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Crynodeb o wybodaeth | Summary of information

Lleoliad Repository:	Llyfrgell Genedlaethol Cymru = The National Library of Wales
Teitl Title:	South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association Records
Cod cyfeirnod Reference code:	GB 0210 SWMFA
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Dyddiad Date:	1892-1962 (dyddiad creu date of creation)
Disgrifiad ffisegol Physical description:	0.063 cubic metres (34 vols)
Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:	ARCH/MSS (GB0210)
Iaith Language:	English
Dyddiadau creu, golygu a dileu Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	October 2002
Nodyn Note [generalNote]:	Title supplied from provenance

Hanes gweinyddol / Braslun bywgraffyddol | Administrative history | Biographical sketch

Nodyn | Note

The South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association was established in 1893 under the presidency of Captain Morgan Lindsey, with Mr Charles Axtell as secretary. Although it was answerable to the Football Association of Wales, it was the governing body of soccer in South Wales and was responsible for the development of the game in the region. A central part of the Association was the competitions that it sanctioned, in particular the South Wales Senior Cup. Also, the Association ran two senior leagues in

their early days, the South Wales League which was formed in 1890, and the Rhymney Valley League formed in 1903.

The game of football in Wales had previously been dominated by the North, and the South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association did much to broaden the appeal of the sport in South Wales. The game grew quickly in the area and by 1929 there were over 800 clubs, with a total of nearly 20,000 players registered with the Association. As well as clubs and players, many leagues and competitions were sanctioned by the Association, and it was also responsible for referees in the area. It also held annual general meetings, annual meetings to consider the rules of the Association, finance committee meetings, emergency committee meetings and other meetings to consider various matters.

The South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association came to an end following the 1967-1968 season. The Football Association of Wales decided to restructure the football associations in Wales and proposed to set up new 'Area Football Associations' throughout the country. As a result of this restructuring, the Association was split into three separate associations by the beginning of the 1968-1969 season: The South Wales Football Association; The Monmouthshire County Football Association; and The West Wales Football Association.

Natur a chynnwys | Scope and content

The fonds comprises minutes, 1892-1962, of meetings of the committees of the South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association, together with match programmes and newspaper cuttings. There is also a separate account book, 1892-1894.

Nodiadau | Notes

Nodiadau teitl | Title notes

Ffynhonnell | Immediate source of acquisition

Deposited by the Football Association of Wales per Mr D. G. Collins, Secretary General, March 1998.; C1998/8

Trefniant | Arrangement

Arranged at NLW into two series: account books and minute books.

Cyfyngiadau ar fynediad | Restrictions on access

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Disgrifiadau deunydd | Related material

Football Association of Wales Records, 1893-1986, are also held at NLW.

Ychwanegiadau | Accruals

Accruals are not expected

Nodiadau eraill | Other notes

Pwyntiau mynediad | Access points

- South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association -- Archives.
- Soccer -- Wales, South (pwnc) | (subject)

Llyfryddiaeth | Bibliography

The records were used by Martin Johnes for his unpublished PhD thesis 'That other Game: A Social History of Soccer in South Wales c.1906-39', Cardiff 1998.

Disgrifiad cyfres | Series descriptions

Cyfres | Series 1 vtls004272276 (WIAbNL)0000272276: Account books

Dyddiad | Date: 1892-1894 (dyddiad creu) | (date of creation)

Natur a chynnwys | Scope and content:

The series consists of a volume containing the accounts of The South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association during the 1892-1893 and 1893-1894 seasons. The accounts contain details of both receipts and expenditure. The volume also contains two newspaper cuttings and a leaflet for the Annual General Meeting of the Association in 1894. After 1894, the accounts of the Association

were included in the minute books. A balance sheet was usually presented at the Association's Annual General Meeting.

Disgrifiad ffisegol | Physical description: 1 vol.

Lleoliad ffisegol | Physical location: ARCH/MSS (GB0210)

Nodyn | Note [generalNote]:

Preferred citation: 1

Pwyntiau mynediad | Access points:

- Accounts (ffurfiau dogfennol) | (documentary form)

Trefniant | Arrangement:

Arranged chronologically

FFeil / rhestr eitemau | File / item list

Cod cyfeirnod Reference code	Teitl Title	Dyddiadau Dates	Disgrifiad ffisegol Physical description
1/1 vtls004272298 (WIAbNL)0000272298	File - Account book <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 1/1 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1892, June - 1894, August	1 cm.

Cyfres | Series 2 vtls004272309 (WIAbNL)0000272309: Minute books

Dyddiad | Date: 1892-1962 (dyddiad creu) | (date of creation)

Natur a chynnwys | Scope and content:

The series consists of bound volumes containing minutes of the meetings of the South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association, 1892-1962. Included are minutes of the Association's regular General Committee meetings, together with meetings of the committees and sub-committees beneath the Association, such as the annual 'Rules' meeting, Finance Committee, Emergency Committee, League Sanction Committee and various sub-committees. From 1894 onwards, the minute books also contain the Association's accounts with details of both receipts and expenditure. Most of the minute books also contain details of fixtures and results for the cups run by the Association, lists of affiliated leagues, clubs and referees, and information about them. The earlier volumes contain mostly handwritten minutes, but the later ones have mostly typed minutes pasted into the volumes. The volumes also include letters notifying members of various meetings, some minutes of meetings of the Football Association of Wales, some newspaper cuttings, and election forms for electing vice-presidents and committee members.

