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FREE LIFE INSURANCE

One of our partners, GMB Protect, is offering ALL members free life insurance, to the value of £5,000 for 12 months. This is renewable every 12 months, and is always free.

For more details, please see your local representative for the documentation, or visit:

www.gmbprotect.com/j

Please remember that should you be absent from work, you must follow contact procedures at least **ONE HOUR** before your scheduled start time (e.g. 5.00 for a 6.00 start), otherwise Company Sickness Benefit may be withheld.

Should your illness or injury be of a minor nature, it may be that your line manager could provide you with alternative duties or a different work location until your injury/illness subsides, thus avoiding an absence.

UNIONLINE
YOUR TRADE UNION LAW FIRM
0300 333 0303
www.unionline.co.uk

PAY

In this noticeboard is the full pay offer for 2018, a two-stage offer with a total increase of 2.46% for over 25's and 2.51% for under 25's.

You will shortly be receiving a ballot paper, so please ensure you cast your vote.

Also, if your address has changed over the past 12 months, or you wish to check that your address is up-to-date with GMB, please contact your local representative on the shop floor or by using the details below.

Should you require representation, please approach your local representative in the first instance, or alternatively telephone the office.

If you are requiring support in a disciplinary or grievance hearing, we ask that you inform your rep as soon as is reasonably possible.

Our branch has limited funds available for sponsorships or donations towards good/local causes. Please see your local representative for details.

If you have recently changed your contract to or from one of the bands above, you should inform GMB, otherwise you may not receive benefits you are entitled to.

Change of details forms are available from your local representative.

Please continue to fill in hazard/near miss forms where appropriate. These forms are invaluable to both GMB and the Company, and should help to prevent further occurrences.

Should you feel you are continually raising similar issues, please speak to your GMB rep, who will take your suggestions into their local H&S meeting.

Should you move house, please don't forget to inform GMB as well as the company.

We always have an influx of requests around any ballot, so keeping us up-to-date prevents any issues receiving your vote.

Forms are available from your local representative.



As you are aware, during the NLW implementation, GMB negotiated an increase in staff discount to 20%.

We would ask that all team members use their discount card where possible. The more cards being used, the more potential to request special weekends where an increased discount could be offered.

GMB CREDIT UNION

Please see elsewhere on this noticeboard, a poster highlighting the benefits of GMB Credit Union.

Please do not use lenders such as Wonga, Satsuma, Provident etc, as their interest rates are extortionate.

GMB Credit Union offers loans with reasonable interest rates, whilst giving opportunity to save at the same time.

Membership Benefits

from  and 

Ring LV= to find out details on these and much more...



Car Insurance
0800 756 8343



Motorcycle Insurance
0800 032 0636



Classic Car Insurance
0800 028 5760



Caravan Insurance
0800 028 5816

Lines are open Mon-Fri 8am-8pm, Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm.
Calls may be recorded. For Text Phone: first dial 18001.
GMB acts as an Introducer Appointed Representative of the Liverpool Victoria group of companies for General Insurance. 14277/2017 03/17

GMB DENTAL PLAN

For under £12 a month you could get up to £500 annual cover for NHS dental charges, just for being a GMB member.

For further information, please see your local representative, or use the below link:

www.protegosecure.co.uk/gmbdental

Please be aware that the Company has a Social Media policy.

Although these are personal sites, any comments you make on Facebook, Twitter etc, that could be seen as bringing the company into disrepute could be constituted as gross misconduct.

Should you require a copy of the policy, please see your local GMB representative.

BRANCH MEETING

Our next branch meeting is on:

Tuesday 13th March 2018

The meeting commences at 7.15pm and is at Stanley Street Social Club, Worktop.

All GMB members are welcome.



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