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<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Engagement</p>	<p>Launch of the East of England Staff Engagement Network!</p> <p>The network was launched at an event on 30 April at ACAS in Bury St Edmunds. 32 civil servants attended representing 14 government departments and agencies from across the region. More information can be found here: https://civilservicelocal.blog.gov.uk/2014/05/15/staff-engagement-network-launched/</p> <p>The network will share information, including stories of successes, challenges and solutions, to support and improve engagement. If you have an interest in engagement and would like to join the network please contact Bryn Probert: bryn.probert@hmrc.gsi.gov.uk</p>
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Learning and Development</p>	<p>Do you know about Learning at Work Week?</p> <p>Did you know that 19 to 25 May is national Learning at Work Week? This year's theme is Learning Connections which reflects the changing nature of learning and development and how workplaces can take advantage of new approaches, attitudes and tools that support learning in the workplace. Why not check your intranets to see what's on offer and make this week the week when you plan how to use your 5 days of learning this year?</p>
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Charity Events</p>	<p>The Walking Challenge is back!</p> <p>Whether you want to lift your mood, shape up for summer, get more fresh air or even compete against your colleagues, it's all possible if you accept the challenge to walk 10,000 steps a day for 50 days.</p> <p>The Charity for Civil Servants' 2014 Walking Challenge runs from 19 May to 7 July – it's the perfect way to support their work and walk your way to a new, healthier you at the same time!</p> <p>Dawn was recovering from breast cancer and struggling through a cold winter with no heating or hot water when she turned to the Charity for help. By joining the Challenge you can help make a real difference to people like Dawn.</p>
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">And Finally...</p>	<p>And finally:</p> <p>Civil Service Live is back this summer. The closest events for civil servants in the East are Tuesday 15 and Wednesday 16 July – Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre, LONDON.</p> <p>Registrations are now open so you can book your place and also decide which sessions within the day that you would like to attend – but be warned, the event is filling up fast!</p> <p>More information can be found here</p>