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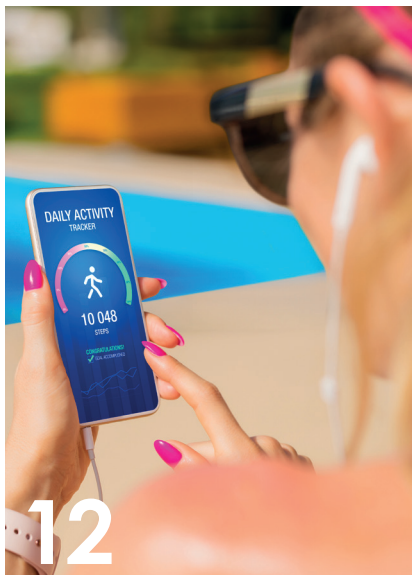
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THE ALL NEW CERTIKIN INVERTER POOL PUMP



Ultra-efficient inverter technology



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THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY SPATEX – THE UNMISSABLE EVENT OF 2026!

TUESDAY 3RD TO THURSDAY 5TH FEBRUARY – THE COVENTRY BUILDING SOCIETY ARENA.

Free to attend, and open to all, SPATEX is the international water leisure event that has been 30 years in the making. This is where all the industry conversations in 2026 begin, making it a must-attend special anniversary show. There is nowhere quite like SPATEX!

SEE

An increased floorplan to accommodate more exhibitors was no barrier to SPATEX selling out of exhibition space some five months early. A veritable smorgasbord of new products and innovations, the show attracts over 120 companies, not just from the UK but France, Germany, Belgium, USA, Spain, Czech Republic, Switzerland, China, Italy, Denmark and Netherlands as well. This is your first opportunity in 2026 to see ranges and trends for the pool season ahead. Every sector of water leisure will feature, from spas, ice baths and saunas to steam rooms, enclosures, tiles, chemicals and everything swimming pool related.

... AND BE SEEN

Networking extends well beyond the exhibition hall. Save the night of Wednesday February 4th, when celebrations kick off with a special anniversary edition of the now famous SPATEX Networking Party at 5pm in the Coventry Building Society Arena Clubhouse at 5pm. With an interactive theme (to be announced shortly), we are inviting all visitors and exhibitors to get involved and enjoy two hours of industry chat, free finger food and drinks.

With the night still young, this will be followed at 7pm with The Big After Party – a super entertaining karaoke night complete with catering. More information and tickets will be available in November.

A POWERHOUSE OF KNOWLEDGE

Not just the biggest display of water leisure ever staged, SPATEX 2026 also promises an abundance of free learning opportunities with a brand-new double seminar programme.

ISPE's Luke Griffiths says: ***"Planning for the ISPE CPD accredited workshops is well underway. Among the twenty expert speakers confirmed so far are Jimmy Lamb, Alex Kemsley, Howard Gosling, Amanda Thompson-Smith, James Lee, and Mike Burnham, with many more to be announced in the coming months."***

A second seminar programme in Arena 2 will cover a diverse number of topics, ranging from the impact of AI on the industry to the very latest need-to-know legislation.

BRINGING THE INDUSTRY'S EXPERTS TOGETHER

SPATEX has the backing of all the major industry associations which means there's no greater concentration of industry expertise anywhere in the UK.



Capitalising on this resource, 2026 sees the introduction of a new initiative called The Industry Hub which sees the following all conveniently grouped on one stand (adjacent to seminar Arena 2): Swimming Teachers Association (STA), Royal Life Saving Society (RLSS), Pool Water Treatment Advisory Group (PWTAG), Institute of Swimming (IoS) and the British Swimming Pool Federation's SPATA (Swimming Pool & Allied Trades Association) and BISHTA (British & Irish Spa & Hot Tub Association). The Legionella Control Association (LCA) and Water Management Society (WMSoc) will also be out in force at the show, with speakers from both associations giving keynote talks in the seminar arenas.

THERE'S A FREE GIFT WITH YOUR NAME ON IT

SPATEX wants all its visitors and exhibitors to take away memories of a great event and a keepsake. We've found the perfect gift that we promise you will want to use every day. Just hand in your lanyard at the end of your visit and collect your lasting memento.

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WHY FACE-TO-FACE EVENTS STILL MATTER

In a world where digital meetings and online training are everywhere, in-person events retain a power that screens cannot match. Especially in the pool and spa industry, seminars, workshops, and specialist training remain essential for professional growth, innovation, and building community.

Take for example ISPE's upcoming events: the 134th Seminar in Newbury and the 135th Seminar in Dudley are now confirmed. These seminars offer more than just presentations – they provide direct access to industry leaders, lively discussions, and the chance to tackle real-world challenges alongside peers. This interaction, where questions are asked in the moment and new ideas emerge through conversation, simply can't be replicated in a webinar format.

Attending such events also offers a welcome break from the daily grind of business operations. A seminar isn't just about listening –

it's about opening the mind to fresh practice, discovering new product developments, and returning to work with ideas that can make a tangible impact. Whether it's hearing about new regulations, innovations in pool design, or best practice in maintenance, these sessions keep professionals sharp and well informed.

Networking remains one of the biggest advantages of face-to-face gatherings. Chance conversations over coffee or lunch can lead to collaborations, mentorships, or partnerships that last long after the event ends. It is in these casual moments, as much as in the formal sessions, that the industry's sense of shared endeavour grows strongest.

The ISPE 2025 Awards is also taking place at the October Seminar, ISPE is proud to once again offer free places for the successful 2025 students to attend the seminar. For those newer to the profession, the chance to receive recognition – certificates,

awards – in front of one's peers adds encouragement and validation. Moments like that help foster pride in one's work and fuel ongoing professional development.

Looking ahead, planning is under way for ISPE's participation at SPATEX with around 20 workshops to look forward to, as well as ISPE's 136th Seminar in March 2026. If you have a topic you believe the industry should hear about, please contact info@ispe.co.uk – we would love your contribution.

To see the full details of the 134th Seminar in Newbury, the 135th in Dudley, and to book your place, check out www.ispe.co.uk for full information and reservations.

As the industry evolves, one thing remains constant: meeting face to face transfers more than knowledge. It builds trust, sparks inspiration, strengthens confidence, and nurtures the community in ways that matter deeply.

ISPE 134th One-Day Seminar



Thursday 9th October 2025

Featuring:

- Seven Expert-led Technical Presentations
- The 45th Annual General Meeting
- 2025 ISPE Awards

Delegate Fees: (Pre-booking is essential)

- Students: £55
- Members: £75
- Non-Members: £105

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A NEW PINNACLE

DUBAI'S CIEL DUBAI MARINA TO HOST THE WORLD'S HIGHEST INFINITY POOL

This November, Dubai will add yet another architectural marvel to its skyline when Ciel Dubai Marina, Vignette Collection opens its doors. Soaring to a height of 377 metres across 82 floors, this tower will take over as the world's tallest hotel – which means plenty of firsts.

One of its most breathtaking features will be the world's highest infinity pool, perched on the 76th floor as part of the multi-level Tattu Dubai complex. Alongside the pool, guests will be able to enjoy Tattu Restaurant & Bar on level 74 and the Sky Lounge

& Terrace on level 81, all offering sweeping 360-degree views over the Arabian Gulf, Palm Jumeirah and the Dubai skyline.

Inside, the hotel will offer around 1,004 luxurious guest rooms, including approximately 147 suites, each with floor-to-ceiling glass windows to make the most of those views. Designed by the UK-based NORR Group, the form of the building is sculptural and elegant, embodying tapering contours and a signature façade that mirrors the light and sea around it.

Additional amenities include a 12-storey sky garden, a luxury spa on the 61st floor, a state-of-the-art gym, and direct access to Dubai Marina and nearby beaches and attractions.

Ciel Dubai Marina is not only pushing height records – it is redefining what high-altitude luxury looks like. The infinity pool won't just be a place to swim; it promises to be an unforgettable experience of immersion, elevation, and perspective.

CERTIKIN SHORTLISTED FOR SWIMMING POOL TRADE SUPPLIER OF THE YEAR

The shortlist for this year's UK Pool & Spa Awards has just been announced and we are proud to share that Certikin has been nominated for Swimming Pool Trade Supplier of the Year. This is a huge honour for us made possible by the nominations from our fantastic customers.

Voting is now open, and we would love your support! Here's why we're so proud of this nomination and why your vote would make it even more special.

