

A collection of news stories affecting our community during 2010. As of New Year, 2020 we note our community will be liable to a higher tax burned for HS2 than it would cost to build a much-needed railway station at the centre of our community and the Pontcysyllte WHS. Therefore, we object to HS2, or as we call it the "Welsh Bypass". Furthermore, our railway line (Marchers) offers a viable alternative to the main West Coast Line as the former Wrexham & Shropshire Service proved before closure in 2010. We ask, why not use this to alleviate congestion on the main West Coastline, which would literally save billions of pounds.

**BBC North East Wales 3 November 2010**

New path leads to source of Llangollen Canal

[http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/northeastwales/hi/people\\_and\\_places/newsid\\_9154000/9154141.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/northeastwales/hi/people_and_places/newsid_9154000/9154141.stm)

**Narrow Boat World 28<sup>th</sup> October 2010**

BW to help pay for Marina Feasibility Study

<http://www.narrowboatworld.com/index.php/leatest/2463-bw-pay-for-marina-feasibility-study>

**The Denbighshire Free Press 25th October 2010**

Boost for £15m marina plan at former chemical works

<http://www.denbighshirefreepress.co.uk/news/94789/boost-for-15m-marina-plan-at-former-chemical-works.aspx>

**MARK ISHERWOOD AM 15th October 2010**

Supports plans to open canal and develop marina at Cefn Mawr

[http://www.markisherwood.co.uk/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=731:isherwood-am-supports-plans-to-open-canal-and-develop-marina-at-plas-kynaston&catid=1:news&Itemid=5](http://www.markisherwood.co.uk/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=731:isherwood-am-supports-plans-to-open-canal-and-develop-marina-at-plas-kynaston&catid=1:news&Itemid=5)

**BBC North East Wales 11 August 2010**

Villagers to 'sell' Llangollen Canal to the rest of the world

[http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/northeastwales/hi/people\\_and\\_places/newsid\\_8905000/8905621.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/northeastwales/hi/people_and_places/newsid_8905000/8905621.stm)

**UK Boating Inland Waterways News and Events 24<sup>th</sup> July 2010**

Plas Kynaston extension to Llangollen canal

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cJ22VVEux8c>

**The Leader 22nd July 2010**

Wrexham congregation gives community support to Post Master, David Taylor

<http://www.leaderlive.co.uk/news/91062/wrexham-congregation-gives-community-support.aspx>

**NB IDRIS Life Afloat 5<sup>th</sup> July 2010**

Plas Kynaston Canal to be re-born?

<http://www.jstratford.co.uk/idris/blog/index.php/2010/07/05/plas-kynaston-canal-to-be-re-born>

**BBC North East Wales 23rd June 2010**

Cefn Mawr villagers plan marina development joining on to Llangollen Canal

[http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/northeastwales/hi/people\\_and\\_places/newsid\\_8754000/8754672.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/northeastwales/hi/people_and_places/newsid_8754000/8754672.stm)

**Narrow Boat World 18th June 2010**

A rival for Ironbridge?

<http://www.narrowboatworld.com/index.php/leatest/1967-another-llangollen-marina>

**Just Canals 17<sup>th</sup> June 2010**

A Narrow Boaters Heaven & the Plas Kynaston Canal

<http://www.justcanals.com/forum/viewtopic.php?f=64&t=6164&start=0>

**Waterways World 16th June 2010**

A new marina for the Llangollen Canal

<http://www.waterwaysworld.com/latest.cgi?month=062010>

**The Leader 15th June 2010**

£15m plans to transform factory site into a marina

<http://www.leaderlive.co.uk/news/89628/-15m-plans-to-transform-factory-site-into-a-marina.aspx>

Please note the Cefn & Cefn Mawr covers all the villages at the central section of the Pontcysyllte World Heritage Site consisting of Cefn Mawr (leading commercial centre), Cefn Bychan, Rhosymedre, Plas Madoc, Acrefair, Garth, Trevor, Cysyllte, Froncysyllte, Pentre, and Newbridge. The total population is approximately 10,000 and is the largest community in the WHS corridor.