involve a contrasting picnic; one picnic with all throwaway and single use plastic and the other with reusables etc.

9. Thank Co-Op for the party donation

AP – HG to thank them on GTG behalf.

Next meeting Friday June 14th at 10:15 and following Friday July 12th at 10:15