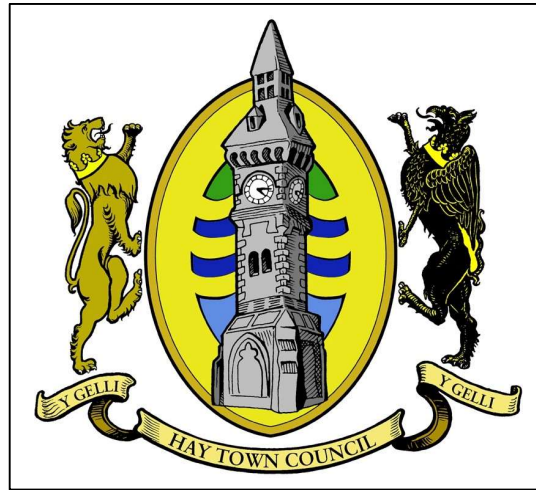


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Minutes for the meeting of Hay Town Council on Wednesday 24th September 2025 at
7.00pm in On Teams platform.

1. Apologies for absence

Present: Cllr F Howard, Cllr J Morgan, Cllr G Williams, Cllr P Jenkins, Cllr A Bielski, Cllr Wendy Bielska, Cllr T Owen, Cllr B Paul.

Also present: Clerk C Bunton, Cllr G Ratcliffe.

Apologies for absence: Cllr S Morris, Cllr Alan Powell.

2. Grant from Powys

Cllr Ratcliffe chased up with Powys regarding the grant that has been applied to for phase 2 of Gipsy Castle playground. The response was read out by GR:

"Good afternoon Cllr Ratcliffe,

Thank you for your email, apologies for being unable to answer your call, I am visiting childcare settings today.

The closing date for applications was extended to 22nd September 2025, a panel meeting was held yesterday, and I will be notifying all applicants shortly with the outcome.

Kind regards "

It was agreed that no decisions could be made on phase 2 or fencing and gates until the outcome of that grant has been determined.

3. Date of Start

Site clearance and levelling work has started. This does not effect the Powys grant as specific additional pieces were applied for in that grant, site clearance and the majority of the items funding has already been secured for.

4. Wet Pour

It has been suggested by the designers and installing contractors that it would be beneficial for ease of access, especially for those in wheelchairs or push chairs that the wet pour is extended out of the gate and joined up with the public footpath. This would be going over Powys CC land. Powys have been contacted to ask permission for this. No response received from relevant department. GR to follow up.

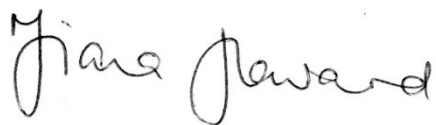
GW proposed that the wet pour is not extended at this time. JM seconded and unanimously agreed. A splayed concrete pad to be investigated and permission sought from Powys CC.

5. Fencing

The current wooden fencing is aged and starting to rot in places. There is some life left in it, but it will not be long.

It was agreed that a decision on fencing cannot be made until after a decision is received from Powys regarding the grant applied for.

Meeting closed at 7.26pm

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jane Howard". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'J' and 'H'.