



First online Refresher course - 19th June 2020

The course is for experienced sweeps.

In another first we have re-structured the 5 year Refresher course to enable you to attend online. Non-members are welcome and Guild members get a nice discount. It's a live interactive course with up to 9 fellow sweeps attending the first session on the 19th June.

Everybody on this course is an experienced sweep and you have the opportunity to contribute. We've added some new aspects specifically to enhance the online experience and information is delivered by multiple presenters. The interactive element of questions, answers and discussion has been neatly incorporated and we are confident of a great learning experience. Over 50 Guild members have attended this excellent course so far, many have been impressed. Why not ask them about it.

The Refresher covers updated information on regulations, best practice and industry developments. It gives you the opportunity to expand your scope of business through a better understanding of our trade and the emerging trends. Being aware of new regulations and best practice keeps you the right side of the rules and your customers are better served and safer.

All content is bang up to date including new government legislation on fuels and guidance on working practice during the coronavirus restrictions. It also covers things like:

- Updated information on bends and horizontal runs
- CE markings and appliance standards
- Online resources
- New fuels legislation
- Guards and terminals
- Heat shielding
- Coronavirus working practice guidance

There's always room for some fun too so we've kept all the quiz and Q & A elements that have scored well in previous feedback.

Each section allows space for live Q and A.

We'll post you a copy of the latest main Guild course training manual* as well as the specific Refresher course manual ahead of the day. There will also be a little advance 'homework' to get everyone at the same level on a couple of points.

We've reduced the course cost to reflect savings on training centre, etc. and of course you will make a further saving on travel. £150 inc vat to Guild members, non-members £200.

See the basic course and booking details on the Membership and Training page on the Guild website. Please complete the application form and we'll get back with information on what's involved and how you need to prepare.

Obviously there is no substitute for meeting up in person, good things always happen when we get together. But we think you'll be pleased with this new format. We will of course be running physical courses again when we are able.

First course is Friday 19th June. We will release further dates over the next few weeks.

* The main Guild Training Manual is a unique document. It has changed significantly over the last five years with much additional information. It now indexed as a working document so that updates can be added. You can replace out of date pages with new download versions. The cost is included in the course fee.

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