

PEMBREY WARD: ELECTORAL DIVISION PROFILE

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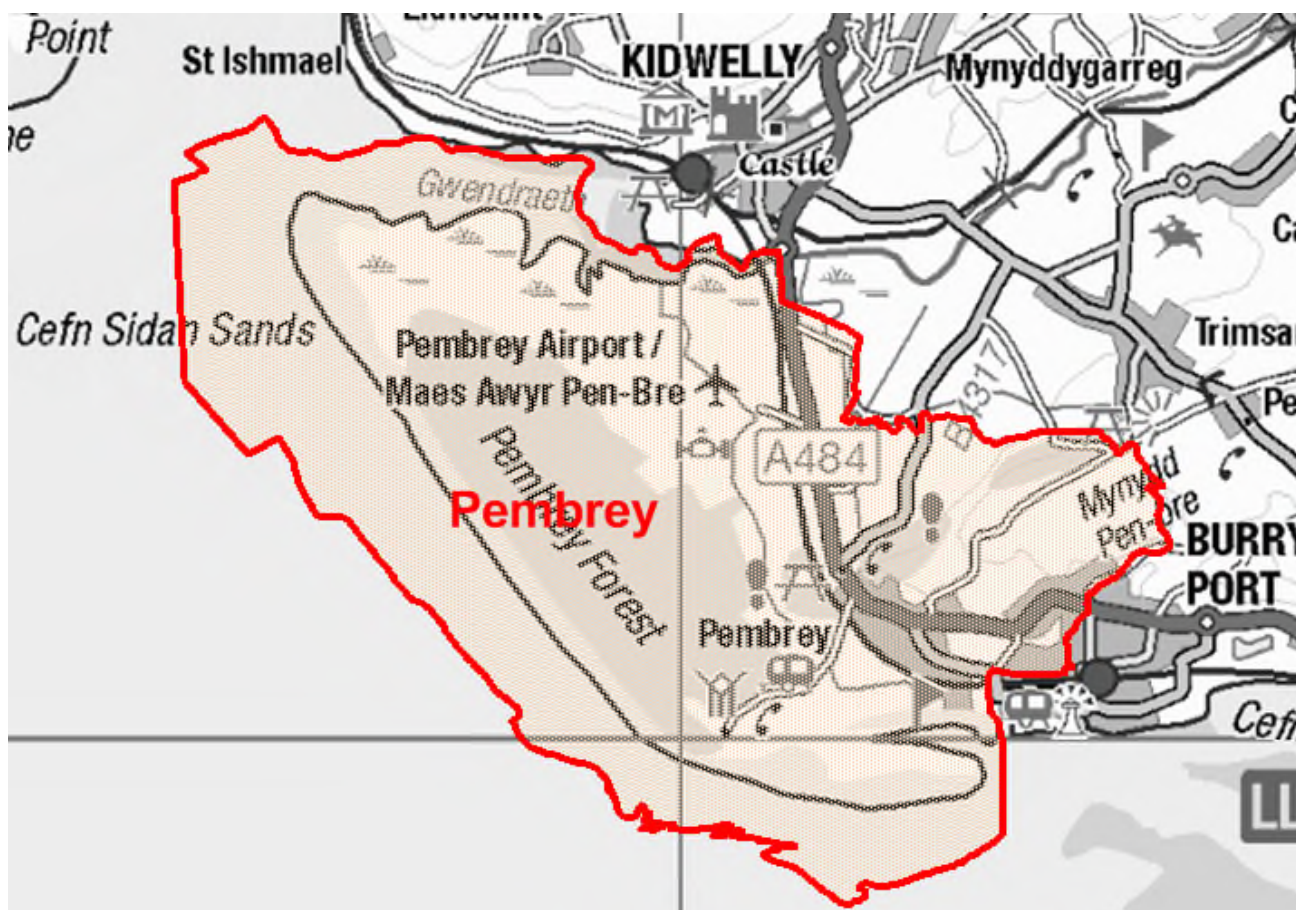
Councillors (Electoral Vote 2017 – Turnout = 44.94%): Shirley Matthews (Labour) and Hugh Shepardson (Independent)

