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Community News

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Snapshot of the local economic and growth picture



The South Yorkshire Quarterly Economic Survey results are in, and the three South Yorkshire Chambers of Commerce have released the findings in a [shared story](#). If you're interested in the full report and a discussion of the findings, join the [webinar on 17 July](#).

Each quarter local businesses are asked to contribute to the survey capturing views from Barnsley, Rotherham, Doncaster, and Sheffield. The results feed into the British Chambers of Commerce national dataset. Locally, it serves as a vital barometer of regional economic health and informs policy discussions and service design.

Headline results from the period April to June 2025.

- 70% of businesses identified increased sales as their top priority for the year ahead.
- Firms report needing more targeted support in areas such as marketing, business development, and workforce skills to fully realise their growth potential.
- Recruitment difficulties continue to pose a significant challenge for many businesses.
- Despite having many exportable industries and products, amongst companies that are not currently exporting, appetite for international trade remains low.
- It was noted that a reopened airport will provide international connectivity as well as freight and cargo capability.
- Businesses reported weak domestic sales and orders, impact capacity and cash flow.
- Encouragingly, some early signs of recovery emerged in the findings, including rising workforce growth expectations and easing price pressures on fuel and overheads.

Save the Date - EW Summer Social

Wednesday 13 August 2025

3pm-5pm

The Club

Summer drinks

Summer snacks

Summer games

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Monthly Shoutout!

Everyone loves a recommendation right? Or are you someone that prefers to stumble across the best sandwich/coffee/beer/walk?

So, where would you recommend for a teams night out, a quick sandwich stop, a long client lunch, a post-work-pint or a brain break walk? Send your ideas through to **Georgia** and we'll do the rest! **info@electric-works.net**

July's shoutout goes to Tamper Coffee and their Impressive Menu!



Located a short walk from Electric Works you'll find the popular independent café, Tamper. This little-gem-of-a-place, complete with its own courtyard, expertly imports Kiwi café culture to the heart of Sheffield.

Pop in for your lunch and you can expect fresh seasonal food, exceptional service and delightful coffee.

Cooked breakfasts are a must-try if you're staring work a little later, or check out their website for evening event details: www.tampercoffee.co.uk



WHAT'S ON IN SHEFFIELD?



Crossed Wires: The Podcast Festival

Sheffield's most iconic venues will be packed for blockbuster live shows, never-seen-before performances and special guests - all hosted by the biggest names in podcasting, across comedy, current affairs, culture, sport, family and wellbeing.

4th - 6th July 2025

Walkley Summer Makers Market

This Summer Makers Market will be showcasing some extremely talented local makers, artists and crafters, including jewellers, potters, Sheffield wood-turners and Spinny Linnys spinning wheel.

5th July 2025



90's Fest Weekender

The UK's biggest 90's Festival returns to Sheffield's Don Valley Bowl once again, this time for a full weekend of nostalgic partying.

12th - 13th July 2025



WHAT'S ON IN SHEFFIELD?



RHS Flower Show at Wentworth Woodhouse

Prepare for a wonderful day out and enjoy iconic floral displays, talks and tips, markets, stalls, fun children's activities and lots of delicious food and drinks.

16th - 20th July 2025

Tramlines 2025

Over the weekend 25 - 27 July 2025, expect another amazing line-up across five stages of music, comedy and performance, a dedicated family area packed with quirky things to do, the best festival food around, craft beer, vintage clothes stores, and roaming entertainment.



25th - 27th July 2025



Abbeydale Road Beer Festival

Abbeydale Road Beer Festival returns for its fourth year, Thursday 31 July to Sunday 3 August, bringing the ultimate craft beer showdown between Lancashire and Yorkshire to one of Sheffield's most vibrant streets.

31st July 2025

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