

MOORPARK SITE

CORPORATION

Pentair delivers industry-leading products, services and solutions for its customers' diverse needs in water and other fluids, thermal management and equipment protection.

With revenues of approximately \$8 billion, Pentair employs 30,000 people worldwide, working with customers on all 7 continents. Pentair is headquartered in Schaffhausen, Switzerland, with its U.S. entity headquartered in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

WATER GROUP – AQUATIC SYSTEMS

Pentair's Aquatic Systems business is the global leader in swimming pool, spa and aquatic equipment, Pentair has built a reputation as a leader in innovation, providing high performance, reliable and energy-efficient products. Pool owners and operators can depend on Pentair products to make their pools more inviting, easier to maintain, and extraordinary—from the smallest backyard pool to the largest water environments.

PRODUCTS

The Moorpark site consists of five manufacturing value streams that produce an innovative selection of well-crafted heaters, filters, pumps, lights and automation systems.

FACILITY

Pentair's Aquatic Systems facility in Moorpark, California employs over 340 people (seasonally adjusted) at its 244,000 sq. ft. campus located just north of Los Angeles.

The main functions located at the Moorpark facility include: Customer Service, Operations, Supply Chain Management, Import/Export Compliance, Engineering, Finance and Human Resources.

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

In 2010 and 2011, Aquatic Systems received Pentair's Chairman's award for its 2009 and 2010 business results. This is the highest award presented within Pentair and is based on sales growth, operating income

and voice of the customer feedback. Additionally, in 2010 Moorpark received Pentair's coveted Manufacturing Excellence Award for its performance in 2009. This award is based on exceeding safety, quality, delivery and cost goals across the organization.

PROCESS

Pentair's Aquatic Systems at Moorpark commenced its Lean journey in 2003 and used the guiding principles of the company's PIMS model (Pentair Integrated Management Systems) to develop its Lean culture. Pentair Aquatic Systems hired experienced Lean leaders and partnered with consultants to train, develop and empower our people on a path to operational excellence. The PIMS model enabled the Moorpark facility to follow a structured approach and helped the facility to focus first on the stabilization of its manufacturing processes by creating flow and pull, implementing standard work, establishing 5S and developing key performance indicators to track results.

After numerous kaizen events to stabilize the business, the focus shifted to the development of employees across the enterprise, as well as the development of a strategic supply base. Today, Lean is no longer event driven, but culture driven and continuous improvement occurs every day throughout the organization. A Lean operational approach is evident throughout the enterprise, not only in all that we do, but also in our alignment of priorities. As a result, we have gained market share and positioned ourselves as the leader in the pool and spa equipment industry.

For more information about Pentair's Aquatic Systems, visit www.pentairpool.com

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