

MINUTES OF STEERING GROUP MEETING 19th April 2010 AT THE CASTLE, LLANDEILO

Present: Sue Weaver (chair), Gerry, Anson, Colin, John, Steve B
Apologies: Rhiannon, Ellie, Adam

Matters arising

Colin has set up the account at info@transitiontownllandeilo.org.uk, with email to be forwarded to Steve.

Steve has added Energy group content to the website.

Hustings

Detailed arrangements were discussed.

Submitted questions were prioritized, but it was decided that some questions should be taken from the floor on the night.

The overall process was to be in Gerry's hands, as chair.

Reports from Groups

Heart and Soul – not currently meeting.

Permaculture – last meeting was at Ben and Isabel's, next will be at Chris and Looby's.

New Economics – next meeting May 12th 7.30 Angel.

Energy and Transport

Contacts have been made with the Green Valleys project.

Contact was made with TT Chepstow who have been good at increasing the take up of insulation grants in the town, largely by going door-to-door and filling in forms for people.

A grant of £2000 has been made by Environment Wales for an Energy Reduction project in Llandeilo. This will involve surveying a small area to see what energy efficiency improvements can be made, then publicising the results.

Food and Farming

Ellie has unfortunately stood down as convenor due to other commitments.

Sue will organise further meetings until another convenor volunteers.

A request for funding to the Community Association of Llandeilo was turned down, due to a misunderstanding that the grant would be available only for a live event.

Funding

The opportunity for grants from the Rural Regeneration unit closes in July.

NEXT MEETING May 17th at The Castle...7pm. All welcome