As the UK's leading supplier to the pool and spa industry, Certikin has built its reputation on reliability, innovation, and service. Our product portfolio is unmatched, with over 8,000 products covering every aspect of pool and spa design, construction, and maintenance. From essential core equipment to the latest in energy-efficient and smart technologies, we ensure our customers have access

to the most comprehensive range of products available in the market.

Beyond our product offering, what sets Certikin apart is our technical expertise. Our in-house technical teams offer unrivalled technical support across all product categories, ensuring our customers have the back up and support whenever it is needed. Whether it is advising on the right solution for a complex installation, providing hands-on training, or ensuring aftersales support, our focus is on helping professionals deliver the very best results for their clients. Our HQ is also home to The Academy – the industry's largest dedicated training facility. Through the regular training sessions held in The Academy we equip our customers with knowledge and practical skills ensuring they are getting the very best out of the products and solutions we supply.

Our commitment goes beyond supplying equipment; we are dedicated to being a long-term, trusted partner. We continually anticipate the evolving needs of the industry, whether it's sustainability, efficiency, or digital integration, and work to provide solutions that support the future of pool and spa businesses.

Winning Trade Supplier of the Year would be a testament not only to the Certikin team but also to the valued partnerships we have with our customers, suppliers and the wider pool and spa industry.

If you feel Certikin has supported your business through our products, technical expertise, or The Academy, we would be grateful for your vote.

www.ukpoolandspaawards.co.uk

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CLEARANCE SALE



WHAT IS THE SWIMMING EQUIVALENT OF 10,000 STEPS?

We've all heard that we should aim to walk 10,000 steps a day. It's a popular health benchmark, linked to benefits like reduced risk of heart disease, better weight management, and improved mental wellbeing. While the origin of the 10,000-step goal was more marketing than science, it's now backed by a growing body of research supporting the benefits of staying active throughout the day.

To break it down, 10,000 steps is roughly equivalent to walking 5 miles or 8 kilometres. At a steady pace of about 3.5 mph (5.6 kph), it would take the average person around 1 hour and 25 minutes to complete.

However, according to celebrity personal trainer Harley Pasternak – who works with stars like Adam Levine, Gwen Stefani, Ariana Grande, Jessica Simpson, Lady Gaga, and Megan Fox – 10,000 steps should be seen as the minimum daily target. He recommends aiming for 14,000 steps a day to truly stay on top of your health and fitness.

BUT WHAT IF WALKING ISN'T YOUR THING? WHAT IF YOU PREFER BEING IN THE WATER?

Swimming is one of the best all-round exercises you can do. It's low-impact,

kind on your joints, and gives you a full-body workout that builds both strength and cardiovascular fitness. So how does time spent swimming translate into step equivalents?

Research has estimated the following equivalents between different swimming strokes and step counts:

- 60 minutes of front crawl (freestyle) = 12,180 steps
- 60 minutes of backstroke = 12,180 steps
- 60 minutes of breaststroke = 17,400 steps
- 60 minutes of fast swimming (any stroke) = 18,180 steps
- 60 minutes of butterfly = 19,140 steps

This means that even a moderate one-hour swim can easily match – or surpass – the step count of a typical daily walk. For those doing more intense strokes like butterfly or breaststroke, you're hitting well beyond the 14,000 steps recommended by Pasternak.

For masters swimmers, triathletes, or open water enthusiasts, swimming for an hour a day is a regular routine. But even recreational swimmers can benefit hugely – shorter swims still rack

up thousands of step equivalents while providing full-body conditioning and boosting overall fitness.

One of swimming's greatest strengths is that it works almost every major muscle group without putting excess strain on your joints. It improves endurance, posture, coordination, and lung capacity, making it an ideal choice for people of all ages and fitness levels.

So, whether you're doing laps at your local leisure centre or taking a dip in open water, rest assured that your time in the pool is doing wonders for your health. And if walking isn't your favourite way to hit your daily activity goals, swimming might just be the most enjoyable and efficient alternative.



VISION FILTERS from Certikin

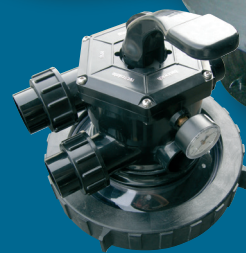
The clear choice for your next filter installation

A filter is one of the most important components of a swimming pool.

Therefore, you want to ensure your next installation is easy to maintain and offers good durability.

Using the latest in fibreglass winding technology, the Vision range of domestic bobbin wound filters from Certikin are some of the most reliable and popular on the market. Available in top and side mount versions, the latter which comes with the patented 10" lid, making servicing and maintenance quick and easy.

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for improved filtration
and backwashing



HEAT RETAINING SWIMMING POOLS

THE UK'S LEADING PANEL POOL SYSTEM

Suitable for all types of projects, whether that be indoor or outdoor, inground or partially above ground, the Polypool system offers an easy and quick solution whilst providing unrivalled heat retention capabilities. Polypool is distributed exclusively by Certikin, the UK's leading pool and spa supplier.



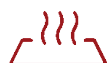
FULLY CUSTOMISABLE

If required fittings can be pre-installed meaning all the installer has to do when the Polypool panels arrive on site, is install the system and connect the pipework.



FAST INSTALLATION

As an example, for a 10m x 5m pool the unique interlocking system can be used to create the pool structure within just half a day. On a typical outdoor pool build, this means customers could be enjoying their swimming pool within just two to three weeks from arrival and clearing of the site.



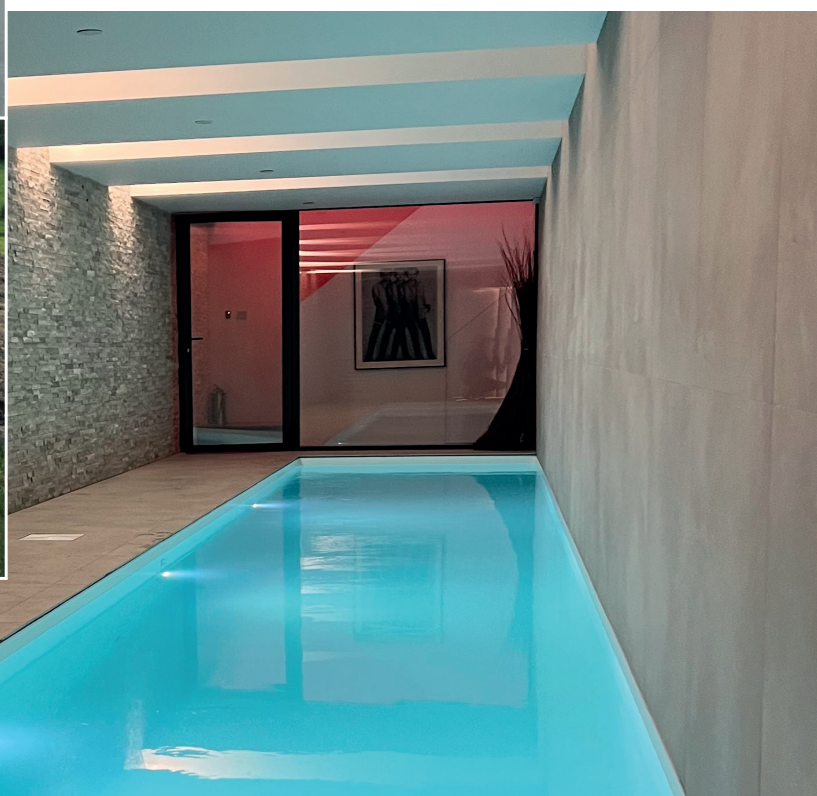
UNRIVALLED HEAT RETENTION

Polypool is unrivalled for its heat retention capabilities and is eight times more efficient at keeping in heat than your average double glazed window. It not only meets the strict government guideline for the U-value but exceeds it with a figure unmatched by any of its competitors.



CHEAPER RUNNING COSTS

Due to the heat retaining design, a Polypool will maintain the temperature of the water with reduced energy costs.



STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENTS AND INDUSTRY MILESTONES

Chris Hayes, BSPF Managing Director, shares highlights on rebranding progress, SPATEX's 30th anniversary, EDI initiatives, the 2026 British Pool & Hot Tub Awards, and new team members.

Both SPATA and BISHTA have decided to update their branding, which includes the logos for each trade association.

