Corticeira Amorim

150 years of history and permanent renewal

In 2020 we are celebrating Corticeira Amorim’s 150th anniversary

In 2020, Corticeira Amorim’s entire team – operating in over 40 countries – will collectively celebrate this anniversary the vision, entrepreneurial skills, work and passion that successive generations of the Amorim Family have placed at the service of the company and the entire cork industry. We will be paying tribute to all our employees, in Portugal and around the world, who, in conjunction with the Amorim Family, dedicate their skills, talent and commitment to this shared goal of creating value, in harmony with nature.

We always aim to balance nature with technology. In so doing we have paved the way towards global leadership in one of the world’s most sustainable industries. Over the past 150 years, we have worked with a wide range of stakeholders: customers, suppliers, forestry producers, investors, institutions, wine specialists, astronauts, architects and designers. – unconditional enthusiasts around the world who are an integral part of the ongoing renaissance of cork.

Throughout 2020, a series of in-house and external initiatives will celebrate the main pillars of our business activity: History, Renewal and Future; Cork, Sustainability and Innovation; People, Family and Community; Education and Values. This vast programme will highlight the implementation of this goal, to create an even brighter future for cork.

As we celebrate our 150th anniversary, we will also renew our commitment to the future through the launch of a renewed visual identity, including the new AMORIM logo that is presented today. The new logo and visual identity underline the fact that AMORIM is a solid, cohesive and dynamic brand, while maintaining the cork oak tree and sustainability as core elements of our identity.

Corticeira Amorim today – key facts:

- World’s largest cork processing company
- World’s largest distribution network (51 companies)
- €763 million consolidated sales turnover (2018), with around 27,000 customers
- 93% of sales outside Portugal, in over 100 countries
- 10 cork raw material preparation units
- 19 industrial units
- 10 joint ventures
- Strong sustainability credentials in terms of our negative carbon footprint
- Internal R&D+I structures in all Business Units
- 4431 employees, including 1200 based outside Portugal