

## WIPSA ne

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Upcoming events



### Welcome new members



Mpumelelo Ntantiso has been confirmed as our latest member to the region. He is also a returning student, currently working with Twinsaver as their group packaging specialist.

Welcome Mpumi – we will look out for you at the next event!

Janet Campbell has joined the Western Cape IPSA team in response to our call for a graphic designer to join the volunteer brigade. Janet is a past CUM Laude and top student



of the One Year Diploma course as well as a Student Gold Pack silver award winner! She currently works with PFX as artwork co-coordinator. We are lucky to have her and look forward to taking the region forward with her talent and insight!

# Build our Network and you could WIN an



voucher worth R5 000



Introduce a colleague or friend



Congratulations

The Student Goldpack awards were held on 3rd October at the Barnyard Theatre in Rivonia, Johannesburg. Four of our students were in the running. We congratulate Angela Deary, Mishkah Sammie, Franceska Mortimer and Diana du Plessis on representing us in the different categories. Angela and Franceska both received Judges special mention for an Eco-Superior and Novel Concept respectively.





Franceska Mortimer Finalist: Project 3 Light Fantasies







OYD PRACTICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Mishkah Samie Finalist: Project 1 Stacks of Yum Potato Snack Diana Du Plessis Finalist: Project 2 Dream Vanilla Flavoured Custard





Congratulations to the OYD class of 2019, with an 80% pass rate, half of which passed cum laude, and a year mark average of 73% we have had an exceptional year. Well done to you all.

The students acheiving highest honours this year are: Simphiwe Mzuzu, Franceska Mortimer, Emmanuel Welgemoed, Nombeko Ketelo, Angela Deary and Diana du Plessis.

We are very proud of their acheivement.



We look forward to celebrating these results with the class at the AGM in February.

2020 Courses on offer

**THE ONE YEAR DIPLOMA** is a widely recognised and respected course which covers a wide spectrum of packaging related subjects in weekly lectures over a period of nine months.

The course is attended by those engaged in the production, purchasing, quality control and marketing disciplines so as to gain a wider understanding of the packaging requirement facets of their functions.

The diploma qualification is accredited by the World Packaging Organisation, the Packaging Society (UK), and the Australian Institute of Packaging. The syllabus is based upon IPSA's own publication "A Handbook of Packaging Technology" and both this textbook and the course itself have established an excellent reputation, locally and internationally.

The cost of the 2020 course will be R 19 790 inclusive of Vat. To sign up complete the registration form online at www.ipsa.org.za and return it to Ingrid (EducationWC@ipsa.org.za). Alternatively contact Ingrid for more details.

#### THE OVERVIEW OF PACKAGING TECHNOLOGY

course offers a basic level packaging education to employees who have little or no technical background or packaging knowledge. It is also an excellent introductory course to the OYD should the student be contemplating a career in packaging. This 9-week course is held every few months as required. If you are interested, please contact Ingrid on EducationWC@ipsa.org.za for more information.

#### THE ADVANCED PACKAGING DIPLOMA

will be held in Cape Town in 2020.

This course is aimed at packaging professionals preparing themselves for management level career opportunities. The content is developed to give candidates a better understanding of Supply Chain management with lectures delivered by subject matter experts.

If you are interested, please contact Ingrid on EducationWC@ipsa.org.za for more information.



Equip your packaging team with the skills they need



### **Certified Packaging Professional (CPP)**

The highest designation for a packaging professional.



