4–5 No union, no protection
Organised workplaces are safer workplaces – fact. *Hazards* explores the lifesaving "union safety effect."

6–7 The safety squad
The Construction Confederation thought it was on safe ground when it set out to block the TUC’s Worker Safety Adviser (WSAs) scheme. As the first WSAs take up their "revolutionary" roving role, TUC’s Owen Tudor explains how badly the industry body got it wrong.

8–9 Corporate crime

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14–15 Building solidarity
A union-backed institute in Asia is seeking to make occupational health and safety a major union organising issue. A *Hazards* photofile looks at its work with Nepal’s construction unions.

Centrepages: Get a life!

Yeah, you’ve dealt with the chemicals, you are waist deep in risk assessments and the health and safety committee is tackling everything from soft loo rolls to hard hats. And you still feel like a zombie. The *Hazards* factsheet says it is time to use your unions to get a life.

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25 Asbestos round-up
Quickie fix on asbestos compo. Asbestos victims still lose out. Insurer to prosper despite asbestos claims. White asbestos remains a threat. ABI picks up £1 m asbestos tab.

27 International Workers’ Memorial Day
28 April is International Workers’ Memorial Day – the day trade unionists pledge to “Remember the dead, and fight like hell for the living.” Pin up the *Hazards* poster at work.

28–29 Resources
Trade union publications, web resources and forthcoming events.