The debate at SPATA's National Council and BISHTA's Committee has been excellent (as usual) about what is required, and the result is that the final touches are being made to ensure that both logos will be ready to be revealed at the annual British Pool and Hot Tub conference on 15th October. The logo change will reflect a modern 'feel' but will retain the authority expected of a trusted trade association.

The new branding will also be reflected on the websites, which are expected to be ready for launch at SPATEX 2026. We extend our thanks to Adtrak for the excellent work undertaken so far, and we look forward to further progress as we head towards Coventry!

30TH ANNIVERSARY FOR SPATEX

Michele, Helen and the rest of the team are really excited to be organising the 30th anniversary of SPATEX in 2026, and they will have lots of news to announce over the coming months. The show will have even more floor space to ensure that the extra demand can be met, where possible.

BISHTA and SPATA will be relocating at SPATEX, diagonally opposite their traditional position, alongside The Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK), the Swimming Teachers Association (STA), PWTAG, and the Institute of Swimming (IOS), on a single large stand (next to Workshop Arena 2). Representatives from each association will be on hand to provide visitors with a wealth of information and guidance. The new large stand

will showcase the reveal of the annual British Pool & Hot Tub Award winners. With the Wet Leisure Industry Gala Evening and Awards taking place on Tuesday evening, 3rd February, book your seats by visiting the Trade area of the SPATA and BISHTA websites. This event is open to the whole industry.

EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

The latest update from the EDI subgroup is that they have approved a GoFundMe page to raise awareness and funds for this vital work. Thanks are due to Dash Ganeson (for the idea) and to both Dash and Patrick Thorpe for being the first two people to pledge money for the page. A link to the GoFundMe page can be found on the SPATA and BISHTA homepages.

The money will be used to subsidise places on the EDI training courses and to raise further awareness.

If anyone would like to support this initiative, you can book a place on a course by contacting the BISHTA/SPATA office via admin@bishta.co.uk or admin@spata.co.uk. Alternatively, if you are willing to donate funds, please visit the BISHTA /SPATA websites.

ARE YOU ENTERING OR SPONSORING THE BRITISH POOL & HOT TUB AWARDS 2026?

Entries are now being accepted online from SPATA and BISHTA members for the British Pool & Hot Tub Awards. The deadline for submitting entries is Friday, 31st October 2025. Visit the SPATA/BISHTA websites for entry and to view the categories and what's new for 2026.

WELCOME NEW TEAM MEMBERS

We have been so lucky with the team that works so tirelessly on behalf of BISHTA and SPATA members, and it has just been strengthened by the arrival of Fay Richardson.



Fay is bringing all of her experience to help the BSPF, and with Jenna Patterson sharing the Membership Co-ordinator role with Fay, this is a very exciting time.

The existing team in Andover also includes Claire Maguire, who has added the Office Manager role to her Business Development job description; Sallie Leslie-Golding is the PR & Marketing Manager (pulling all the strings to ensure that our industry knows what is going on and can make an impact with domestic and commercial end users); and Debbie Thornton is not only providing the all-important book-keeping and accounts support, to make sure the finances are in good shape, but she is helping review many services where we may be able to get even better value for money. I also extend a huge welcome to Kayleigh Biggs, who has recently started her role as Head of Operations for SPATEX. Working alongside Michele Bridle (Exhibition Organiser), Helen Mulingani (Exhibition Co-Ordinator), and Penny Farmer (Exhibition PR).

We are fortunate to have such an incredible team working to support the industry. Thank you to you all.

www.bspf.org.uk / www.spata.co.uk / www.bishta.co.uk / www.spatex.co.uk

CYBERSECURITY

IN THE WET LEISURE SECTOR

WHY AWARENESS AND TRAINING MATTER MORE THAN EVER

In today's increasingly digital world, businesses in the Wet Leisure sector, whether involved in design, installation, maintenance, equipment supply, or education, are more reliant than ever on technology. From collecting and sharing client data to processing online orders and payments, digital tools are deeply embedded in daily operations. Even routine tasks, such as sending emails or managing customer communications, involve handling sensitive information.

However, this reliance comes with risks. Cyber threats such as phishing scams, whaling, and ransomware attacks are no longer confined to large corporations. Small businesses, sole traders, and self-employed professionals are increasingly vulnerable to data breaches that can cause irreparable damage. The Wet Leisure sector is not immune, and the need for robust cybersecurity measures has never been more urgent.

Recognising the growing threat, BGi.uk – a specialist insurer in the pool and spa industry – has taken proactive steps to support businesses beyond traditional insurance. Through its sister company, Gambryce.io, BGi.uk offers accessible and practical cyber training tailored

specifically for small businesses and operators in the Wet Leisure sector.

This training is delivered through short, low-cost video modules designed to build and reinforce basic cyber awareness. The content is suitable for all team members, regardless of their technical expertise, making it an ideal solution for businesses of all sizes.

SPATA (Swimming Pool and Allied Trades Association) and BISHTA (British and Irish Spa and Hot Tub Association) have also stepped up, actively supporting this initiative and encouraging their members to take cyber risks seriously. Their involvement underscores a shared commitment to helping businesses stay secure and resilient in an increasingly digital environment.

WHY CYBERSECURITY TRAINING IS ESSENTIAL

Cybersecurity is not just a technical issue; it's a human one. Most data breaches begin with simple human errors: clicking on a malicious link, using weak passwords, or failing to recognise a scam. Training empowers staff to become a "human firewall," capable of identifying and stopping threats before they escalate.

Even sole traders and small partnerships are targets. If you use a smartphone, laptop, or email for work, you're exposed to cyber risks. Moreover, regulatory compliance is critical. Laws like GDPR require businesses to protect customer data, and failing to do so can result in serious consequences. Cyber training helps teams understand their responsibilities and stay compliant.

Trust is also a key factor. Customers want assurance that their data is safe. Demonstrating that your team is trained in cyber awareness builds credibility and strengthens client relationships. Importantly, the cost of training is minimal compared to the potential financial and reputational damage that can result from a cyberattack.

WHAT GAMBRYCE TRAINING OFFERS

The Gambryce training programme consists of bite-sized video sessions that are easy to follow and free of technical jargon. These modules are designed to raise awareness and provide practical steps that staff can implement on a daily basis. Topics include:

- Spotting fake emails and scams
- Handling customer data securely

- Responding effectively to cyber incidents
- Building safe digital habits

The training is designed to be part of an ongoing learning process, not just a one-time exercise, helping businesses maintain a robust cybersecurity posture over time.

By working with BGi.uk and Gambryce, SPATA and BISHTA are helping members future-proof their businesses against digital threats. They are actively promoting practical tools and training, making it easier for

members to access affordable, sector-relevant solutions. Membership in these associations' means being part of a community that values high standards, not only in pools and spas but also in business resilience and digital safety.

FINAL THOUGHT: SECURITY IS A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

Cybersecurity isn't just the responsibility of your IT person – if you have one. Everyone in your business plays a role in protecting data, customers, and your reputation. Taking a few minutes to build cyber awareness today could

save hours of stress and significant financial loss tomorrow.

As cyber threats continue to evolve, so must our defences. Investing in training is not just about avoiding risk; it's about empowering your team, protecting your clients, and securing the future of your business.

If you're interested in accessing the Gambryce cyber awareness training, reach out to SPATA, BISHTA, or BGi.uk for more information. Protect your business and stay ahead in today's digital world.

SPATA AND BISHTA SET TO UNVEIL NEW BRAND IDENTITY AHEAD OF 2026 WEBSITE LAUNCH

The Swimming Pool and Allied Trades Association (SPATA) and the British and Irish Spa and Hot Tub Association (BISHTA) are proud to announce a transformative rebranding initiative, developed in collaboration with leading digital agency Adtrak. This marks a significant milestone in the evolution of both organisations, reflecting their commitment to innovation, member representation, and industry excellence.

REBRAND LAUNCH AT THE BRITISH POOL & HOT TUB CONFERENCE

The new brand identity, including refreshed logos and visual elements, will be officially unveiled at the **British Pool & Hot Tub Conference on Wednesday, 15th October 2025 (hosted online)**. Adtrak will present the new look and guide members through the rationale and transition process. Members will then be ready to seize the opportunity to utilise the modern logo to demonstrate their commitment to industry standards and the Code of Ethics.