Electorate (December 2018): 3,358

Population: 4,128 (2017 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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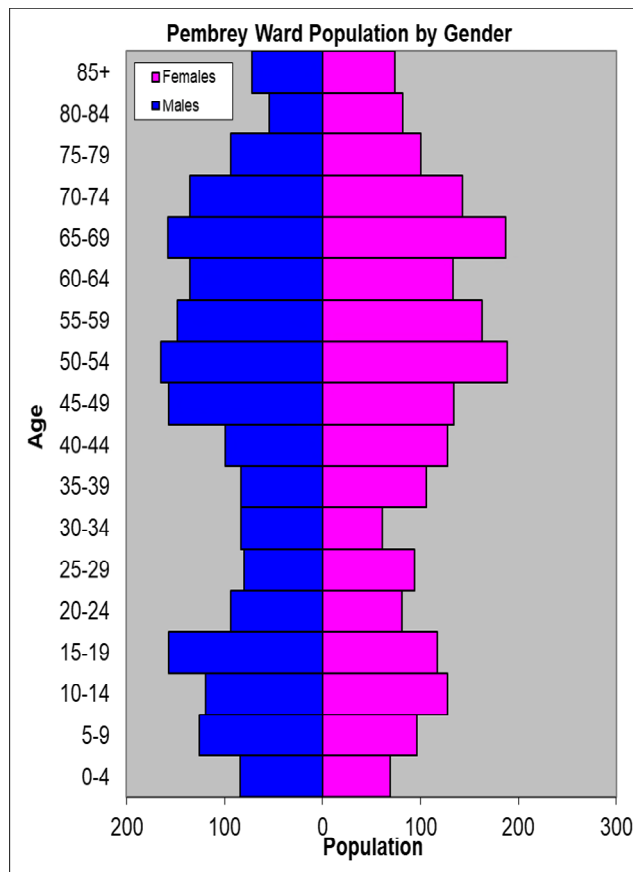
Location: Approximately 21k from Carmarthen Town

- ⇒ Area: 54.52km²
- ⇒ Population Density: 76 people per km²
- ⇒ Population Change: 2011-2017: -173 (-4.0%)
- ⇒ Major Employers: Carmarthenshire County Council (schools and leisure)

POPULATION STATISTICS 2017 Mid Year Population Estimates

| Age Structure | Pembrey Population | Pembrey % | Carmarthenshire % |
|---------------|--------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Aged: 0-4 | 153 | 3.7 | 5.2 |
| 5-14 | 469 | 11.4 | 11.4 |
| 15-24 | 449 | 10.9 | 10.5 |
| 25-44 | 734 | 17.8 | 21.6 |
| 45-64 | 1,224 | 29.7 | 28.0 |
| 65-74 | 623 | 15.1 | 13.0 |
| 75+ | 476 | 11.5 | 10.3 |
| Total | 4,128 | 100 | 100 |

Source: aggregated lower Super Output Area (LSOA) Small Area Population Estimates, 2017, Office for National Statistics (ONS)



- ⇒ 15th highest ward population in Carmarthenshire, and 22nd 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 |
|---|---------|-----------|-----------------|
| People: 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 |

