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## The Guide to Eastbourne: A place where people want to live, visit and work

Eastbourne Borough Council are preparing an exciting new Guide that will be published in Summer 2012, designed to promote Eastbourne as a vibrant and positive area in which to live, visit and do business.

The Guide is designed to give people a new look at Eastbourne and will include some of the more unusual views and news about Eastbourne.

As the Council will be distributing the Guide, free of charge, to residents, businesses and visitors, it presents a unique opportunity for companies and organisations to advertise their products, services and achievements.

The Guide will incorporate detailed mapping as well as comprehensive editorial content about the town's development, heritage, attractions, commercial and business activities, communications, housing and leisure provision.

If you would like to advertise in this guide please contact the Project Manager, Rob Harty on 07777 693251 or email [r.harty@btinternet.com](mailto:r.harty@btinternet.com)

For details of the rates click here [Rate Card](#)



## Change to the Default Retirement Age

The Government has removed the Default Retirement Age so that people can choose to work for longer. Many employers have heard about the change but need to know what it means for their business and workers. The Dept of Work and Pensions are launching an online working longer toolkit for employers to give them the information they need in one

Many small business managers rely on their peers, other owner managers, local networks, trade bodies and trusted voices to get information and advice.

The Toolkit is now available at [www.businesslink.gov.uk/workinglonger](http://www.businesslink.gov.uk/workinglonger)

The Dept of Work & Pensions very keen to find out

place.

The online Toolkit has a pick and mix approach - so they can use as much or as little as they need, including:

- Information about how the law has changed
- Two minute toolkit
- Factsheets
- Case studies
- Help and support

how useful the toolkit is so we can keep improving it. If you have any comments, please send them to [later.lifeworking@dpw.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:later.lifeworking@dpw.gsi.gov.uk)

## Does your company fancy taking on a challenge to celebrate the Olympic and Paralympic Games?

The 2012km challenge is the perfect way for you and your company to be part of the excitement around the Olympic and Paralympic Games.

It is simple to organise and manage and Gold Challenge will do all of the administration for you.

Click the link for more information

[www.goldchallenge.org/employeechallenge](http://www.goldchallenge.org/employeechallenge)



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