Disgrifiad ffisegol | Physical description: 33 vols

Lleoliad ffisegol | Physical location: ARCH/MSS (GB0210)

<p><u>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</u></p> <p>Preferred citation: 2</p> <p><u>Pwyntiau mynediad Access points:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corporate minutes. (ffurfiau dogfennol) (documentary form) <p><u>Trefniant Arrangement:</u></p> <p>Arranged chronologically</p>			
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Cod cyfeirnod Reference code	Teitl Title	Dyddiadau Dates	Disgrifiad ffisegol Physical description
2/1 vtls004272358 (WIAbNL)0000272358	<p>File - Minute book</p> <p><i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: 2/1</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>	1892, September - 1894, May	1 cm.
2/2 vtls004272366 (WIAbNL)0000272366	<p>File - Minute book</p> <p><i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: 2/2</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>	1894, September - 1898, June	2.5 cm.
2/3 vtls004272369 (WIAbNL)0000272369	<p>File - Minute book</p> <p><i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: 2/3</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>	1898, September - 1899, September	2 cm.
2/4 vtls004272372 (WIAbNL)0000272372	<p>File - Minute book</p> <p><i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: 2/4</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>	1899, September - 1901, September	2.5 cm.
2/5 vtls004272373 (WIAbNL)0000272373	<p>File - Minute book</p> <p><i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: 2/5</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i></p>	1901, May - 1902, September	2 cm.

	ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/6 vtls004272375 (WIAbNL)0000272375	File - Minute book <i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/6 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1902, September - 1903, June	3 cm.
2/7 vtls004272378 (WIAbNL)0000272378	File - Minute book <i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/7 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1903, July - 1904, September	3 cm.
2/8 vtls004272381 (WIAbNL)0000272381	File - Minute book <i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/8 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1904, June - 1905, July	3 cm.
2/9 vtls004272383 (WIAbNL)0000272383	File - Minute book <i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/9 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1905, April - 1906, July	2.5 cm.
2/10 vtls004272392 (WIAbNL)0000272392	File - Minute book <i>Natur a chynnwys Scope and content:</i> The 1906-1907 season was Charles Axtell's last as Secretary of the South Wales and Monmouthshire Football Association, with Mr. H. Hart taking over his duties. As a result, both secretaries kept separate minute books for the 1906-1907 season. As most of the minutes were in typescript form by this time, most of the contents of the two minute books for 1906-1907 are the same, with some different notes by the respective secretaries. Charles Axtell's book also contains some minutes of the Football Association of Wales meetings. <i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/10 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1906, May - 1907, July	2.5 cm.
2/11 vtls004272393 (WIAbNL)0000272393	File - Minute book <i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/11	1906, May - 1907, November	2.5 cm.

	<i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/12 vtls004272394 (WIAbNL)0000272394	File - Minute book	1907, July - 1908, May	2 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/12 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/13 vtls004272396 (WIAbNL)0000272396	File - Minute book	1908, May - 1909, July	2 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/13 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/14 vtls004272413 (WIAbNL)0000272413	File - Minute book	1909, July - 1910, July	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/14 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/15 vtls004272415 (WIAbNL)0000272415	File - Minute book	1910, June - 1911, July	3 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/15 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/16 vtls004272418 (WIAbNL)0000272418	File - Minute book	1911, July - 1912, July	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/16 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/17 vtls004272419 (WIAbNL)0000272419	File - Minute book	1912, May - 1913, July	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/17 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		

2/18 vtls004272421 (WIAbNL)0000272421	File - Minute book	1913, July - 1914, July	2 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/18 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/19 vtls004272422 (WIAbNL)0000272422	File - Minute book	1914, July - 1919, May	3 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/19 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/20 vtls004272423 (WIAbNL)0000272423	File - Minute book	1920, May - 1921, May	1.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/20 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/21 vtls004272425 (WIAbNL)0000272425	File - Minute book	1921, May - 1922, June	2 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/21 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/22 vtls004272426 (WIAbNL)0000272426	File - Minute book	1922, July - 1923, May	2 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/22 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/23 vtls004272428 (WIAbNL)0000272428	File - Minute book	1923, July - 1924, June	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/23 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/24 vtls004272436 (WIAbNL)0000272436	File - Minute book	1924, July - 1925, June	2 cm.

	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/24 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/25 vtls004272458 (WIAbNL)0000272458	File - Minute book	1925, June - 1926, July	3 cm.
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2/26 vtls004272460 (WIAbNL)0000272460	File - Minute book	1926, June - 1927, July	3.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/26 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/27 vtls004272462 (WIAbNL)0000272462	File - Minute book	1927, May - 1929, July	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/27 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/28 vtls004272463 (WIAbNL)0000272463	File - Minute book	1929, July - 1931, July	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/28 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/29 vtls004272466 (WIAbNL)0000272466	File - Minute book	1931, July - 1934, July	3 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/29 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/30 vtls004272469 (WIAbNL)0000272469	File - Minute book	1934, May - 1936, June	2.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/30		

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2/31 vtls004272471 (WIAbNL)0000272471	File - Minute book	1936, July - 1946, May	4.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/31 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/32 vtls004272474 (WIAbNL)0000272474	File - Minute book	1947, July - 1958, June	5.5 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/32 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		
2/33 vtls004272475 (WIAbNL)0000272475	File - Minute book	1958, August - 1962, July	4 cm.
	<i>Nodyn Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: 2/33 <i>Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)		