

Monthly Safety Bulletin

“Merry Christmas”

NEWSFLASH: Start out the New Year Right

Safety Soapbox



Absolute shocker of the week

19 December 2012



This week's Absolute Shocker has a Christmas theme and is titled 'The three unwise men'.

In the four weeks before Christmas last year, across all industries, nine Victorian workers died at work. Most of them were experienced workers carrying out routine tasks, which highlights the fact that no worker is immune to the risk of a serious or fatal workplace incident.

Remember, when using ladders don't take short cuts with safety. Plan the work and get the right equipment for the job so you get home safely this Christmas.

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KSU FACILITIES LAUNCHES ON-LINE SAFETY MANUAL

Here is the link for the updated Safety Manual webpage: <http://www.k-state.edu/facilities/training/safetymanual/safetymanual.html>

The username is facilities and the password is safety.

The screenshot shows the Kansas State University website. The top navigation bar includes links for K-State Home, Campuses, Directories, and People, along with a search box. The main header features the text 'About K-State', 'Academics', 'Admissions', and 'Research'. The 'Division of Facilities' logo is prominent, with 'k-state' branding below it. A left sidebar contains a menu with items like 'Campus Tour', 'Departments', 'Employment', 'Energy Center', 'Forms', 'Salina', 'Training & Resources', and 'Call for Repairs'. Below this is contact information for the Division of Facilities: 109 Dykstra Hall, Manhattan, KS 66506, 785-532-6369. The main content area is titled 'OSHA 4 POINT PROGRAM' and includes sections for 'Health & Safety Management Plan', 'General Safety Rules & Practices', and 'Employee Responsibilities'. A list of links follows, such as 'Facilities', 'KSU', 'Safety Manual', 'Bloodborne Pathogens', 'Confined Spaces', 'Excavation', 'Fire and Life Safety', 'Fume Hoods', 'Hazard Communication', 'Hearing Conservation', 'Hot Work Permit', 'Lockout and Tagout', 'Respiratory Protection', and 'Medical Evaluation Questionnaire'. A paragraph explains that the following health and safety programs refer to Code of Federal Regulations as indicated and can be found on OSHA's website. A final list of programs includes Powered Industrial Trucks, Welding, Cutting or Brazing, Walking Working Surfaces, Hand and Powered Tools, Machine Guarding, Cranes, Derricks, Hoists, Elevators or Conveyors, Fall Protection, Personal Protective Equipment, Scaffolding/Aerial Lifts, Ladder/Stairways, and Compressed Gas. The footer contains the university's address, phone number, copyright notice for December 18, 2012, and a view toggle for mobile or full.

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OSHA 4 POINT PROGRAM

Health & Safety Management Plan

(Management Commitment/Employee Involvement, Worksite Analysis, Hazard Prevention and Control, Training)

General Safety Rules & Practices

Employee Responsibilities

- [Facilities](#)
- [KSU](#)
- [Safety Manual](#)
- [Bloodborne Pathogens](#)
- [Confined Spaces](#)
 - [Standard Operating Procedure and Permit](#)
 - [Salina Campus Standard Operating Procedure and Permit](#)
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- Powered Industrial Trucks (1910.178 Subpart N)
- Welding, Cutting or Brazing (1926.350-354 Subpart J)
- Walking Working Surfaces (1910.21-30 Subpart D)
- Hand and Powered Tools (1910.241-244 Subpart P and 1926.300-305 Subpart I)
- Machine Guarding (1910.211-219)
- Cranes, Derricks, Hoists, Elevators or Conveyors (1926.550 Subpart N)
- Fall Protection (1926.500-503 Subpart M)
- Personal Protective Equipment (1910.132-138 Subpart I and 1926.96-107 Subpart E)
- Scaffolding/Aerial Lifts (1926.450-454 Subpart L and 1910.66-68)
- Ladder/Stairways (1926.1050-1060 Subpart X)
- Compressed Gas (1910.166-169)

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