

Tree Life Subsidence One Day Course

Date: 27th April 2010

Cost £120 + Vat Buffet lunch, tea, coffee and biscuits included

Venue: Tree Life Training Centre, Braemar Court, 1319 Melton Road, Syston, Leicestershire LE7 2EN.

Times: 9.30 – 4.30

The aim of the course is to provide a programme that allows Arboricultural attendees to go away with sufficient understanding of how a claim to fell a tree implicated in subsidence should be processed in relation to:

- Understanding the insurance prospective
- Undertaking a desk top study of available data
- Data interpretation
- Making a site visit
- Mitigating the damage caused

The programme will cover the following issues:

- Subsidence a persistent problem
- What is Heave
- Preliminary actions in an alleged case of subsidence
- Diagnosing subsidence problems
- Trees and desiccation
- Subsidence monitoring
- Interpretation of laboratory and monitoring results
- Mitigating subsidence damage in relation to tree works

Each candidate will be able to take away with them a template that can be used to methodically work through a claim and allow conclusions to be drawn and thereafter can present these to other parties such as LA solicitors as a means of seeking a permanent solution to the claim.