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CRC HOSTS CELEBRATORY CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Thursday 11th December 2008

Cambridge Regional College (CRC) has been celebrating its excellent record in Train to Gain by holding a special Christmas lunch in their Riverside Restaurant.

A group of ladies studying National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 3 Hospitality Supervision at CRC, got together this week in the College's training restaurant to enjoy a festive celebration of their year's work. The students all work in hospitality supervision roles in establishments such as Kings College, Gonville and Caius College and Leys School.



Level 3 NVQ Hospitality Supervision students and their Trainer, Helen Heath

The lunch was organised by Helen Heath, Trainer and Assessor at CRC, to celebrate the students' hard work and dedication to their course. She said, "I recognise that it is very challenging to complete study within the workplace and therefore am very proud of this groups' achievements. It is great to see their progress made in areas where CRC is helping to improve industry standards".

The NVQ 3 in Hospitality Supervision covers various aspects of hospitality management, such as Human Resource Management, Food and Drink Operations, Marketing and Reception. Freda Mark, an NVQ student and supervisor at Kings College said, "The course has been absolutely brilliant in helping me in my job and the trainers are superb. I progressed from Level 2 last year and hope that after I complete my Level 3 I will move further up the career ladder. Today is a fun way of recognising this".

The Christmas lunch was prepared by students on the NVQ Level 1 Professional Chefs course at the College. Diners were welcomed with a complimentary glass of mulled wine and were offered a delicious 3-course menu. Four choices were available in each course, including "Spiced Vegetable Soup", "Fillet of Pollock", "Turkey and trimmings" and "Cinnamon Panna Cotta".

In November CRC was chosen as 'Train to Gain Provider of the Month. The Award was given by the Learning & Skills Council in recognition of the College's performance and responsiveness to the needs of the employers. The College also celebrated the enrolment of its 1000th learner in the workplace recently.

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