



## NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to The CAE October update. This past month was one of organisational changes as we welcomed new minds and focused efforts on meeting the needs of the BAME community through employment and training support.

Enjoy this month's newsletter.

Yolanda Barnes, Operations Manager

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## OUR ACTIVITIES

### OUR WORK IN THE COMMUNITY

We have provided over **100** one to one support through our employment, foodbank, training and call support services.

Impact of our food delivery services this month;

- **72** families and **14** individuals were served.
- **727kg** of food. This is equivalent to
- **1334** meals equivalent, and
- **2965kg** of Carbon dioxide savings.

As this pertinent work continues within the community even during the lockdown period, **Pascal** had this to say about the impact of the foodbank services:

**"It has been difficult for me and my family to get food during the lockdown due to safety issues, so it was so great to have the guys serve us like this. We felt like we were part of a family during these tough times as they were always there for us so we are very grateful for the work The CAE is doing for the community."**



We are pleased to be serving several new participants under our employment and training support, all of whom have been out of work for more than a year.

**Mariwan** who will be starting his barber course next month had this to say;

**"I had a pleasure dealing with The CAE, they were very helpful and they helped me achieve what I was aiming for and they provided a really friendly and professional service."**



## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- November marks the start of our new project:  
Are you a refugee who wants help finding a job? Interested in starting your own business? Learn new skills?  
Our new Refugee Women Empowerment Project funded by the WCVA's Active Inclusion Fund will support unemployed BAME refugees in and around Swansea. For more information, email Saskia on eo@caentr.org
- We are taking steps to becoming more sustainable and towards promoting environmental awareness within our community.
- We will be showcasing BAME entrepreneurs on November 20, for the Global Entrepreneurship Week

hosted by Swansea University. For more up to date information on how you can join us, follow us on [twitter @CAE Wales](#). Or you can email us on joy@caentr.org

## ONLINE EVENTS

- Join **Sibufit's** Zumba classes!  
Held every Tuesday, 1230 - 1330  
Sign up [here: http://bit.ly/parklives20](http://bit.ly/parklives20)
- Join the conversation with BAME students in Swansea University as they speak on employability, entrepreneurship, arts and culture in Swansea. Click [here](#) to watch the series.

## JOIN OUR ORGANISATION

We have vacancies coming up in November! Follow us on [Twitter @CAE Wales](#) and visit our [website](#) to access our upcoming work and volunteer opportunities once published.

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