



# CARR'S UPDATE

## CARR'S HAVE MOVED!!

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**Carr's Welding Technologies** has now moved to larger premises, just around the corner from their old workshop.

The move has meant that they have doubled their workshop area and provided a much better working environment for their men.

The extensive workshop area has a 6.3 tonne crane to enable Carr's to accept the larger jobs in the workshop.

Two new laser rooms have been specially built to house the new lasers.

All laser work is done in the work-



*New unit at Henson Park.*

shop as they cannot be used on site.

Please contact Terry Jacobs for a map if you need to find the new works.

### Toolroom services at Carr's.

- Laser welding all metals.
- Cold pulse welding to steel.
- Brush-on metals to steel, copper and aluminium.
- Cold pulse welding to Aluminium.
- Ali-weld brazing to aluminium.
- Welding on site.
- Polishing and texturing.



*Star weld laser welding machine.*

## New Laser welder.

Carr's have purchased the first Star Weld tool machine in the UK. This has a 90 watt Nd Yag laser and incorporates a 3d driven table for manipulating mould tools into position.

This machine complements the Star Weld 30 purchased last year in that the smaller more intricate jobs can be welded with the advanced stereo optics.

Carr's can weld steel, aluminium, titanium and copper alloys on 1 off jobs, up to small production runs of 1000 off components.

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## Profile on Alistair Houghton

Alistair has been with the company for the last five years. Having come from a background of light engineering, he has adapted readily to changes in technology and has shown a high level of skill in his work.

Alistair has primarily been the 'man on site' and has given the company a good record of work in this area. However, in order to adapt to the increase in demand for laser welding, Alistair is now keen to improve his techniques on the Star welder Tool and take over some responsibility from Phil.

We wish him well in this new venture.



*Alistair hard at work on the new laser.*

## NEW TECHNICAL DIRECTOR.



*Dr Chris Allum, a new director at Carr's.*

Dr Chris Allum (Chief executive of the ALMOR Group), has agreed to become a non-executive director of Carr's Welding Technologies Ltd.

Chris, a PHD graduate from Cranfield University, has many years experience in the welding field and has several successful business in the UK, such as Welding and Brazing at Cannock in the West Midlands.

Phil and Chris set up the original company, Metbond, doing only brush-plating work, that went onto form Carr's Brush-on Metals in 1992, and then Carr's Welding Technologies in 2000. Phil has learnt a lot from Chris about running a business, technically and financially and has advised Carr's in the last few years, without taking a permanent position.

We hope that Chris, who is a longstanding friend of Phil, will be able to give the company the benefit of his experience in all areas of running the business.