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Dear Richard,

Welcome to our May newsletter. Now's the time to book your place on a [BBC raw money workshop](#) that we are running in Norwich on May 22nd. It is also the time to think about making a nomination for the [STAR awards](#). In 2008 Suffolk FBU achieved a Highly commended which brought with it £1,500 funding for learning. We circulate this newsletter to around 300 people and organisations so do let us have any topical information that you want included in future issues. Enjoy Adult Learners' Week and the spring sunshine!

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Sincerely,

Richard Crook and Heather De Lyon

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Adult Learners' Week 9-15 May

National

Adult Learners' Week is the UK's largest and longest running learning campaign. Held each May, it encourages thousands of adults, whatever their age and background, to give learning a go: whether it's learning for pleasure, catching up on skills missed



TULL BBC raw Workshops

Friday, 22nd May 2009

The Forum
Millennium Plain



Make the most
of your money
with raw money
workshops

To **book a place**, click on:

[session 1](#) 10:00-12:30

or

[session 2](#) 13:30-16:00

The sessions are intended to equip and empower reps within an organisation to organise a workshop in-house and refer colleagues to the website. Priority for places will be given to ULRs.

Stepping Stones

Norfolk



Improve your English and maths skills through fun learning using digital photography, music and video.



Contact CME to find out if you are

out at school or getting that new job or promotion.

Adult Learners' Week is an opportunity for you to make a difference by inspiring others to give learning a go. Whether you're an employer, a provider of learning, a potential partner or learner there are many benefits to getting involved.

Find out more at: www.alw.org.uk

Local Adult Learners' Week Events

Norfolk & Suffolk

Prospect and PCS at John Innes Centre - Learning Day

192 people came along to try out some of the 23 taster courses on offer. Feedback was very positive. Well done Prospect. Click for more info... [report pdf](#) [flyer pdf](#)

UNISON at Norfolk County Council, Norwich

Unison's Jo Rust has set up a wide range of taster sessions which will take place at County Hall, throughout the week.

GMB Lowestoft Event

This community event was held on Sat 25th April and was a big success.

Many other events are also taking place locally

National Learning at Work Day

National

National Learning at Work Day 2009 will take place on Thursday 14th May as part of Adult Learners Week on the theme of 'Skilled for Success'.

The Day is about workplaces making a public commitment to learning and skills by holding events and activities for their employees.

If you are considering organising an event at your workplace as part of Adult Learners Week, why not choose Learning at Work day?

For further information about National Learning at Work day visit their website by clicking [HERE](#)

Skills Accounts

National



Skills Accounts will help individuals take control of their

eligible:

(01603) 628-367

CME-Stepping Stones pdfs:

(click link below to view)

[Stepping Stones press release](#)

[Stepping Stones flyer](#)

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learning and working lives. They provide a personalised service that allows learners to access a range of careers advice and information about how to improve their skills and access financial support.

See the [April 2009 newsletter](#) for more information (pdf)

Star Awards

National

Do you work with one of the unsung heroes of further education?

[Nominate them now for an LSIS STAR Award.](#)



The Learning and Skills Improvement Service (LSIS) holds the annual STAR Awards to recognise and reward the unsung heroes of the further education (FE) and skills sector.

Since the launch of the awards in 2003, over £150,000 in development funding and prize money has been given to winners and highly commended nominees. With a wide range of categories for individuals and teams, the STAR Awards cover all aspects of FE provision and are open to those in teaching and non-teaching roles. Anyone can nominate including learners, colleagues and managers.

Nominations for the 2009 LSIS STAR Awards are now open, the nomination period closes on 12 June 2009.

We may be able to help you prepare your entry.

Link of the Month

[Adult Learning info at direct.gov.uk](#)

gives clear information about things like your Skills account, guide to qualifications and careers advice.

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