MARKETING TEAM OF THE YEAR POLYPIPE BUILDING PRODUCTS



SUMMARY

Polypipe Building Products manufactures drainage, rainwater management and underfloor heating solutions. Although the members of Polypipe's marketing team only came together for the first time a little over a year ago, during the entry period they devised, implemented and managed various highly successful campaigns aimed at both the trade, and in a real 'first' for the company, also at the consumer market.

The most high-profile campaign featured celebrity designer and Dragon's Den star, Kelly Hoppen as a high-profile brand ambassador who provided a recognisable focal point for every aspect of the exercise. This resulted in over 40,000 unique website visitors, and made a significant contribution to the number of registered Polypipe stockists and registered installers. Most significantly, sales of Polypipe's underfloor heating products are well on track to achieve a 30% increase in 2015, compared to the previous year.

Other campaigns gave trade customers the opportunity to 'Win a Van' fully stocked with Polypipe products, and also promoted the PolyPlumb push-fit plumbing system to some 70,000 installers. A four campaign helped to get 50,000 free samples of the PolyMax Streamline push-fit plumbing range into the hands of installers and so generate a huge 264% sales increase on a year-to-date basis.