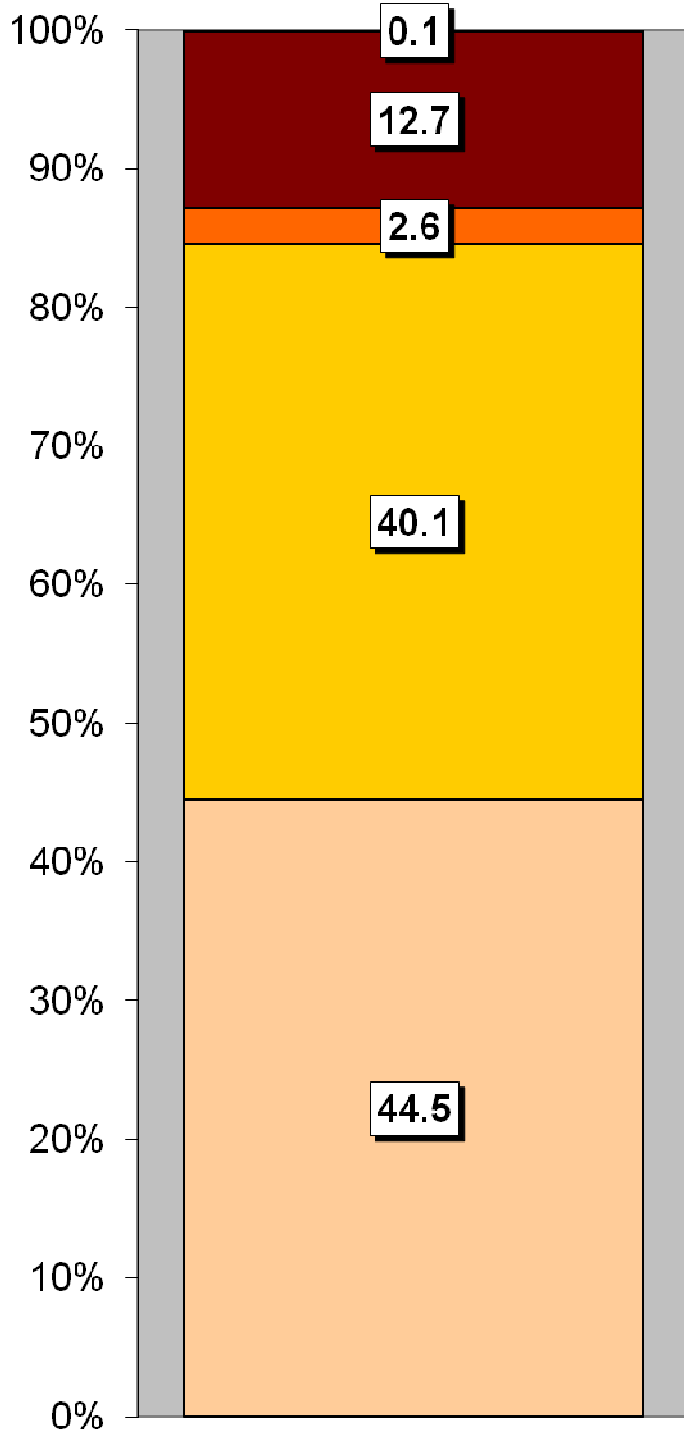
| Household Composition | Pembrey | Pembrey % | Carmarthenshire |
|---|---------|-----------|-----------------|
| Total Households/ (Average Household Size) | 1807 | (2.4) | (2.3) |
| Household Type: one person: pensioner | 260 | 14.4 | 14.8 |
| one person: other | 224 | 12.4 | 15.4 |
| one family: all 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

