

NEWSLETTER

Camberley and District Job Club

Autumn/Winter 2022

2022 so far – we have had a busy year as regarding clients, seeing over 80 individuals from April 2022. 28 have found work in a variety of roles, which include dementia care, cleaning, catering, composing and as a tattoo artist. We have developed closer client to advisor relationships, ensuring that all clients normally keep the same advisor throughout their time with us. All clients have different reasons for accessing our services and compassion, patience and support are shared aims of the club and all our volunteers. We wish you all a Happy Christmas and New Year.

Have a Wonderful Christmas and all the best for the New Year

Our Committee - We continue to have a wonderful group of volunteers who attend weekly. Our accountancy student, Amy Tolley, found full time employment in September and we wish her all success. We welcome two new volunteers on board - Alice Meechan and Jenny Steele. Our volunteers have had careers in project management, teaching, aviation, business and recruitment. Their valuable time equates to <u>c.1600</u> hours in 2022.



Above is our Ukrainian Translator Natalia Karpenko with one of our clients. Natalia has been engaged to work on Mondays from September until early December. We are most grateful to Frimley Fuel Allotments and Cllr SHBC Rodney Bates for their financial support of this initiative. She has seen 15 clients in that time and 2 have found work. **Our Clients** - We currently have 62 clients on our books looking for work in many fields. **28 have found work**, 2 retired and 6 have either returned to education, moved house or have other reasons for no longer searching for work.

Social Media– Our website continues to have high amount of traffic, with over 2000 visits since April 2022. Since our successful jobs fair in April, we have added a webpage to the website for all the employers who attended the jobs fair with links to their websites and/or employment pages <u>https://www.camberleydistrictjobclub.com/local</u> <u>-employers-and-organizations-here-to-help</u> We post weekly training opportunities on our Facebook page where 63 people follow us. We have 7 to 10 engagements with each post. We hope to take on a dedicated volunteer to support our online presence in 2023.

Our Community Partners – We continue to receive referrals from Camberley JCP, The Workshop, the Hope Hub, Surrey Choices and Richmond Fellowship. We are grateful for their continued support.

Our Contact details – our pre-booked sessions are at 10.00, 11.00 and 12.00 on a Monday at High Cross Church, Knoll Road, Camberley, GU15 3SY. You can telephone us on 0746 3830293, email us on <u>camberleycentraljobclub@gmail.com</u> follow us on Facebook (Camberley & District Job Club) or please visit our website <u>www.camberleydistrictjobclub.org.uk</u>