

Cynghrair Seiriol Alliance Volunteers 2023 Newsletter

Seiriol Good Turn Scheme

Thank you to all the volunteers who support the Good Turn Scheme. The Scheme has become busier than ever this year.

Groups

There are now several groups which are thriving and meeting regularly:

- Beaumaris Library Coffee morning** every Tuesday
- Bore Coffi in Pont Y Brenin Community Hub** every Tuesday
- Caffi Cofio** on Wednesday afternoons
- Caffi Canu** on Friday afternoons
- Computer Classes (IT/tablet/Smartphone)** in Beaumaris Library 3 days a week

Group outings

There are regular outings every month in the minibus and, in addition, we have been providing transport using both the minibus and the EV for a number of local community organisations including Haulfre Residential Home, Plas Penmon Nursing Home, Over 50's Club, Llangoed WI, Ysgol Beaumaris, Ysgol Llangoed and the MS Society.

Helping individuals

Not surprisingly our community transport service has become increasingly busy. We have continued to help individuals in need get to important *healthcare appointments* and have also undertaken *medication deliveries, dog walking* and *other forms of support* for vulnerable people. We are particularly focused on providing *transport for wheelchair users* (see our Minibus Appeal on Page 5!)



Clockwise from top left:

Library Coffee Morning

Pont Y Brenin Hub Outing

Over 50s Club at Zip World

Terry and Christine enjoying Christmas Lunch in Llanddona

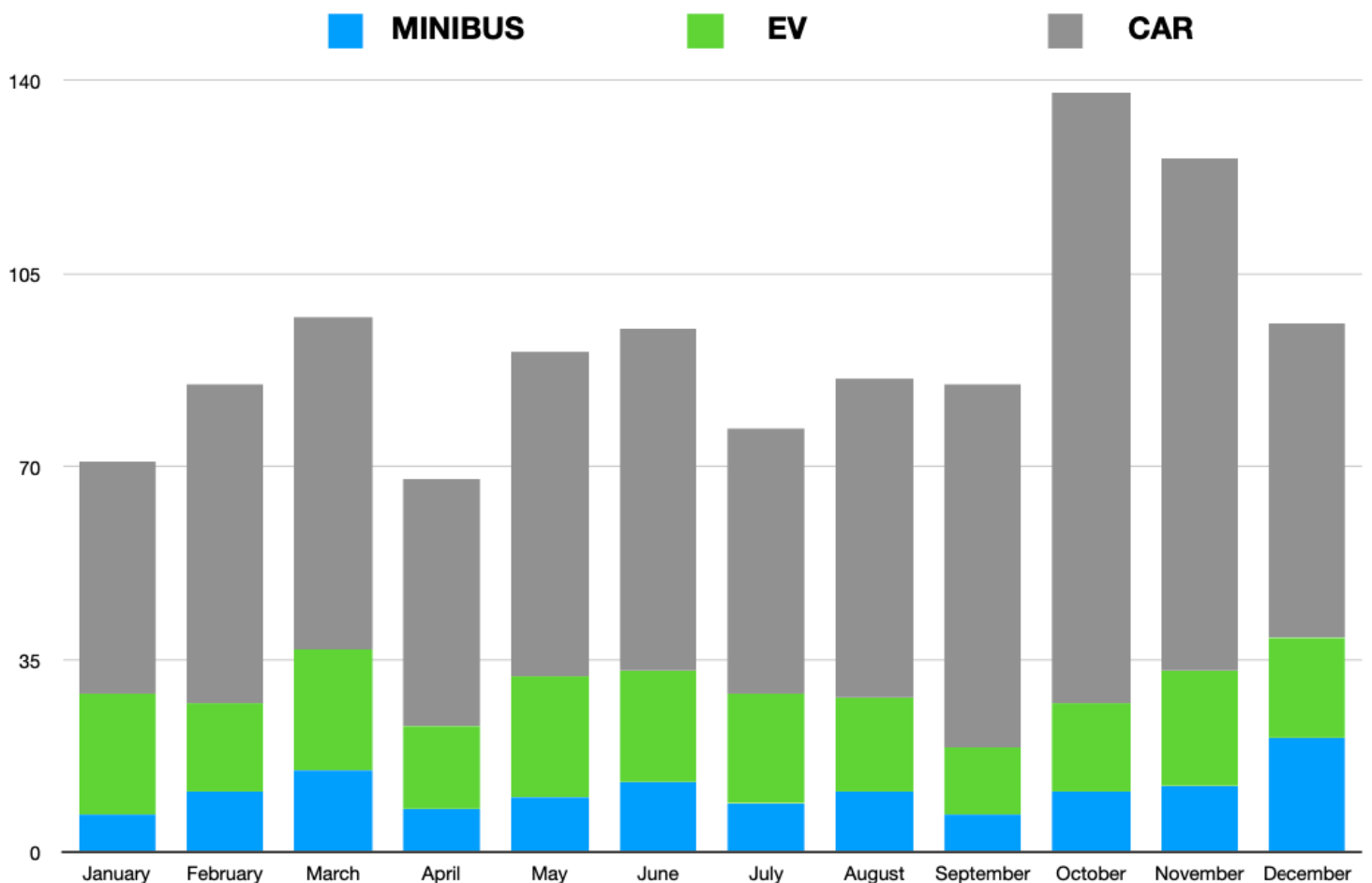


2023 Statistics

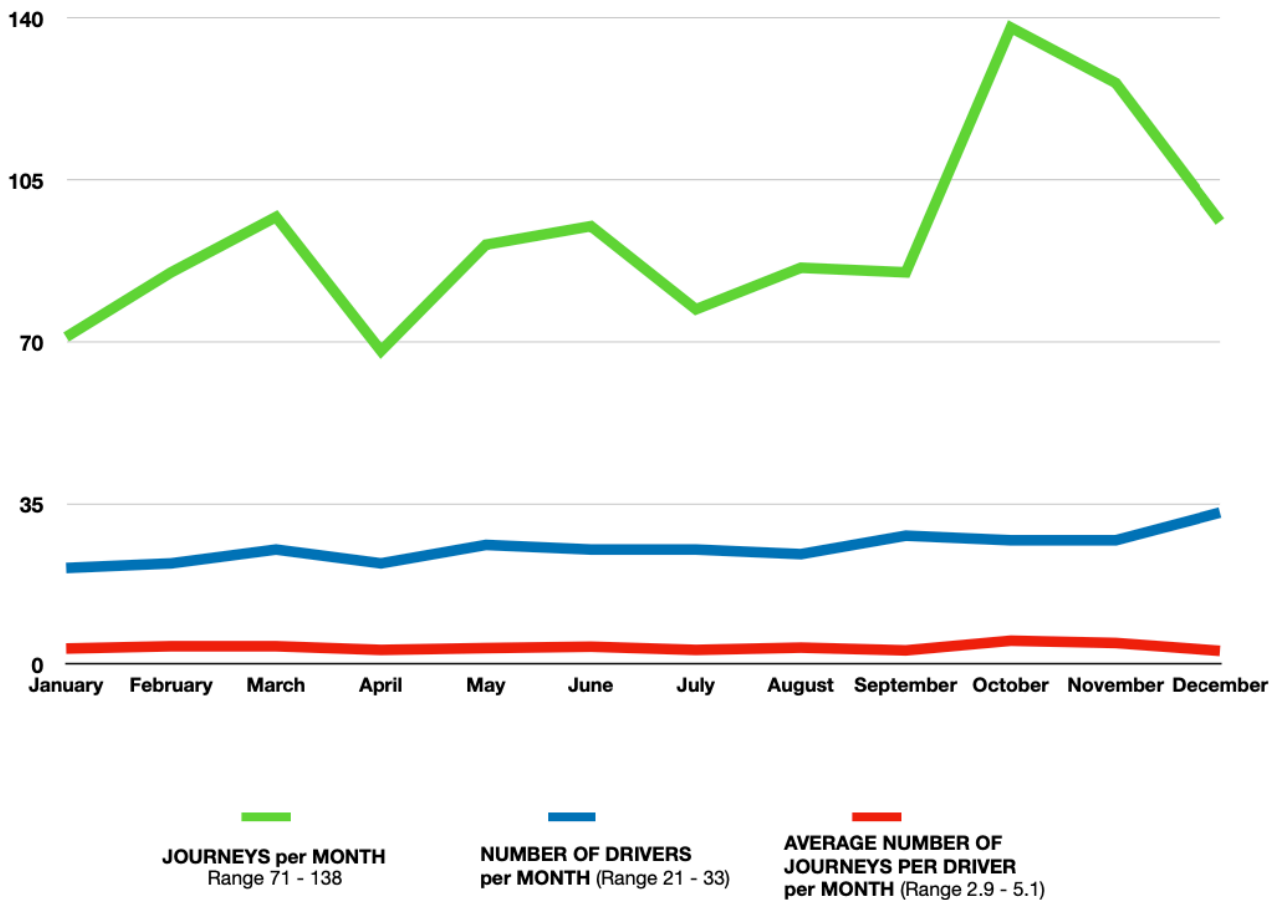
Transport journeys have increased in 2023 compared to 2022 as in the table below:

