Welcome to our newsletter, which aims to keep you up-to-date with what is happening on our site.

**What we’re building**

BAM are building eight new student accommodation blocks at its Jowett Walk site in Oxford.

These will be progressing from the present time, with a planned completion date for the whole scheme in June 2020.

The scheme also includes the construction of a new squash court and energy centre, which will be located within the basement of a new sports pavilion.

**What’s next?**

**Block A** – Students now occupy the building.

**Blocks B1 and B2** – Dry lining will move forward in the blocks. Bedrooms have now been boarded and prepared for plastering. First fix carpentry works have also commenced and will move on. Mechanical and electrical works will move forward also in the blocks.

**Pavilion and C1** – Dry lining works have continued in block C1 in the bedrooms. The installation of risers and other mechanical services have moved on internally. The insulation package is being installed externally.

**D1, D2 and D3** – Archaeology and asbestos works will soon commence.

**Recent progress**

**Block A** - Block A has been handed over and students now occupy the building.

**Blocks B1 and B2** – Dry lining has progressed in both of the blocks moving top down concentrating on the bedrooms first. The mechanical and electrical works in the blocks have progressed throughout. First fix carpentry works have begun in both buildings also.

**Pavilion and C1** - The energy center has had more lagging throughout and the services in the block including the risers are being installed. Brick cladding panels and insulation have finished on the external façade of block C1.

**D1, D2 and D3** – Archaeology and asbestos works will soon commence.
About BAM

BAM Construction is part of BAM Construct UK which is one of the country’s largest construction services organisations with a turnover of more than £900 million. We operate throughout England, Scotland and Wales. Our European parent company is Royal BAM Group which employs over 25,000 people worldwide and has a turnover of €7 billion.

Currently BAM are working throughout the South East of England, but are on site with another project at Acland House for Keeble College. There we are forming a new set of accommodation blocks, as well as a leading research facility within the building’s basement.

Considerate Constructors

All BAM sites register with the Considerate Constructors Scheme. This means we are committed to being a good neighbor and to being clean, respectful, safe, environmentally conscious, responsible and accountable. Our site is independently inspected to make sure we live up to these aims.

We try to work in a way that causes as little inconvenience as possible to our neighbors. We apologize for any unavoidable nuisance that may be caused during the work.

Please help us with safety

Construction sites can be dangerous. At BAM our top priority is the health and safety of everyone who works on our sites, the public and the local community affected by our work. If you need to contact us, please ring us or call the site office but do not enter the site.

Please make any children in your care aware that our building site is not a playground and that they must not enter the site. Thank you for your co-operation.

Contacting the site team:

If you have any questions or concerns about what’s happening at the site, please contact Toby Christensen, Balliol College Surveyor in the first instance.

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