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Christmas Party in Oman - Schlumberger Rig/BP FRIDAY, 02 JANUARY 2015









Newrest & Real Madrid Football Club FRIDAY, 02 JANUARY 2015

Newrest Servair teams in Madrid are proud to have catered the Emirates EK2142 chartered flight on December 28th. There were 120 passengers on board, including players and managers from the Real Madrid Football Club. The flight took place before the match against AC Milan on December 30th at The Sevens Stadium in Dubai.



Qatar Airways A350 FRIDAY, 02 JANUARY 2015

The first Airbus A350-900 long-haul jetliner, delivered to Qatar Airways on Monday in Toulouse, at the headquarters of the European aircraft manufacturer.





Newrest Peru supports Huaylla Huaylla community

WEDNESDAY, 07 JANUARY 2015

Newrest Peru carry out trainings and workshops which purpose is to develop skills in families of Huaylla Huaylla community by providing practical and theoretical knowledge about healthy food consumption practices.

Several families of Huaylla Huaylla have received training on nutritional and medicinal properties of vegetables produced in their organic gardens. Moreover, they have been trained in proper food handling techniques and in different ways of preparing vegetables. The activities were coordinated by Mr. Sandro Cavero, member of the Newrest team. Llanllaya Liliana Rojas, Newrest's Nutritionist Quality Supervisor, was in charge of trainings and Gilberto Velasquez, master chef of Newrest Peru, conducted the demonstration sessions.

These activities got results in an increase in the awareness of the benefits of the use and consumption of the different vegetables that the inhabitants of the town of Huaylla Huaylla produce in their organic gardens.



Epiphany celebrations for Newrest Spain wednesday, 07 January 2015

On Tuesday 6th January, Newrest Spain held Epiphany festivities by offering the traditional Epiphany cakes to crews on board flights departing from Gran Canaria.







New contract with Olympic in Peru WEDNESDAY, 14 JANUARY 2015

After mobilizing its members between Christmas and New Year's, Newrest Peru began catering services on January 13th for Olympic. Based in Piura in the north, the Peruvian subsidiary hosts close to 400 additional guests at the 5 restaurants and satellites scattered across the site.

A few weeks from now, the team will also manage 4 land drilling sites. Newrest Peru will also be opening Olympic's administrative restaurant at the Piura site on February 1st.









Captain's Day in Peru MONDAY, 02 FEBRUARY 2015

On Friday 30th January, for Captain's Day celebrations, Newrest Peru created special commemorative cupcakes for Copa Airlines. These cakes were delivered to the pilots flying that day on the company's five flights. They were certainly a hit, and the feedback was excellent. Copa Airlines' entire Lima unit expressed its gratitude to the Newrest Peru team.

This action represents a step forward for our Lima unit: it helped confirm the high level of satisfaction of its clientele and the success that comes with its pastry chefs' high level of expertise, led by David Inga and Juliana Diaz.





Newrest Toronto takes flight

FRIDAY, 06 FEBRUARY 2015

On Tuesday 3rd February, Newrest Toronto teams began operations for the first time.

The first 45 employees began preparing for some 100 daily flights for the Jazz airline. The new group unit occupies a total surface area of 4,600m2 and is equipped with two separate kitchens for Halal and non-Halal food preparation. The team is directed by Mr. Samir Arzour (GM) assisted by Mr. Franck Martinez (Ramp Manager) and Mr. Vincenzo Sicilia (Production Manager). Located at 6350 Netherhart road L5t1K3 Mississauga — less than 9 minutes away from the runway. This new kitchen will be officially inaugurated on March 31st 2015.









Two new awards for Newrest Wacasco in Oman

MONDAY, 09 FEBRUARY 2015

Located in Seeb, Muscat, the French School of Muscat successfully concluded the award of its catering contract to Newrest Wacasco. The tender process involved a great deal of reactivity in responding to the schools clarifications, flexibility in financial models and the ability to demonstrate a well-aligned catering strategy. All while taking into consideration the pupils' daily nutritional intakes, parents' and teachers' very high expectations.

This operation will start on September 13th, 2015 and includes the delivery of 150 daily meals through forward cold chain through Newrest Wacasco's state-of-the-art central processing unit (Central Kitchen).

In addition, the Egyptian construction giant, PetroJet, crowns Newrest Wacasco with its second in a row catering contract. Being a strategic partner on this project, Newrest Wacasco shall be providing catering and ancillary services to the camp's 600 residents from March 1st, 2015. This latter is situated 650 kms away from Muscat and both companies will be deploying service professionals and high-caliber engineers in order to be in line with deliverables' standards and overcome all related logistics challenges.



Healthy Living Campaign FRIDAY, 13 FEBRUARY 2015

Based on the proverb – 'You are what you eat', Waleed Catering & Services Co. LLC (Newrest Wacasco), one of Oman's major catering players, developed and successfully launched on 2nd of February, 2015, its own healthy educational program. This will be deployed within their 105 operated sites and will target their 1,600 employees and 48,000 meals served daily.

The launch of the Healthy Living Campaign was attended by the Director of the Nutritional Department for the Ministry of Health, Dr. Samia Al Ghannami, who expressed a strong support to such corporate social initiative.

The objective of this campaign is to educate as many people as possible and promote the welfare of the clients and staff onsite. This program is jointly sponsored by Oman Refreshment Company and Burjeel Medical Center.

At the beginning of the ceremony, the campaign's mascots, Linda and Marcel, welcomed the guests and invited Ms. Aurelie Gueguen, Newrest Wacasco's General Manager and Mr. Youssef Ezzikhe, Oman Refreshment Company's General Manager, to cut together the launching ribbon.

During her opening speech which was based on one of the Ministry of Health's case studies, Mrs. Aurelie Gueguen, declared: "In the sultanate of Oman, there is a worrying increasing trend with overweight, obesity, high blood pressure, and cardiovascular diseases. This is mainly due to the rapid economic and social development of the country causing changes of local food habits and an increase of sedentary activity".

"Facing this situation and as a responsible company, Newrest Wacasco decided to initiate a nutritional awareness campaign to educate its employees, clients and local community members across Oman about how to live a healthy life", Mrs. Gueguen added. This program is simultaneously deployed in other 45 operating countries of Newrest Group and part of corporate commitment.

Following her discourse, Ms. Marie Chatelier, a dietician nutritionist working in Newrest Wacasco's operations department, detailed the content of this 10-month project. In order to sustain the healthier lifestyle approach, 5 main topics will be covered, i.e. sports, nutrition, sedentary lifestyle, healthier eating and heartcare. Each of these topics will be brought to life by organizing activities and competition with winning prizes. After introducing the campaign, all the guests were invited for tasting healthy snacks based on light gourmet recipes. Along with this event, Burjeel Medical Center made available a medical stand for screening the blood pressure, the glucose blood level and the body mass index for the invitees. Such health screening stands will be again provided by the Medical Center throughout the campaign period.

Newrest is committed to constant improvement and innovation for its clients, a sustainable and durable development of the company as well as its standards and its environment, respecting social and environmental values in all of its activities. In line with this, Newrest Wacasco is convinced that the Healthy Living Campaign deployment over the next 10 months will be highly contributing to any of their clients, staff and local community members.











First Capacitation Center for sustainable community development

MONDAY, 16 FEBRUARY 2015

On Monday February 16th, training sessions officially began at the first Capacitation Center for sustainable community development. Located in the environs of the Minera Constancia mine (Hudbay), this center organizes different courses based on integrated services: theoretical courses, cooking workshops, cleaning and maintenance workshops, etc.

This project is in keeping with the actions recently led by Newrest Peru (a bakery was set up, transport contracts were negotiated), aimed at strengthening the subsidiary's collaboration with local communities.





Newrest Spain celebrates Valentine's Day TUESDAY, 17 FEBRUARY 2015

Last Saturday, February 14th, Newrest teams in Canary Islands celebrated Valentine's Day by distributing heart-shaped candies to 460 crew members in 78 different flights.











Newrest Gabon

THURSDAY, 19 FEBRUARY 2015

Newrest Gabon kicked off the year by participating in several special events in Libreville, including two cocktail parties for its client Total Gabon. The first event on January 7th was organized for the arrival of the company's new General Manager, Mr. Henri Max Ndong Nzue. The second was a cocktail reception for 300 guests on January 29th. These events gave Newrest Gabon the opportunity to make a more spectacular entrance into the VIP event catering sector.

The Gabonese subsidiary and more specifically "Le Calao" restaurant teams catered management's coffee breaks and lunches for a week at the Total Gabon headquarters.

"Le Calao", located at the Léon Mba International Airport, also organized the cocktail reception for the very first ECAir flight (Equatorial Congo Airlines) in Gabon.



Toronto - KLM
THURSDAY, 19 FEBRUARY 2015

On Wednesday February 18th, 2015, Newrest Canada welcomed the first KLM flight departing from Toronto airport.

This was the most recent major success for the Toronto unit, only in operation since February 3rd. This young unit occupies a total surface area of 4,600 m2, and is located less than 9 minutes away from the runways. It includes a separate kitchen for Halal preparations which, combined with the non-Halal kitchen, covers a total capacity of 15,000 meals per day.





Calgary – KLM FRIDAY, 27 FEBRUARY 2015

On February 26th, Newrest Servair Calgary catered its 1st KLM flight.

Newrest Servair Calgary provides services onboard KLM's Airbus 330 during 6 flights per week.

Calgary has experienced a major boost in business, after beginning operations for Jazz, catering long-haul flights on an almost daily basis.





Newrest Wacasco & Centre Franco Omanais

MONDAY, 02 MARCH 2015

Newrest Wacasco was chosen as « preferred caterer » for a cultural event held in Centre Franco Omanais on 24th of February 2015.

Founded in 1979 through bilateral cooperation agreements between the Sultanate of Oman and the French Republic, the Omani French Centre offers, in Muscat and Sohar branch, training in French as a foreign language and cultural activities.

Following a wonderful French classical concert attended by his excellency the French Ambassador and Omani officials, Newrest Wacasco tray passed fine savory and sweet canapés.

Newrest Wacasco is looking forward to be the partner of upcoming cultural of the Centre Franco Omanais.



ISO 22000 Certification - Newrest Morocco

MONDAY, 02 MARCH 2015

Newrest Morocco is especially proud to announce that it obtained ISO 22000 certification for its operations at "Lycée Lyautey".

Newrest Morocco Services is the first corporate catering company in the country to obtain this certification. ISO 22000 is an international standard for food safety.

It aims at facilitating food safety management by:

- recognizing best practice guides for hygiene (interprofessional organizations, or companies);
- setting performance obligations, while allowing the free choice of means;
- limiting redundancy for means of control and by encouraging communication between players;
- taking certain specific client requirements into account for food safety;
- integrating the ISO 22003 technical standard for certification audit and auditor qualification rules;
- imposing a continuous improvement system.



The certification process for other establishments is underway in order to certify at least one leading establishment per business sector.

New Petrex contract in Peru

MONDAY, 02 MARCH 2015

A new remote site contract is now in effect for Petrex (Saipem Group), in the Amazon forest, an hour and a half away from Pucallpa. This new platform operates on behalf of Cepsa. Following the inauguration of Olympic in January, this new opening in the Oil & Gas sector helps diversify RSM (remote site management) mostly geared towards mines until now.

This contract also enables Newrest to establish its presence in West Amazonia.







Air France begins activities in Toronto TUESDAY, 03 MARCH 2015

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On March 1st 2015, Newrest Servair Toronto catered its first Air France flight departing from Lester B. Pearson international airport. Air France operates one daily flight to Charles de Gaulle airport.

After the launch of Jazz and KLM, Air France is now the 3rd client catered by the Ontario teams. The new Toronto unit, operational since February 3rd, will be inaugurated officially on March 31st. This kitchen spans 4,600 m2 with a staff of about fifty.

Equipped with a 12-vehicle fleet and recording a production capacity of 15,000 meals per day (with a possible maximum of 25,000 meals/day), this new kitchen is the third of Newrest's facilities in Canada chronologically speaking, after Montreal and Calgary.









