

## PEMBREY WARD: ELECTORAL DIVISION PROFILE

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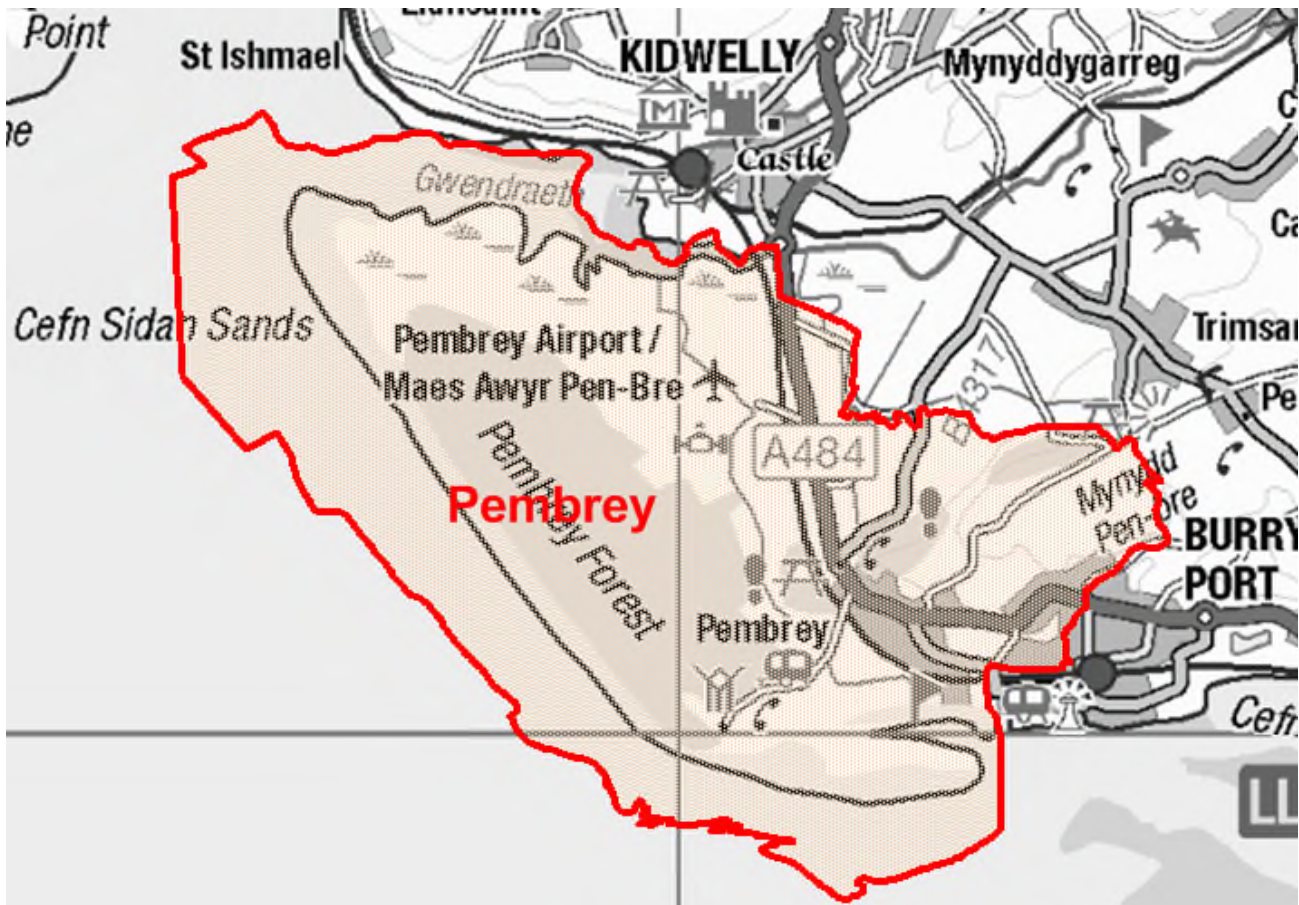
**Councillors (Electoral Vote 2017 – Turnout = 44.94%):** Shirley Matthews (Labour) and Hugh Shepardson (Independent)

