



Menter Siabod Ltd.; Company No: 05697686.

About us: Menter Siabod Ltd. is a non-trading 'not for profit' and voluntary organisation, established to assist in identifying and meeting where possible the needs and aspirations of the Dolwyddelan community and LL25 Post Code area. It is also a Registered Company limited by guarantee. As such, we have been a useful platform for applying for grant funding for a number of community projects, both for our own organisation as well as for other community groups, and projects to promote health, wellbeing and community cohesion. We are still available to make applications on behalf of the local community for any projects where there is a demonstrable community need. Most funding bodies will only consider applications from charitable organisations or registered companies like ourselves. We would be happy to explore any ideas or suggestions from the community.

Like almost everyone else, we have been adversely affected by Covid-19, in that we have had to close the Pavilion and the Gwyddelan Suite until the Covid restrictions are lifted. At the moment, the maximum number of people we could safely allow into the Pavilion at any time is nine, and users would have to comply with all the Risk Assessment criteria. The Gwyddelan Suite is closed indefinitely for community use because all the furnishings in the Gwyddelan Suite are soft, so we cannot sanitise them for safe use. For school use, they bring in hard surface chairs and are responsible for safe distancing etc..

Friday Lunchtime Club, Youth Club and Welsh Class have all been 'on hold' since 16th March. This means we have very little income at this time, but still have to pay utility bills, insurance, etc.. Fortunately we have accrued sufficient reserve funds to cover these costs for the time being.

We have purchased all the recommended hygiene and PPE materials ready for being able to use the Pavilion in a safe way, but with the limit of 9 people max.

On 18th September, we had a 'Bring your own' picnic lunch on the school field, for our regular Lunchtime Club supporters. As we were legally restricted to 30 max people meeting outdoors, we were not able to widen the invitation to others – sorry! 20 of us attended. We had our temperature checked, gave our details for 'Track & Trace',