



Grand-d-agde - South France - Challenge

Project Brief (or was it Challenge)

Arrive in France Blind - Survey the site and rebuild a above ground pool, fence and small staircase in 3days with small hand tools a £30 chop saw.

Project Details

A challenge, bet, dare whatever you call it it was good, Once we got all the 'pistol drills' through the customs declaration section!

Sprout were invited to France to look at the design of a jeet within the curtilage of this property on the banks of the Mediterranean, and whilst out there bet you can't build an above grounds swimming pool!

One Carpenters one labourer and a Surveyor (the surveyor was representing the architectural practice we don't normally let them out the office) but he did come in handy when we found the sub-base was running sand!

Main problem though The South of France is not the best place for securing various section size timber its big and its bigger! Its big because the Termites are common in the *South of France and they love wood.*

We did it we even built a free draining planter with the off cuts let from the decking. but only had time to get a splash of water in the pool before we had to leave for the flight.

I'm informed that the termites haven't eaten it yet!

Project Facts & Figures

Budget: € 2100 inc 5 return flights
Timescale: 3 days
Overspend: Don't Know wouldn't say

Clients Comments:

.....Très bien Gents..... What a trip! It was like Auf Wiedersehen on Speed.....hope you enjoyed the other side of the work time..... Lee