

NATION • CYMRU

Nation.Cymru is a not-for-profit online news service, mainly covering Welsh politics, current affairs, culture and sport.

The service launched in May 2017 and is owned by NATIONCYMRU CYF.

Nation.Cymru is funded by readers donations, a periodical's grant from the Books Council of Wales and advertising and currently average over one million views per month.

We also have 35,000 followers on Twitter and 32,000 on Facebook.

Last year the site accumulated over 13 million views and the statistics for 2023 thus far confirm the upward trajectory is being maintained.

CEO Mark Mansfield, writer and broadcaster Jon Gower and the company accountant David Roberts are the three directors of NATIONCYMRU CYF, a company limited by guarantee and incorporated in June 2018.

Our Editorial staff has expanded this year with the addition of, News Editor Emily Price, Rural Affairs Editor Siân Williams and Associate Editor Martin Shipton.

Mark Mansfield is the person responsible for dealing with matters relating to the Editor's Code of Practise and liaising with IPSO and any complainants. His contact email is mark.mansfield@nation.cymru

Editorial standards

The CEO, Emily Price and Martin Shipton are responsible for ensuring editorial standards meet those set out in in the code and any potential concerns are discussed on a daily basis, and all reporters have access to copies of the Editor's Code.

We also have several media law specialist we can use on an informal/freelance basis if required.

We would not publish a story unless we were confident that it was factually correct. Our freelance writers are also advised their contributions must be factual and legally sound and all are thoroughly checked before publication.

We are also aware that IPSO offers pre-publication advice on the Editors' Code and the public interest and would always seek this advice if we have any concerns.

Training

We have held a small number of short training sessions over the last 12 months including a seminar with a social media specialist when the new Facebook algorithm was introduced and sessions on photo editing and graphic design.

We hope to have the resources to introduce regular training for our staff over the next 12 months.

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Our complaints procedure is laid out on the 'Contact' page and reads:

Complaints

Nation.Cymru is a member of the Independent Press Standards Organisation (which regulates the UK's magazine and newspaper industry).

We abide by the [Editors' Code of Practice](#) and are committed to upholding the highest standards of journalism.

If you think that we have not met those standards and want to make a complaint, please contact our CEO Mark Mansfield at mark.mansfield@nation.cymru.

If we are unable to resolve your complaint, or if you would like more information about IPSO or the Editors' Code, contact IPSO on 0300 123 2220 or visit www.ipso.co.uk

Confidentiality

All information provided to Nation.Cymru will be handled sensitively and within the boundaries of the Data Protection Act 2018.

Logo

The IPSO Logo is displayed on every page of our website and our complaints procedure, including a link to the Editors Code, is detailed on the contacts page of the website. In the first instance anyone that has a complaint is asked to contact the CEO via email.

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We have not received any complaints in the past year.