In memory of a valued employee

TUESDAY, 03 MARCH 2015

Newrest Gabon teams were deeply saddened to learn that one of their employees, Mr Jacques Angoue Mve Ntsame, passed away in the wee hours between February 26th and 27th. Jacques had been a member of the Newrest team since 2012, and was Operations Manager at Port-Gentil, retail manager, and then contract manager at Libreville.

Everyone knew him to be devoted, dependable and professional, always ready with a smile. He will certainly be missed dearly. The Newrest Group offers its sincerest condolences to Jacques' family and loved ones.



Sky Airlines in Peru

MONDAY, 09 MARCH 2015

On Friday 6th March 2015, Newrest began its activities for Sky Airlines flights departing from the Jorge Chavez airport in Lima.

Newrest teams provided hot breakfast meals aboard the A320 mono.

This first flight service took place in the presence of Yamil Chara – Station Manager, Luis Diaz Iturriaga – Operations Manager, Felipe Martinez - Palma de Mallorca Unit Manager, on assignment in Peru, Florian Rousselle - Customer Service Manager at Newrest Peru, and Francis Uthurrisq – Inflight Business Manager for the Americas and French Polynesia.











Visit from President Morales

TUESDAY, 10 MARCH 2015

Newrest Bolivia was selected to prepare the welcome buffest for the Bolivian President's visit, the most recent of several such catering opportunities brought about by the Minera San Cristobal contract. President Evo Morales was visiting local communities.

The Morales' arrival and the tasting of the traditional maté took place in the private environment of the air terminal facility. President Evo Morales was accompanied by the governor of the province, a chief of defense staff and local political officers.



Qatar NCC Opening

TUESDAY, 17 MARCH 2015

Newrest Gulf is happy to announce the start of catering services for the Ministry of Interior in Qatar, for the strategic National Command Centre (NCC) complex.

Serving 400 soldiers and officers 7 days a week, Newrest Gulf team has set up a well diversified offer thru 3 dining halls in order to please the guests. Newrest Gulf NCC site manager, Mr. Kayser commented few days after the mobilisation "The client response to our service is very positive and we have been creating a strong dynamic with daily feedbacks. The entire team is very excited by this new opening and determine to show excellence and passion in our job".

This new operation enforces Newrest Gulf footfall in Qatar and continues to position the company as a key player on the diverse segments of the catering industry.

Established in Qatar in 2013, Newrest Gulf as member of Newrest Group aims to bring a fresh eye in the catering and soft services market in Qatar, UAE, Bahrain & Kuwait, by bring innovation, QHSE international obligations and high standards values into a competitive offer. Our strong presence in the Gulf through the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and Oman brings a solid development base with know how transfer and expertise back up.



Saint Patrick's Day THURSDAY, 19 MARCH 2015

Newrest Spain have celebrated the Saint Patrick's Day at the Canaries with the Ryanair crew.







Newrest Morocco is set to cater the largest private hospital infrastructure in Africa

THURSDAY, 19 MARCH 2015

The SA Cheikh Khalifa Ben Zayed Al-Nahyane Hospital will welcome its first patients on Monday March 23rd. The first phase will be limited to consultations before gradually implementing other medical wards of the privately-managed University Hospital.

This project was the result of a Moroccan-Emirati partnership, requiring an investment of close to 1.2 billion dirhams and providing a solution for Moroccans with diseases not covered by local healthcare.

Newrest Morocco developed a "customized" catering selection for this establishment, adapted to all types of patients:

- Long-stay
- Medium-stay
- Privilege VIP card,
- Room service`

Newrest will also guarantee management of the canteen for staff, interns and the doctor's club.



Support for Newrest Tunisia collaborators

THURSDAY, 19 MARCH 2015

"We were devastated to learn of the tragic attack on the Bardo Museum in Tunis. All 28,000 Newrest Group staff members join me in showing solidarity at this particularly trying time. Our thoughts are with the victims' families and with those injured in this terrible attack. Tunisia is a country I hold dear, and as it picks up the pieces after this tragic event, we at Newrest would like to extend our sincerest condolences.

For the last 20 years, Tunisia has been a springboard for the company's development, and the warmth, skill and hospitality of its people have made the country a stellar example for many of its neighbors. During this difficult time, we offer our full support to Newrest Tunisia employees to help their country rise above this ordeal.»

We continue to stand by you at this time.

Olivier Sadran, Co-President of the Newrest Group

Qatar Airways names Newrest Madrid "Best Europe Caterer 2014"

We are proud to announce that Newrest Madrid's Unit won the "Best Europe Caterer Award" delivered by Qatar Airways for the year 2014.

The airline will present its first "Catering Performance Awards" at the occasion of the WTCE (World, Travel and Catering Exposition) Expo, in Hamburg next month. Through this award Qatar Airways wishes to reward the highest quality service contributors within its network.

Congratulations to the Spanish team!



Newrest Canonica celebrates Easter in Switzerland MONDAY, 23 MARCH 2015

Newrest Canonica Switzerland prepares for Easter celebrations, with sales and events planned for March 23rd at the World Trade Organization restaurant.





Military Technological College Awards Newrest MONDAY, 23 MARCH 2015

Thursday 19th of March 2015, Ministry of Defense awarded Newrest for their efforts in making the official opening ceremony of their college Military Technological College held on Wednesday, February 25, 2015 a great success!

"It is with great pleasure that I extend to you and all your staff in expressing my heartfelt appreciation for your efforts in the success of the official opening ceremony of Military Technological College. With quality presentation and professional service I am certain that you have left a good impression to all attendees and participants on that day, wishing you all the best always". – Eugene D. Coyle

Mr. Imad Chehab, MTC project manager commented "Newrest Wacasco has been honored to serve the Ministry of Defence in Oman for the past 2 years through its landmark infrastructure "MTC". Our dedication to implement international standards is continuously recognized by our client and we are convinced that this evolving partnership sets a new benchmark in terms of well fare standards and level of services in Oman".





Newrest Netherlands & Easy Jet wednesday, 01 APRIL 2015

Newrest Inflight Netherlands is proud to welcome Easy Jet as a new customer in Amsterdam. On Sunday March 29th 2015, the subsidiary catered the first Easy Jet flight departing from Schiphol Airport. From now Amsterdam team will provide services to Easy Jet's 3 daily home based flights out of this city. Thus, Easy Jet starts a home base operation in Amsterdam with a high grow potential for the future.





Delta Air Lines in Nice WEDNESDAY, 01 APRIL 2015

On Sunday March 29 2015, Newrest Nice began its activities for Delta Airlines at the Nice - Côte d'Azur airport.

Production and logistics teams from Newrest France did a splendid job putting everything in place, and all Newrest employees pitched in, thus allowing the Delta season to get off to a great start.





LATAM start-up at Paris - CDG THURSDAY, 02 APRIL 2015

Wednesday 1st April marked a historic milestone for the Newrest Group as Newrest Paris Charles de Gaulle started servicing LATAM's daily flight from Paris to Sao Paulo.

Newrest CDG is proud to become the first Newrest station in serving LATAM Airlines Group throughout its network.

We thank LATAM for their trust. This prestigious award is a major recognition to our Parisian team.











Inauguration of Newrest Toronto unit

The new Toronto unit was inaugurated on Tuesday March 31.

The unit has been operational since February 3, and caters Jazz, KLM and Air France.

The unit boasts a fleet of 12 vehicles, a kitchen spanning 4,600 m2 with the capacity of producing 15,000 meals per day (with a possible maximum of 25,000 meals/day), this new kitchen is the third installation to be opened by Newrest in Canada after Montreal and Calgary.













Meet Newrest at WTCE 2015

MONDAY, 13 APRIL 2015



www.newrest.eu | www.worldtravelcateringexpo.com

Our stand at WTCE Hamburg 2015 WEDNESDAY, 15 APRIL 2015







Inauguration of the Brussels unit FRIDAY, 17 APRIL 2015

On Monday April 13, the most recent Newrest Servair production unit was officially opened at the Brussels airport. Present for the ceremony were Mr. Olivier Sadran, co-CEO of the Newrest Group, and Mr. Denis Hasdenteufel, Servair's Deputy Managing Director for Europe, Africa and the Middle East.

A cocktail reception was organized, as well as a tour of the facilities (which cover a total surface of 3,500 m²).

The Brussels unit is the latest to join the large global Newrest Servair network that includes Madrid, London, Barcelona, Toronto, and Santiago, among others. It is also the joint venture's second biggest production zone in Belgium, with the Charleroi unit that was opened last September.



Newrest Polynesia going the distance at Taaone Hospital Centre TUESDAY, 21 APRIL 2015

Newrest Polynesia has renewed a key corporate catering contract: the Taaone Hospital Center.

The Polynesian subsidiary of the Newrest Group prepares a total of 1,000 meals a day, every day of the week, for patients at the Centre. Newrest Polynesia also manages a self-service restaurant within the Hospital, accessible to Hospital staff and visitors. This restaurant is open every day of the week, and our team serves close to 700 meals per day.

Newrest Polynesia is going a step further for its clients: a large effort is underway to renew and modernize the services provided at the restaurant/self-service. This specifically includes developing the range, rearranging distribution space, reorganizing client focus and implementing even stricter quality standards (products and services).

Solidarity and action for Nepal MONDAY, 27 APRIL 2015

"Newrest has close to 200 Nepali employees between Oman and Qatar" confirms Fabien Revol, COO of the Group's Middle East Division. For these employees directly affected by the earthquake that recently shook their native country, Newrest is doing everything it can to help them communicate with their families: "We have made sure that each employee has telephone access so that they can contact their loved ones. The family of one of our employees in Qatar was seriously affected. For the moment he has decided not to go to Nepal, but we're ready to assist him however we can. In Oman, we made a list of about a dozen employees affected. We are doing everything we can to ensure that anyone who wishes to get to their family in Nepal can do so as soon as possible. The most pressing requests are, among others, advanced salary payments to help family members affected by the earthquake urgently."

Everyone at Newrest is deeply saddened by this tragedy in Nepal, and we extend our condolences to the families of the victims.

Inkafarma Restaurant inaugurated in Lima THURSDAY, 30 APRIL 2015

On Monday April 13, the Inkafarma Restaurant was officially inaugurated in Lima by Newrest Peru. The subsidiary is now in charge of receiving close to 1000 guests there, during three daily services. For the event, clients were able to enjoy a buffet of traditional local dishes and folk dance entertainment. Inkafarma has over 700 points of sale in Peru.











KLM celebrates Liberation Day in the Netherlands TUESDAY, 05 MAY 2015

On May 1, KLM marked the 70th anniversary of Liberation Day in the Netherlands.

All stopover and baggage staff members were present for the occasion, along with war veterans, at the Toronto airport.

For this special occasion, a cake was prepared for all the passengers on board.





Aeroméxico operations take off in Toronto TUESDAY, 05 MAY 2015

On May 4, 2015, Aeroméxico began operating a daily flight departing from Toronto, and Newrest Servair Toronto was selected to provide onboard services.

The flight is operated by a Boeing 737, with seating for 12 passengers in business class and 112 in economy

Newrest Servair Toronto is delighted to see its client portfolio swell, and to have 4 key clients after opening only 3 months ago.



Newrest caters the second daily Emirates flight from Barcelona airport wednesday, 06 May 2015

Newrest Barcelona teams were thrilled to welcome the second daily Emirates flight from Barcelona airport. The Airbus A380 has already been operating one flight a day from Barcelona since February 2014. Newrest Spain will now cater 4 flights a day to the United Arab Emirates from Madrid and Barcelona.

The Newrest Group wishes to express its gratitude to Emirates for its continued trust.



Korean Air & Newrest in Barcelona

TUESDAY, 12 MAY 2015

Newrest Spain has just begun a chartered operation with Korean Air, at its base in Barcelona. The Boeing 777-200 will make the Barcelona – Seoul journey.









Newrest Peru participates in the Lima Marathon MONDAY, 18 MAY 2015

On Sunday morning, for the second year running, Newrest Peru teams gathered for the Lima Marathon. About forty employees participated in the 10 km and 21 km distances, setting out to improve personal bests, or simply finish the race.





