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February 2018

Bulletin

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Hello and welcome to our February bulletin. Thank you for the tremendous support we have received through e-mail and donations for The Old Ship Inn project. It's been wonderful to welcome you on our Open Days and hear your stories and experiences of this special place.

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The Peninsula Trust Team

The Old Ship Inn, Cawsand

We are forging ahead with the plans and the next big step is the launch of the Community Share Offer. It's a chance for individuals to invest personally in the project and become a

part-owner of The Old Ship. As soon as The Old Ship is in profit, it will pay investors a modest annual dividend, probably 3%. We are pleased to announce that we have been approved for 50% tax relief on these investments. This means that for every £100 that you invest, you can claim £50 back from your tax bill.

Community Share Offer

We have been working on the legal pack for the Community Share offer which will be available from 15th March 2018. You are invited to the public meeting below where you can obtain all the documentation and application form. Thank you to those who have already been in touch, be assured we will send you the share package when completed. If you cannot attend the meeting and would like us to send you the full pack contact us at admin@thepeninsulatrust.org.uk.

Share Offer Meeting

Kingsand Institute

Thursday 15th March at 7.00 pm

Please join us to get the details on the Old Ship

Your chance to invest

Letters of Support

Thank you! We have received over 300 letters of support from the community. Please keep sending them in, these letters from individuals are crucial – they really do help, with planning and with funding. Please send us one per adult (over 18) you can find our template copy [here](#).

Open Days

The Open Days continue to be a success, with over 300 people taking the time to come and have a look around. If you haven't been already we are open every Saturday, 10.30 – 12.30, rain or shine.

Millbrook Work Units

We have started! The site has been cleared of debris prior to the preparation for the foundations. We will be laying the foundations using a bored piling technique. This method is less noisy and creates less vibration. This work will start on week commencing the 12th March. As always, please [get in touch](#) if you're interested in a unit.

Business Support and Training

The Business Hub continues to grow with new members joining all the time. The next Business Breakfast is on:

Friday 9th March, 8.30 am at Millbrook Village Hall

Please complete the online invitation [here](#) to book your place, or phone Jo on 01752 658516. You can just turn up too, but you won't get necessarily get your choice of breakfast.

We can now offer some funded and non funded courses. To check eligibility and costs contact jo@thepeninsulatrust.org.uk.

- Emergency First Aid Level 3 - 1 day course - Tuesday 13th March
 - Emergency First Aid Level 3 - 3 day course - 13th, 20th and 27th March
 - Introduction to Digital Marketing for Small Business - Wednesday 14th March
 - The Four Foundations of Effective Selling - Friday 23rd March
 - Introduction to Bookkeeping and Accounts - Thursday 29th March
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Millbrook Post Office

The Post Office continues to be well used by over 80 people a week. Thank you to everyone who has been using the service. The Post Office offers a full service, everything you could do at the Premier you can now do at the Rame Centre Outreach Service. Apologies for the loss of service on one of the sessions, due to an equipment failure.

Post Office Outreach Service
Opening hours until further notice:
Tuesdays 3 – 5 pm
Fridays 2 – 5 pm
At the Rame Centre

(hours/days subject to change - please check our [website](#) for updates)

Job Club

The Rame Centre is hosting Pluss Job Advisers who can help people who are looking for work.

The Pluss Advisers can support people on a journey into lasting employment through the following steps -

1. Sign Up
2. Have a 1-2-1 Meeting
3. Help with a CV, apply for jobs, interview practice or training skills
4. Access to exclusive vacancies
5. Support with costs for travel, work clothes or organising childcare
6. Ongoing help once you start work

Please come into the Rame Centre on Tuesday mornings from 10.00 am - 12.00 pm to meet the advisers and find out more or phone the PLUSS Office in Plymouth : 01752 680011 or online [here](#)



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