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CISRS Scaffolding Supervisor 'Skills Bootcamp' Heads to North Yorkshire on 'Skills for Life' Drive

A CISRS Scaffolding Supervisor Skills Bootcamp is heading to York and North Yorkshire on a Skills for Life drive – thanks to funding made available through York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority.



The CISRS Scaffolding Supervisor and SMSTS Site Management (CITB) courses – available to anyone in York and North Yorkshire wishing to obtain scaffolding supervisor training. This will be 100% fully funded to those selfemployed. For employers wishing to upskill a member of their team, for those that have less than 250 employees 90% of the course value will be fully funded. For large employers with over 250 employees 70% of the course will be fully funded.

The first CISRS and CITB supervisor courses will start in June (date TBC,). The course will be held at the Construction Skills Village in Eastfield, North Yorkshire and in collaboration with Working at Heights Safety Solutions.

Michael Mitchell, Scaffolding Trainer at Working at Heights Safety Solutions and Northern Regeneration: "This is a brilliant opportunity for people in York and North Yorkshire region to be able to train to become scaffolding supervisors.

"Northern Regeneration has successfully secured Skills Bootcamps funding from York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority to help address one of the challenges facing the scaffolding sector regionally – by improving access to scaffolding as an industry opportunity for residents, via the supervisor routes. Collectively we have brought together, skills, knowledge, and experience to delivery accredited CISRS Supervisor training.

"Being a scaffolding supervisor is a superb career – with great opportunities to be involved in the thriving local construction sector. And these funded courses are perfect for employed people looking to up-skill or self-employed people looking for new contracts.

"We are very excited to see what the pick-up is like and get the courses underway this Summer and would like to thank CISRS for their support."

CISRS MD, Dave Mosley added: "Good supervision is essential in the scaffolding industry, I really hope those in the area take advantage of this offer, we are sure it will yield excellent results."

In York and North Yorkshire, scaffolding has been identified in the Local Skills Improvement Plan as a key priority to make access and scaffolding freely available in the area. The Skills Bootcamps are targeted at self-employed or employed individuals wishing to develop supervisory skills in scaffolding. Individuals or businesses must reside or work in North Yorkshire to be eligible for this funding.

For more information, please email: info@skills-village.co.uk or call 01723 585009.

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