This rebrand is more than a visual update; it signals a new chapter for both associations. The next phase includes the launch of new websites in early 2026, designed to better serve members and the public with improved functionality,

even more invaluable guidance, and a modern aesthetic.

Conference attendees will get an exclusive preview of these exciting developments.

SPATA and BISHTA members are requested to 'Save the Date': 15 October 2025 Full conference details will be released to members in their weekly e-newsletter in the coming weeks.

A LEGACY OF LEADERSHIP IN WET LEISURE

SPATA was founded in 1961 as the Association of Swimming Pool Contractors, later evolving into the Swimming Pool and Allied Trades Association in 1971. For over six decades, SPATA has set the benchmark for quality and professionalism in the UK swimming pool industry. Its members adhere to rigorous SPATA Standards, aligned with British and European regulations, and a strict Code of Ethics, ensuring consumer confidence and industry integrity.

BISHTA, established in 2001, was created to 'promote safe spa water' and has extended that focus to 'promoting safe hot tub standards' across the UK and Ireland. The association ensures that its members are trained in water hygiene management, operate ethically, and deliver safe,

high-quality products and services. There is access to a wide range of other training, including Dangerous Goods, final electrical connections to hot tubs, and the Certified Hot Tub Technician qualification. BISHTA's mission is to enhance consumer wellbeing and enjoyment through trusted industry practices.

Together, SPATA and BISHTA form the backbone of the UK's wet leisure industry, working under the umbrella of the British Swimming Pool Federation (BSPF). Their shared commitment to Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) has led to the formation of a dedicated working group, driving inclusive practices and continuous improvement across the sector.

Together, these associations work tirelessly on behalf of their members to help inform, educate, set standards, and represent the industry's views.

Members can book their conference invitation by emailing the address below. If you are not already a member, please enquire today.

**admin@spata.co.uk /
admin@bishta.co.uk**



BUCKET LIST GETAWAYS

When planning a getaway, most people choose a location with the intention of exploring the surrounding area. But these bucket list retreats are so extraordinary, they are the destination.

Location – Dubai



BARASTI BEACH POOL – BUDGET

Who says Dubai luxury must cost a fortune? Barasti Beach Pool is the ultimate proof that you can soak up the city's famous lifestyle without breaking the bank. Tucked away in Dubai Marina, this vibrant poolside hangout is where sunshine, sea views, and good vibes collide.

The setting feels like a tropical escape, think palm trees, chilled loungers, and refreshing dips in the pool, all with a laid-back atmosphere that's fun without being over the top. Whether you're there to unwind with friends, sip cocktails in the sun, or simply people-watch, Barasti keeps the energy high and the mood easy-going.

And here's the best part: entry is just 150 AED (£32) on weekdays and AED

200 (£42) on weekends- with every single Dirham redeemable on food and drinks! That means your ticket isn't just pool access; it's lunch, cocktails, and snacks by the water, plus the pool day thrown in for free.

By day it's a chilled escape, by night it transforms into a buzzing beach club with live DJs and events. For the price of dinner in London, you get a full day

of sunshine, music, food, and poolside vibes. Barasti isn't just good value – it's Dubai fun at its finest.





CONRAD DUBAI – LUXURY

Bliss 6 at Conrad Dubai stands out as a refined sanctuary – an elevated escape to elegance nestled amid tropical foliage and candlelit reflections. Perched on the sixth floor, this pool and lounge feels less like a hotel amenity and more like a discreet, members-only resort. Imagine slipping away from Dubai's frenetic energy into a lush, landscaped space of waterfalls, palms, and floating mini-islands. That's Bliss 6: a poetic blend of verdant serenity and architectural poise, where the sophistication of a private villa meets the energy of a modern metropolis.

Here, "lounging" is tailored to perfection. Oversized daybeds, plush cocoon pods, and elegantly cushioned sun loungers invite you to recline in style. By night, the pool transforms under soft lighting, reflecting a skyline that glimmers as luxuriously as the cocktails in your glass. Poolside attendants deliver gourmet bites and refined drinks right to your spot – whether that's a chilled Mediterranean plate or an expertly mixed. Champagne cocktail. Every detail is a subtle invitation to stay just a little longer and savour the moment. If your pool day sparks the desire to extend your luxury escape overnight, here's the current pricing for Conrad Dubai's most sumptuous offering. Head over to the royal suite – Conrads most sought out accommodation. At roughly £2,000 per night, this stay is pricey. But if you're going to Dubai, you must do it right!

For that level of investment, you're not just booking a room – you're securing a private haven. Expect:

- Multiple bedrooms and bathrooms.
- A full kitchen and formal dining area.
- Executive Lounge access with breakfast, refreshments, and discreet check-in.
- Panoramas that span the city and Gulf – framed by floor-to-ceiling windows that turn every glance into art.

Picture ending a sun-drenched day by Bliss 6, then retiring to one of the most grandiose suites in Dubai, all without sacrificing an ounce of luxury. Bliss 6 isn't just another hotel pool; it's a curated experience where every element whispers understated extravagance. Add a night in the Royal Suite, and you've essentially crafted a private, cosmopolitan retreat where serenity, style, and sophisticated living converge.



MEET OUR TEAM

At Certikin, we believe that our greatest asset is our people. We are dedicated to fostering a dynamic and inclusive work environment where every team member can thrive, grow, and make a meaningful impact. Whether you're just starting your career or looking to take the next step, you'll find a range of exciting opportunities to grow and develop with us.

From production and sales to customer service and marketing, each department at Certikin plays a crucial role in delivering exceptional products and services to our customers.

Many of the team have been with Certikin for a number of years, developing their career and contributing to the success of the company.

WHAT OUR TEAM HAS TO SAY ABOUT WORKING FOR CERTIKIN...

LOUIS GRAY

TECHNICAL SALES ADVISOR – H&V

WHAT IS YOUR ROLE IN THE COMPANY?

I am a Technical Sales Advisor in the H&V (Heating and Ventilation) department.

WHAT HAS YOUR CAREER JOURNEY BEEN LIKE SO FAR?

Certikin has kicked off my Career journey following on from my graduation from university. This has allowed me to transition from a study and research background to an office based environment with ease.

WHAT IS THE BEST THING ABOUT WORKING AT CERTIKIN?

The best thing really is the people you meet and build connections with. Experiencing your own self growth is also equally rewarding.

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR CO-WORKERS AND MANAGERS?

Very knowledgeable people that are easy to approach and are willing to help. They help develop you to become more proficient at the role, as well as keeping the environment light and easy going.

WHAT IS YOUR TEAM LIKE?

My manager and team has helped initiate me to the office, and has aided my progression and knowledge well. Aside from this, the team shares a good sense of humour and has a friendly manner which helps with the relationships within the team.



WHAT DOES A TYPICAL DAY LOOK LIKE FOR YOU?

My day consists of aiding customers with any technical queries they may have about one of our products, such as any installation details or technical data. I also help customers with our recommendations of which unit we would suggest based on our calculations, quoting for the unit, and ordering the unit ready for delivery when needed. As well as this, I help with any fault finding and diagnosis on these units.

HOW HAS CERTIKIN HELPED YOU WITH YOUR DEVELOPMENT?

My development started early on with Certikin sending me out to meet with some of the manufacturers of the units which we sell. This allowed me to gain an insight on how the units operate, and understand the full range of products. These visits also allowed me to meet in-person, the members of these companies which I would be in regular communication with as part of my job. As well as this, I have also been paired with my very knowledgeable colleagues who have helped build a greater understanding of these units both on site, and in office.

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES AT CERTIKIN?

So far I have primarily been office based, but have recently had the opportunity to complete on-site visits to help grow my experience in another role. I have also witnessed other colleagues get promoted to other departments and switch roles internally, so there is definitely the opportunity for growth and expansion of knowledge.

TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE BENEFITS OF WORKING AT CERTIKIN AS WELL AS OUR LATEST VACANCIES, VISIT WWW.CERTIKINCAREERS.CO.UK

CERTIKIN'S TECHNICAL TEAM

In the world of wet leisure, Certikin has built its reputation not only on being the UK market leader, but also on the people who drive its success. We treasure our ability to give technical information and support to any customer confidently.

We are more than a leading supplier; we are the brains and driving force of the industry. At the heart of this are our 37 highly skilled Technical Sales Advisors, who embody the perfect blend of product expertise, industry knowledge, and customer-first service – not only in-house but also on the road, with our Sales Executives meeting customers face to face.

