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Driven by success...

Drive Wales is a familyrun private-hire company based in the heart of South Wales.

Founded in late 2014. it has established itself as the preferred choice for airport, business, and long-distance company travel by UK and overseas clientele, some of Cardiff's biggest employers, as well as some of the leading high provided on route. street travel agents, through which you may even have booked your holiday.

A spokesperson for the company said: "Our drivers are all handpicked and understand the importance of working as a team. This creates a balanced and friendly approach and is key to the continued growth and success of a company that cares.

"You really do feel the highest of standard's from your very first call with the operators who will listen attentively to your needs and requirements and offer expert advice on

all engine levels as well as cleaning the vehicles as required and after each journey."

The fleet is covered by RAC roadside assist and includes onward travel in the unlikely event it is required.

The spokesperson continued: "From a single occupant or up to eight passengers, you always arrive feeling relaxed, with comfort stops and bottled water

"Telephone 01446 621251, visit businessdrivewales.co.uk. or search for Business Drive Wales on Facebook for inquiries or to receive a quote.

"And while you are doing that, read some customer testimonials. such as this one: 'Excellent service from Business Drive Wales. Collected us from Cardiff and took us to Gatwick. Driver was on time and eight-seater was plenty big enough for five of us and all our luggage. Driver friendly and polite and happy to stop for toilet/coffee

Masons Self Storage in £1.2m 'Work, Rest and Store' investment

ON Monday this week, Masons Self Storage completed the second phase of an ambitious expansion project in the Vale.

Two years ago, the company undertook a relaunch with a complete accommodate larger modernisation of its facility.

State-of-the-art features such as 24/7 access with personalised PIN codes, ESCORTA lifts for seamless journeys between the car park and storage units, and upgraded CCTV cameras and security were all added.

But demand for flexible storage has continued to increase, leading the company to launch a second phase in November 2017. It has been backed by the Masons Group and an investment of £1.2m.

The expansion includes an additional 215 units in a greater range of sizes than before.

It also introduces a whole new concept of 'Work, Rest and Store' in the Vale, aimed at the increasing number of business customers who need more flexibility when juggling the demands of their businesses.

At Masons' new 'Business Zone.' customers will see bigger corridors to deliveries and there will be flexible working spaces for business customers. Customers will be able to connect free to WIFI, charging stations, work remotely and enjoy a range of refreshments.

Gordon Mason, Director of the Masons Group, explained: "We chose to undertake the expansion project at Masons Self Storage as a response to customer demand, especially from the growing number of businesses that require a flexible solution to storing.

"The expansion project allows us to attract new customers while simultaneously providing unrivalled services to our existing customers."

The Seafarers' Remembrance Service takes



LEFT: The Twentv12 flooring showroom is at the newly expanded storage centre.

'Dying Matters' Awareness Week will answer those difficult questions

ARE there questions around death and the funeral industry that you have been meaning to ask someone?

Local funeral celebrant Ceri-Lou Newman is organising a community event to encourage people to be more open in talking about death and funeral wishes.

The free and informal evening. open to all, is being hosted by the away some of that unnecessary Cardiff & Glamorgan Crematorium on Port Road East, Barry on Wednesday, May 16

It is part of the 'Dving Matters' Awareness Week, which sees events taking place all over the UK to help break down the taboo.

Ceri-Lou explained: "By having conversations with our loved ones, we can find out what their final wishes are and honour them accordingly.

"Discussing our wishes now, while we can, will hopefully take pressure at what will already be a difficult time".

Industry experts will be on

may have, including funeral directors, celebrants and ministers, florists, experts in cremation and funeral care.

Various memorial keepsakes, memory blankets and teddy bears will be on display and there will be an opportunity for informal discussions over refreshments for anyone who just wants to start the 'big conversation' and think about their own wishes.

For more information about the event, please visit www.cherishedmemories.wales or