

YNNI A'R AMGYLCHEDD • ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT

1) First Minister of Wales: Crown Estate Announcement Is Great News (9/7/14)

First Minister of Wales, Carwyn Jones, has welcomed an announcement by the Crown Estate, which supports the Welsh Government's vision of developing a thriving marine renewable energy industry in Wales.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.offshorewind.biz/2014/07/09/first-minister-of-wales-crown-estate-announcement-is-great-news/>

2)Anglesey: Crown Estate deals for tidal stream plans revealed (9/7/14)

Menter Môn and Minesto granted leases

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/news/north-wales-news/anglesey-crown-estate-deals-tidal-7395388>

3)EU Renewables Targets Significantly Influencing UK Government's Energy Policies, Says GlobalData (8/7/14)

As the UK strives to meet its EU target of 15% renewable energy consumption by 2020, the government has taken several steps to reduce the country's carbon emissions by 34% and 80% by 2020 and 2050, respectively, compared with 1990 levels, according to a report by research and consulting firm GlobalData

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.offshorewind.biz/2014/07/08/eu-renewables-targets-significantly-influencing-uk-governments-energy-policies-says-globaldata/>

4)Wind Turbine Engineers Head Out to Field (14/7/14)

TEN aspiring young engineers are en route to completing RWE and Wales' 1st Wind Turbine Apprenticeship after graduating from Coleg Llandrillo's purpose built Wind Turbine Training Centre this week.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.offshorewind.biz/2014/07/14/wind-turbine-engineers-head-out-to-field/>

5) Scheduled Ship Inspection Halts Gwynt y Môr Work (18/7/14)

Cable installation has been halted at the Gwynt y Môr offshore wind farm this month.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.offshorewind.biz/2014/07/18/scheduled-ship-inspection-halts-gwynt-y-mor-work/>

6) Plans for Rhiannon Wind Farm Fall Through (31/7/14)

Council Leader, Councillor Ieuan Williams, has expressed disappointment that plans to develop a large scale wind farm off the Anglesey coast will no longer go ahead.

The proposed 2.2GW Rhiannon Wind Farm, developed by Celtic Array Ltd. (a joint venture ownership of DONG Energy and Centrica), would have been located some 12 miles off the Anglesey coast. It would have powered around 1.5 million homes with low carbon electricity.

The Crown Estate has today (31 July 2014) announced that it has agreed to Celtic Array Ltd.'s request to end its offshore wind zone agreement for the Round 3 Irish Sea Zone. This will allow developers, DONG Energy and Centrica, to cease development activity and terminating their seabed rights.

The decision follows recent assessments of the Zone showed that challenging ground conditions would make the project economically unviable with today's technology.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://subseaworldnews.com/2014/07/31/plans-for-rhiannon-wind-farm-fall-trough/>

7) Want to work in Oil & Gas industry? Here's how. (29/7/14)

Introduction: Looking for a long-term career in an expanding and exciting sector? The oil and gas business is the place to be right now and for the future. Whether you are an engineer, welder, field or office worker; the energy industry offers tremendous opportunities across the job spectrum.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.offshoreenergytoday.com/want-to-work-in-oil-gas-industry-heres-how/>



UWCH DDEUNYDDIAU A GWEITHGYNHYRCHU ●

ADVANCE MATERIALS & MANUFACTURING

1) Profits dip at growing Holyhead Boatyard (17/7/14)

Profits have dipped at marine services company Holyhead Boatyard, despite a rise in turnover from international growth and the continuation of a Ministry of Defence contract.

The business said its policy of avoiding dependence on any one market was one of the reasons for its continued turnover rise, and said it was ready to take advantage of "many opportunities" in the coming years.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119241-more-growth-holyhead-boatyard?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=top_story_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

2) £1.2m deal to provide extra rail services (17/7/14)

Rail services linking Manchester and Chester with North Wales are set to be increased after a £1.2m deal.

Arriva Trains Wales is to run an additional locomotive and four carriages from December to provide at least 2,450 extra seats across the morning and evening peak times each week.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119230-12m-deal-provide-extra-rail-services?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=business_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

3) Welcome for Snowdonia Space Port shortlisting (17/7/14)

The selection of Llanbedr Airfield as one of eight sites to potentially host the UK Space Port has been welcomed.

Aviation minister Robert Goodwill named the Snowdonia Enterprise Zone site as an area under consideration for a potential base to launch commercial flights from 2018.



Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119252-snowdonia-space-port-announcement-hailed?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=business_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

4)Developer sought for Rhyl projects (24/7/14)

A development partner is being sought as part of the regeneration of Rhyl.

