

Agenda

Pan-Wales Fishing Safety Meeting

Date: Tues 4th October 2016 **Time** 09:00 am **Venue** Caer Beris Manor Hotel, Builth Wells, Powys, LD2 3NP

Tea / coffee available on arrival (08:30 am onwards), meeting due to start at 09:00 am

- 1. Welcome and introductions** (Robert Greenwood, Chair)
- 2. Introduction to the day** – why are we here (Robert Greenwood, Chair)
- 3. The online Safety Folder** – supporting compliance (Robert Greenwood, Chair)
- 4. Health & Safety of the Welsh fishing fleet** – current challenges and issues (All)
 - WWSFA ‘Welfare of Welsh Fishermen’ paper *Paper 1*
- 5. ‘Wales Fishing Safety Project’** – a collaborative project between Seafish, RNLI, and the Fishermen’s Mission. *Paper 2*
 - a) Article 32 – Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) and EPIRB options for Welsh industry *Paper 3*
 - b) Distribution and installation of PLBs and EPIRBs
 - c) Raising awareness of key safety issues – methods of engagement and communication
 - d) Defibrillators at key fishing ports and other health initiatives
- 6. Wrap up and next steps** – including possible formation of a Wales Fishing Safety Committee or Forum (Robert Greenwood, Chair)
- 7. Any Other Business**

LUNCH

Timings for the day

08:30 hrs	Tea and coffee
09:00 hrs	Meeting start
10:30 hrs	Tea and coffee
12:30 hrs	Lunch
14:00 hrs	Meeting close (latest)
