



Swansea

# Caswell Bay







Malah + Kahl  
Dwyer's Street









# Local statistics ... 2002

- **53%** working age adults no qualifications at all
- **45%** low literacy & numeracy
- 3rd most deprived ward in Wales for child poverty

- **60%** do not own a car.
- **7/10** residents suffer as a victim of crime each year
- Truancy
- Teenage pregnancy





Cornerstone Church

5 Nov 1991





























Reaching young people



The Gap - designed to re-engage and redirect at-risk young people away from offending behaviour





# AIMS

- Engage & motivate
- Develop social skills
- Employability skills
- Responsible behaviour
- Gain qualifications











Out  
in the  
workplace...



**Warren**

Mechanic, David Payne Motors







**Anne-Marie, Amanda, Sarah & Gemma**  
Care Assistants at Nursing Home



Sarah

Cutting Crew Hair salon



Craig

Plasterer, Phillips Builders





Daniel

Welder at H.P.Weldcraft











**Lord Mayors Award at the Marriott for  
Outstanding Contribution to Community Regeneration  
in the City & County of Swansea**



Little Rascals





Little Rascals





Little Rascals



Gap Football





Gap Food





Gap Food



Gap Wednesday

THE GAP THE GAP



# ANS

Buttons

charity  
shop

**41 Woodfield Street**  
Tel: 01792 700135

Charity Reg No 1125562

# Charity Shop





# Cornerstone



## Cornerstone Centre

Projects, Youth & Children,  
Offices, Church, NWC office,  
Fusion Wales, Alpha Wales

## Venue2

Sundays, Parking,  
Special Events, Café-Bar  
Breakout rooms, Conferences,



The story





Oct 2011



16 July 2013

Day 1





July 2013





July 2013



Dec 2013





Dec 2013

UNILIFT SOUTH WALES  
Tel: 08170 600 000

A photograph of a building's exterior featuring a series of blue roll-up doors. The building has a white upper section and a brick base. A wooden pallet is on the ground in the foreground. A blue banner with white text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

Jan 2014





Feb 2014



Feb 2014





Mar 2014



Mar 2014





Mar 2014



Late March 2014



Late March 2014





Apr 2014



May 2014



May 2014





May 2014



May 2014





venue2  
venue2 Cornerstone Church Ltd. 01454 644 000

venue2

Cornerstone  
Church

Sunday Meeting 11.00am

venue2

Cornerstone Church

**WARNING**  
**SECURITY**  
URGENT  
0800 644 000











You alone, I long to worship  
You alone, are worthy of my  
praise



Cornerstone Church  
invite you to

the opening of

VENUE 2

SAT 27 SEPT  
Venue 2, Neath

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VENUE 2

SAT 27 SEPT, 2014 at 2pm  
Venue 2, Neath Road, Swansea, SA6 8EF

# Church has converted old supermarket site

Geraint Thomas

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IT USED to have people memory, but now  
used to help to save souls.  
The former Aldi supermarket on  
Neath Road to Morriston has become  
Venue2 - the second home of  
Cornerstone Church Swansea.  
The conversion was completed this  
week when it was officially opened by  
Thomas.  
Mrs Thomas,  
long standing  
will be standing





