



**Wales Council for
Voluntary Action**

Supporting charities, volunteers and communities

**Cyngor Gweithredu
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Annual report

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Wales Council for Voluntary Action is the voice of the voluntary sector in Wales. It represents and campaigns for voluntary organisations, volunteers and communities in Wales.

WCVA provides a range of services for our 600 members, designed to keep you up to date with new developments and events, and armed with the best advice and guidance available. In addition, as a membership organisation, WCVA is able to negotiate special deals with external suppliers of services which we know our members will value. Our membership leaflet, WCVA - working for you, gives further details on member services and information on different categories of membership.

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Chair's report

One word to describe last year would be ***new***.

WCVA has been caught up in and involved with, a whole raft of ***novel*** initiatives and plans; the voluntary sector forum and Compact, New Opportunities Fund, Millennium volunteers, community and national health proposals, social exclusion, rural activities, educational changes and so on...



All this has required considerable ***effort*** by all of WCVA's committees, members and staff. We have had to be vigilant and firm that the voluntary sector is not side-lined, and that the potential for being a lively, active participant in Wales' future is recognised, valued and resourced.

And as this report shows, we have demonstrated the ***will*** to play a full part. We have been neither silent, nor sullen; thrusting nor un-reasonable, but rather mature and informed in our firm commitment to meet the needs of the whole of the voluntary sector.

So there is the year summarised - a year in which we engaged in ***novel*** ways, with ***effort*** and ***will***, and in the process we have all become new people of Wales, to face the new challenges ahead. We thank you, all.

Marjorie Dykins OBE



Director's introduction

The year covered in this report coincides with the first year of a new government 'determined to forge the strongest possible links with the voluntary sector.'

This determination is reflected in the drafting of a compact, or agreement, which will govern relationships between government and the voluntary sector, and the establishment of a Welsh Office/Voluntary Sector Forum to discuss issues of mutual interest and concern.

It is also reflected in Clause 114 of the Government of Wales Act which commits the Assembly to promote the interests of voluntary organisations and in a host of government consultation and policy documents which have included a desire to work with voluntary organisations and communities.

These developments have formed the cornerstone of WCVA's work during this year, and have laid the framework within which the voluntary sector will work in the future.

This framework also gives new roles to local and health authorities to draw up community and health improvement plans and deliver services in partnership with the voluntary sector.

Such changes will create new opportunities for voluntary organisations and may threaten some existing arrangements.

WCVA will continue to 'look out' for the interests of voluntary organisations and volunteers, speaking out, where necessary, and putting forward ideas and proposals which combine independence and partnership.

It will continue the work and initiatives set out in this report to provide the essential tools which underpin citizen participation and community action across Wales. Such participation and action, supported through training, information, research, support and direct resources has provided the innovation and inspiration upon which many services are built, and is now accepted as a vital ingredient in community regeneration and well-being.

The challenge of the next year will be able to turn the new policies and intentions into reality and build a partnership with the National Assembly which will nurture and enhance voluntary and community organisations and volunteering in all parts of Wales.

The voice of the voluntary sector

This year, the sector has faced the challenges and opportunities of a new political and institutional environment. The Labour Government, elected in May 1997, immediately looked to the voluntary sector to take on new roles and responsibilities to help deliver its policies. It has also placed emphasis on developing and strengthening a partnership between the government and the voluntary sector.

The Compact

At our 1997 annual conference, Secretary of State Ron Davies said "Let me stress that this government is determined to forge the strongest possible links with the voluntary sector and to support it in every way we can."

One practical expression of this has been the creation of a *Compact*, viewed by both parties as a major step forward. WCVA worked closely with the Welsh Office to set up a joint Forum involving representatives from across the sector and senior civil servants at the Welsh Office. The forum members have spent considerable time and energy thrashing out the all important detailed guidance that will underpin the *Compact*.

The *Compact* is based around key principles – shared values on which both sides agree, and which govern the relationship between the government and the voluntary sector in Wales. The Secretary of State promised that it "will be built on integrity, trust and mutual respect". It will commit the Welsh Office to:

- Clear policies on volunteering, community development and voluntary organisations, and measures to support them;
- consultation with the sector on policy changes;
- a range of measures to improve funding mechanisms.

It will also demand certain things of voluntary and community groups, including high levels of accountability – both financial and to our memberships. The *Compact* is due to be launched in Autumn 1998.

"Democracy is not only secured through the ballot box – it seems to me that voluntary organisations can be viewed as true democracies"

– Secretary of State for Wales Ron Davies at WCVA's 1997 annual conference.



"the voluntary sector's perspective"

The Assembly

During the year, WCVA alerted the sector through briefing papers and seminars to the potential opportunities and difficulties of working with the Welsh Assembly. WCVA presented the voluntary sector's perspective on the Assembly's structure and operation to the National Advisory Group, and set out radical plans for:

- A strategic programme approach to policy;
- proposals for partnerships with outside agencies and local communities;
- robust mechanisms for working with the voluntary sector.

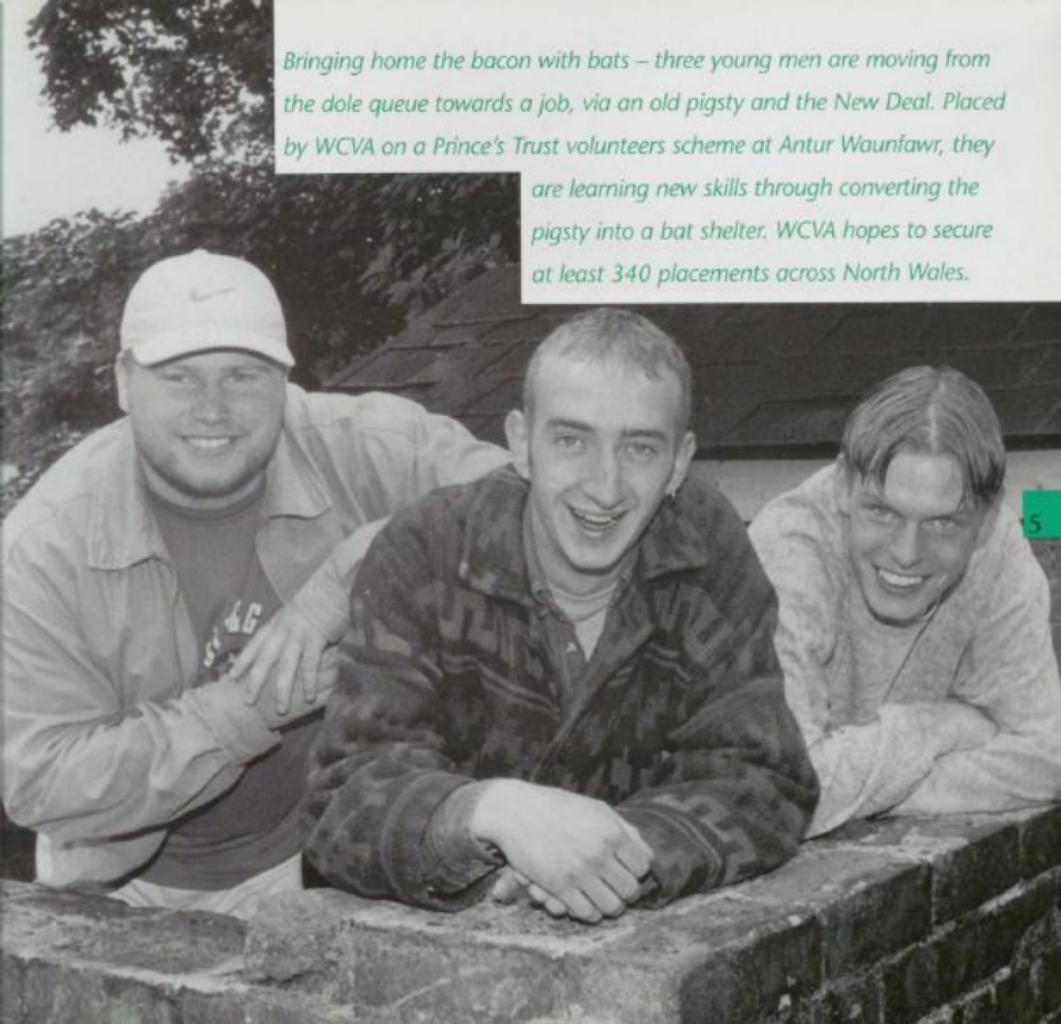
As the Assembly plans gathered pace, WCVA secured a ground breaking clause in the Government of Wales Act requiring the Assembly to set up a scheme to *promote the interests of relevant voluntary organisations*, and set out how it will provide assistance and consult with the sector. It is anticipated that the Assembly will build on the Compact in developing the voluntary sector scheme.

"an active role"

New Deal

WCVA has played an active role in promoting voluntary sector interests in a further key government policy, the New Deal. WCVA has:

- Represented the sector's interests on the advisory task force for Wales;
- secured sector management of the voluntary sector option in many parts of Wales;
- provided expert advice and guidance to voluntary organisations considering whether and how to get involved;
- established a voluntary sector consortium in North Wales to bid for and deliver the voluntary sector option.

A black and white photograph of three young men smiling at the camera. They are leaning against a brick wall, with their hands resting on the top of the wall. The man on the left is wearing a light-colored baseball cap and a light-colored zip-up jacket over a dark turtleneck. The man in the center is wearing a dark, patterned zip-up jacket over a light-colored turtleneck. The man on the right is wearing a light-colored zip-up jacket over a light-colored turtleneck. In the background, there is a dark, textured surface, possibly a roof or a wall, and some foliage is visible at the top left.

Bringing home the bacon with bats – three young men are moving from the dole queue towards a job, via an old pigsty and the New Deal. Placed by WCVA on a Prince's Trust volunteers scheme at Antur Waunfawr, they

are learning new skills through converting the pigsty into a bat shelter. WCVA hopes to secure at least 340 placements across North Wales.

Responses, briefings or other contributions have been prepared on/for:

Better Health, Better Wales

The Citizen's Charter

Charities and Taxation

The Social Economy

NHS White Paper

Reconfiguration of NHS Trusts

Developing an Integrated Transport Policy

A People's Lottery

Millennium Volunteers

Welfare to Work Task Group

Government of Wales Bill

National Advisory Group

Learning is for
everyone

Green Paper

The wider policy agenda

As the voice of the voluntary sector in Wales, WCVA lobbies decision-makers, undertakes specific campaigns and influences policy development, putting the sector's case in a clear and coherent manner. Above all, WCVA works with the voluntary sector, consulting our members and other networks regularly.

In addition to the work on the Compact and Assembly, WCVA has responded to the major strands of the new government's policies, from Millennium Volunteers to Welfare to Work. In each case, WCVA has argued for:

- Recognition of the contribution the voluntary sector can make;
- early involvement in the development of policies;
- opportunities for partnership in delivering the policies.

Achieving shared aims

The Compact is concerned with the relationship between central government and the voluntary sector. But of equal importance is the relationship between local government and the sector, since the vast majority of voluntary organisations in Wales operate at a local, and often a neighbourhood level.

In early 1998, WCVA and the Welsh Local Government Association (WLGA) launched *Achieving shared aims: working to a common agenda*, which sets out a shared vision of the partnership between the two sectors, and practical ways of taking it forward. These include:

- Setting up voluntary sector liaison groups in each local authority area, to agree a strategic statement, a shared information base, and a support framework;
- adopting a programme or social partner approach, in which different sectors sit down as equal partners with resources allocated on a genuine 'who does what' basis;
- recognising that leadership depends on effective, not token partnerships, which require each member to have access to resources, skills and expertise.

Achieving shared aims is already striking a chord with a number of local authorities in Wales who are adopting a formal liaison structure with voluntary and community groups in their area.



Building communities

Of the 23,000 voluntary groups in Wales, the vast majority are small, local groups, run entirely by voluntary effort and firmly rooted in their communities. WCVA remains committed to building representation and support for community initiatives...

Support for volunteering

Volunteering continues to flourish in Wales. According to the latest UK survey of volunteering, almost half the adult population volunteered during the last year – nearly 1 million people, who spend an average of four hours a week doing it. WCVA has supported this by:

- Funding 8 new volunteer bureaux and providing support for the 30-strong volunteer bureaux network;
- the production of a video with the Wales Youth Agency, *C'mon – make a difference*, to encourage volunteering by young people;
- publishing a leaflet on recruiting Welsh speaking volunteers and contributing to reports on volunteering by older people and volunteers in support of carers;
- providing an accredited training programme for volunteer organisers;
- developing a model policy for volunteers working in the NHS;
- working with the WLGA to develop a policy for volunteering within local authorities;
- developing a new strategy for volunteering in the Compact between government and the voluntary sector;
- contributing to the design of the Millennium Volunteers programme;
- improving working relationships with the private and public sectors through the Volunteering Partnership.

“committed
to support”



Older volunteers do it too! Nona Pare, volunteer organiser, centre, with volunteers Nina Hobbs and Betty Wyatt at the senior health shop, Barry. There is a great potential to involve more older people in volunteering, and when they are involved, they bring with them a lifetime's experience, said the Third Age report on older volunteers.

WCVA's Volunteering Media Project has continued to fly the volunteering flag in local and national arenas. The Impact projects in Carmarthen and Merthyr Tydfil have been busy with a range of activities from poster campaigns, press releases and Meet the Media days, to training sessions on producing newsletters for volunteers and handling tv and radio interviews.

Media Link Wales is the national side of the project - a Wales-wide network of voluntary sector press officers committed to hardwiring volunteering issues into the consciousness of media professionals. Media Link '97 was its first national event, hosted by the BBC in Cardiff. It attracted broadcasters and volunteer groups in significant numbers for a day of debate and fruitful dialogue.



Volunteers Week saw an unusual publicity gimmick: the Carmarthen and Merthyr based Impact projects arranged for local papers to photograph the first babies born during the Week wearing specially printed Born to Volunteer tee-shirts. Baby Aaron Bell of Cefn Coed slept through all the fuss!



"Media Link '97 marked the beginning of a new relationship between voluntary organisations and many of our programme makers"
- Geraint Talfan Davies, Controller, BBC Wales

Community buildings – a focus for action

Community halls are a vital local resource – as a meeting place and venue for local groups from boys clubs, guides, and mother and toddler groups to WI meetings, art classes and yoga. There are an estimated 1,000 community halls in Wales, and many require assistance – from finding funds to patch a leaky roof to learning about ways of involving the whole community in local activities.

Estyn

WCVA's new advice service on community buildings had its first full year of operation and the level of demand confirms the need for such a service. This year Estyn has:

- Responded to over 200 enquiries;
- held 35 meetings with local bodies, including CVCs, LEADER projects and specialist organisations to develop understanding about the service;
- established active partnerships with over 80 per cent of CVCs who distribute Estyn's advice and information locally;
- produced a bi-monthly newsletter for over 1,000 community buildings around Wales and new information sheets;
- held the first ever national forum on community buildings;
- articulated the interests of community buildings in Wales in consultation exercises, for example with the Performing Rights Society.