Newrest Costa Rica

WEDNESDAY, 20 MAY 2015

NEWREST strengthens its presence in Latin America and acquires 100% of Casa Phillips in Costa Rica.

Toulouse, May 20, 2015 - As part of its expansion in Latin America, the Newrest Group has acquired 100% of Casa Phillips, a Costa Rican family-owned catering business created 70 years ago, which serves airlines like Avianca, Copa, American Airlines, Delta and Iberia in the country's two main airports, including that of its capital, San José. The company also conducts business in airport restaurant concessions. Casa Phillips has a turnover of \$13 million.

"This acquisition will allow Newrest to break into the Costa Rican market, in a country enjoying a boom in tourism created by the development of ecotourism. We are delighted to have this opportunity to extend our network, so that we can continue strengthening our presence in Latin America where Newrest hopes to develop all its business lines," said Olivier Sadran, Co-President of the Newrest Group.



About Newrest

Established in 1996 under the name Catair, the Newrest Group, headed by Olivier Sadran and Jonathan Stent-Torriani, is today the only catering company operating in all the catering and related service sectors: airline catering, buy-on-board, on-board duty-free, rail catering, remote site management and support services, group catering, and airport and motorway restaurant concessions.

With 28,000 employees in 49 countries and boasting a turnover of €1.4 billion in 2014, the Newrest Group is the second-largest independent airline catering company in the world.

At year-end 2014 (September 30), 90.1% of the Group's capital was owned by its management (250 employees). The remaining capital is held by the Group's long-standing partners: Naxicap Partners (5.5%), Ardian (e.g. Axa PE) (2.9%), and BNP Paribas Dvpt (1.5%).

Newrest is committed to a continuous improvement and innovation process for the services offered to customers, as well as to the well-being and professional development of its employees and executives. It places a special focus on ensuring the company's sustainable development and utmost respect for social and environmental values.

Newrest Servair Toronto & SkyGreece MONDAY, 25 MAY 2015

On Saturday May 23, Newrest Servair Canada completed its first catering services for SkyGreece Airlines. Our Toronto team will cater the weekly flight from Ontario to Athens.







Newrest Croatia wins the Zlatna Bilanca 2015 award

For the second consecutive year, Newrest Croatia has won the Zlatna Bilanca (Golden Balance) award, presented by the Croatian financial agency (FINA) to the most skilled entrepreneurs.

Newrest Croatia won the top prize in its category, which includes hotels, restaurants and corporate catering companies, during the ceremony on May 20 in Zagreb.





Recognition Event in Barcelona MONDAY, 01 JUNE 2015

On Wednesday, May 27th, 2015 a small event was held at the Newrest plant at Barcelona Airport, where United Airlines presented both Remedios Rubio Báñez and Belkis Irene Sosa de La Torre, our regular supervisors in Barcelona, with a United One Vendor Recognition certificate for their excellent work over the years and significant contribution to our success in the city.

Congratulations once again to Reme and Irene and keep up the good work.





"Los Quenuales" opens in Peru THURSDAY, 04 JUNE 2015

After 2 weeks of preparation, Newrest Peru was able to begin catering, hotel, laundry and cleaning services at the "Los Quenuales" site on June 1. The mine, which is operated by the Glencore group, is particularly well-located.

Los Quenuales is situated four hours east of Lima at 4,200 m altitude, and Newrest teams will cater to Glencore labourers and staff at the camp's restaurants. They will also prepare meals to be transported to more than 300 mine workers.







Newrest Wacasco Cricket Team FRIDAY, 05 JUNE 2015

Newrest Wacasco's employees played a major role in Oman Cricket League by securing second position in this tournament organized every year by the Oman Cricket Council.

It was the first time Newrest Wacasco participated in this competition, which prize distribution ceremony will be held in September 2015.

Congratulations to the team and to all Newrest Wacasco's staff for their support!











Newrest Headquarters & REHIS

FRIDAY, 05 JUNE 2015

Newrest's Headquarters in Toulouse is now approved by REHIS (Royal Environmental Health Institute of Scotland, UK) as an "Approved Training Centre" to deliver REHIS approved trainings.

Newrest QHSE's managers, Chrison Sebastian and Emmanuelle Boussieres, are now able to deliver following international trainings as approved trainers:

- International Intermediate Food Hygiene Course
- International Intermediate HACCP Practices Course

Singapore Airlines start-up in Greece MONDAY, 08 JUNE 2015

Today Newrest Greece starts offering a seasonal catering service for Singapore Airlines for all flights departing from Athens. Between mid-June and October Newrest Greece will operate for the Asian airline company three times a week.





Air Canada in Amsterdam

TUESDAY, 09 JUNE 2015

On Friday 5th June 2015 Newrest started operations for the Air Canada's Boeing 767-300ER departing from Schiphol Airport in Amsterdam. The Canadian airline offers three flights per week on June, but during summer season the frequency will be increased to a daily flight, with 24 seats in Business Class and 187 in Economy Class.







Inauguration of Chile's new production unit TUESDAY, 09 JUNE 2015

On Wednesday 10th of June 2015 will take place the inauguration of Newrest Servair Chile's new state-ofthe-art catering unit at Santiago's Airport. The new unit has a total area of 2,100 m² and it is located in the Industrial Park ENEA, in Pudahuel.





Inauguration Party in Chile THURSDAY, 11 JUNE 2015

On Wednesday 10 June Newrest Servair Chile's new state-of-the-art catering unit was officially inaugurated.

The event consisted on a cocktail reception followed by a tour through the facilities. It was held in presence of several Newrest managers, as Olivier Laurac, Vice President of Newrest's America & Polynesia Division, and Jean-Paul Llanusa, Chile's Country Manager. Our partner, Servair, represented by Jean-François Griffet for the occasion, more than 80 clients and several representatives of authorities also celebrated the new facilities.

Congratulations to Newrest Chile's team for doing a remarkable job preparing this event.









Newrest Servair Belgium caters the Peruvian Presidential flight

TUESDAY, 16 JUNE 2015

Several Latin-American heads of state headed to Brussels for the EU-CELAC Summit (between the European Union and the Community of Latin-American and Caribbean States). Among them was Ollanta Humala, the Peruvian President. Newrest Servair teams in Belgium collaborated with their counterparts in Madrid to provide service aboard the presidential flight.



Newrest Netherlands & Qatar Airways TUESDAY, 16 JUNE 2015

On Tuesday 16th June 2015 Newrest started operations for the Qatar Airways Boeing 787 departing from Schiphol Airport in Amsterdam. Qatar Airways currently offers six flights per week, but during winter season the frequency will be increased to a daily flight, with 22 seats in Business Class and 232 in Economy Class.





New corporate catering contract in Peru wednesday, 17 June 2015

Newrest Peru recently began a new corporate catering contract.

Our teams will now cater both Kimberly Clark production sites in the Lima region. The first is located in Puente Piedra (north of Lima) and the second at Santa Clara (east of Lima). Newrest staff worked through the night, with Inflight teams also pitching in, to serve breakfast on the Sunday morning.









OHSE Awards in Oman

WEDNESDAY, 17 JUNE 2015

« As a part of our commitment to enhance QHSE standards & awareness in all our operating locations, Newrest Wacasco had initiated the Annual QHSE Management Safety Award 2014-2015. The objective was to recognize, encourage and promote the importance of strong safety culture on crews working on behalf of Newrest Wacasco.

Out of 105 locations 7 best sites were selected based on their performance on Work Safety, Food Safety,

HACCP and Environment Indicators.

The winners are:

- 1. Midwesco 13
- 2. Arabian Drilling Services 37
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The management presented the awards and certificates to the winners in their respective site on the occasion of the World Day for Health & Safety at Work »

Aurelie Gueguen, Oman's General Manager

Newrest & Fabrice Amedeo

TUESDAY, 23 JUNE 2015

A new challenge: "Vendée Globe 2016"



Newrest Matmut TUESDAY, 23 JUNE 2015

Before launching, at the end of June.



Newrest launches the opening of franchises in Morocco

WEDNESDAY, 24 JUNE 2015

On May 11, the Newrest Group opened its first franchises in Morocco at the Mohammed V International Airport in Casablanca (inside the customs control area in Terminal 2). This franchise-implantation strategy was part of the Newrest Group's plan to offset stiff competition from local and international markets also setting up shop at airports in the country.

The opening of 3 franchises, namely Paul (Frenchstyle baked goods and pastries), Medina (fast food featuring products grown on Moroccan soil) and Illy (Italian-style coffee and snacks), has allowed the Group to develop its brand recognition as well as its turnover. It has also helped improve product offering while adding diversity.

The 3 franchises currently employ 43 people.

Travelers can now fully enjoy the time spent at the Casablanca airport by savoring a variety of treats.

Newrest Wacasco wins a new contract in Oman

MONDAY, 29 JUNE 2015

Newrest Wacasco is very proud to announce that is has been awarded Petron's catering & associated services contract.

Located in Sohar's new industrial estate (200Km away from Muscat), this contract is considered as a major in-country milestone for Petron which is associated to Petrofac. For Newrest Wacasco it involves the recruitment of local Omani manpower from Sohar and it implicates preparation of 9,000 Asian and Omani National meals per day.

Renewal of ISO 9001 in Madagascar

TUESDAY, 30 JUNE 2015

One year after obtaining the ISO 9001:2008 certification, Newrest Madagascar is honored to report the renewal of this certification for its catering operations.

This renewal reflects the efforts undertaken by all employees to implement procedures for client satisfaction.



Newrest & Corsica Ferries

THURSDAY, 02 JULY 2015

Corsica Ferries contract renewed for an additional five years for the management of its duty-free shops.

The Newrest Group has the privilege and pleasure of announcing the 5-year renewal of its contract with Corsica Ferries.



Its fleet of 11 boats connects Corsica with the continent, mostly Italy. An extended contract with this wonderful maritime company will allow us to further our development in the duty free shop sector and to complement our global offer in the travel retail market.

With this extension, we will also be able to initiate our renovation program for the on-board shops in addition to optimizing our commercial offer in support of Corsica Ferries's development.

The launching of the Newrest/Matmut ship

The 60-foot Newrest-Matmut ready to rise to the challenge

It was a real high point for Fabrice Amedeo and his team. The 60-foot monohull, Newrest–Matmut, was put back in the water yesterday afternoon in Lorient after undergoing a major overhaul. The team did not totally remodel the ship, which was once sailed by Loick Peyron and after by Jean Le Cam. Instead, all work focused on the boat's vital points; several elements of the onboard electronics and the keel hydraulics were disassembled, inspected and then reinstalled.

During this project, the skipper/journalist worked diligently to secure secondary and technical partners to support him in the "Everest" of ocean racing and in his intensive physical preparation program, under the guidance of his coach.

The project can now enter training mode. Fabrice Amedeo will be learning all the subtleties of sailing the 60 foot boat, clocking up as many miles as he can from the boat's home port of Trinité sur Mer. He will also navigate a series of voyages with his co-skipper for the soon-to-be announced Transat Jacques Vabre.





"We've just entered another important phase," said a pleased Fabrice Amedeo. "The Newrest–Matmut team worked hard to ensure the deadlines were respected, with the boat being launched in early July as scheduled. A real team spirit has developed around this boat and the challenge we are facing together. I can now get out there and sail, discover the boat, gain experience, and in so doing build up my confidence. Let the adventure begin! I have been preparing for this for a long time, and I have been giving it my all, spending all my time working towards this ambitious sporting goal."

