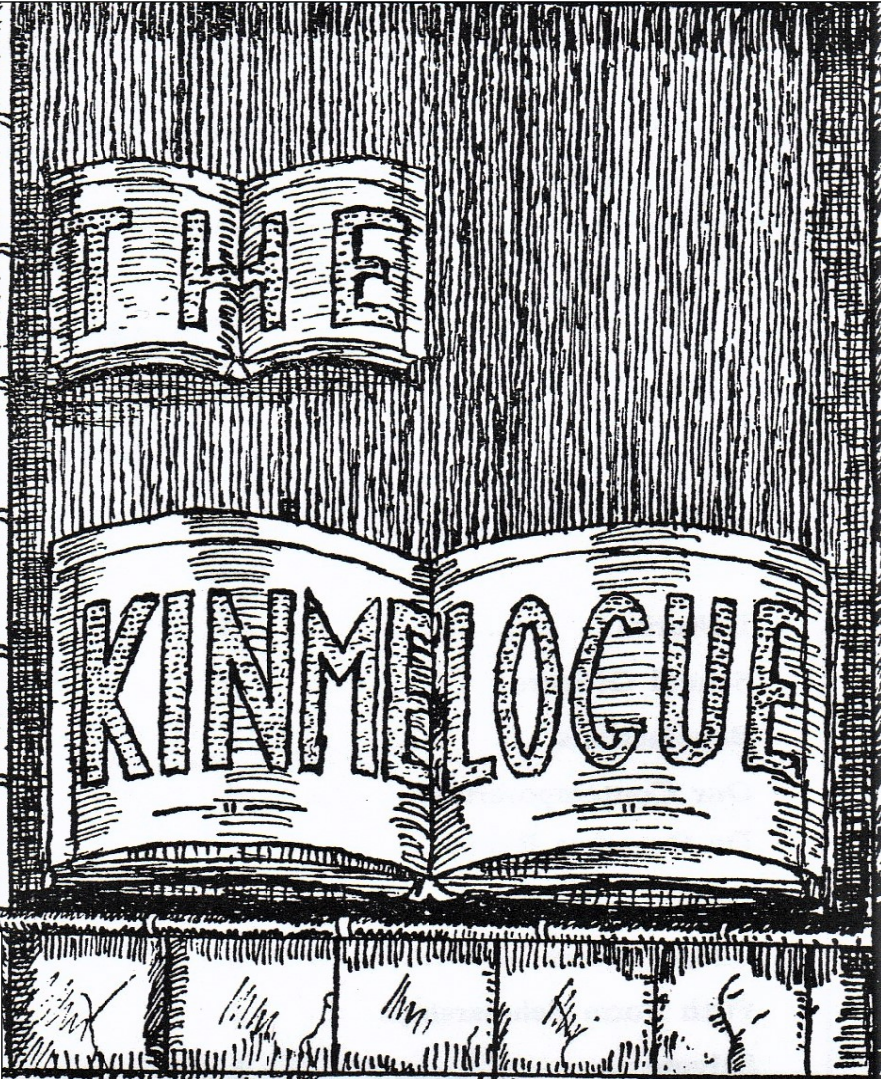


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THE GROUNDS OF KINMEL HALL ARE NOW  
SUBJECT TO A TREE PRESERVATION ORDER!





# The Kinnelogue

The Newsletter Of The Friends Of Kinnel Hall

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### **BREAKING NEWS**

THE FRIENDS OF KINMEL HALL  
WISH TO WELCOME THE NEW  
CONSERVATION OFFICER FOR CONWY  
MR. GARETH ROBERTS  
WHO TOOK UP HIS POST ON THE  
11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2021  
A DATE TO REMEMBER!





**FRIENDS OF KINMEL HALL  
NEWSLETTER  
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Christmas Greetings  
To  
THE FRIENDS OF KINMEL HALL**



In this edition of The Kinmelogue  
We will take a look back at what happened in  
and around The Hall at this time of year in  
days gone by

**RHYS M WILLIAMS**  
**MODERN LANGUAGES MASTER**  
**REMEMBERS KINMEL BOYS SCHOOL**

.....I must mention the Rector of St. George the Reverend E.T Jones. who acted as part Time Chaplain and was a most valued colleague to us and a very close friends of the boys.

Once each term, at his instigation, the whole school visited the village church, usually for evensong and the Master on duty and Prefect on duty read the two lessons.

One Sunday evening, being the Master on duty, I was about to enter the vestry. Having the boys settled into their pews when the vicar stopped me and asked whether I would agree to read my second lesson in Welsh, because that evening the service should really have been in Welsh and a few parishioners would expect to have some parts of the service in their native tongue.

I readily agreed and only when I was standing at the lectern did I suddenly realise what a shock it would be to the boys. (All English monoglots) I need not tell you how nervous I was but it all went

well and the only comments from the school that came to my ears later was that one boy was heard to ask on the walk back.' I wonder why Williams read the lesson in Spanish.'

Taken From 'Rhys M Williams Modern  
Languages Master Remembers Kinmel Boys  
School'

From Letters to Mrs. Elaine Boxhall

## INSPECTION REPORT

At the end of last month another Report was issued by Conwy Council following another ‘Inspection’ carried out this time by the Enforcement Officer and the newly appointed Conservation Officer – Mr Gareth Roberts.

*Afternoon,*

*Further to our previous updates, I can confirm that last week a further inspection took place at the Hall with Peter Wood and our new Conservation Officer, Gareth Roberts in attendance, the owners and their heritage consultant planning agent were also present.*

*I can confirm that positive discussions took place and it was noted that significant progress had been made on a third section of roof, which has also included the restoration of decorative railings which edge the roof top to match the existing. My officers will continue to monitor these works, and will continue discussions regarding further works to the roof as a priority.*

*I can also confirm that the application for 16 pods within the grounds of the hall was submitted*

*last week, but it is incomplete and we haven't been able to validate the application.*

*We will advise further once we receive the outstanding information and are in a position to register the application.*

*I will keep you informed of any further progress*

*Regards*

*Paula*



One piece of information that was not mentioned in this report was the fact that the grounds of Kinmel Hall are now subject to a Tree Preservation Order!

This information was sent in an email in response to one sent by *Julian Fellowes - The Lord Fellowes of West Stafford, D.L.*, to the Chief Executive of the Council.

This information comes in advance of the introduction of the *Historic Environments (Wales) Act 2016* which comes into force next year.

The Letters to the Chief Executive are continuing into the New Year and so if any of The Friends of Kinmel Hall wish to register their comments/concerns or have questions for the Council. May I respectfully request that they send them to

[nesfieldscrown@outlook.com](mailto:nesfieldscrown@outlook.com)

and we will forward them to the relevant person in the Council via our established lines of communication. Please feel free to ask whatever comes to mind.



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144	KATE DARRAH
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***I am very concerned that a Grade I listed building in Conwy, one of the greatest buildings in Wales, is at great and increasing risk. It seemed that some steps forward had been taken this year with new ownership of Kinmel Hall, but I understand that progress may be foundering.***

***Kinmel Hall is by definition nationally important.***

***Less than 2 per cent of Listed Buildings  
in Wales are designated Grade I.***

***Unfortunately, there is a real possibility that it will be lost to future generations unless the local authority takes a proactive role in the case.***

***DR PETER WAKELIN  
Former Secretary,  
Royal Commission  
On The Ancient  
And Historical  
Monuments Of Wales'.  
Writer • Consultant • Curator***