Cynnal – 21st century halls for Wales

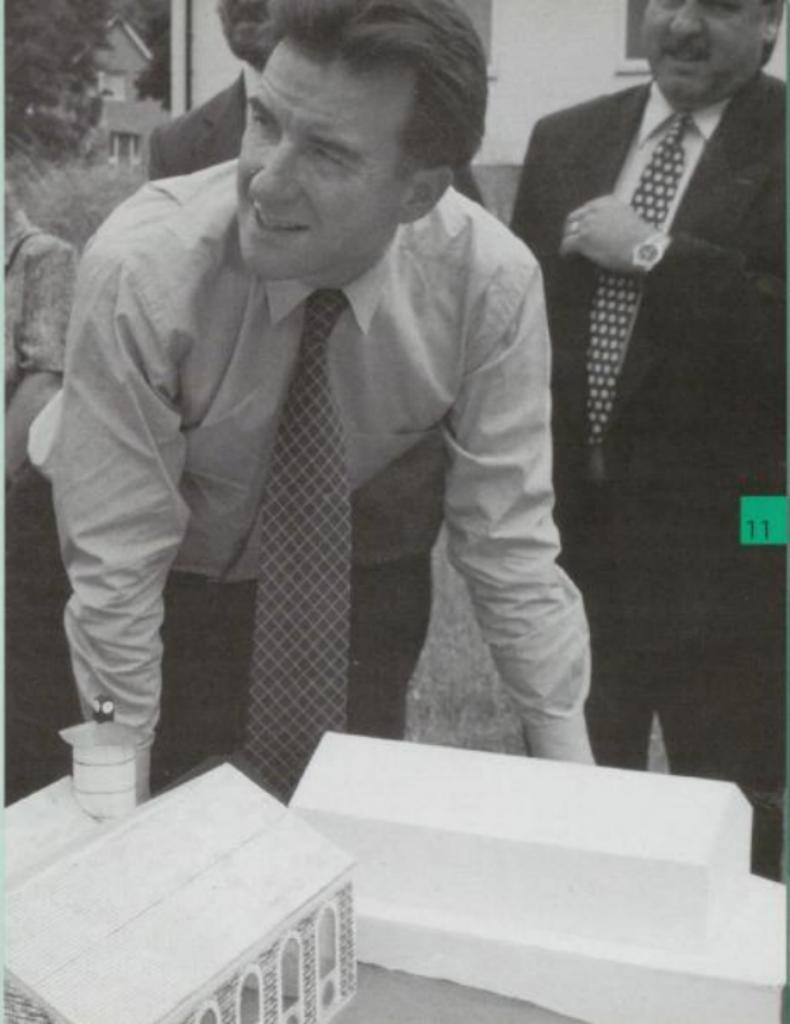
Only once in a thousand years does this kind of opportunity arrive. WCVA seized it with both hands, and in summer 1997 Cynnal – 21st century halls for Wales – opened for business. This ambitious scheme, funded by the Millennium Commission and the Welsh Office, will invest £10m to help communities modernise or construct at least 50 community halls throughout Wales.

In March 1998, the first Cynnal grants were announced; more than £3 million is to be spent on 13 halls, the largest ever investment in Welsh community buildings. Of these, 6 were completely new halls, 5 were extensions and 2 major refurbishments. All applicants had to show that the halls were community controlled, accessible to everyone, and met high standards of design.

The Cynnal and Estyn schemes collaborated during the year on a major new publication for community halls, *Plan, design and build*, which takes community hall committees through the stages of designing and building a new hall. The 90 page guide, published with the aid of Millennium Commission funding will be launched later in 1998.

Government Minister Peter Mandelson takes a look at plans for a new community hall at Clydach Vale in Monmouthshire. Comparisons between this building and the controversial Millennium Dome were evident as the site and scale model were inspected.

Peter Mandelson said the Clydach hall "illustrates a pride in the past and a confidence in the future. Your community has ambition as well as community spirit."



All smiles!

*Representatives
from community
halls show their
delight after hearing
they have secured a
Cynnal grant.*

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Wales Chapels Conservation Trust

As 1997 drew to a close, WCVA learnt that Cadw had approved proposals to set up a Wales Chapels Conservation Trust. WCVA will be working over a two year period to prepare the constitutional and financial foundations of the new organisation. Forecasts of the numbers of chapels likely to become redundant in future years suggest that the trust will soon fulfil its twin aims:

- The preservation of important chapels – those of architectural interest, with historical associations or that are significant examples of the simple buildings of the dissenting tradition;
- the provision of information and advice on building conservation, planning and associated matters.

Working with Europe

The voluntary sector in Wales continued to play a full part in regeneration programmes financed through European funds. Its key role was explicitly recognised in July 1997 when the Commission published its report Promoting the role of voluntary organisations and foundations in Europe.

WCVA has continued to maximise the sector's contribution by:

- Representing the sector on key European committees and working groups;
- contributing to the design of new programmes;
- campaigning to ease bureaucratic delays and obstacles;
- assisting voluntary groups to access the programme by responding to 820 enquiries, holding 140 advice surgeries and running 18 training events.

As a result:

- Voluntary groups secured over £8.5million of grants in rural and industrial south Wales.
- £900,000 was secured to enable WCVA to run a new Building Community Capacity small grants scheme for voluntary groups in the south Wales area, and proposals for similar schemes were prepared for rural areas;
- Volunteer's time can now be costed and used as match funding for European grants.

WCVA also undertook a research project to identify the capacity building needs of voluntary groups in Wales and to recommend priorities for allocating funding available under priority 4 of the Objective 3 programme. In addition, WCVA has taken an active role in representing the sector's views on the European Commission's proposed changes to the structural funds after the year 2000.

Our work to develop the voluntary sector in Belarus and to open up opportunities for other groups in Wales to do the same, continued.



A new practical handbook was published, Evaluating community projects for European funding and launched at WCVA'S Euro Summit reception.



European Officer Sue Spurrier gets the feel of Belarus' local currency...

Teresa Metcalf, Gerry Allin and Joanne McNally outside Caer Las in Swansea, a new community resource centre purchased with the help of EU grant aid. The £320,000 ERDF grant covers the purchase and refurbishment of the building, which will offer workshop, community enterprise and confidence building activities for vulnerable people.

"WCVA's training and advice surgeries were excellent and provided the foundation for a successful application. The European team also helped by providing telephone advice and information while the application was being processed – it was all really helpful", says Gerry Allin.



Strengthening local support services

The strategic partnership between WCVA and the county voluntary councils is one of the strengths of the voluntary sector infrastructure in Wales. This complementary relationship means that voluntary action is effectively supported at national, regional and local levels.

This has been the first full year of WCVA's responsibility for the local voluntary services (LVS) scheme which provides core funding for county voluntary councils in Wales. The network of 18 local bodies was expanded this year when the LVS committee awarded a grant for a new CVC in Torfaen, the Torfaen Voluntary Alliance.

The minimum standards for the LVS scheme lay emphasis on the need for CVCs to develop a wide membership drawn from all aspects of voluntary activity, and to represent and support the full range of local voluntary sector interests. During the year:

- The collective membership of CVCs increased to nearly 3000 groups;
- formal joint working arrangements were in place in 7 local authority areas;
- over 5,000 funding advice sessions resulted in £5.7m of funding for local groups.

Practical collaboration between WCVA and CVCs continues, and has resulted in:

- IT networking, database exchange and information sheets of particular relevance to local groups;
- the delivery of local training courses;
- briefing events for CVCs with lottery board distributors and on European funding;
- advice surgeries for CVCs with the Charity Commission.

Glyncoed Allstars
are on the ball!

Providing resources

Small grants scheme

WCVA's small grants scheme continues to demonstrate that a little goes a long way. The award of small grants (under £500) with the minimum of fuss can really boost a local group's confidence and activities. This year over 50 awards were made: the smallest, £50, went to Glyncoed Allstars Football Club for sports equipment for young children, and the largest, £500 went to the Vale of Glamorgan Railway Preservation Company towards the cost of making a buffet car accessible to disabled people.



The Volunteering in Wales scheme

Over 3,500 volunteers have benefited from the award of 67 grants to local volunteering initiatives. These include, for example, a £21,500 grant to Cardiff City Farm to cover the costs of employing a volunteers co-ordinator. Over £600,000 was awarded this year.



Local mental health grants scheme

WCVA has consulted widely on this new scheme and invited bids in its first year of operation. Demand for grants was so great that WCVA made a successful bid to the Welsh Office to increase the funding available – up nearly 10 per cent from £1.42m to £1.55m.

This has meant that in the first round of applications, WCVA has been able to fund all 32 organisations who had received a grant under the former Welsh Office scheme, as well as the all Wales Mental Health Development Service. Significantly, the new scheme was also able to fund seven new initiatives across Wales, in Caerphilly, Wrexham, Flintshire, Denbighshire, Pembrokeshire, and Ceredigion.

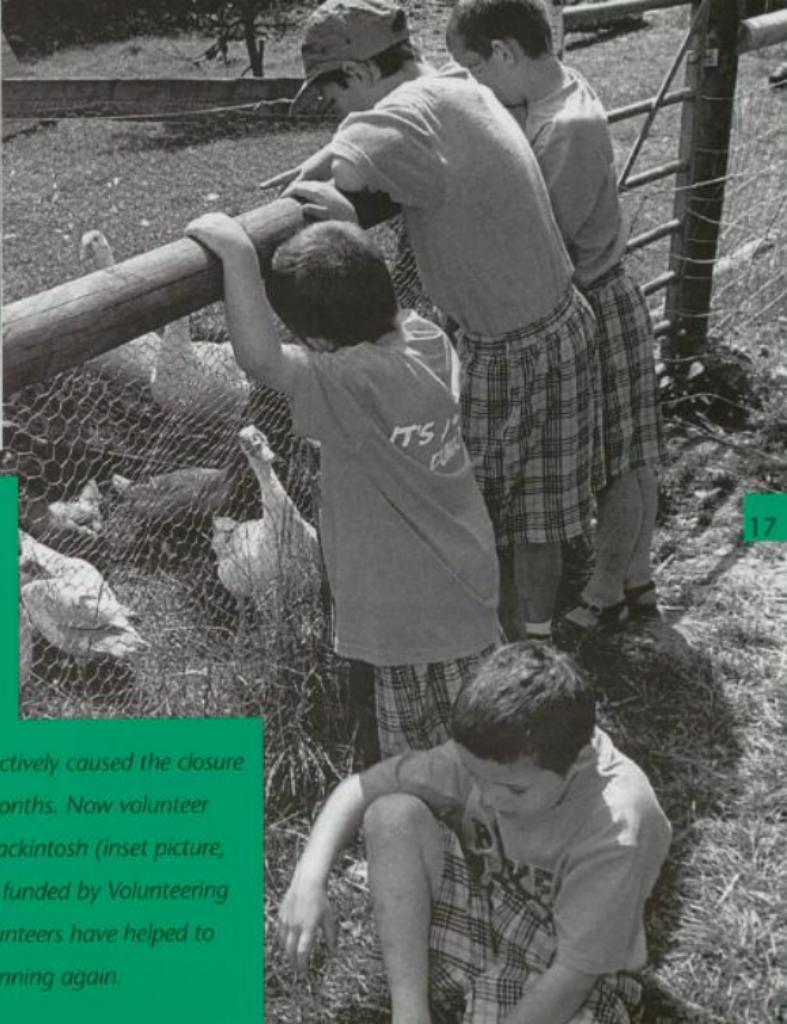
The Brighter Futures initiative, based in Wrexham, provides opportunities and support for users of mental health services. These include a drop-in centre, information, and training. The WCVA grant has meant that Brighter Futures can expand its activities to rural areas of the county. Maureen Langford, project co-ordinator, said: "We have also been able to raise additional funds on the strength of the WCVA grant."

South Wales building community capacity grant scheme

This new scheme, established with money from the European Regional Development Fund, supports community-led activities in industrial south Wales. Grants of up to £10,000 are available, for a range of activities, including start-up costs of a new organisation, community appraisals, provision or refurbishment of small community buildings or facilities, or the employment of a worker.



*Down on the farm...
For a number of years,
Cardiff City Farm has
battled with
vandalism, theft of
animals and finally an
arson attack which effectively caused the closure
of the farm for some months. Now volunteer
co-ordinator Callum Mackintosh (inset picture,
on left) whose salary is funded by Volunteering
in Wales, and local volunteers have helped to
get the farm up and running again.*



"encouraging co-operation"

Tackling poverty

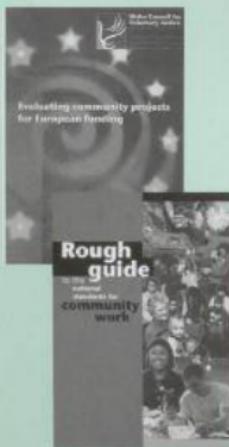
WCVA's anti-poverty project was set up to support the involvement of voluntary and community groups in anti-poverty strategies. It achieved this by providing local leaders and activists with training in community work skills, and by encouraging co-operation between local authorities and community organisations.

Three years on, the project has successfully raised the profile of community initiatives in anti-poverty and social exclusion work in government policy at all levels. It has created a framework of support to help community initiatives access the skills and experience they need; and it has also secured independent resources to help community groups build up their capacity to work with statutory bodies.

"key achievements"

The project's key achievements include:

- Helping to secure over £4.7 million from Europe for capacity building funding for community groups working with people from socially and economically excluded sectors of society;
- establishing the Social Economy Group, which has influenced the Welsh Office's economic policy to include community led approaches to regeneration;
- setting up local partnerships to run community work training in different parts of Wales;
- disseminating quarterly anti-poverty briefing packs to over 300 local contacts;
- publishing a number of practical guides and handbooks
 - *Building communities – community led development*
 - *Building communities – a handbook for community groups*
 - *Building communities – a guide for local government on working with community led initiatives*
 - *The rough guide to community work standards* (in association with Swansea CVS)
 - *Evaluating community projects for European funding*
- advising the Welsh Office on the development and implementation of its Social Exclusion Programme.



Supporting rural communities

As the crisis in rural Wales has shot up the political agenda, WCVA has been working to ensure that voluntary groups in rural areas are adequately supported and represented by:

- Representing the sector at a strategic level, including the Mid Wales Partnership and Wales LEADER network;
- bringing different networks together in order to promote an integrated approach;
- securing funds for the post of funding advisor for the rural Wales Objective 5b area, to help rural groups access European grant aid.

Jigso

Jigso promotes community participation in local decision-making in rural (5b) Wales.

WCVA took over the management of Jigso during the year and established an office in Aberystwyth. Key achievements in this first year include:

- Preparation of a handbook on community participation methods, *Where do we go from here?*
- delivery of 10 training sessions;
- provision of assistance to 30 communities by grant aid, advice or training;
- production of a new version of Jigso's community appraisal software.

Catch them young! –

Planning for People,

a Jigso event



Jigso has seen a surge of interest from communities wishing to celebrate the Millennium in style and wanting to know how to engage local people in that process. With dedication and support, rural communities will not only be sending up fireworks on December 31 1999, but will also be sending down strong healthy roots for the next thousand years.



Gwenan Davies,

WCVA's Rural Officer



Lord Dafydd Ellis Thomas,
Welsh Language Board
Chair, and Marc Phillips,
WCVA trustee, hold
WCVA's certificate of
approval

One nation, two languages

This year the Welsh language project:

- Published a joint document with the Welsh Language Board, *Volunteering for the language*, launched at the National Eisteddfod;
- held a number of practical seminars on preparing Welsh language schemes;
- produced a guide to recruiting Welsh speaking volunteers;
- held a seminar at the House of Lords to raise awareness among UK voluntary organisations that operate in Wales, of the demands and benefits of bilingual policies.
- co-operated with the Welsh Language Board on the production of a training package on management in a bilingual environment, *Dwy iath ar waith*.

Training and development

The recognition of WCVA, with our sister organisations in Scotland and England, as a national training organisation (NTO) was good news for the sector. An NTO allows employers with interests in common to spearhead the development of skills needed in the workforce – including employers, staff and volunteers. This is the first time that the voluntary sector has had its own body responsible for training and development. One of the first pieces of work undertaken by the Voluntary Sector NTO in Wales was the creation of a database of trainers and consultants who work in the sector, which can be accessed free of charge by voluntary groups.

WCVA has also provided:

- A published programme of 15 courses, with over 90 per cent rated as very good or excellent;
- new courses on applying to charitable trusts, legacies and the Internet; all of which were oversubscribed and will be repeated next year;

Drew Reith (right), chair of the Voluntary Sector NTO in Wales committee, receives the certificate from Kim Howells, then minister at the DfEE along with English and Scottish representatives.

- 40 days of in-house training;
- an accredited training programme for volunteer organisers;
- conferences on recognising volunteers, quality issues and lifelong learning.

Providing advice and information

During 1997 – 98 WCVA responded to over 7,000 queries on a hugely diverse range of subjects. These include general funding (28 per cent), volunteering (15 per cent) and constitutional matters (2.5 per cent).

Many queries are concerned with contact names and addresses. This year, WCVA has established an all-

Wales database of voluntary organisations, to help provide speedy and accurate responses to these queries. Print-outs of lists of groups, by area or subject, can also be provided. 14,000 entries were included by the end of the year, of which over 4 per cent were Wales wide, 6 per cent regional and 90 per cent local.

Other queries and requests for assistance are more complicated, requiring longer term support, research or investigation. Some examples of organisations helped, and of the range of assistance provided are given below:

- Drawing up a constitution and applying for charitable status are daunting tasks. This year WCVA provided constitutional assistance to, among others,

the WAY Foundation, a new voluntary organisation that supports widowed people under 50 and their children.

- WCVA agreed to mediate in a dispute over the future of Nant Gwrtheyrn National Language Centre. A consensus for restructuring and reforming the organisation was reached.