The Reporters du Large project explained by Fabrice Amedeo

"Reporters du Large [Reporters at Sea] came out of the idea that ocean racing is a top class sport, but also an adventure, a voyage with an editorial dimension that can inspire the general public. Above all, my athletic ambitious are what motivate me to do this sport, and I prepare for these races with the same discipline as any elite athlete. This is a huge challenge that forces me to reconcile my landlocked life as a journalist in Paris. But I am equally motivated by a strong desire to cover the race from the inside and to share my experience with the general public, telling them about the competition, life on board, strange encounters, nature... The public's strong fascination with ocean racing is evident when you see just how many people gather every four years along the harbour entrance channel in les Sables d'Olonne for the start of the Vendée Globe, or that flock to the ramparts of the corsair city and to Cap Fréhel for the start of the Route du Rhum. It is not so much the race itself, but the adventure, the fact that we push back the boundaries while coming into contact with nature and the elements, and that makes us all dream. After more than 20,000 miles of racing in three years, and coming in ninth at the last Route de Rhum, I feel ready for the biggest challenge of my life: to be at the starting line of the Vendée Globe 2016. A new chapter is beginning with a bigger team, a new boat, new partners. Together we shall write a new page in the history of ocean racing, in contact with the world's leading sailors, while at the same time wishing to share with you the magic we find out on the water."

Et vogue le navire...



Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Peron team up for the Transat Jacques Vabre TUESDAY, 07 JULY 2015

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Fabrice Amedeo selected Eric Peron as his co-skipper for the Transat Jacques Vabre. The navigator from Brittany has charted a number of performances these past two years, whether in Olympic Sailing, Figaro Bénéteau 2 or round-the-world race. His extensive experience in ocean-sea racing is a precious asset for the skipper/journalist who has never really sailed on a 60-foot monohull. In July, Fabrice and his team will be discovering their new boat while, Eric, who has just returned from his challenging crewed round-the-world race, will be getting some well-deserved rest. Early August, both sailors will meet at Trinité-sur-Mer to alternate technical bay and offshore sailing before the final countdown in 2015.

Fabrice Amedeo: "I am very happy to have Eric Peron onboard Newrest – Matmut for the Transat Jacques Vabre. Though we met on several occasions during races and enjoyed each other's company, we have never sailed together before this adventure. Complicity between sailors is key to success both on and off sea. I am convinced we both have what it takes to win this race. Eric is very talented and his insight on electronics and sailing techniques will definitely help. Eric is also a great communicator, he always has a story to tell, this makes him the ideal partner for this Transat!"

Eric Peron: "After nine months of training around the globe, I am honored to pair with Fabrice for the Transat Jacques Vabre. I remember when he first suggested teaming up, I said yes without hesitating. It is not every day that you have the opportunity to sail with someone you are on the same page with. Because I am also thinking of the Vendée Globe, this is a great opportunity to test a 60-foot Imoca monohull"

Eric Peron: Founder of the Club d'Entreprises "Be One Team", finished 3rd at the Volvo Ocean Race 2014 – 2015 with his Dongfeng Race Team, 5th at the Transat AG2R 2014 with Nicolas Lunven, 2nd at the Transat AG2R 2012 with Erwan Tabarly, 4th at the Solitaire du Figaro 2010 and 5th at the Athens Olympics week in 470.

Newrest Wagons-Lits France obtains certification TUESDAY, 07 JULY 2015

Newrest Wagons-Lits France obtains ISO 9001:2008 certification for its national TGV onboard services

(Toulouse, Monday July 6th, 2015) --- Newrest Wagons–Lits France is proud to announce its ISO 9001:2008 certification by Bureau Veritas for its TGV onboard services.

This 3-year certification starts on June 26th, 2015 and ends on June 25th 2018.

As a reminder, Newrest Wagons-Lits France won the tender for onboard TGV catering services in July 2013 for a kick-off in November of that same year. Less than 3 months later, Newrest Wagons-Lits France was already preparing for ISO 9001:2008 certification.

Newrest Wagons-Lits France adds that the company has also applied for this same certification for its services onboard Intercités trains.

This approach is part of a broader Newrest Group philosophy revolving around process standardization and top quality services.

New OBS reception point inaugurated in Paris

THURSDAY, 09 JULY 2015

Newrest Wagon-Lits, subsidiary of the Newrest Group, yesterday inaugurated the new reception point for On-board Service at its Paris Montparnasse unit. After several weeks of renovation, the Newrest Wagons-Lits cabin crew was able to enjoy the completely refurbished facilities.

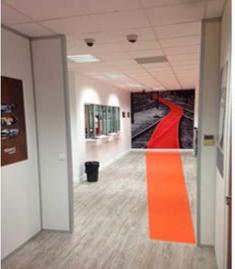
The inauguration also included the presentation of 26 of the 77 medals for work in the railway sector awarded this month to Newrest Wagons-Lits France employees. Congratulations to the medal winners!













Newrest Canonica Switzerland participates in the Corporate Games

THURSDAY, 09 JULY 2015

For over 25 years, the Corporate Games have brought private companies, territorial collectivities and institutions together for 3 days of inter-company sports competitions.

The Corporate Games are organized every year in different cities around the world. In 2014, some 19 Corporate Games events were held, making it the largest inter-company sporting competition of its kind in the world.

Congrats to all the Newrest Switzerland teams! Catering kitchen teams and even co-CEO Jonathan Stent-Torriani joined in the fun. Thanks to their participation, the Games were an enormous success! Their commitment and the positive image they put forward during the two-day competition make them worthy Newrest representatives.





Newrest Cyprus & British Airways FRIDAY, 10 JULY 2015

Effective the 9th of July, Newrest Cyprus is proud to begin catering services for British Airways. British Airways currently serves 2 times daily flights going to London Heathrow Airport from Larnaca.





Newrest Angola organizes the Presidential cocktail

MONDAY, 13 JULY 2015

Newrest Angola had the privilege of organizing a cocktail event at the Lycée Français Alouine Blondin Beye on the occasion of French President François Hollande's visit in Luanda on July 02, 2015. Newrest Angola teams showed their commitment and professionalism in preparing the reception, which was a great success. This event is telling of the growing influence of the Angolan subsidiary on the catering industry.



Newrest Dubrovnik wins the Golden Kuna award

THURSDAY, 16 JULY 2015

Newrest Dubrovnik was awarded first prize for the region's best-performing mid-sized company by the Croatian Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

The prize recognizes the top-performing businesses in the region according to three main criteria: financial performance, quality in terms of service and image, and their contribution to developing the Croatian economy in general.

Congratulations to our colleagues in Croatia!



Newrest Peru celebrates Independence Day TUESDAY, 28 JULY 2015

In celebration of the national Peruvian holiday on July 28 and 29, Newrest Peru decorated its restaurants and prepared special meals and entertainment, both for their Remote Sites and for their Catering Operations. The menus were changed to feature regional buffets and traditional national dishes.











Emirates' A380 at Madrid's airport MONDAY, 03 AUGUST 2015

Newrest Madrid's team proudly welcomed first Emirates A380 in the Spanish capital on Saturday 1st of August. The Iberian team, already in charge of Emirates' giant in Barcelona since one year and a half, now also serves the A380 in Madrid. Newrest Group wholeheartedly thanks Emirates for their confidence!









South African Airways in Accra THURSDAY, 06 AUGUST 2015

This Sunday, Newrest Ghana had the chance to continue its long lasting collaboration with South African Airways by servicing their A340-600 coming from Johannesburg to Washington. We wish a full success to South African Airways in their international development from Accra platform.





Newrest Matmut dans le Figaro WEDNESDAY, 12 AUGUST 2015

Fabrice Amadeo, skipper of the Newrest Matmut sailboat, is in Le Figaro.

Click here to read the article (http://www.newrest.eu/images/2015/News/FabriceAmedeo-Le-Figaro.pdf)

New agreement en Angola FRIDAY, 14 AUGUST 2015

Newrest Angola launched its first catering services in the Quinfukena Base in Soyo, for the Somoil group. The beginning of the operations on this Onshore site mobilised every team of the branch, who were present by deploying every skills they have, to offer the best of their service from the very first day. That contract allows Newrest Angola to consolidate its positions in the dynamic region of the north of the country.





Cape Town Lounge management contract

WEDNESDAY, 19 AUGUST 2015

dnata Newrest wins the Cape Town Lounge management contract (South Africa) for the Emirates company. After Johannesburg, this is in the third biggest airport in Africa that the Emirates Company chose the dnata Newrest skills to welcome and cosset their privileged travellers.

Emirates currently operates 2 daily departures from the Cape Town International Airport. The Lounge will open for both lunch and dinner services daily to accommodate First and Business Class passengers. Startup is planned on 1st November 2015.

dnata Newrest is current service provider for the Emirates Lounge at Johannesburg airport where we currently service passengers for 4 daily flights.

A humanitarian project in Madagascar

Newrest Madagascar has pledged support for a food diversification project aimed at providing protein and calcium for 294 children in the village of Tanjondroa, located 25 km from the capital. Newrest is participating in this program by sending monthly food donations in partnership with Aéropartage and B'SaN Asso. Developed within this partnership, the "nutrition" project aims to put in place structured and organized coordination around the Aéropartage life center based in Tanjondroa. The objective is to build on existing actions to develop projects that impact on daily wellbeing and child health, fight hunger to promote better learning and offer better education as a result.

Aéropartage is a humanitarian non-profit organization that was created in 1997. It is essentially composed of staff from Corsair (an airline company) and devotes its members' aeronautical skills to helping the most disadvantaged people, especially children.

The Wellbeing, Health and Nutrition Association (B'SaN Asso) is on a mission to develop international solidarity actions based on wellbeing, nutrition, health and sustainable development. It aims to fight malnutrition in particular through nutrition and health education measures and by promoting maternal and child health.



Newrest Matmut - Offshore training WEDNESDAY, 02 SEPTEMBER 2015



Newrest Wacasco has signed 44 scholarships with the Ministry of Higher Edu-

MONDAY, 07 SEPTEMBER 2015

In line with continuous efforts to support the local community, Newrest Wacasco has decided to sponsor 44 students at Waljat College for 3 years.

The Ministry of Higher Education has signed an agreement with Newrest Wacasco to support 44 families and students and obtain a 3 years diploma free of cost.

This agreement confirms Newrest Wacasco's belief in developing the local community and ensures sustainable development. Aurelie Gueguen, General Manager of Newrest Wacasco has stated: This partnership is another contribution from Newrest Wacasco to the national educational system and enhance local community skills as we are very proud to be part of this program with The Ministry of Higher Education. Mr. Khursheed Ashraf, Waleed Associate General Manager of Commercial Division has added that the Newrest Wacasco is playing a positive role in the education contribution and I believe this will have positive impact on the company. Mr. Hamed Humood Al Balushi, The Director General of Scholarship at The Ministry of Higher Education said this will encourage other private sector companies to provide such good initiatives. Announcement and selection of candidates will be done through an unified admission center shortly.





Newrest Photo Contest 2015 Winners FRIDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER 2015

Over the last few weeks, Newrest employees have been taking their best shot at winning a photo contest organized by the Group. Over 200 images have been submitted from all over the world!

The winner of the "Newrest Photo Contest 2015" is Marc Giraud (Newrest Morocco) who entered this photo:



The photo, entitled "Nous sommes juste des coupeurs de tomates" (We're just tomato cutters) is one of three shots inspired by "Minimiam", a photo series by Pierre Javelle & Akiko Ida. Marc submitted this description with his entry: "I captured 3 playful scenes, combining food landscapes with some typically 'Newrest' images. It's a fun style that uses macro photography to create a story with food. The viewer is drawn into the image because childhood memories come rushing back. Let's all take a big bite out of life with Newrest. Bon appétit!"







And here are the photos sent in by the other four contest finalists:

Vanessa Sol - Newrest Canonica Nice



Matthieu Caumont - Newrest Servair Canada



Alexandre Lelievre - Newrest Madagascar



Bruno Hériché - Newrest Algeria



Newrest Madagascar supports Tamatave's Civil Defense Unit

FRIDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER 2015

On September 3, 2015, Newrest Madagascar signed a donation agreement in favor of Tamatave's Civil Defense Unit. With its the donation of equipment, Newrest is pleased to support the construction of a new camp for this army corps, the main mission of which is to manage emergencies. Construction has started and the camp should open in approximately six months.









A Deli'Malinche opens in Costa Rica

Only three months after launching its operations in Costa Rica, the Newrest Group is proud to announce the inauguration of its first restaurant specifically created for Central America: the Deli'Malinche.

















