# Westgrove Company Induction



# Introduction

- Who are Westgrove
- Our Business Principles
- Leadership Team
- Training & Development
- Innovation
- Reward & Recognition



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#### Vision Statement



"We aim to share the **passion** and **commitment** to excellent **service** demonstrated by the founding directors throughout all levels our business.

Our goal is to **understand** what's important to both our Colleagues and Partners, creating a **true partnership** and a wider Westgrove Community"



#### **Our Business Principles**

- We have passion, commitment and a 'can do' attitude
- We look for innovation, added value and continual improvement
- Our teams are our Colleagues, our clients become our Partners it's a true Partnership
- The quality of our service delivery is at the heart of our business
- We **invest in our colleagues** to provide a career platform and maximise their potential



#### Accreditations



#### Our Partners



#### Our Leadership Team



**CLAIRE** MCKINLEY-**SMITH** Group Managing Director



ANGELA CRAWFOD Head of Health, Safety & Compliance



BOOTH **Technical Services** Director



LAURIE BARTON WRIGHT Commercial Director



PHIL TOMLINSON Finance Director



Ray Robertson Head of **Operations** 



- Service Excellent Charter
  - Customer Service Training / World Host
  - 5\*, 6\* & 7\* status
- E-learning Programmes
- NVQ, ILM, Diplomas
- Tool Box Talks
- Management Training Programmes
- Dementia Friends
- Autism Awareness
- Colleague Engagement Surveys



## Health & Safety

- Health and safety at work
- Reporting incidents and accidents
- Health and safety concerns
- Risk assessments
- Training
- Tool Box Talks (TBT's)



# **Company Policies & Procedures**

- Equal Opportunities Policy
- Privacy Notice
- Working Time Directive
- Code of Conduct
- Disciplinary Procedures
- Grievance Procedure
- Anti-Harassment & Bullying
- Anti-Corruption & Bribery

- Anti-Slavery & Human Trafficking Policy
- Social Media Policy
- Media Relations Policy
- Stress Policy
- Maternity & Paternity Policy
- Smoking Policy



COLLEAGUE HANDBOOK

A copy of the Colleague Handbook is held at each site



Your Property Our Expertise

**IF IN DOUBT,** please contact the HR Department

# Modern Slavery

- Modern Slavery is a serious crime that violates human rights.
- Here's how you can recognise modern slavery:
  - Someone who appear frightened, withdrawn or shows signs of abuse
  - Not carry identification on their person
  - Appears to be under the control of someone else
- What can you do about it?
  - Do not confront them as this can cause a scene and likely lead to hard for them
  - Inform the relevant authorities









- Bespoke time & attendance system
- Book on/off duty linked direct to pay
- Paperless wage slips
- Roster management
- Holiday planning
- Screening and vetting system



### **Reward & Recognition**

- Westgrove R&R Awards
  - Annual Awards Ceremony
  - Quarterly Awards
    - Site Manager of the Quarter
    - Team of the Quarter
    - Colleague of the Quarter
    - Newcomer of the Quarter
    - Outstanding Act
    - Service Excellence
    - Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)
    - Health & Safety Champion



- BSIA National Award Winners
- ACS Pacesetter Winners
- Women in Security Awards Winners
- SCEPTRE Awards
- OSPA's



#### Retail TRUST 1832 ONWARDS

- We have partnered with the Retail Trust to provide all colleagues with access to free and confidential health and wellbeing support.
- The Retail Trust cares passionately about the health and wellbeing of everyone in retail. No matter how bad things get, the charity can offer you reassurance and clarity.
- The Retail Trust wellbeing helpline is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week on 0808 801 0808 or you can contact them via their website, retailtrust.org.uk
- And remember, it's completely confidential.

Creating hope, health and happiness for **everyone in retail.** 





#### Colleague Volunteering Policy

- The Westgrove Group is committed to making a meaningful contribution to the communities where we work and live.
- The Company has commited to 15 volunteer days annually. These days will be paid and will not affect your allowance of holiday. Colleagues can take up to 3 days each.

• For further information please refer to our Volunteering Policy.





## Personal Appearance & Conduct

- Demonstrate exceptionally high customer service skills with all you come into contact with
- Professional, courteous attitude and willing to go the extra mile
- You must be well presented at all times:
  - Clean uniform or business attire
  - Clean and tidy hair
  - Clean shaven or if you have a beard this must be well groomed
  - Minimal jewellery
  - Where possible, tattoos need to be covered





#### The People's Pension Scheme

- Auto-enrolment after 3 months service if you qualify:
  - 4% Employer Contribution
  - 4% Employee Contribution
- To qualify you must earn over £10k per annum and be between 22 years old and the state pensions age
- Welcome pack will be sent to your personal email address after the first deduction from your wages

the **people's** pension



### HSF Healthcare

- A new way to cover everyday healthcare costs
- Reimbursement of 100% of your costs (limits apply)
- No medical check required and no pre-existing health restrictions
- Flexibility within each benefit category
- Dependant children under the age of 18 are included for free

- Premiums do not increase with age
- Access to 100's of high street discounts through Perkbox
- Cover starts at the corporate discounted of £5.00 per month.

Contact the HR Department

for further details





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## Westgrove Communications

- Company website www.westgrove.co.uk
  - Latest news
  - Colleague Forum
  - Reward & Recognition nomination
- Monthly Company Newsletter
- Colleague Engagement Surveys
- Company Magazine
- Social Media







#### Brand Ambassador & Charity Partnerships



#### Meet Alex Staniforth, Westgrove Brand Ambassador.

Coping with debilitating adversity that included intense bullying, epilepsy, an eating disorder and a severe stammer from his teenage years, Alex used the outdoors as his respite. From walks with his parents in the Lake District (his second home!) through to conquering Europe's highest mountain, Mont Blanc at the age of 16, Alex's story is quite unique.

You can find out more about Alex and the work he does with Westgrove on the website.

Westgrove will support you to support your chosen charity.



#### **Refer a friend!**

# For every friend you refer, and we recruit, we pay you **E100**

Payable on completion of their 6 month probation





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