



Dublin Food Chain Newsletter

Covid-19 and business

This has been a challenging time for all businesses in Ireland, and around the world. We have provided below some links to supports, tips for continuing your business and innovation we have seen that has inspired us recently.

Bord Bia Supports

Bord Bia has some excellent food supports as set out below.

- Weekly Podcasts published on their website to allow you to keep up to date with the current business climate and excellent short informative food information videos
 - https://www.bordbia.ie/industry/covid-19/understanding/podcasts/
- Webinars Bord Bia have been running weekly webinars and here are links to some of the key supports
 - O Upcoming https://www.bordbia.ie/industry/events/upcoming-events/
 - Previous https://www.bordbia.ie/industry/covid-19/covid-webinars/previous-webinars/
- PDF links providing key information for any business
 - o https://www.bordbia.ie/industry/news/food-alerts/





Food Innovation

We saw lots of businesses throughout Ireland using innovative means to continue business during the current Covid-19 crisis. See below some of the companies we noticed.



Bujo Burger Restaurant, Dublin — Offering home delivery of burger kits to make DIY burgers

Good Day Deli, Cork – Delivering hampers of different products and wine



ORDER YOUR GOOD DAY DELI KETE KAI BOX ON SATURDAYS - DELIVERED TO YOUR DOOR ON FRIDAYS



CREATE PLATFORM PIZZA AT HOME

We are thrilled to announce PLATFORM PIZZA BOX.

Your simple 5 step tool kit to create your very own Platform Pizzas at home



Platform Pizza, Wicklow – Delivery of pizza DIY kits from their restaurant



777 Restaurant, Dublin – Delivery or collection of Mexican DIY taco kits

Essential Local Enterprise Office Supports

Your Local Enterprise Office provides a vast range of supports - https://www.localenterprise.ie/Limerick/. Here are some of the key supports:

New trading online voucher - https://www.localenterprise.ie/Discover-Business-Supports/Trading-Online-Voucher-Scheme-/

Selling online - Locally

There are several local food platforms which have seen a surge over the last 8 weeks. Here are some examples

- Neighbour Food A great solution for any food stakeholder looking to sell their food online locally https://www.neighbourfood.ie/markets
- The Doorstep Market https://www.thedoorstepmarket.ie/
- Unify Ordering https://www.unifyordering.com/
- StuffUNeed https://www.stuffuneed.ie

Promote your Business

Here are some key "signposting" websites that food stakeholders should be on to promote their own sites

- https://gastrogays.com/covid-irish-food-deliveries/ Order online, pre-pay and then receive your Covid-19 food delivery
- https://oonagheats.com/food-producers-online/ Online directory for food and drink producers in Ireland
- https://shoplocal.irish/ Another site you should be on this if you are selling online

DFC Producer Highlight



Well done to DFC producer **Jo's Absolute Nutrition** who has fully reopened and rehired its nine staff on a full-time basis after it saw a big uptick in business following coverage of its plight on RTÉ's Six One News earlier this month.

Be sure to send us through any Dublin food/beverage achievements.