

## Caerwent Community Council Chairman's Report November 2015

### Remembrance Service

This years Remembrance service at the cenotaph was once again very well supported, thanks to all who turned out to pay their respects to those who made the ultimate sacrifice during the two world wars.

Many however may have missed the show of respect by our junior members of the community. We have been reliably informed that the Caerwent Junior Football teams halted their Sunday morning activities on the Playing Fields and held their own 2-minute silence at 11 am on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Thank you to them and to their coaches for allowing this mark of respect.

### Dogs in Play Areas

It has again been brought to our attention of individuals deliberately taking dogs into children's play areas. Whilst we have no legal redress against this unless the individuals fail to clean up after their dogs we would ask all dog owners to refrain from using these areas as even cleaning up after your dog can leave a higher risk of disease spread to our youngest residents.

### Community Asset Transfer (Village Hall)

Councillor Haddow has liaised with the CPFA and completed the Expression of Interest, which has now been submitted to MCC. Efforts will now be focussed on completing the Business Plan to further the bid. The Council expressed their thanks for the work being done by both Councillor Haddow and Nia Gittins from the CPFA

The Council are actively trying to establish a Speedwatch group for the Community. Interested residents should contact the clerk.

### **M4324 PLANNING**

#### **2015/01157 Woodside, Highmoor Hill**

Erection of Garden Office in part of Front Garden

*This Council recommends **Approval***

Question 7 on application answered incorrectly. There are several large trees close to proposed site.

No planning application notice has been erected so neighbours unaware of application.

Regards

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