Kier Construction Western & Wales

Ysgol Gyfun Gŵyr

ISSUE 03

Kier have now been on site for over 40 weeks and remain mindful of being guests within the Gowerton community. We again thank you for your understanding and bearing with us during the build.

Despite the inevitable disruption from lockdown the Spring period has seen excellent progress

Four years from conception and eight months after site commencement we proudly handed over the new sports pitches to Ysgol Gyfun Gwyr. This new facility is already making a huge difference in the Schools ability to deliver curriculum sports. The reaction from both staff and pupils upon returning from lockdown was a genuine pleasure for the team to witness.

Covid -19

Throughout the crisis Kier have gone beyond the regulations to keep site personnel and visitors safe. We have verified compliancy with monthly independent inspections however our ethos has been to go the extra mile to make everybody feel safe and confident to attend site

Construction Update

The project has advanced significantly since our last newsletter.

The sports pitches are complete and in use.

The fine spring weather allowed the external envelope to progress; masonry is nearing completion releasing the envelope for cladding and render.

Internally the walls have been erected, stairs installed and the services well underway.

Drainage works in Park Road were successfully actioned at the beginning of the year. Our groundworks team deserve recognition for their efforts to minimise disruption

Community Engagement

During the project, we have been engaging with the pupils from the school and working on a number of exciting initiatives utilising the project as much as possible.

The art students have continued to work on artwork for the site hoardings which will be updated on a regular basis focussing on different themes associated with Swansea.

A big focus this term will be on Careers. Kier will be hosting regular Career Clinics offering pupils support and guidance focussed around Construction. Presentations have been put together with a focus on roles and how construction is ever evolving to give an insight on the variety of roles that the Construction industry has to offer. Mock Interviews will be delivered for pupils, giving them an insight of career planning.

The construction ambassador programme will continue with members of the school counsel. The ambassadors will continue to visit site on a regular basis, updating their fellow pupils.

Health and Safety

"At Kier construction Health and Safety is very important to us. The Construction site is going to be within a live school, we will ensure that the construction site is secured with fencing and signage so that no unauthorised persons can enter. The safety of all pupils, staff, visitors of the school and members of the public will be our priority"

Nigel Hayes

Project Manager

We take complaints seriously. We will be keeping the local community and the school up to date with the building works by issuing regular newsletters.

Meet the team....

NIGEL HAYES
Project Manager

IAN WILLIAMS
Contracts Manager

CARL POWELL
Quantity Surveyor

AMANDA SWOBODA
Community Engagement

If you have any queries relating to the project please do not hesitate to contact Nigel Hayes, Project Manager on 07791 719 698

Kier Construction Cymru a’r Gorllewin

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RHIFYN 03

Mae Kier wedi bod ar y safle ers dros 40 wythnos erbyn hyn ac rydyn ni’n dal i fod yn ymwybodol iawn taw gwesteion dros dro ydyn ni yng nghymuned Tre-gŵyr. Diolch i chi eto am eich amynedd a’ch cydweithrediad yn ystod y gwaith adeiladu.

Er gwaetha’r trafferthion anochel a ddaeth yn sgil y cyfnod clo, rydyn ni wedi gwneud cynnydd rhagorol dros gyfnod y Gwanwyn.

Pedair blynedd ar ôl i’r cysyniad godi, ac wyth mis ar ôl dechrau gwaith ar y safle, fe drosglwyddon ni’r caeau chwarae newydd i Ysgol Gyfun Gŵyr. Mae’r cyfleuster newydd yma eisoes yn gwneud gwahaniaeth aruthrol o ran gallu’r Ysgol i gyflawni chwaraeon y cwricwlwm. Rhoddodd ymateb y staff a’r disgyblion pan ddaethant nôl i’r ysgol ar ôl y cyfnod clo yn bleser mawr i’r tîm.

