

FELINFOEL WARD: ELECTORAL DIVISION PROFILE

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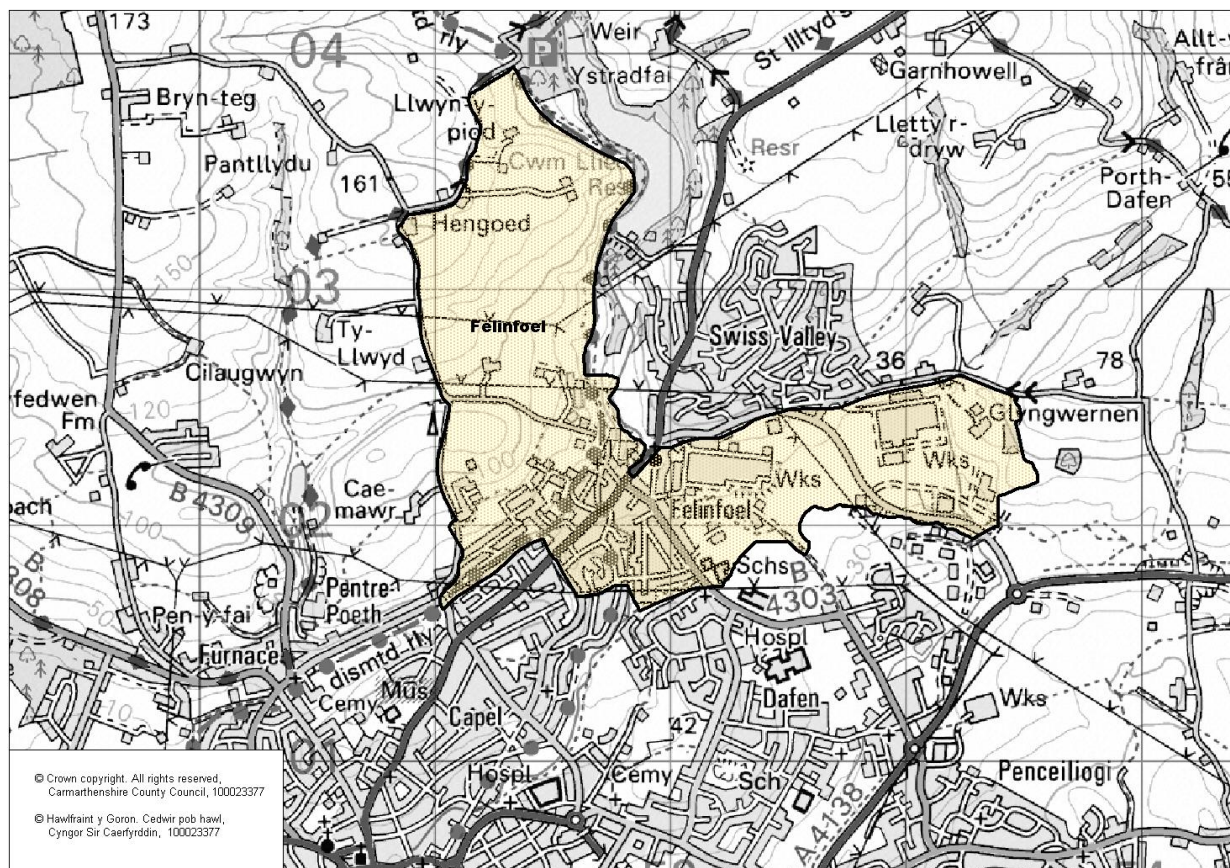
Councillors (Electoral Vote 2012): Hugh Richards (Independent). Turnout = 38.60%

Electorate (October 2011): 1461

Population: 1,925 (mid -2010 Estimate)

Welsh Assembly and UK Parliamentary Constituency: Llanelli

Council owned Facilities: Maeslliedi Respite Centre, Y Plas Care Home, Ysgol Y Felin, Felinfoel Community Centre.



