



metre Liftlux scissor lift. There are some noticeable names missing from the show - Demag, Kato, JLG and Grove are staying away - but the other exhibitors seem to have simply increased their presence to take up the space.

The SED innovation awards have become a feature of the show and this year's winner in the Cranes & Access Village is Genie's S-80 and S-85 Self-propelled telescopic boom. Runners up (in alphabetical order) were Liebherr - for its Mk80 mobile construction crane and Tadano Faun for its ATF 80-4 all terrain crane.

The awards were given to the most inventive new products introduced to the UK market during the past year, judged by an independent panel of industry experts, the awards are an accolade to the very best in plant, construction machinery, support products and applications. All of which will be on display at SED 2002.

A new feature at this year's SED is a Truck Zone, organised with Truck Magazine, where visitors will be able to view the very latest trucks from some of the major truck manufacturers. SED 2002 is also turning back the clock with the very first working display of antique construction machinery in the show's 36year history. As the show quickly approaches, more and more classic machines are set to appear in the line up. Hosted by Miller's Classic Plant, and in conjunction with the Antique Caterpillar Machinery Owners Club, visitors to SED are promised a trip down memory lane.

But the Cranes & Access village will be dominated by a forest of booms from the crane and access industry. To paraphrase what that famous politician once said, if you want to create some new business opportunities "get on your bike" and head for SED.

#### When?

May 14 - May 16 09.30-17.30 (16.30 on 16th)

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Where? Fen Farm, Nr Milton Keynes

What? The UK's largest construction show, featuring mobile cranes this year. Cranes & Access is the Cranes & Access village magazine

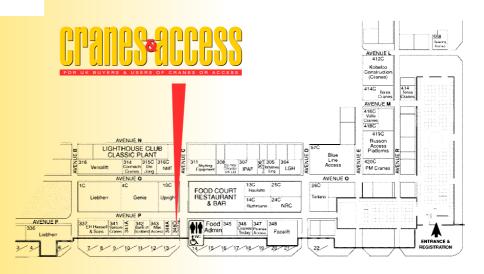
Who? Tel: 020 8652 4876 Web: www.sed.co.uk

How much? There is no admission charge, simply register on the day.

NB: No under 16's will be admitted on any day!

he UK's national construction show opens its gates on May 14 at 09.30am. You should be there if you are interested in cranes or powered access. On show will be crawler cranes, tower cranes, mobile cranes and every conceivable type of powered access equipment. Plus, as our listing shows, there is a wealth of ancillary and complementary exhibits.

Some of the tallest booms at the show, always an eye-catching display from the nearby M1, will include a 62 metre Bronto, a 72 metre Liebherr, an 85.3 metre Kobelco crawler and the 32





# **CRANES & ACCESS**

#### Aichi 57c

Truck mounted range of platforms on the Blue Line Access stand. Self-propelled units on the Manitou

#### ☐ Alimak 1

See Intervect below.

#### ☐ Altec 311

See Skyking listing.

#### ☐ Andover Trailers 138

Bespoke transportation solutions from the manufacturer of low loaders, step frames drawbars, low profile plant bodies and truck conversions. Andover works with German trailer manufacturer, Goldhofer, and will also be showing one of its products.

#### ☐ ASI 14C

See Ruthmann.

#### ☐ Bank of Scotland 311

Financial solutions for most plant purchases.

#### Basket 347

See Promax Access.

#### ☐ Blueline Access 57C

One of the most comprehensive displays of powered access equipment at the show. Dominating the stand will be a 62 metre Bronto truck mount, the S62 MDT which will be joined by the 34 metre S 34 MDT. Blue Line also represents the Aichi range of truck mounts and will show the 1 tonne capacity TZ 12A mounted on an Isuzu. Also on show will be the Euro B20 truck mount from Teupen. Trailer mounts are represented on the stand by the Dino range and the 21 metre working height 210 XT and the 26 metre 260 XT will be on show. The display is rounded out by the Grove/Delta range of Toucan articulated booms. On show are the Toucan 1210 and the Toucan 800.

