

HEALTH & SAFETY Issue 5 BULLETIN 13/6/13



<u>Dear All,</u>

Drink & Drugs

The vast majority of our clients and their sites operate a zero-tolerance policy toward alcohol and drugs. Guaranteed Asphalt fully support this stance. If anyone is caught taking drugs or drinking alcohol on site you will be suspended pending further investigation. If you have had a lot to drink the previous night and you appear to be affected on site the following day, you will be sent home.

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The majority of sites have a system in place where operatives working on the site fill in cards to report minor health and safety concerns.

You are encouraged to fill these cards in on a regular basis as this helps the site management to operate the site safely and stop minor problems becoming serious incidents.

You will not be doing anyone any favours by not reporting such problems.

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Regular checks on your fire extinguishers are essential to ensure that they are working and full. Twice this week our Health & Safety officer, Gregg Ellis has visited a site and found an extinguisher to have been empty. To prevent theft or use by others on the site, you must lock your extinguishers up in the gas cage each night and between uses. NO FIRE EXTINGUISHER = NO HOT WORKS

If anyone has a health & safety concern or something to contribute to our newsletter, please feel free to speak to Greg Ellis on 07956 235880.

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