This novel concept, now open in San José's airport, was inspired by the local values of a country committed to ecotourism. Focused on flora, the image is emblematically flamboyant.

This is the first in the Malinche brand range, based on local culture and regional cuisine. Upon arriving, patrons are invited to a discovery of its food offering in a colorful decor with highlights reminiscent of nature.

The Deli'Malinche is a prelude to the upcoming launch of a series of new restaurant concepts in Costa Rica and also throughout Latin America.

PRESS RELEASE

Newrest wins the bid for catering on board Comboios de Portugal's Alfa Pendular trains

Toulouse, September 21, 2015 - Portugal's Comboios de Portugal (CP) company has entrusted its on-board catering for the 20 daily Alfa Pendular trains to Newrest in addition to its night and Intercity train services already in place. These trains, transporting 1.5 million passengers per year, operate on the Brago, Porto, Lisbon and Faro line, commonly known as the "backbone" of Portugal's rail system.

This new contract further consolidates Newrest Wagons-Lits' leadership position and its relationship with Portugal's national company that started in 2002.

To optimize the experience of travelers and turn on-board catering into a key differentiator and preferential selection criterion for Comboios de Portugal, Newrest Portugal has designed two new concepts: "Viagens & Sabores" for trolley service in "Conforto" class, and "Café do Alfa Pendular" for bar service.

Innovation, generosity and authenticity

Newrest's chefs will prepare hot dishes with products sourced exclusively in Portugal.

Through this partnership, Newrest, strongly committed to sustainable development, intends to promote a high-quality image of on-board catering based on artisanal production, while participating in the development of the regional economy and favoring short supply circuits.





Newrest Ghana – Gold Medals Awards

WEDNESDAY, 23 SEPTEMBER 2015

Newrest Ghana has participated in the just concluded 4th Edition of Ghana Business Olympics Games. Our company was the overall 2nd best amongst the 40 companies that participated in various games. Moreover, Newrest Ghana's employees awarded Golden trophies in three categories: Swimming, Scrabble and Chess. Congratulations to the winners!











Lycée Français of Mascate MONDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 2015

Newrest Wacasco successfully launched its catering services at the "Lycee Francais of Mascate" with an enthusiastic response from students and teachers alike.

Marcel & Linda received a warm welcome on the first day and will continue to make "Break-Time" a fun filled experience for the children.

Newrest aims to maintain a happy and healthy environment for the lunch break hour and plans to conduct educational activities in the near future as part of their "Healthy Living Campaign".



Glencore Tintaya: 200,000 accident-free hours

Newrest Peru celebrated 200,000 accident-free hours on our client Glencore's Tintaya/Antapaccay project in the presence of our Vice-President Americas and Polynesia.

This success represents two years of accident-free operations and contributes to the positive overall results achieved on our client's site. Our contract with Glencore has also been renewed.

Congratulations to all of our teams for their outstanding work which has led to these excellent results!





Newrest Matmut and the Défi Azimut regatta

MONDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 2015

On Saturday, September 26, one month from the launch of the Transat Jacques Vabre race, the "Défi Azimut" boats set sail:

With Lorient as the point of departure and arrival, 15 IMOCA 60s took part in this race, which covers close to



Photo: Yvan Zedda. Published in "Le Télégramme" dated Saturday 26th September 2015.

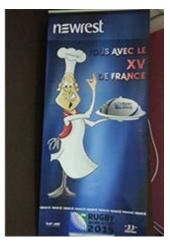
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Newrest Algeria celebrates the Rugby world Cup

During the Rubgy World Cup, 12 evening events with the theme "Tapas & Kebabs" were organized. Attendees were able to view the matches broadcast live on a big screen at the restaurant of the French Embassy in Algeria. Just like the French team up until now, Newrest has put forth a stellar performance in managing this restaurant since 19 July 2015.







TAM begins activities in Barcelona THURSDAY, 08 OCTOBER 2015

gers a top-class travelling experience.

Last Friday 2nd October 2015, TAM airlines kicked off business departing from Barcelona El Prat airport. Newrest Servair Barcelona teams will now cater the three weekly B767-300 flights to São Paulo, offering two-class service (30 passengers in business class and 191 in economy, plus 12 cabin crew members). This is the second airport from which Newrest caters airline flights, after beginning operations for the daily

B777-300 TAM flight departing Paris Charles de Gaulle airport. Newrest's catering services will provide TAM with fresh products, in business and economy class alike. In fact, the LATAM Group emphasizes this, in order to set itself apart from the competition and offer passen-

We thank the LATAM Group for its continued trust in our services.











Newrest opens a restaurant for TASA in Peru THURSDAY, 08 OCTOBER 2015

Newrest Peru has opened the first restaurant for the company TASA, the leader in fish products. TASA is the number one producer and exporter of fishmeal and fish oil in Peru. After the successful inauguration of the restaurant in Pucusana (1 hr south of Lima) in September, Newrest Peru will open four other TASA restaurants by the 1st December at various factories operated by the client, located over the entire Peruvian coast (Huacho, Pisco, Atico and Callao). Our teams are in place to prepare for these new restaurants.





Newrest Congo caters the Hercules 260 FRIDAY, 09 OCTOBER 2015

Offshore rig Hercules 260 has arrived in Congo after passing through Gabonese waters. Newrest Congo is continuing the work initially carried out by Newrest Gabon between April and September 2015, and welcomes the ship coming from the town of Port Gentil. Our teams will be serving meals to the 90 people travelling on board.





Newrest Video Contest 2015 Winners FRIDAY, 09 OCTOBER 2015

M. Tambo Sow, from Newrest Wagons-Lits France, is the winner of the video contest held for all Group employees. Congratulations to him for his creativity!



The Cape Town team is a finalist in the "Newrest Video Contest". Congrats to them as well!



Newrest sets sail for the Transat Jacques Vabre

THURSDAY, 15 OCTOBER 2015

Just a few days left before the start of the 12th edition of the Transat Jacques Vabre, a transatlantic race completed in teams of two. The course links Le Havre to Itajai, located on the south coasts of Brazil; it stretches on for over 8,500 kilometers and has been held every two years since 1993. The Transat Jacques Vabre route, also called "The coffee route" is inspired by the historical itinerary of sailboats bringing coffee to France from Brazil.

Fabrice Amedeo, sailor and explorer, will race his Imoca 60, bearing the Newrest and Matmut colors. This race will be key in determining whether he participates in the Vendée-Globe next year.

Newrest will be present at the Start Village in Le Havre from October 16th to 25th 2015. The Jacques Vabre race kicks off on Sunday October 25th.



"Restaurants at the ends of the earth"

TF1 camera crews followed Newrest at the start of summer for a report showing the difficulties faced by French restaurant owners all over the world.

The documentary shows Louis Marie de Geyer d'Orth of Newrest Chile, who runs one of the highest restaurants in the world, at the ALMA Observatory support facility. His restaurant feeds 300 people a day, at 5000 meters altitude. He gives us an inside look into a typical day.



Transat Jacques Vabre Start village MONDAY, 19 OCTOBER 2015

The Newrest Group and co-sponsor Matmut are both geared up for the start of the "Jacques Vabre Transat" taking place on Sunday October 25th, 2015 in Le Havre. Skippers of the Newrest-Matmut boat Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Peron got off to a great start by winning the race "prologue" last Saturday!

Fabrice Amedeo: "It's a pleasure to represent Newrest and Matmut, our two major partners for the Transat Jacques Vabre. It was my first time sailing on a J/80. Eric was great and we had an excellent team-mate that we'd met that morning! We'll rest a bit until Wednesday morning, and then we'll really get into the swing of things until the big day on Sunday."

More info available on the Reporters du Large website.







Photo credit: Jean-Marie Liot

New contract for Newrest Peru

TUESDAY, 20 OCTOBER 2015

Newrest Peru began a new corporate catering contract (B&I) on October 19 in Lima for the company SMI. This company specializes in producing plastic bottles.

Newrest will cater to 400 SMI employees and subcontractors 7 days a week in a completely renovated restaurant.







D-4 before the Transat Jacques Vabre

THURSDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2015

With the start of the 12th edition of the Transat Jacques Vabre fast approaching on Sunday, Fabrice Amedeo (Newrest-Matmut) moved one stage further in his bid to conquer the Mount Everest of the sailing world, the Vendée Globe 2016. For his first transatlantic race in an Imoca, the boat of choice for transoceanic sailing, Fabrice will race alongside notable professional Eric Péron from the Finistère region. Both men have had strikingly different sailing experiences, but have found essential common ground to share the adventure between Normandy and Brazil, with just the right balance between apprenticeship and sporting effort. After crossing the Atlantic 7 times, and for this his second participation in the Transat Jacques Vabre, Amedeo is thrilled to try his hand at Imoca-class racing, conscious of the hierarchy required for the boats involved. But his drive for success is greater than ever, and his eyes will be steadfast on the horizon in this, one of his most decisive races to date.

More information on the Reporters du Large website.



Photo credit: Jean-Marie Liot

The adventure has begun!

Newrest-Matmut off to a great start

Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Péron, had the best performance of the entire fleet of the 12th edition of the Transat Jacques Vabre. The wind was especially light, but the sun was out in all its glory as the pair managed to find the wind they needed to reach the outposts and take the lead in their single hull vessel. Just after 5 pm, Fabrice and Eric were in third place in the IMOCA category, passing the Etretat marker. The winners of the Transat Jacques Fabre 2015 have jumped off to a wonderful start, crossing the Atlantic on the way to Brazil.

More information on the Reporters du Large website.



Photo credit: Reporters du Large

Newrest Madagascar lends its support to the "Entendre le Monde" association

TUESDAY, 27 OCTOBER 2015

The "Entendre le Monde" association, in partnership with Newrest – Ambatovy, will complete a mission in Madagascar from 8 to 13 November 2015.

The president of the association, professor Bertrand Gardini, and three other surgeons / anesthesiologists will head to Tamatave from France. Their objectives will be to screen for hearing problems, mainly in children, and to operate on certain conditions, train medical-surgery teams and provide medical supplies. The mission will take place within the Morafeno and Analakininina university hospitals.

Upon their return to France, members of the mission will maintain support for the Tamatave doctors via internet, following up on patients and analyzing complicated cases. Some 550 Newrest Madagascar employees manage catering and the Ambatovy camp, providing logistical, financial and human support.



Follow the Transat Jacques Vabre 2015 TUESDAY, 27 OCTOBER 2015

Our skippers Fabrice Amedeo and Éric Péron share their experience so far during the transoceanic race.



Follow the Newrest-Matmut boat live on the Transat Jacques Fabre website.

Flashback to the superb departure of Newrest – Matmut wednesday, 28 October 2015



More information on the Reporters du Large website.

A "taste workshop" in Algeria THURSDAY, 29 OCTOBER 2015

The senses awaken!

During the "Semaine du Goût" tasting week, children at the Petite Ecole d'Hydra (PEH) school in Algiers participated in the "taste workshop" organised by the team at Newrest Algeria.

Throughout the day, more than 100 pupils had an opportunity to learn about the four basic tastes and five senses. A taste test was organised and everyone joined the fun and passed the test. No doubt, some budding chefs are in our midst!





Transat: like and like again thursday, 29 October 2015

Everything is fine on board this Thursday morning. The Newrest/Matmut ranks ninth, and the skippers are determined not to push the boat's limits just for show. No risks of incurring damage will be taken as the Transat is just a training session for the Vendée Globe.

Others are not faring as well. Six have already abandoned the race, and Hugo Boss is on its way to the port of Vigo for repairs (and worse even, if there is too much damage). The Bateau des Métiers is returning to Sables d'Olonne for the same reasons.

Don't forget to check out the skippers' news on Reporters du Large and, especially, to massively "like" to encourage Fabrice Amedeo and his teammate to send news (by clicking on the small heart under the various photos).

You will see the links for the Facebook and Twitter accounts, as well as email addresses to send messages of support.



