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## The Canolfan Café

No visit to Canolfan Maerdy, would be complete without popping into the café. Delicious full English breakfasts available from 9.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. 5 days a week, plus a variety of snacks, baguettes, toasties etc. Perhaps you just want to take the weight off your feet, relax and have a chat with friends over a cup of coffee or tea.

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

## Employment Support Service

Unemployed? Looking for work or help in identifying a suitable training course? Take that first step now and contact Louise Ashill, our Employment Support Worker who can take you in the right direction to a brighter future.

**Louise Ashill:**

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## Lots Of Tots Day Nursery



Our long established Day Nursery has a reputation second to none in providing a fully bilingual childcare service. The crèche is registered with the CSSIW for 40 children from 3 months to 8 years of age. Breakfast and After School Clubs with pick up to and from local schools, are just two of our popular care packages.

**Large onsite, safe and secure car park  
 for dropping off and collecting your children**

Contact Kathryn Lewis now for an informal chat  
 and to have a look round the nursery.

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# Canolfan Maerdy

## An IT Centre of Excellence

### Incorporating Lots Of Tots Day Nursery

**Adult Community Learning  
 Childcare  
 Employment Support Services  
 Office Services/Room Hire  
 The Canolfan Café**

**Working in the Community  
 FOR the Community**

**November 2011**



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## VISIT TO SANTA'S GROTTO AT DAN YR OGOF CAVES

We have arranged our trip to see Father Christmas at 10.30 a.m. on Thursday, 15th December. Transport is laid on to take us from Tairgwaith to Abercraf and back, departing 9.30 a.m. We will be leaving around 2.00 p.m. after a nice packed lunch at the Caves.

If you would like to join the party, costs are: **Children £7.00** (inclusive of a present), **Adults £3.50** and coach trip **£2.00** per head. £5. deposit required to secure your booking. Further details from Kathryn Lewis or Joanne Harries on 01269 826893.



### Get IT On Christmas Click



To help with Digital Inclusion, we are holding a Christmas **Click fortnight** which starts off with a Public Launch in Ammanford Square, 10.00 am. Friday, 2nd December. Here you can come and try out laptops, iPads, digital cameras, have your photos taken against the green screen and generally let us show you what fun being 'digified' can be. This will be fun for all the family!

Wednesday, 7th December back at Tairgwaith we have an Indoor Christmas Fayre, with stands full of Christmas goodies. (For just £3 you can have your own stall), plus, plenty of 'try it out' sessions where you can see how to get your photos from camera to computer, send an email, create a Christmas Card, use an iPad or Kindle - in other words, just get more digitally aware. More digital taster sessions will be running on the 14th December also.

Details from Joanne on 01269 826893 / [admin@canolfanmaerdy.co.uk](mailto:admin@canolfanmaerdy.co.uk) or watch for leaflet coming through your door soon!

For enquiries on anything contained in this newsletter, please contact Joanne Harries on 01269 826893  
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Employment Support Service & Room Hire all under one roof.



## Enterprise Club

Our next Enterprise Club Meeting is being held on:

**Tuesday, 15th November 2011**  
**Between 11.30 a.m. and 1.30 p.m.**

If you have ever wondered what it would be like to be self-employed, if you have a hobby you would like to turn into a business but don't know where to start, The Enterprise Club is for you.

A completely free service, no appointment needed, just drop in and have an informal, chat over a cuppa, with our friendly Enterprise in the Valleys team and see if they can help turn your dreams into reality.

**Nothing venture, nothing gain: this could be the start of a wonderful new opportunity for you.**



The most flexible way to learn. Enrol on a **LearnDirect** course here, and you can work through it at any time, at your own pace, on any computer you have access to, but in the knowledge that when you need additional help you can drop in to Canolfan Maerdy any Tuesday between 10.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon for that extra guidance and mentoring you may need. From a LearnDirect tutor.

**ECDL** with LearnDirect starts here in January: why not get your name down now? If you are looking for work, a free interactive course on Job Seeking Skills, or Money MOT could be just the ticket.

## Room Hire

With our idyllic rural location and large onsite car park, Canolfan Maerdy is the perfect place for holding meetings or 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., all with computer and internet access. Refreshments and buffet lunches can be provided. Let us give you a quote.

For pricing details, please contact Joanne Harries on:

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