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#### October News from P&R

Did you know that P&R offer up to a 10 year warranty on tools made and moulded at their premises in Oldham? That's got to be peace of mind.



Patterson & Rothwell has been 'Believing and Achieving' this summer, adding new machines to the fleet; achieving breakthrough PET developments and shooting with Scholes in support of charity.

Read on to learn more...

#### **Krauss Joins The Fleet**

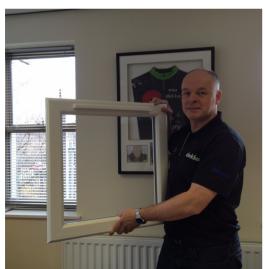
We took delivery of a new Krauss Maffei 900T Injection Mould Machine recently. Having undertaken trials from the major manufacturers we chose the Krauss based on its performance, efficiency, ease of use and the after sales support provided by Krauss.

This 900t concludes a recent 15 machine addition to our fleet and brings the total number of injection mould presses to 68. This was part of a €2.5 million spend that has taken place throughout 2015.

We are delighted to now offer you greater variety and capacity when meeting your moulding needs.



## **Easy Vent Endorsed**



The Easy Vent that was launched last year has proved very popular in the market place and exceeded our initial sales forecasts. Our customers are delighted, endorsing its high performance with testimonials like this one, from **Dekko Window's Sales Director**, **Kurt Greatrex**.

"The Easy Vent is extremely simple to fit and operate, and is made from the highest UV-resistant material delivering complete peace of mind and is available to us in a vast range of colour combinations"

For more information on the Easy Vent please contact

Dave Bowden at <a href="mailto:daveb@patterson-rothwell.co.uk">daveb@patterson-rothwell.co.uk</a>

#### **Garden Pots Galore**

Our range of plant pots has increased this Summer due to the hard work of our stockists (and in spite of the rain!). This is set to continue into 2016, with the addition of a new planter range that we are very excited about. More information about the new range is available via Richard James. You can drop him an email <a href="here">here</a>.



## In The News - P&R's Dessert Pot Breakthrough



Plastic and Rubber Weekly - the industry's leading editorial magazine - <u>reported on our success</u> <u>in July</u> with moulding thin wall dessert pots in PET.

'So what?' you say? Well, PET is very difficult to process into a tool where the surface walls are thin. The polymer wants to freeze off as soon as it hits the tool face.

The push to move the pots to PET came from the leading supermarkets as PET is a very repressible material and is looked on most favourably by the food industry. It's also strong and clear, and is perfect for showing off edible creations.

Many months of testing with material suppliers, machine suppliers and tooling modifications finally resulted in success!

Achieving PET dessert pots opens up all kinds of possibilities for us and our clients. Already we've had enquiries from dessert producers in Europe and are looking forward to serving more clients as a result of this fantastic breakthrough.



# **Shooting with Scholes at the Alex Williams All Stars Charity Football Match**



We were offered the opportunity by long standing customer Decra-Led, to be main sponsor of the Alex Williams All Stars vs. Manchester City Old Boys Charity Football Match - and we didn't have to be asked twice!

As main sponsors our logo was featured on the warm up t-shirts as you can see from the picture of Paul Scholes who was superb on the day.

It was a fantastic cause with an incredible turnout for Alex, whose motto was "Believe and Achieve". For more about Alex and to read a write up about the match please <u>click here</u>.

### The Results are IN for P&R's Annual Endurance Kart Race



P&R's annual four hour Endurance Kart Race took place on a gloriously sunny Saturday 19th September at the fantastic Whilton Mill Circuit near Daventry.

There was some great close racing with many teams just separated by seconds at the end of a long four hour race.

For the second year in a row **Team Southco** took the spoils in Class A and **System 3** took a popular victory in Class B on account of the number of years they have been trying to do so.

The Pole Position Lap was won by Southco's **Neil Orwin** and The Fastest Lap was won by P&R's **Dave Bowden**.

The Fastest Lap Sweepstake was won by Mila's Chris Harding.

For a real feel of the day, you can watch our fantastic footage from the field <u>here</u>.

The 10th September 2016 is the provisional date that has been reserved for next year. Get in touch with <u>Dave</u> if you'd like to join in!











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