

Press Release
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Success at Basepoint's joint free networking event

Basepoint High Wycombe and Eastcote recently joined forces to host a free networking event 'The Networking Hub', which attracted approximately 25 local business individuals who took the opportunity to network, meet new people, and generate new business – and also listen to two guest speakers.

Key speakers were Margaret, founder of HR Dept, a company which provides personal, practical and people-focused HR solutions for small and medium sized businesses. Drawing from her twelve years experience, Margaret advised on how SMEs can get the best out of their employees. This was followed by John Addrison from Rouse Chartered Accountants who advised on business finance consulting.

Tracy Pierre, centre manager at Basepoint High Wycombe, commented: "The Networking Hub provides a fantastic opportunity for local businesses to come together with other likeminded people and discuss their business ideas and issues. We hope that this refreshing new event for the local area will continue to help small business owners build up a support system which will encourage business development. Sharing the event with another Basepoint centre broadens the horizons for many local businesses as contacts can be made in other areas as well as locally."

The next scheduled event is taking place in January at Basepoint High Wycombe from 11.00 to 1pm. Attendees will also be provided with lunch and refreshments – all free of charge.

Basepoint High Wycombe is conveniently located just a two minute drive from the M40 and situated in the heart of High Wycombe's business community – the Cressex Business Park. As well as the good transport links, the centre also offers great meeting facilities and free parking. For further information, please contact the Basepoint team on 01494 614614, email highwycombe@basepoint.co.uk or visit www.basepoint.co.uk.

Basepoint Eastcote is only a short drive from both Heathrow Airport and a number of regional motorways, and also offers fast access to Central London via the nearby Eastcote underground station. The centre offers around 10,780 sq. ft of high quality, fully serviced office space and also encompasses a further 3,225 sq. ft of warehouse and self storage facilities for use by licensees. For further information, please contact the Basepoint team on 020 8866 4400, email eastcote@basepoint.co.uk or visit www.basepoint.co.uk.



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