

FREE Construction Safety and Health Awareness Day

Wednesday 27th September 2017



**“EVERY
WEEK
ONE
OF US
DIES”**

at
Trinity Park, Felixstowe Road,
Ipswich, IP3 8UH

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Introduction

There have been big improvements over recent years in reducing the number and rate of injuries to construction workers. Despite this, construction remains a high-risk injury and accounts for a high percentage of fatal and major injuries. What is less recognised is that construction is a high-risk industry for health issues too.

The aim of this event is to give practical, hands-on advice on the following topics:

- 1) **Asbestos awareness** - Every employer must make sure that anyone who is liable to disturb asbestos during their normal work, or who supervises those employees, gets the correct level of information, instruction and training.
- 2) **Manual handling** - Regularly lifting, carrying or handling materials and items can cause serious injuries.
- 3) **Mental Health** – There are many good reasons for tackling stress in the workplace, and everyone has a part to play, at every level of the organisation.
- 4) **Work at height** - The law requires that employers and self-employed contractors assess the risk from work at height and go on to organise and plan the work so it is carried out safely.
- 5) **Fire safety during Construction** – Legislation requires a suitable and sufficient fire risk assessment to be carried out by a responsible person (the employer or persons in control).
- 6) **Dust** - Construction dust is not just a nuisance – it can seriously damage your health. Regularly breathing in these dusts over a long time can cause life-changing lung diseases.
- 7) **Occupational health** - Every year more working days are lost due to work-related illness compared to injuries. The statistics reveal that construction workers are 100 times more likely to die from work related ill-health than an accident

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Programme

08.00 REGISTRATION, BREAKFAST AND COFFEE/TEA

08.30 Welcome and introduction

08.40 Dylan Skelhorn, Safety Ambassador for Willmott Dixon

Dylan worked as a Solid Fuel Heating Engineer for a small firm who specialised in Chimney work and Roofing where most of his work was at height. In June 2011 he was deployed to service a chimney. While standing on the chimney stack it collapsed and Dylan fell from 33 feet, landing on a brick wall and sustaining severe multiple injuries.

09.30 Various sessions giving practical demonstrations and advice on the following:

- 1) Asbestos
- 2) Manual handling
- 3) Mental health
- 4) Work at height
- 5) Fire safety in construction
- 6) Dust
- 7) Occupational health

12:30 'Four friends' - Sharing experience of losing family and friends in accident – Claxton Engineering Great Yarmouth

by Matt Hazelton

13.00 Questions and answers

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How to find us

We hope this map will help you find Trinity Park. If you have any problems please call for directions on 01473 707121. For Sat Nav systems, please enter our postcode IP3 8UH.

From the A14. Trinity Park is on the outskirts of Ipswich, just off the A14. From the A14 take the exit sign-posted Lowestoft A12 and Ipswich East. At the roundabout take the A1156 towards Ipswich. (From the West this will be the third exit and you will pass under the flyover, from the East this will be the first exit). Travel for a little over a mile, passing a Honda Garage on your right, until you come to a roundabout. Take the third exit at the roundabout to enter Trinity Park.

From the South - London, Chelmsford & Colchester. Travel along the A12 until it joins the A14 and follow signs for Felixstowe, traveling over the Orwell Bridge. Follow directions from the A14 detailed above.

From the North - Lowestoft & Great Yarmouth. Exit the A12 at the Seven Hills Roundabout, pass under the bridge (A14) and follow the A1156 towards Ipswich. Travel a little over a mile, passing a Honda Garage on your right, until you come to a roundabout. Take the third exit at the roundabout to enter Trinity Park.

By rail. Trinity Park is 5 miles from Ipswich railway station. There are regular services to London, Norwich and Cambridge.

For information on the Working Well Together campaign:

www.wt.uk.com Tel: 0845 27 27 500

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