- The RSPB asked WCVA to join it in making a presentation at the House of Lords on improving the sustainable development scheme of the Government of Wales Act.

- Cardiff based Red Dragon Radio asked WCVA to help set up its own charitable trust to fundraise for children in its

broadcast area. Since its launch in May 1997 the trust has raised over £75,000.

"contacts"

Former Welsh rugby international Rupert

Moon, a trustee of

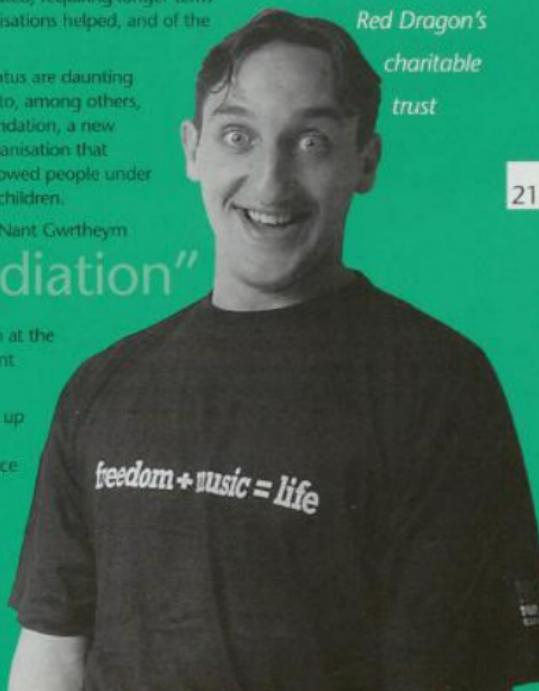
*Red Dragon's
charitable
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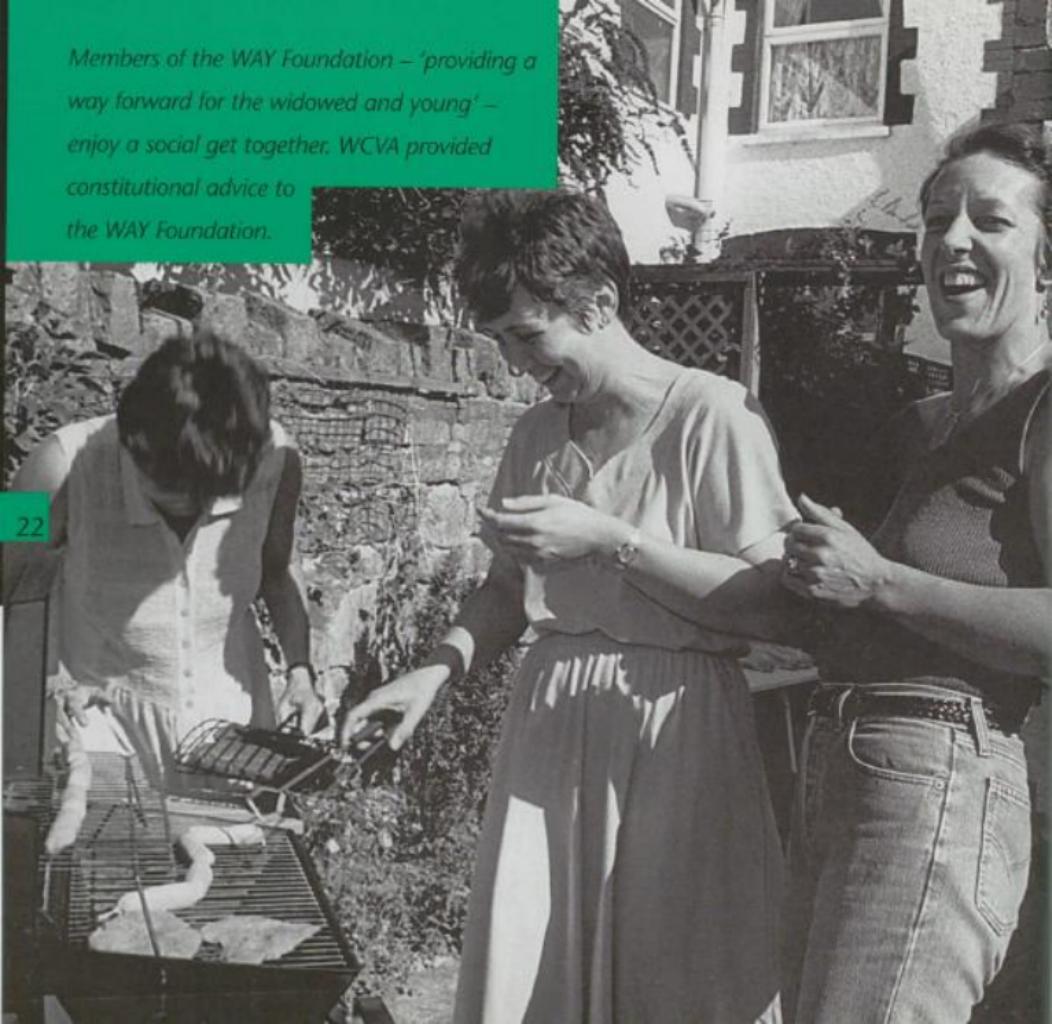
"mediation"

"charitable trusts"

freedom + music = life



Members of the WAY Foundation – ‘providing a way forward for the widowed and young’ – enjoy a social get together. WCVA provided constitutional advice to the WAY Foundation.



Executive committee members

President	The Earl of Lisburne (to November 98)	The executive committee is supported by a management team and 50 staff working in four offices around Wales.
Hon treasurer	Mr. W. P. Kitson	
Chair	Mrs. Marjorie Dykins, OBE	
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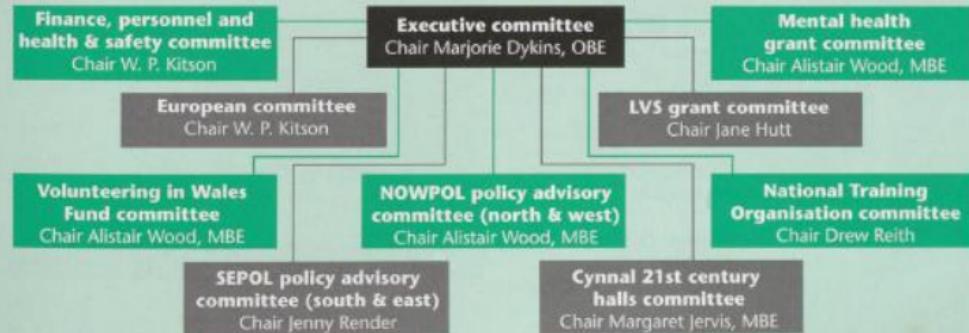
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Statement of financial activities

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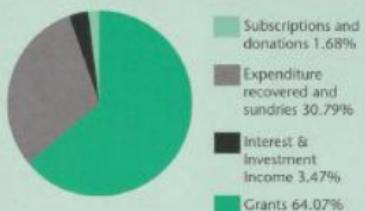
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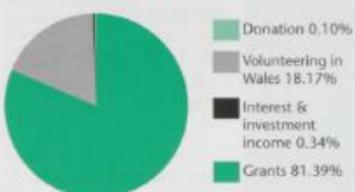
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	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total funds 1998 £	Total funds 1997 £
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE				
Incoming resources:				
Grants	540,229	2,374,526	2,914,755	873,714
Deferred income	-	-	-	-
Other income	273,788	3,000	276,788	191,452
Interest received & other investment income	29,233	9,923	39,156	30,012
Volunteering in Wales	-	530,000	530,000	500,000
Total incoming resources	843,250	2,917,449	3,760,699	1,595,178
Resources expended:				
Direct charitable	726,867	2,860,273	3,587,140	1,387,997
Management & administration of the charity	106,975	684	107,659	104,179
Total resources expended	833,842	2,860,957	3,694,799	1,492,176
Net incoming/(outgoing) resources for the year				
Loss on Sale of Investments	9,408	56,492	65,900	103,002
Unreleased gains /(losses) on investments	(976)	-	(976)	-
Provisions no longer required	25,044	-	25,044	803
Movement in funds	33,476	56,492	89,968	103,805
Balances brought forward at 1st April 1997	239,581	95,283	334,864	231,059
Balances carried forward at 31st March 1998	273,057	151,775	424,832	334,684

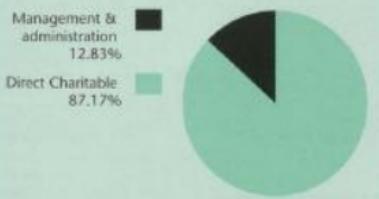
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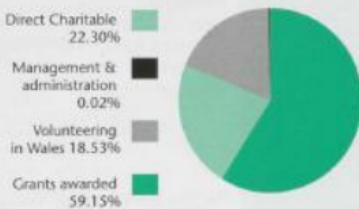
Incoming resources (Restricted funds)



Resources expended (Unrestricted funds)



Resources expended (Restricted funds)



Balance sheet

	1998	1997
	£	£
FIXED ASSETS		
	544,983	578,646
CURRENT ASSETS		
Investments	94,223	222,101
Debtors and prepayments	190,526	22,661
Cash at bank	295,732	177,549
Cash in hand	34	134
	<u>580,515</u>	<u>422,445</u>
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		
	270,682	236,243
	<u>309,833</u>	<u>186,202</u>
	<u>854,816</u>	<u>764,848</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		
Provision for liabilities and charges	75,000	75,000
	<u>779,816</u>	<u>689,848</u>
RESERVES		
Restricted Funds	183,133	101,586
Restricted funds - Deficit Balances	(31,358)	(6,303)
Unrestricted funds	273,057	239,581
Revaluation reserve	354,984	354,984
	<u>779,816</u>	<u>689,848</u>

A complete set of the reports and accounts can be obtained from:

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To the members of Wales Council for Voluntary Action

In the opinion of the auditors, Messrs.Zeidman & Davis, the summarised accounts given in this document are consistent with the full accounts. The auditors' report on the full accounts was unqualified.

Zeidman & Davis, Certified Accountants, Registered Auditors, Lawrence House, Caerphilly

WCVA Members Aelodau CGGC

March 1998 Mawrth 1998

Full members Aelodau llawn

Action on Smoking and Health in Wales
Advisory Centre for Education Ltd
Age Concern Cymru
Alzheimer's Disease Society - Wales
Arts Disability Wales
Association of Voluntary Organisations in
Wrexham
Barndarw
BBC Children in Need in Wales
Big Issue Cymru
Bobath Cymru
Bridgend Association of Voluntary
Organizations
British Deaf Association
British Diabetic Association Wales
British Heart Foundation
British Red Cross - Wales
British Trust for Conservation Volunteers
Broadcasting Support Services
Broil Cymraeg
Business in the Community in Wales
Cais Ltd
Campaign for the Protection of Rural Wales
Cancer Research Campaign
Care and Repair Cymru
Cares National Association in Wales
Carad Cymru
Canningill Trust
Cartrefi Cymru
Catholic Children and Family Care Society
(Wales)
Centre for Alternative Technology
Ceredigion Association of Voluntary
Organisations
Chartered Institute of Housing in Wales
Child Safe Wales
Childline Cymru/Wales
Children in Wales
Children's Society
Christian Lewis Trust
Cwarae'r Ffug
Comic Relief
Community Dance Wales
Community Design Service

Community Development Foundation
Wales
Community Enterprise Wales
Community Music Wales
Community Service Volunteers Cymru Wales
Contact A Family
Conwy Voluntary Services Council
Council for Wales Voluntary Youth Services
Crossroads Caring for Carers
Cruse Bereavement Care
Cyd
Cymdeithas Gwasanaethau Gwylodol Sir
Ger
Cymdeithas Tai Hafan
Cynghor Cymru ar Alcohol a Chyflurau Eraill
Cystic Fibrosis Trust
Daybreak Wales
Denbighshire Voluntary Services Council
Diabetes Concern
Dial UK
Disability Wales
Down's Syndrome Association
Drama Association of Wales
Drug Aid
Duke of Edinburgh's Award
Epilepsy Wales - Cymru
Fairbridge - South Wales
Family Planning Association
First Choice Housing Association
Flintshire Local Voluntary Council
Gingerbread Wales
Gwasanaethau Gwylodol Ynys Môn
Gwent Association of Voluntary
Organisations
Help the Aged Wales
Hindu Cultural Association (Wales)
Homestart UK
Housing Associations Charitable Trust
 Huntington's Disease Association
I to I Counselling Service
Interlink
Keep Wales Tidy Campaign
Macmillan Cancer Relief Fund
Manic Depression Fellowship Wales
Mantell Gwynedd
Marie Curie Cancer Care
Marriage Care
Mencap in Wales
Merched y Wawe
Mind Cymru
Motor Neurone Disease Association
Modiad Ysgolion Melltirin
National Association of Citizens Advice
Bureaux
National Association of Leagues of Hospital
Friends
National Autistic Society / Autism Wales
National Council for Voluntary
Organisations
National Council of YMCA's in Wales
National Deaf Children's Society (NDCS)
National Federation of Women's Institutes
National Schizophrenia Fellowship Wales
National Society for the Prevention of
Cruelty to Children Cymru/Wales
National Trust
NCH Action for Children
Neath Port Talbot Council for Voluntary
Service
Newemploy Wales
North Wales Resource Centre for Disabled
People
North Wales Victim Support Scheme
Olam in Wales
Parent Teacher Association of Wales
Pembrokeshire Association of Voluntary
Services
People and Work Unit
Phab - Wales
Planning Aid Wales
Play Wales
Powys Association of Voluntary
Organisations
Prince's Trust - Bro
Prince's Trust Volunteers
Relate South Wales
Rescue Foundation for the Brain Injured
Instant
Royal National Institute for the Deaf
Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
Royal Welsh Agricultural Society
Salvation Army Men's Hostel
Save the Children Fund
Schizophrenia Association of Great Britain
Scope
Sequel Trust
SNAP Cymru
Society of Voluntary Associates (SOVA)
St John Ambulance
Standing Conference of Voluntary
Organisations for People With a Learning
Disability in Wales
Sustainable Wales
Swansea Council for Voluntary Service
Theatr Flonwyn Cymru
Tenant Participation Advisory Service
(Wales)
Tenovus
Torlarn Voluntary Alliance
Travel Freedoms for the Disabled and
Medically Infirm
Ty Hafan
United Nations Association Wales
International Youth Service
Vale Council for Voluntary Services
Voices from Care
Voluntary Action Cardiff
Voluntary Action Merthyr Tydfil
Voluntary Arts Network
Wales Assembly of Women
Wales Association of County Voluntary
Councils
Wales Co-operative Development and
Training Centre
Wales Council for the Blind
Wales Council for the Deaf
Wales Federation of Young Farmers Clubs
Wales Pre-School Playgroups Association
Wales Rural Forum
Wales Women's Euro Network
Wallich Citizens' Community
Welsh Association of Local Sports Councils
Welsh Association of Youth Clubs
Welsh Centre for International Affairs
Welsh Federation of Boys and Girls Clubs
Welsh Refugee Council
Welsh Scout Council - Sgwïoslad Cymru
Welsh Tenants Federation
Welsh Women's Aid
Women's Royal Voluntary Service
Youthlink Wales

Voluntary associate members

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4 Winds Association – Cardiff
 ABCD Project (Improving Access for Black Children with Disabilities) – Cardiff
 Aberconwy Action Centre
 Aberconwy MIND
 Abergavenny MIND
 Ace Saturday School – Cardiff
 Action Aid for the Disabled – Newport
 Adolescent and Children's Trust – London
 Adref Ltd – Aberdare
 Age Concern Cardiff and Vale
 Age Concern Gwent
 Age Concern Merthyr Tydfil
 Age Concern Morgannwg
 Age Concern Pembrokeshire
 Age Concern Port Talbot
 Age Concern Training, Bristol
 Age Concern Sir Gaerfyrddin
 Age Concern West Glamorgan
 Agorad Cyl – Bangor
 Alzheimer's Disease Society – Bangor
 Alzheimer's Disease Society – Cardiff
 Alzheimer's Disease Society – Pontypridd
 Amalgamated Voluntary Services – Ynys Mon
 Amelia Trust Farm – Barry
 Amman Valley Enterprise
 Anglesey Crossroads Care Attendant Scheme Ltd
 Anheddu Cyfyngedig – Bangor
 Antur Cwm Taf – St Clears
 Antur Dwyryd Llyn – Pwllheli
 Antur Penllyn – Bala
 Antur Tanat, Cwm – Nr Oswestry
 Antur Teifi – Newcastle Emlyn
 Antur Waustraw
 Arfon Mind
 Ashfield Close Tenants Association – Rhondda
 Aweta Black Mental Health Project – Cardiff
 Bangor Student Community Action
 Betws Ameinietyd Society
 Bwpo Gwerddodol Caernarfon
 Bwpo Gwerddodol Ynys Mon
 Black Association of Women Step Out (BAWSO) – Cardiff