**Electorate (December 2017):** 3,376

**Population:** 4,208 (2016 Mid Year Population Estimates, ONS)

**Welsh Assembly and UK Parliamentary Constituency:** Llanelli

**Council owned Facilities:** Ysgol Parc y Tywyn, Pembrey C.P. School, Burry Port Infant C.P. School, Ysgol Glan Y Mor, Pembrey Community Centre, Burry Port Library, Pembrey Country Park, Pembrey Airfield, Cwm Capel Quarry, Glencoe Picnic Site, Gwscwm Quarry (Burry Port), Pembrey Motor Sports Centre, Factory Road Playing Field, Factory Road Car Park.



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**Location: Approximately 21k from Carmarthen Town**

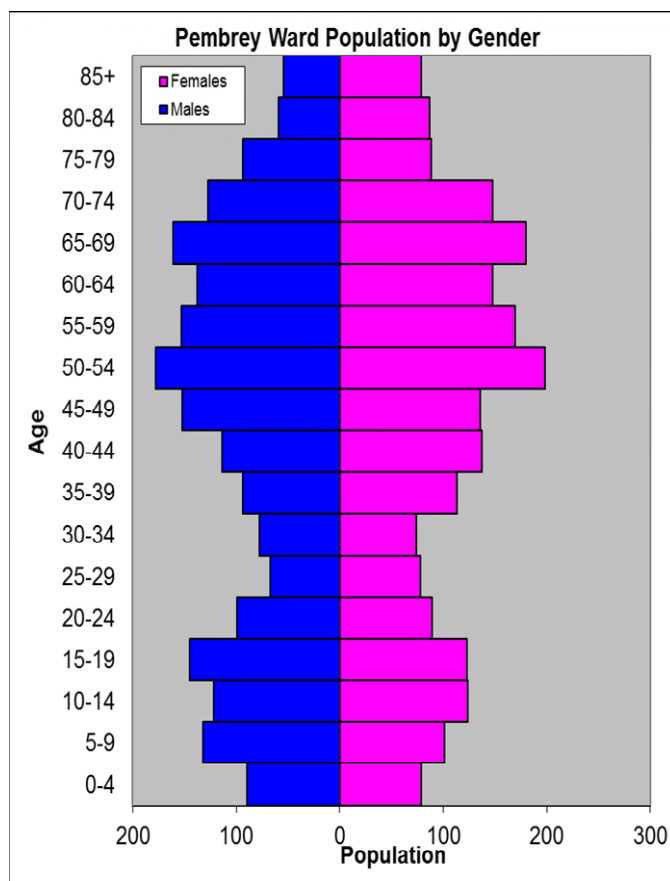
- ⇒ Area: 54.52km<sup>2</sup>
- ⇒ Population Density: 77 people per km<sup>2</sup>
- ⇒ Population Change: 2011-2016: -93 (-2.2%)
- ⇒ Major Employers: Carmarthenshire County Council (schools and leisure)

## POPULATION STATISTICS

### 2016 Mid Year Population Estimates

Age Structure	Pembrey Population	Pembrey %	Carmarthenshire %
Aged: 0-4	169	4.0	5.3
5-14	479	11.4	11.3
15-24	456	10.8	10.8
25-44	755	17.9	21.6
45-64	1,272	30.2	28.0
65-74	616	14.6	12.8
75+	461	11.0	10.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,208</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

Source: aggregated lower Super Output Area (LSOA) Small Area Population Estimates, 2016, Office for National Statistics (ONS)



- ⇒ 11<sup>th</sup> highest ward population in Carmarthenshire, and 22<sup>nd</sup> lowest population density.
- ⇒ Highest proportion of people aged over 45, proportion aged 65-74 slightly higher than the Carmarthenshire Average.
- ⇒ Slightly higher proportion of people with higher level qualifications and limiting long-term illness.
- ⇒ Low proportion of Welsh Speakers

