## Cefnogi Busnesau yng Ngwynedd Supporting Businesses in Gwynedd



#### CYNGOR GWYNEDD COUNCIL

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#### CAMPAIGN: #BuyLocal #SupportLocal

With Christmas on the horizon, Cyngor Gwynedd's campaign to encourage residents and visitors to support our local businesses continues. A resource pack for you to use, including GIFs and logos, can be downloaded at:

#### https://linktr.ee/prynulleol

The Council has also produced signs and stickers for local independent businesses to promote the Buy Local message. These are available free of charge by sending an email with your full address to: prynulleol@gwynedd.llyw.cymru.

Spread the message by following and sharing content from:

- Facebook https://www.facebook.com/prynulleol
- Twitter https://twitter.com/prynulleol

Instagram https://www.instagram.com/prynulleol/

As part of the campaign, shoppers are directed to a directory of local shops and hospitality information on:

https://bit.ly/buylocal\_2020

To join the directory contact:

tourism@gwynedd.llyw.cymru

# FUNDING: HYBRID SBRI 2.1 – Feasibility funding competition now open

Funding from this competition will enable businesses and organisations to deliver further decarbonisation innovation and research solutions supporting objectives identified by the Wales Hydrogen Pathway report, through the successful deployment of hydrogen across the Welsh economy. Phase 1 funding is available for feasibility and development (R&D) contracts for projects with costs up to £50,000 inclusive of VAT. The submission deadline for project proposals is 14 December 2022. For more information, go to the Sell2Wales portal at:

https://bit.ly/3UwqIF9

# AGRICULTURE: New measures to tackle avian influenza

From 2 December 2022, it will be a legal requirement for all keepers to keep their birds indoors or otherwise separated from wild birds. All keepers must also complete and act upon a bespoke biosecurity review of the premises where birds are kept. Updated guidance can be found at:

https://gov.wales/mandatory-biosecurity-self-assessmentchecklist

### **EVENT: Digital Green Future 9 December** 2022

The 'Digital Green Future' event to be held on 9 December 2022 (10:00am-1:00pm) at Busnes@LlandrilloMenai, Ffordd Penlan, Bangor LL57 4HJ, will be an opportunity to celebrate Busnes@LlandrilloMenai's Green Digital Academy scheme, which has been working with businesses to plan and take steps to reach net zero. For more information, go to:

#### http://bit.ly/3XFfDz6

General information about the Green Digital Academy scheme can be found at:

https://www.gllm.ac.uk/busnes/projects/green-digital-academy

### AWARDS: FSB Celebrating Small Business Awards 2023

Entries are now open for the FSB's Celebrating Small Business Awards 2023, which are open to all SMEs. For more information, and to enter, go to:

https://www.fsbawards.co.uk/enter.html

### **COMPETITION:** Let's Celebrate Towns

The 'Let's Celebrate Towns' competition gives towns across the UK a chance to win £20,000 grant funding which will contribute to local community and sustainability initiatives, as well as business and professional coaching to help towns to start and grow ideas. Entries for the competition will close on 14 December 2022. For more information, go to:

https://www.visa.co.uk/campaign/talk-of-the-town/

#### CONSULTATION: Employment practices and data protection – information about workers' health

Draft guidance published by the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) aims to provide practical guidance about handling the health information of workers in accordance with data protection legislation and to promote good practice. The public consultation on the draft guidance will remain open until 26 January 2023 – more information can be found at:

https://bit.ly/3UyM2EL

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

### **Business Wales**

https://businesswales.gov.wales/coronavirus-advice/ https://twitter.com/\_businesswales

### Busnes@llandrillomenai

https://www.facebook.com/BusnesatLlandrilloMenai/posts https://twitter.com/busnesLLM

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