

BEST PRACTICE

LOCATION:
ACTIVITY: Worker Involvement
SUB ACTIVITY: N/A
BEST PRACTICE No: BP728

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COMPANY: Tarmac Limited
COMPANY LOCATION: Colchester Quarry
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TITLE

Employee safety days

ARTICLE

Description

As host of the 2009 South East Quarries and Landfill Group (SEQLG) safety day, Tarmac Region 4 decided to extend the event for a further three days, enabling as many Tarmac operational staff as possible to attend. With a focus on worker involvement, the event involved quarry safety inductions, emergency muster points and first aid points.

Teams of delegates were given a series of presentations, demonstrations and discussions, covering the following important safety messages:

Fault finding and guarding

Pump safety

Working at height

Mobile plant

First aid

Manual handling

PPE

Emergency drills (Urban Search & Rescue Team).

The event was a resounding success with approximately 90% of the region™s operational staff attending.

Benefits

1. Significant improvement with interaction between different operational departments
2. A heightened sense of camaraderie and solidarity across the groups
3. A reiteration of company standards, best practices and ,what good looks like™
4. Staff to come forward and speak up with confidence.

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