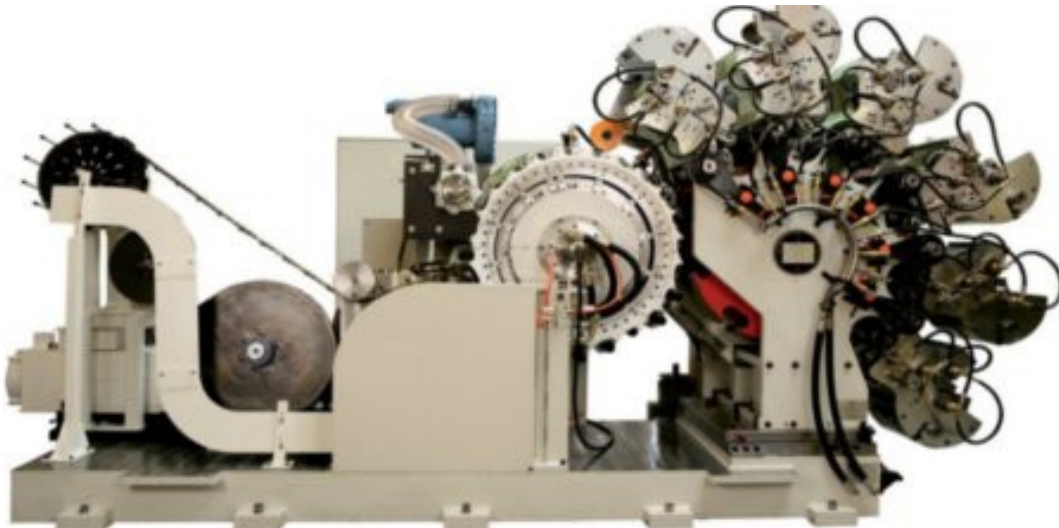




Keighley Association of Engineers

Visit to CarnaudMetalbox Engineering

Thursday 29th November 2012 (7.30pm start)



An opportunity has arisen for the Keighley Association of Engineers to again visit CarnaudMetalbox Engineering based in Shipley, West Yorkshire.

CarnaudMetalbox Engineering forms the Engineering Division of Crown Packaging and is a world leader in the design and manufacture of high-speed can making machinery.

During the associations last visit back in 2009 we were fortunate enough to see CarnaudMetalbox's newly developed Die Necking machine. A machine capable of producing necked drinks cans at a speed of 3400 cans per minute and which later went on to win the organisation a coveted Queen's Award for Industry.

Since our last visit CarnaudMetalbox has developed a can-decorating machine named the Sovereign Decorator, which along with Die Neckers, Bodymakers and other products will be available for those attending the visit to see being built.

Capable of decorating cans with up to 8 colours at speeds from 1200 to 2200 cans per minute and designed with speed, precision and reliability in mind, the Sovereign Decorator incorporates many improvements over existing technology and uses advanced features to bring a new level of performance to the industry.

Designers, project engineers and production staff will be on hand to explain some of the technology incorporated in this impressive machine during what promises to be a very interesting visit.



Paul Higson – Syllabus Secretary

For those not familiar with CarnaudMetalbox Engineering's location their postal address is below however those using SATNAV are advised to use the Street name of 'Dockfield Road' and not the postcode.

Once on Dockfield Road follow the road as far as possible, the entrance to the site being immediately beyond the railway bridge (adjacent to the canal).

CarnaudMetalbox Engineering
Dockfield Road
Shipley
West Yorkshire
BD17 7AY

Why not visit the Keighley Association of Engineers website for details of future events.

www.keighleyassociationofengineers.com