Our teams are divided into 10 specialist groups, each focusing on a different area of our product portfolio. With over 8,000 product lines on offer, this structure ensures that Certikin always has the right answer for every question. Customers can be confident that the person they speak to isn't just knowledgeable in a general sense but is a true expert in their field. Together, the team brings with them an astonishing 300+ years of collective experience. Some have been part of Certikin for more than 40 years, carrying with them decades of hard-earned industry wisdom. Others bring fresh, innovative perspectives and a hunger to learn – a balance that gives the team both depth and dynamism.

Max Bridges, Affinity Sales Manager, who has worked at Certikin for over 29 years, explains it best: ***"Here in the Therapy Essentials Team, we see ourselves as not just Technical Sales Advisors, but as an extension of our customers' businesses. Our success depends on their success, so we ensure our knowledge is up to date, our products are fit for purpose, and we will always go the extra mile to help where we can."***

TAILORED EXPERTISE FOR EVERY CUSTOMER

The breadth of Certikin's product offering means that no two teams are quite the same. Some departments handle almost exclusively bespoke items – around 90% of their workload involves custom-built solutions designed to meet specific requirements. Others specialise in retail products, managing a much larger volume and variety of items. This mix ensures that Certikin can cater to every type of customer, whether they need a one-off tailor-made piece of equipment or fast delivery of everyday essentials.

Lead times vary accordingly. Smaller retail products, such as accessories or consumables, can often be supplied next day. Larger and more complex equipment – for example, dehumidifiers or high-spec filtration systems – may take longer. Managing these expectations and keeping customers informed throughout the process is another area where the Technical Sales Advisors excel. Their role is not only to sell, but to guide customers through every step of the journey, ensuring there are no surprises and that projects run smoothly from start to finish.

BEYOND SALES – BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS

These advisors aren't just sales people. They are problem-solvers, consultants, and trusted partners for businesses and professionals across the leisure industry. Their role extends far beyond taking an order. They work closely with suppliers and build relationships with customers that often last decades – some partnerships have lasted over 50 years. This long-term trust reinforces Certikin's reputation as a company customers can always rely on.

What makes the team so good is their ability to combine technical know-how with real-world practicality. Their backgrounds span engineering, design, construction, forensic science, and hands-on pool installation. This technical fluency allows them to cut through complexity, offering advice that's not only accurate but also directly applicable to the challenges faced by pool installers, contractors, and even private pool owners seeking professional support.

QUALIFIED, SKILLED, AND TRUSTED

One of the strengths of the team is their professional development. Over 25% of Certikin's Technical Sales Advisors hold ISPE qualifications, officially recognising them as trained technicians within the pool industry. This gives customers added reassurance that they are dealing with advisors who not only understand the products but are also accredited professionals with proven expertise.

In addition, the Pool Technical Team offers an in-house after-support system for Dolphin cleaners. Customers can send their units back directly to Certikin, where our Dolphin engineers inspect, service, and repair them. Having this service on-site provides peace of mind and a fast turnaround, ensuring minimal downtime for customers who rely on these products' day in and day out.

A TEAM THAT GOES THE EXTRA MILE

It's the combination of expertise, passion, and customer-first service that sets Certikin's Technical Sales Advisors apart. They deal with thousands of products, ranging from the smallest replacement screw to multi-thousand-pound installations that transform entire leisure facilities. Regardless of the size of the order, every enquiry is treated with the same attention to detail and care.

In today's fast-paced industry, where speed and reliability are everything, Certikin's customers know they can depend on this team. By staying up to date with the latest innovations, maintaining strong supplier relationships, and never losing sight of the human side of business, the Technical Sales Advisors ensure that Certikin remains the go-to name in wet leisure.

FAREWELL TO A CERTIKIN LEGEND!

At the end of August we said farewell to Chris Harris, who after an unbelievable 37 years' service is taking his well-deserved retirement.

His ability to retain and recite technical information, to drag old part numbers and details for spares parts from somewhere in his fantastic memory bank and present it in a to-the-point and good-humoured way, has made a Chris a firm favourite with our customers. Likewise, he has been a fantastic and well-liked colleague to many over the years, always bringing humour to the office while generously sharing his extensive product knowledge with the team.

The whole team came together to celebrate Chris' dedicated service with gifts presented by our Managing Director, Neil Stephenson.

He is definitely one of a kind and will be missed at Certikin, but we all wish him a very happy retirement spending his days with his family, and of course his tractor!

ALL THE BEST CHRIS!



PROFESSIONAL BEAUTY

Affinity – Certikin's very own brand of professional massage therapy equipment are thrilled to be attending the **Professional Beauty Exhibition in Manchester on the 28th and 29th of September!** Running alongside Aesthetic Medicine North, this is one of the most exciting events in the beauty and wellness calendar and the Education Programme is superb.

The team is looking forward to connecting with industry professionals, showcasing a selection of the Affinity product range, and sharing their passion for supporting therapists in delivering exceptional treatments. With so few furniture showrooms, it's a fantastic opportunity for people to get on and try the couches (surely you want to know what your client experiences?), discuss the innovations shaping the industry, and celebrate the future of beauty together!

WE'RE A SOCIAL BUNCH AT CERTIKIN

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APPRENTICESHIPS AT CERTIKIN

At Certikin, we value our employees highly – their success and achievements are our top priority. That's why we provide every employee with opportunities to expand their knowledge and qualifications, whether through training or apprenticeships. This not only benefits our team, but also strengthens Certikin's expertise, ensuring our customers receive the best service.

We currently have two apprentices: Josh Butler, who is completing a Level 3 qualification in Information and Communication while working as part of our IT team, and Millie Claridge, who is working toward a Level 3 in Multi-Channel Marketing. Alongside their college studies, both play an active role in daily work at Certikin.

Both Millie and Josh will complete assessments at the end of their 18-month apprenticeships. Once qualified, they'll return to Certikin as full-time employees – equipped with the skills and knowledge they've worked hard to achieve.



MILLIE

Millie, our youngest employee, joined Certikin last year at just 16, straight after leaving school. Keen to gain independence and eager to combine full-time work with further learning, she was a perfect fit for our marketing team. As

a marketing apprentice, she has

thrived, supported by a dedicated study day each week to focus on college work. Studying in-house gives her access to one-to-one support from her team whenever needed.

Millie says: "Certikin has made my college experience a complete breeze. I have the independence to get the work done, but also the reassurance that support is always there. Being the youngest in the company worried me at first, but I quickly settled in and felt the kindness of everyone at Certikin."



JOSH

Josh Butler joined Certikin as an IT apprentice after completing a college course in Digital Design and Development.

Although he didn't yet have the level of experience we required for an IT Technician role, his enthusiasm and positivity at interview convinced us he was the right fit. By

starting as an apprentice, Josh has been able to develop the skills needed while contributing to the IT team day-to-day.

Each week, he spends a full day studying at Abingdon and Witney College, while also taking on responsibilities at work. Known across the company as friendly and reliable, Josh has become a valued member of the team.

Josh says: "Working as an apprentice at Certikin has been supportive, friendly, and overall amazing."

WHY WAIT FOR THE POSTMAN?

PRICE LISTS AND BROCHURES ARE AVAILABLE TO VIEW ONLINE

View digital versions of our price lists plus copies of our latest product brochures by visiting www.certikin.co.uk. As well as being able to view the brochures online, there is also the option to download a PDF copy for offline use.



CERTIKIN'S NEW HDPE MACHINE

At Certikin, we're always looking for ways to invest in our future and improve the service we deliver to our customers. That's why we're proud to announce some exciting news from our production line: we've doubled our strength by adding a second bespoke Twin Head Maxicam CNC machine for the production of HDPE products.

This is a huge step forward. Our first machine already transformed the way we produce HDPE poolside products – but with two running side by side, our capacity, flexibility, and speed have now skyrocketed. The investment means shorter lead times, and an even greater ability to deliver bespoke solutions that perfectly meet the needs of our customers.

By doubling our machining power, we've effectively slashed lead times in

half. Smaller bespoke jobs can now be turned around more quickly, while large-scale projects can be managed without delay. For customers, that means less waiting and more confidence that their poolside products will be ready exactly when they need them.

The two machines together give us an unmatched ability to manufacture commercial HDPE poolside essentials – from grating and drainage systems to robust, multi-coloured bespoke signage. Whatever the requirement, we can now produce more, faster, and with the same precision and quality that Certikin is known for.