Blaenllechau Community Regeneration, Rhondda
 Brecknock Access Group
 Brecon and District Disabled Club
 Brecon Volunteer Bureau
 Bridgend and District Resource for Children with Disabilities
 Bridges Community Centre – Monmouth
 British Red Cross Glamorgan / Morganwg
 British Red Cross Society – North Wales Branch
 Broad Haven and District Village Hall Committee – Haverfordwest
 Bryncynon Community Revival Strategy Limited – Mountain Ash
 Brynmawr and District Mencap Society
 Butetown History and Arts Centre – Cardiff
 Caer Las – Swansea
 Caerphilly Care for Carers Ltd
 Caerphilly Youth Project
 Caia Park Employment Project – Wrexham
 Canolfan Ffen Fach Cyl – Pwllheli
 Cardiff Adi: HelpLine
 Cardiff and District Multicultural Arts Development
 Cardiff Bond Board
 Cardiff City Farm Trust
 Cardiff Community Housing Association
 Cardiff Conservation Volunteers
 Cardiff Gypsy Sites Group
 Cardiff Law Centre
 Cardiff Mediation
 Cardiff MIND
 Cardiff Move-On
 Cardiff Safe Cities Project
 Cardiff Student Community Action
 Cardiff Unemployed Workers' Centre
 Cardiff University Social Services
 Cardiff and the Vale Crossroads
 Cardiff and the Vale Parents Federation
 Cardiff and Vale Race Equality Council
 Cardiff and Vale Youth Forum / Right On
 Cardiff Women's Aid
 Cardigan Youth Project
 Care and Repair Cymru – Bangor
 Carmarthen Women's Aid
 Carmarthenshire Enterprises
 Carmarthenshire Opportunities Initiative Project (Mencap in Wales)
 Cartrefi Cymru – Haverfordwest
 Cartrefi Cymru – Llanfair PG
 Catch Up – Llanelli
 Central Cardiff Citizens Advice Bureau
 Ceredigion Crossroads Caring for Carers
 Charities Aid Foundation
 Charter Housing – Newport
 Chepstow and Caldicot Crossroads Care
 Chepstow and District Mencap
 Childline Cymru/Wales – Rhyl
 Children's Centre Centre Cardiff
 Children's Society – Newport
 Christian Aid – Cardiff
 Cilgerran Village Hall Trust
 City Centre Youth Project – Grassroots – Cardiff
 Clarence Hall Management Committee – Crickhowell
 Clywd Alyn Housing Association
 Co-options Ltd – Prestatyn
 Coal Industry Social Welfare Organisation – Pontypridd
 Community Design for Gwent
 Community Media Association – Sheffield
 Community Projects Centre – Pontypridd
 Connect 141-121 – Beddau
 Cruse Bereavement Care – Bangor
 Cruse Bereavement Care – Newport
 Cruse Cymru Training Services – Cardiff
 Cultural and Democracy – Bridgend
 Cultural Enterprise Service – Cardiff
 Cwm Rhymni Housing Action Group – Caerphilly
 Cymarcpari Community Welfare Association – Rhondda
 Cymad – Porthmadog
 Cymdeithas Si Illog Hirnant Community – Shropshire
 Cymorth Cedwigian Homestart
 Cymorth i Ferched Blaenau Ffestiniog
 Cymorth y Ferched Drystor
 Cyngor Henoedd Ceredigion
 Cynon Valley Care and Repair
 Cynon Valley Community Projects Association
 Cyngor Ceredigion Contact
 Cyngor Deaf Childrens Society – Caerphilly
 Deaf Access Wales – Wrexham
 Devins – Pwlheli
 Difl Llantrisant and District – Cardiff
 Dim Pro – Student Community Action – Aberystwyth
 Dinas Powys Community Resource Centre
 Diocese of Llandaff Board for Social Responsibility – Cardiff
 Disability Association – Buckley
 Disability Carphilly
 Disabllement Welfare Rights – Bangor
 Drive – Pontypridd
 Dynamic – Wrexham
 Ebbw Fach Development Trust – Brynmawr
 Elite Supported Employment Agency Ltd – Pontyclun
 Elly Horsemont – Cardiff
 ETOP Ltd – Bridgend
 Femdale Home Improvement Service Ltd – Rhondda
 Forest of Cardiff
 Gabalfa Community Workshop – Cardiff
 Galon Uchaf Residents Board – Merthyr Tydfil
 Garden Village and District Community Association – Wrexham
 GAVO – Newport Resource Centre
 George Thomas Centre for Hospice Care – Cardiff
 Glyntaff Tenants and Residents Association – Pontypriod
 Gofal Housing Trust – Bridgend
 Good Start for Swansea's Children
 Groundwork Bridgend
 Groundwork Merthyr and Rhondda Cynon Taff
 Groundwork Wrexham
 Growing Space – Newport
 Guiding Hand Development – Neath
 Gwasanaeth Cynnal Gofalwyr – Bangor
 Gwaelod y Garth Village Hall Trust – Cardiff
 Hay and District Community Support
 Hay and District Dial-a-Bike
 Headway Cardiff
 Holyhead Citizens Advice Bureau
 Holyhead Opportunities Trust
 Home and Community Care Services Ltd – Conway
 Home Start County Borough of Wrexham
 Hope House Children's Respite Hospice – Old Colwyn
 Hospice at Home – Caerphilly
 Humanist Council of Wales – Neath
 Include – Cardiff
 Independent Community Transport Ltd – Caerphilly
 Inroads Cardiff Street Drugs Project
 John Rowley Trust – Barry
 Knighton Community Support Project
 L'Anche – Brecon
 Leonard Cheshire Foundation – Llangollen

- Leonard Cheshire Foundation – Wolverhampton
 Llamau Housing Society – Cardiff
 Landaff North, Gabalfa and Mynachdy Community Project – Cardiff
 Llandaff Junction War Memorial Institute
 Llanelli Crossroads Care
 Llanelli Youth and Childrens Association
 Llanishen Good Neighbours
 Llŷn Valley Women's Aid
 Menter Ffensi – Pembroke Dock
 Maendy Community Centre
 Marvel Project, NCH Action for Children – Wrexham
 Megan and Trevor Griffiths Trust – Carmarthen
 Mericap – Rhudllan
 Mericap in Wales – Llanfyllin Area Resource
 Mental Health Matters (Bridgend County Borough)
 Mental Health Users Forum – Bangor
 Merthyr MIND
 Merthyr Tydfil Citizens Advice Bureau
 Mid Powys MIND
 Mid Rhondda Tenants Association
 Montgomeryshire Citizens Advocacy
 Montgomeryshire Women's Aid
 Mudiat Ysgolion Melchni – Bangor
 Mudiat Ysgolion Melchni – Wrexham
 NACRO (New Careers Training) – Barry
 NACRO Youth Crime Section – Wales
 National Association of Citizens Advice Bureaux – Cardiff
 National Centre for Volunteering – London
 National Childminding Association – Brighton
 National Childminding Association Gwent
 National Childminding Association in Wales – North
 National Childminding Association in Wales – Wrexham
 National Pyramid Trust – Cardiff
 National Schizophrenia Fellowship – Holywell
 National Trust – Llandello
 NCH Action for Children – Llanelli
 NCH Llanrumney Community Project
 North MIND
 Newydd-y-Garreg-Wen – Llandysul
 Neuadd Les y Glwynn Cymru/Neifell
 Newport Action for the Single Homeless
 Newport Memorial Hall – Pembrokeshire
 Newport MIND
 Newport Wasteavers
 Newport Wasteavers Charitable Trust
 Next Step (Bridgend)
 North East Wales Mental Health Alliance
 North Wales Advice and Advocacy Association
 North Wales Association for Spina BiIda and Hydrocephalus
 North Wales Deaf Association
 North Wales Wildlife Trust
 Ogwr Care and Repair
 Ogwr Drug and Alcohol Self Help Opportunities – Cardiff
 Opportunity Housing Trust – Cardiff
 Overton Village Hall – Wrexham
 Pembrokeshire Care and Repair
 Pembrokeshire Care Society
 Pembrokeshire Counselling Service
 Pembrokeshire MIND
 Pembrokeshire Opportunities Initiative Project – Mencap in Wales
 Penarth Pastoral Foundation – Cardiff
 Penrhys Colleget Institute and Community Society – Mountain Ash
 Penrhys Partnership – Rhondda
 Penygraig Community Project
 Penylan House Jewish Retirement and Nursing Home – Cardiff
 People in Partnership – Rhondda
 Person to Person Citizen Advocacy – Pontypridd
 Point of Ayr Colliery Band, Wrexham
 Pontypool MIND
 Pontypridd and District Housing Association
 Pontypridd Citizens Advice Bureau
 Powys Arms Line Services
 Powys Children and Families Forum
 Powys Dance
 Prince's Trust – Bro – Mold
 Prince's Trust – Bro – Newtown
 Prince's Youth Business Trust – Cardiff
 Prism – The Mid and West Wales Alcohol and Drug Advisory Service – Carmarthen
 Prospects – Aberystwyth
 Radnor Support Project
 Ramblers' Association – Wrexham
 Rape and Sexual Abuse Line South Wales Ltd
 Raven House Trust – Newport
 Relate Dyfed
 Relate North Wales
 Rhayader and District Community Support
 Rhondda Cynon Taff Community Arts
 Rhyl and District Benefit Advice Shop
 Rhymney Valley Care and Repair
 Rhymney Valley Homestart
 Royal National Institute for the Blind – Cardiff
 Royal Society for the Protection of Birds – Bangor
 Royal Society for the Protection of Birds – Sandy
 Rural Community Health and Social Care Programme – Wrexham
 Safai Methyr Tydfil
 Save the Children Fund – Mountain Ash
 Scope – Cardiff
 Scope – Cilwenni Bay
 Shell Better Britain Campaign – Birmingham
 Shortlife Housing (Cymru) – Cardiff
 Sir Gar Carmarthenshire Federation of Women's Institutes
 Snowdonia Woodland Trust
 Society of Voluntary Associates (SOVA) – Wrexham
 Somal Advice and Information Office – Cardiff
 South Glamorgan Council on Alcohol
 South Glamorgan Playbus Association
 South Glamorgan Women's Workshop
 South Pembrokeshire Action with Rural Communities
 South Riverside Community Development Centre
 South Wales Co-operative Development Association – Cardiff
 South Wales Convalescent and Rest Home
 South Wales Miners' Library
 Springboard Youth Information Shop – Llanelli
 St Brineili Centre Child Development – Mymwrch
 St David's Foundation – Newport
 Stepping Stones – Wrexham
 Stroke Association – Mid Wales Information Centre
 Swansea Citizens Advice Bureau
 Swansea Drugs Project (SAND)
 Swansea MIND
 Swansea Student Community Action
 Swansea Women's Resource and Training Centre
 Swansea Young Single Homeless Project
 SWISH (Body Positive) Ltd – Swansea
 Switch Active Help Project – Bridgend
 Sylfaen – Cymdeithas y Plant – Caerfarnion
 Taff By Drug Support Group
 Teen Challenge Gwent
 Tenant Participation Advisory Service (Wales) – Bangor
 Tenovus Cancer Information Centre
 Teulu'r Trws – Amroth
 Tiron Trust Ltd – St Asaph
 Tools for Self Reliance Cymru – Crickhowell
 Torfaen Citizen Advocacy
 Torfaen Community Transport
 Torfaen Women's Aid
 Track 2000 – Cardiff
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 Triganiors – Caerfarnion
 Trustees of Rossett Church Hall – Wrexham
 United Welsh Housing Association
 Uniflas
 Usk House Day Hospice
 Vale of Clwyd MIND
 Vale of Clwyd MND
 Vale of Glamorgan Women's Aid
 Vale Volunteer Bureau
 Valleys Furniture Recycling – Pontypridd
 Valleys Race Equality Council – Pontypridd
 View / Dove Workshop – Neath
 Vision Foundation – Ebbw Vale
 Viva! Project – Treorchy
 Voluntary Action Centre Merthyr Tydfil
 Voluntary Community Services – Cardiff
 Welsh Initiative for Supported Employment
 Welsh School of Excellence for Conductive Education – Cardiff
 Welsh Women's Aid – Aberystwyth
 Wildlife Trust (West Wales)
 Woodland Trust – Llanbydder
 Workers Educational Association – Cardiff
 Wrexham Advocacy Partnership
 Wrexham Citizens Advice Bureau
 Wrexham County Crossroads
 Wrexham Homework Club
 Wrexham Hospice and Cancer Support Centre Foundation
 Wrexham Play Association
 Young Families Scheme – NCH Action for Children
 Young People's Project
 Ystafellais Development Trust
 Ystradgyniadys Volunteer Centre

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Alain Thomas
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Sir Donald Walters
Mr Alastair Wood MBE MA

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HTV Cymru/Wales
Martin Price Associates

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Aelodau cysylltio statudol

Aman Gwenedraeth Partnership
Association of Welsh Community Health
Councils
Brecon Beacons National Park
Bridgend College Library
Bridgend County Borough Community
Health Council
Cardiff Bay Development Corporation
Cardiff County Libraries
Central Council for Education and Training
in Social Work - CCETSW Cymru
Ceredigion County Council - Social Services
Department
Charity Commission
Coleg Harlech
Community Support Services (Learning
Disabilities)
Conwy County Borough Council
Department of Social Policy and Applied
Social Studies
Equal Opportunities Commission
Flintshire Community Agency
Glan Hafren NHS Trust
Gwasanaeth Cefnogi Cymunedol
Gwasanaeth Uylgrifol
Health Promotion Wales
Housing for Wales
'Kinser' Taff Valley Resource Group
National Lottery Charities Board
National Museum of Wales
Newport County Borough Council
North Wales Health Authority
Offa Community Council
Office for Research and Development for
Health and Social Care
Open University Business School
Powys County Council - Chief Executive's
Department
Powys County Council - Youth &
Community Centre, Llanfyllin
Rhondda Cynon Taff County Borough
Council - Leisure Services Department
South Rhymney Valley Community Mental
Health Team
Thomas Parry Library Aberystwyth
University of Wales Lampeter
Yole of Glamorgan County Council - Barry
Community Enterprise Centre
Valleys Arts Marketing
Wales Association of Community and Town
Councils
Wales Youth Agency
Welsh Consumer Council
Welsh Office Library
Wherham County Borough Council

The Last word

*"Our £20 membership fee was certainly money well spent.
During the year we've had in-house training for our
trustees, some comprehensive and well-researched
publications - and we've been able to access European
money thanks to some
excellent help from WCVA's
wonderful European
funding advisers. All in all
the return on that small
initial investment has been
marvellous."*

Ian Hill-Tout, Chair, Gabalfa
Community Workshop/Vision
21 Cyfle Cymru.

Y gair olaf

*"Dyma'r £20 gorau rydym
wedi ei gwario. Yn ystod y
flwyddyn rydym wedi
derbyn hyfforddiant i'n
hymddiriedolwyr,
cyhoeddiau cynhwysfawr
wedi'u hymchwilio'n
drywyr - ac rydym wedi derbyn arian o Ewrop, diolch i
ynglynghorwyr cyllid Ewropeaidd ardderchog CGGC. Ar y
cyfan, mae'r ffi ymaelodi isel wedi dod a manteision tu
hwnt i'r disgwyd."*

Ian Hill-Tout, Cadeirydd, Gweithdy Cymunedol Gabalfa/Vision 21
Cyfle Cymru.





