



AGENDA ITEM: 6

NORTH WALES FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY

20th October 2008

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

**Report by Councillor Trevor Roberts,
Chairman of the Authority**

Purpose of Report

- 1.** To provide members with an update on the meetings and events attended by the Chairman since the Fire and Rescue Authority's last meeting.

Background

- 2.** This report provides members with information on the meetings and events attended by the Chairman in his official capacity as Chairman of the Authority, and in his absence the Vice-Chairman, since 16th June 2008.

Information

- 3.** Listed below are the events and meetings attended by the Chairman/Vice-Chairman from 16th June 2008 to date:

Information *(continued)*

4. Date	Meeting /Event attended
23rd June	Chairman and Vice Chairman attended a YFA de-briefing session following the Annual YFA weekend of achievement.
27th June	Chairman attended WLGA Council meeting in Llandrindod Wells
2nd July	Chairman and Chief Fire Officer attended a three Chairs meeting with the Welsh Assembly Minister Dr. Brian Gibbons in Cardiff
8th July	Chairman, Vice Chairman and Deputy Chief Fire Officer met with Trade Union Representatives at H.Q. in St. Asaph
17th July	Chairman attended a Fire-Link stakeholders meeting in London
22nd July	Chairman and Chief Fire Officer attended the North Wales Programme Board meeting at St. Asaph.
28th July	Attended Executive Panel meeting at H.Q. in St. Asaph
1st August	Chairman and Chief Fire Officer attended opening of Tenders for FSOR. At Colwyn Bay
5th August	Chairman and Vice Chairman attended Water/Flooding Training demonstration. In Llanrwst
12th August	Chairman, Vice Chairman and ACFO Mr Paul Claydon attended a visit to the RDS staff at Rhyl.
25th August	Chairman and Vice Chairman attended The opening of the World Fire Fighter Games in Liverpool
28th August	Chairman and Vice Chairman together with Officers attended the National Fire Conference in Liverpool

Information <i>(continued)</i>	
2nd September	Chairman and ACO Mrs Ruth Simmons attended the closing World Fire Fighter Games Dinner in Liverpool
8th September	Chairman, Vice Chairman, Officers and Members attended a YFA Passing out Parade in Holyhead
9th September	Chairman attended the opening of the re-furbished Fire station at Beaumaris
10th September	Chairman and ACFO Mr. C. Hanks attended at meeting with the RFU Staff representative at H.Q. in St. Asaph
14th September	Chairman and Officer attended the National Fire Service Memorial day in London
15th September	Chairman attended the morning session of the All Wales Joint Fire Authority Seminar at Brecon
19th September	Chairman, Vice Chairman, ACFO Mr Paul Claydon attended a Phoenix Passing out parade at Mold
20th September	Chairman attended open day at the Community Fire Station in Rhyl
25th September	Chairman and Chief Fire Officer attended the North Wales Programme Board meeting at St. Asaph.
26th September	Chairman attended the WLGA Annual meeting in Haverfordwest.
30th September	Chairman attended a NJC meeting in London
3rd October	Chairman, Vice Chairman and Members attended the official opening of the Rhyl Community Fire Station.
7th October	Chairman and Vice Chairman attended the Chair's Working Group meeting at H.Q. in St. Asaph

Information <i>(continued)</i>	
14th October	Chairman and Chief Fire Officer attended a Three Chairs meeting with the Welsh Assembly Minister Dr. Brian Gibbons in Cardiff
15th October	Chairman and ACFO Mr Colin Hanks attended a meeting with the Staff Representatives at H.Q. St. Asaph

Recommendation

- 5.** That members note the information provided.