

Newsletter

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#EPIC Talk with local Dragons' Den success story this week

There's only four days to go until the next #EPIC Talk with Trowbridge-born Jordan Daykin.

Jordan hit the headlines at the age of 18 when he became the youngest ever person to win investment on the BBC show Dragons' Den.

[Tickets](#) are free for the talk which takes place at 5:30pm on Thursday 29 November in the council chamber at County Hall, Trowbridge

Jordan will share his uplifting story of how he overcame immense obstacles to achieve outstanding success as an entrepreneur. He will share insights from his new book 'Gripped: My Story', which describes how he came up with ideas for his first business, how a business is built up from scratch, and how his tremendous work ethic and passion for business are at the heart of his success.

Following his talk, Jordan will open up the floor for a Q&A session followed by an exclusive book signing. Copies of Jordan's book will be available at a discounted rate of £7 each.

Wiltshire Council's #EPIC Talks series aims to stimulate debate and learning by inviting inspirational speakers to share their knowledge.

The high quality speakers don't stop there. Other people booked to appear include Rachel Neaman (29 Jan 2019), a digital leader specialising in digital transformation, skills and inclusion, Margaret Heffernan (21 March 2019), an international entrepreneur, CEO, author and TED speaker and Simon Tyler (23 May 2019), a motivational author and life coach.

Joanne Pitt, director of human resources and organisational development at Wiltshire Council, said: "We have got a really diverse line-up of speakers booked and we're really excited for people to hear their stories, perspectives and inspirational advice.

"Next up is Jordan Daykin, and clearly anyone who can impress the Dragons and achieve the kind of success he has at such a young age is someone very much worth listening to".

To book a free place at #EPIC Talks: My Story by Jordan Daykin visit <http://www.epictalks.eventbrite.co.uk/>.

To find out more about upcoming #EPIC Talks visit <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/skills-epic-talks>.

Wiltshire charters course for better information sharing

The Wiltshire Information Sharing Charter (WISC) was launched at an event for stakeholders at County Hall, Trowbridge on 31 October.

WISC has been introduced to assist in lawful and integrated sharing of data between partner organisations. It establishes consistent and robust protocols to ensure people's data is managed correctly.

Organisations who sign up to the charter are provided with a toolkit to assist with sharing of information within their organisation and across partner organisations.

The aim is for WISC to provide the foundation for the sharing of personal information between partner members in the public, private and voluntary sector organisations to improve the provision of services to the residents of Wiltshire.

Cabinet member for IT, Philip Whitehead, said: "I was pleased to be invited to open the launch event for WISC and to promote the benefits for Wiltshire residents and organisations by adopting this common-sense collaborative approach.

"Everyone will work to the same guidelines enhancing the services that we deliver and provide peace of mind for our residents about how we handle their data."

Find out more or sign up to the Charter <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/wisc>

Work Wiltshire

Work Wiltshire is a unique website with a wide range of education, employment and skills information including:

- Young people's next steps
- Information on jobs & careers
- Information for employers
- Apprenticeships
- Parents page
- Further & Higher Education
- Support for those with barriers to work
- Support for schools
- Local marketplace information
- Local support & provision
- Local news & events employment & skills related

The logo for Work Wiltshire features the word "work" in a green, lowercase, sans-serif font, followed by "wiltshire" in a black, lowercase, sans-serif font. The two words are joined together.

It's interactive and full of information and signposting tools, we work with partners to promote external programmes and resources including those available through the Employment & Skills service.

Visit the website: <https://workwiltshire.co.uk/>

For more information please contact workwilts@wiltshire.gov.uk

What's on



If you would like to promote an event in your area to staff and the wider public why not use the [events calendar](#) on our website. You can find the link to the calendar on the home page under ['What's on'](#).

Check what else is on at Wiltshire Music Centre in Bradford on Avon:

www.wiltshiremusic.org.uk and City Hall in Salisbury: www.cityhallsalisbury.co.uk

Quick links

Area Board information - www.wiltshire.gov.uk/communityandliving/areaboards.htm

All the latest news releases - www.wiltshire.gov.uk/latestnews.htm

A blog for the heritage community of Wiltshire - <https://heritageinwiltshire.wordpress.com>

Community virtual notice boards - www.wiltshire.gov.uk/ourcommunitymattersblogsites.htm

Recycle for Wiltshire - www.recycleforwiltshire.com

Roadworks - www.wiltshire.gov.uk/roadshighwayspavements/roadworks.htm

Tree wardens for Wiltshire - www.wiltshiretreewardens.co.uk

What's on in Wiltshire - www.wiltshire.gov.uk/leisureandrecreation/whatson.htm

What's on at City Hall in Salisbury - www.cityhallsalisbury.co.uk

A blog for Wiltshire's arts community - <http://theartsinwiltshire.wordpress.com>

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