

British Forces Resettlement Services are Transforming Futures: Tidworth Gears Up for the 12th Annual BFRS Careers Fair Set to be the Largest Yet!

Thursday 7 September, 2023

- *The Armed Forces Community get ready to explore their future career possibilities at the BFRS National Careers Fair in Tidworth on Thursday 14th September at Tidworth Leisure Centre.*
- *Tidworth is the flagship event of British Forces Resettlement Services National Careers Fairs and the largest aimed at connecting military Service-Leavers with careers in the civilian world.*
- *With over 100 exhibitors attending, this event has grown year on year and proven to be extremely successful in connecting the armed forces community with exhibiting companies.*

In an ongoing dedication to serving military personnel, British Forces Resettlement Services (BFRS) are all set to host their largest National Careers Fair on September 14th, 2023, at Tidworth Leisure Centre. This BFRS flagship event in its 12th year promises yet again, to empower service personnel as they prepare to step out of uniform and into civilian life.

With a steadfast and ongoing commitment to supporting the remarkable transition from military life to civilian careers, BFRS Tidworth National Careers Fair has been an annual event for over 10 years and offers a comprehensive platform for the Armed Forces Community (AFC) to explore an array of opportunities and chart their post-service path.

As the sun rises on September 14th, the Tidworth Leisure Centre will be buzzing with a wide and varied mix of exhibitors from all sectors. With networking possibilities and opportunities tailored to provide the necessary tools for a successful transition into civilian careers.

This Careers Fair is sponsored by AIS Survivex who are part of the 3t Energy Group and offer exemplary training in the wind, offshore, construction and energy sectors.

Highlights of the Careers Fair:

- **Diverse Industry Representation:** This event boasts a diverse lineup of over 100 industry leaders, corporate recruiters, and educational institutions from various sectors. From defence and construction to healthcare, technology and beyond, attendees will have unparalleled access to organizations actively seeking the unique skillsets honed in the military.
- **Expert Guidance:** BFRS Tidworth Careers Fair will feature expert HR teams many with ex-military backgrounds to address the specific challenges military personnel might encounter while transitioning. Renowned career coaches and mentors will share insights on translating military experience into tangible career assets from their own experience.
- **Networking Opportunities:** The event provides a vibrant, approachable and positive atmosphere for attendees to connect with like-minded individuals, fellow veterans, and potential employers. The BFRS Careers Fair networking exchange is invaluable in building new connections and forging pathways towards rewarding civilian careers.
- **Educational Resources:** Educational institutions from across the country will offer information on degrees, training programs, and certifications that can facilitate a seamless transition into all sectors and expand horizons.

CV And Interview Skills Workshop: BFRS hold an invaluable CV writing and interview skills workshop on the day before, Wednesday 13th

September and this is ideal for those who are looking to develop an insight into current recruitment methods and those who are new to CV writing and creation or need a refresher

Harry Dean, founder and CEO of BFRS, says:

The Tidworth event is by far the largest and most successful of our annual event programme, it provides

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the AFC access to over 100 exhibitors who represent a wide range of commercial sectors, they not only offer employment opportunities/training/support, but importantly many are able to offer advice from their own military to civilian transitional experiences. That said, this event is a 'stepping stone' and BFRS is committed to supporting the AFC beyond their time in uniform.

This groundbreaking Careers Fair is not just an event; it's a promise of an enriched future. As BFRS open the doors to a world of opportunities, they reinforce their commitment to empowering their attendee's for success beyond their military life.

For further information and registration details, please visit:

[BFRS National Careers Fair @Tidworth on Thursday, 14 September 2023 \(bfrss.org.uk\)](https://bfrss.org.uk)

NOTES FOR EDITORS:

EVENT DETAILS:

BFRS National Careers Fair

Date: Thursday September 14th, 2023, from 09:30 to 13:30hrs.

Location: Tidworth Leisure Centre, Nadder Rd, SP9 7QN

Free entry for attendees - turn up on the day or pre-register to reserve your place at

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We encourage attendees to bring their CVs with them to demonstrate their credentials to employers.

ABOUT BFRS:

As a social enterprise, BFRS provides services to tackle social problems and improve the life chances of the Armed Forces Community. The key to this is knowing that military resettlement is more than just the brief time when leaving the services, and that it isn't just personnel from the regular forces who are affected. Therefore, all the services BFRS deliver are open to Service Leavers, Reserve Forces, Veterans, civilian MOD employees, as well as partners and families, and it doesn't matter how long or how long, ago people served. BFRS offer an ongoing service.

Please note: BFRS is a social enterprise organisation, not a registered charity.

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