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Fatal 6 Incidents

New Camera Vehicle Spec

For additional driver and vehicle safety, we're moving forward with the use of onboard camera functionality.

- Enough storage data, potentially 3tb - with up to two weeks of storage
- Live platform desirable + include remote downloading of footage. Access to be granted / approved for Heidelberg to obtain.
- Camera & recording checking, notification if camera or recording system down.
- Driver behaviour monitoring, harsh braking, speeding etc..
- Inward facing camera with AI functionality.
- Server storage / archive facility.
- Be able to integrate with new GSR functionality



8 fatalities in 2024 whilst working...

Guarding/LOTOTO

Employees have twice been trapped by unguarded and un-isolated conveyors

Fall From Height

A construction worker fell through an opening in a partially constructed floor

Vehicle Collision

A forklift driver was crushed by a rolling forklift truck

Falling Object

An HGV driver was crushed when an insecure load fell from a trailer

Confined Space

A maintenance worker was asphyxiated by free-flowing powder inside a hopper

Fire / Explosion

An engineer was engulfed by fire when a leaking fuel pipe ignited

These tragic losses of life changed the lives of countless others too. Parents have lost children, spouses have been lost, siblings have lost brothers and sisters, colleagues have been lost and perhaps most painful of all, many children have lost their parents.

Current rebranding position

As you may have seen on your travels, every day we have more and more vehicles with Heidelberg branding.

We want to take this opportunity to thank all involved in the smooth and fluent process of rebranding to Heidelberg Materials.

	Vehicles	Green Sheets	%	HM Livery	%
North	63	63	100%	63	100%
Central	19	19	100%	19	100%
South	206	206	100%	206	100%
Total	288	288	100%	288	100%



Weight Restrictions

We have seen an increase in complaints relating to vehicles travelling through weight restrictions. Please pass to all drivers to take extra due care and attention when out on the roads.

Also, its advisory to update the

vehicle sat-nav's where possible.

All incidents raised by members of the public are logged with the transport team.

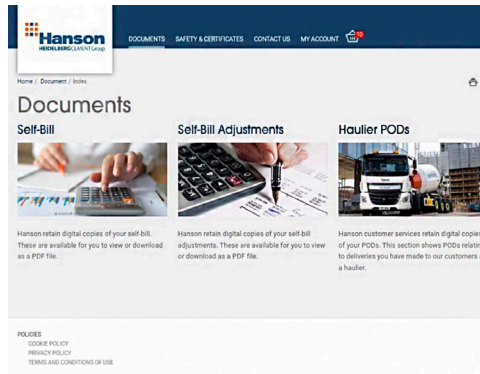
May we remind you, fines can be imposed by the council for breaching weight limits. Driver and owner are liable.

Ticketless

In the very near future Heidelberg with venture into ticketless operations.

In the meantime, get registered with www.my.hanson.co.uk, this will be your access to self-bills and remittances moving forward. Please note: paper copies will be phased out shortly, therefore we would advise you register sooner rather than later.

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Updates

MP Connect

MP Connect will be live in your area soon! Remember to subscribe, don't get caught out.

MP connect is currently running test sites now.

Track IT

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Near Hits reporting

A QR code has now been produce and readily available, for driver risk assessment and near-hit reporting. Accessible via a smart phone Android and Apple.



Driver Handbook - MPA driver hand book can be found here:

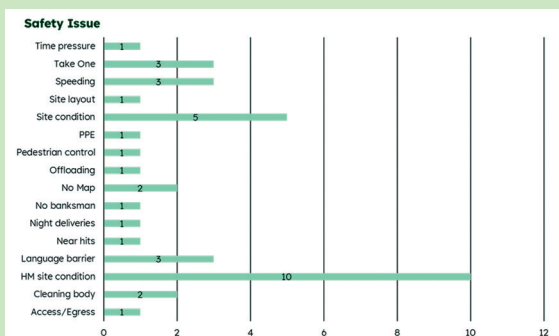


Ride Alongs

Some of you may have been apart of an ongoing process involving Ride Alongs, where Heidelberg employess go out with a driver for a delivery.

Each of these Ride-Alongs are logged on our systems.

Below are the most recent results displaying the safety issues raised:



If your drivers come across any safety concerns, they're to carry out a Take-One risk assessment.

For quick reference please use the QR code below:



Health and Wellbeing Update - Staying Hydrated

Tips for staying hydrated:

- Keep a bottle of water with you
- Have a glass of water with every meal
- Eat plenty of fruits and vegetables every day
- Drink a glass of water before and after you exercise
- Take extra water when you'll be spending a lot of time outside

What should I do if I'm dehydrated?

- If you think you're dehydrated you can normally fix it by drinking water or coconut water. It's best to sip these regularly over a long period of time rather than gulping them down - drinking too much too quickly could make you sick
- If you have more severe dehydration it's important to get to a health centre or pharmacy and get rehydration sachets, salts or tablets
- Some people grab a sports drink to rehydrate but these can have a lot of sugar in them which can actually mean they take longer to rehydrate you. It's always best to stick to water, coconut water or rehydration sachets
- For severe dehydration seek urgent medical help

