

Ladder Association Launches LadderBook

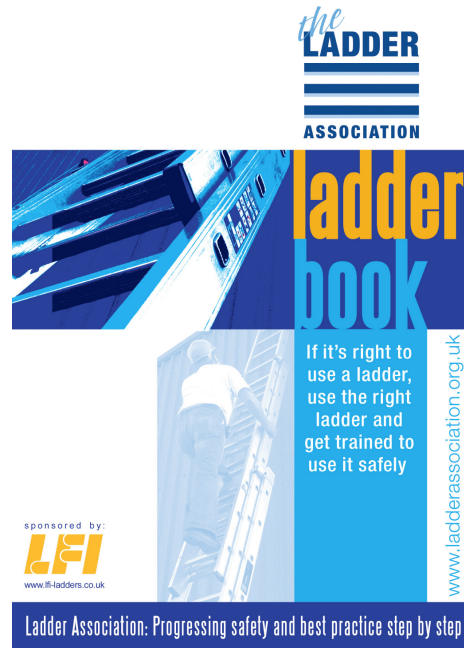
12- page publication promotes safety and best practice

The LadderBook is a new publication from the Ladder Association designed to promote safety and best practice.

Taking as its theme *If it's right to use a ladder, use the right ladder and get trained to use it safely*, it champions the ladder as an invaluable piece of workplace equipment. The free 12-page A5 publication is intended to be a handy reference for use in the office or on site. Dispelling many of the myths and misconceptions surrounding the use of ladders and stepladders, and including sections such as 10 things you need to know about ladders, it advocates training as the most important tool in helping to reduce falls from height.

Comments Don Aers, chair of the Ladder Association: "Demonstration of competence is a key requirement of the current legislation and successful

completion of the Ladder Association training course provides proof of that



competence." The LadderBook includes a foreword by the Health & Safety Executive and is an invaluable reference for ladder knowledge, information and facts. It also includes a section directing readers to sources of more information, including the HSE's Falls from Height website.

More information from the Ladder Association website: www.ladderassociation.org.uk **About the Ladder Association** The Ladder Association is a modern, progressive, broad-based organisation with 55 member companies. Committed to progressing safety and best practice step-by-step, the Association is adapting to the challenges facing the industry by positioning itself as the clear and acknowledged focus for ladders and stepladders in the marketplace. It is a major contributor to UK and European standards setting and is the UK's leading provider of ladder training.

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