Denbighshire County Council is seeking for a party to develop the resort's leisure offer and will consider proposals involving any of its land and properties from Marine Lake along the promenade to Splash Point.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119767-developer-sought-rhyl-projects?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=property_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

5)Colwyn industrial park snapped up for £2.75m (1/8/14)

The Conygar Investment Company has bought Colwyn Bay's Mochdre Commerce Park for £2.75m.

The 22-acre site, located along the A55 expressway between Holyhead and Chester, comprises 191,000 sq ft of industrial space, with 146,000 sq ft currently vacant.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/120266-?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=property_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

6)Plans for £12m school backed by council (1/8/14)

Planners from Gwynedd Council have backed proposals to build a £12.4m school which will cater for students from the Meirionnydd and Dwyfor areas with special educational needs.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/120252-?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=property_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker



7)Eurofighter project jet powers Welsh economy to tune of £5m (30/7/14)

Tritech Precision Products LTD in Wrexham and Triumph Actuation & Control Systems on Deeside benefited from the spending

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/eurofighter-project-jet-powers-welsh-7533280>

8)WATCH: Llandudno Junction: New £40m supermarket could bring 300 jobs (30/7/14)

Sainsbury's is believed to be the front-runner for the 14-acre site known as the Old Brickworks

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/llandudno-junction-new-40m-supermarket-7529547>

9)Wrexham haulier set to expand with move to Deeside Enterprise Zone (23/7/14)

Edge Transport will create jobs and grow new clients at new transshipment depot

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/wrexham-haulier-set-expand-move-7484495>

10)Airbus wins \$75bn of business in record breaking Farnborough Airshow (17/7/14)

Aerospace giant did deals for 496 aircraft

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/airbus-wins-75bn-business-record-7444937>

11)North Wales: Marinas pumping millions of pounds into economy (16/7/14)

Potential for marine industry to provide further boost with new marina proposed for Holyhead

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/north-wales-marinas-pumping-millions-7437447>



12)Glyndwr University signs series of major international deals at airshow (16/7/14)

Wrexham uni bosses say contracts put it in the international fast lane of engineering education

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/glyndwr-university-signs-series-major-7433286>

13)Construction output in Wales set to rise above the UK average and another 4,410 workers will be needed every year to support the growth (1/8/14)

CITB says growth is subject to a number of major infrastructure, industrial and housing projects which will require a skilled workforce to deliver them

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/construction-wales-set-rise-above-7544945>

GWASANAETHAU ARIANNOL A PHROFFESIYNOL ● **FINANCIAL & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

1)Avox wins Welsh Government funds for expansion (1/8/14)

Avox, the Wrexham data services company, has won £160,000 from the Wales Economic Growth Fund to accelerate its job creation plans.

The banking data services provider [announced plans to create 200 new jobs earlier this year](#) and as a result of the package from the Welsh Government, 70 of the jobs are to be created within months.

Darllen mwyl/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/120276-welsh-government-support-avox-expansion?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=business_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

2)WATCH: 'We can unleash economy of North Wales' says new Welsh Secretary (30/7/14)

Stephen Crabb MP says he wants to make the region a priority and to champion economic growth

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/watch-we-can-unleash-economy-7533509>



3)Interest rates expected to stay at 0.5% this week but base rate will move from hisitoric low soon (3/8/14)

The Bank of England's will announces its decision for August on interest rates on Thursday

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/interest-rates-expected-stay-05-7554375>

4)Finance Wales exceeds investment targets with the £6m fund which has already created more than 280 jobs (30/7/14)

Hospitality, retail, tourism and wholesale sectors led the way with the fund helping to create 115 jobs by the end of June

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/finance-wales-exceeds-investment-targets-7528219>

5)Economic growth and investment are the keys to solving social problems, argues Cardiff Metropolitan University Professor Brian Morgan (29/7/14)

Professor Morgan says investment in skills is essential and higher education is being used as a political football

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/economic-growth-investment-keys-solving-7527547>

6)More good news for Welsh businesses as growth in output and new orders accelerates in June (14/7/14)

Nearly one third of the companies surveyed signalled a rise in new business and commented on stronger demand from foreign markets and improved economic conditions

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/more-good-news-welsh-businesses-7416907>

7)Santander league table puts Wales among lowest in UK regions for supporting entrepreneurs (9/7/14)

Rankings based on ability, attitude and aspiration

Darllen mwyl/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/santander-league-table-puts-wales-7397613>



DIWYDIANNAU CREADIGOL • CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

1)National Eisteddfod 2014: Maes is a major marketplace for Welsh business and economy (30/7/14)

National arts festival is a shop window to the world for proud Welsh businesses as more than 350 stands present a microcosm of Welsh life

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/national-eisteddfod-2014-maes-major-7535475>

2)Colwyn Bay: Tom Jones and Jessie J concerts to pump £400,000 into the economy (23/7/14)

Access All Eirias will give major boost to the seaside town

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/colwyn-bay-tom-jones-jessie-7492725>

3)Welsh language channel S4C in production agreement with South Korean channel JTV (24/7/14)

Three independent television production companies in Wales will be making documentaries in South Korea

Welsh language channel S4C has entered into a collaborative agreement on a variety of productions with JTV channel in South Korea.