#### **Bobcat Europe 181**



Telescopic handlers with lift capacities from 2.5 to 4 tonnes and lift heights from 5.6 to 17 metres.

#### ☐ Bronto 57C

See Blue Line Access.

#### **☐ Case** 214

Telescopic handlers and a full range of earthmoving equipment.

#### ☐ Caterpillar Finning 83

Telescopic handlers and a full range of earthmoving equipment.

#### ☐ CITB National Construction College 323

Visit the Construction Industry Training Board for information about subsidised training courses in the crane and access industries. Whether you want to be a tower crane operator, a banksman or a skilled operator of the world's largest truck mounted platforms, there is a course for you.

#### ☐ Cometto Industrie 417C

Trailers and semitrailers for specialist transportation applications.

#### ☐ Cormach Cranes 314

A selection of loader cranes from one of the world's best known manufacturers of large loader cranes. Cormach Cranes in the UK is part of Ernest Doe & Sons. View the new Cormach 27500E4 A5C with radio remote controls.

#### ☐ CPA 147

Only members of the CPA can use the copyright Model Conditions for the Hiring of Plant and the Hire Contract terms for Consumers. Full details of the Construction Plant-Hire Association's activities available from the stand

#### **Cranes & Access 348D**

The Cranes & Access village is associated with Cranes & Access and we distribute thousands of extra copies at SED. Cranes & Access is the UK's own magazine and reaches six times more UK readers than any international lifting magazine! Visit our stand or our website, www.Vertikal.net, for all the latest industry

#### Cranesafe 347

SMIE AC30 anti-collision and zoning system for tower cranes, remote monitoring of crane safety systems via the internet, anemometers and wind speed alarms suitable for all types of cranes and access platforms and a new range of radio linked displays that eliminate cabling problems. Also a range of aircraft warning lamps with emergency back-up power supply for tower cranes

#### ☐ Cranes UK Ltd 26C

See Tadano Faun

#### ☐ Daimler Chrysler 308

A full range of power sources for the construction industry

#### DE Jong Hoist 315C

A Dutch company which designs, manufactures and markets a full range of passenger and goods hoists for the construction industry as well as transport platforms, crane operator lifts, service and warehouse elevators.

#### Delta 57C

See Blue Line Access

### Denison Hydraulics 94 Manufacturer of Hydraulic Pumps, Motors, Valves,

Systems, and associated controls.

#### Deutz 269A

One of the world's largest engine makers, Deutz claims to have more engines in plant hire than anyone.

#### Dino 57CA

See Blue Line Access

#### ☐ E H Hassell & Sons 337

Featuring the Sennebogen 630R-HD (40 metric ton capacity) fully hydraulic telescopic crawler crane and Sennebogen 640HD (50 metric ton capacity) lattice boom crawler crane. In addition, and for the first time in the UK, there will be the launch of the new Sennebogen HPC40 (40 tonne capacity) fully hydraulic telescopic truck crane. Both the 630R-HD and the 640HD cranes will be fitted with unique 2.4 metre hydraulic infinitely variable elevating F2000

### **Getting there:**

By air: The nearest airport is Luton which is about 30 minutes from the show by taxi.

By train: Travel to Milton Keynes and take a ten minute taxi-ride from the

By car: Leave the M1 at Junction 14 and follow the signs to enter the site from the A5130.

Car parking: £4 per car, coach parking is £10 per coach.

#### Disabled parking and wheelchair access

Spaces available near both entrances for vehicles with disabled badges. Roadways on site are crushed and rolled hardcore – not topdressed and hard going for wheelchairs. Toilet facilities for disabled people.

#### **Accommodation:**

Tel: 01908 233922, quoting SED/MK or email bookings@mkhcs.com Also www.mkweb.co.uk

cabs. Lattice boom crawler cranes are available from 33 tonnes lift capacity to 160 tonnes lift capacity. Telescopic crawler cranes from 15 tonnes lift capacity to 40 tonnes lift capacity.

