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EMPLOYMENT: Employee Ownership

Employee Ownership is an option for business owners looking to sell their business or reward and retain staff, with evidence showing employee-owned businesses are more productive and more resilient. The Welsh Government has announced that it wants to double the number of businesses in Wales that are owned by their employees, and through Employee Ownership Wales provide fully-funded, bespoke advice to help business decide if Employee Ownership and Share Schemes are the right solution for them. More information can be found at:

<https://employeeownershipwales.co.uk/>

To read the announcement in full, go to:

<https://gov.wales/employee-ownership-day-economy-minister-sets-out-plans-double-number-employee-owned-businesses>

TRANSPORT: £48 million to help Wales' bus industry

The Welsh Government has announced a £48 million support package to help the bus industry in Wales recover from the

impact of the pandemic and deal with emerging financial challenges. To read the announcement, go to:

<https://gov.wales/48-million-help-wales-bus-industry-survive-and-thrive>

OPPORTUNITY: Create a Business in M-SParc #OnTour Summer 2022

M-SParc #OnTour are looking for creative and innovative 15-23 year olds to work in their locations at either Caernarfon or Colwyn Bay over the summer. Up to £2,000, free business support and Ffiws equipment training is available to work on a business idea from the technology, digital, creative, or science sector. To apply, go to:

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

More information can be found at:

<https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/arylon>

HEALTH & SAFETY: Protecting pregnant workers and new mothers

Updated guidance explaining how employers should manage the health and safety of pregnant workers and new mothers can be found at:

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/mothers/employer/index.htm>

FOOD & DRINK: Maggie Ogunbanwo of Penygroes wins renowned worldwide award

Congratulations to Maggie Ogunbanwo, whose book, 'The Melting Pot', has won an award at the Gourmand World Cookbook Awards – likened to the Oscars of the culinary literature genre. 'The Melting Pot' is a collection of recipes bringing together a

menu of dishes from around the globe which celebrates the diversity of the Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic community in Wales. Maggie's Penygroes based company, 'Maggie's An African Twist to your Everyday Dish', makes African food products, such as spices and sauces. More on this at:

<https://bit.ly/3a6SUrD>

DIGITAL: Superfast Business Wales – Free webinars

Superfast Business Wales have a range of free webinars in the coming weeks giving you practical advice to help you promote your business and compete online. To find out more and book your place, go to:

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

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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