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TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS NEWSLETTER - ISSUE 16

In the month the government set-out sectoral climate action targets, Ronan explored Bord na Mona's transition to renewable electricity generation and introduced an initiative for the agri-food sector providing information, services and finance to encourage those in the sector to adopt and embrace digital technologies with afocus on sustainable land management for reducing carbon footprint. in the Agri industry and use of open source aerial technology to improve farming processes, and in turn increase yields and productivity. A real 'farm to fork' story this month too from the Browne Group as they opened a new venue in Tullamore.

A new form of digital business card was discovered thanks to Athlone's TAPiTAG and an utterly amazing addition arrived to Mullingar's streetscape - Sugar Plum Sweetery. The head of Waterland Private Equity outlined there ambition to invest in small to medium businesses and, a local estate agent celebrated winning a national award.

GOOD NEWS STORIES OF THE MONTH:

Tommy Clarke's Barbers was established 170 years ago in Tullamore and its story continues with David Feely taking the reins in the barbershop where he has worked for over ten years.

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BUSINESS STORIES OF THE MONTH

- <u>Eight Midlands Businesses Selected</u>
 For Online Retail Scheme
- Nua Healthcare Creating 81 New Jobs
 In The Midlands
- Local Enterprise On Display As
 Business Minister Visits Offaly
- Construction On Major Midlands Film
 Studio To Begin In October

- <u>Major New 'Modern Construction'</u>
 <u>Training Centre Launched In Offaly</u>
- <u>UK Company To Help Finance</u> <u>€500m Midlands Energy Project</u>
- Green Light For Major Revamp Of Midlands Hotel

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Renewable electricity and energy transition by Brendan Kelly Commercial Manager Bord na Móna



Laura Dillon of Waterland Private Equity on their 'buy and build' strategy in Ireland to take majority stakes in SMEs.



New Smart Agri Hubs initiative for Midlands Farmers launched by Bloom HQ and The Cube -Regina Dunne Digital Innovations Officer at Bloom HQ



The Venue is the latest venture by the Browne Group. Featuring father and daughter Padraig and Mary Jo Browne.



Athlone's TAPiTAG has a product that will eliminate paper business cards with a simple but highly effective tech solution



Philip Kelly of DNG Auctioneers Kelly Duncan delves into the possibility of a slowdown in housing market.



The enchanting new Sweetery opening in Mullignar called Sugar Plum Sweetery.



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