

Cefnogi Busnesau yng Ngwynedd Supporting Businesses in Gwynedd



 **CYNGOR GWYNEDD COUNCIL**

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FUNDING: Town Centre Entrepreneurship Fund – Bangor

The Welsh Government has launched the Town Centre Entrepreneurship Fund as a pilot programme to provide financial assistance for entrepreneurs and businesses who are looking to start and grow a business in one of four town centres across North Wales including Bangor. For more information, go to:

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/business-wales-town-centre-entrepreneurship-fund>

COVID-19: Furlough (CJRS) is changing from July

Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme (CJRS) funding will reduce to 70% of employees' usual wages for the hours not worked, up to £2,187.50 during July 2021 (currently 80% / £2,500). In August and September, this will reduce to 60% of employees' usual wages up to a cap of £1,875. For more information, go to:

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/news-and-blogs/news/changes-cjrs-july-2021>

RECRUITMENT: Gwaith Gwynedd jobs fair for tourism and hospitality 29 June 2021

Gwynedd Council's Gwaith Gwynedd initiative works to help people back into work, and can also help businesses to promote their job opportunities. Gwaith Gwynedd will be hosting a jobs fair for the tourism and hospitality sector on 29 June 2021, from 4:00pm – 6:30pm. To take part, contact:

Gwaithgwynedd@gwynedd.llyw.cymru or 01286 679211

For more information, go to:

<http://bit.ly/GwaithGwyneddEng>

EMPLOYMENT: Disabled People's Employment Champions

A network of Disabled People's Employment Champions, supported by Business Wales Disabled People's Employment Advisors has been established by the Welsh Government, to provide advice, information and support to employers across Wales. This is a unique, free service for all employers in Wales regardless of size. For more information, go to:

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/skillsgateway/disabled-peoples-employment>

FUNDING: Support for farmers and landowners

- Farm Business Grant – Yard Coverings

A capital grant scheme available to farmers in Wales. Expressions of Interest can be submitted until 25 June 2021, go to:

<https://gov.wales/farm-business-grant>

- Glastir Woodland Restoration

Support for Woodland Restoration and Landscape and Pollinators is available. Expressions of Interest can be submitted until 25 June 2021, go to:

<https://gov.wales/glastir>

HEALTH & SAFETY: Legionella risk from hot tubs and spas

Gwynedd Council has reminded accommodation providers about the importance of regular upkeep and safety tests to prevent germs like Legionella in hot tubs and spas. To read the statement, go to:

<https://bit.ly/PressReleaseGwynedd21Jun2021>

Health and Safety Executive guidance available from:

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/books/hsg282.htm>

LEARNING: Free webinars to help food and drink producers get digital

Join Superfast Business Wales during July and August for two new webinars for food and drink producers to boost digital marketing and save time with online tools. To find out more and book your free place now, go to:

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/superfastbusinesswales/events/food-and-drink-producers-webinars-may-aug-2021>

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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