Location: Approximately 32km from Carmarthen Town

- ⇒ Area: 2.38
- ⇒ Population Density: 809 people per km²
- ⇒ Population Change: 2001-2010: -25 (-1.3%)
- ⇒ Major Employers: Carmarthenshire County Council (schools and leisure)

POPULATION STATISTICS

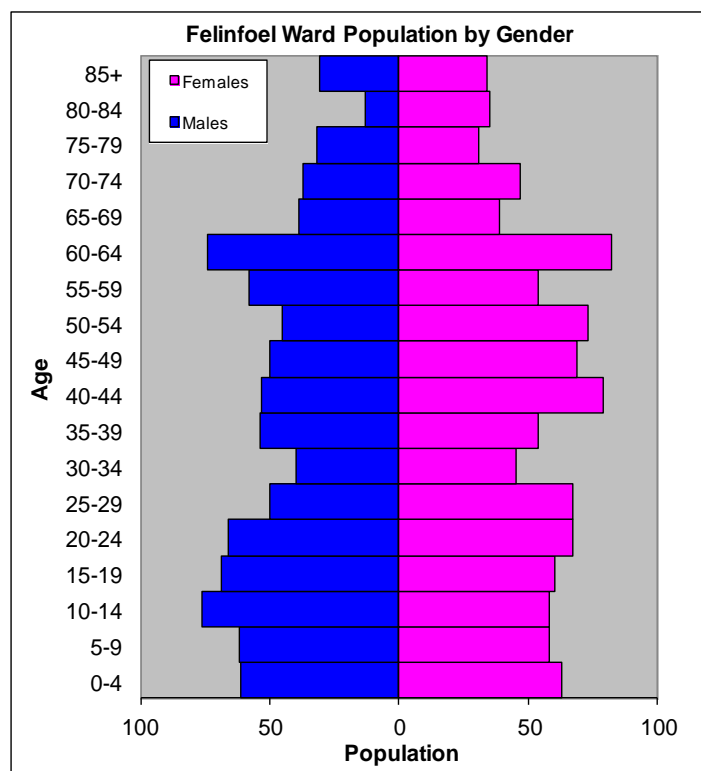
2010 Small Area Population Estimates

Age Structure	Felinfoel Population	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire %
Aged: 0-4	124	6.4	5.4
5-14	254	13.2	11.2
15-24	262	13.6	11.8
25-44	442	23.0	22.3
45-64	505	26.2	28.3
65-74	162	8.4	11.2
75+	176	9.1	11.5
Total	1,925	100	100

Births & Deaths	Felinfoel	Carmarthenshire
Birth (2010)	24	1,963
Births Rate	125.5	10.9
Deaths (2010)	27	2077
Death Rate	14.0	11.5

Source: Vital Statistics 2010, ONS.

Note: birth/death rates expressed per '000 population.



Source: aggregated lower Super Output Area (LSOA) Small Area Population Estimates, 2010, Office for National Statistics (ONS)

- ⇒ 5th lowest ward population in Carmarthenshire, and 10th highest population density.
- ⇒ Highest proportion of people aged over 45, proportion aged 65-74 is lower than the Carmarthenshire average.
- ⇒ Higher proportion of people with no qualifications and limiting long-term illness
- ⇒ Lower proportion of Welsh Speakers than the Carmarthenshire average.

2001 Census Data

Population: Key Facts	Felinfoel	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire
People: born in Wales	1745	89.58	80.07
born outside UK	23	1.18	1.93
in non-white ethnic groups	18	0.92	0.94
with limiting long-term illness	618	31.72	26.27
with no qualifications (aged 16-74)	577	43.65	34.04
with higher level qualifications (aged 16-74)	137	10.36	17.24
able to speak Welsh	631	33.48	50.07

