

# KNIPSA NEWS

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## Chairman's Say



### Nearly sixty percent of all printed packaging is food

*A new study from Smithers-Pira, Printing for Food Packaging, predicts a doubling of ink jet printing of food packages in five years.*

Worldwide in 2018, 58.7% of all printed packaging is food packaging.

A total of 394.6 billion square metres of primary food packaging will be printed in 2018.

Printing for food packaging will grow at 3.6% year-on-year across 2018-2023, compared to 0.8% for the overall print market,

Folding cartons and flexible packaging, are the most lucrative formats, with market shares by value of 22.9% and 26.1%, respectively in 2018

The total value of food contact inks and coatings will rise from \$2.02 billion to \$3.20 billion in 2023, with growth fastest in UV/EB curing and water-based formulations

The output of food packaging on inkjet printers will more than double across the next five years.

New regulatory requirements are on the horizon with specific regulations on printing inks in the EU, Japan and China.

Asia is the largest global region for food packaging printing with a market share of 38.0% in 2018, rising to 41.3% in 2023.

## Education



### Enrolments are open for all our 2019 courses!!

**INTRODUCTION TO PACKAGING** This short course is intended for those embarking on a career in packaging and provides a broad and basic introduction to the many aspects they will encounter in the industry (±2 months duration)

**ONE YEAR DIPLOMA IN PACKAGING TECHNOLOGY** This widely recognised and respected course covers a wide spectrum of packaging related subjects. Lectures are held in the major centres at times to suit working participants. A distance learning facility is open to those students who are further afield (±9months duration) The course is also attended by those engaged in the production, purchasing, quality control and marketing disciplines so as to gain a wider understanding of the packaging requirement facets of their functions. The diploma qualification is accredited by the World Packaging Organisation, the Packaging Society (UK), and the Australian Institute of Packaging. The syllabus is based upon IPSA's own publication "A Handbook of Packaging Technology" and both this text book and the course itself have established an excellent reputation, locally and internationally.

**ADVANCED PACKAGING DIPLOMA** This course is aimed at those who are preparing themselves for senior or management level positions in the industry. The Advanced Programme is open to all graduates of IPSA's One Year Diploma in Packaging Technology and others with appropriate qualifications or experience. It is intended to build on the basic course. This program is offered in Johannesburg, Durban and Cape Town only once each in every three years in rotation, and features guest facilitators who are leaders in their various fields, sourced from all over South Africa (±6months duration)

**OTHER IPSA COURSES** The institute also offers tailor made in-company short courses in consultation with client companies on specific packaging subjects to suit their own needs.

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The **IPSA KZN Harbour cruise** has now done 13 consecutive years, and this year was no exception. Held on the **27 July 2018** at Durban Harbour on the Jolly Roger.

The Jolly Roger set off for its 3 hour journey into the Durban harbour, exploring every nook and cranny of jetties and buoys, providing passengers glimpses of massive supply chain ships moored, patiently waiting as the jibs and cranes worked into the late hours of the night in the harbour.

Wonderful food and fantastic music, and not forgetting the lunar eclipse that made this night an unforgettable one.

A really great evening was enjoyed by all who attended.



## Membership

**IPSA** aims to promote high standards and professionalism in the packaging Industry, to provide opportunities for networking and education and to promote the recognition of packaging as a profession. The events, programmes and facilities offered by IPSA are intended to develop professionalism in the industry, stimulate education and create networking and business opportunities. The events organised by the institute create a forum where people from the packaging and allied industries can meet and discuss matters of mutual interest – from packaging design and marketing to technical innovation and new legislation.

IPSA aims to promote and maintain packaging as a profession in South Africa. The Student Gold Pack Competition specifically aims to expose students to the world of packaging and the industry at large. For more information on Membership, please contact Lara on [ipsakzn@outlook.com](mailto:ipsakzn@outlook.com)

### We're on the web!!

Remember to visit our website  
[www.ipsa.org.za](http://www.ipsa.org.za) for regular events

updates, IPSA activities and  
education information.

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Invites you to our

## Annual Golf Trophy Challenge

**Tee-Off: Registration from 10am**  
(1st Tee-off at 10h58)

**Cost: R4000.00 (Incl Vat) / 4 Ball**

**Includes: Green Fees**  
**Halfway House Voucher**  
**Prize Giving Dinner**



**Venue:**

**Mount Edgecombe**  
**Country Club Course 1**

**Format: 4 Ball Alliance**

**Two scores to count on all holes**

**Date: 19th September 2018**

**Prizes for All Waterholes**  
**@ R1500**

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