## Advanced Packaging Diploma in Packaging Technology

In-depth study for packaging managers



## One Year Diploma in Packaging Technology

Complete insight for packaging professionals



### Overview of Packaging Technology Short Course

A basic understanding of the world of packaging







# Congratulations

#### WESTERN CAPE WINNERS

#### **SHAVE AND GIBSON WINS THE IPSA GOLD PACK TROPHY 2019**





Brand Owner: Fairview Wine Estate GOLD MEDAL WINNERS OF

Alcoholic Beverage Packaging and

Substrate Excellence Awards: Best in Paper Packaging

#### **MARS AND MPACT**

**Mars Royco Conversion to Corrugated Automation** 

**Brand Owner: Mars** 

GOLD MEDAL WINNERS OF Transit and Secondary Packaging







#### NAMPAK R&D AND UNILEVER

**Brut 120ml Aluminium Aerosol Deodorant** 

Brand Owner: Unilever

GOLD MEDAL WINNERS OF

Substrate Excellence Awards: Best in Metal



#### **CONSOL GLASS**

The Royal Rhino

Brand Owner: Nature's Own Beverages

GOLD MEDAL WINNERS OF

Alcoholic Beverage Packaging and

Substrate Excellence Awards: Best in Glass



Link for a full report on Gold Pack Awards 2019:

Members visit

### **INTERNATIONAL TUBE TECHNOLOGIES - 8 October 2019**

Cores and tubes are an essential product, often overlooked because of its seemingly minor role, but widely used in the packaging, printing, textiles and allied industries. As well as seeing first hand the making of tubes, our 'packaging' discussions covered a lot of useful ground ....paper technology, tube production, economics through to environmental considerations.

A really worthwhile time for members and IPSA students. Our thanks to IPSA honorary member and MD, Colin Meder, for taking us on.

JOHN BYETT

A tube, fed by a number of paper plies, is the essence of tube formation.

These plies are glued together in a continuous tube which is then cut to length. Tubes are oven dried to reduce the moisture content and give dimensional stability.

Finished tubes are made to precise dimensions so as to fit and perform on high speed winding and unwinding lines. (Photographs are not from ITT)

Association of South
Africa is an industry body
representing the organic
waste recycling industry.
Our mission is to promote
and expand the organics
recycling market, support
our members and
champion the recycling of
all organics through
different mechanisms in
South Africa.



#### Why recycle organic material?

#### Neglected waste stream

Organic material does not belong in a landfill, it belongs in a continuous cycle of growth and decay with all its nutrients being reused as nature intended.

#### How to make recycling work?

#### Source separation

Comprehensive recycling, where all waste streams are recycled, can only be achieved with separation at the source. In this way the quality of the waste streams and their value can be preserved.

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### **Pack Fact: Happy Holidays!**

With the festive season on the horizon, here's some Christmas packaging facts to wrap up the year.

In 1917, a stationery store owned by two brothers in Kansas City, Missouri, were having an exceptionally good holiday season - so good, in fact, that they ran out of their standard inventory of tissue paper. Not wanting to be hampered by their success, they substituted with envelope lining paper. Customers loved it. By 1919, having confirmed that the lining sheets were a success, the pair began producing and selling their own printed paper - decorative and designed for the sole purpose of wrapping gifts. An industry was born.

The brothers were Joyce and Rollie Hall. Their store? Hallmark.

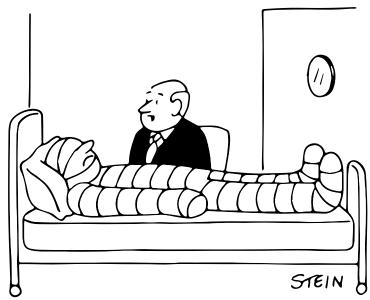
Today, consumers in the UK will use 365,3km of Christmas wrapping paper each year. All of this wrapping paper creates an estimated need for 40 million rolls of sticky tape! It is estimated that \$2.6 billion is spent on wrapping paper annually in the US. Wrapping paper is fun and pretty but it creates 4 million tons of trash each year in the States alone.

Most wrapping paper cannot be recycled because of it's thin structure, presence of less quality fibres, dyeing, presence of tape on it or made with laminates and other decorations.

If you don't go wrap-free, buy unbleached paper, as high quality and free of glitter penguins as you can.

Encourage careful opening and remember to reduce, reuse, recycle and recover where possible.

# Things to note ....



"From a packaging point of view, you look just fine."