**Wales Council for
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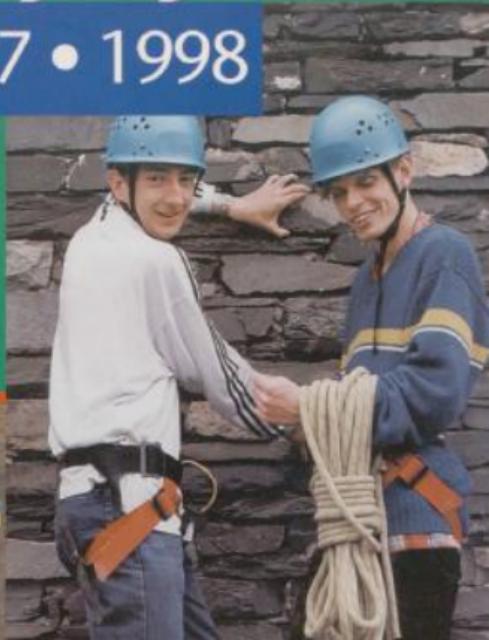
Supporting charities, volunteers and communities

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Yn cefnogi elusennau, gwirfoddolwyr a chymunedau

Adroddiad blynnyddol

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Cyngor Gweithredu Gwirfoddol Cymru yw llais y sector gwirfoddol yng Nghymru. Mae'n cynrychioli mudiadau gwirfoddol, gwirfoddolwyr a chymunedau yng Nghymru ac yn ymgynrhoi ar eu rhan.

Mae Cyngor Gweithredu Gwirfoddol Cymru yn cynnig amrediad o wasanaethau i'n 600 haelodau gyda'r bwriad o roi'r newyddion diweddaraf i chi am unrhyw ddatblygiadau a digwyddiadau newydd, gan sicrhau bod gennych chi'r cyngor a'r cyfarwyddyd gorau sydd ar gael. Hefyd, fel sefydliad ag iddo aelodau, gall CGGC drafod gyda chyflenwyr gwasanaethau allanol i sicrhau bargeinion arbennig a gwyddwn y bydd ein haelodau yn gwerthfawrogi hyn. Mae'r pamffled a baratowid gennym CGGC - yn gweithio drosoch chi, yn cynnwys manylion o'r wahanol categoriau aelodaeth, ac hefyd gwasanaethau aelodau.

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Mileniw, cynigion ynghylch iechyd

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gymdeithasol, gweithgareddau gwledig, newidiadau addysgol ac yn

y blaen...



Mae hyn oll wedi golygu cryn dipyn o ymdrech ar ran holl bwyllgorau, aelodau a staff Cyngor Gweithredu Gwirfoddol Cymru. Bu'n rhaid i ni fod yn wyliadwrus ac yn bendant na fyddai'r sector gwirfoddol yn cael ei hel o'r neilltu a bod y potensial i ni chwarae rhan weithgar, egnol yn nyfodol Cymru yn cael ei gydnabod a'i werthfawrogi a'n bod yn cael yr adnoddau priodol i wneud hynny.

Ac fel yr amlýga'r adroddiad hwn, rydym wedi dangos yr ewyllys i chwarae rhan gyflawn. Ni fuom yn dawel, nac yn ddi-serch; yn ymwrthiol nac yn afresymol, ond yn aeddfed a gwybodus braidd yn ein hymrwymiad cadarn i fodloni anghenion y sector gwirfoddol cyfan.

Felly, dyna grynodeb o'r flwyddyn - blwyddyn pryd y bu i ni weithredu mewn ffyrdd newydd, gydag ymdrech ac ewyllys ac, yn sgil hyn oll, rydym ni bellach yn bobl newydd i Gymru, yn barod i wynebu'r sialfensiâu newydd a ddaw. Diolch yn fawr iawn i bawb.

Rhagarweiniad y Cyfarwyddwr



Roedd y flwyddyn yr ymdrinnir â hi yn yr adroddiad hwn yn flwyddyn gyntaf llywodraeth newydd a oedd "yn benderfynol o lunio'r cysylltiadau cryfaf posibl gyda'r sector gwirfoddol".

Adlewyrchwyd yr awydd hwnnw trwy ddrafio cyfamod, neu gytundeb, a fydd yn llywio'r berthynas rhwng y llywodraeth a'r sector gwirfoddol - mae'r cyfamod i'w lansio yng nghynhadledd flynyddol CGGC fis Tachwedd, a thrwy sefydlu Florwm i'r Swyddfa Gymreig/y Sector Gwirfoddol lle trafodir materion o ddiddordeb a phryder i'r naill du a'r llall.

Fel i hadlewyrchir hefyd yng Nghymal 114 Deddf Llywodraeth Cymru sy'n rhwymor Cynulliad i hyrwyddo buddiannau mudiadau gwirfoddol ac mewn llu o ddogfennau ymgynghorol a pholisi o du'r llywodraeth sydd wedi cynnwys dymuniad i weithio gyda mudiadau gwirfoddol a chymunedau.

Y datblygiadau hyn fu congifaen gwaith CGGC yn ystod y flwyddyn hon, gan bennu'r fframwaith y bydd y sector gwirfoddol yn gweithio oddi mewn iddo yn y dyfodol.

Mae'r fframwaith hwn hefyd yn rhoi swyddogaethau newydd i awdurdodau lleol ac awdurdodau ieichyd i lunio cynlluniau gwella cymunedau ac ieichyd ac i gyflwyno gwasanaethau mewn partneriaeth a'r sector gwirfoddol.

Bydd newidiadau o'r fath yn creu cyfleoedd newydd i fudiadau gwirfoddol a gallent fygwth rhai trefniadau sy'n bodoli'n barod.

Bydd CGGC yn parhau i "warchod" buddiannau mudiadau gwirfoddol a gwirfoddolwyr, gan siarad ar goedol, lle bo angen, a chynnig syniadau ac awgrymiadau sy'n cyfuno annibyniaeth a phartneriaeth.

Bydd yn parhau â'r gwaith a'r cynlluniau a nodir yn yr adroddiad hwn er mwyn darparu'r arfau hanfodol sy'n sylfaen i gyfranogiad dinasyddion a gweithredu cymunedol ledled Cymru. Cyfranogi a gweithredu o'r fath, gyda hyfforddiant, gwybodaeth, ymchwil, cefnogaeth ac adnoddau uniongyrchol yn gefn iddynt, sydd wedi darparu'r arloesedd a'r ysbyrdolaeth yr adeiladwyd llawer o wasanaethau amnyt, ac fe'u derbynir bellach fel elfen hollbwysig mewn gwaith i adlywio cymunedau a chynnal cymunedau iach.

Yr her dros y flwyddyn nesaf fydd gallu troi'r polisiau a'r bwriadau newydd yn realiti ac adelladu partneriaeth gyda'r Cynulliad Cenedlaethol a fydd yn meithrin a hybu mudiadau gwirfoddol a chymunedol, yn ogystal â gwirfoddoli, ym mhob rhan o Gymru.

Graham Benfield

Llais y sector gwirfoddol

Eleni, mae'r sector wedi wynebu sawl her a chyfleoedd ynghanol naws sefydliadol a gwleidyddol newydd. Yn syth ar ôl eu hethol ym mis Mai 1997, trodd y Llywodraeth Lafur at y sector gwirfoddol gan ofyn iddo ymgymryd â rolau a chyfrifoldebau newydd i'w helpu i gyflwyno ei pholisiau. Hefyd, rhoddodd bwyslais ar feithrin ac atgyfnerthu perthynas rhwng y llywodraeth a'r sector gwirfoddol.

Y Cyfamod

Yn ein cynhadledd flynyddol, dywedodd yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol Ron Davies "Gadewch i mi bwysleisio bod y llywodraeth hon yn benderfynol o greu'r cysylltiadau cryfaf posib gyda'r sector gwirfoddol a'i gefnogi ym mhob ffordd bosib."

Un ffordd ymarferol o ddangos hyn oedd creu Cyfamod, rhywbeth y mae'r ddau barti yn ei ystyried yn gam mawr ymlaen. Yng Nghymru, gweithiodd Cyngor Gweithredu Gwirfoddol Cymru (CGGC) yn agos gyda'r Swyddfa Gymreig i ffurfio Cyd-florwrn ac ynddo gynrychiolwyr ar draws y sector ac uwch-weision sifil o'r Swyddfa Gymreig. Bu iddynt dreulio cryn dipyn o amser a defnyddio llawer o egni yn trin a thrafod yr holl ganllawiau manwl, pwysig a fydd yn sylfaen i'r Cyfamod.

Mae'r Cyfamod yn seiliedig ar egwyddorion allweddol - gwerthoedd cyfrannol y mae'r ddwy ochr yn cytuno amnyt, ac sy'n rheoli'r berthynas rhwng y llywodraeth a'r sector gwirfoddol yng Nghymru. Addawodd yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol y bydd "yn cael ei adeiladu ar onestrwydd, ymddiriedaeth a pharch cyd-rwng y naill a'r llall". Bydd yn ymrwymo'r Swyddfa Gymreig i:

- lunio polisiau clir ynghylch gwirfoddoli, datblygu cymunedau a mudiadau gwirfoddol, a mesurau i'w cefnogi;
- ymgynghori gyda'r sector ynghylch newidiadau mewn polisiau;
- amrywiaeth o fesurau i wella'r peirianwaith cylliad.

Bydd hefyd yn mynnu rhai pethau penodol gan grwpiau gwirfoddol a chymunedol, yn eu plith, lefel uchel a tebolrwydd - yn ariannol ac o safbwyt ein haelodau. Bydd y Cyfamod yn cael ei lansio yn ystod hydref 1998.

"Nid drwy'r blychau pleidleisiau yn unig y mae sicrhau democraeth i mi, mae'n ymddangos y gellir ystyried mudiadau gwirfoddol yn gyrrf gwirioneddol democraidd"

- Yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol, Ron Davies yng nghynhadledd flynyddol CGGC, 1997.



"gweledigaeth y sector gwirfoddol" Y Cynulliad

Yn ystod y llyweddyn, drwy seminarau a phapurau brifio, tynnodd CGGC sylw'r sector at y cyfleoedd a'r anawsterau posibl o weithio gyda'r Cynulliad Cenedlaethol. Cyflwynodd CGGC safbwyt y sector gwirfoddol yngylch strwythur a threftadaeth y Cynulliad gerbron y Grŵp Ymgynghori Cenedlaethol, gan bennu cynlluniau radical ar gyfer:

- Delio â pholisiau drwy raglen strategol;
- cynigion i flurfio partneriaethau gydag asiantaethau allanol a chymunedau lleol;
- perianwaith cryf i weithio gyda'r sector gwirfoddol.

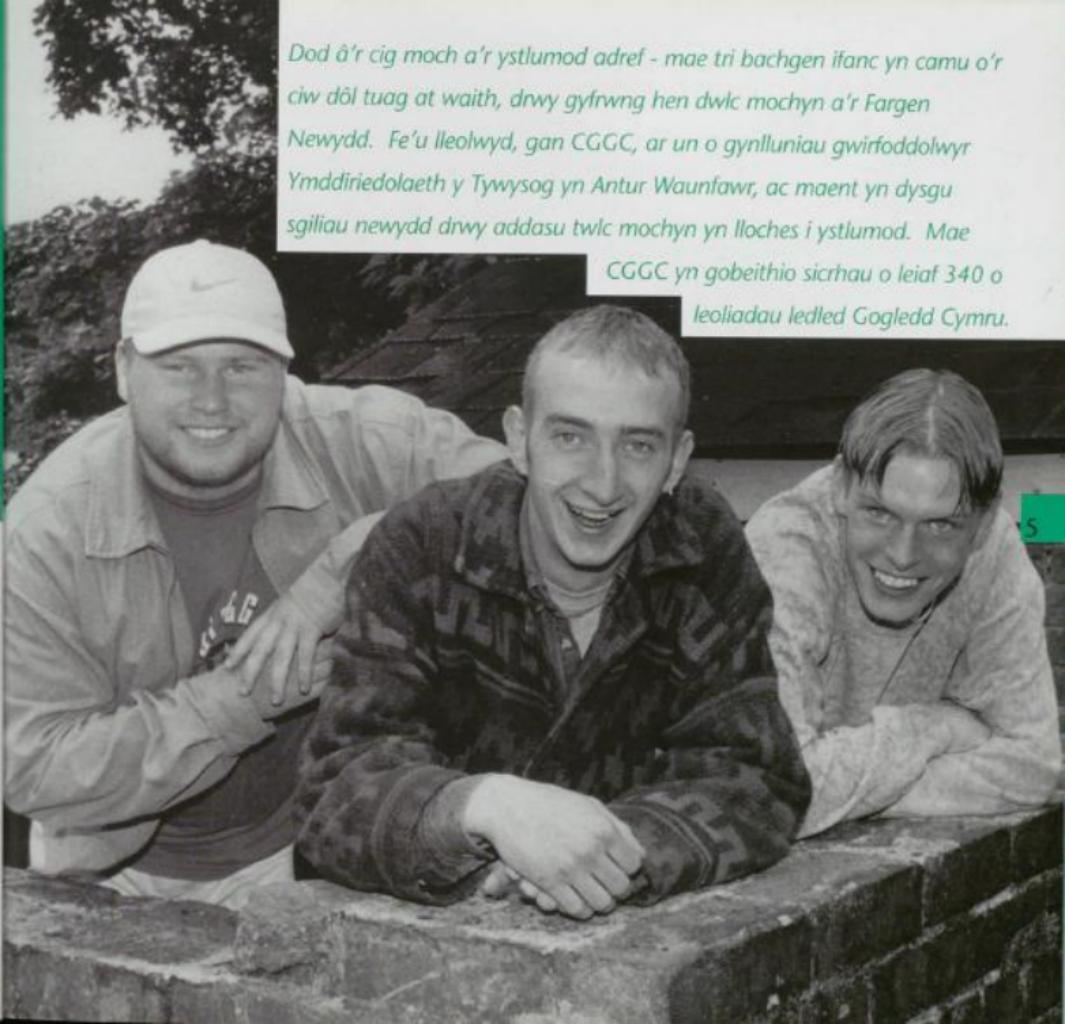
Wrth i'r cynlluniau ar gyfer y Cynulliad ddatblygu, sicrhaoedd CGGC gymal cwbl arloesol yn Nedd y Llywodraeth. Cymru yn mynnu bod y corff etholedig newydd yn flurfio cynllun i hyrwyddo buddiannau'r mudiadau gwirfoddol perthnasol, a phennu sut y bydd yn cynorthwyo ac yn ymgynghori â'r sector. Rhagdybir y bydd y Cynulliad yn adeiladu ar y Cyfarfod i ddatblygu cynllun y sector gwirfoddol.

"rôl amlwg"

Y Fargen Newydd

Mae CGGC wedi chwarae rôl amlwg i hyrwyddo buddiannau'r sector gwirfoddol yn un o bolisiau allweddol eraill y llywodraeth sef, y Fargen Newydd. Mae CGGC wedi:

- Cynrychioli buddiannau'r sector ar y tasglu ymgynghorol yng Nghymru;
- sicrhau rheolaeth, dros safbwyt y sector gwirfoddol, gan y sector ei hun mewn sawl rhan o Gymru;
- rhoi cyngor ac arweiniad arbenigol i fudiadau gwirfoddol a oedd yn ystyried a ddylent gyfranogi ac, os felly, sut y dylent wneud hynny;
- sefydlu consortiwm sector gwirfoddol yng Ngogledd Cymru i wneud bid am opsiwn y sector gwirfoddol ac i gyflwyno'r opsiwn hwnnw.

A black and white photograph of three young men outdoors. They are leaning against a rough, textured wall, possibly made of concrete or stone. The man on the left is wearing a light-colored baseball cap and a light-colored zip-up jacket over a dark turtleneck. The man in the center is wearing a dark, patterned long-sleeved shirt. The man on the right is wearing a light-colored zip-up jacket. All three are smiling at the camera.

Dod â'r cig moch a'r ystlumod adref - mae tri bachgen ifanc yn camu o'r ciw dŵl tuag at waith, drwy gyfrwng hen dwlc mochyn a'r Fargen Newydd. Fe'u lleolwyd, gan CGGC, ar un o gynlluniau gwirfoddolwyr Ymddiriedolaeth y Twysog yn Antur Waunfawr, ac maent yn dysgu sgliliau newydd drwy addasu twlc mochyn yn lloches i ystlumod. Mae

CGGC yn gobeithio sicrhau o leiaf 340 o leoliadau ledled Gogledd Cymru.

