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Note from Chris Primett, MD

"How time has flown, it seems like only yesterday I was wishing you all a happy Christmas and New Year. Our company continues to grow healthily and during this quarter we would like to welcome on-board new members of staff who have helped facilitate Aarsleff's diversification into new services and techniques.

I owe a huge amount of gratitude to all our clients who have welcomed the companies move from just offering a piled solution to being able to offer sheet piling, ground beams and geotechnical techniques. You have all been extremely receptive to this development, and it is now hopefully at the forefront of your minds for products and services that would not have been associated within Aarsleff's capabilities prior to 2016. Please make sure you download our Geotechnical brochure which details the techniques we offer, and their benefits (Link further down)

We have recently employed Chris Pantling, to help with the increased workload for Sheet Piling and have since begun work on a major sheet piling project in Deptford which includes the installation of 285 linear metres for a piled basement wall.

Finally, before I sign off I'd like to thank you all, once again, for your continued support. Without you we would not be here and that is something we never lose sight of.



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Welcome to the Aarsleff Team



Operations Manager - Sheet Piling

We welcomed Chris Pantling (left) into the company. Chris will be ensuring the successful delivery of sheet piling projects around the UK. Having worked for over 10 years previously with Balfour Beatty, Chris brings with him a wealth of transferable knowledge and skillset. The provision of driven steel piling services is a progressive expansion for Aarsleff's geotechnical services and is now an integral part of our portfolio.

STEQ Adviser

We also welcomed Simon Jackson into the business as a STEQ Adviser. Simon will be working alongside the existing STEQ team to ensure we maintain the level of competent advice and professional support needed as the business continues to grow. He joins us with valuable experience in sheet piling, ground engineering and management systems and has a wealth of transferable knowledge and skills.



Estimator

We welcomed our new foundations estimator Rebecca Johnson (left) into the company. She comes with experience of design and estimating of piling from Simplex, Bullivants and BBGE and has worked on major projects including The Shard and Crossrail.

Aarsleff Secures Major Sheet Piling Project – Self Storage Facility, Deptford



Aarsleff Ground Engineering has successfully secured a major sheet piling project – an installation for a self-storage facility, at Blackhorse Road, Deptford.

The project will see Aarsleff install 285 linear metres for a piled basement wall using ArcelorMittal AZ18-800 pile sections, the new type of wider pile section that reduces overall costs, programme times and facilitates an ultra-efficient and quicker installation. In addition, Aarsleff will also install a number of 250-mm square precast driven bearing piles for the main superstructure, with anticipated piles lengths of between 9m and 18m using the Company's innovative mechanical joint.

The multidiscipline scheme for the piled basement was awarded directly by Shurgard, and then project managed by RG Group. Work started early-January 2017 and will take 7-8 weeks to complete. Aarsleff's schedule of works includes 4-5 weeks sheet piling and 2-3 weeks for pre-cast. The precast concrete pile sections have been designed to the new design standard BS EN 1997-1:2004 and UK National Annex (2007).

Speaking about the sheet piling installation Kevin Hague, General Manager, Aarsleff Ground Engineering, said:

"This is a landmark project for Aarsleff as it is Aarsleff's first use of the new AZ18-800 pile section, which due to its greater width requires fewer sections, for a faster and more efficient installation and uses less embedded carbon."

Aarsleff Win Piling and Beam Contract for "Cottier Grange" Residential Development



Aarsleff has won the contract to install the piles for phase 1 of a new 404-home development in Northumberland

Cottier Grange in Prudhoe is a £79 million flagship residential investment being constructed by Gentoo Homes on the site of the area's former Hospital. When complete, the development will comprise a mixture of new two to six bedroom homes for both sale and rent and includes the refurbishment and conversion of the Grade II listed Prudhoe Hall and stables into thirteen exclusive executive apartments, which sit at the heart of the development.

The site is due to open summer 2017, with the first properties available soon after.

Aarsleff was awarded the considerable contract, for Phase 1 of this large 10-year development in October of last year, which requires Aarsleff to install 1000no. 200mm square precast piles and 3500m of ground beams. Phase 1 now well under way is planned to be completed in one visit to the site.

Speaking about the project Kevin Hague, General Manager, Aarsleff Ground Engineering, said:

"This was a strategic project win for Aarsleff and also one close to my heart as it is the town where I grew up. Being awarded the contract for phase 1 of this exciting development is a great vote of confidence in our experience and expertise in the residential sector."

Soil Nails for Somerset



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Belluton Narrows, Somerset



Aarsleff Ground Engineering has been on site at Belluton Narrows in Somerset. The road is set in a steep cutting that is approximately 250m. The slopes have a history of instability presenting a hazard to road users. Aarsleff adopted its rotary percussive Klemm drill head installing R32 400no self-drilling fully galvanised soil nails. The geogrid and mesh covering has then been retained and secured by the nail head plates. Contact our Estimating Manager Matthew Rastall for full details or to discuss a soil nailing project we can help you with.

Charity Corner

Aarsleff has donated £500 to Prostate Cancer UK– Aarsleff Ground Engineering has donated £500 to Team Eric Wright, who will be taking part in a gruelling 150-mile bicycle ride over 2 days in 2 countries as part of Football to Amsterdam 2017.

Aarsleff has been working with local company Outklass - Over the forthcoming months, Aarsleff has set up a programme of Health and Wellbeing workshops for staff to attend, free of charge. The workshops cover the following topics: Alcohol Awareness, Practical Health Eating, The Wellbeing Wheel, Stress Management techniques and Mindfulness.

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