



Just some of the new members of staff at Newbury Electronics\*

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Newbury Electronics, a leader in the design and production of PCBs and innovative electronic design, ended one of its most successful years with an increased work force and with still more opportunities for employment in 2015. With 19 new members of staff, in a variety of roles, having joined the company in the past year, the company's work force now totals 73 and is a reflection of the company's continuing growth and development.

Philip King, managing director, said; "2014 was an exciting year for Newbury Electronics and we look forward to carrying this energy and excitement into 2015. In addition to the growing work force we have been able to make significant investments in our premises and a number of major pieces of manufacturing equipment that ensures our production capabilities are of the highest quality and efficiency."

He continued; " Many of the new staff members are young and live locally. Working for us is a change of direction for them. They are all eager to learn and apply new skills where the results of their hard work are clear to see. We do not shift boxes or stack shelves here. Everything we make has to be right. There is no hiding place. Our clients expect perfection and that is what our trainees are

leaning to achieve both as individuals and as part of our team. Manufacturing in 2015 is automated, productive and a good place to be. We welcome all our new trainees. Their success is our success” .

Many of the new staff members are trainees in the PCB production and assembly areas of the operation but there were also two new roles created in the administration area of the business. The recent formation of Newbury Innovation also involved the appointment of Matthew Bucknall, an experienced electronic design engineer who brings with him over 10 years of electronic design and development experience.

### **Background**

Newbury Electronics Ltd started trading in 1956. A management buyout took place in 1987 and Philip King took on his role of Managing Director in 2011. The company offers a full electronic design, PCB design and layout service alongside PCB manufacture and assembly in Newbury, West Berkshire. It employs 73 staff and is dedicated to small and medium batch PCB assembly, specialising in electronic design and manufacture incorporating SMD, SMT, surface mount, BGA, through hole, box build, soldering, test, & rework. Customers can select from electronics design and CAD layout through to printed circuit board design and fabrication, assembly and test, and the company is happy to undertake single, bespoke projects through to the design and supply of manufacture lots of up to 10,000 pcs on its automated SMD assembly lines.

As a contract electronic manufacturer (CEM), each year, the company produces in excess of over 15,000 different PCB designs for its clients, who benefit from the economies of scale built from the volume of orders processed. For more information visit [www.newburyelectronics.co.uk](http://www.newburyelectronics.co.uk)

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