



THE B.P. McKEEFRY GROUP

Issue 1

STAFF NEWSLETTER

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What's the point????

As a group of 5 companies that employs over 200 people we thought it would be a good idea to set up a staff newsletter, compiled by staff for staff. We hope to issue this newsletter on a monthly basis, this is not for circulation to our customers or suppliers—its for employees of the B.P. McKeefry Group.

The success of this newsletter will depend on you—the staff—if you would like to contribute to it please give Breige a call on 028 79 401050.

Congratulations to Julie Dougle (nee Black) who married Colin on the 19th August 2005. Julie is a Transport Planner for BP McKeefry in Swatragh.



Congratulations also to Dan Jackson, Sales Engineer for Crossland Tankers in Burnley who married Karen in July 2005.



We would like to wish both couples a healthy and happy future together.

NEW APPOINTMENT:

Dawn O'Mara has recently joined Rebecca and Tracy in the Administrative team with Crossland Tankers in Burnley.



INCREASING THE FLEET

B.P. McKeefry has recently taken delivery of six Mercedes-Benz Actros 2544 three axle 44 Tonne tractor units and four Volvo FM12 tractor units. We have also invested in five vacuum tankers; two of which are currently in operation with the remaining three currently being built.





Crossland Tankers—Swatragh Grand Prix

A team of 30 staff took part in the 2005 Crossland Tankers Go-Karting Grand Prix in what proved to be a tightly fought race. After a number of exciting heats the winners were:

1 st Place	Gerard McKenna
2 nd Place	Christopher McKeown and
3 rd Place	Jerome Donnelly

The consolation 'L' Driver prize went to Mickey Bothwell, Production Manager.



L-R Christopher McKeown, Gerard McKenna, Jerome Donnelly

B.P. McKeefry—Thames Water contract

We have moved our ONE Millionth cubic meter of sludge since the start of this year.

To give you an idea of what this would look like:

- One million cubic meters would fill two thirds of the Millennium Stadium in Cardiff.
- One million cubic meters would be as tall as a 49 story building or raise 145 meters high on top of Old Trafford Football pitch— could you think of a better place for it!!



Marathon Man Dermot is on the road again!!

Good luck to Dermot McKeague, Stores, Crossland Tankers in Swatragh who will be running the Dublin Marathon on Monday 31st October 2005.

Dermot will be running in aid of a local cancer charity so any sponsorships will be gratefully accepted!

Competition

If you would like to suggest a name for this newsletter please let Breige know by Friday 28th October 2005. The three usable and original suggestions get a prize.

Chris Stuttard finishes 16th in the Clitheroe Grand Prix Cycle Race

A crowd of over 4,000 witnessed the best cyclists in the country race around historic Clitheroe on the testing 900-metre circuit. Both the Support race and the Elite race featured strong fields fighting for points in one of the deciding rounds of the National Elite Series of races. Well done to Chris who finished 16 out of 52.



In order to make this newsletter work we really need you to forward any news stories to Breige on 028 79 401050 or by email to breige@bpmckeefry.com.