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COVID-19: Now's the time to redouble our efforts

With Gwynedd's high incidence rate, concern about the Omicron variant and Christmas round the corner, now's the time to review your measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19:

- Update your mandatory coronavirus risk assessment. For the latest information and guidance go to:

 https://gov.wales/your-responsibilities-employer-coronavirus
- Make sure staff and customers stick to the rules on face coverings. Posters and leaflets to promote the use of face coverings in retail premises can be downloaded here:

 https://gov.wales/wearing-face-coverings-retail-premises-promotional-pack
- Encourage staff to take regular LFT tests, self isolate and get tested if they have symptoms and get vaccinated. For information on where free LFT kits are available go to: https://gov.wales/get-rapid-lateral-flow-covid-19-tests-if-you-do-not-have-symptoms

For all the latest regulations and guidance go to: https://gov.wales/coronavirus

FUNDING: Creative Wales Music Capital Fund (MCF)

Small and medium sized music businesses can now apply for funding towards improving and increasing their businesses' commercial outlook and sustainability. The Fund is open now and closes on Friday 17 December 2021 at 12:00pm. For more information, go to:

https://businesswales.gov.wales/creative-wales-music-capital-fund-mcf

EVENT: Healthy Working Wales – COVID- 19 Commendation Event 8 December 2021

Public Health Wales and the Welsh Government will be promoting and celebrating the innovations by employers in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, at their Healthy Working Wales Covid-19 Commendation Event taking place on Wednesday 8 December 2021. For more information, and to register, go to:

https://freshwater.eventscase.com/EN/HWWCommendationEvent

SUPPORT: Free Christmas parking in Gwynedd 11-28 December 2021

As part of efforts to support local businesses by encouraging people to shop locally this Christmas, Gwynedd Council is offering free parking in its car parks from 11 to 28 December. To read the statement in full, go to:

https://bit.ly/PressReleaseGwynedd29Nov2021

OPPORTUNITY: Designers of the future

Product Design students at Bangor University are trained in creative thought and problem solving, research, CAD, graphic design, prototyping and fabrication. Students will be available at no cost to help businesses for 6 weeks between 21 February 2022 – 1 April 2022. If you are interested in working with the University to develop a project, host a placement or would like further information, please contact:

productdesign@bangor.ac.uk

AWARDS: South Caernarfon Creameries (SCC) scoops record haul of international awards

Congratulations to Chwilog based farmers' cooperative South Caernarfon Creameries (SCC) on winning four gold, two silver and five bronze medals at the International Cheese and Dairy Awards. More on this at:

https://bit.ly/3oltV8e

BREXIT: Webinars calendar

Businesses trading with the EU can find out about upcoming UK Government webinars – focusing on moving specific goods between the EU and GB – by going to:

https://bit.ly/3qBMvua

BREXIT: Less than a month until full customs controls are introduced

HMRC are reminding bsuinesses to prepare for customs changes that come into effect on 1 January 2022. For more information, go to:

https://bit.ly/3lxSgFX

ADVICE: Companies House – File accounts early and online to avoid delays

Businesses due to file accounts with Companies House by the end of December are being advised to use their online service where possible and allow plenty of time before the deadline. Go to:

https://bit.ly/3lj48pi

LEARNING: Expanding Horizons with Equity LIVE

A video of the Development Bank of Wales Equity LIVE event in November is now available, go to:

https://www.equity.wales/videos

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/ https://twitter.com/gwyneddbusnes

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