

# THE RUTHMAN COMPANIES

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### **Another Day, Another Installation**

GSP staff gets it done...

Photos of a rebuild and installation of the pumps in the pictures. Scott Mezuck, Scott Thurrott and Joe Harris were involved in the rebuild and installation of these Afton Vertical Turbine Pumps, a Deming Vertical Turbine Pump, and a Fybroc Horizontal End Suction pump. All were installed on May 13th and 14th in Port St. Lucie, Florida.











At the Gusher Dry Ridge Testing Facility...

Jim Clayton and Joe, "The Tester", Edwards at the Gusher Dry Ridge state of the art testing facility. Joe has been with Gusher 4 years - Jim 28! Here, rigid and thorough, Hydraulic Institute Certified tests are performed on Gusher, Nagle, Process Systems, Deming and other Ruthman Companies products.

The department is also busy with research and development of new products and future Ruthman Companies innovations.







Here, a Gusher Self - Priming Pump is put to the test in the deep well tank, generally used for large vertical pumps, which is 26' deep and holds 10,000 gallons. The larger tank holds 17,000 Gallons.



Joe checking the amperage draw on a 15 hp motor for the Self-Primer at 230 gpm.



Shown here are the 8", 12" and 6" valves for testing vertical pumps.

#### Passing the Test Rigid Testing Processes Insure Customer Satisfaction





All aspects of the pumps and motors perfomance are tested to meet customer specifications, including condition points, amperage draw, voltage, GPM, flow rates, and pressures.



A smaller tank is used for smaller vertical and horizontal pumps and can test in hot water up to the boiling point.



Joe's inventory of motors are on hand and ready for testing a wide variety of pumps.



## Jurassic Pumps

#### Monster pumps barely clear the door...

Keith Pearson shares Birmingham Pump Supplies largest in-house challenge to date...the fabrication of 4 skids for their Middle East agent APE Pumps. Each skid incorporated a 300-250 split case pump coupled to a 630 KW, 11KV motor giving a combined weight of 10 tons each When assembled they cleared the doors with only 2" to spare!







Trevor Wright, BPS workshop manager and on the forklift is service manager, Steve Hooper.

Meet Raven and Shelby, Keith's new German Shepherd puppies in training for BPS plant security.





### **Gusher Shanghai at FlowEx 2015**

A Beautiful Booth and a Successful Show...

GLOWEX

In early June, Gusher Shanghai made a great showing at FlowEx, the largest international exhibition for valves, pumps and pipes in China. The Gusher booth was a standout among 550 international exhibitors from the petrochemical, water treatment and related industries that hosted over 30,000 visitors.



Zhang Mo, and Darrell Jenkins, and Zhang's wife, Yingying, play host to over 30,000 FlowEx Show attendees.













### **Nagle/Gusher Hybrids**

#### Intercompany effort yields unique products...

Photos here of some large Gusher/Nagle specially engineered pumps, built at Gusher Dry Ridge and Williamstown. These are spare coolant pump back pumps sold by Great Lakes Pump and Supply to Henry Filters. The end user is Cummins. These pumps feature a special design for extended immersion depth (18" beyond standard), 10" discharge, 12" intake and a 220 EL.



Billy Webster vs. the Green Monster...guess who won?







#### China Visit...

Zhang Mo, Christoph Kubiciel and Tom Ruthman in Shanghai, visiting the Volkswagen Powertrain Company.

### **Ruthman Companies in Print...**

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