## 2011 Census Data

Population: Key Facts	Pembrey	Pembrey %	Carmarthenshire
<b>People:</b> born in Wales	3265	75.9	76.0
born outside UK	134	3.1	4.1
in non-white ethnic groups	45	1.0	1.9
with limiting long-term illness	1191	27.7	25.4
with no qualifications (aged 16-74)	869	24.9	26.8
with higher level qualifications (aged 16-74)	848	24.3	23.9
able to speak Welsh	1301	31.1	43.9

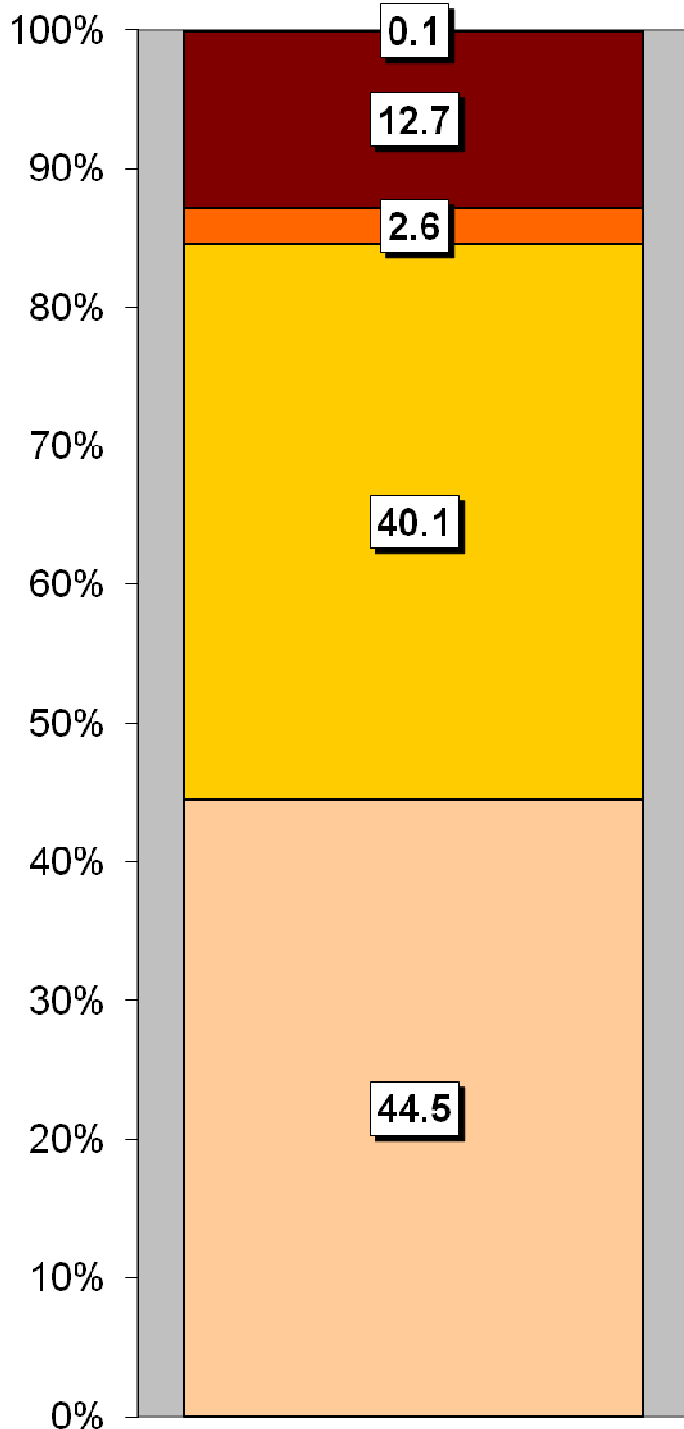
Household Composition	Pembrey	Pembrey %	Carmarthenshire
<b>Total Households/</b> (Average Household Size)	1807	(2.4)	(2.3)
Household Type: one person: pensioner	260	14.4	14.8
one person: other	224	12.4	15.4
one family: all pensioners	229	12.7	9.8
one family: married couple	627	34.7	34.1
one family: cohabiting couple	147	8.1	8.7
one family: lone parent	216	12.0	11.3
one family: other	104	5.7	5.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

