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Welcome

The idea behind our magazine is to promote all aspects of business within our Managed Workspace Centres – but within this Magazine we're hoping to share all latest information and operations running within the city that you may not be aware of. The operation of our Managed Workspace Centres across the city is, and has always been, unique and it is that very same model that we are applying here.

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Driving Forward With Success

How taking a leap of faith can land you in a passionate career



Leaving something steady and predictable is one of the biggest decisions almost every entrepreneur has to face at some point in their career. Taking that leap of faith from the security of a 9-to-5 job into the uncertain world of self-employment can be too much for some people. One person who took this leap was Paul Davies, who founded Arrow Driving Academy in 2007 after leaving his position as a production manager of a plastics company after feeling he was at the top of the business and could go no further.

After leaving school with no qualifications, Paul had to enter adult education in order to gain the necessary requirements needed to work up to his production manager role, while also gaining the

knowledge needed to start his own business. When he left this position, had a brief stint as a long distance lorry driver before undergoing training to become a driving instructor. Finding enjoyment straight away, as well as being good at it, Paul instantly knew this was the career for him.

Not without its fair share of obstacles, Paul found it tough trusting people and finding the right people to do the correct jobs. Despite this though, Paul never felt like giving up, saying “determination kept me going”. Arrow Driving Academy now has 4 full-time employees and 27 self-employed driving instructors.

Like all small business owners, Paul has felt the impact of the

Coronavirus pandemic and country-wide lockdowns. Having made many big investments into his business, he has been unable to move forward with a lot of them. He has, however been able to expand some of the services that his business offers by purchasing his first Large Good Vehicle (LGV) in July 2020. Arrow Driving Academy held their first LGV training course in August of that year. On top of this, the company has a long list of people waiting to start their training in this once restrictions are lifted.

One ambition close to Paul’s heart is for Arrow Driving Academy to go national, which he has set as his goal for 2021.



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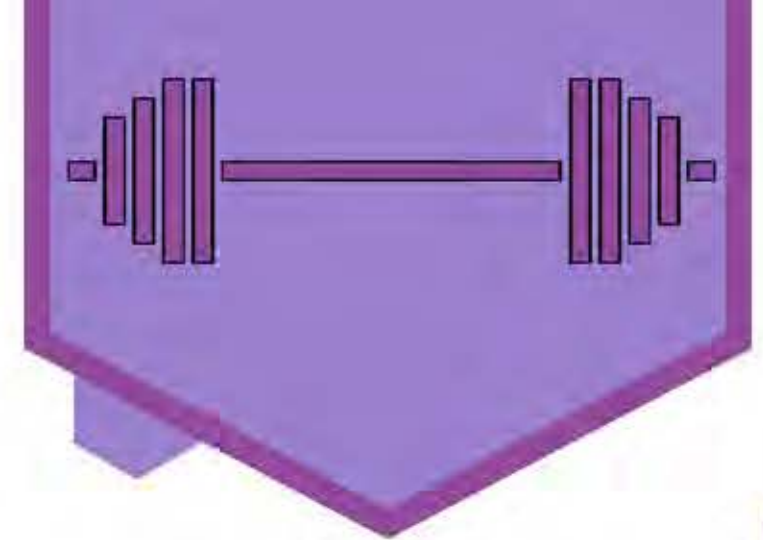


STARTING A BUSINESS

Get your business off the ground and running professionally – with advice on planning, marketing, setting up and making it through the difficult periods.

GROWING YOUR BUSINESS

Once your business has started to make profit, you may find you're now in a position for it to grow. But growth is not just increase in sales or how busy you're operating on a daily basis, growth is usually merited on improvement of profitability.



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Beginner and Advanced Plans. Get help and support in completing business plans and cash-flow forecasts.

Moving On: Wilberforce Healthcare UK Ltd

Wilberforce Healthcare UK Ltd Leave Louis Pearlman Centre After Buying Their Own Property.

In January 2021, the Managed Workspace Centres said goodbye to Louis Pearlman Centre licensees Wilberforce Healthcare Ltd as they took the next step in the growth of their business and bought their own property.

The family run business started up in 2008 when brother and sister Patrick Hewison-Ward and Jayne Metheringham needed to find care for a family member. Jayne had originally worked for private companies in this industry and used this experience to start up her own business with the goal of providing the best residential care possible. Wilberforce Healthcare was soon providing residential care to many more clients.

What is residential care?

The term 'residential care' is used to describe the general support and care that is provided in an elderly care home. It can also be called 'personal care' or 'assisted living' and involves help with basic needs such as washing, dressing, assistance with mobility and so on. Some examples of what support can be requested within residential care includes:

- Assistance with waking and getting prepared for the day
- Bathing/showering
- Dressing
- Assistance with getting around
- Help using the toilet
- Assistance at mealtimes

After three years of success supplying residential carers to care, Wilberforce decided to go one step further and started providing domiciliary care in 2011.

Upon the closure of Premier House on Ferensway in Hull City Centre, where the company had initially been based, Jayne and Patrick brought Wilberforce Healthcare Ltd to Louis Pearlman Centre in 2017. Being able to make full use of the staffed reception and easy-in/easy-out terms of their license, Wilberforce saw continued growth after moving to the Centre.

After initially being based in Units 130 as an office and 112 as a training room/archive room, the company soon realised that they needed more space. As such, they gave up Unit 112 in favour of both Unit 10 and 116, with 116 being used for the sole purpose of a training room.

When the Coronavirus pandemic hit last year, Wilberforce Healthcare saw a dramatic increase in the number of carers they employed. This allowed them to provide their essential services to more and more people that needed it. With a primary clientele of the elderly, the disabled and those convalescing from illness or accidents, the company witnessed a growth in their client base over the last several months. As such, Wilberforce have had to increase the support that they provide including delivering care packages to people unable to leave the house, as well as working with a local café to provide hot meals to clients who need them.

The Managed Workspace Centres team would like to wish Wilberforce Healthcare the very best of luck in their future endeavours

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