Annual General Meeting of Abergele Garden Society 2013/14 Held at Mynydd Seion Meeting Room, Abergele on Monday 10th March 2014 at 7.30pm

Cyndy Hurley opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

- 1. Apologies:- Brian Hodges
- Minutes: of the AGM from 12th March 2013. Acceptance of the minutes as a true record was proposed by Cyndy Hurley and agreed by Brian Booth
- 3. <u>Financial report</u>: Copies of the audited accounts were distributed. Ann Knowlson reported that the Society has had another good year; however members will note that 2014/15 will have high expenditure due to the cost of speakers and the rent of Mynydd Seion has increased slightly. The raffle and coffee morning continues to make a good profit. The subscription will remain the same for the coming year. Ann thanked Brian Hodges for auditing the accounts.
- 4. Chair's report: Cyndy Hurley read a short report as follows:- As well as being the hottest for years, it was also a good year for the Society. We have continued to maintain our membership with new members and frequent visitors. As this is our 25th anniversary the profit we made from last year's coffee morning will pay for our guest speakers to celebrate this event. We endeavour to maintain a high standard of speakers for the Society. Our trip in July to Plas Cadnant and Llanidan Hall was a success. A tale of two very different gardens made more enjoyable by good weather. As always I would like to extend my thanks to everyone for their continuing support. Special thanks were extended to Jim Green for his plants and help and to those who do the tea rota, cake makers and non-committee members who help make the meetings and coffee morning a success. Thanks were also extended to Gail Roberts and the Team.
- 5. <u>Election of officers</u>:-The following officers have been proposed and seconded for 2013/14. Chair person: - Cyndy Hurley, Vice Chair person: - Gail Roberts, Treasurer: - Anne Knowlson, Secretary: - Chris Bond, Committee members: - Carl Dobney, Judy Roberts, Andrina Manifold, Brian Booth and Brian Hodges. As there were no other nominations for officers or committee members all were elected unopposed
- 6. <u>AOB</u>: Cyndy thanked everyone for their continued support of the Society and special thanks were extended to Jim Green for his plants and help; to those who do the tea rota; cake makers and non-committee members who help make the meetings and coffee morning a success. Thanks were also extended to Gail Roberts and the Team. There is an outgoing Committee member, Dennis Sweeney; Cyndy gave special thanks to Dennis for all his help over the years.