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Our Vendors



Huebsch – Field Service Manager Terry Brousseau

Alliance Laundry Systems' longtime Field Service Manager, Terry Brousseau, recently visited Minnesota Chemical as part of Huebsch's commitment to ongoing support of our service department and sales team. Terry shared his deep and varied knowledge of Huebsch laundry equipment, and once again displayed his dedication to helping to keep Huebsch's distributors and customers up-to-date with the latest service bulletins and preventive maintenance tips. A special thank you to Terry for his ongoing educational services and troubleshooting support from all of us in the Minnesota Chemical service department, sales team, and from Minnesota Chemical's Huebsch customers!



From Left to Right: Equipment Coordinator Christine Evenson, Service Department Manager Ed Jensen, Huebsch Field Service Manager, Terry Brousseau

FREE FALL SHOWS



Coin Laundry and On Premise Laundry for hotels, nursing homes, schools and hospitals

Meet industry experts. Learn how to take care of your washers and dryers. Inside tips on preventative maintenance and coin laundry store management. Washer-dryer technical support and troubleshooting. What parts to have on hand for emergencies. What's new in coin laundry and on premise laundry washers and dryers.



Full Day Seminar With Lunch. Featured vendors:

- Huebsch
- Milnor – (Shoreview Show)
- Minnesota Chemical Co. – Service Techs and Sales Representatives
- Vend-Rite
- CCI/FasCard/LaundryCard/Card Concepts
- Standard Change-Makers – Tom Kozlik
- SpyderWash Card Systems

Tuesday, October 25th
MCC Warehouse
Menomonee Falls, WI
9:00am-3:15pm

Thursday October 27th
Hilton Garden Inn
Shoreview, MN
9:00am-3:15pm

Register online at
www.minnesotachemical.com or call Tina
at **800-328-5689** and she will sign you up!

Calendar of Events

October 4 – Upper Mississippi Valley Association for Linen Management October Meeting, St Luke's Hospital, Duluth, MN www.umvailm.org

October 7 – Wisconsin Fabricare Annual Conference, www.wiscleaner.com

October 25 – Minnesota Chemical Co. Free Fall Show, MCC Warehouse, Menomonee Falls, WI www.minnesotachemical.com

October 27 – Minnesota Chemical Co. Free Fall Show, Hilton Garden Inn, Shoreview, MN www.minnesotachemical.com

November 16-17 – Coin Laundry Association WASH DRY FOLD SEMINAR, Hilton Chicago/Oakbrook Hills Resort <https://www.coinlaundry.org/events/calendar/>

Watch for news: <https://minnesotadrycleaners.org/>

Road trip Idea: Visit Sankosha, see and try out live finishing equipment. Call for appointment (888) 427-9120 www.sankosha-inc.com

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Equipment Coordinator: Christine Evenson
Equipment Sales: Daniel Baker, James Baker, Tony Crain, James Riopel
Front Desk: Tina Hinrichs

Service Manager: Ed Jensen
Service Engineers: Dan Elstad, Phil Hall, Andy Putnam, Aaron Brown
Supply Sales: John Sullivan, Chris Schiefelbein, James Riopel
Parts Manager: Barbara Swanson

Warehouse: Bruce Edwards, Warehouse Manager
Purchasing/Accounts Payable/ Supply Department Manager: Chris Schiefelbein
CFO: Kwen Johnson
City Desk: Tina Hinrichs

Parts Direct Line: 651-288-4849 • Service Direct Line: 651-288-4857 • Parts & Service Fax: 651-646-7206

NOW HIRING: FT MAINTENANCE TECH – Call Ed Jensen 651-288-4857



Firefighters: NFPA 1851-Compliant Hygenall ToxOff Laundry Decon Detergent

Firefighters, ask your salesman today about Hygenall Laundry/Extractor & PPE Decontaminating Detergent. It has passed the newest NFPA 1851 testing standards for firefighter turn-out gear. The detergent is not citric-based and so will do its job without harming turn-out gear after long-term use.

4/1 GAL CASE \$111.00
ITEM# HTL12001G



IN-PERSON EVENT: UMVAILM

October Meeting at St. Luke's in Duluth

Please join us for the upcoming meeting for the Upper Mississippi Valley Chapter of ALM at St. Luke's Hospital in Duluth, featuring in-person networking, industry educational opportunities, presentations from National manufacturers on the latest industry-relevant topics, as well as a tour of the St. Luke's facility. Invest in the ongoing education of your laundry team! Visit <https://umvailm.org/october-meeting/> to REGISTER TODAY!

UMVAILM

Fall Meeting

WHEN

October 4th, 2022

WHERE

St Luke's Hospital
915 E 1st St, Duluth MN 55805

WWW.UMVAILM.ORG

PREREGISTER

\$15
Lunch Included



October 4th, 2022

8am

Networking and Introduction

9am

Construction and Proper Use of
MicroFiber Rags and Mops

10:30am

Automation Forum – Advancements in
Autonomous Products and Processes

Noon – Lunch

1pm – Facility Tour



Milnor Laundry Equipment and the Milnor Technical Knowledge Base

Milnor is a leading manufacturer of commercial laundry machinery based in Kenner, Louisiana. Milnor's Made-in-USA washer-extractors range from 25-700 lbs. capacity. Milnor's equipment is designed to serve a broad spectrum of customers, from OPL washers to automated tunnel washing systems that process 7,000 lbs. per hour or more, as well as dryers, material handling systems, and laundry computer networks.

