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Hustings with the Dwyfor / Meirionnydd Candidates for the Welsh Assembly Election on 5 May, 2016

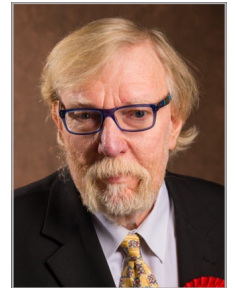
Memorial Hall, Criccieth, North Wales



Memorial Hall

GIUK organised and sponsored a local hustings with the seven candidates for the Welsh Assembly Election in Criccieth on Tuesday 26 April 2016, 6.30 until 9.00pm.

The candidates present were: (in alphabetical order and shown below, L→R) Cllr Stephen Churchman, Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru / Welsh Liberal Democrats, Lord Dafydd Elis-Thomas, Plaid Cymru / The Party of Wales, Rev Neil Fairlamb, Ceidwadwyr Cymru / Welsh Conservatives, Neil Hamilton (Lead Candidate for Mid & West Wales) along with Frank Wykes who was part of the audience (UK Independence Party), Cllr Louise Hughes, Annibynnol / Independent and Dr Ian MacIntyre, Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour.



Chairperson

The Chairperson was Bethan Jones Parry, Freelance Journalist and Broadcaster and the English / Welsh translation service was provided by Geiriau Gwyn.



Candidates

The hustings was attended by some 120 people. There were good presentations from the candidates and a lively question and answer session on austerity, the economy, education, health and the Welsh language followed. Informal discussions continued over a glass of wine at the end of what was a very relaxed and friendly hustings.