#### ☐ Ernest Doe & Sons 193

Cormach cranes and Next Hydraulics are represented. View the new Cormach 27500E4 A5C with radio remote controls, plus a selection of the new Maxilift crane range.

#### ☐ Facelift 348

The Moog 230x Underbridge Unit is Facelift's star offering. Gordon Leicester, managing director of Faceliff, believes the unit's 23 metre long platform makes it the largest underbridge inspection platform in Europe. Features include the ability of the operator to move the unit along the bridge while working under the bridge.

#### Fassi 345

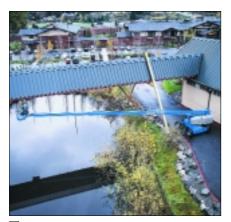
Fassi is one of Italy's largest manufacturers of loader cranes. A demonstration trailer fitted with six Fassi cranes is on show and features the F60A CXS-22, F110A-21, F150A-22, F190A-25, F250A-23 and F660A-28. These range from 6 t/m with an outreach of 7.1 metres to 66 t/m with an outreach of 20.20 metres

#### **☐** Faymonville 102

Trailers for heavy haulage from 20 tonnes to 250

#### Geda/Haki 278

Haki is official Geda distributor for the UK and Ireland. It is exhibiting the latest mast-climbing work platform with a revolutionary new deck design, also a new single mast transport platform and a specialist removals hoist as well as the standard range of scaffold/goods hoists with capacities from 150kg to 2000kg. Geda also manufacture passenger hoists up to 15 person



#### ☐ Genie 4C

Genie is introducing a wealth of new products this year. The new GS-3384RT is a rough terrain unit aimed at the construction sector. With a chassis width of 2.13 metres it fits into narrow spaces but can also lift 1,134 kg to a working height of 12.1 metres. A 7.30 metre deck and hydraulic self-levelling outriggers are standard. Also targeted at the construction sector is the GS-3268RT (9.75 metre) which is described as a reliable rough terrain scissor lift with superior grade ability and standard four-wheel drive. It is now available with self-levelling hydraulic outriggers. Also new is the S-85 telescopic boom which Genie says is the first 80-ft (25.9 metre) boom with active oscillating axle. The new narrow GS-2632 electric scissor is specially designed for indoor use where it reaches 7.92 metres working height and boasts a slim 81.3 centimetre width that fits through a standard door. Representing Genie's range of articulating booms, the Z-30/20N RJ, Z-45/25J RT and Z-60/34 will be on display together with the TMZ-34/19 trailer-mount and the AWP portable aerial work platform and SLA portable material lift.

#### ☐ Goldhofer 138

See Andover Trailers

#### ☐ Grammer Seating Systems 65 Specialist seats for all kinds of construction equipment.

☐ Grove Gate Engineering 247

Recently appointed to represent Oil & Steel in the UK. The stand features the Octopussy range of tracked machines, the Scorpion and Snake series of truck mounts and the Eagle series of high reach truck mounts with a maximum working height of 56 metres.

#### ☐ GSR 311

Truck mounted platforms - See Skyking entry.

#### ☐ Haki LTD - Geda 278

Haki Ltd of Tamworth is representing Geda-Dechentreiter of Bavaria, one of Europe's foremost manufacturers of hoists and related products. SED will be the forum for the introduction of the GEDA mastclimbing platform, MCP 750/1500, known as the 'electric scaffold'



#### ☐ Haulotte 13C

A selection of booms, scissors and mast platforms will be shown at SED. There are several UK launches, including the Optimum 8, a narrow 7.6 metre working height electric scissor lift, and the Compact 10DX, a 10.2 metre working height 4 wheel drive compact Diesel Scissor. On the Articulated Boom side, new machines being shown include the HA 12IP and the HA12PX, both with 12



metre working heights and jibs. The HA12IP is battery electric powered for Industrial applications, while the HA12PX is diesel for construction and outdoor work. Also new is the H16TPX, a 15.5 metre working height 4 wheel drive telescopic boom with jib. And finally, a sixth new model on show is the Star 10, a new 10 metre mast platform with jib, a successor to the popular HM10P. Haulotte is one of the fastest growing manufacturers of powered access equipment and is represented by its own subsidiary which it established at Telford more than a year ago.

