

# RHYL FLATS FUND



## RECENTLY COMPLETED PROJECT

### GWRYCH CASTLE PRESERVATION TRUST

The trust was awarded £10,000 in 2018 towards the replacement of the coach house slate roof, securing a further £5,870 of match funding. The coach house was a shell with dividing walls but no roof in place. It would have provided coachman's lodgings and house carriages, carts and vehicles over the building's 200 year history.

The whole coach house is now open to visitors, which helps them to understand more about the buildings history. The improved visitor experience will in turn support the Gwrych Castle Trust towards becoming more self-sustaining. Welsh slate and local contractors were used by the project.



# CLOCAENOG FOREST WIND FARM FUND



The fund was opened early in March 2020 in response to the challenge of COVID 19 to provide to support organisations and groups to provide essential frontline services for their communities. The funding available was from £100 to £5,000.

## ANTUR CAE CYMRO

Antur Cae Cymro is an association who have established a community shop and pub in Clawddnewydd. During the pandemic they were awarded £4,550 to support the community during the pandemic. With the funding they were able to offer a shop delivery service, prescription pick-up & delivery and a hot meal take away and delivery service for the village and surrounding area residents.



## SHELTER CYMRU

Shelter Cymru received £3,000 through the fund in order to continue to support individuals and families at risk of homelessness who were within the Clocaenog Forest area of benefit. In adapting their way of working in the recent months the fund has enabled them to support 27 households which amounts to 53 individuals, 25 of them were children.

## LLANGOLLEN TOWN COUNCIL

Llangollen Town Council were awarded £5000 through the emergency fund. This was to enable them to provide a groceries and prescription pick-up and delivery for those self-isolating and vulnerable. They also supported the food bank and provided food parcels to families with financial worries during this time.

**We aim to open the main fund applications in Autumn 2020. A fund manager and advisory panel have now been appointed and are working together to finalise the criteria and guidance for the fund.**



# GWYNT Y MÔR FUND



In March 2020 the Gwynt y Môr Fund launched a COVID-19 immediate response fund, to date £135,880 has been invested into 34 projects providing frontline support

## LLANDULAS YOUTH CLUB

Llandulas youth club have now reached the end of the three month Food Share Project which was funded £2500 by Gwynt y mor fund and have managed to help 381 families with food parcels and have helped to provide 5875 meals for local people. Brilliant!



## WELSH HEARTS

The Covid 19 Gwynt y Mor and Cloecanog Forest Windfarm Funds have worked together to support Welsh hearts, the heart charity for Wales with £10,000 to provide and install six defibrillators. This can be a lifesaver especially for our more rural areas, and during a pandemic when services are stretched

## VISION SUPPORT

Vision Support's service users are predominantly older people, many have additional health issues and are particularly vulnerable to Covid 19. Many people with sight loss are highly dependent on face-to-face services, often involving physical contact, it was a concern that they would be disproportionately affected by lock down and social distancing. People had less support from friends and families in person and were finding it difficult to access information and service. With £2,606 Vision Support purchased six tablets to help people connect to the community, health advice, shop online and keep in touch with friends, family and support groups