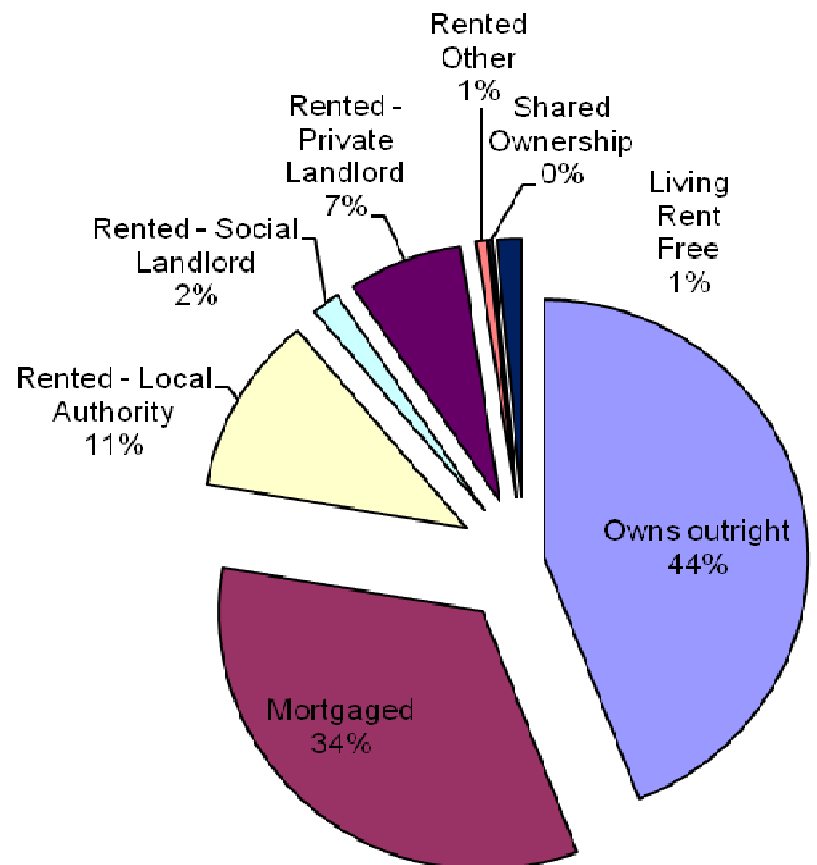
## HOUSING

The area's housing consists mostly of detached and semi-detached houses with a small proportion of flat/maisonette or apartments and terraced housing. The ward consists of 202 local authority owned properties and 30 Housing Association properties.

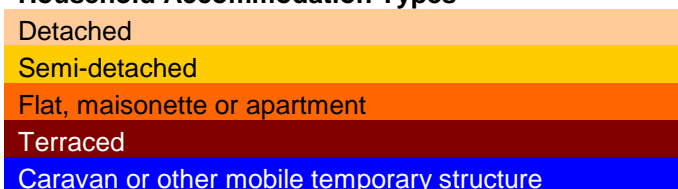
### Household Accommodation Types



Household Tenure	%
Owns outright	44.2
Mortgaged	33.6
Rented - Local Authority	11.2
Rented - Social Landlord	1.7
Rented - Private Landlord	7
Rented - Other	0.7
Shared Ownership	0.2
Living Rent Free	1.5



### Household Accommodation Types



## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

- ⇒ The estimated median household income for Pembrey, based on CACI's 2017 'PayCheck' data, is £26,368 which is the 29<sup>th</sup> highest (of 58 wards) in Carmarthenshire and 3.8% above the Carmarthenshire median of £25,365.
- ⇒ The social profile information indicates a higher than average level of people in higher/lower managerial and professional administrative occupations (Levels 1-2) and a lower than average number of small employers and own account workers (Level 4).

