**Dwyriw**

**Community Trust Fund**

Administrator: Sarah Yeomans

Llwyn y Brain, Adfa, Newtown, Powys, SY16 3DA

*Registered Charity No. 1117171*

**Annual Report 2016/2017**

£9388.10 was received from Infinis for the 2016/17 period for distribution to the Dwyriw Community. In addition to this a new community benefit fund was established for the Tir Gwynt Windfarm during 2017 and the first payment of £12300.74 was received in March 2017. A total of 16 applications were received during the year and grants were awarded.

Adfa Village Hall was given two grants to help with the cost of an outside notice board and to provide an entertainment event for the children in the area. Adfa Garden Club was also given two grants to help them with the cost of speakers and bus costs. Llanwyddelan Church was helped with the cost of improving their path and Ysgol Rhiw Bechan was given money to help provide new dining tables. Friends of Ysgol Rhiw-Bechan 3+ were also given a grant for the cost of camera equipment.

A local business made an application on behalf of the community for help with the cost of broadband provision and improvement. The Trustees agreed to support this project with an annual grant to the company for the next five years.

During the year individuals were also supported, with 4 students receiving grants towards the cost of their studies. One person was given a business start-up grant, a young person was helped with the cost of a geography field trip and one person was given a training grant.

Grants totalling £6568.43 were given out to the community across the year.