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# **Osprey's New Front Line Filter Available For Testing**

The new Osprey Front Line filtration system is now available for testing at Osprey. The new filter design includes a Pre Filter Disk arrangement that can be used for quality fiber separation or as a bulk material receiver. The new system includes a five-stage filtra-

tion process including an Osprey Final Filter and HEPA filter section. The filter is complete with an

off-line collection system. Material collected at the collection station can either be bagged or baled.

According to

Marty Price, the new filter will allow for the testing of improved high velocity media, cartridge filters, and general testing applications. Osprey's newly developed Final Filter Sweep

System that automatically removes captured materials from the Final Filter section is to be added soon. The Front Line design has already been incorporated in our waste recycling systems thus omitting the need for other costly bulk material separators.



available upgrade kits for existing Osprey filters.

### **Osprey Develops**



Osprey has launched a new website. Redesigned to serve visitors



more efficiently and completely, it offers easy to navigate menus and fully downloadable and multi-lingual product documentation. Additional services include detailed application support in both still and video format that is designed to enhance customer productivity at both plant and personnel levels. The new site also contains all the latest information about Osprey's process air filtration and waste recycling systems. Please visit us at www.ospreyfilters.com.

### **Homer Phillips Retires** after 41 Years of Service

Homer Phillips retired from Osprey in May after 41 years of dedicated service. In 1967, Homer started his career in custom metal fabrication. He worked his way up to assistant shop foreman and eventually became responsible for all aspects of Osprey's production



Shown left to right: Hubert Robinson, 34 years of service; Joe Williams, 36 years of service; and Homer Phillips.

## **Osprey Offers Easier Cartridge Replacement**

Osprey offers a Final Filter cartridge support yoke to ease the cartridge removal and reinstallation process when only one technician is available. The Installation is only a few minutes each. Once the yokes are installed a service technician only has to slide off the old cartridges and slide on the new.



yoke can be retrofitted to almost any Osprey Final Filter using one and a half (40") or double (52") cartridge configurations.

Each cartridge filter position is fitted with a yoke that inserts into the existing tube sheet mounting hole. A retaining ring with hardware finishes off each kit. All of the existing parts are reused. The great advantage of our arrangement over a conventional yoke is our shorter design allows the technician much more operating room when servicing the filters in an already confined area with limited working space. Please contact Osprey sales or our parts department for information.

## **Osprey Welcomes Christopher Riggs**

Christopher Riggs is Osprey's newest project engineer. Chris is from Huntsville, Alabama and earned a BS in Aerospace Engineering from Auburn University. Prior to working at Osprey Chris worked for Atlantic Southeast Airlines and for a manufacturer here in Atlanta. Chris is married and enjoys playing on a men's soccer team. He is a welcomed addition to the engineering department, and we are looking forward to his future with Osprey.

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operations. His son, Randy, worked for Osprey for many years before leaving Osprey for better CAD opportunities closer to home. Homer was instrumental over the years in helping Osprey through many challenges and transitions. His commitment, loyalty, and hard work over his career earned him the opportunity to enjoy his wood working hobby and spending more time at the lake. We all wish Homer and his wife Rachel the best in his retirement, and we cannot thank him enough for all the years we were together.



### **NPE 2009**

sprey is already making plans for NPE 2009 held in Chicago, Il June 22-26 2009. NPE is the plastics industries premier event for 2009. Over 2,000 supplies from 120 countries will be on hand to showcase their latest innovations. Osprey plans to introduce its new pull-through grinding system for inline cast film recycling at the show. Please make plans to visit booth number 62038 to discuss your plastic film recycling needs.



In memory of Tom Barron Sr. and Jim Woliver, this memorial plaque was dedicated at Osprey on December 24, 2008.

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