Social Profile	Pembrey	%	Carmarthenshire %
<i>All people aged 16-74 in households</i>	3042	100	100
<b>1: Higher Managerial &amp; Professional Admin. Occupations</b>	452	14.9	13.8
<b>2: Lower Managerial &amp; Professional Admin. Occupations</b>	663	21.8	19.9
<b>3: Intermediate Occupations</b>	388	12.8	11.6
<b>4: Small Employers &amp; Own Account Workers</b>	289	9.5	12.6
<b>5: Lower Supervisory &amp; Technical Occupations</b>	278	9.1	7.6
<b>6: Semi-routine Occupations</b>	494	16.2	16.7
<b>7: Routine Occupations</b>	389	12.8	13.0
<b>8: Never Worked &amp; Long Term Unemployed</b>	136	4.5	4.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

## ECONOMY AND LABOUR MARKET

Benefit Claimants	Pembrey	Rate %	Carmarthenshire Working Population %
Unemployment Benefit (JSA): November 2017	28	1.1	1.0
Incapacity Benefits (ESA/IB/SDA) May 2017	230	9.3	9.1
Income Support: May 2017	45	1.8	1.6
Disability Living Allowance: May 2017	200	8.1	7.2
Pension Credit: May 2017 (Population 65+)	180	17.3	16.5
State Pension Claimants: May 2017	1,155	-	-

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

Economic Status (people aged 16-74)	Pembrey	Pembrey %	Carmarthenshire %
<b>Economically Active</b>	1861	61.2	64.9
Employees: Part-time	419	13.8	13.9
Employees: Full-time	985	32.4	33.7
Self-employed	261	8.6	11.0
Unemployed	129	4.2	3.7
Full-time Student	67	2.2	2.5
<b>Economically Inactive</b>	1181	38.8	35.1
Retired	678	22.3	18.1
Student	117	3.8	4.5
Looking after home/family	118	3.9	3.8
Permanently sick/disabled	221	7.3	6.8
Other	47	1.5	1.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

## WELSH INDEX OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (WIMD)

WIMD 2014 based on fine-grained geography of lower Super Output Areas (LSOAs). The WIMD 2014 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, **Pembrey 1** ranks 109 in Carmarthenshire from 112 LSOAs and is ranked 1637 in Wales from 1909 LSOAs. Whilst **Pembrey 2** ranks as the 11<sup>th</sup> most deprived area in Carmarthenshire and is ranked 400 from 1909 LSOAs in Wales.

The highest level of deprivation attributed to **Pembrey 1** is the Health domain, being ranked 77<sup>th</sup> in Carmarthenshire and 1077 in Wales for this domain. In **Pembrey 2** the Employment domain is the most prominent ranking 10<sup>th</sup> in Carmarthenshire and 292 in Wales.

### Pembrey 1 – Achddu and Motor Sports Centre

### Pembrey 2 – Ashburnham to Pembrey Country Park

LSOA	Overall Index		Income		Employment		Health		Education		Access to Services		Community Safety		Physical Environment		Housing	
	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales
Pembrey 1	163	109	152	103	1386	96	107	77	153	102	96	80	1835	0	144	89	181	110
Pembrey 2	400	13	407	11	292	10	535	30	413	14	45	99	1058	37	178	110	435	14

Source: Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation 2014 (updated August 2016), Welsh Assembly Government.

Note: LSOAs ranked 1-112 (Carmarthenshire), 1-1909 (Wales).

## CRIME

Pembrey	Offence Group												Annual Total
	Arson & Criminal Damage	Burglary – Business & Community	Burglary – Residential	Drug Offences	Miscellaneous Crime Against Society	Possession of Weapons	Public Order Offences	Robbery	Sexual Offences	Theft	Vehicle Offences	Violence Against the Person	
<b>2016/2017</b>	9	3	2	0	2	0	3	1	6	35	9	21	<b>91</b>

Source: Dyfed Powys Police, Headquarters, Llangunnor.

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