

Case Study: Bonam and Berry Ltd

Challenges:

In their industry, Bonam and Berry Ltd are fortunate to receive robust support from their supply chain regarding the use of recycled materials. Technal, their primary aluminium system provider, operates the CIRCAL system. This ensures that at least 75% of the aluminium Bonam and Berry Ltd purchase is post-consumer reclaimed aluminium. The nature of their work results in minimal wastage, and the majority of the waste they generate is either reused or recycled.

In recent years, Bonam and Berry have updated their fleet to vehicles that are more fuel-efficient and produce fewer emissions. On-site, they prioritise using or hiring the latest battery-operated MEWPs and plant/access equipment, a commitment further backed by their supply chain. Bonam and Berry continually seek ways to enhance efficiency and bolster their sustainability.

Impact:

Workshop participation: Bonam and Berry attended the Supply Chain Sustainability School's workshop hosted by Kier. This served as an introduction and training session for the scheme. While Bonam and Berry Ltd were aware of the School before the event, this session offered a thorough introduction to the School and aided them in achieving silver level status.

Assessment benefits: The assessments have been straightforward and easy for Bonam and Berry to comprehend and complete. These assessments have served as a valuable tool for monitoring their progress and understanding how they can align their business practices and insights with the School's principles.

Action plans: Bonam and Berry's action plan was crafted based on their School assessment feedback. They utilised the links in their learning plan to bolster their knowledge and pinpoint areas for enhancement.

E-learning advantages: The School's vast array of modules and learning resources is a precious asset that Bonam and Berry intend to persistently utilise. This resource trove aids their continuous efforts to deepen their understanding and further their sustainability endeavours.

Value gained:

Sustainability membership benefits: Sustainability is becoming increasingly crucial for Bonam and Berry when securing new projects. Their membership with the School has deepened their grasp of sustainability practices and demonstrates to main contractors and clients their unwavering commitment to enhancing sustainability credentials. This membership underscores Bonam and

Fact box



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Services

Design, manufacture, install architectural aluminium glazing systems.

About

Established in 1974, Bonam and Berry Ltd is a family-run architectural aluminium glazing systems company that specialises in Technal, Reynaers, and Schuco products. They provide a comprehensive design, manufacture, and installation solution for commercial projects across all sectors, including refurbishments.



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Berry's dedication and consistently boosts their reputation in the industry as advocates for a sustainable future.

Beyond just sustainability, the principles and insights from the School foster inclusivity and have streamlined Bonam and Berry's operations, resulting in more efficient and streamlined work methods. Moreover, having a gold membership status with the School has given Bonam and Berry a distinct advantage in the tendering processes.

Future proofing:

Bonam and Berry are content with the present configuration of the School and intend to continue to engage with its resources. Going forward, they are interested in the inclusion of resources specifically designed for the architectural glazing industry. Such specialised resources would be beneficial, enabling Bonam and Berry to see how other School members or counterparts in the industry are adopting sustainable practices in their operations.