



Drayton Manor protects Business Continuity

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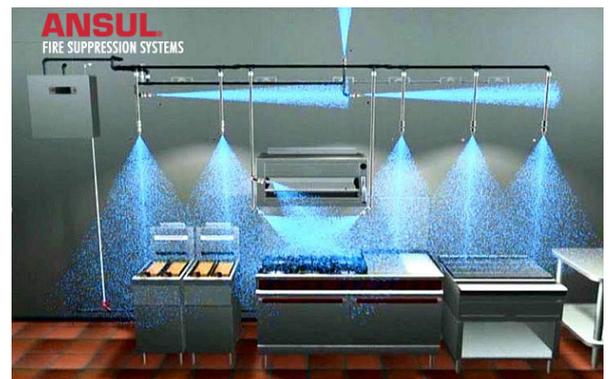
Tourist attraction turns to Assured for fire protection.

Drayton Manor theme park, resort and zoo opened to the public in 1949. Today, the tourist attraction covers 280 acres and attracts 1.5 million visitors per year. Within the park the restaurants are particularly popular with the visitors, therefore fire safety of both the kitchen and of the diners is of paramount importance. The fire risk from having such a large number of visitors on site and the various kitchen equipment in use could mean an increased risk to public safety.

It is also becoming an increasingly common requirement by insurers for restaurants to have a suitable fire suppression system fitted in the kitchen. Rob Disspain, Security Team Manager at Drayton Manor says: "We needed a fire company with specialist fire suppression experience and accreditation. One of Assured's experienced Fire Suppression Consultants surveyed the kitchen areas and recommended installation of an Ansul R-102 fire suppression system, which they were able to install with minimal disruption to the kitchens at The Grill Inn and the Drayton Manor Hotel."

Ansul R-102 fire suppression systems quashes the fire by reducing the oxygen in the atmosphere. When a fire is detected the nozzles installed will propel a water-based agent with a chemical foam type mix over the fire. This type of system is beneficial over others as it doesn't cause any damage, no electrical work is required on most systems and there are no large cylinder storage requirements.

Simon Stokes, Managing Director of Assured states: "A kitchen fire suppression system is one of the best firefighting systems for a commercial kitchen. It quickly stops a fire from spreading further throughout a building which means the business can quickly become operational again. Many insurance companies are now also calling on their clients to have these systems in place.



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Now not only are Drayton Manor protected against the loss of business from fire but they also have the peace of mind that they have implemented the most efficient way of managing fire risk.”

Rob states: “Having a fire in one of our kitchens would have been disastrous both for business continuity, and for our customer service. Assured have helped us ensure we’re as protected from fire as possible, and have assisted us with their specialist knowledge and invaluable advice. I would happily recommend Assured to other businesses.”



As well as kitchen fire suppression systems Assured also install and service fire alarm systems, fire extinguishers, emergency lighting, CCTV, intruder alarms and access control systems. By consolidating services and using directly employed multi-skilled engineers Assured are able to reduce costs to the customer without compromising quality and compliance.



Benefits of Switching to Assured Fire & Security

- ✓ **ANSUL APPROVED** – We are one of the few suppliers approved by Ansul. We are qualified to install and maintain Ansul kitchen fire suppression systems.
- ✓ **COMPREHENSIVE EXPERIENCE** – We have 18 years experience of installing and maintaining kitchen fire suppression systems.
- ✓ **FULLY FLEXIBLE** – We understand commercial kitchens can’t be disrupted. Therefore we’re able to come to your premises out of hours or during quiet periods to ensure minimal disruption to your daily business.
- ✓ **NATIONWIDE COVER** – No matter where you are in the country, we have qualified Ansul engineers able to ensure a consistent and professional service.
- ✓ **365/24/7** – Our constant availability means you’ll always be able to contact us in an emergency.

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