Paratowyd ymatebion,
briffau a chyfraniadau
eraill ar/ar gyfer:

Siarter y Dinesydd

Elusennau a Threthi

Yr Economi Cymdeithasol

Papur Gwyn y GIG

All-Iunio Ymddiriedolaethau'r GIG

Datblygu Polisi Trafniadaeth Integredig

Loteri'r Bobl

Gwirfoddolwyr y Mileniwm

Tasglu O Fudd-dâl i Waith

Mesur Llywodraeth Cymru

Y Grŵp Ymgynghori Cenedlaethol

Papur Gwydd Addysg i bawb

Iechyd Gwell, Cymru Gwell

Arolygiad y Gofrestr y Comisiwn Elusennau

Yr agenda polisi ehangach

Gan mai nhw yw llais y sector gwirfoddol yng Nghymru, mae CGGC yn lobio'r rheini sy'n gwneud penderfyniadau, yn cynnal ymgrychoedd penodol ac yn dylanwadu ar unrhyw bolisiau a ddatblygir, gan gyflwyno achos y sector mewn modd clir a chydlynol. Yn bennaf oll, mae CGGC yn gweithio gyda'r sector gwirfoddol, yn ymgynghori â'n haelodau a chyda rhwydweithiau eraill yn rheolaidd.

Yn ychwanegol at waith y Cyfamod a'r Cynulliad, mae CGGC wedi ymateb i brif elfennau polisiau'r llywodraeth newydd, o Gwirfoddolwyr y Mileniwm i O Fudd-dâl i Waith. Ym mhob achos, mae CGGC wedi dadlau dros:

- Cydnabod y cyfraniad y gall y sector gwirfoddol ei wneud;
- cyfranogi yng nghamau cynnar y gwaith o ddatblygu polisiau;
- cyfleoedd i greu partneriaethau i gyflwyno polisiau.

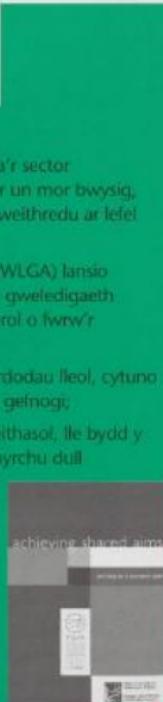
Cyflawni amcanion cyffredin

Mae'r Cyfamod yn ymwnaed â'r berthynas rhwng llywodraeth ganol a'r sector gwirfoddol. Ond mae'r berthynas rhwng y sector a llywodraeth leol yr un mor bwysig, gan fod y mwyafriol helaeth o fudiadau gwirfoddol yng Nghymru yn gweithredu ar lefel leol ac, yn aml, ar lefel y gymdogaeth.

Ddechrau 1998, bu i CGGC a Chymdeithas Llywodraeth Leol Cymru (WLGA) lansiо Cyflawni amcanion cyffredin: gweithio i agenda gyffredin, sy'n dynodi gweledigaeth gyfrannol y bartneriaeth rhwng y ddau sector, ynghyd â ffydd ymarferol o fwrs'r weledigaeth honno ymlaen. Mae'r rhain yn cyrraedd:

- ffurfio grŵp cyswilt y'r sector gwirfoddol yn holl ardaloedd yr awdurdodau lleol, cytuno ar ddatganiad strategol, sylfaen wybodaeth gyfrannol, a framwaith gefnogt;
- mabwysiadu rhaglen neu ddull gweithredu drwy bartneriaid cymdeithasol, lle bydd y gwahanol sectorau yn eistedd fel partneriaid cyfartal, er mwyn cynhyrchu dull gweithredu ar y cyd, gan ddyrramu adnoddau ar sail 'pwysy'n gwneud beth' go iawn;
- cydnabod bod arweinyddiaeth yn dibynnu ar bartneriaeth effeithiol, nid partneriaeth mewn enw, a fydd yn golygu y bydd pob aelod yn gallu cychu at yr adnoddau, y syliau a'r arbenigedd.

Mae Cyflawni amcanion cyffredin eisoes wedi taro deuddeg gyda nifer o awdurdodau lleol yng Nghymru sydd yn mabwysiadu strwythur cyswilt ffurfio gyda grwpiau cymunedol a gwirfoddol yn eu hardal.



Creu cymunedau

Mae mwyafrif helaeth y 23,000 grŵp gwirfoddol yng Nghymru, mae'r mwyafrif helaeth ohonynt yn grwpiau bychain, lleol a drefnir yn gyfan gwbl drwy ymdrechion gwirfoddol ac sydd â'u gweiddiau'n gadarn yn eu cymunedau. Mae CGGC yn dal yn ymrwymedig i sicrhau cynrychiolaeth a chefnogaeth i fentrau cymunedol...

Cefnogi gwaith gwirfoddol

Mae gwaith gwirfoddol yn dal i ffynnu yng Nghymru. Dengys yr arolwg diweddaraf yn ymddygiad o 2011 yng Nghymru ymae'r gwaith gwirfoddol, bod bron hanner y boblogaeth o oedolion wedi gwirfoddoli yn ystod y llynedd - bron 1 miliwn o bobl, sy'n treulio, ar gyftaedd, bedair awr yr wythnos yn gwneud hynny. Mae CGGC wedi cefnogi hyn drwy:

- Ariannu 8 swyddfa gwirfoddoli newydd a chefnogi'r rhwydwaith o 30 swyddfa gwirfoddoli;
- cynhyrchu fideo gyda Chyngor Ieuencid Cymru, Dewch o'na - Gnewch Wahaniaeth, i annog pobl ifanc i wyrffodoli;
- cyhoeddi pamffled ar reciwrto gwirfoddolwyr Cymraeg eu hiaith a chyfrannu at adroddiadau ar bobl hŷn yn gwirfoddoli a gwirfoddolwyr sy'n cefnogi cynhalwyr;
- darparu rhaglen hyfforddi achredig ar gyfer trefnwy'r gwirfoddolwyr;
- datblygu polisi engrheifftiol ar gyfer gwirfoddolwyr sy'n gweithio o fewn y GIG;
- gweithio gyda'r WLGA i ddatblygu polisi ar gyfer gwirfoddoli o fewn awdurdodau lleol;
- datblygu strategaeth newydd ar gyfer gwirfoddoli o fewn y Cyfamod rhwng y llywodraeth a'r sector gwirfoddol;
- cyfrannu at gynllunio rhaglen Gwirfoddolwyr y Mileniwm;
- gwellâ'r berthynas waith rhwng y sector preifat a'r sector cyhoeddus drwy'r Bartneriaeth Wyrffodol.

“pwylgor gwaith
i gefnogi”



AGE CON

Mae gwirfoddolwyr hŷn wrthi hefyd! Nona Pare, treftadaeth gwirfoddolwyr, yn y canol, gyda'r gwirfoddolwyr Nina Hobbs a Betty Wyatt yn y siop iechyd i bobl hŷn, yn y Barri. Dywed adroddiad y Trydydd Oed ar gwirfoddolwyr hŷn bod cynnwys rhagor o bobl hŷn yn y maes gwirfoddoli yn cynnig llawer o botensial, a phan maent yn cyfrannu daw, yn eu sgi, oes o brofiad.

Mae Prosiect Cyfryngau Gwirfoddoli CGGC wedi dal i chwifio'r faner gwirfoddoli mewn arenas lleol a chenedlaethol. Mae'r prosiectau Impact yng Nghaerfyddin a Merthyr Tudful wedi bod yn brysyr gydag amrediad o weithgareddau o ymgrychoedd posteri, datganiadau i'r wasg a dyddiau Cwrrd a'r Cyfryngau, i sesiynau hyfforddi ar sut i gynhyrchu cylchlythron i wifoddolwyr a delio â chyflwelliadau ar y teledu neu'r radio.

Cyswllt Cyfryngau Cymru yw gwedd genedlaethol y prosiect - sef rhwydwaith Cymru-gyfan o swyddogion i'r wasg ar gyfer y sector gwirfoddol sydd wedi ymrwymo i hoelio materion gwirfoddoli at sylw pobl broffesiynol y cyfryngau yn barhaus. Cyswllt y Cyfryngau '97 oedd ei ddigwyddiad cenedlaethol cyntaf, dan ofal y BBC yng Nghaerdydd. Daeth nifer sylwedol o ddarlleddwyr a grwpiau gwirfoddolwyr yno am ddiwrmod o ddadlau a dialog cynhyrchiol.

*Gwelwyd gemic
cyhoeddusrwydd
anghyffredin yn ystod*

Wythnos

*Gwirfoddolwyr:
trefnodd prosiectau*

Impact Caerfyddin a Merthyr i'r papurau lleol dynnu lluniau'r babanod cyntaf a aned yn ystod yr Wythnos wedi eu gwisgo mewn crysau-t a orgraffwyd yn arbennig gyda'r geiriau Born to Volunteer. Cysgodd Aaron Bell, baban o Gefn Coed, yn drwm drwy'r holl tir!



"Roedd Cyswllt y Cyfryngau '97 yn dynodi dechrau perthynas newydd rhwng mudiadau gwirfoddol a llawer o'n cynhyrchwyr rhagleni" - Geraint Talfan Davies, Rheolwr, BBC Cymru

Adeiladau bro - canolbwytio ar weithredu

Mae neuaddau bro yn gaffaeliad lleol hanfodol - fel man cyfarfod a lleoliad ar gyfer grwpiau lleol o glybiau bechgyn, geidiau a grwpiau mam a'i phlentyn i gyfarfod ydd Merched y Wawr, dosbarthiadau arlunio a ioga. Amcangyfrifir bod yna 1,000 o neuaddau bro yng Nghymru, ac mae ar lawer ohonynt angen cymorth - o ddod o hyd i arian i drwsio to sy'n gollwng i ddysgu am ffurdd o sicrhau bod y gymuned gyfan yn cymryd rhan mewn gweithgareddau lleol.

Estyn

Mae gwasanaeth cyngori newydd CGCC ar adeiladau bro wedi bod yn gweithredu ers blwyddyn ac mae lefel y galw yn cadarnhau bod yna angen am wasanaeth o'r fath. Eleni mae Estyn wedi:

- Ymateb i dros 200 o ymholaiedau;
- cynnal 35 o gyfarfod ydy chyrff lleol, gan gynnwys y Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol, prosiectau LEADER a sefydladau arbenigol i feithrin dealltwriaeth am y gwasanaeth;
- flurio partneriaethau gweithredol gyda dros 80 y cant o'r Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol sy'n cynnig cyngor a gwybodaeth yn lleol drwy Estyn;
- cynhyrchu cylchlythyr bob deufis ar gyfer 1,000 a mwy o adeiladau bro ym mhob cwr o Gymru a thafenni gwybodaeth newydd;
- cynnal y fforwm cenedlaethol cyntaf ar adeiladau bro;
- cynrychioli safbwyt adeiladau bro yng Nghymru mewn ymarferion ymgynghori, er enghraift, gyda'r Cymdeithas Hawliau Perfformio.

Cynnal - neuaddau bro i'r Milflwydd yng Nghymru

Dim ond unwaith mewn mil o flynyddoedd y daw cyfle o'r fath. Manteisiodd CGGC yn llwyr ar y cyfle hwn ac, yn ystod haf 1997, agorwyd Cynnal - Neuaddau bro i'r Milflwydd yng Nghymru. Bydd y cyllun uchelgeisiol hwn, dan nawdd Comisiwn y Mileniwm a'r Swyddfa Gymreig, yn buddsoddi £10m i helpu cymunedau i foderneiddio neu adeiladu o leiaf 50 o neuaddau bro ledled Cymru.

Ym mis Mawrth 1998, cyhoeddwyd grantiau cyntaf Cynnal; byddir yn gwario £3 miliwn a mwy ar 13 o neuaddau, y buddsoddiad mwyaf erioed ar gyfer adeiladau bro yng Nghymru. O'r rhain, roedd 6 yn neuaddau cwbl newydd, roedd 5 yn estyniadau a 2 yn waith adnewyddu sylweddol. Roedd yn rhaid i'r holl ymgeiswyr ddangos bod y neuaddau dan reolaeth y gymuned, yn sicrhau mynediad i bawb, ac yn bodloni safonau cynllunio uchel.

Yn ystod y flwyddyn bu cynlluniau Cynnal ac Estyn yn cydweithio ar gyhoeddïad newydd pwysig ar gyfer neuaddau bro, Cynllunio, dylunio ac adeiladu, cyhoeddïad sy'n twys pwyllogorau neuaddau bro drwy'r camau o ddylunio ac adeiladu neuadd newydd. Bydd yr arweiniad 90 tudalen hwn, a gyhoeddwyd gyda chymorth Comisiwn y Mileniwm, yn cael ei lansio yn ddiweddarach ym 1998.

Un o weinidogion y Llywodraeth, Peter

Mandelson, yn bwrw golwg ar gynlluniau ar gyfer neuadd fro newydd ym Mro Clydach yn

Sir Fynwy. Daeth

*cymariaethau rhwng yr
adeilad hwn a Dôm
dadleual y Mileniwm i'r
amlwg wrth archwilio'r
safle a'r model.*

Dywedodd Peter

*Mandelson bod
neuadd Clydach "yn
dangos parch tuag at
y gorffennol a hyder ar
gyfer y dyfodol. Mae
eich cymuned yn llawn
uchelgais ac ysbyrd
cymunedol."*



*Yn wên o glust i
glust! Cynrychiolwyr
neuaddau bro yn
dangos eu bod wrth
eu bodd ar ôl
clywed iddynt
sicrhau grant gan
Cynnal.*



Ymddiriedolaeth Gwarchod Capeli Cymru

Tua diwedd 1997, hysbyswyd CGGC bod Cadw wedi cymeradwyo cynigion i ffurio Ymddiriedolaeth Gwarchod Capeli Cymru. Bydd CGGC yn gweithio dros gyfnod o ddwy flynedd i baratoi seiliau cyfansoddiadol ac ariannol y sefydliad newydd. Awgryma rhagolygon o'r nifer o gapelli sy'n debygol o fod yn segud yn y dyfodol y bydd yr ymddiriedolaeth yn siwr o gyflawni ei ddau nod yn fuan:

- Cynnal capeli pwysig - y rheini sydd o ddiddordeb pensaeriol, sydd â chysylltiadau hanesyddol neu sy'n enghreifftiau arwyddocaol o adeiladau syml y traddodiad anghydffurfio;
- darparu gwybodaeth a chyngor ynghylch gwarchod adeiladau, cynllunio a materion cysylltiedig.

Gweithio gydag Ewrop

Bu'r sector gwirfoddol yng Nghymru yn dal i chwarae rhan bwysig mewn rhaglenni adfywio a noddir drwy gronfeydd Ewropeaidd. Cydnabuwyd ei rôl allweddol yn groyw ym mis Gorffennaf 1997 pan gyhoeddodd y Comisiynydd ei adroddiad Hybu rôl sefydladau a mudiadau gwirfoddol yn Ewrop.

Mae CGGC wedi parhau i sicrhau'r cyfraniad mwyaful posib gan y sector drwy:

- Cynrychioli'r sector ar weithgorau a phwyllgorau Ewropeaidd allweddol;
- cyfrannu tuag at y gwaith o gynllunio rhaglenni newydd;
- ymgynchu i liniaru rhwystrau ac arafwch biwrocrataidd;
- cynorthwyo grwpiau gwirfoddol i gyrchu at y rhaglenni drwy ymateb i 820 o ymholaadau, cynnal 140 o gymorthfeydd a 18 o ddigwyddiadau hyfforddi.

O ganlyniad:

- Llywdododd grwpiau gwirfoddol i sicrhau dros £8.5 miliwn o grantiau yn y Gymru wledig a de Cymru ddiwydiannol.
- Sicrhawyd £900,000 i alluogi CGGC i gynnal cynllun grantiau bychain ar gyfer grwpiau gwirfoddol yn ardal de Cymru, ac mi baratowyd cynlluniau tebyg ar gyfer ardaloedd gwledig.
- Yn awr, gellir rhoi gwerth ar amser gwirfoddolwyr a'i ddefnyddio fel cyllid cyfatebol ar gyfer grantiau o Ewrop.

Hefyd, cynhaliwyd prosiect ymchwil gan CGGC i ganfod yr angen am ddatblygu potentiau ymhlied grwpiau gwirfoddol yng Nghymru ac i argymhell blaenoriaethau ar gyfer dyranu'r cyllid sydd ar gael dan flaenorlaeth 4 y rhaglen Amcan 3. Hefyd, mae CGGC wedi chwarae rôl weithredol yn cynrychioli safbwytiau'r sector ynghylch newidiadau arfaethedig y Comisiwn Ewropeaidd i'r cronfeydd strwythurol ar ôl y flwyddyn 2000.

Parhau wnaeth ein gwaith o ddatblygu'r sector gwirfoddol yn Belarus ac i sicrhau cyfeleodd fel y gall grwpiau eraill yng Nghymru wneud yr un fath.



