Safety Fun

Are your employees tired of hearing the same old safety lecture? If so, you should learn how to make safety fun. There are many ways to get your employees involved, but it will take extra time, effort and money. However, these up-front costs are always worth it, compared to the costs of any accidents or fines.

One way to make safety fun again is to do hands-on training. This is as simple as going outside to a piece of equipment and having a discussion. In doing so, you will learn more about the equipment by being hands-on as opposed to only sitting in on a safety lecture. Also, during the meeting employees will be thinking of questions. Some employees might speak up about their question during the meeting, but typically there will be a few after the meeting is over, and that is when you know if you got your point across. You will probably notice that after a good meeting, employees seem to continue talking about the subject on their own; if you sit back and listen, the employees will be training each other. This will also help to improve your team’s morale and get everyone working together.

Secondly, there are many safety games out there to pick from. For an example, Google “safety games” to find one that meets your standards. Most of the games involve money, which is a great motivator and tool for employee interaction.

Workplace accidents are serious. Learning how to prevent them does not have to be.