

The Building Safety Group Newsletter

20 APRIL 2010:

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Happy belated Easter! Of course, some of you maybe having an extended Easter if you've been stranded overseas due to the Volvanic Ash. Lets hope things return to normal soon — although the environmentalists must be happy with the Airlines' reduced carbon footprint!

MEMBER HEALTH & SAFETY DISK 2010

We have had a number of requests as to when the updated Health & Safety disk will be available—I'm pleased to let you know its almost ready and will be distributed to BSG members by the end of this month.

REGULATION CHANGES TO SCAFFOLD INSPECTION & APPRECIATION COURSE



Due to the requirement of complying with TG20:08 and BSEN 12811-1 (the new standard for Scaffold that replaces BS5973), it has been necessary to increase the duration of our Scaffold Inspection and Appreciation course from one day to two days. This will bring our course into line with the recommendations of the Health and Safety Executive (HSE).

The changes will take effect from the 19th April 2010.

Next Course:

Location	:	Bristol		
When	:	1 and 2 June 2010		
Cost	:	Members:	£195 pp	Non-Members: £225 pp

Bespoke Course:

Location	:	Your premises (will require full scaffold for practical assessment on second day)
When	:	date suitable for you
Cost	:	on request

FIRST AID COURSES



The First Aid at Work course runs for 3 days in accordance with the current First Aid Manual and is approved by the HSE. This course enables students to obtain the First Aid at Work Certificate. After 3 years you will be required to take the requalification course, lasting for two days.

The Emergency at Work is required for those persons appointed to take take charge of emergencies within the workplace. The course should be refreshed every year. It runs in accordance with the current First Aid Manual and is approved by the HSE.

Course	:	First Aid at Work	When:	15, 22, 29 June 2010
Cost	:	Members:	£210 pp	Non-Members: £235 pp
Course	:	First Aid at Work Requalification	When:	13, 20 June 2010
Cost	:	Members:	£150 pp	Non-Members: £185 pp
Course	:	Emergency First Aid	When:	21 June 2010
Cost	:	Members:	£75 pp	Non-Members: £100 pp

MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICATION



Make sure you and your colleagues are receiving all the relevant information from BSG.

- BSG Online (Industry Newsletter),
- BSG Update (e-newsletter on BSG Services and regulations that may affect you)
- RIDDOR Reportable Accidents
- A regularly updated website

Please forward onto any colleagues, or email me their details so I can add them to the list.

Many thanks,
Rob