Cyhoeddwyd llawlyfr ymarferol newydd, Arfarnu prosiectau cymunedol ar gyfer cyllid Ewropeaidd ac fe'i lansiwyd yn ystod Uwch-gynhadledd Ewrop 98.

*Swyddog Ewropeaidd
Sue Spurrier yn dod i
'nabod yr arian lleol ...*



Teresa Metcalf, Gerry Allin a Joanne McNally y tu allan i Gaer Las yn Abertawe, sef canolfan adnoddau gymunedol newydd a brynydd gyda chymorth grant gan yr Undeb Ewropeaidd. Talodd yr grant o £320,000, gan Gronfa Datblygu Rhanbarthau Ewrop, am brynu ac adnewyddu'r adeilad a bydd yn cynnig gweithgareddau magu hyder, mentrau cymunedol a gweithdai i bobl sy'n agored i niwed.

"Bu cymorthfeydd hyfforddi a chynghori CGGC yn ardderchog gan iddynt osod y sylfeini ar gyfer cais llwyddiannus. Helpodd y tim Ewropeaidd hefyd drwy roi cyngor a gwylbodaeth dros y ffôn tra roedd y cais yn cael ei brosesu - bu hyn yn help mawr," meddai Gerry Allin.



Atgyfnerthu gwasanaethau cefnogi lleol

Un o gryfderau seilwaith y sector gwirfoddol yng Nghymru yw'r bartneriaeth strategol rhwng CGGC a'r cynghorau gwirfoddol sirol. Golyga'r berthynas gyflenwol hon y cefnogir y sector gwirfoddol, i bob pwrras, ar lefel cenedlaethol, rhanbarthol a lleol.

Dyma'r flwyddyn lawn gyntaf i CGGC fod yn gyfrifol am gynllun y gwasanaethau gwirfoddol lleol (LVS) sy'n cynnig cyllid craidd i'r cynghorau gwirfoddol sirol yng Nghymru. Ymestynnwyd y rhwydwaith o 18 corff lleol eleni pan ddyfarnodd pwylgor yr LVS grant i sefydlu Cyngor Gwirfoddol Sirol newydd yn Nhorfaen, sef Cynghrair Gwirfoddol Torfaen.

Pwysleisiodd safonau sylfaenol y cynllun LVS bod yn rhaid i'r Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol ddatblygu aelodaeth eang a'r rheini wedi eu denu o bob agwedd o weithgareddau gwirfoddol, gan gynrychioli a chefnogi yr amrywiaeth mawr o fuddiannau o fewn y sector gwirfoddol lleol. Yn ystod y flwyddyn:

- Cynyddodd aelodaeth gyfun y Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol i bron i 3000 o grwpiau;
 - sefydlwyd trefniadau cydweithio ffurfiol mewn 7 ardal awdurdodol lleol;
 - canlyniad dros 5,000 o sesiynau cymorth ariannol oedd £5.7m o nawdd i grwpiau lleol.
- Parhau y mae'r cydweithrediad ymarferol rhwng CGGC a'r Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol ac, yn ei sgil, llwyddwyd i:
- ffurfio rhwydweithiau TG, rhannu croneydd data a thaflenni gwybodaeth a oedd yn berthnasol i grwpiau lleol;
 - cyflwyno cyrsiau hyfforddi lleol;
 - cynnal digwyddiadau brifio ar gyfer Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol gyda chyriff dosbarthu bwrdd y loteri ac ynghylch cyllid o Ewrop;
 - cymorthfeydd cyngori ar gyfer Cynghorau Gwirfoddol Sirol gyda'r Comisiwn Elusennau.

Darparu adnoddau

Y Cynllun grantiau bychain

Mae cynllun grantiau bychain CGGC yn dal i ddangos bod ychydig yn gweud gwahaniaeth. Gall cyflwyno grantiau bychain (o dan £500) gyda chyn lleied o flwydian a phosib roi hwb gwirioneddol i hyder a gweithrediau unrhyw grŵp lleol. Eleni, cyflwynwyd dros 50 o grantiau: aeth y lleiaf, £50, i Glynv Pêl-droed Allstars Glyncoed i brynu cyfarpar chwaraeon i blant ifanc, ac aeth y mwyaf, £500, i Gwmni Gwarchod Rheilffordd Bro Morgannwg i gyfrannu tuaig at y gost o addasu car bwriad ar gyfer pobl anabl.

Mae Allstars
Glyncoed ar
flaenau'u traed!



Y Cynllun Gwirfoddoli yng Nghymru

Mae tros 3,500 o gwirfoddolwyr wedi elwa yn sgil dyfamu 67 o grantiau ar gyfer menterau gwirfoddoli lleol. Mae'r rhain yn cynnwys, er enghraifft, grant o £21,500 i Flerm Dinas Caerdydd i dalu cyflog i gydlynnyd gwirfoddolwyr. Dyfarmwyd dros £600,000 eleni.



Un prosiect o blith rhai o'r fath yw'r cynllun

Dyfodol Disglair, a leolir yn Wrecsam. Cynigia gyfleoedd a chefnogaeth i'r rheini sy'n defnyddio gwasanaethau iechyd meddwl, gan gynnwys canolfannau galw-draw, gwybodaeth a hyfforddiant. Gyda'r grant gall Dyfodol Disglair ymestyn ei weithgareddau i ardaloedd gwledig y sir. Meddai Maureen Langford, cydlynnyd y prosiect: "Rydym ni hefyd wedi llwyddo i godi rhagor o arian drwy adeiladu ar gryfder grant CGGC."

Y Cynllun grantiau iechyd meddwl lleol

Mae CGGC wedi ymgynghori'n helaeth yngylch y cynllun newydd hwn ac wedi gwahodd ceisiadau yn ystod ei llwyddyn gyntal a walith. Cymaint yw'r galw am grantiau fel bod CGGC wedi cyflwyno cais llwyddiannus i'r Swyddfa Gymreig i gynyddu'r cyllid sydd ar gael - cynydd o bron 10 y cant o £1.42m i £1.55m.

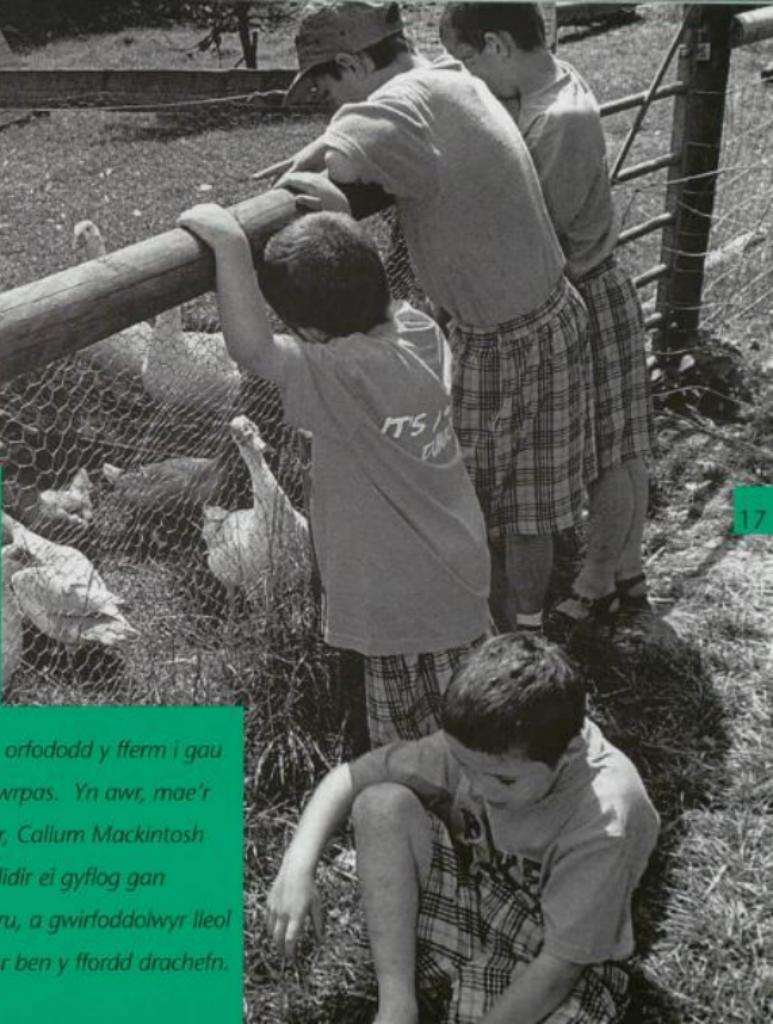
Golyga hyn fod CGGC, yn ei rawnwgyntol o geisiadau, wedi gallu anarannu'r cyfan o'r 32 mudiadau a ddiberbyniodd grant dan cynllun y Swyddfa Gymreig gynt, yn ogystal â'r Gwasanaeth Datblygu Iechyd Meddwl Cymru. Yn anwyddocaol, llwyddodd y cynllun newydd, hefyd, i gyllido saith cynllun newydd ledled Cymru, yng Nghaerffili, Wrecsam, Sir y Flint, Sir Ddinbych, Sir Benfro a Cheredigion.

Cynllun grantiau datblygu potensial cymunedau de Cymru

Mae'r cynllun hwn, a sefydlwyd gydag arian gan Gronfa Datblygu Rhanbarthau Ewrop, yn cefnogi gweithgareddau sydd dan arweiniad y gymuned yn ne Cymru ddiwydiannol. Mae grantiau o hyd at £10,000 ar gael, ar gyfer amrywiaeth o weithgareddau, gan gynnwys costau sefydlu mudiadau newydd, arolygon cymunedol, darparu neu adnewyddu adeiladau neu gyfleusterau cymunedol bychain, neu gostau cyflogi gweithwyr.



Ar y buarth ... Ers sawl
bwwyddyn, mae Fferm
Dinas Caerdydd wedi
brwydro yn erbyn
fandaliaeth, lladrata
anifeiliaid ac, yn olaf,
achos o losgi bwriadol a orfododd y fferm i gau
am rai misoedd, i bob pwrrpas. Yn awr, mae'r
cydlynnydd gwirfoddolwyr, Callum Mackintosh
(y llun ar y chwith) y cyllidir ei gyflog gan
Gwirfoddoli yng Nghymru, a gwirfoddolwyr lleol
wedi helpu i roi'r fferm ar ben y ffordd drachefn.



Mynd i'r afael â thlodi

Sefydlydwyd prosiect gwirth-dlodi CGGC i gefnogi cyfraniad grwpiau gwirfoddol a chymunedol mewn strategaethau gwirth-dlodi.

Gwnaed hyn drwy roi hyfforddiant mewn sgiliau gwaith cymunedol i arweinyddion a phobl weithgar leol a thrwy hyrwyddo cydweithrediad rhwng awdurdodau lleol a mudiadau cymunedol.

Dair blynedd yn ddiweddarach, mae'r prosiect wedi llwyddo i gynyddu profil cynlluniau cymunedol ym maes gwaith altudiaeth gymdeithasol a gwirth-dlodi ym mhobliau'r llywodraeth ar bob lefel. Mae wedi creu fframwaith o gefnogaeth i helpu cynlluniau cymunedol i gael y sgiliau a'r arbenigedd sydd eu hangen amnyt; ac mae hefyd wedi sicrhau adnoddau annibynnol i helpu grwpiau cymunedol i ddatblygu eu potensial i weithio gyda chyrrif statudol.

"annog cydweithrediad"

"campau allweddol"

Dyma rai o gyflawniadau allweddol y prosiect:

- Helpu i sicrhau dros £4.7 miliwn o Ewrop fel cyllid datblygu potensial i grwpiau cymunedol sy'n gweithio gyda phobl o sectorau o'r gymdeithasol sy'n wynebu altudiaeth gymdeithasol neu economaidd;
- sefydlu'r Grŵp Economi Gymdeithasol, grŵp a ddylanwadodd ar bolisi economaidd y Swyddfa Gymreig i gynnwys gweithgareddau adfywiw dan arweiniad y gymuned;
- sefydlu partneriaethau lleol i gynnal hyfforddiant gwaith cymunedol mewn gwahanol ranau o Gymru;
- dosbarthu pecynnau brifio gwirth-dlodi chwarterol i dros 300 o gysylltiadau lleol;
- cyhoeddi nifer o arweiniadau a llawlyfrau ymarferol -
 - Adelodu cymunedau - datblygiadau dan arweiniad y gymuned
 - Adelodu cymunedau - llawlyr i grwpiau cymunedol
 - Adelodu cymunedau - arweiniad i llywodraeth leol ar weithio gyda chynlluniau dan arweiniad y gymuned
 - Arweiniad bras i safonau gwaith cymunedol (mewn cydweithrediad â Chyngor Gwirfoddol Sirol Abertawe)
 - Arfamu prosiectau cymunedol ar gyfer cyllid Ewropeaidd
- cymhgori'r Swyddfa Gymreig yngylch datblygu a gweithredu ei Rhaglen Altudiaeth Gymdeithasol.



Cefnogi cymunedau gwledig

Fel y mae'r argyfwng yng nghefn gwlad wedi saethu i fyny'r agenda wleidyddol, bu CCGC yn gweithio i sicrhau bod grwpiau gwirfoddol mewn ardal oedd gwledig yn cael y gefnogaeth a'r gynchiolaeth briodol drwy:

- Gynchiola'i'r sector ar lefel strategol, gan gynnwys Partneriaeth Canolbarth Cymru a rhwydwaith LEADER Cymru;
- dwyn gwahanol rwydweithiau ynghyd er mwyn hyrwyddo dull integredig o weithredu;
- sicrhau cyllid ar gyfer swydd ymgymghorydd cyllid ar gyfer ardal Amcan 5b y Gymru gwledig, i helpu grwpiau gwledig i gael gafael ar gymorth grant o Ewrop.

Jigso

Mae Jigso yn hybu'r gymuned i gyfranogi yn y broses o wneud penderfyniadau'n lleol yn y Gymru gwledig (5b). Yn ystod y llwyddyn trosglwyddwyd yr awenau dros reoli Jigso i CCGC ac agorwyd swyddfa yn Aberystwyth. Ymhilith y cyflawniadau allweddol yn ystod y llwyddyn gyntaf y mae:

- Paratoi llawlyfr ynghylch dulliau cyfranogi ymhilith cymunedau, Where do we go from here?

Dechrau'n ifanc!

- cyflwyno 10 sesiwn hyfforddi;
- rhoi cymorth i 30 cymuned drwy gymorth grant, cyngor neu hyfforddiant;
- cynhyrchu fersiwn newydd o feddalwedd arolygon cymunedol Jigso.

Cynllunio ar gyfer pobl,

gweithgaredd Jigso



Gwelodd Jigso lif o gymunedau â diddordeb yn dymuno dathlu'r Mileniwm mewn stell ac am wybod sut i sicrhau cyfraniad pobl leol yn y broses honno. Gydag ymhwymiad a chefnogaeth, bydd cymunedau gwledig nid yn unig yn tanio tân gwylt ar Ragfyr 31 1999, byddant hefyd yn tanio ymdeimlad iach a chryf o berthyn ar gyfer y mil o flynyddoedd nesaf.



*Gwennan Davies,
WCVA's Rural Officer*



*Arglywyd Ellis Thomas,
Bwrdd yr Iaith Gymraeg,
a Marc Phillips,
ymddiredolawr CGGC, yn
dal dystysgrif cymruadwyo
CGGC*

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*Drew Reith (ar y dde), cadeirydd pwylgor Corff Hyfforddi
Cenedlaethol y Sector Gwirfoddol yng Nghymru, yn derbyn
dystysgrif gan Kim Howells, y gweinidog yn yr Adran Addysg
a Chyflogaeth, bryd hynny, ynghyd â chynrychiolwyr o Loegr
a'r Alban.*

Un genedl, dwy iaith

Eleni mae'r prosiect iaith Gymraeg wedi:

- Cyhoeddi dogfen ar y cyd â Bwrdd yr Iaith Gymraeg, Gwirfoddoli dros yr iaith, a lansiwyd yn yr Eisteddfod Genedlaethol;
- cynnal nifer o seminarau ymarferol ar baratoi cynlluniau iaith Gymraeg;
- cynhyrchu arweiniad i reciwtio gwirfoddolwyr Cymraeg eu hiaith;
- cynnal seminar yn Nhifl'r Arglwyddi i gynyddu ymwybyddiaeth ymhilith mudiadau gwirfoddol y DG sy'n gweithredu yng Nghymru, ynghyrch gofynion a manteision polisiau dwyieithog;
- cydweithredu gyda Bwrdd yr Iaith Gymraeg i gynhyrchu pecyn hyfforddi ar reolaeth mewn amgylchedd dwyieithog, Dwy iaith ar waith.

