

FREELANCE North Manchester



A pocket guide to
#freelancefriendly hotspots.

Hello & welcome/

Every day freelancers make an enormous contribution to businesses across the United Kingdom (UK) and the economy as a whole. These highly skilled, independent professionals are the fastest growing segment of the self-employed labour force [1] So, what is a freelancer? We are defining a freelancer as a "self-employed worker without employees working in a range of managerial, professional and technical occupations" [2] and there are 2 million throughout the UK. A mix of 1.7million do it as their main job and 243,000 as a second job! This includes 302,000 working mums, that's 1 in 7 of all freelancers! [3]

Newtons of Bury:

You may associate our name with furniture, which in a way is true, but since August 2017 the space has been converted into a freelance, start-up, business, social hub! A space for freelancers, start-ups businesses and many others to use throughout the day as if it was their own space. So, our freelancers use the tables and chairs, just like what Newtons used to sell!

Freelance friendly spots

So how do freelance friendly spots come to get a place in our guide? We have either used these spots ourselves, have been recommend as a good spot to use or they openly welcome freelancers pitching up and using their space! Keep an eye out for our freelance friendly stickers in the window! Are you freelance friendly? Let us know for the next edition of this guide - hello@newtonscowo.com

Could you support the freelance movement in North Manchester?

We want to encourage as many people as possible to start a business that is successful. Freelancing and start-ups fuel a huge part of our economy and is a growing sector! To do this we need as much help as possible. Could you help us? We have monthly supporter membership of just £5 per month for as many months as you can manage. So, what do you get in return? Well, you can use the space once a month completely free and you get your own listing on our site as a Social Hub Supporter.

With yours and others support we can help provide a hub that can support locals here in North Manchester - to get things done!

Thank you!



Sign up & start connecting!

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Sign up to our freelance friendly community to receive lots of 'Freelance lovin''. Get regular updates on networking events, socials, meet-ups and plenty of discounts from our lovely 'Freelance Friendly' family.

Farrars Cafe/



Radcliffe Market Hall, Blackburn St, Radcliffe.

About:

The cafe will contain everything created locally by artisan and independent producers. All Farrars coffees are roasted by local artisan coffee roasters, Ancoats Coffee Co, and all baked goods on offer are from artisan bakers Hunters from Bolton. There will be fresh bread and morning pastries, breakfast and lunch specials and paninis, fresh cream cakes and tray bakes, all freshly baked on the morning, and loose leaf teas blended to Farrar's own blends...

Facebook:
Farrars Cafe & Tea Rooms

Instagram:
@farrarsradcliffe

Tel: 07826 465673

Radcliffe

Bloom/



6 Market Street, Bury, Lancs, BL9 0AJ.

About:

Bloom coffee co is an independent coffee shop based in Bury town centre, serving a freshly prepared brunch and lunch menu. With a focus on quality, Bloom offers speciality coffee, teas, craft beer, wine and seasonal cocktails. All Bloom coffee is sourced ethically from a number of different roasters and served in a number of different brew methods..

Facebook:
Bloom Coffee Co.

Instagram:
@bloom_coffee_co

Tel: 0161 637 8384

Bury

Ground up/



8 Market Street, Bury, Lancs, BL9 0AJ.

About:

Ground Up is an Independent coffee shop in Bury town centre. Specialising in coffee blends sourced from independent suppliers and with Artisan bread, cakes and pastries are delivered fresh every morning from a family-run bakery. This friendly and relaxing cafe incorporates bespoke, handcrafted design and antique furniture reflecting the building's history as a 'tea and coffee rooms' in the 1940s.

Facebook:
Ground Up Coffee Shop

Instagram:
@groundupbury

Tel: 07733 220795

Bury

Drinc/



9 Bridge St, Ramsbottom, Lancs, BL0 9AB.

About:

This fantastic, independent cafe in Ramsbottom specialises in quality freshly ground coffee plus a selection of delicious fresh cakes, breakfast and lunches.

Tip:
Keep an eye out for the fabulous live music events at Drinc. There certainly worth staying late for.

Facebook:
DRINC coffee bar

Instagram:
@drinccoffeebar

Tel: 01706 559410

Ramsbottom

Siphon/



91 Bank Street, Rawtenstall, Lancs.

About:

A generously sized shop with industrial decor, but not without a comfy few sofas for laptop working.

Free WiFi and power points make it a convenient space for working alone or in a group. Stay refreshed with speciality coffee and teas with a tasty selection of cakes (gluten free and vegan sorted !!) If it's something savoury there is a select menu from soup to flat bread pizza. Open from 7:30-5:30 Monday- Friday and 8:30- 5:30 Saturday and 5pm on Sunday.

Facebook:
Siphon Espresso & Brew Bar

Instagram:
@siphonespresso
brebar

Tel: 07740366167

Rawtenstall

All the shapes/



8 Warwick St, Prestwich, M25 3HN.

About:

While our focus on serving great products has never wavered, our repertoire expands beyond this to curate a rolling arts programme, serve up weekly music happenings with resident and guest djs and host monthly food & drink events. We are continually experimenting with new and carefully sourced products. This creates new and interesting ways of staying progressive for our guests, our way. We are spread over two floors, and a cute garden for you to relax in. We are dog friendly downstairs and outside so feel free to bring them along, however they must be kept on a lead.

Facebook:
All The Shapes

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Prestwich

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