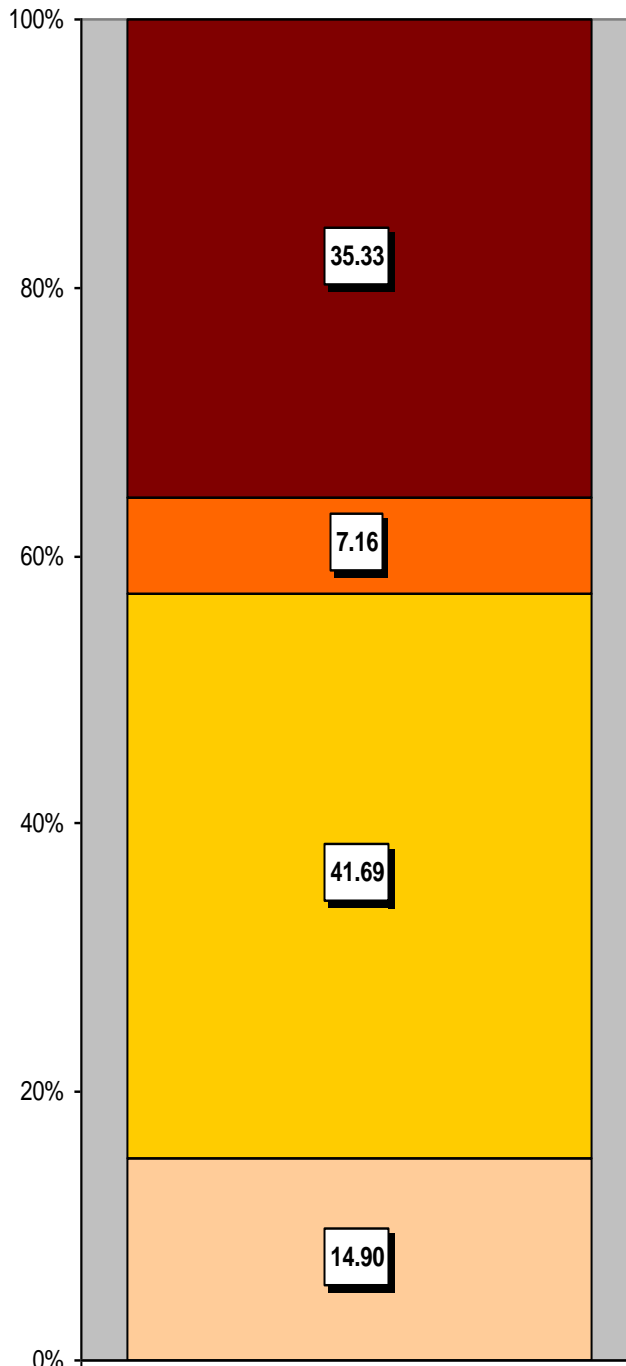
Household Composition	Felinfoel	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire
Total Households/ (Average Household Size)	818	(2.33)	(2.33)
Household Type: one person: pensioner	143	17.48	17.15
one person: other	106	12.96	12.81
one family: all pensioners	78	9.54	10.38
one family: married couple	277	33.87	37.35
one family: cohabiting couple	48	5.87	6.26
one family: lone parent	113	13.81	10.29
one family: other	53	6.48	5.79

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

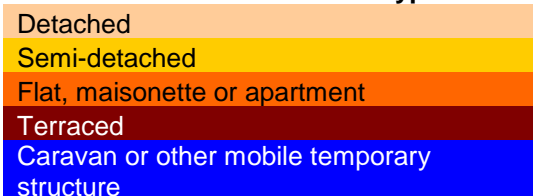
HOUSING

The area's housing consists mostly of semi-detached and terraced houses. There is a higher proportion detached in comparison to the number of flat/maisonette or apartments. The ward consists of 299 local authority owned properties and 8 Housing Association properties.

Household Accommodation Types



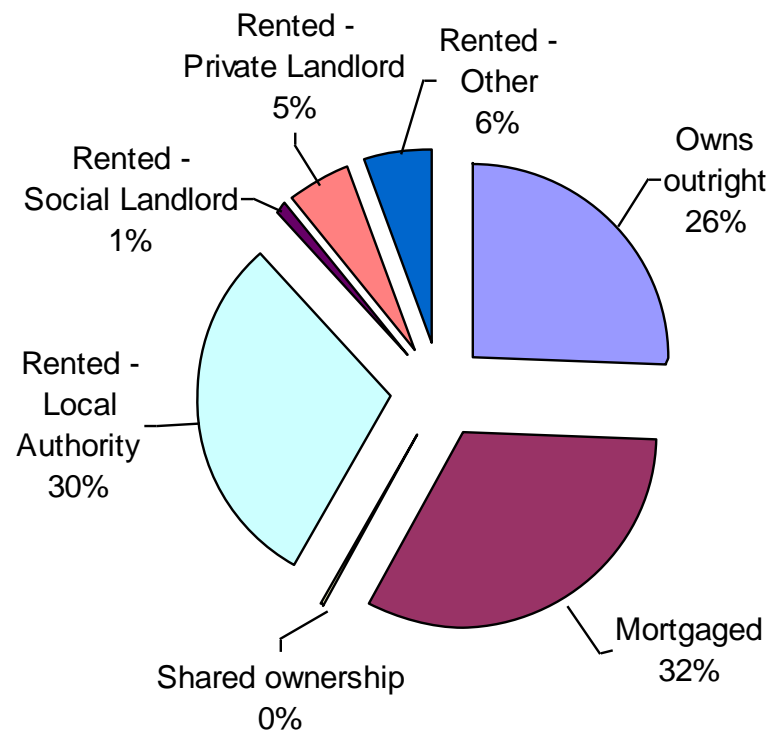
Household Accommodation Types



Household Tenure

Owns outright	26%
Mortgaged	32%
Shared Ownership	0%
Rented from Local Authority	30%
Rented from Registered Social Landlord	1%
Rented from Private Landlord	5%
Rented from other	6%