Transat Jacques Vabre - Day 4 FRIDAY, 30 OCTOBER 2015

This video, sent yesterday evening by Fabrice Amedeo, shows the life of the Newrest – Matmut duo since Sunday: wet weather, strong crosswinds, a stormy sea... Fabrice and Eric are seventh in the interim overall rankings of the 12th edition of the Transat Jacques Vabre.



Newrest Peru celebrates Halloween

FRIDAY, 30 OCTOBER 2015

Constancia's restaurant is disguised for Halloween. Newrest's teams excelled with their decorations for our mining clients 4,200 metres above the sea level!

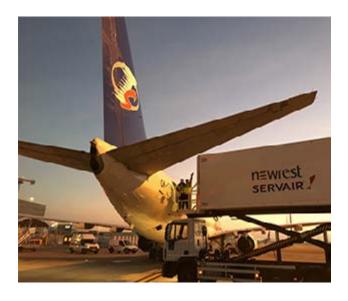






Denim Air start-up in Brussels MONDAY, 02 NOVEMBER 2015

Denim Air will operate for Sunweb 3 flights per week departing from Brussels to Egypt and Canary Islands. Flights will be operated with a Boeing 737. Newrest Servair will arrange the assortment and uplift of the 100% buy-on-board & duty-free flight.



Launch of operations for two new contracts in Belgium and New Caledonia MONDAY, 02 NOVEMBER 2015

The month started off extremely well for Newrest Group International with the launch of catering operations for the TUI group's Jet Air Fly. Newrest Servair will provide its services for the 10,000 flights per year departing from five Belgian airports: Brussels, Antwerp, Ostend, Liège and Charleroi.

On the other side of the globe, the Vale group's Deep South plant employs 1,079 individuals directly, and relies on 2,810 employees at 70 subcontractors. Since 1 November, Newrest New in Caledonia has been in charge of managing this remote site, including catering and lodging, along with all of the related services.











J+9 Transat Jacques Vabre TUESDAY, 03 NOVEMBER 2015

Transat Jacques Vabre - Mardi 3 nov...

Plus d'informations sur le site web Reporters du Large.

Inauguration of the Lindley La Molina Restaurant WEDNESDAY, 04 NOVEMBER 2015

Today, Newrest in Peru inaugurated the new restaurant for the Lindley company (Coca Cola's designated producer in Peru). Located in the suburbs of Lima, in La Molina, this new site will serve more than 250 individuals per day.









J+10 Transat Jacques Vabre WEDNESDAY, 04 NOVEMBER 2015



Halloween in the Star Alliance lounge THURSDAY, 05 NOVEMBER 2015

Last weekend, Newrest France celebrated Halloween in the Star Alliance lounge at Charles de Gaulle airport in Paris. Travellers enjoyed the decorations and Halloween pastries and drinks.









Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Péron "are" Movember

FRIDAY, 06 NOVEMBER 2015

Newrest, Fabrice Amedeo's principal partner along with Matmut, launched an internal Movember campaign to fight male diseases. Our Newrest – Matmut skippers, who currently rank 8th in the Transat Jacques Vabre Imoca category, support these efforts. Like many men throughout the world, the duo has grown moustaches to support men's health.

The Movember Foundation is an international not-for-profit association committed to helping men achieve a happier, healthier and longer life. Since 2003, millions of individuals have joined this movement that promotes men's health by collecting €485 million and financing more than 1,000 programmes related to prostate and testicular cancer, mental health issues and physical inactivity.

Support #Movember and check out the Newrest-Matmut's position live on the Transat Jacques Vabre website.



Newrest Wacasco & Burjeel Medical Centre MONDAY, 09 NOVEMBER 2015

For the second year running, Newrest Wacasco in Oman and Burjeel Medical Centre opened its doors to a free consultation program for clinical breast examination. As screening plays an important role in women's health and well-being, Newrest Wacasco and Burjeel Medical Centre are always looking at opportunities to participate in various humanitarian initiatives designed to serve the society and which contribute in spreading awareness about health aspects.



J+15 Transat Jacques Vabre MONDAY, 09 NOVEMBER 2015



Plus d'informations sur le site web Reporters du Large et sur le site web de la Transat Jacques Vabre.

Communiqué de presse : Nouvelle-Calédonie

MONDAY, 09 NOVEMBER 2015

VALE NC entrusts Newrest with managing its remote site for the Grand-Sud factory in New Caledonia

VALE New Caledonia (VALE NC) selected Newrest to manage its accommodation and catering services on their nickel-cobalt production complex at the Grand-Sud factory.

The Vale New Caledonia industrial complex has a surface area of 19 hectares and includes an open-air mine and an ore-processing plant. Production is rising steadily, and should reach 57,000 tons of nickel oxide and 4,500 tons of cobalt carbonate in the long term. To successfully complete these operations, Vale NC has a little over 3,000 employees, including 1,400 direct employees and 70 subcontractor companies. Newrest will provide services at the remote site and satellite structures for the Grand-Sud factory – a total of 1,000,000 meals and some 300,000 overnight stays per year.

This is a world class project, one of the biggest investments in France, after the Flamanville EPR in the Manche region and the microelectronics investment by STMicroelectronics and various partners of Crolles in the Isère region.

VALE NC meets the highest standards in terms of health and safety, sustainable development and industrial safety, while helping create sustainable wealth in New Caledonia. With Newrest, this company has found a partner that shares its values and commitments. The VALE Group has thus decided to continue the collaboration already initiated with the Newrest group in the Sultanate of Oman, where close to 450 people have been served at the Sohar site's restaurant since 2011.

VALE NC has been receptive to the economic, social and community commitments presented in Newrest's proposal, seeking to carry out substantive work with the communities close to the site. The majority of purchases will thus be made locally, sub-contractors will be selected from communities and the local staff currently on-site will be maintained.

Upon the signing of the contract, Olivier Sadran, co-President of the Newrest Group declared: "I'm thrilled about this new contract, which will allow the Group to establish itself in New Caledonia and thus continue our development in the overseas territories. Newrest is already operating in French Polynesia."

About VALE New Caledonia Vale

New Caledonia is a laterite-extraction and nickel and cobalt-producing company, located in South New Caledonia. Ore treatment is based on hydrometallurgy, an innovative technology used to treat laterite with low nickel content. Vale New Caledonia belongs to Vale, a Brazilian group, the top nickel producer in the world, and world leader in iron ore production. Vale New Caledonia currently employs 3,000 people, including 1,400 direct employees. For more information, please visit: www.vale.nc

About Newrest

Created in 1996 under the name Catair, the Newrest Group, founded by Co-CEOs Olivier Sadran and Jonathan Stent-Torriani, is today the only catering company active on all industry sectors for catering and associated services: airline catering, buy-on-board, duty free on board, railway catering, remote site management and support services, corporate catering and restaurant concessions for airport and auto route locations. With its 28,000 employees present in 49 countries, the Newrest Group, with managed turnover of €1.4 billion euros, is the second largest independent airline caterer in the world.

At the end of financial year 2014 (30 September), 90.1% of the Group's capital is management-held (250 employees). The capital balance is held by the Group's historical partners: Naxicap Partners (5.5%), Ardian (formerly Axa PE) (2.9%) and BNP Paribas Dvpt (1.5%).

Newrest has committed itself to a process of continuous improvement and innovation in the services offered to its clients, as well as the well-being and growth of employees and executives. The company is steadfastly committed to its sustainable development, and maintaining the utmost respect for social and environmental values.











Transat Jacques Vabre - Day 18

THURSDAY, 12 NOVEMBER 2015

Newrest is once again in 8th position, and is holding steady. The race is becoming closer between the three boats after considerably wide gaps during the day yesterday. At 2 pm today, a mere ½ nm separated Newrest from Bureau Vallée following closely behind. Just one boat was ahead of them by 21 nm.

With the winds as they were, average speeds dropped from 12 nds to 6 or 7 nds. But this was expected. If conditions remain the same, arrival at Itajaï is plausible tomorrow in the middle of the afternoon (Paris time). But which boat will pull in first? Suspense!

In the news this morning, on the **Reporters du Large** website, Fabrice Amedeo was confident:

Estimated time of arrival: Friday at noon

"We're not tired at all", says Fabrice Amedeo, a few hours before arriving in Itajaï, the end of a rough racing stretch of about 5,400 nautical miles. "We had our highs and lows in this race, after a great start, we did a good job of getting round two huge depressions in the Gulf of Gascogne. A lot of other boats fell victim to those. With that boost in confidence, I think we subconsciously eased up a little, maybe too much. But our "Pack of four" with MASC, Comme un seul homme and Bureau Vallée put us back into the swing of things and we're back in full race mode. We put up a good fight, and this Transat will be a success for us if we manage to keep 8th place ahead of Bureau Vallée." This is the first imoca 60 Transat for Fabrice, and his co-skipper Jacques Vabre has completely fulfilled his promises and objectives. "I feel like a runner able to able to manage this boat single-handedly. I feel like it's made for a novice like me; it's really robust and well-designed with this "hood" protecting the cockpit. We'll make it even more water-tight. And there's this ergonomic interior living space, that's absolutely perfect for resting and doing our mapwork..." (See photo below for the "hood").

Positions on 12 November at 2 pm (ahead of Initiative Cœur, and Souffle du Nord est by 5 nm (9.2 km) from the finish)



The "hood"

Fabrice spoke about it several times to emphasize how much it added to the skippers' comfort. Under the cabin "roof" (indicated by red rectangle on photo) with one part of it in plexiglass, we can see a "mini roof". This "mini roof" slides out in the direction of the red arrow to cover the cockpit: It's this "mini roof" that the sailors call the "hood". It protects them from the sun but especially the rain and wind when they're in the cockpit.





Newrest Peru & Banco de la Nación

FRIDAY, 13 NOVEMBER 2015

On Monday 9 November, the contract between Newrest Peru and Banco de la Nación became effective. Newrest Peru began providing services to two La Banco de la Nación sites in Lima for a total of approximately 450 meals a day.

Banco de la Nación is the representative bank for the Peruvian State in its public- and private-sector business transactions. It falls directly under the Ministry of the Economy and Finance.

In the year 2016, both sites will be housed in the brand new Banco de la Nación building, where the IMF meeting was held in Lima last October. This new building is located right next to the Culture Ministry, where Newrest's Peruvian subsidiary already provides its services.





Transat Jacques Vabre: home straight FRIDAY, 13 NOVEMBER 2015



Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Péron 8th at Itajaí

MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2015

The 12th edition of the Transat Jacques Vabre Imoca boat race came to a close with Newrest-Matmut arriving just before 7 pm, in 8th place in its category. Of the 20 boats that lined up at the start on October 25th, only 9 managed to overcome the innumerable difficulties encountered over the 5,400 nautical miles of the race. Although they battled until the last stretch to beat the Bureau Vallée duo of Burton and Attanasio, by earning 8th place with just 3 minutes and 37 seconds of a lead, Amedeo and Péron will certainly come away with wonderful memories of their first major Imoca 60 race. Both men complemented one another remarkably; Péron with his vast experience, and Amedeo ever so willing to share his desire to win and take the lead. Enriched by this fabulous adventure, Fabrice Amedeo already has his sights set upon Saint-Barth and the start of the return race towards Port la Forêt, scheduled for December 6th, a new race against the elements before the one-year deadline of the Vendée Globe.





Photo credit: Jean-Marie Liot / DPPI / Newrest-Matmut

A final filled with suspense

"We are thrilled that we beat Bureau Vallée after the last 24 hours. Our 8th position was decided in 3 minutes!" admitted Fabrice Amedeo after pulling in at Itajaí. "We fought head to head with that boat and it had the same Farr signature as ours. It was our own exciting mini race from the coast of Brazil. The final, after over 10 000 km, was stunning because only a dozen or so meters separated us at the finish! Our little edge on the coast around Cap Frio hurt us a bit though. We also suffered a little with two small hiccups that really slowed us down, first when had to dive under the keel to remove a net that was floating there, then we had to get our Gennaker because the halyard was broken." Eric Péron also took immense pleasure in the close race for the last few nautical miles. "It's nice to end up such a long race in "match mode" with a boat so similar to ours."

