

Visit of President Nathalie Roy, Président de l'Assemblée Nationale du Québec

9-11 June 2024

Programme: updated: 10.06.2024

Delegation:

1. Mme **Nathalie Roy**, Présidente de l'Assemblée nationale du Québec
2. Mme **Lucie Lecours**, MNA for Les Plaines (Coalition Avenir Québec)
3. M. **Claude Reid**, MNA for Beauharnois (Coalition Avenir Québec)
4. Mme **Elisabeth Prass**, MNA for D'Arcy-McGee (Parti libéral du Québec)
5. M. François Arsenault, Associate Secretary General
6. Mme Romane St-Laurent, Speaker's office
7. Mme Mélissa Morin, International Relations Officer.

Sunday 9 June

14:20 – Arrival at Cardiff Castle

14:30 – Tour of Cardiff Castle

Free evening.

Monday 10 June

Morning – Québec arranged programme

15:00 Arrival at St Ffagans

17:00 Depart St Ffagans

Free evening.



Tuesday 11 June

08:20 Arrival at the Senedd.

Welcomed at VIP Door by the Llywydd, Elin Jones MS and Manon Antoniazzi, Chief Executive & Clerk of the Senedd.

09.15 Session 1: Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport and International Relations Committee (CCWLSIR)

Participants:

Alun Davies MS

Carolyn Thomas MS

Llyr Gruffydd MS (tbc)

Lleu Williams, Committee Clerk:

Sara Moran (Research Service)

Madelaine Philips (Research Services)

Location: Committee Room 4 (Ty Hywel Ground Floor)

10.00 Session 2 Women's Caucus / Women in Parliament

Participants:

Carolyn Thomas MS

Sioned Williams MS

Natasha Asghar MS

Location: Committee Room 4 (Ty Hywel Ground Floor)

10.50 *Comfort Break*

11.00 Session 3: The Senedd's Official Languages Scheme

Arwyn Jones, Director of Communications & Engagement.
Mair Parry Jones, Head of Translation and Reporting Services
Sarah Dafydd, OLS Manager.

Location: Committee Room 4 (Ty Hywel Ground Floor)

12.00 Lunch hosted by the Deputy Presiding Officer, David Rees MS

Participants:

Delyth Jewell MS – Chair, CCWLIRS Committee

Jane Dodds MS – Member, Equality and Social Justice Committee

Buffy Williams MS – Chair, Children, Young People and Education Committee

Rhun ap Iorwerth MS (Chair, Senedd CPA Branch) – TBC
Al Davies, International Relations/Private Office

Location: Members' Dining Room (Ty Hywel First Floor)

13.20 Transfer to the Oriel (Public Viewing Gallery)

13.30 Opportunity to Observe Plenary and Questions to the First Minister

Official Recognition for Speaker Roy

14:30 Session 4 – Overview of Senedd Business, Current developments and priorities at the Senedd

Julian Luke –Head of Policy and Legislation Committee Services.

Location: Committee Room 4 (Ty Hywel Ground Floor).

15.30 End of Official Programme

19.00 Official Dinner hosted by the Llywydd – Porro, Llandaf.

Attending:

- Joyce Watson MS – Senedd Commissioner with responsibility for Equality, and Chair of the Women’s Caucus.
- Adam Price MS – Senedd Commissioner for Official Languages
- Manon Antoniazzi – Chief Executive and Clerk of the Senedd
- Gwion Evans, Senior Private Secretary to the Llywydd.

21:30 End of Official Programme in Wales.