This is the first time broadcaster S4C and production companies Awen Media from Cardiff, and Rondo Media, who are based in Caernarfon, Cardiff and Menai Bridge, will collaborate with the broadcaster from South Korea.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/welsh-language-channel-s4c-production-7500503>



TECHNOLEG GWYBODAETH A CHYFATHREBU (TGCH) • INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES (ICT)

1) From sausages and pies, to welshcakes: Welsh businesses sign up to .cymru domain (1/8/14)

FSB says small businesses are keen to use the opportunity to market themselves as Welsh on a global scale

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/first-businesses-sign-up-cymru-7543882>

2) More people set to benefit from broadband scheme (30/7/14)

More people across Wales will be able to benefit from the Welsh Government Access Broadband Cymru scheme following changes to the scheme rules.
Wednesday 30 July 2014

The scheme provides grants to premises which are unable to access broadband above a speed of 2 Megabits per second (Mbps) so that they can access faster broadband.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/businessandecconomy/2014/9057122/?lang=en>

GWYDDORAU BYWYD • LIFE SCIENCES

1) Patchwork invests in production lines (24/7/14)

The Patchwork Traditional Food Company is investing in new production lines to boost efficiency at its factory in Ruthin.

The business, which produces items such as pâtés, hummus, chutneys and soups, is installing packaging equipment which will allow its team to pack pâtés at three times the current rate.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119859-patchwork-invests-production-lines?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=manufacturing_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker



2)Wholebake investment in Corwen and Wrexham set to create additional 60 jobs (1/8/14)

Expansion of the healthy snack bar and flapjack maker will also secure the existing 104 staff in both North Wales sites

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/wholebake-investment-corwen-wrexham-set-7549110>

3)Flint: 142 jobs saved at Creative Foods after buy out finalised (15/7/14)

David Wood Baking has rubber-stamped the deal to buy the food factory in Flint

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/flint-142-jobs-saved-creative-7429344>

4)Halen Mon: Work starts on new home for Anglesey Sea Salt (3/7/14)

Anwyl Construction begins the £1m project

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/business/business-news/halen-mon-work-starts-new-7367533>

5)Lansiad Swyddogol Hwb Gwyddorau Bywyd Cymru – hyrwyddo twf (17/7/14)

Mae lansiad Hwb Gwyddorau Bywyd Cymru heddiw yn garreg filltir allweddol yn yr ymgais i hyrwyddo twf y sector, cynyddu ei gyfraniad at yr economi o dros £1 biliwn yn flynyddol, creu swyddi a denu buddsoddiad mewnol.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/businessandconomy/2014/9023262/?skip=1&lang=cy>

6)Official launch of Life Sciences Wales Hub – a catalyst for growth (17/7/14)

The launch today of the Life Sciences Wales Hub marks a key milestone in the drive to accelerate the growth of the sector, increase its contribution to the economy by more than £1billion annually, creating jobs and attracting inward investment.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/businessandconomy/2014/9023262/?lang=en>



GWEITHGAREDDAU AWYR AGORED CYNALIADWY, TWRISTIAETH AC AMAETHYDDIAETH • SUSTAINABLE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES, TOURISM & AGRICULTURE

1) Official opening for revamped Llandudno station (24/7/14)

Llandudno's refurbished station will help to boost tourism in the resort, according to Welsh Government finance minister Jane Hutt.

The station has undergone a £5.2m revamp funded with £3.5m from the Welsh Government, £1.5m from the Department of Transport and £150,000 from the Railway Heritage Trust.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119759-official-opening-revamped-llandudno-station?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=property_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

2) New lease of life' following Ruthin Castle deal (24/7/14)

North Wales luxury hotel Ruthin Castle has been "given room to breathe" following its rescue deal, according to Prima Hotels' Liam Walshe.

The historic grade II-listed hotel was sold in a pre-pack earlier this year and Walshe, chief executive of the Cheadle-headquartered company, said the group is delighted with its first acquisition in Wales.

