

JOBS 22 BULLETIN

WELCOME TO OUR BRAND NEW JOBS 22 BULLETIN

Even at this early stage in our journey we have so much to celebrate and share. Whilst the past few months have presented challenges, including the recruitment of more than 200 staff, we're already starting to make a difference for our participants and that's thanks to the hard work of our team and delivery partners. As I write this, our team has helped 50 people back into work, a brilliant achievement that will make a difference for our participant's families and communities.

Our strapline is 'More than just a job' and I see examples of people living this value everywhere I look. I see employment coaches going above and beyond to help participants build their confidence, and our Employer Services Consultants using their local knowledge to source the best opportunities for people. Across Jobs 22, we're all focused on giving the participant the best experience possible. And by focusing on that goal, I know we can achieve incredible things in the coming months.

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Aaron Henricksen, Managing Director



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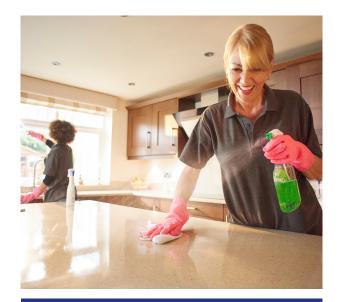
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CELEBRATING SUCCESS

Early success stories from the Restart Scheme

GETTING BACK INTO WORK AFTER 19 YEARS!

Clare Richardson had been a full-time parent since 2002, dedicating her time and energy to raising her young family. The pandemic negatively affected her partner's business, leading to financial strain and a joint claim for Universal Credit. Clare was referred to the Restart Scheme and there she met Employment Coach, Jennifer Cabena at Jobs 22's Tamworth branch. With help from Jennifer, she's now in a flexible role that fits in with her family, and is completing a course to become a nail technician, part-funded by Jobs 22.



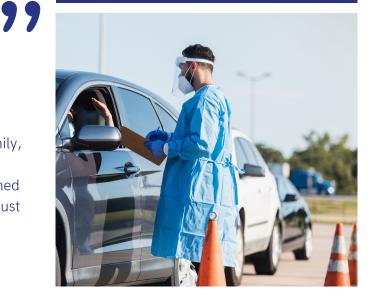
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"I'm over the moon. I was surprised by the positive financial impact. I knew it could be a really positive thing for me and improve our whole family's quality of life."

Clare Richardson, Restart Scheme participant

A NEW MINDSET AND A NEW JOB IN A MATTER OF DAYS

When Ahmed needed to find work to support his family, Jobs 22 Employer Services Consultant, Michael Neofitos and Employment Coach, Ibrar Qureshi teamed up to help him find a new job as a Covid Marshall in just a matter of days. WE'VE ALREADY HELPED OVER 50 PARTICIPANTS BACK INTO WORK.



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PLAN FOR JOBS

the UK Government is focused on protecting,

supporting and creating jobs across the country.

THE KICKSTART SCHEME

Kickstart is a £2 billion fund which creates paid, 6month work placements for over 200,000 young people who might be at risk of long-term unemployment. People aged 16 to 24 years old and on Universal Credit in England, Scotland or Wales, can be referred to Kickstart. For employers who create high quality placements, the Government will pay:

- 100% of National Minimum Wage for 25 hours for a total of 6 months.
- Associated employer NI contributions.
- Employer minimum automatic enrolment contributions.
- Training costs.

KICKSTART® SCHEME



THE RESTART SCHEME

The Restart Scheme aims to help one million people in England and Wales back into employment. People who have been claiming Universal Credit for 12-18 months will have access to enhanced support to find work.

Jobs 22 has been chosen to run the Restart Scheme across East Central England, which includes Bedfordshire, Leicestershire, Lincolnshire, Northamptonshire, North Buckinghamshire, Staffordshire and Warwickshire.

Working with local employers, local government and support services based in the area, Jobs 22 has created a service that gives Restart Scheme participants extra help and tailored support by removing barriers to sustainable employment.

RESTART SCHEME

"We've created a journey for Restart Scheme participants that is centered in their local communities. We prioritise working with small to medium businesses based locally, so all our partners and support providers are familiar to participants. Our regional infrastructure for the Restart Scheme means we can offer services that fuel local economies while supporting local residents back into work."

Aaron Henricksen, Jobs 22 Managing Director



OUR DELIVERY PARTNERS

A round-up of our partners' news and stories.

PET-XI OPEN NEW RESTART SCHEME OFFICE

Congratulations to Pet Xi on the official opening of their brand new Restart Scheme office at Royal Leamington Spa College, Warwickshire College Group.

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ACORN TRAINING LAUNCH RESTART SCHEME JOB CLUBS

In August Acorn Training's Tunstall Employment team ran a successful job club for Restart Scheme participants around job searching and application skills. Everybody has made significant progress, which is fantastic to see.

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RADIO COVERAGE FOR BUSINESS 2 BUSINESS

Business 2 Business went live on BBC Radio Leicester to talk about the delivery of the Restart Scheme and the support they are providing for unemployed individuals in the Central East Region. Click on the icon to listen to the interview, which starts 1 hour 13 minutes and is available until 18th September.





TCHC CELEBRATES 17 YEARS IN EMPLOYABILITY

Happy Birthday to TCHC who have been delivering training, employability and skills provision for 17 years, making a difference to communities and changing lives.

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FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR DELIVERY PARTNERS

LOCAL IMPACT

A closer look at the fantastic community led projects happening in the East Central area.

MOVE is a Lottery and EU funded project that aims to help economically inactive and unemployed people to start on the road back into employment, by tackling barriers that prevent them from working. The project is being delivered across the Greater Lincolnshire LEP area, home to a wide range of communities with diverse economic challenges. The project is being delivered by 20 partners, over six years, and focuses on improving readiness to work.





"Collaboration rather than competition will pave the way for a better experience for those with barriers to work in Lincolnshire. From our inception, we've been aware that this is something that we cannot do alone, and what makes our offer so valuable is that participants can access a wealth of local support on their journey back into work."

Sarah Williams, Jobs 22 Partnership and Integration Manager.

WE'RE ACTIVELY LOOKING FOR ORGANISATIONS WHO WANT TO WORK WITH US. SO, IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN STARTING A CONVERSATION AROUND PARTNERSHIP AND WISH TO DISCUSS HOW WE COULD WORK TOGETHER <u>CONTACT US TODAY.</u>



OUR FOUNDERS' NEWS



CODE4000 JOINS THE CATCH22 FAMILY

The Code4000 team train people in prison to learn to code, from the basics, right through to becoming full-stack software engineers – and then help place them into jobs.





NEW YOUTH EMPLOYMENT CONSORTIUM

Angus Knight are working with leading partners to create a new Youth Employment Consortium, pledging to get 5,000 unemployed young people into jobs.

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JOBS 22 IN THE NEWS

LincolnshireLive

LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED CAN GET SUPPORT TO GET BACK INTO WORK IN LINCOLNSHIRE

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50 JOBS CREATED TO HELP 25,000 STOKE-ON-TRENT AND STAFFORDSHIRE BENEFIT CLAIMANTS FIND WORK

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ABOUT JOBS 22

A BETTER WAY OF SUPPORTING PEOPLE BACK INTO WORK

Feeling happy and purposeful at work has the power to change people's lives. Jobs 22 was formed to support people back to work, giving them access to all the tools, advice and guidance they need to thrive.

Our mission is to create lasting social and economic change by successfully getting people back to work.

If you'd like to talk more about anything we've covered in this bulletin or find out more about our services visit our website or call 0333 242 22 22.