These machines aren't just powerful, they're intelligent. Each Twin Head Maxicam CNC machine can produce up to 80 metres per minute, all while maintaining a remarkable 0.05mm accuracy. With a 16-position automatic tool change carousel and a high-flow double pretonic

vacuum table, the machines can tackle complex jobs with complete precision. The result? Stronger HDPE products that are built to last in demanding poolside environments, where safety, durability, and appearance are all equally important.

The decision to invest in not one, but two of these machines was a big one. They come at a significant cost, but for us, the investment was essential. It reflects Certikin's ongoing commitment to innovation, efficiency, and above all, to our customers. By expanding our HDPE production line, we're making sure we can meet rising demand, keep lead times short, and continue providing the high-quality products that help our customers' pools look smart and perform brilliantly.

Two machines. Double the output. Half the wait. For us, it's an exciting leap forward – and for our customers, it's proof that Certikin is committed to staying at the cutting edge of wet leisure manufacturing.



CERTIKIN SALES EXECUTIVE DAVE BRETHERTON CONQUERS THE MONTANE LAKELAND 100

Pushing through 105 miles of rugged terrain and 22,493ft of elevation gain, Certikin Sales Executive Dave Bretherton has completed one of the UK's toughest endurance events, the Montane Lakeland 100.

The ultra-marathon, held annually in the Lake District, is renowned for its brutal conditions and high dropout rate. This year, 722 runners started the race, but only 460 crossed the finish line – a completion rate of 64%.

The course is a true test of grit. Beginning in Coniston, runners tackle steep falls, rocky descents, and endless climbs through the Lake District's most iconic landscapes. Competitors face strict cut-off times at each checkpoint, meaning it's not just about endurance, but also pace and resilience.

For Dave, it was a test of both body and mind. Starting at 6:30pm on Friday, he ran continuously through two nights, finally crossing the line around 2:30pm on Sunday after **40 hours and 12 seconds of non-stop effort.**

"An ultra-marathon is really an eating competition," Dave explained. "If you can't keep eating, you can't keep running. There are 14 food stops along the route – it's like an eat as much as you can buffet with running in between!"

Despite burning over 15,800 calories (and likely more, with his watch cutting out), he pushed through fatigue, blisters, and hallucinations. "I saw a face on every rock," he laughed. "The pain during the race was rough – I had to keep popping blisters with a razor and deal with terrible chafing – but everyone says if you just keep putting one foot in front of the other, you'll get there."



For Dave, the motivation was deeply personal. "The thought of my boys being at the finish kept me going. I didn't want them to see me quit."

The Lake District holds a special place in his running journey. Last year, Dave completed the *Lakes in a Day Ultra*, running from Caldbeck to Cartmel, covering the region north to south. The Lakeland 100 was a circular route, pushing him to new limits. His next challenge is already on the horizon: the *Lakes Traverse* in April, which spans the Lakes west to east, from St Bees to Shap.

Asked why he takes on such extreme challenges, Dave reflected: "I'm not really sure why I do it," he admitted with a smile. "For me, it's about pushing myself. I think taking the path of most resistance teaches you a lot about yourself and the drive you have."

DAVE'S DETERMINATION AND RESILIENCE ARE AN INSPIRATION NOT ONLY TO HIS FAMILY, BUT ALSO TO ALL OF US AT CERTIKIN.

Lakeland 100
25th July | 100 Miles | 6,856m Ascent
A circular loop route of the Lakes, starting and finishing in Coniston.



GLEE 2025: WHERE AQUATICS TAKE CENTRE STAGE

As the first hints of autumn arrive, so too does exhibition season – and for the garden retail industry, there's no better place to mark the occasion than Glee – Europe's most loved garden retail event.

Hosted over three days at the NEC Birmingham, the show brings together hundreds of innovative brands and thousands of buyers from across the UK and beyond. More than just a trade fair, Glee is where the garden retail community gathers to connect, discover fresh ideas, and grow together.



For our Aquatics Division, it was the perfect platform to showcase the full Bermuda range of pond and water gardening products. Alongside this, we highlighted a selection of



complementary lines from valued partners including Cepex, Valterra, AquaForte, and Griffon – demonstrating the depth and diversity of solutions we bring to the aquatics market.

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BOOST YOUR BUSINESS WITH CERTIKIN'S FREE MARKETING INITIATIVE

This is a fantastic FREE marketing service that is too good to miss...

...and there's no catches! Are you currently working on, or have you recently completed, a stand-out installation? Then, Certikin should be your first port of call.

Where a project is a fine example of your company's expert craftsmanship, and features Certikin equipment, it makes sense that we join forces and do some joint promotion.

What's involved? From your point of view, very little. Simply email Certikin's Marketing Manager, Chris Green (cgreen@certikin.co.uk) with:

1. Details of location
2. Certikin equipment used
3. Date of completion
4. Where possible, but not essential, some images (it doesn't matter if they are low resolution at this stage)

We look forward to hearing from you.

*Subject to available space in the magazine.

THE/COOL/POOL

Spectacular Pools / "Quality needs no introduction, it speaks for itself..."

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...says Steve Preece of Warwickshire-based Preece Pools. A long-term customer of Certikin and a fan of the one-stop shop approach to buying, he's a great believer that you get what you pay for. Nestled in the rolling Warwickshire countryside, this beautiful pool is a fine illustration of why Certikin is the company's supplier of choice.

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The house renovation and extension complete, the owner turned his attention to landscaping the sprawling garden. An old swimming pool had been filled in some 15 years ago but the house's new owner wanted to start afresh with a new location for a new pool.

Calling on the services of local pool installer, Preece Pools, a new site was carefully marked out but, as the plans were drawn up, the owner decided to build a new pool. The new pool was built to the highest standards and was a true masterpiece of craftsmanship.

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The rest is up to us. If we select it as one of our chosen case studies (and subject to the owner's permission), we will organise our in-house photographer to visit and arrange for photos to be taken and a case study written. All will be sent to you for your approval. The whole service, from start to finish, is **FREE OF CHARGE**.

The case study will appear in **Cool Pool***, and offered to the industry trade magazines, such as **Swimming Pool News** and **Swimming Pool Scene**, for editorial use. We can even produce a glossy point of sale flyer and provide you with a set of photos for your own use.

CERTIKIN HOSTS SUCCESSFUL INDUSTRY SEMINAR TO SHOWCASE INNOVATION AND EXPERTISE

Certikin welcomed industry professionals to its headquarters in Witney on Tuesday 22nd July for our latest one-day seminar designed to enhance knowledge and skills across the sector.

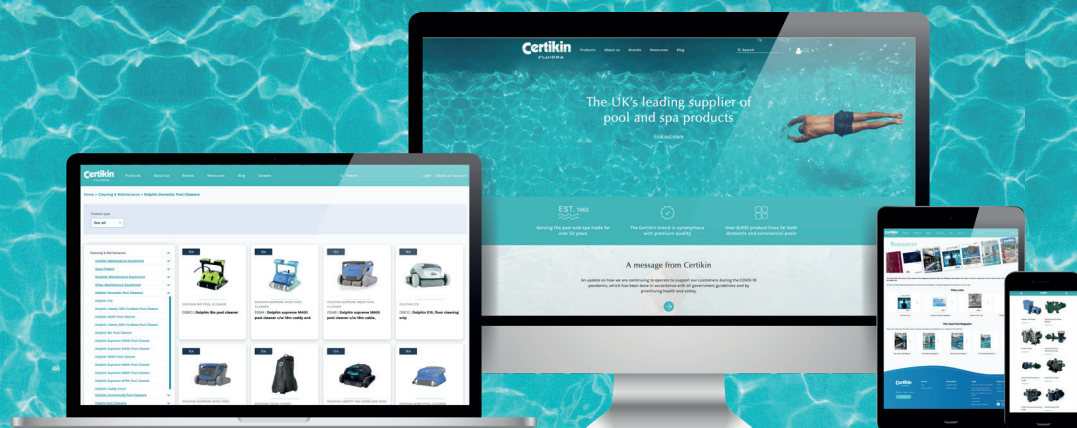
The free-to-attend event offered attendees the opportunity to hear directly from leading industry suppliers, who shared insights on some of the most innovative and market-leading products available through Certikin – the UK's number one supplier.

