



# MORGANS

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Welcome Back

February 2016 NEWSLETTER

We hope you all had a great Christmas, New Year & Extra long weekend!

So pleased everyone is back safe-n-sound.... Would like to thank all of you for the extra push and great work achieved in the last weeks of 2015, and a shout out to Jonathan Harris, Chris Long & Andrew Kennedy who came to the environmental rescue with clean up on Boxing day. Thanks

JOB NAME UPDATE  
1A to 1B  
Epiq 1A is almost a wrap... GREAT JOB! so now its onto 1B, please call it that, not Sportsfields



**Fire Extinguisher testing up again**

**Please have ALL extinguishers in next Wednesday**

**3rd Feb with**

**paybooks for testing first thing Thursday, 4th and PICK THEM UP on THURSDAY afternoon or first thing FRIDAY.**

**We keep having tested items sitting around for days (even weeks)... they need to go back to their plant/home asap.... On a positive testing note we had ALL slings in last time!**

**We are getting better at this. Woo Hoo!!!!  
Congrats & Thanks.**

DPI's  
We have been missing some Daily Plant Inspections.

Please keep them coming, we need them ALL.

Cheers



RAMPO ON THE 12TH  
SHANE SEARLE ON THE 17TH  
ANDREW KENNEDY 26TH  
& KURT ON THE 28TH

### Safety Corner

In our last newsletter there was an article with reference to PPE minimum requirements for all Morgans sites, to clear up the issue with hard hats this item of PPE must be worn at ALL TIMES while on a Morgans site. So it doesn't matter if your pipelaying, concreting, etc or not around machinery the hard hat still needs to be worn.

We sometimes hear the following complaints about hard hats. But is there any real basis for them?

"It's too heavy." Hard hats are only a few ounces heavier than a cloth cap, but the extra protection you get is worth the extra weight.

"It's too hot." Measurements taken in hot weather show that the temperature under a hard hat is often cooler than it is outside.

"It gives me a headache." A thump on the head will give you a worse one. There is, however, no medical reason why a properly adjusted hard hat should cause a headache. Don't alter the suspension system or the hard hat, because you won't get the designed protection.

"It won't stay on." You're right, it won't in a high wind. A chin strap will solve this problem. Otherwise, you will find that a hard hat stays put no matter how much stooping or bending you have to do—if it's fitted properly.

"It's noisy." That's your imagination. In fact, tests show that properly worn hard hats will shield your ears from noise to some extent.

THE HAT IS NO HELP UNLESS YOU WEAR IT  
The hard hat is a useful piece of safety equipment. But like any other protective device, it must be properly adjusted and worn and kept in good condition to give you maximum protection.

Don't be a hard head — get in the hard hat habit.

How's Ya Pumpkins going?



"I hate to spoil your day — but look behind!"

*"I hate to spoil your day—but look behind"*

Thanks Ray for this cracker cartoon