

# Press release



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## **Making the most of your money!**

East Durham Homes is inviting its customers to an event that will provide advice and information on how to make money go further.

The housing provider has teamed up with Durham County Credit Union, Acumen and East Durham Trust to provide customers with sessions on: cooking on a budget, accessing affordable loans and easy savings schemes, accessing training and developing job skills, saving energy in the home and the effects of welfare reform.

There will be a range of professionals on hand as well as food tasting opportunities, and giveaways.

'Making the most of your money!' will be held on:

- Monday 25 February at Shotton Community Centre, Shotton Colliery
- Tuesday 26 February at Kasco House, Blackhall Rocks
- Wednesday 27 February at Gully House, Wingate.

Drop in anytime between 10am and 12pm.

Paul Mains, Interim Chief Executive said: "Many of our customers will soon start to feel the pinch by the changes brought about by welfare reform in April. The events we're hosting next week are about people being able to come along to a local, convenient venue to access simple and practical advice on budgeting, saving and smarter spending."

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