

## ARMY BASING PROGRAMME



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#### MEET THE TEAM

### Mark Carr – Managing Director, Aspire Defence Services Limited



In this month's edition, we report that the first building being constructed by Aspire Defence to support the Army Basing Programme (ABP) has been completed and handed over to Larkhill Garrison.

The Officers' Single Living Accommodation (OSLA) is

one of around 130 new buildings being delivered under ABP. Completion of this first asset is a key milestone within the construction schedule.

But the story doesn't end when we hand the building over. In fact, for Aspire Defence Services Limited (ADSL), that's when the work begins.

Under the PAC contract, ADSL delivers hard and soft facilities management services at Larkhill, Bulford, Tidworth, Perham Down, Warminster and Aldershot. All the assets completed under ABP will be managed by ADSL until the PAC contract ends in 2041.

With our expert partners, we provide the facilities soldiers need to carry out their role in the best possible environment, from buildings, grounds and vehicle maintenance to catering, cleaning, helpdesk and leisure services, waste management, tailoring and stores.

In an average year, we receive around 60,000 helpdesk calls and complete more than 50,000 maintenance jobs.

Customer focus is a key value and our high standards of performance and delivery have been recognised through several awards. We've just been awarded Gold by RoSPA (Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents) for the fourth consecutive year – a

reflection of our commitment to Health & Safety. In 2015 we scooped the Sanctuary Sustainability Project and Sustainable Business Awards and last year we won the Public Sector Sustainability Award 'Best Water Management Project 2016'.

With each garrison the size of a small town, looking after the Army's day-to-day operational needs is a complex task. We're proud to be making soldiers' lives better.

# COMPLETION AND HANDOVER OF FIRST BUILDING UNDER ABP PAC

The OSLA was handed over by the ABP and Aspire Defence to Lt Col David Penniall, Deputy Garrison Commander Larkhill, on 19 Jun 17.



L-R Kieran Ward, ABP Delivery Lead, Allan Thomson, Chief Executive, Aspire Defence Limited, Col Andrew Devey, Assistant Head Infra Delivery, Lt Col David Penniall.

The new build 24-bed space Officer SLA block has now been completed, handed over and is available to be occupied.



The building offers the very latest building enhancements and modern en-suite facilities for all living-in Officers.





#### **NEXT THREE MONTH PLANS**

Construction works to be started and/or continued across the PAC Footprint between Jul 17 and Sep 17:

#### Larkhill

- New SLA (1362 total bed spaces)
- New Armoury
- New RHQ & Battery Offices
- Alterations to form new stores
- New training classrooms
- Utility Works
- Various car parks
- Various demolitions



JRSLA Village Construction

#### **Bulford**

- New Armoury
- New Mess in Picton Barracks
- Medical / Dental facility extension
- Demolition works including the Old Bakery and
  SI A
- New JRSLA installation of utilities and foundations in preparation for module delivery in the summer
- New perimeter fencing and associated groundworks in Picton Barracks



Construction works at Bulford

#### Aldershot

New SLA (132 total bed spaces)

#### **Tidworth**

- New SLA (353 total bed spaces)
- New SNCO Mess



Construction works at Tidworth for Mess and SLA

#### Perham Down

- New SLA (251 total bed spaces)
- New RHQ offices
- New armoury extension
- New perimeter fencing and associated groundworks in Swinton Barracks



Progress with JRSLA

Enabling works, earthworks and ground improvements will take place across all sites. Aspire Defence works flexibly and responds to the needs of the DIO and the Army. Construction schedules are therefore subject to change. Agreed traffic routes and AA signage are in place to manage deliveries to garrison sites. To avoid adding to congestion at the main Larkhill Garrison entrance, a dedicated gate for construction traffic has been created. \* No construction activity planned at Warminster.

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