

## **Redcar and Cleveland Business Survey**

Developed and delivered by the Business Redcar | Cleveland at Redcar & Cleveland Borough Council this survey is open to businesses of every type and location across the borough. From sole traders, Community Interest Companies, and local retailers to multi-national industries – all are encouraged to contribute.

It is our intention to repeat this survey twice a year, each time the questions will be slightly different but overall, we would like to get business' views on the following categories:

- Business confidence in the current local and wider economic climate.
- Plans for recruitment, job losses or consolidation.
- Plans for expansion/relocation.
- Insight into issues around skills and labour supply.
- Business commitment to climate change/net zero.
- Impact of the cost-of-living crisis.

We encourage you to take the time to complete this short survey which should take *less than ten minutes* to work through by clicking here

(https://redcarcleveland.uk.engagementhq.com/redcar-and-cleveland-business-survey)

The results from this and further surveys will be used to inform future business support decisions both regionally and at a local level, which we can help you to access.

## **Support Redcar & Cleveland's 'Local Offer for Care Leavers'**



Redcar & Cleveland's Local Offer for Care Leavers provides clear and concise information on the advice, guidance, support and entitlements available through the leaving care team and other partners.

The offer has been developed in partnership with local services and care leavers, our Leaving Care team are keen to engage with local employers who are open to supporting the local offer for care leavers.

To read the Local Offer for Care Leavers, click here (<a href="https://www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk/sites/default/files/2022-10/Local%20Offer%20for%20Care%20Leavers.pdf">https://www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk/sites/default/files/2022-10/Local%20Offer%20for%20Care%20Leavers.pdf</a>)

If you are interested in supporting our Local Offer for Care Leavers contact Sarah Lax from our Leaving Care team via email at <a href="mailto:sarah.lax@redcar-cleveland.gov.uk">sarah.lax@redcar-cleveland.gov.uk</a> or telephone 01642 488 433



In our most recent 'Business Bulletin', we included an article about a request for confirmation that you wish to continue receiving e-newsletter communications from us. This is due to a review and update of our Privacy Policy and Retention Period.

If you wish to continue to receive our e-newsletter *and have not already confirmed this with us via email,* please respond to this email to confirm that you want to remain on our mailing list.

Our e-newsletters are one of the main ways that we engage with and send information to the Redcar and Cleveland business community. We send information via e-newsletter on the following type of activities, which could benefit your business:

- Funding opportunities including those coming from major projects and Government sources, such as the Levelling Up Fund and Redcar Town Deal.
- Business events
- Support programmes
- Good news stories
- Other opportunities for your business

We hope to 'keep you on board', but going forward, we will include a periodic feature in our 'Business Bulletin' to outline how to unsubscribe from our e-newsletters.

## Construction underway on £880k seafront activity hub in Redcar



Construction works have started on the build of a Coastal Activity Hub on Redcar's seafront.

British Triathlon, British Rowing and British Cycling - the National Governing Bodies for their respective sports – have all endorsed the project with a vision of bringing community activities and local, regional, and national competitions to the hub, including the Go Tri series.

The Coastal Activity Hub will be located in a unique shipping container village that can be used as a meeting place and an informal base for clubs, school groups, activity leaders, families, or groups of friends.

Facilities for the Coastal Activity Hub will include a range of indoor and outdoor multi-use spaces, public toilet facilities, showers, lockers, an equipment store, changing facilities and parking. An accompanying catering offer will enhance the experience for visitors.

Find out more by clicking here (<a href="https://www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk/news/2023/triathlon-cycling-and-rowing-activities-set-to-come-to-redcar-as-construction-starts-on">https://www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk/news/2023/triathlon-cycling-and-rowing-activities-set-to-come-to-redcar-as-construction-starts-on</a>)



## **Engineering and Manufacturing Week Events**

Next week is Engineering & Manufacturing week and to celebrate the 'Engineering & Manufacturing Network' has a range of free events taking place across the North East.

Unlocking Potential – Empowering People Management in Engineering & Manufacturing

Date: Tuesday 6th June

Time: 08:30am - 11:30am

Venue: The Expanded Metal Company, Hartlepool, TS25 1PR

If you have HR responsibilities in an engineering and manufacturing company in NE England...this

one is for you. Breakfast and company tour included!

To book your place, click here (https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/unlocking-potential-

empowering-people-mgt-in-engineering-manufacturing-tickets-634575150357)

**Engineering & Manufacturing Marketers' Meet-Up** 

Date: Wednesday 7th June

Time: 12:00 - 14:00

Venue: Horizon Works, Cramlington, NE23 7RZ

Targeted at those with a responsibility for marketing, brand, business development and sales, join your peers for lunch and hear from Ben Moody, Marketing Manager of Alexander Battery Technologies, winner of the Insider Made In The North East Manufacturer of the Year (under £25

million) award.

To book your place, click here (https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/engineering-manufacturing-

marketers-meet-up-tickets-621594083637)

**North East Maintenance Forum** 

Date: Thursday 8th June

Time: 08:30am - 11:30am

Venue: Houghton International, Shields Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE6 2YL

This event is aimed at Maintenance Operatives from across the engineering and manufacturing sector in the North East. An opportunity to share best practice, chat with likeminded professionals, develop your practice and become more effective and efficient over breakfast. Followed by a tour of

the Houghton International Site.

To book your place, click here (<a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/north-east-maintenance-forum-tickets-646084264427">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/north-east-maintenance-forum-tickets-646084264427</a>)

Secure Places & Safe Language – Online event inspired by International Women in Engineering Day in partnership with Women Engineers Society (Tyne Tees) and Engineering Together

Date: Thursday 15th June

Time: 12:00pm - 13:00pm

Venue: Online

Guest speakers will share how their work contributes to safety and security. There will be a variety of topics covering feeling secure in places including our workplaces and transport systems and feeling safe in the language we use. Real-life examples and ideas will be explored in a Q&A session to further share ideas and discussions to make everyone feel welcome, safe and secure.

To book your place, click here (<a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/secure-places-and-safe-language-an-event-inspired-by-the-inwed-2023-theme-tickets-546457227277">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/secure-places-and-safe-language-an-event-inspired-by-the-inwed-2023-theme-tickets-546457227277</a>)



**Supported Internships Business Breakfast** 

Date: Wednesday 7th June

Time: 08:00am - 10:30am

Venue: Prior Pursglove College, Adult Skills Centre, Guisborough, TS14 6BU

Supported Internships are a fantastic way for employers to develop their own in-house talent and recruit young people who are committed to their organisation.

These internships offer a work-based study programme for young people (16 to 24 years) with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) that can help kickstart their career, and they are an extremely successful route into permanent employment.

Prior Pursglove College has been successfully running supported internships for several years, and these are also delivered by Redcar and Cleveland College and Project Choice alongside employer partners across the Borough.

Book your place here (<a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/supported-internship-business-breakfast-tickets-621682859167">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/supported-internship-business-breakfast-tickets-621682859167</a>)