A grueling event

Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Péron embarked on the Transat Jacques Fabre adventure and its 5,400 miles of ocean and unsure weather with a humble attitude. For both skippers, it was the first time crossing the Atlantic on board an Imoca vessel, support class of the Vendée Globe. Stormy weather during the first days, with the severe autumn depressions that knocked out half the fleet coming out of the Channel, made this a real test for the men, their sailor reflexes, mental resources and for the boat, which took quite a beating in the 6-7 meter troughs, and in the often contrary winds of over 45 knots. Fabrice and Eric braved it all and sailed on like true skippers. They were almost surprised themselves to discover the robustness of their Newrest-Matmut; "We went inside and waited for two windstorms to pass. The boat was taking a beating, but we could do nothing but wait it out," recalls Fabrice. The two men emerged along the Azores in the "right group": those who went far west to avoid the depression and in the leading pack. "We saw more and more boats fall victim and we really focused on our trajectory." Perhaps slower than new-generation sailboats, but also certainly less on the attack, Fabrice and Eric had only one objective: arrive at Itajaí. A goal shared by other competitors. From the Canary Islands marker, Newrest-Matmut was a part of the "pack of four", with three other sailboats of the same generation, survivors of the merciless wipeout during the first week of racing. MACSF (De Broc-Guillemot), Comme un seul homme (Bellion-Goodchild) and Bureau Vallée (Burton-Attanasio) were to be in each other's sights until the end of the race.

Tradewinds, spindrifts, sunsets... memories to last a lifetime.

A long slide south began off the Cap Vert, with relative monotony portside, broken only by a doldrum episode, particularly mild for the four boats. "The tradewinds made their presence felt" continued Fabrice, and the dip towards Brazil was the most enjoyable part of the race. We saw some amazing sunsets, and Eric and I enjoyed chatting and sharing these moments while we had dinner." Arriving on the Brazilian coasts was less enjoyable however, for the Newrest-Matmut team. The foursome held a tight pack, ending in a long match-race with Bureau Vallée. "We thought the last 1,500 miles would never end" said Eric Péron. Straight ahead in the eastern tradewind we were sailing in a sort of corridor with no other option in sight." The two skippers focused on the adjustments, coninually searching for that last inch of a knot that could make a long-term difference. As explained earlier, the arrival at Cap Frio was hardly welcoming for Newrest Matmut which was outstripped by its adversary before taking back the lead...

Looking ahead...

"We fought till the very end in this enormous bay of Rio, and I think we fulfilled our promise. We're bringing a boat in good condition to Itajaí, after all these unique and enriching experiences." explains Amedeo. "Eric was the perfect professional; patient and calm just as I expected. I've made so much progress. I feel fully confident to continue this adventure; I feel it's my destiny, to sail around the world in this boat. It's made for me and the ergonomics are wonderfully designed. The "strong box" is reassuring." Eric Péron added another notch to his sailing belt. "I love the Imoca 60s more than ever now. They're demanding, and tough on skippers, but fantastic to sail."

Here's what they had to say:

Olivier Sadran, Co-Président of Newrest: "On behalf of the Newrest Group, I salute the amazing performance of Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Péron in this incredibly selective race. They made magnificent progress and we stand proudly with them as they cross the finish. In every country where our Group is present, numerous collaborators have closely followed the progress of the Imoca Newrest-Matmut boat. I hope all the "likes" and messages they received helped boost their spirits and encourage them. They have so many fans here at Newrest! Fabrice and Eric allowed us to live extreme moments of emotion and excitement vicariously through their exploits. On behalf of Newrest, I thank them ever so warmly."

Daniel Havis, President of Matmut: "On behalf of all Matmut Group collaborators, I say well done and thank you to Fabrice Amedeo and Eric Péron. Well done, because their enthusiasm, talent and determination allowed them to rise to the challenge of the Transat Jacques Vabre. And thank you, because all of us at Matmut were in a way able to "climb on board" the Newrest-Matmut boat and live the magnificent human adventure of this race. Thanks to the many videos and posts, we fully enjoyed these weeks of racing. We're looking forward to the next challenge for the Newrest-Matmut sailboat!"

Note:

Newrest Matmut, 8th in the Imoca category

Race time: 19 days 05 hours 07 minutes 56 seconds Average for theoretical distance of 5 400 nm: 11.71 knots

Effective distance covered: 6 037 nm

Average: 13.09 knots

Fabrice Amedeo: age 37 from Levallois, in the Maine-et-Loire region. Seven trans-Atlantic races: Transat Jacques Vabre 2013, Quebec – Saint Malo 2012, Solidaire du Chocolat 2012, Route du Rhum 2010 and 2014 and the Transat AG2R 2008. Participated in the Solitaire du Figaro 2008. Eight participations in the Fastnet race. Journalist, author of 6 books. Fabrice wrote a book for the occasion of the 10th edition of the Route du Rhum.

Eric Péron: Founder of the Company Club "Be One Team", 3rd in the Volvo Ocean Race 2014 – 2015 with the Dongfeng Race Team, 5th in the Transat AG2R 2014 with Nicolas Lunven, 2nd in the Transat AG2R 2012 with Erwan Tabarly, 4th in the Solitaire du Figaro 2010, 5th in the Olympic week at Athens in 470 Sailing.

Newrest Wacasco & Al Baraka Oilfield Services

MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2015

Newrest Wacasco team has successfully managed to renew its contract with Al Baraka Oilfield Services and extend its services to another camp for the next two years. These award & renewal strategically fall well in line with Newrest Wacasco's objectives to further participate to Local Community Contractors and positively improve its In-Country Value credentials. The mobilization process is being meticulously prepared and shared with the client's representatives in order to smoothly mobilize the culinary crew by mid December 2015.



"Entendre le monde" Mission with the support of Newrest Madagascar

The Entendre Le Monde Association, in partnered with Newrest – Ambatovy, created 10 years ago, to complete a mission in Madagascar from November 8th to 13th 2015. The president of this association, Professor Bertrand Gardini, ENT surgeon in Toulouse, accompanied by another surgeon (Dr. Calmels) and two anesthesiologists, went to Tamatave in Madagascar. The mission was conducted at the Morafeno and Analakininina university hospitals (CHU). The doctors screened for hearing problems mainly in children, examined 35 patients and selected and operated on three children. They also trained medical-surgery teams and provided medical supplies. This mission is an ongoing one, since members of the team are still in contact with the Tamatave doctors via internet, to follow-up on patients and analyze complicated cases. Moreover, the Entendre le Monde Association plans to return to Tamatave once or twice a year in order to continue training local teams and provide medical material. This is the 4th mission conducted in Madagascar since 2012, when almost 50 patients were treated by this Association. Newrest Madagascar, with 620 employees managing catering and the Ambatovy site, supported this mission logistically, financially and by providing human resources.













Newrest in Costa Rica and Alaska Airlines

TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER 2015

Newrest in Costa Rica has begun its collaboration with Alaska Airlines, serving 7 flights a week. It operates 4 flights a week departing from Juan Santamaria International Airport in San José and 3 flights a week from Daniel Oduber Quirós International Airport in Liberia, Costa Rica.





New contract for Newrest in Angola

TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER 2015

Following a call for tender, Newrest in Angola has won the contract for managing three floating production and mooring systems (FPSO). These three sites on Block 15 are managed by OPS, an oil company and subsidiary of the SBM group (a major player in the global oil industry) on behalf of oil companies ENI and Exxon.

70 people will be mobilized to fulfil this contract, for which Italian and American cuisine will be the main focus to satisfy 310 customers. All supplies will originate from Angola, as has been the case since 2013 for all Newrest operations in this country. This is the third contract Newrest has won in the Soyo region since May 2015 (following Somoil and CGG). A complete solution will be provided: catering, cleaning and laundry services for all three operational sites.

Newrest Bolivie - Certifications

WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER 2015

Newrest Bolivia's teams have celebrated the ISO 22000 certification, as well as the renewal of the ISO 18000, 14000 and 9001 certifications.



Oman National Day Celebrations FRIDAY, 20 NOVEMBER 2015

On 18th of November 2015, Newrest Wacasco celebrated the 45th National Day.

During this momentous celebration, which was attended by the all of the headquarters' staff, Newrest Wacasco's General Manager took the opportunity to extend his warm wishes to his Omani National colleagues and his heartiest felicitations to His Majesty. The event was decorated by the national colors and concluded by a cake-cutting.

Newrest Wacasco also celebrated the forty-fifth National Day of Oman at the Lycée Français of Mascate with its students and members of the faculty. The students were encouraged to wear traditional Omani clothes and the turnaround was quite spectacular.











Newrest Greece & Aegean Airlines THURSDAY, 26 NOVEMBER 2015

Newrest is proud to announce the 3 years extension of partnership with Aegean Airlines, member of Star Alliance, out of its units network in Greece and Cyprus.

Athens hub is operated in combination with the regional bases of Thessaloniki, Heraklion Rhodes and Larnaca. In 2016 Aegean will be operating at a total of 145 different destinations, 111 international and 34 domestic in Greece. This network encompasses 45 different countries. Approximately 16.2 million seats will be made available, an increase of 1.1 million from 2015. The flights will be operated by a fleet of 61 aircrafts, one of the youngest fleets in Europe.





Nordwind begins operations in Mexico THURSDAY, 26 NOVEMBER 2015

Since 20 November, Newrest in Mexico has served all departures from Cancun International Airport for the Russian company Nordwind The Catering unit will serve two weekly Nordwind flights from December onwards.



Newrest en France serves 30 Presidential flights during the COP 21 WEDNESDAY, 7 DECEMBER 2015

With over 150 Heads of States visiting Paris for the opening session of the COP 21, our Parisian catering units had the honor to serve over 30 Presidential flights within 48 hours. It was an extremely busy weekend for Newrest's team in Paris, which was supported by other Newrest employees coming from our units in Lyon, Toulouse and Nice.

This operation required a lot of organization, flexibility and reactivity by our teams across France, not only in terms of cooking but also in terms of logistics as aircrafts were parked in several different airports across the country: one presidential flight even getting catering loaded as far out as Lyon. Regular catering operations continued as usual without any disruptions to our commercial customers.

Some of the distinguished visitors that trusted their Presidential catering to Newrest France include: Azerbaijan, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Equatorial Guinea, Finland, Ghana, India, Iraq, Kazakhstan, Kirgizstan, Kuwait, Mali, Mauritania, Mexico, Niger, Oman, Pakistan, Peru, Poland, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Sweden, Chad, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, Ukraine, Zimbabwe, ... We are proud of this milestone and we congratulate our French team.









A new race for Newrest-Matmut MONDAY, 07 DECEMBER 2015

There's not much to report ahead of the finish line of the St Barts-Port La Forêt Transat, the Vendée Globe 2016 qualifier in which Frédéric Amedeo is competing on the IMOCA Newrest-Matmut. There is no official website to follow the competitors as there was for the Jacques Vabre, which means we have no way of finding out the ranking in real time. Fabrice is expected to arrive between 16 and 18 December.



Here is what we found this morning on the website's «news" page:

At 4 pm (Paris time), 11 am in St Barts, 6 of the 7 IMOCA60 skippers in the St Barts/Port-La-Forêt Transat set off on their qualifying race for the Vendée Globe. The Irish skipper Enda O'Coineen (Currency House Kilcullen) has had to delay its departure due to technical issues. The rest of the fleet are currently heading north, under a strong trade-wind regime.

You don't need the sun to put on a show! IMOCA60 put on a great show this afternoon, under a cloudy sky off the island of St Barts. Paul Meilhat (SMA) was the first to cross the line, closely followed by Sébastien Josse (Edmond de Rothschild) and Thomas Ruyant (Le Souffle du Nord).

Slightly concerned but 100% focused, all the competitors in the Transat St Barts/Port-La-Forêt (except for Sébastien Josse) set off on their very first IMOCA60 solo transat at 15-16 knots on high seas.

