



Breaking News.....

Inspired Futures



Inspired Futures is holding an important event at **St. Johns Community Centre** on **Thursday 29th January 2009** on the topic of the changing economy and how local people and businesses can identify opportunities to create a better future.

The event will showcase local successful business entrepreneurs highlighting the Inspired Futures enterprise facilitation model that is working here in North Bradford. The event starting at 3.00pm and will provide delegates with information to inspire and motivate them in their own businesses.

For further information about the event, please contact Inspired Futures on 01274 666283 or just turn up on the day.

WHAT OR WHO IS INSPIRED FUTURES ??

Inspired Futures is about building a people-focused local economy. It is based on a model that has been tried and tested throughout the world by Dr. Ernesto Sirolli . It has been set up to support the creation of wealth from within our community by nurturing the intelligence and resourcefulness of our people.

The method we use to achieve local business growth is Enterprise Facilitation, a social technology that is now being recognized as a viable complement to and, at times, an alternative to traditional top down economic development strategies.

Enterprise Facilitation is based on the passion, entrepreneurship, innovation, creativity and the fundamental needs for love, respect, quality and beauty that can be found in every community. It maintains that every object we use, the clothes on our backs, our houses, our food, our music, our beliefs and our paths through life are the result of passionate people transforming their talents and visions into good work.



LUKMAN MIAH
ENTERPRISE FACILITATOR (INSPIRED FUTURES)

Inspired Futures holds that the 'secret' of a successful local economy is nothing less than people doing well what they love doing. The better they are at it, the better the economy! The difference between poverty and riches is the presence, or not, of a connected society, i.e. the combination of social conditions and positive networking which allow creativity and intelligence to blossom.



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SPEAKERS



KATH THORNTON
Business Entrepreneur

First Job 8 years old! and working ever since!

- Studies Leisure Studies (Personal Trainer, Leisure Management, Business Law)
- Travelled the world at 22 years
- Leisure Manager for a Local Hotel at 23 years
- UK Sales and Marketing Manager for Fitness First PLC
- Northern Account Manager for Zoggs Australian swimwear brand
- City Centre Manager for Northern site including European capital of Culture Liverpool Q-Park
- Manager - IHG - Crown Plaza, Holiday Inns, staybridge suites

The majority of my career has been business development, operations, sales and Marketing, and making other global companies plenty of cash!! Don't get me wrong I was well rewarded...but truthfully never completely satisfied...I always new that I would work for myself and set a goal in my 20's that I would work for myself before the age of 40! I also said that I would run a Leisure club before the age of 30! So far so good...on to my next venture.

WHAT DRIVES ME...

“ Drive, Passion and natural ability to get the best out of people in their own goals, always looking for opportunities for others by passing a good name on, positive outlook on life even through really challenging personal times. ”



LIANNE COATES
Business Entrepreneur

First and foremost, a sales person!

Lianne has over twenty years experience in professional business environments, predominantly in sales and marketing roles, and has been involved in all aspects of the business process.

Before starting business capability , Lianne spent ten years as a 'Money Market' dealer, specialising in Corporate Sales for a major bank, followed by several years working directly with small/medium sized businesses improving sales and diversifying into new markets. This includes two years as a Business Growth Adviser for a proactive 'Added Value Network' (AVN) accounting practice.

At business capability we see it is vital that all our trainers have first hand experience of the subjects they are developing and delivering. As well as being a qualified trainer Lianne is, first and foremost, a sales person.

Tax doesn't need to be Taxing !



Julie Goodchild from the Revenue and Customs Advice Team based in Bradford led the days meeting with a brief overview of How, When and Why you should pay your taxes!

