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Getting the
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working!

October to
December
2024

Job Hub Newsletter

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Autumn leaves are falling and winter is nearly here. Maybe it's time to start making plans for where you want to go next in life?

Employment support

Somers Town Job Hub is a free service to help Somers Town and Camden residents get a job, improve skills and widen job and career options, offering support in person on a 1-2-1 basis.

We are a small and friendly team of qualified employment and training advisers who can support you in a range of different ways. We keep up with the jobs market in Camden and what is going on with local employers.

What we offer

- Help with CVs, job applications and interview techniques
- Training to improve your chances of landing your dream job
- Exclusive access to suitable job opportunities across a wide range of sectors
- Dedicated employment advisers
- Advice about benefits, childcare and other issues affecting your household
- Access to training opportunities such as Security (SIA), Construction (CSCS) IT and more
- Volunteer placements

Should you require any of the above support or would just like a chat, the Job Hub team are happy to meet with you. Please call **020 7380 0453** or email jobhub@somerstown.org.uk to make an appointment.

What people say...

This is what has been said by one of our residents who had recently registered with us.

"I visited the Somers Town Job Hub a couple of months ago. My adviser Faisal helped and supported me through the process of finding a job. He provided me with a lot of support on how to improve my CV and good advice, that I believe increased my chances of becoming employed. He also provided me with opportunities within the community where I could keep busy whilst I was unemployed. Recently I have started a business administration apprenticeship". AH

Future Neighbourhood Project Development Training (EPQ)

Do you have an idea for a project that can help make Somers Town be a cleaner, greener, safer place?

This is a free 12 week course that gives you step by step support to help you develop your idea into a funded project and Level 3 qualification (useful for access to work and higher education).

By studying the course it will allow you to:

- 1 Meet new people
- 2 Learn new skills
- 3 Gain a qualification
- 4 Find funding for your project idea

Interested? Please email Ziaur at ziaur@somerstown.org.uk or give us a call on 020 7380 0453.

Free food hygiene qualification – Level 2

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 in any of the above, please contact us. Free places on an ongoing basis.

For more information please email jobhub@somerstown.org.uk

BREAKING NEWS

We have two vacancies at the Living Centre

We are currently recruiting bank staff for a Cleaner and Caretaker to join our friendly team.

We are looking for someone who wants to make a difference in their working environment and feel proud about the work they do, if this sounds like you, we'd love to hear from you!

- Training will be provided
- Hours/Days: Bank staff as and when required
- Pay: £13.06 ph
- Requirements: COSHH trained or willingness to undertake the training

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.

Volunteering

Looking to make a difference?

Kylie our volunteer co-ordinator has built up excellent relationships with local employers such as:

- Kindle Corner
- NCI Foundation
- Cholo Khai Café
- UCL Hospital

Anyone who is wishing to gain some experience, learn a new skill or just give back to the community with some spare time that they may have.

To contact Kylie call 07483 312 211 or email kylie@thelivingcentre.org

Digital IT for Improvers with Adult Community Learning

Do you have some basic digital skills? Would you like to develop more confidence?

If you have some basic digital skills already, this course will take your skills further. Suitable for those who studied Digital Basics Stage 1, 2 & 3, or who have an equivalent level of skills.

- Learn more about laptop and smartphone settings
- Explore emails, messaging apps and video calling
- Get to know social media
- Discover new apps and tools for daily life
- Refine your web searches for better results

Wednesdays 10.00am – 12.00pm, between 25th September and 11th December at The Living Centre, 2 Ossulston Street, London NW1 1DF

Interested? Please email Ziaur at ziaur@somerstown.org.uk or give us a call on 020 7380 0453.

Digital Champion Needed (Volunteer)!

The Job Hub is currently looking for a digital champion volunteer to support our Somers Town Residents with IT related tasks.

Qualities you need for this role

- Digital Champions will need to be regular users of technology (e.g. computers/tablets/smartphones) with a genuine desire to share your skills and help older people use technology
- Warm and friendly, a good listener
- Reliable and dependable (good timekeeper)
- Non-judgmental, patient with a good sense of humour!

When you'll be needed

- Days to be negotiated, times 11am – 12pm or 2pm – 3pm (up to 60 min sessions)

For more information, please email Ziaur at ziaur@somerstown.org.uk or give us a call on 020 7380 0453.

Book your appointment with the Somers Town Job Hub

We offer 1-2-1 advice and support by appointment, please contact us to book your slot. Telephone 020 7380 0453 or email jobhub@somerstown.org.uk

Opening hours

Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm

Address

The St Pancras & Somers Town Living Centre
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