Delegates gained valuable first-hand knowledge on the latest developments shaping the industry, with sessions tailored to support both new and experienced professionals. In addition to technical learning, the seminar provided a chance to network with peers and suppliers in a collaborative environment. Guests were also treated to refreshments and a buffet lunch, adding to the welcoming and informative atmosphere that Certikin is known for.

Speaking after the event, organisers described the day as a great success, reinforcing Certikin's commitment to supporting its customers and driving innovation in the marketplace.

These popular seminars will continue to be held throughout next year with us already planning the first one for February 2026. Once available, information will be sent out to customers via email.





BIG SAVINGS AVAILABLE WHEN ORDERING ONLINE WITH CERTIKIN

The Certikin website has been designed with you, the customer, in mind. Whether it be ordering from our full range of products and spares, downloading technical information, or just reviewing past orders or invoices, you can do all of this and more.

ORDER ONLINE & SAVE!

To make things even easier, we have **introduced a new, simple and transparent carriage pricing structure**. Not only does this mean you will know the exact cost of your full order at the time of ordering*, but you will also benefit from **lower carriage prices** than if you were to place your order via phone or email.

OUR SIMPLIFIED LOW PRICING STARTS FROM JUST £6.95 WITH FREE DELIVERY AVAILABLE FOR ORDERS OVER £500. THESE SUPER BENEFICIAL CHARGES ARE STRICTLY ONLY APPLICABLE TO ORDERS PLACED VIA THE CERTIKIN WEBSITE.

With a fully mobile-responsive design, you can manage your account and place orders seamlessly from your smartphone or device, even when you're on the go. And while our Sales Order Processing Team is still available by phone or email, using the website is quicker, easier, and more cost-effective.

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*Please note that there are some exceptions and for these products the carriage cost will need to be calculated by one of our team. You will be notified of this before you complete your order, and the carriage will be shown on your order confirmation which you will receive shortly after your order has been placed.

Order by SKU

With this new carriage pricing model, each individual order placed online will be subject to the relevant delivery charge. Therefore, for maximum savings we recommend consolidating small orders into one large order. To assist with this, you can use the 'order by SKU' functionality which is found in the My Account area.

This works like a shopping list and means you can build your order over time, and then when you are ready to place your order, you can send all the items to your basket with one click.

This tool is also a great way to place one off orders, as you don't need to browse the catalogue - simply add the product code or name together with the quantity. If you have several items list the SKU and quantities in an Excel file and this can then be easily uploaded with a simple click.

My Invoices & My Orders

From the My Account area, you can also view and download all of your orders and invoices that you have placed with Certikin. Even if you have not placed them via the website, you will still find all your orders including those placed by phone or email in this one convenient place.

Knowledge at your fingertips

Need a brochure or manual? Then make sure our website is your first point of call where you will find all a wealth of information including brochures, manuals, and installation guides.

Support with getting started

If you have not yet registered for an online account or if you have one but are unsure how to access or make the most of the features above, please do not hesitate to get in touch with our Marketing Team via the usual number or email us at marketing@certikin.co.uk, and we will give you a personal one to one tutorial!

PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS



COMMERCIAL PUMPS

DESIGNED WITH EFFICIENCY IN MIND, THESE UNIQUE CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS OFFER QUALITY, PERFORMANCE AND RELIABILITY

All models in this range have been designed and developed primarily for the swimming pool industry.

The Certikin BPH commercial pump range (1500 rpm, 3-phase) delivers efficient, high-performance water circulation for commercial and public swimming pools. Robust cast-iron build, corrosion-resistant components, integral strainer box, and IE3 motor ensure reliability and low maintenance.

The Certikin BP commercial pump range at 3000 rpm (3-phase) delivers efficient, dependable water circulation for large swimming pools. Durable cast-iron construction, integral strainer, IP55 protection and energy-efficient IE3 motors ensure long-term reliability.

FLOLUX FITTINGS

STAINLESS STEEL FITTINGS FOR POOLS & SPAS

Certikin's range of Flolux fittings finished with polished 316 stainless steel enable architects, pool designers and builders to maintain high standards of design and construction. Innovatively designed in Australia, Flolux fittings ensure every aspect of a pool or spa is visually and functionally of the highest calibre.



DELTA

A HYBRID FRESH AIR DEHUMIDIFICATION AND VENTILATION SYSTEM

The Delta is the ultimate environmental control system with a range to suit pools of every size. Whether the pool is for your family and friends or part of a commercial venture in a club, hotel or leisure centre, you need to be sure that the pool hall structure is protected, as well as ensuring that running costs and energy usage is kept to an absolute minimum. The Delta provides all that and more!

Totally self-contained, the Delta will remove moisture and recover energy which is then re-used to heat your pool water and air. By utilising this method of heat recovery, energy costs are kept to a minimum.



FLOWVIS

YOUR SWIMMING POOL'S SPEEDOMETER!

FlowVis is a revolution in reliable flow measurement. It is the most advanced, affordable and reliable precision flow meter designed specifically for pools, spas, fountains and water features.

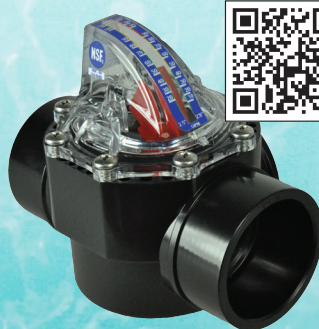
With unrivalled average accuracy and greater installation flexibility than any other brand, it's easy to see why FlowVis is the pool & spa industry's flowmeter of choice.



PLANT ROOM SHIELD

SWIMMING POOL PLANT ROOM FLOOD PROTECTION

The Certikin Plant Room Shield flood detection system is designed to isolate the circulation pump when there is a water leak in the pool plant room. It can limit potential damage to the plant room, connected buildings and the pool system, whilst also saving water.





VALETE SPAS

JOIN US ON A JOURNEY TO REJUVENATION AND RELAXATION

Crafted by Wellis, Europe's foremost spa manufacturer, and distributed by Certikin, Valette Spas epitomise the perfect blend of European craftsmanship and British excellence.

The Avon Collection is a stunning array of five hot tubs inspired by the majestic River Avon. Just like its namesake, this collection captures the essence of nature's serenity and elegance. From the entry level Alveston which offers incredible value for money to the largest hot tub in the range, the Warwick. Featuring 58 jets alongside three pumps it really is a powerhouse of a hot tub.

BARREL SAUNAS

BRING THE FINNISH TRADITION TO YOUR NEXT PROJECT

Almost Heaven Saunas have been building easy-to-assemble saunas in the Finnish tradition for over 40 years and their range of barrel saunas are now available in the UK, exclusively from Certikin.

A great addition to any home or garden, the circular design of a barrel sauna eliminates unused air space allowing them to heat up quickly and evenly, making them hugely efficient. The solid wood construction is built to last and allows the Finnish sauna

experience to be brought to any location the sauna is installed.

The range is further enhanced with the addition of the Onyx lumber upgrade giving a sleek and modern look. The exterior is made from stained Hem-Fir lumber with the benches made from a contrasting clear Hem-Fir with LED mood lighting and a black steel wall heater to complete the look.



BESGO VALVES

THE BEST AUTOMATIC BACKWASH VALVE

Manufactured in Switzerland since 1980, the Besgo 5-way valve is a pneumatic valve that automates your sand filter backwashes in a simple, efficient and safe way.

Thanks to a higher backwash speed than traditional 6-way valves, the Besgo 5-way valve guarantees superior backwash results and allows you to take full advantage of your pool by reducing the time spent on maintenance.



REIMAGINE WHAT YOUR POOL CAN DO

SAME POOL, COMPLETELY DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE.

When you add a Fastlane Pro to a swimming pool, you expand the possibilities with Hydrodrive™ current technology. Achieve the versatility of uninterrupted swimming. Enjoy gentle rehabilitation, vigorous cross-training or give the children some active playtime.

With dozens of speed settings, from near-zero to race pace, Fastlane Pro is always ready to accommodate any mood and any activity level. By easily adapting to new or existing pools, the Fastlane Pro transforms the typical pool into a multi-use experience.

EXISTING POOLS

Have a traditional pool already? No problem! The Fastlane Pro deck-mount option will attach to almost any existing pool. With fast installation,

you can reinvigorate your pool in just a few hours!

