**LGPS NEWSLETTER 2022**

**Welcome** to the latest newsletter from the Powys Pension Fund (PPF). There are several things that we’d like to update you on, starting with the 2021/22 Annual Benefit Statements, which are now available to view online on the member portal '**My Powys Pension (MPP)'.**

Registered MPP users can log in and view in the “My Documents” section.

**Pensions Increase 2022**

The Government confirmed an annual increase to pensions this year of 3.1%. This is the equivalent of the Consumer Prices Index (CPI) for the 12 months ending September 2021. The increase was applied to deferred pensions with effect from 11 April 2022. If your pension was awarded part way through the year, it has been increased by a proportion of the full amount in the first year and will increase by the full rate from next year.

**Any Changes?**

Please remember to let us know of any change to your name, address as quickly as possible. You can update your address by logging into your My Powys Pension account and clicking on Personal Details and then Edit Contact Details.

**Pension Fund Website**

Did you know that the Powys Pension Fund has its own website? [**www.powyspensionfund.org**](http://www.powyspensionfund.org) is a place that you can find lots of useful information about the scheme (including forms, factsheets, policies and much more). The “news” section allows you to keep up to date on developments within the Local Government Pension Scheme and associated legislation, such as the latest changes to the Finance Act and how they might impact on the LGPS.

**Pension Fund Governance and Investments**

The Fund has been doing a significant amount of work recently on policy developments in all aspects of pension fund governance, with a particular focus on responsible investment which we know is an important topic for stakeholders.

The Fund invests via the Wales Pension Partnership [**www.walespensionpartnership.org**](http://www.walespensionpartnership.org) , who are now a signatory to the UK Stewardship Code, which sets a high bar for stewardship, a standard to which the WPP sought to meet through its approach to responsible investment.

You can find more information on the PPF and WPP’s policies on Responsible Investment and Climate change at the above website links.

**CYLCHLYTHYR LGPS 2022**

**Croeso** i'r cylchlythyr diweddaraf oddi wrth Gronfa Bensiwn Powys (CBP). Mae nifer o bethau yr hoffem gyflwyno'r diweddaraf i chi arnynt, gan ddechrau gyda Datganiadau Buddion Blynyddol 2021/22, sydd ar gael i'w gweld ar-lein ar y porthol aelodau **'Fy Mhensiwn Powys (MPP)'**

Gall defnyddwyr MPP cofrestredig fewngofnodi ac edrych ar yr adran "Fy Nogfennau"

**Cynnydd mewn pensiynau 2022**

Mae'r Llywodraeth wedi cadarnhau y bydd cynnydd blynyddol i bensiynau eleni o 3.1%. Mae hyn gyfwerth â'r Mynegai Prisiau Defnyddwyr (CPI) ar gyfer y 12 mis a ddaeth i ben fis Medi 2021. Cafodd y cynnydd ei gymhwyso o 11 Ebrill 2022 ymlaen. Os dyfarnwyd eich pensiwn chi ran o'r ffordd drwy'r flwyddyn, bydd wedi cynyddu o gyfran o'r swm llawn yn ystod y flwyddyn gyntaf a bydd yn cynyddu o'r gyfradd lawn o'r flwyddyn nesaf ymlaen.

**Unrhyw newidiadau?**

Cofiwch roi gwybod i ni am unrhyw newid i'ch enw neu'ch cyfeiriad cyn gynted â phosibl. Gallwch ddiweddaru eich cyfeiriad drwy fewngofnodi i'ch cyfrif Pensiwn My Powys a chlicio ar Fanylion Personol ac yna Golygu’r Manylion Cyswllt.

**Gwefan y Gronfa Bensiwn**

Oeddech chi'n gwybod fod gwefan ei hunan gan Gronfa Bensiwn Powys? Lle yw [**www.powyspensionfund.org**](http://www.powyspensionfund.org) ble y gallwch ganfod llawer o wybodaeth ddefnyddiol am y cynllun (gan gynnwys ffurflenni, taflenni ffeithiau, polisïau a llawer iawn mwy). Mae'r adran "newyddion" yn caniatáu i chi wybod y diweddaraf am ddatblygiadau o fewn y Cynllun Pensiwn Llywodraeth Leol (LGPS) a deddfwriaeth gysylltiedig, megis y newidiadau diweddaraf i'r Ddeddf Cyllid a sut y gallant effeithio ar y LGPS.

**Llywodraethu’r Gronfa Bensiwn a Buddsoddiadau**

Mae’r Gronfa wedi bod yn gwneud llawer o waith arwyddocaol yn ddiweddar ar ddatblygiadau polisi o ran holl agweddau llywodraethu’r gronfa bensiwn, gyda ffocws penodol ar fuddsoddi cyfrifol yr ydym yn gwybod sy’n bwnc pwysig i randdeiliaid.

Mae’r Gronfa yn buddsoddi trwy Bartneriaeth Pensiwn Cymru [**www.walespensionpartnership.org**](http://www.walespensionpartnership.org), sydd erbyn hyn yn llofnodwr i God Stiwardiaeth y DU, gan osod safon uchel ar gyfer stiwardiaeth, sef safon yr oedd Partneriaeth Pensiwn Cymru yn ceisio ei diwallu trwy ei agwedd tuag at fuddsoddi cyfrifol.

Gallwch ganfod mwy o wybodaeth ar bolisïau PPF a WPP ar Fuddsoddi Cyfrifol a Newid Hinsawdd yn y dolenni gwefan uchod.