

Somers
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Job Hub Newsletter

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**Working for the community.
Getting the community working!**

The sun is shining, the blossoms are out and spring begins here at the Job Hub. We are seeing plenty of promising new growth, including new jobs being advertised locally...

Looking for a job?

Somers Town Job Hub is an employment service that works in collaboration with employers, training providers, businesses, and partners to deliver an integrated service that helps residents reach their full potential.

The journey for residents can be complex with people needing to overcome multiple barriers. This can lead to confusion and feeling overwhelmed when faced with not knowing where to access the right help and support.

At the Job Hub we can help you overcome those barriers through:

- Job searching and access to vacancies
- Support with CVs and application forms
- Interview skills
- Access to training
- Basic skills, including literacy, numeracy and computers
- Identifying volunteer placements
- Help with clothing for interviews

BREAKING NEWS!

Caretaker

We have vacancies for part-time caretakers and cleaners (as bank staff) to join our friendly team. Both roles pay above the London Living Wage.

For the role of the caretaker it will involve working in the early evenings and at weekends, supporting our room bookings for the organisations and community groups that use our space.

For the role of the cleaners it will involve working in the early mornings or afternoons and at weekends.

If anyone is interested, please email Ziaur at ziaur@somerstown.org.uk your CVs – or would like to find out more about the role, please give us a call on **020 7380 0453**.



Good news stories



We always love to see clients succeeding in achieving their aims, whether that's starting a new job or moving into education or training. This month we'd especially like to share what one of our residents has said about us and how we have supported them:

"Hello Kylie, it has been a real pleasure working with you and you helping me find a volunteering role and again I really appreciate it as always. I will keep you notified to tell you how it went cause I desperately want to work in a school with children who need support with learning."

"D" has been working with the Job Hub to upskill and improve her chances of finding employment in the future.

She is passionate about inclusion and ensuring all children have access to equal opportunities in education and is keen to develop her understanding in this area.

"D" has now started volunteering at Argyle Primary School two days a week and has begun her journey. We would like to wish her all the best and will continue to support her.

Free food hygiene qualification – Level 2

Would you like to add to your skills with a Level 2 qualification that can be done remotely in your own time? Getting a Level 2 food hygiene qualification can help with applying for jobs in the catering and hospitality industry, as well as anything else food-related (for example working in a nursery or school where food is served).

If you are interested, please contact us. We are still offering free places on an ongoing basis. For more information please email ziaur@somerstown.org.uk

Digital Skills Workshop at the Living Centre in partnership with Camden Adult Community Learning

From 10 May to 12 July 2023
Wednesdays 10.30am – 12.30pm.

This term learners at the Living Centre will be learning computer skills and creating a community cook book!

So join in this term learn new skills and have one of your own home-made recipes published for the community to make and enjoy.

Interested in joining, contact jobhub@somerstown.org.uk or call **020 7380 0453**.

FREE Community Multiply + Me Maths!

Having a good level of maths skills can help you find more job opportunities and lead to higher wages or can help you prepare for further study. They also help in everyday life, for example helping children with homework and budgeting.

Multiply is a free, fully government funded everyday adult maths skills course, via the GLA and Mayor of London Academy.

Uniquely, it is a tailored course, bespoke to your individual needs to maximise benefits for learners.

Classes run at the Living Centre every week.

10am to 12pm, Tuesdays and Wednesdays for the next 8 weeks.

For further information please contact jobhub@somerstown.org.uk or call **020 7380 0453**.

Return of our Digital Champions

Come and meet our Digital Champions from the Francis Crick Institute.

Staff from the Francis Crick Institute are volunteering their time to support the residents of Somers Town. They are here providing 1-2-1 Digital Skills support around anything IT related such as how to open up a LinkedIn profile, navigate Excel sheets, opening up an email account or anything that you may need support around.

Available Thursdays 11am – 12pm and 2pm – 3pm.

To book an appointment pop in to the Living Centre or call **020 7380 0453**.