



Congratulations to the Southern California Organizations that Participated in Manufacturing Day 2014!

Manufacturing Day was celebrated on Friday, October 3rd by over 1500 organizations nationwide. It was quite exciting to see the enthusiastic involvement from manufacturers, economic development agencies; community colleges, local high schools, etc. participate in this special day. There were over 75 organizations that held events from Los Angeles to San Diego (see all participating organizations listed below).

Manufacturing Day was designed to expand the knowledge about and improve the general public perception of manufacturing careers and manufacturing's value to the U.S. economy. Manufacturing Day is for students, parents, educators, media, customers, suppliers and the community at large. Visitors to the organizations that sponsored Open Houses learned about real career opportunities, training, new manufacturing technique and resources.

The theme for CMTC was to reach out to the millennial generation to get them excited about manufacturing and to “preserve the future of manufacturing”. CMTC created specific marketing materials to appeal to students and for manufacturers to assist them in attracting the millennial group to manufacturing.

We would like to acknowledge the following organizations that participated in Manufacturing Day on October 3rd and thank them for their time and effort for participating in this event! Their contribution to the local economy and their involvement with California manufacturing is to be commended. Check out all of the organizations and the variety and types of manufacturers located in the Southern California region.

Participating Organizations:

3D Robotics – San Diego
5th Axis – San Diego
Ace Clearwater – Compton
Alcoa Fastening Systems – Newbury Park
Aleph Group, Inc. - Riverside
Amada America – Buena Park
Alphatec Spine, Inc. – Carlsbad
Amerillum Brands – Oceanside
Amgen, Inc. – Thousand Oaks
Applied Powder Coat - Oxnard
Armstrong World Industries – South Gate
Bay Cities – Pico Rivera
Benavente, Inc. – Santa Ana
BNS Brewing & Distilling Co. – Santee
Caterpillar – San Diego
Cerritos College – Technology Division – Norwalk
Chaffey College – Rancho Cucamonga
College of the Canyons – Santa Clarita
D&K Engineering – San Diego
Deering Banjo Company – Spring Valley
DeVoll's Rubber Products, Inc. – Adelanto
Dynamic Automation – Simi Valley
Federal Heath – Oceanside
Fitzee Foods – San Diego
Fullerton College – Advanced Manufacturing Technologies Tour – Fullerton
Game 1 Sports Professional Wood Bats – Rancho Cucamonga
Gary Manufacturing – National City
Get Engineering Corp – El Cajon
Greater Antelope Valley Economic Alliance – Lancaster
Haas Automation - Oxnard
Hawthorne High School – Hawthorne
Hawthorne High School of Manufacturing & Engineering – Hawthorne
Hunter Industries – San Marcos
Inland Empire Regional Chamber of Commerce
Illumina – San Diego
Jot Automation Inc. – San Diego
K&N Engineering, Inc. – Riverside
Kazz Molds, Inc. – Hesperia
Kinamed, Inc. - Camarillo
Legacy Digital Graphics – Chula Vista
Lock-Ridge Tool Co., Inc. - Pomona
Magnaflow – Oceanside
McCain Inc. – Vista
Milgard Manufacturing, Inc. – Simi Valley
Moniker Group – San Diego
Norco College – Norco
Northrop Grumman Corporation – Redondo Beach
OSI Industries, LLC – Riverside
Outsource Manufacturing – Carlsbad
Planet Plexi – Laguna Hills
Pump Solutions Group – Grand Terrace
Purple Platypus 3D Printing Solutions - Irvine
Quality Controlled Manufacturing, Inc. – Santee
Saddleback College – Mission Viejo
San Bernardino Valley College – San Bernardino
San Diego City College – Machine Technology Program – San Diego
San Diego Regional Economic Development Corporation – San Diego
San Diego Technology Incubator – San Diego
Sandvik Coromant – Cypress
Santa Ana College – Manufacturing, Engineering & Welding – Santa Ana
Shaper Studios Surfboard Workshop – San Diego
Solar Turbines – San Diego
Spray Enclosure Technologies, Inc. - Rialto
Stone Brewing Company – Escondido
Taylor Guitars – El Cajon
Taylormade Golf Company – Carlsbad
Technical Employment Training Inc. – San Bernardino
Thoro Packaging – Corona
Tijuana EDC Contract Manufacturing Tour – San Diego
Transfer Flow, Inc. – Chico
Urban Workshop - Irvine
Ullman Sails – Newport Beach
University of California – Irvine
Veridiam – El Cajon
ViaSat – Carlsbad
Vital Link – Cypress
VOCADAMY – The Makerspace - Riverside
White Labs – San Diego

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Federal Heath Sign Company– Plant Tour



**Magnaflow – Plant Tour
Oceanside, CA**



**McCain, Inc. – Plant Tour
Vista, CA**



**Lock-Ridge Tool Co., Inc.
Plant Tour
Pomona, CA**



News Stories:

<http://www.industryweek.com/blog/san-diego-celebrates-manufacturing-week-not-just-manufacturing-day?page=1>

<http://www.utsandiego.com/news/2014/oct/03/manufacturing-day-drones-beer-golf-guitars/>

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OC MANUFACTURERS CELEBRATE NATIONAL MANUFACTURING DAY

Orange County manufacturers and organizations joined companies around the nation on Friday to celebrate the third annual [National Manufacturing Day](#). The manufacturing industry employs approximately 9 percent of California's workforce, supports more than 17.4 million U.S. jobs, accounts for nearly 12 percent of the nation's GDP, and for every \$1.00 spent in manufacturing, \$1.48 is created for the U.S. economy. On National Manufacturing Day, manufacturers, associations and educational institutions open their doors to the public and hold events and tours for groups including media members, students and educators, community leaders, legislative representatives and local businesses. The national day was established in 2012 to expand the knowledge about and improve the public's perception of manufacturing careers and the industry's value to the U.S. economy. Several Orange County companies participated in the event, including Fullerton College, Planet Plexi, Purple Platypus 3D Printing Tour, Sandvik Coromant, and Vital Link. For more information, contact [Matt Petteruto](#), Vice President, Economic Development.