	2022	2023
Total Number of Journeys	746	1115
Average per month	62	92
Private Car Journeys	509	759
Minibus Journeys	81	135
EV Journeys	156	221
Wheelchair Dependent passengers	79	131

Total journeys per month (*range 71 - 138 per month*) and vehicles used are shown in the graph below:



The number of drivers used each month (range 21 - 33) and the average number of journeys undertaken by each driver per month (range 2.9 - 5.1) were as follows:



The most journeys any driver did in one calendar month was 17 and, of the drivers used each month, the least was 1. Please note that journeys where the driver waited for the passenger before driving them back home (“Return Journeys”) are counted as ONE journey and journeys where the driver has to go back later to take a passenger home (“Separate Return Journeys”) are counted as TWO journeys.



Minibus Appeal



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We have now raised over £19,000 so we are getting there!

A massive thank you to everyone who has contributed. We have had contributions from *individual clients, our volunteers and many other local people.* Special mention to the Beaumaris Library Coffee morning group who have raised over £1,800 so far with their weekly raffle.

Also thank you to.....



**Dave Evans
Beaumaris
Town Mayor**



**Dave and
Emma at
Mercado**



**Kim and the
Happy Valley
Cafe team**

for their generous contributions!

If you wish to make a donation to the Seiriol Good Turn Scheme, please visit the Seiriol Alliance website (www.seiriolalliance.co.uk) for details. You can follow the link <https://www.seiriolalliance.co.uk/making-a-donation> to visit the relevant page. There is also a form you can use to enable us to claim **Gift Aid**.



Also, if you do any internet shopping, please consider using the **easyfundraising** platform to do your shopping. The Seiriol Good Turn Scheme is now registered with **easyfundraising**, which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. Over 7,000 brands will donate to the Good Turn Scheme when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself.

These donations could really mount up and make a difference.

You can find our easyfundraising page at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/seiriol-good-turn-scheme/?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pmc&utm_content=gs-email1



or try our QR Code!



**Finally come and support
Llangoed Village Hall who are
raising money for the
Minibus Appeal**

Thursday 29th February!



Other Seiriol Alliance volunteer contributions!

Thank you to all of you who have helped out in so many different ways over the past year. Many of you support several different local good causes and wear many hats!

Thank you to all the volunteers who have supported numerous community events in 2023 including

- **Beumaris Run Fest** (raising over £1800 for local causes)
- **Victorian Christmas** (raising around £2400 including £500 for the Good Turn Scheme)
- **Beumaris Fireworks** (raising money for local causes including £340 for the Good Turn Scheme)
- **Numerous Canolfan events**
- **Tour de Môn** (raised £400 for the Good Turn Scheme)
- Appearing as **Santa and Mrs Claus** (aka Jane, Alwyn, Steve, Sally, Andy and Dawn!)



BEST WISHES TO ALL FOR 2024!

