

Bournville Job Club

at Rowheath Pavilion
7pm Mondays from 20th February

→for directions & map click [here](#)

Objectives

- Bournville Job Club meets on Monday evenings at Rowheath Pavilion.
- Its purpose is to bring together job seekers for mutual encouragement, and to grow their skills in seeking and applying for jobs.
- The club does not guarantee that its members will find jobs, but it hopes to increase the probability of success, and to make the task less lonely and more supported.

When?

- It starts on Monday 20th February 2012 and subsequent Mondays.
- It will **not** meet on Easter Monday (9th April.)

What happens?

- Each evening will follow a roughly similar pattern. It combines group sessions giving input on CVs (your work history,) application letters, interviewing etc., with time working on individual job seeking, and there will also be chance to work on individual skills.
- There will be chance for participants to talk together about how they are getting on. A short additional session will look at tips for keeping motivated over the long run, and coping with multiple rejections. This will cover the problems of low income, simply getting out of bed in the morning, and dealing with depression.

The Support Team

- A team of volunteers from Pavilion Christian Community, which is based at Rowheath Pavilion, will facilitate the club and provide support. The team includes people with experience of working in job finding and career counselling services such as Connexions, and people with recent personal experience of redundancy.
- The team's objective is to provide support and encouragement to participants in their job seeking, and to help them to provide mutual support to each other. The Job Club encourages participation by people from all backgrounds and faiths.
- As Christians, team members have found their faith in Jesus Christ has been valuable in difficult (and good) times in their own lives, and can talk about this if anyone is interested.

Affiliations

The Job Club is affiliated to the GB Job Clubs movement www.gbjobclubs.org and the Birmingham based Jericho Foundation www.jcp.org.uk

Contact details

If you require further information contact:

- Telephone: 07840 113 862 / 0121 608 2893
- e-mail : bournvillejobclub@gmail.com
- Support Team Co-Ordinator: Stephen Gray