

Case Study



Horizon supports training programme at Môn Search and Rescue

Horizon helps Môn Search and Rescue volunteer team take specialised training to help save lives across Anglesey.

Historically, teams from Snowdonia – and sometimes further afield – have been used to help with search and rescue on Anglesey, because the island didn't have its own specialist response team.

To help provide emergency support on the island, [Môn Search and Rescue](#) was founded in 2015. It offers Anglesey a vital lowland emergency service that's dedicated to serving the island.

There are currently 12 members of the team but the voluntary organisation hopes to more than double in size, so they can run a comprehensive 24-hour service to Anglesey. With support from Horizon, this team will be able to grow and the current volunteers will undertake specialist training courses that will, in turn, enable them to train new recruits.

Kate Walker-Springett, from Môn Search and Rescue, said: *"We're thrilled to have received this funding from Horizon and can't thank them enough for their support. Our voluntary organisation has only been running for a matter of months and already we've recruited 12 dedicated volunteers, so this funding will help us to train future recruits ourselves. We hope to be operational in 2017."*

"Our organisation will provide North Wales Police, Ogwen Valley Mountain Rescue Organisation and North Wales Mountain Rescue Association with much needed support on the island, with volunteers who are equipped and trained to tackle lowland rescues, such as missing people or those at risk of harm."

If you're interested in getting involved with the Môn Search and Rescue team, visit their Facebook Page, [Môn-SAR](#) or www.m-sar.uk. If you'd like to find out more about the community support Horizon offers and how you could apply then please visit www.horizonnuclearpower.com/community-support.



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