A race to get ahead

In the next 24-36 hours, the solo competitors will attempt to make headway north in a constant 17-20 knots Easterly airstream, in order to leave the trade-wind regime and embark on the series of depressions that sweep from west to east in the North Atlantic. Their strategy will involve positioning themselves ahead of these weather systems to make the most of preceding airstreams.

A race within a race

The technical team of the Irish skipper Enda O'Coineen (Currency House Kilcullen) discovered engine problems yesterday. They are carrying out the necessary repairs as quickly as possible so that the skipper can set off within the next 12-24 hours (the regime is open for 5 days). This means it's a race against time for Enda O'Coineen, whose main objective is to qualify for the Vendée Globe like all the competitors taking part in the St Barts/Port-La-Forêt Transat.

Rankings as the fleet passed Cape Forchu, the first and last race mark before the finish line

- 1. Paul Meilhat SMA
- 2. Sébastien Josse Edmond de Rothschild
- 3. Thomas Ruyant Le Souffle du Nord
- 4. Morgan Lagravière Safran
- 5. Fabrice Amedeo Newrest-Matmut
- 6. Éric Holden O Canada
- 7. Enda O'Coineen Currency House Kilcullen

Another contract with Sinopec MONDAY, 07 DECEMBER 2015

The Chinese giant, Sinopec, has once more opened its doors to Newrest, and this time, in Oman.

The extensive prominence that Newrest Wacasco has with other Chinese clients, such as BGP and Great Wall Drilling Company, was a key factor to award this significant contract.

Located near the Omani-Saudi borders, this operation shall entail drastic logistics measures and the mobilization of some 20 culinary & hospitality professionals.



Jazz Charity Event in Canada MONDAY, 07 DECEMBER 2015

The Jazz Santa flight has become a Christmas tradition over the past years in several of Jazz hubs – this is the second year in a row it has been organized by the Jazz team in Toronto. Jazz team organized a day full of activities and surprises for sick and underprivileged children registered with the Toronto Ronald McDonald House Charities. The highlight of the event was a 45-minute flight over the city of Toronto in search of Santa. This was a very special day for many of the children as this was the first time they experienced flying.

It was with great pleasure for Newrest Toronto to participate by donating all food and beverage requirements for the morning brief, during flight, and lunch service, including SPML requirements for some of the children. The event organizers have shared their gratitude and very positive feedback of the meals provided - especially the child friendly options. We are grateful to have been able to take part of this event and help put a smile on the children's faces during the holidays.







Newrest in Peru and Transportes Cruz del Sur

Newrest in Peru has created a new line of business, providing catering for bus passengers on a daily basis. A first for the Group, Peru is actually the only country where Newrest provides this service.

Our new client, Transportes Cruz del Sur, charters over 70 buses every day departing from Lima. This is equivalent to between 2000 and 2500 covers a day, depending on the number of passengers. The catering service is adapted according to the departure time, bus type, journey length and final destination.

Every bus is equipped with an oven for re-heating and is managed by a team of three people (oven operator/stewardess).

To stay one step ahead of all operations, Newrest in Peru has provided a facility for assembly in situ. A sharp increase in volumes is expected between 15 December and 15 March as this is when the school summer holidays take place.



Happy birthday, Newrest!

Newrest in Spain is celebrating the 10 years of Newrest.















Newrest Angola is festive THURSDAY, 10 DECEMBER 2015







Newrest Greece and Cyprus are celebrating Newrest 10 years thursday, 10 December 2015









Croatia is also celebrating the 10 years of Newrest MONDAY, 14 DECEMBER 2015









Newrest Portugal never misses a festivity!













Newrest Birthday in the world MONDAY, 14 DECEMBER 2015









Newrest France searches for Santa Claus

WEDNESDAY, 16 DECEMBER 2015

On 9 December, the first edition in France of the «Flight in Search of Santa Claus» event was held, organised by Air Transat with the Association Petits Princes and Aéroports de Paris. This major première in France allowed 50 young children and their families to fly to the North Pole to look for Santa Claus, who joined them on board an Air Transat Airbus A330 once his sled landed on the airplane while in the skies.

This exceptional day started at the Air Transat check-in counter at the Paris-Charles de Gaulle Terminal 3 airport when the children and their families were handed their boarding passes to fly to the North Pole. They were then directed to the boarding gate, where a number of festive activities awaited them, along with a snack offered by Newrest France CDG's teams.

The young and not-so-young then boarded Air Transat's airplane for a 90-minute flight, during which the children sang Christmas carols to attract Santa Claus. He rapidly heard their call. After landing his sled on the left wing of the airplane, he came on board to hug the children, wish them a merry Christmas and hand out a few gifts. Every face wore a smile. The young princes and princesses brought Santa Claus back with them to the airport for a souvenir photo before letting him fly away to deliver his gifts. During the flight, all of the guests were treated to sweet and savoury snacks that Newrest France CDG was pleased to offer these North Pole explorers, enchanted by their journey.

Newrest France CDG's teams were delighted to participate in an event that makes the dream of 50 young princes and princesses come true thanks to Air Transat and the Association Petits Princes.







Newrest launches its Thalys and Eurostar activities wednesday, 16 December 2015

Two years after being awarded the tender for the SNCF related to catering on board the TGV trains, Newrest Group is pursuing its development strategy for the rail sector. As part of this development, the Newrest Wagons-Lits subsidiary has just been awarded the logistics and off-board service contract for Eurostar and Thalys trains departing from the Gare du Nord-Paris train station.

Operations started on Sunday, 13 December, with 250 dedicated employees doing their utmost to deliver quality service in the high-performance environment of Eurostar and Thalys trains.









D+10 Transat St Barth - Port la Forêt THURSDAY, 17 DECEMBER 2015

Newrest-Matmut is still second after the official surrender of SMA. Its pace is regular: 14.1 nds since 24h and 16.8 nds for 1 hour (at 5 am in Paris time). If everything goes well, he will finish second, after a race that will have astonished everyone. But there are all kinds of unforeseen events (wounds, mechanical problems, etc.), weather hazards, the dangerous danger of the OFNIs and entry into an area frequented by cargo ships. If you plan on an average speed of 12 knots, a Saturday arrival seems possible.

One more Unit for Newrest in Oman

THURSDAY, 17 DECEMBER 2015

BaOmar Oilfield Services Co. have positively approved the addition of a fourth unit to the fleet currently managed by Newrest in Oman, making it four units in total.

This addition is a result of hard work, impeccable HSE results and a custom-made solution by the culinary professionals catering to an average of 50 persons per day. The mobilization, which is scheduled for the 1st of January 2016, will be considered as the lucky charm in order to welcome the New Year with joy and prosperity and, of course, more contracts!

Fabrice Amedeo Places Second at the Transat Saint-Barth / Port La Forêt

Fabrice Amedeo finished the Transat Saint-Barth / Port La Forêt securing second place in 12 days 23 hours 57 minutes and 42 seconds at an average speed of 10.82 knots. Aboard his monohull Newrest–Matmut and for his first transatlantic crossing singlehanded and in race format on such a big yacht, the skipper – journalist posts a stunning performance. This achievement is heightened by the fact that on Monday 14 December, after a well-controlled race, the amateur sailor suffered significant technical issues due to his starboard rudder disintegrating.

Eighth in the Transat Jacques Vabre with Eric Péron, and second to Sébastien Josse in this transatlantic race between the West Indies and Brittany, Fabrice Amedeo has qualified for the next Vendée Globe, the start of which will take place on 6 November 2016.

Originally from the town of Segré, western France, the sailor is continuing on what is proving to be a steep learning curve on the 60-footer. Still a journalist in Paris a few months ago and after relentless work over recent weeks to train up and consolidate his Imoca project, Fabrice finishes 2015 with one absolute certainty: his ability to follow through on his dream to participate in the solo Round the World race, without stopovers and without assistance. Shortly before crossing the finish line, Fabrice writes...

Hello everyone,

In a few minutes, I'll have completed the Transat Saint Barth – Port la Forêt in second place and, in so doing, validated my qualification for the Vendée Globe 2016.

In these last moments of racing, forgotten is the pulled out rudder, which has hampered my progress towards the finish and forced Newrest–Matmut to sail flat for several hundred miles. Forgotten are the broaches caused by my rudder stump. Forgotten is the front that rolled through with 50 knots on Wednesday morning that I hadn't expected to be so powerful. Forgotten are the boat's cuts and bruises. Forgotten are the doubts and the fears. An invisible force in me is giving vent to an inexpressible happiness. "We've done it!" Back in May, I'd never set foot on a 60-foot IMOCA. Setting sail from Saint Barth two weeks ago, the only solo experience I had to my credit on my big boat was one delivery trip between La Trinité sur Mer and Lorient. Over the 3,400 miles of racing, all the manoeuvres aboard were a first in solo configuration for me: my first gennaker hoist, my first A5 spinnaker hoist, my first gybe at night, my first low and first gale, my first repair assisted by my team over the telephone. Ten years ago, I participated in a weekend of winter training in La Trinité sur Mer and every year I raced the Fastnet with my father and a group of mates. I dreamed of the Vendée Globe as something impossible. Eight months ago, I still had a full-time office job in Paris. Right now, I'm completing a solo transatlantic race in winter on an Imoca!

Passion, determination and tenacity are my weapons and they are so effective. In my cabin, there's a big sticker with a quote from Muhammad Ali. It grabs my attention and each and every day reminds me of the direction of the road I've chosen to follow. "Impossible is just a big word thrown around by small men who find it easier to live in the world they've been given than to explore the power they have to change it. Impossible is not a fact. It's an opinion. Impossible is not a declaration. It's a dare. Impossible is potential. Impossible is temporary. Impossible is nothing."

My personal impossible was, one day, to race in the Vendée Globe. Impossible is nothing: we will be at the start next year, the main ambition for which will be to follow this personal Everest through to its conclusion. I will take you there, where I have never been and where you will probably never go: into the Deep South, the Indian Ocean, Cape Horn. On the toughest seas on the globe. And throughout the miles of racing, the doubts, the troubles and the fears, a little voice will resonate within me and will remind that "Impossible is nothing".

Thank you all for your support, thank you to my partners and thank you to my shore crew. It's a victory for us to have crossed the Atlantic twice, in race configuration, in such a short space of time, not to mention the delivery trip between Itajai and St Barth. See you in 2016 for some new adventures...

Newrest Peru has celebrated "El Día del Minero"

TUESDAY, 22 DECEMBER 2015

Last December 5, Newrest Peru has celebrated "El Día del Minero", the miners' celebration. Numerous events and special events have been organized at the sites where Newrest Peru operates. On this occasion, customers were able to taste special menus, parilladas and were able to receive certain particular attentions.

Newrest Portugal serves Everjets from Madeira

TUESDAY, 22 DECEMBER 2015

Newrest Portugal currently operates on behalf of the Portuguese company Everjets from Funchal (Madeira) airport.

Since November, this airline dedicated to business aviation, connects Madeira to Lisbon 12 times a week and to Porto twice a week aboard an Airbus A320.

Newrest Mexique poursuit sa collaboration avec l'association Dr. Sonrisas

MARDI 22 DÉCEMBRE 2015

Newrest Mexico again supports the humanitarian association Dr. Sonrisas, which works with children who suffer from life-threatening chronic diseases, offering them moments of sharing and happiness.

Restauration collective en Algérie MERCREDI 23 DÉCEMBRE 2015

The animation «All your wands, Asia invites you on your plates» took place at Alexandre Dumas International High School in Algiers. This animation is part of Newrest Algeria's annual school entertainment and corporate events calendar.

More than 1,000 students enjoyed the varied dishes of Asian cuisine prepared by the Newrest Algeria kitchen team.



Deux nouvelles compagnies à l'aéroport de Faro

MERCREDI 23 DÉCEMBRE 2015

Newrest Portugal is pleased to welcome Ryanair and Aigle Azur in Faro Airport.





Newrest Inflight France MERCREDI 23 DÉCEMBRE 2015

A new customer company - SmartLynx Airline - for the teams of Newrest Paris Charles-de-Gaulle. This new company of Estonian origin connects France to Cape Verde twice a week.