WHAT IS HAPPENING IN THE SWANSEA AND GOWER AREA

The Swansea Area Committee of One Voice Wales is a very well supported Committee and at every meeting Councils who are present give a brief run-down of what is happening in their communities. Here is the favour of the activities being undertaken as reported at the October, 2016 meeting for the information of other councils in Wales.

<u>Llanrhidian Higher CC</u> – Currently planning a memorial service, negotiations had been commenced in relation to the Dan-y-Graig playing fields and consideration was being given to the development of the Penclawdd docks area.

<u>Penrice CC</u> – The broadband installation had not yet been rolled out and pot holes remained a problem.

<u>Pontarddulais TC</u> – Two live Christmas trees had been planted. The Council had agreed to fund the festive Christmas parade and festive trees for the Church.

<u>Gorseinon TC</u> – The library building had still not been transferred and the agreement on CCTV not yet signed. A £50k grant had been awarded for a skate park and grants were being sought for community defibrillators which if awarded would result in 15 machines in place within the town. A grant had been received from ASDA for the Christmas parade.

<u>Llwchwr TC</u> – The basement of the hall had recently become flooded which had affected the heating system. A Christmas house lights competition was being arranged.

<u>Llangyfelach CC</u> – There remained problems with the transfer of the village green land. The problem of DVLA staff car parking had eased off. The website was being designed and plans were in place for Christmas festivities.

<u>Mumbles CC</u> – A new Co-operative store would be opening in the near future together with a new restaurant. Christmas lights and trees would be available from 24 November with a band playing on the village green.

<u>Killay CC</u> – The Council was awarded first prize in the community section of the Swansea in Bloom competition. A successful band night and Songs of Praise event were held in the precinct over the August bank holiday weekend.

<u>Three Crosses CC</u> – The Council was applying for a grant for a defibrillator. A village history trail was being designed. The village green enquiry would commence shortly.

<u>Reynoldston CC</u> – A harvest supper was being arranged. The Gower players would be performing for 3 nights. A craft fayre was being arranged. There were concerns about occupiers of holiday homes putting out their rubbish on the wrong days.

<u>Penllergaer CC</u> – A defibrillator had been ordered using funds from a local funding campaign.