Julie handed out the 'Becoming Self Employed Guide' to all participants and she then worked through parts of it making the mysteries of tax a little less daunting. The booklet contains a very useful and simple income and expenditure spreadsheet designed to help you keep your records in a straight forward way which then allows you to easily transfer your figures into your annual tax return (see below). A question and answer session followed giving useful tips and advice to those in the group.

| Date | Description | Income (turnover) | Date | Description | EXPENSES | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------------|------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | | | | | Cost of stock/materials | Motor expenses | Employee costs | Premises costs | Phone/Stationery | Other | Personal Drawings |
| 8/6 | Takings | 750.30 | 1/6 | Rent | | | | 200.00 | | | |
| 15/6 | Takings | 820.25 | 3/6 | Buss contents insurance | | | | | | 135.00 | |
| 22/6 | Takings | 805.20 | 5/6 | Diesel | | 30.00 | | | | | |
| 29/6 | Takings | 900.26 | 6/6 | Staff wages + drawings | | | 125.00 | | | | 100.00 |
| | | | 10/6 | PL Insurance | | | | | | 160.00 | |
| | | | 11/6 | Supplies | 320.86 | | | | | | |
| | | | 12/6 | Protective clothing | | | | | | 45.99 | |
| | | | 13/6 | Staff wages + drawings | | | 125.00 | | | | 100.00 |
| | | | 15/6 | Stationery | | | | | 22.40 | | |
| | | | 16/6 | Diesel | | 35.01 | | | | | |
| | | | 17/6 | Supplies | 11.95 | | | | | | |
| | | | 20/6 | Staff wages + drawings | | | 125.00 | | | | 100.00 |
| | | | 24/6 | Telephone | | | | | 31.96 | | |
| | | | 25/6 | Diesel | | 30.00 | | | | | |
| | | | 27/6 | Staff wages + drawings | | | 125.00 | | | | 100.00 |
| | | | 29/6 | Advertising | | | | | | 139.99 | |
| TOTALS £ | | £ 3276.01 | | | £ 332.81 | £95.01 | £500.00 | £200.00 | £54.36 | £480.98 | £400.00 |

Example of a income and expenditure sheet from the HMRC 'Becoming Self Employed Guide'.

It was suggested that a regular Drop in Session should be arranged at the Newlands Enterprise offices based in Greengates where Julie or one of her colleagues would be available on a monthly basis to help with any kind of tax enquiry or indeed help you with those dreaded tax returns ! Help is available any time of the month direct with Julie's team based in Bradford on 01274 205251 (julie.goodchild@hmrc.gsi.gov.uk) or why not visit their website - www.hmrc.gov.uk to find out more...

If you would like a copy of the booklet Julie Goodchild distributed or if you are interested in the drop in sessions, please contact Julie Dawson on 01274 610222 or drop her an e-mail at julie.dawson@newlandsenterprise.org and she will organise a date for the drop in.

KEY DATES FOR SELF-ASSESSMENT

April
31st October
31st January

Receipt of your Tax Return
 Paper returns needs to be in
 Last date you can file on-line, payment of balance of any tax you owe and first payment on account for the following tax year

Forgotten who you met last time?



ANITA BOLLAND

Project Manager
Newlands Enterprise



JULIE GOODCHILD

HM Revenue & Customs
Advisor

Free Hot Desking @ Newlands Enterprise

As part of Newlands Enterprise commitment to creating enterprise opportunities in the Bradford District, we are offering free hot desking facilities to people wanting to start or research into starting their own company.

If you are trying to start a business or just need to use the Internet for research purposes we would like to help. Newlands Enterprise have 4 Hot Desk Facilities available FREE of charge. All with high spec computers, Internet access, telephone and printing services.

In addition to the office facilities we can offer friendly supportive advice and can provide strong links to all other agencies who are offering business support in the area.

So if you have a business idea and just want an hour or two to carry out research or if you need a day a week using the facilities to get your business off the ground without the kids under your feet then get in touch!

Today's Venue

Kirkgate Community Centre
Shipley
West Yorkshire
BD18 3EH

For booking details, please contact the centre on 01274 580186

Dates for your Diary

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|------------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Inspired Futures Event | 29th January 2009 | 3.00 - 6.00 PM | St. John's Centre |
| SBBC | 17th February 2009 | 3.00 - 5.00 PM | Kirkgate Centre |
| SBBC | 17th March 2009 | 3.00 - 5.00 PM | Kirkgate Centre |

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