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## Employment Support Services

If you, or someone you know, is long-term unemployed and looking for work, take that first step now to get your new life into gear by making an appointment to see Louise Ashill, our Employment Support Worker (Room 101):

Our Employment Support Service has been running most successfully for more than a year and many clients have been placed into work. Don't hesitate: contact Louise now and see if she can put you on the path to work and/or training.

**Louise Ashill:**

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## Lots Of Tots Day Nursery



Our long established Day Nursery has a reputation second to none, and provides a fully bilingual childcare service. The crèche is registered for 40 children from 3 months to 8 years of age. Pick up to and from local schools, Breakfast and After School Clubs are some of the most popular packages we run.

If you have not yet made arrangements for Holiday Care, there are still places available in our Holiday Club. Lots of fun-filled activities have been arranged for the children to participate in in a safe and secure environment.

Why not contact Kathryn Lewis on **01269 826283** for an informal chat to discuss your requirements, or to come and look round the Nursery and answer any questions you may have about childcare.



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## An IT Centre of Excellence

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**Adult Education**  
**Childcare**  
**Employment Support Services**  
**Office Services/Meeting Rooms**  
**Café**

**Working in the Community**  
**FOR the Community**

**July / August 2011**



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## Two-Week Sign Up Season 15th August - 26th August 2011



Our 'official' Enrolment Days are Wednesday, 17th August, 10.00 am to 4.00 pm and Wednesday, 24th August, 2.00 pm - 8.00 pm where you will be welcomed with free refreshments whilst some of our tutors will be on hand to chat with you about course content and signpost you to just the right course for you.

If you cannot make either of those days, we invite you to drop in any time between 9.30 and 3.00 during our Sign Up Fortnight to find out what courses we are running from September 2011. We have an exciting and wide range of subjects on offer from 1 day workshops to 5, 10, 20 or 30 week courses. One intriguingly titled DACE course '**Mad Or Bad**' looks set to be a welcome addition this year.

The ever popular **Guitar Playing for Beginners, Jewellery Making** and **Family History** are among some of the other vocational courses on offer, whilst we have a variety of IT courses in all programs and levels from Entry for complete beginners up to Degree.



Computers in our main computer suite are equipped with the latest Microsoft software, 19" widescreen monitors and Smartboard technology to ease the learning process.

In addition we have Wi-Fi enabled computers in two of our other training rooms, those located in Room 108 being available for visitors to use to help with job searches, CV writing, Internet shopping even.



**Emailing List:** Want to be kept updated on all the courses, activities and events held at the Centre throughout the year? Simply send an email to **marketing@canolfanmaerdy.co.uk** with a note of your name and just type **List** in the message block and you will be kept informed of all activities/courses etc. as they are arranged.

For fuller details on anything contained in this newsletter, for bookings or any enquiries, please contact Joanne Harries, Administrator on:

01269 826893, [admin@canolfanmaerdy.co.uk](mailto:admin@canolfanmaerdy.co.uk).



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**Adult Education, Employment Support, Childcare,  
Meeting Room Hire and Café all under one roof.**



## Enterprise Club

We are proud to be part of this Enterprise in the Valleys project. If you (or someone you know):

- Want to know what it takes to be self employed
- Want to develop a business idea or turn a hobby into a business reality
- Are aged over 16

Do come along to our first Enterprise Club on Wednesday, 27th July, between 4.30 and 6.30 pm.

This is completely free: no qualifications, experience or a set business idea in mind needed, but a no-commitment, informal chat with one of the friendly Enterprise in the Valleys team could inspire you to take the first step to being your own boss. No appointment needed, just pop along between 4.30 and 6.30 on the 27th.

## The Canolfan Café



Whether you come to Tairgwaith as a student on a course, a visitor for a meeting, or to drop off your child at the crèche, no visit would be complete without popping into the café. Delicious full English breakfasts available from 9.30 a.m. up to 1.00 p.m. 5 days a week, or a variety of snacks, baguettes, toasties etc. - even a two course lunch (see the Specials Board). Perhaps you just want to take the weight off your feet, relax and have a chat with friends over a cup of coffee and home-made cake.

If you haven't had a taste of our café yet, it's well worth a visit.

## Room Hire

With our idyllic rural location and large onsite car park, Canolfan Maerdy is the perfect place for holding meetings or for using a room to get work done without the noisy interruptions that a busy High Street or home location can bring.

We have several rooms of differing sizes suitable for 5 up to 50 people, ideal for meetings and conferences etc. Refreshments and buffet lunches can be provided. Let us give you a quote.

Full details and note of our terms, please contact Joanne Harries, Administrator in Room 102 or contact her on:

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