

## New ownership Vormenfabriek Tilburg!

On Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> of May 2020, a change has taken place in the ownership of Vormenfabriek Tilburg. Mr. Rein Nooteboom found acquisition partners in Anders Invest and Gert-Jan Kloppers, who will add a new chapter to the great and long history of Vormenfabriek Tilburg.

In the almost 100-year history of Vormenfabriek, the company has grown into one of the leading players in the world in the development, manufacturing and worldwide sales of polycarbonate injection moulded-, thermo formed and silicone rubber moulds for the international chocolate and confectionary industry. The entire design, development and production process is being performed in Tilburg. During this history, the technological expertise, innovative abilities and loyalty of the team of employees made Vormenfabriek what it is today. The new shareholders are looking forward to contribute to the future of this great company.

We will invest in the company and its people, to

- Work on Customer-focus
- Drive to become market leader on design, production quality & sales volume
- Improve efficiency, quality and time-to-market

Anders Invest ([www.andersinvest.nl/en](http://www.andersinvest.nl/en)) has taken over the shares, together with Gert-Jan Kloppers, who has acquired a minority stake and will lead the Vormenfabriek as Managing Director. Anders Invest is an investment company with a long-term investment horizon and a special focus on niche-manufacturing companies and currently has 18 companies in its portfolio. Anders Invest consists of a dynamic team of committed people, all with an industrial background. Anders Invest is backed by over 200 investors. Reciprocity, sustainability, openness and transparency, and cooperation/together in action are core values for Anders Invest. Together with the long-term focus, this ensures that companies at Anders Invest can continue to develop their own strength.

Gert-Jan has extensive experience as a Managing Director in companies with international sales and marketing activities for technical products.

Gert-Jan: *"We look forward to lead this great company, with its long history and craftsmanship, into its 2<sup>nd</sup> century."*