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HLC E-SAFETY PROTOCOL

E-safety has risen in importance during the COVID-19 pandemic, as our learners and partners have switched to on-line support and delivery. From a safeguarding perspective this creates three areas of risk – Content: exposure to illegal, inappropriate or harmful material. Contact: being subject to harmful on-line interaction with other users. Conduct: personal on-line behaviour that increases the likelihood of, or causes harm.

From a learning delivery and inspection perspective we all have a twin safeguarding duty to protect and educate learners/staff in the use of technology and to have appropriate systems in place to intervene and deal with any incident. In addition to regular Prevent and local threat updates (see: volume 25 March 2021), HLC also supports our partners with e-safety checks, advice, and training.



Recently, in response to the pandemic and the inexorable shift to blended teaching & learning approaches, we have further developed our on-line / virtual live learning protocol, which is designed to guide and protect both the tutor and learner (in effect addressing the “Contact” risk above). The protocol is used on our AEB programmes, but it can be adapted to pretty much any setting and personalised.

If you are juggling with the challenges of on-line learning and would like a copy of the template, please email sandra.williamson@hlc-vol.org



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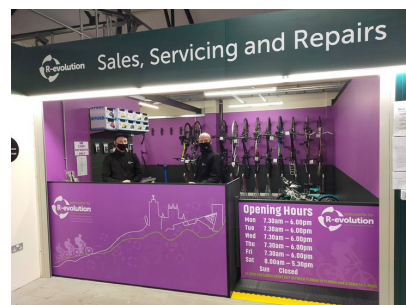
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R-EVOLUTION CYCLE CHARITY...

R-evolution are known for being a cycle charity who work in the East Riding. However, they are mainly focused on the training and development of people from disadvantaged communities across the whole of the Humber area. They provide accredited training, life coaching and employability passport work, to help people find a purpose and move into employment.

They started in 2014 and now have bases in Cottingham, Bridlington, Hull, Grimsby and Scunthorpe. They run a series of community projects utilising their two main training and development programmes, which are based around local skills gaps - light engineering (cycle mechanics) and horticulture. They have been working with HLC for much of their existence and this relationship has helped them to deliver personalised intensive support to their trainees.

In addition, 1500 bikes are donated to them each year and following refurbishment from their team, they distribute the majority through their bike libraries in schools and workplaces to promote active travel.



They conduct training, repairs, second-hand bike sales and engagement for the general community and have their own cycle race academy and a fleet of adapted bikes for hire from Bridlington.

Their latest project is the opening of a cycle facility in Trinity Indoor Market, Hull, a horticulture project and weekend cycle facility at Normandy Hall in Scunthorpe, and a new workshop in Grimsby.

They are recruiting trainees now for both the cycle and horticulture programmes and they'd be grateful if you could steer any candidates their way.

This is one of many of great projects that have received funding through ESF Community Grants 5, which is currently open for application. If you are interested in applying for one of our small grants of between £5,000 and £20,00 you can find further information of how to apply through our website:

[LINK](#)

To discuss any potential applications please contact the CG team (Email: community-grants@hlc-vol.org or Call: Jacquie Newman - 07541626331).



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SUPPORT FOR BUDDING ENTREPRENEURS IN HULL...

The Hull Community Led Local Development (CLLD) programme funded by ESIF, also offers support to businesses and budding entrepreneurs located in eligible areas of Hull. One of the CLLD projects providing this support is the Business & IP Centre at Hull Central Library.

It's for anyone with a business idea that they wish to explore; the self-employed and businesses that need some help and support to survive, develop or grow.

- Specialist business information and resources on setting up and running a business
- Guidance on protecting a brand, product or idea - intellectual property
- Expert staff on hand to discuss business ideas with in confidence
- Help to access and use specialist business resources and tools
- One to one advice with expert partners
- Packages of support and small grants available until 30th June 2021

“Business support pointed us in the right direction, and gave us confidence to believe in ourselves!”



Bespoke packages of support for Hull residents include;

- Access to all BIPC services and events
- An allocated key contact to guide you through your journey
- An assessment of business needs
- Supported interactive workshops, events and networking activities

Daily appointments to discuss ideas and needs can be booked here [LINK](#) and their programme of interactive workshops, events and expert clinics can be booked here [LINK](#)

Currently services can be accessed on-line using video call and telephone, face to face delivery will begin shortly.

The Business & IP Centre is based at the Hull Central Library. For more information please go to their website here [LINK](#)

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RACHAEL FOSTER, CREATE TO CHANGE, TALKS ABOUT HOW THEY ARE HELPING YOUNG PEOPLE ACCESS THE CREATIVE INDUSTRIES....

Since its launch the Goodwin Development Trust's Create to Changes programme (C2C) has worked with more than 150 young people and helped 87 of those progress into employment, self-employment, education or training.

Its success is based upon three components, which are the businesses, the recruitment process and myself and Kelsie, as the dedicated key workers. You cannot have one without the other but I will argue that the businesses are the main contributing factor! They provide amazing opportunities, that in turn naturally create a great recruitment platform for young, ambitious people.

Over the four years that this project has been running we have worked with 100s of businesses and created valuable relationships throughout Hull and East Riding. During our recruitment process we invite the businesses in to talk to the participants we are working with about the opportunities they are offering.



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CREATE To CHANGE

In addition, they also run workshops with us. We recently had Hull Truck Theatre Company run a workshop on how to write a successful application and attend interviews. We often hear that this is the best part of the programme, with people saying 'why don't they get these people into schools', 'I never knew we had so many opportunities in Hull,' 'if it wasn't for C2C I would never have known about all of these amazing businesses operating in Hull.'

Whilst working with the businesses the participants are able to showcase their abilities and if/when they're taken on, the young people are then helping to support the growth of the local industry. This has been very successful with many of the employers coming back to us again and again, spreading the word about C2C within their networks.

We would like to say a special thank you to all the local companies in the creative and hospitality sectors for their continuous support in enabling young adults to gain valuable work experiences in Hull. For more information, check out the C2C Facebook page [LINK](#).

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