

# Cumberland Packaging Ltd MANUFACTURERS OF CORRUGATED PACKAGING





#### The festive holidays are coming...

However, Team Cumberland Packaging can't relax and reach for the Christmas crackers, mince pies and mulled wine just yet. We're all channelling our inner Superman to meet our customers' seasonal peak in packaging demand while we can (we certainly won't be able to wear these unforgiving uniforms after Christmas dinner!)

There's a just over a fortnight left before we shut down over the festive period; beginning on the evening of Friday 22nd December 2023 and running until the morning of Tuesday 2nd January 2024.

With December being a shortened working month, we would appreciate early receipt of any orders for the first two weeks of January as this would allow us to plan production as efficiently as possible.

In the meantime, one of the real joys this coming holiday season is the opportunity thank you for your business this year and to wish you a peaceful break with your loved ones.

#### John Watson, Managing Director



#### Welcome to Martin, our new Production Manager

I'm delighted to welcome our new Production Manager Martin Shields to the Cumberland Packaging Team. Happily, he exudes sagely competence, warmth and a can-do attitude that is an immediate asset to the business.

Martin has a wealth of experience in operations management. He joins us from Desch-Plant Pak (a manufacturer of recycled plastics), where is was Operations Director for six years. Before that he was at Talon Manufacturing (they make plumbing equipment), where he was Operations Director for seven years.

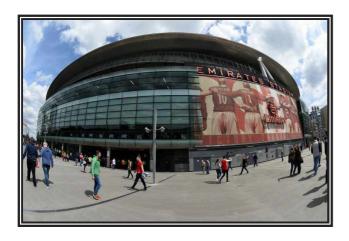
As well as being a sterling operations leader, Martin is a fully paid up member of the human race. He's celebrating his 30th wedding anniversary with Karen this year; they have three sons (Joseph 21, Henry 23 and Martin 25). He pays regular homage to the grounds of his beloved Chelsea and Southend football clubs. Indeed, his love for football extends to running youth football

teams; he was chairman of Rayleigh F.C. (Britain's biggest youth football team) for 18 years.



#### Packaging waste report

As we approach the year end and consider the administrative requirements of the Packaging Waste Regulations, you may wish to avail yourself of our packaging weight report, which summarises our deliveries to you and is available free upon request.



#### Invitation to join us at The Arsenal

We appreciate that time is precious – so why not combine work with a weekend afternoon or a weekday evening by meeting us to discuss your packaging requirements whilst joining us for a metaphorical 'pie and a pint' during a football game in our Executive Box at the Emirates Stadium?

Please drop a line to John care of <a href="mailto:jwatson@cpholdings.co.uk">jwatson@cpholdings.co.uk</a> to kick off your booking.



#### **Entertainment corner**

In the spirit of the festive season, we will delight in sending a complimentary bottle of champagne to the first reader to successfully complete the word search below.

Please be quick...before Santa polishes off the good stuff and subsequently struggles to attend to his responsibilities in preparing for the big day.



## **Cumberland Packaging**







#### Promoting best practice:

- We are certified for BRC/IOP as well as Ethical Trading.
- We passed our FSC audit in January 2017.
- We're also a member of the Sheet Plant Association.

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