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July Newsletter

Check out our latest news below, and remember, you can always follow us on social media to keep up with the latest consumer news. For specific queries and issues, please call our helpline, on Lo-call **1890 432 432** or **(01) 402 5555**



Carrying holiday credit card debt?

If your credit card was used more than you planned over the summer, make a plan using our clearing your credit card calculator. It's really easy to use. Simply input your current credit card balance, interest rate and monthly repayments and the calculator will tell you how long it will take you to clear your debt. You can also see if switching to another credit card could reduce the time it takes you to clear your debt and save you some money on interest.

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Keep track of your spending

With September drawing near, you may be facing back-to-school costs, repaying a summer holiday or budgeting for Christmas. Use our budget planner to work out what you are spending your money on and compare this with your income.

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Planning a pension? Find out how to get started

Planning a pension can be daunting, but the earlier you start the better. Or maybe you want to increase your current pension contributions? We have information to help you understand more about pensions and take the next steps.

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Don't get caught out by a scam

There have been recent reports of consumers being targeted by phishing scams. Phishing is when scammers try and get your personal details like bank account and debit or credit card numbers, usernames, passwords, access codes or other sensitive information. Stay ahead of the scammers and protect your personal information.

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Tune into 'How to be Good with Money' on RTÉ One

RTÉ are rerunning 'How to be Good with Money' each Thursday at 7pm. The show aims to help people take control of their money. Each week, financial planner Eoin McGee helps a household to manage their money better and achieve their financial goals.

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Recent product recalls

July has been a busy month for product recalls. Find out about recent recalls from Whirlpool, Nissan, B&Q, Argos and many more. Check out the details in the product safety section on our website, or on our [Facebook](#) page

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