Have a question about your Milnor equipment? Call Minnesota Chemical today, or search the Milnor Technical Knowledge Base at <https://www.milnor.com/technical-knowledge-base/>



Equipment

New Milnor Washer/Extractors at MSRP

– 30015T6X, 40#, EP Express Micro, RinSave, 4 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$17,995
– 30015VRJ, 40#, EP Plus Micro, Temp Control, RinSave 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$19,445
– 30015V8Z, 40#, MilTouch Programmer, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$21,525
– 30022T6X, 60#, EP Express Micro, RinSave, 4 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$19,195
– 30022VRJ, 60#, EP Plus Micro, Temp Control, RinSave 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$20,095
– 30022V8Z, 60#, MilTouch Programmer, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$21,795
– 36021V5J, 80#, EP Plus, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$28,495
– 36021V7Z, 80#, MilTouch Programmer, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$33,875
– 36026V5J, 100#, EP Plus, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$31,895
– 36026V7Z, 100#, MilTouch Programmer, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....	\$37,495

- 42026V6Z, 140#, MilTouch Programmer, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....\$42,135
- 42030V6Z, 160#, MilTouch Programmer, Temp Control, RinSave, 7 Speed, 208/240/60/3.....\$45,945

RinSave saves water and formula time by special speeds and saving 1 or 2 rinses. MilTouch is touchscreen programmer with laptop programmability – transfer formulas by USB stick.

New Dryers at MSRP

- Huebsch HT055FN, Gas, 50#, Dual Digital Timers, Slimline, reversing, passes through 34.5" doorway, various voltages.....\$6,697
- 120#, 170#, and 200# dryers are available in reversing and with Galaxy Micro Control and OPT True Moisture Sensing Drying*
- Huebsch HT075FN, Gas, 75#, Dual Digital Timers, non reverse, various voltages.....\$7,010
- Huebsch HT075FN, Gas, 75#, Dual Digital Timers, reversing, various voltages.....\$8,388
- Huebsch HT075NN, Gas, 75#, Galaxy Micro Control, reversing, OPT True Moisture Sensing Drying various voltages.....\$9,502

All Huebsch dryers (except electric heat) have available in the basket CARE fire suppression including remote connect for cold enclosures.

Other Huebsch dryers in sizes from 25# to 200#. And ask about stainless steel cylinder and panels. Ask about **ADC** and **CLM** dryers in large capacities.

MSRP is a good BUDGET estimate of final washer or dryer price after discount allowed, freight and delivery added back in. Your price could be less!

**SPECIALS IN STOCK: Used Chicago Comet 80" ironer \$7,500 FOB MCC.
New R&B Wire RBSP-1000 Laundry Floor Scale, List \$2,607, special \$2,500 FOB MCC.**



Service Tips By Ed

Filling and Draining

Once a week, it is best to inspect your commercial washer to ensure it is filling and draining properly, and that there are no apparent leaks from the door, fill hoses, or drain valves.

Commercial washers typically have 2 or 3 water valves that allow your washer to fill to various water levels depending upon the program being run by the controller unit, and to drain the wash liquor when called for. If these valves are not functioning properly, you could be sending extra water (and dollars) down the drain.

If your washer does not fill properly or fills slowly:

- 1) *Check the water supply:* Check the water pressure to make sure it is adequate. If the water inlet valve does not have sufficient water pressure, it will not be able to open. If you have water shutoff valves or spigots on your machine's water supply, make sure they are not in the closed position. Inspect water supply connections for leaks.
- 2) *Check the drain:* If the water pressure is sufficient, go to the rear of the washer during the fill cycle and see if water is leaking out of the drain – if it is, you may have a defective drain valve.
- 3) *Check for blockages:* If water is not leaking out the back during the fill phase, inspect the water inlet



valve hose connection ports for blockage. If your inlet hose has screens, inspect them and clean them as needed.

- 4) *Check for faulty valve:* If the washer still fills slowly, inspect the water inlet valve for damage. It may need to be replaced.

If your drain is always leaking (even when washer is off):

When the machine is off, is there always water coming out of the drain? If so, call us; you may need a replacement water valve.

If your washer is not draining properly:

Is the washer draining slowly/incompletely?

Ensure your drain lines and trough are not obstructed or clogged. Inspect your drain valve to make sure it is not damaged. If the drain valve is damaged, or not opening properly, it may need to be replaced.

Your drain trough likely has a built-in lint trap. Clean it out regularly to protect your in-floor drain from clogging. Your in-floor drain should also be cleaned once a year so it doesn't back up and flood your laundry.

Always consult the operations manual for your equipment for suggested PMs, or give us a call!



Happy Halloween!

Parts Ideas From Barb

Count Dracula is back from his hundred-year slumber.
His machines broke down, so he dialed my number.
For over a century, he's shopped at our store.
He's bought latches and hinges for his dryer door.
Today he was so upset, it made his blood boil;
When he found out he needed a brand-new steam coil.
He ordered a drain valve, belts and door gasket
So he could wash bedding from inside his casket.
He ordered a lint screen to dry his drapes.
And then an iron, to un-wrinkle his capes.
All creatures welcome, one and all.
So come and order your parts this fall!

Huebsch Vended

The Advantages of Galaxy Touch Controls

With the introduction of its Galaxy™ Touch control, Huebsch® provides laundromat owners a powerful tool that simplifies the laundry experience for their customers.

An intuitive, full-color touchscreen, Galaxy Touch offers multiple language options – now, all customers can get the exact wash and dry cycles they desire. Galaxy Touch places profitable cycle modifiers front and center for customers – using real-word descriptions.

The bottom line: when customers know exactly what they are getting with premium options, they are more likely to select them. And with anti-wrinkle and reversing selections, tumblers are now positioned to generate additional revenue on the drying side.

Best of all, the touchscreen control comes with peace of mind as it has been tested to stand up to the rough demands of a busy vended laundry environment. Contact your MCC salesperson now to learn more.

