



BEFORE



AFTER

Southern Tree Services provide specialist tree care and all work is carried out in accordance with BS 3998 standards. Our professional training came from Merrist Wood College in Surrey, UK as well as local industry training companies in Cork. Our team are all fully qualified, bringing experience and best practice methods from Australia, USA and UK. Our reputation has grown on the back of excellent work, carried out with a professional approach in all areas.

- We have a permanent office and address.
- We respond to calls promptly.
- We always provide free written quotations for all our work.
- We are a fully tax compliant, VAT registered business.
- We carry out work to the highest standard to comply with British Standards BS3998.
- All our staff are qualified and skilled to industry best practice.
- We have public & employers liability insurance to €13.5 million euro.
- Areas we cover include:
 - **Cork city & suburbs**
 - **All of Cork county**
 - **Kerry, Limerick, Waterford and South Tipperary.**



WHAT WE DO!

- DANGEROUS TREES
- FORMATIVE PRUNING
- HEDGE TRIMMING
- PLANTING & REJUVENATION
- 24 HOUR EMERGENCY CARE
- STUMP GRINDING

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“Conserving our trees for future generations”



DANGEROUS TREES

We love and appreciate big mature trees. However all too often trees are not maintained properly resulting in dangerous situations. We can enjoy living side by side with these green giants if we reduce the risk. This is done by reducing the height and spread of the tree canopy, thus reducing the amount of wind resistance or 'sail' area of the tree itself. This is usually carried out for trees which are growing too large for their position or may have biomechanical structural faults. We also identify and remove dead or unstable branches.

REMOVING YOUR TREES SAFELY

Southern Tree Services specialise in the efficient and safe removal of trees. We are experts when it comes to removing trees in confined spaces.

HEDGE TRIMMING

Although hedge trimming is usually carried out by gardeners, we have an extensive client list for this service. We can trim small hedges and shrubs to a neat and natural shape or we can also cut larger overgrown hedges such as a row of conifers to a manageable height.



FORMATIVE PRUNING



Each tree is examined individually in relation to size, shape, age, condition, site and species. All pruning is carried out with care and respect for the tree by qualified arborists only. Each branch is removed using the ABC cut method ensuring the branch collar remains intact. Any large limbs are removed using ropes and slings. Controlled lowering of all material is an integral feature of our work.

Formative pruning may also include 'crown lifting'. This involves the removal of lower branches to achieve a required height clearance from ground level to the first branch. This is useful when it comes to obstructions to footpaths, lawns, roads, rooftops and buildings.

WHY HAVE YOUR TREES CHECKED?

It's so important to have your trees checked regularly to ensure its growing healthily and it's not posing a risk to you!

PLANTING & REJUVENATION

If you would like professional advise for tree planting then you are in safe hands with the Southern Tree Services team. With our expert knowledge, we'll be happy to advise on preferred site and species to enhance your property. We can take care of the whole process for you from site preparation to after care.

STUMP GRINDING

Stump grinding involves the removal of a tree stump to a specified depth, usually approx 250mm. Once the stump and lateral roots are ground out we backfill with either soil or grinding waste to leave a tidy level area.

24 HOUR EMERGENCY CARE

We all live in close proximity to trees and it's what makes Ireland such a beautiful country. However, it's for this reason that we need tree care experts. Not all trees are maintained and when bad weather occurs, trees can cause severe damage to their surroundings.