NEW POOL CONSTRUCTION

For a seamless appearance, the Fastlane Pro can be directly mounted into the pool wall. Our wall-mount option is ideal for new pool construction or pool renovation.

THE FASTEST, SMOOTHEST SWIM CURRENT OF ANY SWIMMING MACHINE

What sets the Fastlane apart from other units is that the turbulence-free water stream is wider than the swimmer's body and deeper than any swim stroke, yet it is narrow enough not to impinge on other swimmers. Unlike jetted alternatives, the Fastlane generates a wide block of crystal clear, bubble-free and completely adjustable water flow, delivering the fastest, smoothest swim current (a necessity for any serious swimmer) available in any swimming machine.



TAKE EXERCISE TO THE NEXT LEVEL WITH THE FIT@HOME APP AND PCB KIT

By installing the kit to the Fastlane unit and downloading the APP to a compatible tablet or smart phone, the user is able to fully control it remotely, allowing the pace and duration of the swim current to be set. Fit@Home also acts as a smart display allowing the user to see their swim speed and duration whilst in the pool.

Add the Endless Pools Fit@Home®
App to take workouts to the next level





AIR TO AIR HEAT RECOVERY DEHUMIDIFIERS

For maintaining optimum temperature and humidity

- Precise electronic humidity control
- Wall mounted and floor standing models
- Wall mounted models are similar in size to the original Vaporex and require minimal pipework adjustments for fitting
- Factory fitted upgraded LPHW heating coil
- Flexible dual-handed LPHW installation options
- Corrosion resistant aluminium housing and cataphoresis-painted coils
- R454C refrigerant



A REFRESH FOR SWIMFRESH!

SWIMfresh, Certikin's own brand of chemicals designed for use in swimming pools has been given a sleek, modern new look whilst retaining its key product group colouring.

Maintaining pristine water quality in a swimming pool is essential for both the longevity of the equipment and the health of its users. The comprehensive range features chlorine and bromine starter kits, plus a range of sanitisers, shock, water balance and speciality chemicals to maintain a top-quality pool.

Aimed at the more budget conscious customer, there is no compromise on

quality. The products come with the assurance that they are backed by the high standards of service and sales advice that all customers of Certikin have come to expect. Like its sister brand, SPAfresh, SWIMfresh offers an economical, non-nonsense approach offering all the chemical products required to keep pool water sanitised while providing the pool company with a compact and intelligent range.

CertiChem Sales Manager, Craig Williamson says; ***"SWIMfresh is the ideal range for maintaining a pool, by offering quality products at competitive***

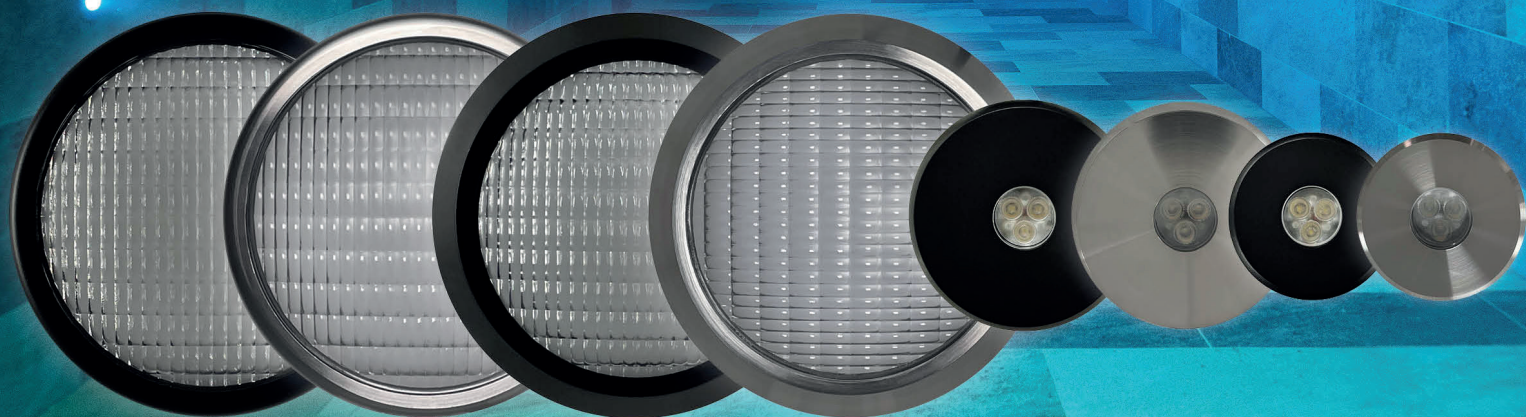
prices. From balancing pH levels to preventing scale build-up, SWIMfresh provides targeted treatments that address common water quality challenges. This all-encompassing approach ensures that pool owners can rely on a single, trusted source for their water treatment needs. This is also backed up by Certikin's service and extensive range of accessories to offer a one stop shop for maintaining a swimming pool."



Get ready for winterising with our unbeatable offers on SWIMfresh chemicals. Available for orders placed up until 30th November.

For further details contact our CertiChem Division or your Sales Executive.





CERTIKIN, THE LEADING LIGHT IN SWIMMING POOL ILLUMINATION

FOR POOL LIGHTING, YOU WILL FIND NO GREATER RANGE THAN THAT OFFERED BY THE UK'S LEADING MANUFACTURER AND DISTRIBUTOR, CERTIKIN.

Over the year's we have continued to develop an ever-expanding range which includes the successful PU2 mini LED light alongside the Certikin PU9 and PU6, the most popular and reliable lights in the industry.

We are keen to remain at the forefront of lighting design and deliver products that the industry demand. In addition to the existing stainless-steel finish, the PU2 is now available with a black fascia, ideal for pools with a darker finish. The range has also been extended further with the addition of

a variable white LED. This gives the ability to set a specific white colour temperature from a warm white of approximately 2900K to a cool white of approximately 5100K. In addition, the lights are dimmable between 100% and 5%.

Another recent addition to the range is the PU3 LED lights. These large LED push fit lights are niche-less and like the smaller PU2 range, are suitable for both concrete (177mm diameter) and liner (199mm diameter) pools and are available with either a stainless-steel or black fascia. The PU3 lights deliver approximately 2150 lumens which is brighter than the equivalent larger PU6 light and means only one light is required for 20m². For installations of the PU2 lights, we recommend one light per 8m².

Both the PU2 and PU3 lights offer simple installation solutions with a

high output and a neat finish. The concrete versions are push fit and will fit into standard 1.5" class C pipe, leaving just the stainless-steel or black fascia on display in the pool. For liner applications the light screws into a standard Certikin inlet fitting leaving an attractive, clean finish.

Certikin offer different LED options across both the PU2 and PU3 lights, with both ranges available in either RGBW or white, alongside the new variable white option for the PU2 range. The RGBW and variable white versions are controllable via a smart phone using the free app, giving control over colour, sequences and brightness.

All lights are now available to order, and for concrete pools and spas they make the ideal companion to the Flolux range of stainless-steel fittings which are also available from Certikin.

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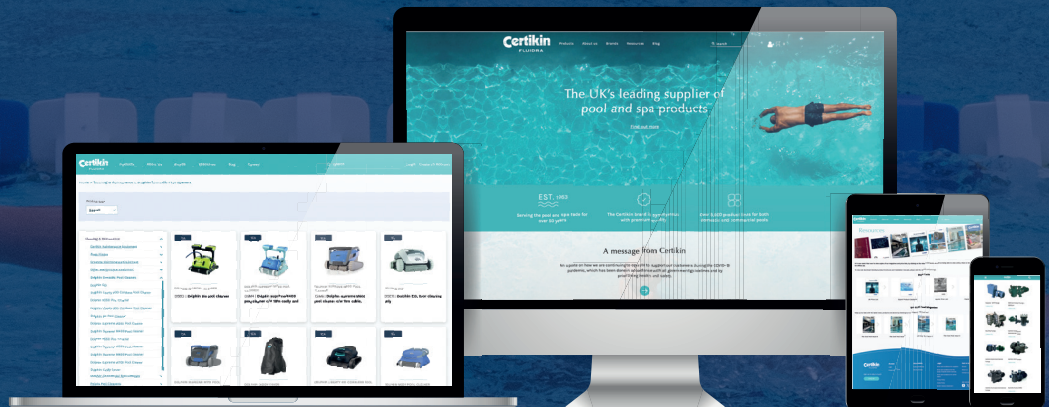
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