Household Tenure



SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

- ⇒ The estimated median household income for Felinfoel, based on CACI's 2011 'PayCheck' data, is £19,356 which is the 3rd lowest (of 58 wards) in Carmarthenshire and 33.6% below the Carmarthenshire mean of £29,156.
- ⇒ The social profile information indicates a higher than average level of people on state benefit, unemployment or low grade workers (grade E) and a higher than average semi-skilled and unskilled manual workers (grade D).

Social Profile	Felinfoel	%	Carmarthenshire %
<i>All people aged 16-74 in households</i>	1488	100	100
AB: Higher and intermediate managerial/professional	150	10.08	16.42
C1: Supervisory, clerical, junior managerial/professional	342	22.98	28.5
C2: Skilled manual workers	229	15.39	18.81
D: Semi-skilled and unskilled manual workers	421	28.29	17.88
E: On state benefit, unemployed, lowest grade workers	346	23.25	18.38

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

ECONOMY AND LABOUR MARKET

Benefit Claimants	Felinfoel	Rate %	Carmarthenshire Working Population %
Unemployment Benefit (JSA): March 2012	53	4.5	3.4
Incapacity Benefits (ESA/IB/SDA) August 2011	165	13.9	10.6
Income Support: August 2011	110	9.3	4.8
Disability Living Allowance: August 2011	250	21.0	14.6
Pension Credit: August 2011	160	13.5	9.1
State Pension Claimants: August 2011	400	33.6	38.8

Source: Jobcentre Plus administrative system Dept. for Work & Pensions

Economic Status (people aged 16-74)	Felinfoel	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire %
Economically Active	727	55	58.6
Employees: Part-time	151	11.42	10.75
Employees: Full-time	428	32.38	32.67
Self-employed	63	4.77	10.02
Unemployed	62	4.69	3.37
Full-time Student	23	1.74	1.78
Economically Inactive	595	45.01	41.4
Retired	168	12.71	16.12
Student	47	3.56	4.51
Looking after home/family	93	7.03	6.23
Permanently sick/disabled	226	17.1	11.07
Other	61	4.61	3.47

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

WELSH INDEX OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (WIMD)

WIMD 2011 based on fine-grained geography of lower Super Output Areas (LSOAs). The WIMD 2011 is compiled from eight domains, Income, Employment, Health, Education, Housing, Access to Services, Physical Environment and Community Safety and is published at Lower Super Output Area of which there are 112 in Carmarthenshire.

Under WIMD, where Rank 1 is the most deprived, **Felinfoel** ranks 15 out of 112 LSOAs in Carmarthenshire and is ranked 419 in Wales from 1896 LSOAs.

The highest level of deprivation attributed to **Felinfoel** is the Education domain, being ranked 11th in Carmarthenshire and 402 in Wales for this domain.

LSOA	Overall Index		Domains: Income		Employment		Health		Education		Housing		Access to Services		Physical Environment		Community Safety	
	15	419	12	342	15	347	18	394	11	402	46	935	92	1210	25	434	27	970
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Source: Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation 2011 (released August 2011), Welsh Assembly Government.

Note: LSOAs ranked 1-112 (Carmarthenshire), 1-1896 (Wales).

CRIME

Fiscal Year (1st April to 31st March)	Offence Group										Annual Total
	Violence against the Person	Sexual Offences	Robbery	Burglary	Auto crime	General Theft	Fraud and Forgery	Criminal Damage	Drug Offences	Other	
2008/2009	41	2	0	15	8	17	0	35	17	1	136
2009/2010	28	3	0	13	5	15	3	26	14	0	107
2010/2011	32	2	1	8	6	21	4	22	16	3	115

Source: Dyfed Powys Police, Headquarters, Llangunor.

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