May 2021



This month – and every month – we take the time to honor and remember the members of the U.S. military who made the ultimate sacrifice to protect our country. We also extend our thanks to all veterans and active duty members of our armed forces.

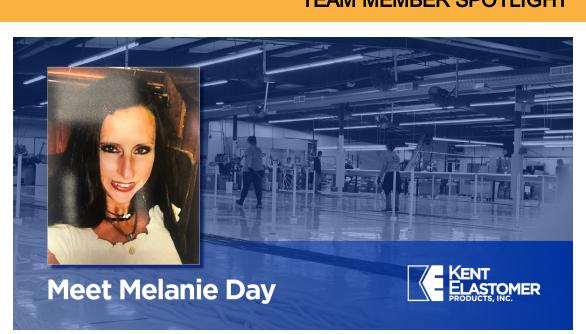
SERVICE YOU CAN SEE



Greg Graham, KEP Director of Extrusion Operations, is ALL about the details. From answering capability questions to walking customers through the manufacturing process – Greg dives into the details to determine the most efficient and time-and-money saving solutions for our customers. Greg loves helping KEP customers overcome challenges.

<u>Learn more in our Leader Views Blog ></u>

TEAM MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Melanie Day has been a team member at KEP for the long haul! Melanie first worked on the strip line at our Winesburg facility from 1991-2004. She then returned to KEP in 2019 and has been a line coach at Winesburg since. Melanie's daily contributions to our strip line are very appreciated – you can always find her helping others achieve their goals and she makes it a point to build solid relationships with all of our team members.

Read more about Melanie in our Leader Views Blog >

TESTIMONIAL



"After our original producer went out of business, we discovered that KEP would be a good fit for us as a component supplier and for product assembly. From a Supply Chain standpoint, KEP's impact has led to a more stable and consistent supply."

- Dan J., Procurement Manager, Food & Beverage Industry

ANNIVERSARIES



As we all celebrate spring this month, don't forget to also celebrate our team members with anniversaries! Out of this group, we would like to highlight Dorothy Stein, an assembler at our Winesburg facility who rounded out an impressive 42 years with KEP. Fun fact: Dorothy's average annual assembly output is over one million pieces! We also would like to call out Gary Denning, a tender at our Kent facility, who is now up to 21 years on the team. Please join us in celebrating the following KEP team members:

Dorothy Stein – Winesburg – 42 years on 5/14

Gary Denning – Kent – 21 years on 5/22

Candas Riffle – Winesburg – 4 years on 5/1

Joseph Williamson – Kent – 4 years on 5/30

Bobbie Cupples – Winesburg – 3 years on 5/2

Daniel Lovejoy – Mogadore – 1 years on 5/4

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