Darllen mwy/Read more http://www.insidermedia.com/insider/wales/119831-new-lease-life-following-ruthin-castle-deal?utm_source=nwales_cheshire_newsletter&utm_medium=business_article&utm_campaign=nwales_cheshire_news_tracker

3) Anglesey: Chicken factory investigation launched over hygiene fears (25/7/14)

The Health Secretary has ordered the probe after claims carcasses touched by workers's boots were put into the production line

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/news/north-wales-news/anglesey-chicken-factory-investigation-launched-7507475>



4)Dechrau gwaith ar Academi Hwyllo Genedlaethol ym Mhwllheli (30/7/14)

Academi Hwyllo Pwllheli - y cynllun

Mae gwaith adeiladu wedi cychwyn ar gynllun i ddatblygu adeilad Academi Hwyllo ym Mhwllheli.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.golwg360.com/newyddion/arian-a-busnes/156295-dechrau-gwaith-ar-academi-hwyllo-genedlaethol-ym-mhwllheli>

5)Y Rhaglen Datblygu Gwledig yn arwain at fuddsoddi bron £1 biliwn yn nyfodol cefn gwlad Cymru (8/7/14)

Mae Gweinidog yr Economi, Edwina Hart, yn esbonio sut y bydd Llywodraeth Cymru yn defnyddio bron £1bn i weddnewid a chryfhau diwydiant ffermio a chymunedau gwledig Cymru.

Bydd y Rhaglen Datblygu Gwledig newydd yn arwain at fuddsoddi £953m rhwng 2014 a 2020 i sicrhau dyfodol llewyrchus i gefn gwlad Cymru. Bydd hynny'n cynnwys buddsoddiad o fwy na £400m gan Lywodraeth Cymru.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/environmentandcountryside/2014/140708rdp/?skip=1&lang=cy>

6)Rural Development Programme will see nearly £1 billion invested in the future of rural Wales (8/7/14)

Economy Minister, Edwina Hart has set out how the Welsh Government plans to use nearly £1bn to transform and strengthen Wales' farming industry and rural communities.

The new Rural Development Programme will result in £953m being invested between 2014 and 2020 to ensure a vibrant future for rural Wales. The fund will include an investment of over £400m from the Welsh Government.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/environmentandcountryside/2014/140708rdp/?lang=en>



7)Prosiect a ariennir gan yr UE yn hwb i Ddyffryn Conwy, meddai Jane Hutt (22/7/14)

Mae Canolfan Bwyd Cymru Bodnant, a gafodd arian yr UE trwy Lywodraeth Cymru, yn rhoi hwb i Ddyffryn Conwy ac ymhellach i ffwrdd trwy helpu i gefnogi cynhyrchwyr bwyd lleol a denu ymwelwyr i'r ardal, meddai'r Gweinidog Cyllid Jane Hutt heddiw.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/finance1/2014/9034312/?skip=1&lang=cy>

8)EU-funded project is a boost for Conwy Valley, says Jane Hutt (22/7/14)

The Bodnant Welsh Food Centre, which was backed by EU funding through the Welsh Government, is providing a boost for the Conwy Valley and further afield by helping support local food producers and attracting visitors to the area Finance Minister Jane Hutt said today.

Darllen mwy/Read more

<http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/finance1/2014/9034312/?skip=1&lang=en>

DIDDORDEB CYFFREDINOL • GENERAL INTEREST

1)US diner wants to create chain of 'upmarket' drive thru restaurants (16/7/14)

Harvey's will open first site in Rhuddlan this autumn

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.dailypost.co.uk/whats-on/food-drink-news/diner-wants-create-chain-upmarket-7430702>

2)Deputy Minister unveils biggest shake-up of Welsh skills system since devolution (15/7/14)

The Welsh Government's Skills Gateway will provide a seamless service for businesses seeking skills support

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/business/business-news/deputy-minister-unveils-biggest-shake-up-7421421>

3)Canolfan feicio yn y Rhyl yn hwb i adfywio'r dref (24/7/14)

Mae Marsh Bike Tracks yn y Rhyl yn chwarae rhan fawr i adfywio'r dref, meddai'r Gweinidog Tai ac Adfywio, Carl Sargeant.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/housing-and-regeneration/2014/9042100/?skip=1&lang=cy>



4)Biking centre has Rhyl regeneration on track(24/7/14)

The Marsh Bike Tracks in Rhyl are playing a big part in the regeneration of the town, Housing and Regeneration Minister Carl Sargeant has said.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/housing-and-regeneration/2014/9042100/?lang=en>

5)Nawdd Llywodraeth Cymru i greu canol fywiog a llwyddiannus i Gaergybi (23/7/14)

Bydd arian adfywio gan Lywodraeth Cymru'n gwneud gwahaniaeth go iawn i Gaergybi, meddai'r Gweinidog Tai ac Adfywio Carl Sargeant heddiw wrth ymweld â'r dref.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/housing-and-regeneration/2014/9043432/?skip=1&lang=cy>

6)Welsh Government funding creating vibrant and viable Holyhead town centre (23/7/14)

Welsh Government regeneration funding will make a real difference to Holyhead, Housing & Regeneration Minister Carl Sargeant said today during a visit to the town.

Darllen mwy/Read more <http://wales.gov.uk/newsroom/housing-and-regeneration/2014/9043432/?lang=en>

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