#### Hazlewood Trailers 324

Design and manufacture of bespoke trailers to suit diverse and non standard towing requirements

#### **Health & Safety Executive 322**

Find out about issues relating to workplace transport, a major cause of fatalities within the industry, come and see the HSE visibility demonstration and collect information on WWT, various construction and general

#### ☐ Health & Safety People 36

Plant tickets and management training to satisfy MCG requirements and comply with legislation. All health and safety services to keep your business safe and your bank balance healthy.

#### ☐ Heavyparts Hydraulics 68

HHL is dedicated to the service and repair of hydraulic pumps and motors with the emphasis on piston units.

#### ☐ Hek 1

See Intervect.

#### HM Plant 139

Representing Hitachi crawler cranes. No cranes on the stand, but literature and experienced staff on hand to discuss the cranes

#### Hitachi 139

See HM Plant.

#### ☐ Igus 37

Products on the stand include Chainflex cables, Energy Chain Systems and bearings. A new catalogue covering all of the Igus Energy Chain Systems is available free of charge.

#### ☐ Imer Direct 264

Models from the popular range of Maber goods hoists will be on display, along with the new interlocking gate systems which comply with the latest CE and UK safety regulations.

#### ☐ Intervect UK 1

Intervect is launching its UK subsidiary at SED. Products in the Intervect range are from the Alimak and HEK manufacturing operations and include the supply and support of Construction Hoists – Passenger/Materials and Materials Only, Mast Climbing, Work Platforms, Transport Platforms, Permanent Industrial and Personnel Elevators and Underground Access.

#### ☐ IPAF 307

By the time SED opens its gates, the PAL card scheme introduced by IPAF will have 70,000 operators relying upon it. Anyone wanting to operate powered access equipment will be able to obtain all the necessary information about the scheme from the stand. Membership of the International Powered Access Federation is open to anyone with an interest in powered access, whether they be manufacturers, training institutions, dealers, hirers or users. IPAF offers a wide range of training courses for operators, "competent persons", and trainers. Visit the stand for information on how to get trained, how to set up an accredited training centre or for information about the latest industry rules and regulations.

#### ☐ Isis Fluid Control 96

Supplier of valves and components to the hydraulic and pneumatic industry throughout the UK and Ireland.

#### Liteco 311

Scissor lifts – See Skyking.

#### ☐ Iveco UK 259

By 2003 the entire range of Iveco Diesel engines will have been renewed in the power range from 38 to 1200 kW with a total investment of 800 Million Euro, which began with the launch of the Cursor engines. Visit the stand for an update.

#### ☐ JCB 600

A huge range of earthmoving equipment and, of course, the JCB range of telescopic handlers.



## **CRANES & ACCESS**

#### ☐ King Trailers 290

King is celebrating its 40th anniversary this year and has a number of new products at the show. These include the 4-axle MTS73 with full hydraulic steering controlled from the tractor kingpin with extra long beavertail and double folding hydraulic ramps for easy loading of plant. Also on show is the GT112 low loader with a new 100 millimetre lower neck incorporating a brand new mechanical height adjustment facility so that the need for a packer box when used with a jep dolly is eliminated.

#### ☐ Kobelco 412C

The Kobelco CKE 1800 is the successor to the 7150, of which more than 400 units have been sold worldwide. It is a crawler specially designed for European road restrictions and is easy to move, assemble and maintain. It is available with either a heavy or



light-duty boom head, giving either 180 tonne at 3.7 metres or 160 tonnes at 4 metres. Kobelco claims that the CKE 1800 is the best crane in its class and a "world-beater" when equipped with its luffing tower. With 51.8 m full luffing tower and 51.8 m luffing jib the CKE 1800 lifts 5.5 tonne at 52.0 m radius with main boom angle at 88 degrees. With  $51.8\ \mathrm{m}$ boom and 21.3 m luffing jib the CKE1800 still lifts 45.6 tonne at 10.0 m radius and 21.2 tonne at 24.0 m radius.

