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470 years with RAMPF

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Grafenberg, March 23, 2016. In the current fiscal year 2015/16, 28 long-serving employees at RAMPF's Grafenberg site are celebrating a total of 470 years of working for the family-run SME. Out in front is Eva-Marion Rampf, the wife of company founder Rudolf Rampf, who has been there from the very start.

"We are thrilled to have so many long-serving members of staff," says Michael Rampf, CEO of RAMPF Holding. "The large number of employees marking milestones and the low staff turnover we have seen for years are confirmation of our aim of being a reliable and trustworthy partner for our staff. We invest in them and want them to stay with us long-term."

Day in, day out, RAMPF benefits from their experience. "Since its foundation 35 years ago, RAMPF has successfully invested in innovative solutions in the fields of reactive resins and machine systems. For more than three decades now, our staff has continuously accumulated and expanded its know-how, gaining a distinct advantage over our competitors," emphasizes Michael Rampf.



The long-serving employees at RAMPF's Grafenberg site, along with Michael Rampf, CEO of RAMPF Holding (left), company founder Rudolf Rampf (right) and his wife Eva-Marion Rampf (third from left).

Eva-Marion Rampf has been with the company from the start. When her husband Rudolf Rampf founded the company in the early 1980s, she set up a gift shop in Riederich. "I used the profits to support our family and take the burden off my husband while he turned his ideas into reality." At night, she helped him develop the first polyurethane casting resins in the old Grafenberg gymnasium. She even did the cleaning herself.

Once the company got going, the shop was sold so that Eva-Marion Rampf could work exclusively in her husband's company. "I have worked more or less everywhere – in the office, in accounting, in produc-

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tion, and even in the lab. I delivered products to customers in the 7.5 tonner with the kids in the passenger seat."

She may be a pensioner now, "but I still can't imagine giving up my desk. I am wholeheartedly involved – after all, it is our life's work." As a result, she is still responsible for event and travel management as well as catering.



Eva-Marion Rampf and Rudolf Rampf in the early 1980s in the old Grafenberg gymnasium, which served both as RAMPF headquarters and as the laboratory at the time.

This fiscal year marks one 35th, one 30th and one 25th anniversary of joining the company. A total of 13 employees have been with RAMPF for 20 years, and another 12 are celebrating their 10th anniversary. "Our employees are our most important asset," says company founder Rudolf Rampf. "We congratulate our long-serving employees and hope they will stay with us for a long time to come."

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