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18th May 2026

TO: ALL BRANCHES

Dear Colleague,

NATIONAL YOUNG WORKERS EDUCATION EVENT, 19th – 21st JUNE QUORN GRANGE HOTEL

The purpose of this LTB is to invite and encourage Branches to send delegates to this year's National Young Workers Education Event which will take place over the weekend of Friday, 19th June through to Sunday, 21st June in Quorn.

The venue for the event during the day will be held at GFTU Quorn Grange Hotel, Quorn. Hotel accommodation has been arranged at the same venue and in nearby hotels.

Event Format

As with the approach taken over the past couple of years, this event now combines our Branch Young Worker Officer Forum alongside our National Education Event into a Young Workers Education weekend. An outline agenda is attached and a full agenda will be issued nearer the date.

Arrival & Registration

We are asking participants to arrive in Quorn on Friday, 19th June in time for their appropriate panel, see outline agenda, however they are welcome to attend all panels if they wish to hear what is going on in other parts of the Union. Registration for the main event will take place on Saturday morning and the event will conclude at 1.30pm on Sunday, 21st June.


The arrangements for the cost of delegates will be in line with the process that has been used for many years and is reflective of current pricing. The cost for Branches to send a delegate will be £320 and will include two nights' accommodation and all meals.

For more information and to secure a place for the weekend Branches should complete this form: [CWU YOUNG WORKERS EDUCATION EVENT FORM 19th - 21st JUNE 2026: APPLICATION TO ATTEND – Fill in form](#) as soon as possible so that we can assess the numbers of those attending for meals, etc.

Branches must make payment for their delegate(s) attendance by bank transfer to the General Fund Account No: 33019822 Sort Code 60-83-01 with ref "YWNEE".

Any queries regarding this event should be addressed to the Young Workers Coordinator, Kerry Fleck, kfleck@cwu.org or 07704 306418.

Yours sincerely



Dave Ward
General Secretary

National Young Workers Education Event

Outline Agenda

Friday 19th June: Branch Young Worker Officer Forum (1pm – 6pm)

The theme will be a focus on industrial matters with panels of speakers from the industrial departments offering a chance to discuss workplace issues and for our young members to ask questions and provide feedback of their experiences in the workplace.

- Telecoms & Financial Services Panel – 1pm - 2.30pm
- Postal Panel – 2.45pm – 4.15pm
- Tech Panel – 4.30pm – 6pm

Participants need to arrive in Quorn in time for their panel but are welcome to attend all sessions.

Saturday 20th June: Education & Debate

Saturday's focus will be on workshops looking at topical matters which this year will include; The Challenge of AI, Tackling the Rise of the Far Right, Mobilizing Young Workers and Organising for Health & Safety

Evening Dinner will be followed by an International Night Social including Cuban Music and short discussions on international solidarity.

Sunday 31st August: Mock Conference

This will be our annual mock conference which, following a new approach taken over the last two years, will see delegates working in teams to write, move and support or oppose motions from other teams. It will include a short workshop on how CWU conferences work, how to write a motion and why conference is a vital part of the democratic life of the Union.

The event will close 1.30pm on Sunday.