

## National Lottery Heritage Fund representatives site visit



Rebecca Ball and Cathryn Evans from the National Lottery Heritage Fund visit Menter y Tŵr

Menter y Tŵr recently welcomed Rebecca Ball, Senior Investment Manager, and Cathryn Evans, Senior Engagement Officer from the National Lottery Heritage Fund to Pwllheli.

This was Rebecca and Cathryn's first visit to the site. They had the opportunity to meet some of the directors of the initiative. The exciting vision for the site was shared, and the next steps in the development of the project were discussed.

During the meeting, the plans for transforming Y Tŵr into a hotel, community hub and heritage center in the center of Pwllheli were discussed. It was also an opportunity to share the ambition that is at the heart of the initiative.

We are extremely proud to have received a grant worth £215,790 from the National Lottery Heritage Fund. This funding will support the Development phase of the project, enabling us to draw up a full application for capital investment.

This support is a significant step forward in realizing the dream of reviving Y Tŵr, creating a venue that serves the local community and celebrates the rich heritage of Pwllheli and the surrounding area.

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# Annual General Meeting



**Carys Owen welcomed the shareholders**

Over 60 Menter Y Tŵr shareholders attended the AGM at the golf club in Pwllheli on Friday 27 September. A financial report was presented along with an update on the progress made over the past year. The challenges and achievements were shared and an insight given on the positive collaboration developed within the local community. The Directors were confirmed and the volunteers were praised for giving their time and energy.

Caryl Lewis outlined the various projects that are underway as a result of the the National Lottery Heritage Fund's recent investment, and described the key role that Menter y Tŵr is playing in enriching the area's economic and community development. Following the AGM the doors were opened for non-shareholders to enjoy a performance by local singer, Ffion Wynne. This was an fantastic opportunity for the community to come together with shareholders and volunteers to celebrate the progress made over the past year and look forward to the next phase.



## Promises Auction 17 October Clwb Golff Pwllheli Golf Club

We are grateful to the companies and individuals who have generously donated items and services for the auction in support of Menter Y Tŵr. We are thrilled that a wide variety of items have been confirmed. Here is a glimpse of what's to come! Follow our social media channels for updates. We look forward to a fun and successful evening.

- Holiday Vouchers
- Ynys Enlli - Day trip for 2 adults.
- Beauty, nail and hair treatment vouchers.
- Afternoon Tea & Sunday Lunch Vouchers
- Local Artwork and Pottery
- Gardening, Cleaning, Gas and Electricity Services.
- Sauna sessions
- Flower Arrangements.
- Art & Sport private lessons
- Chimney Sweep.
- Food & Wine Vouchers
- Camping -pitch with hook-up for 2 nights
- Commissioned englynion, poems and artwork
- Food and Beauty Hampers
- Vouchers and items from local shops and companies.

## Events Calendar

### 17 October 2025

Promises Auction. Clwb Golff Pwllheli. Doors open at 6.30pm. Auction to start at 7.00pm.

### 18 October 2025

Cor Y Brythoniaid (Male voice choir) & local singer Lleucu Gwawr concert. Neuadd Dwyfor, Pwllheli. Raffle proceeds towards Menter y Tŵr

### 28 October 2025

Bingo at Clwb Golff Pwllheli Golf club.

## Volunteering

There are always plenty of opportunities to volunteer and be part of Menter Y Tŵr. Please contact us to discuss further by sending a message to [ytwrpwllheli@gmail.com](mailto:ytwrpwllheli@gmail.com) or through our social media..

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