1) Petrol Fuel Station.

It has been suggested by members of BHUG that in addition to the current diesel facility offered by GC, that it would be beneficial to both the harbour authority and harbour users if a petrol fuel facility was also offered.

It was suggested that not only would such a facility encourage visiting motor yachts and power boats to visit and provide additional revenue for the harbour authority, but that the lack of any such fueling option anywhere in Barmouth, is encouraging people to travel with large quantities of fuel in containers in, perhaps, less than ideal (and perhaps even dangerous) conditions. It was also suggested that boat owners filling tanks from containers, often without spill kits, may pose a risk of contamination to the harbour and marine environment.

The potential hazards, possible restrictions and difficulties of providing such a facility were recognised, but BHUG members urge GC to at least consider such an improvement to the harbour facilities.

2) Moorings.

- i) With regard to annual mooring charges, in the case of a mooring being unoccupied for a season, is there a policy for charging a reduced rate or retaining fee? If not could the Council consider such a policy?
- ii) Confirmation of ground tackle specification. If there is a stipulation for ground tackle, does this apply to all moorings or do the stipulations for temporary moorings differ from permanent moorings? Who is responsible for moorings, temporary or permanent, if they should drag and cause damage to a third party?
- iii) With concern for safety, BHUG members would request that the Three Peaks Moorings in the entrance to the harbour are marked by an illuminated bouy.

3) Pontoon Fingers.

Why have the pontoon fingers not been in position this season? If GC considers there to be a problem with them, are there plans to remedy the issue and reinstate them for next season?

4) Dead fish.

During September, the remains of over 270 filleted mullet were observed littering the harbour. Concern over the environmental issues this posed and the impact that such extensive fishing might have on the mullet population has been expressed by BHUG members. Is the Council aware of this and have they, or do they, intend to take any action?