#### ☐ Kran & Bühne 348D

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available free from the stand

#### ☐ Liebherr 320, 336 & 1C



As usual Liebherr takes up plenty of space and all but one of the cranes on display are brand new. For the first time, SED will see a new Liebherr crawler crane. The LR 1100 is the 100 tonner, which will be rigged on main boom on plot 336. On stand 1C you will find the new 250 tonne LTM 1250-1 which, with 72 metres of boom, will be a high point of the show. The 200-tonne LTM 1200-1,  $\bar{1}055/1$  and LTM 1045/1 are the other new mobiles. Check times as you go by the stand – you might catch one of the regular demonstrations of the MK 80 – a self erecting tower crane mounted on a mobile crane carrier. It has a maximum under-hook height of 28 metres, with 42 metres radius. A scale model of the LHM 400 harbour mobile at the front of the stand represents Liebherr Great Britain's recent take over of responsibility for the full range of harbour crane sales, spares and service throughout Britain and Ireland.

#### Lifting Gear Hire 304

LGH's stand has previously been very product focussed, but this year will be "all about corporate hospitality". Bill Parkinson, chairman of LGH, also owns the Moorhouses brewery and there will be plenty of real ale for visitors to sample. There will also be a series of presentations on safe lifting practices and fault finding in equipment. A comprehensive range of chains and hoists will be displayed.

#### ☐ Lincmaster 5

Simple low cost and effective ways to stop theft of all types of equipment.

#### ☐ Liftlux Potain 419

See Russon Access.

#### ☐ LindeE Hydraulics 77

Hydraulic pumps and motors for use in both the mobile and industrial sectors

#### Linewatch 155

Promoting greater awareness of high-pressure, cross-country oil pipelines in England, Scotland and Wales. Linewatch is FREE but may save you millions!

#### ☐ Litesafe 99

Innovative lighting products utilising the latest technology in compact fluorescents and battery power. The SL range has been designed to help you conduct essential night time work without a nearby power supply

#### Logdtite 295

Special show offers will include ratchet lashings, webbing slings & shackles. The LiftinGear range of manual chain hoists and lever hoists as well as the Telecrane range of radio control systems.

#### Manitou 26

New for SED are the MLT523 Turbo, with 5 metres lift height, the MT1033 HLT with 10 metres lift height and the MRFT1635, the 16 metre lift height rotary. Ālso on the stand is a wide range of the Maniaccess range of powered access equipment including new additions to the scissor and RT boom line ups. And the Aichi range of telescopic booms. Manitou is celebrating its 30th year in the British and Irish markets.

#### Max Access 343

Official UK launch of the Brand New Falcon Spider FS 290. The Falcon Spider will pass through a standard single 0.8 x 1.98 metre doorway, but nonetheless has a double link arm of up to 6 metres length. The machine can be driven from the basket whilst folded, and set up is as simple as pushing one button in the basket.

#### **Mccauley Trailers** 563

A range of Dump Trailers, Lowloaders and the newly developed Stepframe Machinery Carrier.

#### Mercedes Benz 571

The top-of-the-range Mercedes-Benz Unimog U500 makes its UK show debut at SED 2002, completing the line-up of new look, powerful, all-terrain Unimog implement carriers. It will be exhibited along with a new U400 Unimog, and both are configured for practical, heavy-duty construction industry applications. The 3.6 metre short wheelbase U400 is fitted with a PK17000c crane with a fly jib, which will lift 250Kg at 22.8 metres. It also has a 2000Kg hydraulic winch built into the crane. All implements are radio controlled. The U400's Euro 3 engine develops 177bhp at 1600rpm with a maximum torque of 675Nm.

#### Merio UK 55

Three telehandler product launches here – the Roto 45.21 KSC, Roto 33.16 KS and Panoramic 40.  $14\ K.\ Also\ find\ integrated\ access\ platform$ attachments. Merlo SPA (Italy) is also represented at

#### ☐ Metso Minerals UK 705

The new owner of Kato Cranes, sadly not exhibiting any cranes among its range of crushing and demolition equipment.

