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RECRUITMENT: Dolgellau Gwaith Gwynedd Jobs Fair 12 May 2022

Gwynedd Council's initiative, Gwaith Gwynedd – in partnership with the DWP – will be hosting a jobs fair for all sectors at Byw'n lach Glan Wnion Leisure Centre, Dolgellau on 12 May 2022 (10:00am-2:00pm).

If you're recruiting and would like to take part, contact 01286 679211 or gwaithgwynedd@gwynedd.llyw.cymru

Fairs are also being planned for Pwllheli, Blaenau Ffestiniog and Tywyn. In the meantime you can also advertise any vacancies on Gwaith Gwynedd's noticeboard:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/1169426113501265

EVENT: How Can Marketing Boost Your Business? 27 April 2022

A business branding, marketing, social media and networking event will be held at Grŵp Llandrillo Menai's Dolgellau campus on 27 April 2022. The event will include workshops as well as a small business fair with a range of business support services on hand to answer questions and offer advice. For more information go to:

https://bit.ly/3uVukQT

TAX: Retail, Leisure and Hospitality Rates Relief 2022/23

This relief is available for the 2022/23 tax year to businesses in the retail, leisure and hospitality sectors and in addition to the Small Business Rate Relief. The scheme can offer eligible businesses a 50% discount of up to £110,000 – completing a simple application form is required, which is available here:

https://diogel.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/HunanwasanaethGweFfurflenni/en/CynllunRhyddhadArdrethi/Index

More information is available at:

https://www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/en/Businesses/Finance,-funding-and-grants/Non-domestic-rates/Reductions-reliefs-and-empty-property.aspx

SURVEY: Accommodation businesses – Gwynedd STEAM Survey 2021 closes 8 April

Accommodation businesses are being asked to complete the Gwynedd STEAM Survey 2021 before 8 April 2022. The survey aims to get an accurate and complete picture of the number of visitors and calculate the value of tourism to Gwynedd in 2021. The results help decide how much funding Gwynedd receives towards the cost of servicing more people. Please take part by going to:

https://bit.ly/GwyneddSTEAMSurvey2021

EVENT: Nuclear Decommissioning Business Opportunities in North Wales 7 April 2022

An in-person event will be held at M-SParc in Gaerwen, on 7 April

2022 to outline how local engineering, construction, electrical and waste management businesses can capitalise on the billions to be spent in the coming years decommissioning nuclear power stations including Trawsfynydd and Wylfa. For more information, and to register, go to:

https://bit.ly/36FDqJC

EMPLOYMENT: Construction apprenticeships in Wales are changing

From September 2022 construction apprenticeships in Wales will be different and employers will have an enhanced role in their delivery. CITB (Construction Industry Training Board) are working with partners, including City and Guilds, to prepare Welsh employers for these changes and ensure they have all the information they need. More information can be found on CITB's website at:

https://www.citb.co.uk/courses-and-qualifications/citb-apprenticeships/take-on-an-apprentice/find-an-apprentice/recruit-an-apprentice-in-wales/

EMPLOYMENT: National Living Wage and National Minimum Wage rates for 2022

From 1 April 2022, the National Minimum Wage and National Living Wage has risen. For information about all the new rates, go to:

https://www.gov.uk/national-minimum-wage-rates

TAX: Prepare for the Health and Social Care Levy

HMRC have issued guidance on preparing for the Health and Social Care Levy – including a new message to be included on

pay slips. The Levy will increase National Insurance contributions for most employees by 1.25% from 6 April 2022. The guidance is available at:

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/prepare-for-the-health-and-socialcare-levy

More useful information is available from:

Gwynedd Council – Business Support

https://www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/businesscovid19 https://twitter.com/BusnesGwynedd

Gwynedd Business Network

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