

SWANLINE INCREASES CAPACITY



SWANLINE'S THIEME 50602 COLOUR MACHINE

Swanline Print, the UK-based confidential trade supplier of specialist printed packaging and point-of-purchase displays, has increased its screen print capacity with the purchase of a Thiem 5060 two colour machine and a Thiem 5000 one colour machine.

The Thiem 5060, already installed in Swanline's new 15,500 sq ft dedicated screen print unit, will provide support for the existing three SIAS machines. The two colour machine will be able to handle sheet

sizes up to 1700 x 2200mm and will provide a good fit with Swanline's Nuri SOL 2517 large format die-cutter, which was installed in August 2009.

Of the investments, Swanline's Nick Kirby said, "We continue in our drive to provide our customers with improved service and enhanced quality. The investment in our screen operation should send a clear message to those businesses that deal with us regularly, that we will always seek ways to improve our overall capabilities to their benefit."

DOUBLE FEEDER INSTALLATION

Karyn Love, Marketing Manager for Italian machinery manufacturer Revicart confirms a recent sales success. Fag Artigrafiche SpA of Dogliani (CN), Italy has recently taken delivery of a new Revicart Twinbox double feeder. This double feeder unit works on rails so that it can be used on multiple folder gluers on site.

ANILOX ROLL INVESTMENT

In order to support continued growth in high end flexible packaging and narrow web markets, Pamarco Global Graphics will be installing a new ALE multi-beam 500 W solid state laser at their Warrington, England anilox manufacturing plant during the first quarter of 2010. It will also be adding a complete clean room facility.

FENCOR IS THE NEW NAME

East Anglia, UK-based packaging manufacturers, Manor Packaging, ACH Corrugated and Lee Packaging, together with their integrated design service, Lee Creative, have recently rebranded their group as Fencor Packaging. The group currently operates as a complementary combination of four manufacturing sites, supporting each other with specific operational strengths and producing a broad range of corrugated boxes, point-of-sale displays, printed packaging and pallet boxes.

Fencor Packaging's David Orr said, "The creation of the group brand will give the group much needed direction and a call to action. We have a solid reputation and we are well

resourced allowing us to operate on a different level to other sheet plants. Not only can we provide full design capabilities for every type of packaging imaginable, we can assure our customers of high levels of service consistency in their dealings with us."

The recent re-branding exercise has included fresh logos across the group and a new website. The site gives a defined visibility to the group's capabilities and should, believes Mr Orr, make a good impression on both regular visitors and those new to the group. The brand creation follows the successful merger of March based Brimur Packaging with its sister company, Manor Packaging in October 2009.



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certification after a detailed audit of its operations performed by the DNV (Det Norske Veritas).

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