

Chief Executive – Grow Cook Learn.

Are you a leader?

Are you ready for an exciting challenge?

Could you inspire a diverse and dedicated team?

Do you have the drive and commitment to succeed?

Do you have the skills and commercial awareness to take the Discovery Centre to a new level?

Grow Cook Learn is a new social enterprise and Registered Charity which has taken over the running of the Shropshire Hills Discovery Centre at Craven Arms. The Board is looking to appoint a Chief Executive with the drive and skills to transform the centre in to THE visitor attraction for the Shropshire Hills and Marches area.

Recently awarded the prestigious “Best Family Day Out award” the centre is set in 30 acres of meadowland with a well regarded café/restaurant, innovative exhibition, shop and facilities for learning, meeting and discovering our unique landscape.

The Onny Meadows with an extensive riverside frontage has huge potential for development in the production of food for local consumption and learning traditional skills and crafts.

Our cafeteria is being re fitted to improve appeal and to incorporate a training café in collaboration with the internationally renowned Ludlow Food Festival and there is even greater potential to develop our education and learning offer.

We are looking for an exceptional individual who will demonstrate a track record of success with excellent communication and business skills. The right candidate will be able to lead and develop our new social enterprise so that Shropshire Hills Discovery Centre is recognised as an absolute “must visit” attraction; a renowned centre for learning and education and is at the same time, a financially sustainable long term business.

We offer a competitive reward package in the order of £35,000 pa and excellent terms and conditions of service. For further details of the post including job description and person specification please telephone Kate Cox on 0300 303 8595