#### ☐ Miniature Construction Company 509

Detailed replicas of most construction equipment including excavators, dozers, cranes, dumptrucks and quarrying plant.

#### ☐ Next Hydraulics 314

Represented in the UK by Ernest Doe & Sons which is showing a selection of the new Maxilift crane range.

#### ☐ NMT Plant Hire 316C

Offering visitors the chance of a bird's eye view of the 2002 event. If you've got a head for heights you'll be transported in a 10 person capacity man basket, on the jib of a 200 tonne Demag crane, 300ft (92 metres) in the air. Also a brand new 55 tonne Liebherr crane with fly jib

NRC Plant Ltd 24C
Displaying the Sumitomo SC700-5 hydraulic crawler crane - the first of its kind in Europe. Part of the 'Pax' range (meaning 'environmentally friendly'), the machine has won an 'Innovative award' at the Baucon Asia Exhibition. Packed with safety features, it also focuses particularly on operator comfort, with features like the new hydraulic braking system, to reduce operator fatigue during grab operations, and a new ultra-comfortable cab. The crane offers a boom of 55 metres, tail radius of 3.9 metres, hoist winch speed of 120 metres per minute with maximum line pull of 18 tonnes and a hydraulically elevated A frame for easy assembly and disassembly.

#### ☐ Nylacast 106

Engineered nylon components for use in the construction industry.

#### ☐ Oil & Steel 247

See Grovegate Engineering.

#### Perkins 9

Power sources for all equipment.

#### ☐ Peter Hird & Sons 416C

See Valla Cranes entry.

#### PM Cranes 420C

A selection from the PM range of cranes is available for SED visitors' inspection - including the twin linkage series of 25, 34, 41 and 68 t/m cranes. Nine lorry loaders will be displayed, centring on a PM68026 with a J1204 flyjib, radio remote control and hydraulic winch. Two cranes will be shown mounted on commercial vehicles



## **CRANES & ACCESS**

#### Priestman 293

The Access Division of Syltone UK and one of the leading manufacturers of vehicle mounted platforms in the UK is showing the TVM 13.5 telescopic platform fitted to a Land Rover Defender 130. The machine offers a 13.5metre working height and 6 metres of outreach as well as continuous slewing.

#### Promax Access 347

Promax is the sole UK representative for Basket Aerial Work Platforms. New for SED is the RQG 12, a self propelled compact tracked spider platform which, weighing in at 1450 kilograms, is easily transported. The unit is for use indoors or out, with bi-fuel, 30per cent gradeability and a 12 metre working height. Also the SEL19 Electron which has a new, userfriendly joystick control. The platform is 1.8 metres in width, with an 18 metre working height.

#### Russon Access 41

Russon Access Platforms is the UK agent for Liftlux Potain. On its stand you will be able to see the world's highest scissor lift, the SL320-30D. Other specialised products include the SL153-12E and SL205-25D, with kits for cladding and sprinkler installations fitted, as well as the TL3 100 with an extra large 5 metre bas-

#### Ruthmann 14C

A range of equipment from one of the world's leading manufacturers of truck mounted access platforms. On show is the 22 metre working height track mounted TR220 and the truck mounted TK310 which has a 31 metre working height and is mounted on a 7,5 tonne vehicle. Represented by ASI in the UK.

#### ☐ Scanlift 306

A selection of mechanical grabs and pallet forks.

#### Skyhigh 316 See Versalift.

Skyking Equipment 311



From 12.5 metre van mounted access platforms for the street lighting and local authority market, through to truck mounted telescopic units with a 28 metre working height. On show for the first time will be a new 22 metre working height machine on a 7.5 tonne chassis, which has an impressive outreach of up to 17 metre, together with examples of its 12.5 metre van mounted machine and at the higher end its 27 metre telescopic machine. Scissor lifts from Iteco and insulated aerial platforms from Altec will also be displayed.

#### ☐ Sling & Tackle 99

Lifting gear company in the Milton Keynes area.

