

Cefnogi Busnesau yng Ngwynedd Supporting Businesses in Gwynedd



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CORONAVIRUS: Recovery Loan Scheme launched

A new UK government-backed loan scheme launched on 6 April 2021 to provide additional finance to those businesses that need it. The new loan scheme will provide further support to protect businesses and jobs and will include 80% government guarantee and interest rate cap. For more information, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3tmpcmS>

BREXIT: Recording of webinar about trading with the EU under the new rules available

The UK Government has recorded a webinar held on 24 February 2021 which gives an overview of the new rules that have come into place since the UK left the EU Customs Union and Single Market. For more information and to view the recording, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3smOlwv>

Superfast Business Wales (SFBW) – Digital support for Welsh businesses

In these challenging times, SFBW are here to help you and other Welsh businesses confidently put digital at the heart of your business and help you

maximise sales. Their free programme includes free webinars and tailored one-to-one support, designed to help you use digital as a spare pair of hands when the pressure is on, as well as make sure that your customers know where to find you and how to buy from you. Whether you're looking to move online, make a success of the new 'business as usual' or to maintain your brand presence locally for when things get back to normal, sign up today.

- Register: access SFBW's full programme for free support
- Free webinars: join interactive events for quick fixes and future wins
- One-to-one support: turn what you learn into actions that get results

Sign up to use digital to create income, increase resource and save time, go to:

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/superfastbusinesswales/events>

FSB Free Webinars

- Cash for Innovators: Britain's best-kept business secret: Friday 16 April, 11.00am – 12.00pm
- Managing Change and Redundancies: Tuesday 20 April, 10.00am – 11.30am
- FSB Question Time: How is Brexit impacting your business?: Thursday 22 April, 5.00pm – 6.00pm
- How to build an authentic brand that people want to follow: Tuesday 27 April, 1.00pm – 2.00pm
- Maximise Your Membership: Thursday 29 April 12.30 – 1.30pm

For more information, and to register, go to:

<http://bit.ly/3r6ZEbn>

FSB Wales Twitter account:

https://twitter.com/FSB_Wales

RCS – Wellbeing for work: Stress Awareness Month

April is #StressAwarenessMonth and as we adjust to the new ‘normal’ and the pace of life gathers momentum, it’s a good time to take stock, and look at work-life balance. 34% of us fear the future post Covid and 65% of us have felt more stressed than usual since the start of the pandemic, according to a recent survey. Throughout April we have online workshops & webinars to help you manage stress for your teams and yourself.

- 16 April 2021 – Wellbeing Action Plans to Support Employee Health & Wellbeing
- 23 April 2021 – Positive Thinking for the workplace
- 27 April 2021 – The Importance of Self-care
- 28 April 2021 – Effective Communication for the Workplace
- 30 April 2021 – Who will champion wellbeing in your workplace?

For more information, and to register, go to:

<https://rcs-wales.co.uk/en/wellbeing-webinars/>

Coronavirus (COVID-19): DVSA letter to driving instructors about lessons and tests

Letters from the Chief Executive of the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency (DVSA), about coronavirus (COVID-19) and restarting driving lessons and driving tests, were sent on 7 April 2021 to all approved driving instructors (ADIs). For any instructor who has not received a letter, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3mNO4RY>

£20 million fund for life sciences manufacturing opens

Life science companies can now apply to the new £20 million fund to support the manufacture of medicines, diagnostics and MedTech in the UK. The fund

will boost the UK offer in life sciences manufacturing, creating economic opportunities across the country. For more information, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3gexkSO>

More useful information is available from:

Gwynedd Council – Business Support

<https://www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/businesscovid19>

<https://twitter.com/BusnesGwynedd>

Gwynedd Business Network

<https://www.gwyneddbusnes.net/>

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Business Wales

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/coronavirus-advice/>

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