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As always, we have lots of news, updates and information for our supporters. Scroll down to find out more, and please feel free to get hold of us if you have any questions or think you can be of any help to us.

Welcoming a third family to Falmouth/Penryn

Work is going on to apply to the home office to welcome a third family to Falmouth & Penryn. We've managed to get over the biggest stumbling block - finding a home for a family in this area - and we're looking for more volunteers to join our "Family 3 Team". Volunteers we're specifically looking for are:-

- ESOL
- Schools team
- Health support attending appointments and navigating the systems
- IT help
- Social media
- Supporting in extracurricular activities

If you think you may be interested in this, please contact us at <u>falmouithpenrynwelcome@gmail.com</u>. There are plenty more roles to fill - such as helping get the house ready - so if you think this might be something you can get involved with please do get in touch with us to have a chat.

Please do share this poster with any friends, family



or colleagues you think may be interested in giving up some spare time.

Job Opportunity - Welcome Development Officer

- Part-time (0.5) post (17.5 hours per week), £25,500 pro rata
- 6 month fixed term (June/July to end Nov/Dec 2024 (with a possibility of extension/permanent contract, dependent on performance and future funding)

Since last September we've been very lucky to have Bryony, a paid part-time Development Officer, on our team providing us with invaluable support.

Bryony is now moving on and we're looking for someone else to join us.

If you're interested, or know anyone who may be interested, please get in touch for an application form. If you're unsure, please get in touch to have a chat and find out more. To find out more email falmouthpenrynwelcome@gmail.com or you can call 07944 296319 to have an informal chat.

This is a great opportunity for someone to work with a team of board members and volunteers trying to make a difference in what often seems to be a hostile environment.

Refugee Week



art and dance on Global Refugee Day: June 20th

Help us celebrate

community and cultural diversity through food,

*All day textile banner making workshop! *Cafe open all day plus art exhibition in foyer *Evening food stalls from Syria, Jordan and Ukraine *Performance from Palestinian Hawiyye Dance *Company

*Cornish dance and music, everyone can join in! *Cross cultural dance for peace and solidarity.



June 20th 10.30am - 10.30pm Princess Pavillion, Falmouth Free entry to all

Welcome AGM - 15th June

Our AGM is set for 6pm at The Fish Factory on Thursday 15th June - we'll send more details out, but please do save the date and come and join us. Details to follow.

Search for 3bed house to rent

Due to changes in circumstances, the first family we resettled in the area are going to be looking for a new home to move into by the end of April 2024.

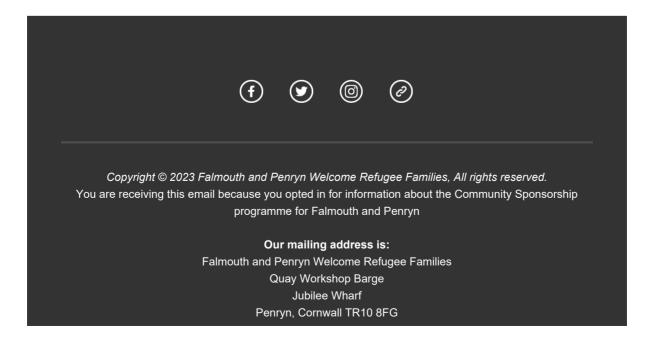
They are keen to stay in the Falmouth area, because everybody is so blooming lovely, and the family feel settled in the schools etc. If you, or anyone you know, has a 3bedroom house to rent to a family on low income, please get in touch with us via email. If you want to chat to someone to find out more, please let us know and we will call you back. Email <u>falmouthpenrynwelcome@gmail.com</u>.

Upcoming Events



Saturday 6th May - Glyn is arranging a Jumble in a Box at The Fish Factory in Penryn to raise awareness and funds for Mobile Refugee Support. This is part of the Fish Factory's three day event of music, poetry and spoken word - The Lyin' Politicians Festival. Check out Eventbrite details below for the many different ticketed events over the weekend, all raising money for Mobile Refugee Support. 4th May - Tremoans, MCMC Spoken AKA Megan Chapman & Support 5th May - Boom Boom Racoon, Mac Dunlop, Seb Howard 6th May - Julian Gaskell & HIs Ragged Trousered Philanthropists - Philippe Falquerho, Will Hazel and Harry Kessell

Special thanks as always to Glyn and the volunteers who bring the jumble and merchandise to events all around Penryn and Falmouth, chatting with people, making friends and raising awareness in our community and also raising valuable funds to enable us to do what we do.



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