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Youghal Road, Tallow, Co Waterford



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As a leader in the arboriculture sector and the first arboriculture company in Ireland to achieve ISO 18001 Accreditation and to receive a NISO Award for Best New Entry. BH Tree Services Ltd regards engagement with communities as a real opportunity to make a difference. We look to work hard with the local communities where we build on employment and community activities. This booklet features BH Tree Services Ltd examples of our work with the local community, charitable groups, emergency services, Primary Schools and local employment.



Education & Community

BH Tree Services Ltd dedicated team led by Liam Barry (Director), Yvonne O'Shea (Safety Manager), Camelia Bontiu (Office Manager), Con Coakley (Accountant), PICW's and the crews have worked with the local communities, charity organisations and schools and has made a significant contribution towards shaping futures in Cork/Waterford/Kerry/Tipperary and making a difference to the lives of young people and the wider community.

BH Tree Services Ltd is committed to being good neighbours where ever their work takes them.

Liam Barry also recognises that education and training are fundamental in addressing issues of aspiration and attainment, creating a dynamic, successful and modern local economy.

BH Tree Services Ltd shows a commitment to employ local and train local people to the skills required by BH Tree Services Ltd.

It also developed the workforce by demonstrating a proactive approach to health and safety by training the workers to achieve the highest possible standards and in doing so support BH Tree Services Ltd in their “Zero Harm” Strategy, where the safety of all employees and the public is paramount.

Liam Barry also identified jobs that can be filled by suitably qualified people, including those who are unemployed or from other disadvantaged groups. BH Tree Services Ltd demonstrated a commitment to equal opportunities and was determined to ensure that all employees recruited were trained and developed on the basis of their ability and requirements of the job.



Liam Barry also insisted that BH Tree Services Ltd use local companies as suppliers where appropriate.

BH Tree Services Ltd has sponsored the following schools:

Mitchelstown CBS National School

Castlelyons National School

St. Colmans Secondary School Fermoy

Scoil Mhuire National School, Tallow

Ballynoe National School

Dungourney National School

St. Olivers National School Clonmel

BH Tree Services Ltd has sponsored the following clubs:

Castleview AFC U14 Squad

Bride Rovers GAA

Castleview AFC Senior Squad

Kilbehanny Celtic

Mellery Rovers GAA

Midelton Rugby

Castlelyons GAA

St Catherines GAA

Tallow Juvenile Club

Park Utd

Valley Rangers

BH Tree Services Ltd has sponsored the following Community/National Charities:

African Missions

RNLI

Cork Simon Community

Duagh Senior Citizens

Tallow Tidy Towns

Marymount Hospice

Childrens Ward Mercy Hospital

St Joseph's Foundation

MS Ireland

St Vincent De

PaulConna/Tallow/Ballyduff



Employees Engagement

Each year BH Tree Services Ltd employees are invited to participate in a demonstration day. A suitable location is selected for the event and members of ESB staff are invited to come and view the demonstrations. The demonstrations range from climbing, aerial rescue, timber cutting using tractor mounted saw, pruning trees from the ground and different rope systems.

This type of demonstration day is being launched in the UK at present for the first time; this shows how BH Tree Services Ltd is ahead in trying to promote safety and employee interaction within the company.

Each employee has the opportunity to express views on making tasks easier and more user friendly, these ideas are taken on board by BH Tree Services Ltd Management and discussed at a later stage; feedback will then be given back to all employees.



Removing trees at the African Missions, Wilton, Cork



Nothing disturbed while work was being conducted



Picture of the crew



Unimog at work



Stump Grinder -this greatly reduces work time on completing jobs in a shorter timeframe



Work in the forestry



Harvester at work in the forestry



Hoist at work on Switch Out



360 Excavator with tree shears attached at work



360 Excavator with Mulcher at work



Large chipper at African Missions





Unimog at work on very rough terrain



Climbers at work



The company boat at work around Cork Harbour