

MANLANDBIZNET

COLLABORATIVE & FRIENDLY BUSINESS NETWORK

Dear fellow Manland parent/carer,

We wanted to let you know about Manland BizNet, a networking group for Manland parents and carers.

Manland BizNet is a collaborative and friendly business network for self-employed parents and carers at Manland school. The aim of the group is to provide opportunities for networking, referral, co-working, support and the sharing of skills and ideas, either through the Facebook group forum or through quarterly informal evening meet-ups.

The group was initiated by a few self-employed Manland parents/carers who found the informal referral network, the sharing of ideas, expertise and alternative perspectives, not only productive for their businesses, but enjoyable and motivating too. In a bid to find more time than the snatched catch-ups on the school run, Manland BizNet was born.

We are having our first official get together of the academic year and are hoping to welcome new parents to join us. We will be meeting from **8.15pm at The Harpenden Arms, on Monday the 20th November 2017** and very much hope you can come along. The evening will be an informal drinks gathering where we can talk through interest in the group, learn about each other's businesses, skills and expertise, as well as giving us an opportunity to talk about anything we might find helpful from the network. Please mention to anyone in our school community that works for themselves that you think might be interested. It would be great to know if you plan to come along so we can get a feel for numbers. This event is for Manland parents and carers only. Find us on Facebook at **Manland BizNet**.

With very best wishes and we hope to see you there.

Your fellow Manland BizNetters.

Hannah Armstrong | Louise Barcock | Esther Hathorn | Sarah Hirsh Draper | Susie Turrall