COVID-19

Trwy gydol yr argyfwng, mae Kier wedi mynd y tu hwnt i’r rheoliadau er mwyn cadw personél y safle a’r ymwelwyr yn ddiogel. Rydyn ni wedi sicrhau cydymffurfiaeth trwy gynnal archwiliadau annibynnol misol, ond ein hethos drwyddi draw oedd mynd gam ymhellach i wneud i bawb deimlo’n ddiogel ac yn hyderus i fynd i’r safle

Newyddion am y Gwaith

Mae’r prosiect wedi symud yn ei flaen yn sylweddol ers ei newyddlen ddiwethaf. Mae’r caeau chwarae wedi cael eu cwblhau ac mae’r ysgol bellach yn eu defnyddio. Mae tywydd braf y gwanwyn wedi caniatáu i’r gwaith ar orchudd allanol yr adeilad symud yn ei flaen; mae’r gwaith maen yn agos at gael ei gwblhau a bydd hyn yn golygu bod modd gosod y cladin a chyflawni’r gwaith rendro. Codwyd y waliau mewnol, gosodwyd y grisiau ac mae’r gwasanaethau’n dod yn eu blaen. Cafodd y gwaith draenio yn Heol y Parc ei gyflawni’n llwyddiannus ar ddechrau’r flwyddyn. Mae ein tîm gwaith tir yn haeddu cydnabyddiaeth am eu hymdrechion i darfu cyn lleied â phosibl ar y gymuned

Cysylltu â’r Gymuned

Yn ystod y prosiect, rydyn ni wedi bod yn meithrin cysylltiadau â disgyblion yr ysgol ac yn gweithio ar nifer o fentrau cyffrous gan ddefnyddio›r prosiect gymaint â phosibl.

Mae›r myfyrwyr celf wedi parhau i weithio ar waith celf ar gyfer y bydau palis sy›n amgylchynu›r safle. Caiff y rhain eu diweddaru›n gyson gan ganolbwyntio ar wahanol themâu sy›n gysylltiedig ag Abertawe.

Bydd ffocws y tymor yma ar Yrfaoedd. Bydd Kier yn cynnal Clinigau Gyrfaoedd rheolaidd i gynnig cymorth ac arweiniad i›r disgyblion â ffocws ar Adeiladu. Lluniwyd y cyflwyniadau â ffocws ar rolau a›r ffordd y mae›r byd adeiladu›n esblygu›n barhaus er mwyn rhoi syniad o›r amrywiaeth o rolau sydd ar gael o fewn y diwydiant Adeiladu. Cynhelir ffug-gyfweliadau ar gyfer disgyblion, a fydd yn rhoi profiad o gynllunio gyrfaoedd iddynt.

Bydd y rhaglen cenhadon adeiladu›n parhau gydag aelodau o gyngor yr ysgol. Bydd y cenhadon yn parhau i ymweld â›r safle›n gyson, gan rannu›r datblygiadau â›u cyd-ddisgyblion.

Iechyd a Diogelwch

“Mae Iechyd a Diogelwch yn bwysig iawn i ni yn Keir Construction. Am fod y safle Adeiladu mewn ysgol fyw, byddwn ni’n codi ffensys ac arwyddion i ddiogelu’r safle adeiladu fel na all neb ddod i mewn heb awdurdod. Diogelwch yr holl ddisgyblion, staff ac ymwelwyr â’r ysgol a’r cyhoedd fydd ein blaenoriaeth.”

Nigel Hayes

Rheolwr Prosiect

Rydym hefyd wedi sefydlu rhaglen llysgennad adeiladu gydag aelodau o gyngor yr ysgol. Rôl y llysgenhadon fydd ymweld â›r safle a dysgu am y gwaith adeiladu. Byddant yn trosglwyddo›r wybodaeth hon i›w cyd-ddisgyblion yn yr ysgol.

Cwrdd â›r Tîm

NIGEL HAYES
Rheolwr y Prosiect

IAN WILLIAMS
Rheolwr Contractau

CARL POWELL
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Os oes unrhyw gwestiynau gennych am y prosiect, croeso i chi gysylltu â Nigel Hayes, Rheolwr y Prosiect ar 07791 719 698.