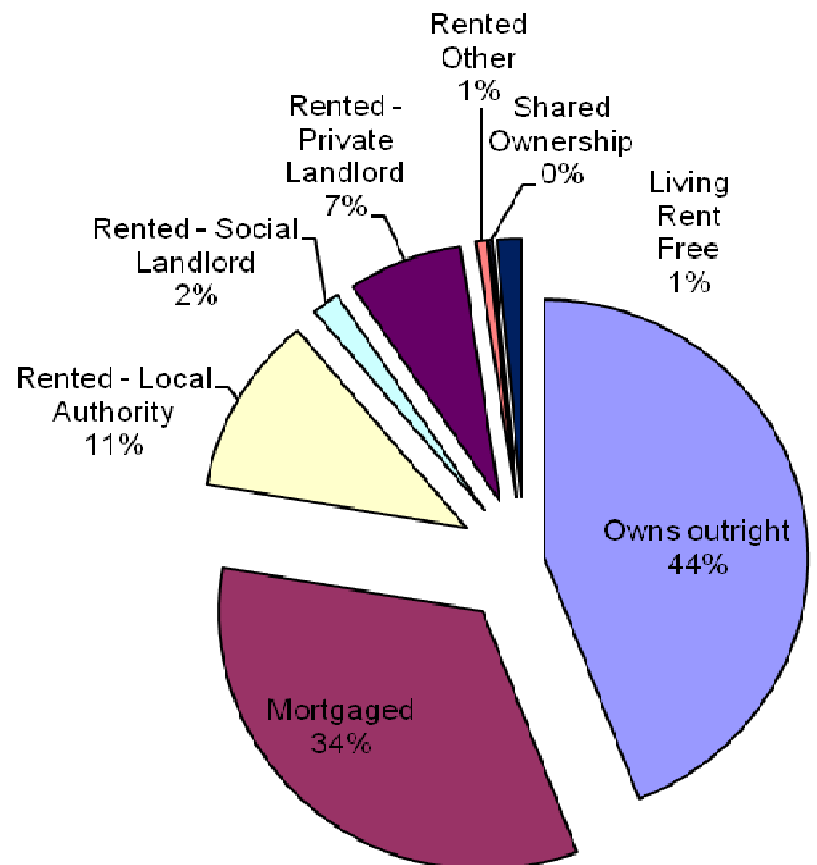
HOUSING

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.

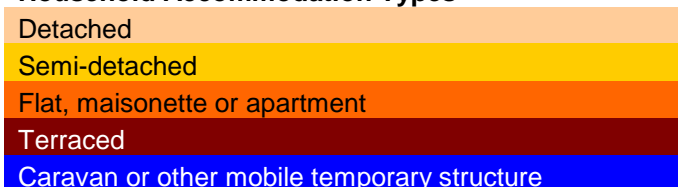
Household Accommodation Types



| 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 2018 'PayCheck' data, is £27,102 which is the 28th highest (of 58 wards) in Carmarthenshire and 6% above the Carmarthenshire median of £25,488.
- ⇒ 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 |
| 1: Higher Managerial & Professional Admin. Occupations | 452 | 14.9 | 13.8 |
| 2: Lower Managerial & Professional Admin. Occupations | 663 | 21.8 | 19.9 |
| 3: Intermediate Occupations | 388 | 12.8 | 11.6 |
| 4: Small Employers & Own Account Workers | 289 | 9.5 | 12.6 |
| 5: Lower Supervisory & Technical Occupations | 278 | 9.1 | 7.6 |
| 6: Semi-routine Occupations | 494 | 16.2 | 16.7 |
| 7: Routine Occupations | 389 | 12.8 | 13.0 |
| 8: Never Worked & Long Term Unemployed | 136 | 4.5 | 4.9 |

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

ECONOMY AND LABOUR MARKET

| Benefit Claimants | Pembrey | Rate % | Carmarthenshire Working Population % |
|---|---------|--------|--------------------------------------|
| Unemployment Benefit (JSA): November 2018 | 34 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| Incapacity Benefits (ESA/IB/SDA) May 2018 | 230 | 9.5 | 9.0 |
| Income Support: May 2018 | 45 | 1.9 | 1.5 |
| Disability Living Allowance: May 2018 | 175 | 7.2 | 6.2 |
| Pension Credit: May 2018 (Population 65+) | 185 | 17.2 | 15.3 |
| State Pension Claimants: May 2018 | 1,150 | - | - |

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

| Economic Status (people aged 16-74) | Pembrey | Pembrey % | Carmarthenshire % |
|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------|-------------------|
| Economically Active | 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 |
| Economically Inactive | 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 11th 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 77th in Carmarthenshire and 1077 in Wales for this domain. In **Pembrey 2** the Employment domain is the most prominent ranking 10th 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 | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score | Rank | Score |
| Pembrey 1 | 163 | 107 | 152 | 103 | 1386 | 96 | 107 | 77 | 153 | 102 | 96 | 80 | 1835 | 100 | 144 | 89 | 181 | 110 |
| Pembrey 2 | 400 | 13 | 407 | 11 | 292 | 10 | 535 | 30 | 413 | 14 | 45 | 49 | 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 | |
| 2017/2018 | 24 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 25 | 0 | 78 | 159 |

Source: Dyfed Powys Police, Headquarters, Llangunnor.

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