### ☐ Spierings Kranen 558

The SK598-AT5, Spierings' hydraulic folding tower crane mounted on a mobile crane carrier will be going through its paces here. The largest model the company produces, this crane has a 103 tonne capacity and a maximum load of 8000 kg at 12.8 metres. Hook height with a horizontal job is either 24 or 30 metres. Speirings has built 285 cranes since starting up 40 years ago, producing 53 last year alone.

#### ☐ Sterling Hydraulics 49

Hydraulic cartridge valves and systems.

#### Superwinch 560

Superwinch USA manufactures 12/24v electric winches from 454kg to 4,082kg capacity; Superwinch UK manufactures electric, mechanical and hydraulic winches from 3,636kg to 13,636kg capacity.

### Syltone 293 See Priestman.

#### ☐ Tadano Faun 26C



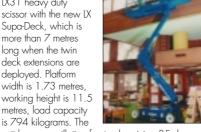
Cranes UK Ltd., the UK distributor for Tadano Faun, has sold six Tadano Faun units since being appointed in January. It will show four mobile cranes. Models ATF45-3 and ATF80-4 are making their debut appearance, alongside two ATF60-4's. The 80 tonne ATF80-4 is seen for the first time with the "Cockpit" which is a fully tiltable operator station for ease of control in elevated operations. It was first offered on the ATF230-6 and has so far proved a success for the manufacturer.

#### ☐ Terex Cranes 414C

A large display of cranes including the two axle  $\operatorname{ATT}$ 400/3 with 35 tonne lift capacity, and the three axle Terex PPM ATT 600/2 a 50 tonne lift capacity crane. Terex describes PPM cranes as "simple in design, cost effective with class leading lifting capacity's and reliability". Also on display will be the Terex Franna model UC 10 Lift and Carry Crane. Built in Australia the UK holds no surprises for these agile 10 tonne capacity

#### Teupen 57C See Blue Line Access.

Upright 10C Star exhibit will be the LX31 heavy duty scissor with the new LX Supa-Deck, which is more than 7 metres long when the twin deck extensions are deployed. Platform width is 1.73 metres,



unit has an oscillating front axle, giving 35 degree gradeability. The new European version of the SL20 compact Sigma will also be on display. It is built to metric specifications which should allow better customer service for UK and European customers. Booms from the SB telescopic, AB articulated and MB vertical mast ranges will be displayed along with the new Zip-up Span 500 Ladderframe and Zippy folding workstations

#### **☐ Valla Cranes** 416C

A range of innovative electric and diesel powered cranes. On show are the models VK2DE with 2 tonne capacity, VK75E with 7.5 tonnes capacity and the 1725-22E, with a 10 tonne capacity.

#### ☐ Vanson Cranes 341

Vanson is promoting the new VCT25, a self erecting tower, with twin axle 'fast tow' system with fifth wheel coupling. It competes with truck mounted mobile cranes. Vanson is the UK agent for Raimondi and, as such, will have the MR183, Raimondi's largest tower crane, on its stand. A new cab, semi circular to promote good visibility and an ergonomic operating environment, will be part of the attraction, along with glass covers to the electrical panels, to allow visitors to peer inside.

#### ☐ Versalift 316



The new VLR 1 30T is the first of a range of platforms fitted on Landrovers to be marketed through Landrover Special Vehicles, a significant move into the access industry. Also on the stand the new LT62NE 21 telescopic platform will be mounted on a Mercedes Sprinter. This is the first right hand drive UK specification demonstrator of this 21 metre, lightweight platform. Several others on display include a Skyhigh demountable on a Multicar and the Eurotel ET36NF with 180 degree fly boom on a Ford Transit.

#### ☐ Vertikal.net 348D

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#### ☐ **ZF** 93

Driveline specialist, ZF Great Britain Limited, is displaying a selection of transmissions, axles and control systems for a wide range of off-road machinery. On show for the first time at SED is the ZF-AS Tronic automatic transmission ideally suited to large mobile cranes. This automated layshaft transmission complete with the ZF Intarder, secondary braking system, offers new levels of control, efficiency and economy for road going, off-road vehicles.