

NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

Member's Annual Report

This is the report by the Councillor below regarding their key activities over the year ending 15 May 2018. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose. The views expressed in this report are those of the Councillor and do not necessarily reflect the views of Newport City Council

Councillor: Stephen Marshall

Ward: Gaer

Party: Labour

<u>Section 1: Roles & Responsibilities:</u>	Attendance
I serve on the following internal committees:	
Council	9
Performance Scrutiny Committee - Partnerships	6
I serve on the following internal groups:	
Corporate Parenting Forum	
I represent Newport City Council on the following external organisations:	
Credit Union	
Gaer Primary school governing body	
Maesglas Primary school governing body	
Further information of my activities on Council or outside bodies:	
<u>Section 2: Training & Development/Conferences/Seminars</u>	Date
Code of Conduct Training	17/05/17
Scrutiny training	05/07/17
Safeguarding Seminar	20/09/17
Scrutiny training	25/10/17
WLGA Autumn Conference	23/11/17
Wellbeing of Generations Act Training	06/02/18
Partnerships Scrutiny – EAS briefing	19/02/18
WAST Fall Awareness session	April 2018
<u>Section 3: Local Ward Activity:</u>	
(include details of frequency of ward meetings, surgeries, PACT meetings etc)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Telephone surgeries and home visits for 1 to 1 home surgeries with constituents as and when requested.• Organised and participated in a Ward Litterpick in Maesglas Oct 17• Met with Gwent Police and Newport City Homes a number of times to discuss a PSPO being considered for Maesglas.• Street walks around the ward to report on litter/Fly tipping, drains and pot holes.• Met with Gaer Residents close to the Gaer Primary School to address parking concerns along with my ward colleagues Cllrs Wilcox and Whitcutt.• Attended the 50th Anniversary of the Gaer Community Centre alongside Cllrs Wilcox and Whitcutt.• Supported Gaer Community Network and Centre in various lotto Grant applications.• Met with the Newport Saracens located at the back of Maesglas and seeing how they can integrate with the local community as well as grants to aid them as a club.	

- Attended a number of meetings in relation to the Gaer Fort in partnership with the South Wales Fire Service. I also attended the Ground Breaking session at the fort itself to see the plans be put into practice.
- Continuous updating of the ward councillors social media page and responding to residents' concerns/ issues as picked up via the sites.

Section 4: Involvement in local, county or regional initiatives

Section 5: Other activities as a Councillor in 2017/18

- Welcomed 2 delegations of Georgians to the city alongside Newport Kutaisi Twining Association
- Attended and celebrated young people's success at the Newport Youth service, Duke Of Edinburgh Awards held at the Riverfront.
- Attended and marched in the remembrance parade with fellow councillors
- Supported councillors in another ward in a park project similar to Maesglas
- Supporting Rogerstone routes for one session to see if and how the scheme could be replicated within the Gaer ward.
- Attended the opening day of Rainbow Newport's LGBT section of the library, seeing a new selection of books written and available to borrow from various inspirational role models from the LGBT community.
- Made links with the Credit Union (my Ext body) with Newport live to become a payroll partner and helping look at ethical saving and loans