Hyfforddi a datblygu

Roedd clywed bod CGGC, ynghyd â'n chwaer sefydliadau yn yr Alban a Lloegr, wedi ei gydnabod yn gorff hyfforddi cenedlaethol yn newyddion da i'r sector. Mae Corff Hyfforddi Cenedlaethol yn galluogi cyflogwyr sydd â diddordebau cyffredin i arwain y broses o ddatblygu'r sgiliau sydd eu hangen ar y gweithlu - gan gynnwys cyflogwyr, staff a gwirfoddolwyr. Dyma'r tro cyntaf i'r sector gwirfoddol gael ei gorff ei hun i fod yn gyfrifol

am hyfforddi a datblygu. Un o'r darnau cyntaf o waith a wnaeth Corff Hyfforddi Cenedlaethol y sector gwirfoddol yng Nghymru oedd creu cronfa ddata o hyfforddwyr ac ymgynghorwyr sy'n gweithio o fewn y sector, cronfa y gall grwpiau gwirfoddol gael gafael arni yn rhad ac am ddim.

Mae CGGC hefyd wedi cyflwyno:

- Rhaglen gyhoedddegig o 15 cws, gyda thros 90 y cant ohonynt wedi eu barnu yn dda iawn neu'n ardderchog;
- cyrsiau newydd ynghylch ymgeisio i ymddiriedolaethau elusennol, cymnroddion a'r Rhyngrywyd - roedd y galw am y rhain yn llawer mwya nag a oedd ar gael a chânt eu cynnig am yr eildor y flwyddyn nesaf;
- 40 diwrnod o hyfforddiant i'r staff;
- rhaglen hyfforddi achredig i drefnwy'r gwirfoddolwyr;
- cynadleddau ar gydnabod gwirfoddolwyr, materion ansawdd ac addysg am oes.

Rhoi cyngor a gwybodaeth

Yn ystod 1997 - 98 ymatebodd CGGC i dros 7,000 o ymholiadau am amrediad eang iawn o bynciau. Mae'r rhain yn cymwys cyllid cyfredinol (28 y cant), gwirfoddoli (15 y cant) a materion cyfansoddiadol (2.5 y cant).

Mae llawer o'r ymholiadau yn ymwned ag enwau a chyfeiriadau. Eleni, CGGC wedi sefydlu cronfa ddata

"cysylltiadau"

Cymru-gyfan o fudiadau gwirfoddol, i helpu i ymateb yn gyffym ac yn gywir i'r ymholiadau hyn.

Gellir darpanu allbrintiau o restrau o grwpiau, yn ol ardal neu bwnc.

Erbyn diwedd y flwyddyn roedd 14,000 o gofnodion wedi eu cynnwys, ac roedd 4 y cant o'r rhain yn rhoi Cymru-gyfan, 6 y cant yn rhoi rhanbarthol a 90 y cant yn rhoi lleol.

Roedd y cwestiynau a'r ymholiadau eraill am gymorth yn fwy cymhleth, ac yn gofyn am gefnogaeth tymor hir, ymchwilio neu archwilio. Ceir rhoi engrheifftiau o'r sefydliadau a gynorthwywyd, a'r amrediad o gymorth a rodwyd isod:

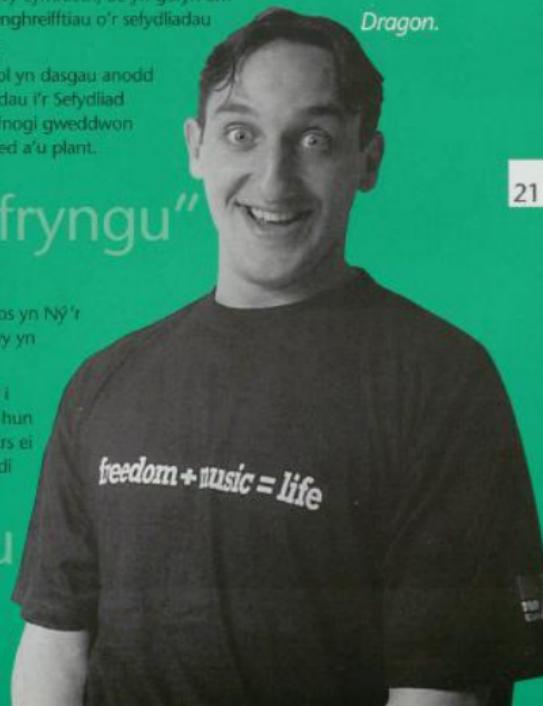
- Mae llunio cyfansoddiad ac ymgreisio am statws elusennol yn dasgau anodd lawn. Eleni, rhoddodd CGGC gymorth gyda chytansoddiadau i'r Sefydliad WAY, ymhlieth eraill, sy'n fudiad gwirfoddol newydd sy'n cefnogi gweddwon dan 50 oed a'u plant.

"cyngor cyfreithiol"

• Cyuniödd CGGC i fod yn ganolwr mewn dadl ynglychyl dyfodol Nant Gwrtbeym y Ganolfan Iaith. Sicrhawyd consensws ar gyfer ail-strwythuro ac ailffurflcio'r sefydliad.

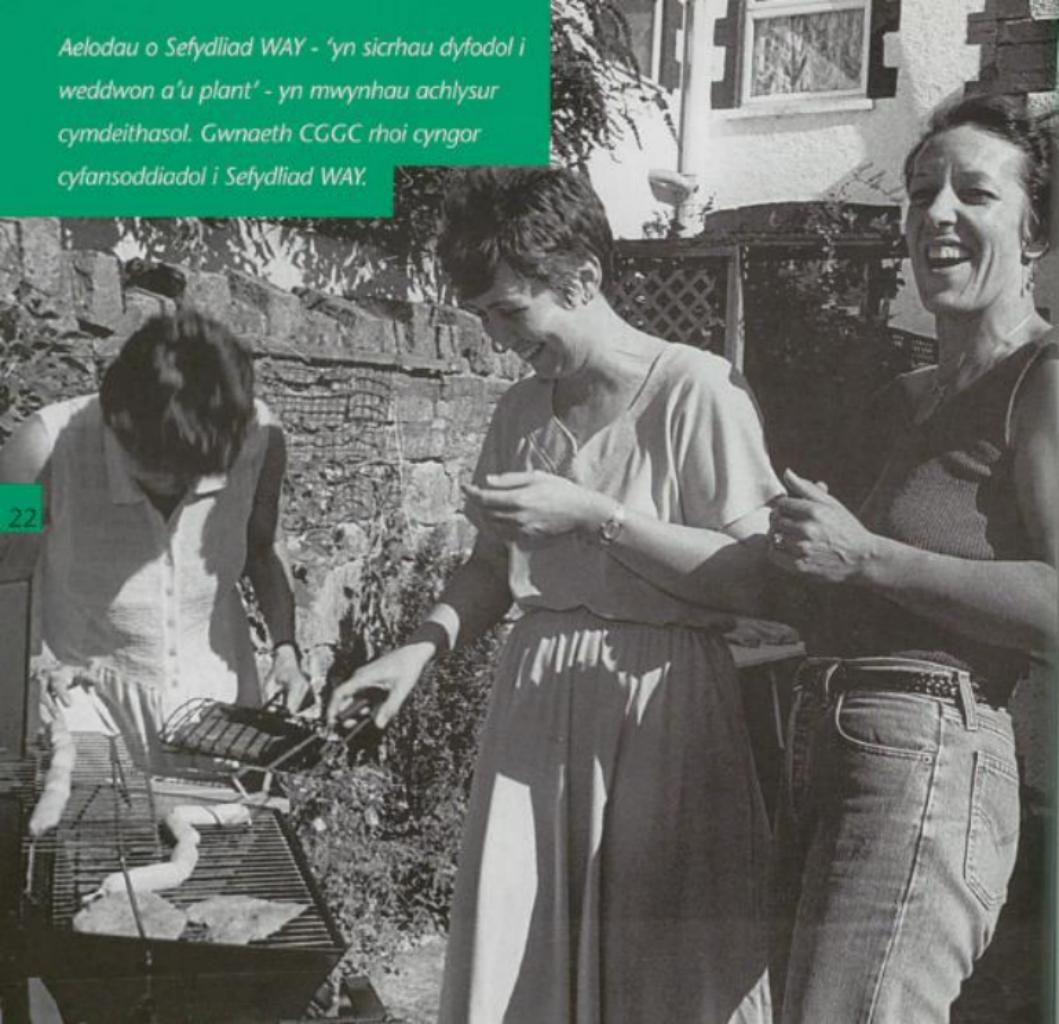
• Gofynnodd yr RSPB i CGGC eu helpu i gyflwyno'u hachos yn Ny'r Argwyddi ynglychyl gwella'r cynllun datblygu cynaliadwy yn Neddf Uywodraeth Cymru.

• Gofynnodd Radio Red Dragon sy'n darledu o Gaerdydd i CGGC ei helpu i sefydlu ei ymddiriedolaeth elusennol ei hun i godi arian i blant yn yr ardal y mae'n darledu yn ynddi. Ers ei lansiö ym mis Mai 1997 mae'r ymddiriedolaeth wedi codi dros £75,000.



"ymddiriedolaethau elusennol"

Aelodau o Sefydliad WAY - 'yn sicrhau dyfodol i weddwon a'u plant' - yn mwynhau achlysur cymdeithasol. Gwnaeth CGGC rhoi cyngor cyfansoddiadol i Sefydliad WAY.



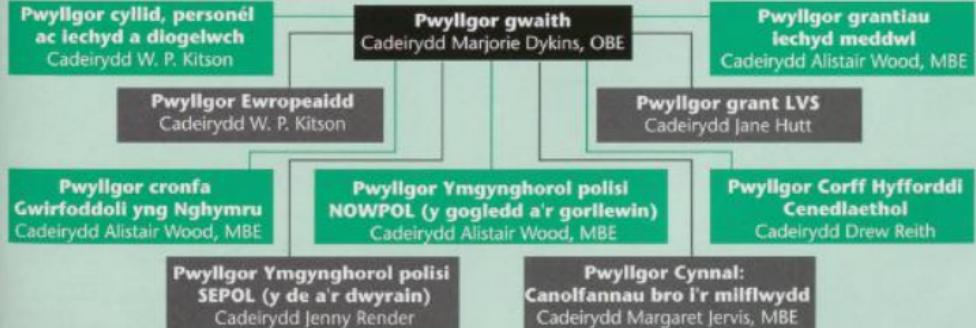
Aelodau y pwylgor gwaith

Llywydd	larl of Lisburne (tan Tachwedd 1998)	Cefnogir y pwylgor gwaith gan dim rheoli a 50 o staff yn gweithio o 4 swyddfa yng Nghymru
Trysorydd anrhydeddus	Mr. W. P. Kitson	
Cadeirydd	Mrs. Marjorie Dykins, OBE	
Dirprwy gadeirydd	Ms Jane Hutt	
Mr. Mohammed	Ms S. Meryl Evans	Mr John Puzeys
Akteruzzaman	Mr Jazz Iheanacho	Mr Drew Reith
Mr. Phil Barratt	Ms Margaret Jervis MBE	Ms Jenny Render
Mr. Hanif Bhamjee	Ms Margaret Knight	Mr Ken Savage
Ms Sue Barlow	Ms Jenny Lewis	Mr Aziz Tharani
Mrs.Ceinwyn Davies	Ms Ruth Marks	Ms Manon Ellis-Williams
Mr John Ashton Edwards OBE	Mr Roy A. Norris	Mr Merfyn Williams
Mr Stuart Etherington	Mr D. Marc Phillips	Mr Alistair Wood MBE

Aseswyr y pwylgor gwaith
Mr David G. Evans, Welsh Office
Ms Helen Thomas, Welsh Office

Ymgynghorydd y
pwylgor gwaith
Archwiliwyr
Banciau
Ms Aileen Haskell, Commission for Racial Equality
Messrs. Zeidman & Davies
Barclays Bank plc
Co-op Bank plc
National Westminister Bank plc

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Datganiad i ddangos gweithgaredd

Ail-ddatganiad

Mae CGGC yn diolch i'r mudiadau canlynol am eu cymorth:

Y Swyddfa Gymreig

Cyngor Sir Caerdydd

Bwrdd yr Iaith Gymraeg

Bwrdd Elusennau'r Loteri

Genedlaethol

Comisiwn y Milflwydd

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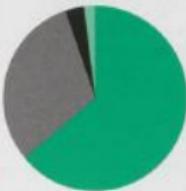
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Grantiau	540,229	2,374,526	2,914,755	873,714
Incwm gohiriedig	-	-	-	-
Incwm arall	273,788	3,000	276,788	191,452
Llog a enillwyd ac incwm arall o fuddsoddi	29,233	9,923	39,156	30,012
Gwirfoddoli yng Nghymru	-	530,000	530,000	500,000
Cyfanswm yr incwm a dderbyniwyd	843,250	2,917,449	3,760,699	1,595,178
Adnoddau a ddefnyddiwyd:				
Elusennol uniongyrchol	726,867	2,860,273	3,587,140	1,387,997
Rheoli a gweinyddu'r elusen	106,975	684	107,659	104,179
Cyfanswm yr adnoddau a ddefnyddiwyd	833,842	2,860,957	3,694,799	1,492,176
Adnoddau net a dderbyniwyd/ (ddefnyddiwyd) yn y flwyddyn	9,408	56,492	65,900	103,002
Colled ar Werthiant				
Buddsodiadau	(976)		(976)	
Elw/(colled) heb ei wireddu ar fuddsodiadau	25,044	-	25,044	803
Darpariaethau nad oes eu hangen mwyach	-	-	-	-
Newlid yn y cronfeydd	33,476	56,492	89,968	103,805
Balansau a ddygwyd ymlaen ar 1 Ebrill 1997	239,581	95,283	334,864	231,059
Balansau a ddygwyd ymlaen ar 31 Mawrth 1998	273,057	151,775	424,832	334,684

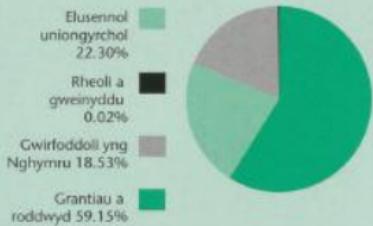
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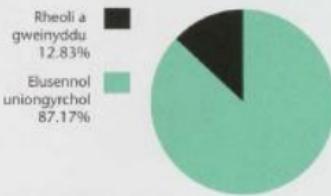
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Adnoddau a ddefnyddiwyd (Cronfeydd heb gyfyngedig)



Mantolen

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Gellir cael set lawn o'r
adroddiadau a'r
cyfrifon gan:

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	1998	1997
	£	£
ASEDAU SEFYDLOG	544,983	578,646
ASEDAU CYFREDOL		
Buddsoddiadau	94,223	222,101
Dyledwyr a chyndaliadau	190,526	22,661
Arian yn y banc	295,732	177,549
Arian mewn llaw	34	134
	580,515	422,445
CREDYDWYR: Symiau yn ddyledus o fewn blwyddyn	270,682	236,243
	309,833	186,202
	854,816	764,848
ASEDAU CYFREDOL NET		
Darpariaeth ar gyfer rhwymedigaethau ac arwystion	75,000	75,000
	779,816	689,848
CRONFEYDD		
Cronfeydd cyfyngedig	183,133	101,586
Cronfeydd cyfyngedig -		
Balansau Diffyg	(31,358)	(6,303)
Cronfeydd heb gyfyngiad	273,057	239,581
Arian adbrisio wrth gefn	354,984	354,984
	779,816	689,848

Iaelodau o Gyngor Gweithredu Gwirfoddol Cymru

Ym marn yr archwiliwr, Messers Zeidman & Davis, mae'r cynnobebl o'r cyfrifon a roddir yn y ddogfen hon yn gyson a'r cyfrifon blynyddol llawn. Roedd adroddiad y dadansoddwyr ar y cyfrifon llawn heb ei cymhwysyo.

Zeidman a Davis, Cyfrifwyr Ardystiedig, Archwiliwr Cofrestredig, Tŷ Lawrence, Caerffili.