

Updates from County Cllr McCusker

Flooding at the dip on Penley Road (A539) between Overton and turning for Cloy Lane

I have discussed recently with two Community Councils issues regarding water on the road on the first dip out of Overton on the Penley Road. There are issues with water from the farm flooding the road and it can be slippery in cold weather. Council have been to see the landowners father and son Mr. Reeves. The farmers think there is possibly a problem with a culvert under the road whilst on early inspection it could be ditch issues. Gareth Williams (WCBC) is investigating further and will let us know the outcome.

Gully Wagon

The gully wagons we keep discussing are currently in Knolton as delayed with recent floods. I know I have been saying this for weeks but they intend to head towards Penley and Hanmer doing quiet backroads on the way. All roads above 30mph that could be considered dangerous to have a stationary gully vehicle on will need to be revisited with a traffic management system in place to ensure everyone's safety. This will be done after the 30mph zones.

Potholes on Argoed Lane

2.5 tons of tar has been used to fill the potholes on Argoed Lane

Willow Street – collapsed drain

Collapsed on Willow Street. Welsh Water are organising CCTV to look inside pipes to identify the problem. Pipework is apparently 7.5 metres down at that location. Residents on Willow Street updated and updates on Facebook as this section of road will remain closed. Work programmed to commence in two weeks and will take three weeks to repair. PCSO Griffiths- Hughes advised of situation.