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WE TURN PROBLEMS INTO POTENTIAL.



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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LUMINARIES!

LAST YEAR WE LAUNCHED THE LUMINARY PROGRAMME TO SHINE A SPOTLIGHT ON INTELLIGENT SURPLUS MANAGEMENT AND WE ARE DELIGHTED THAT OUR FIRST COHORT HAS NOW GRADUATED.

During the Luminary Programme our Luminaries heard first-hand from a number of expert witnesses, including Dr Liz Goodwin OBE, Chair of the London Waste and Recycling Board and the Senior Fellow and Director of Food Loss and Waste for WRI (World Resources Institute), the British Retail Consortium's Chief Executive, Helen Dickinson, and WRAP's International Engagement Director, Dr Richard Swannell FRSA.

Our final expert witness was Michael Topham, CEO of Biffa, who provided an insight into how Biffa has adapted and evolved, delivering fundamental changes to the services it provides over the last decade. He also explained that, by working collaboratively with manufacturers and retailers, Biffa has been able to create closed loop recycling systems, producing fully functioning circular economies.

We would like to thank our partners at Amazon, Bakkavor, Coca-Cola European Partners, Greencore, M&S, Mars, Morrisons, Nestlé, Nomad Foods, Premier Foods, Samworth Brothers, Unilever and Upfield for their support.

**AND OF COURSE...
HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
FIRST LUMINARY GRADUATES!**

The Luminary Programme continues later this month with our second cohort coming together to identify and deliver even more sustainable change.

To register your interest for future programmes, please email us: hello@luminaryprogramme.co.uk

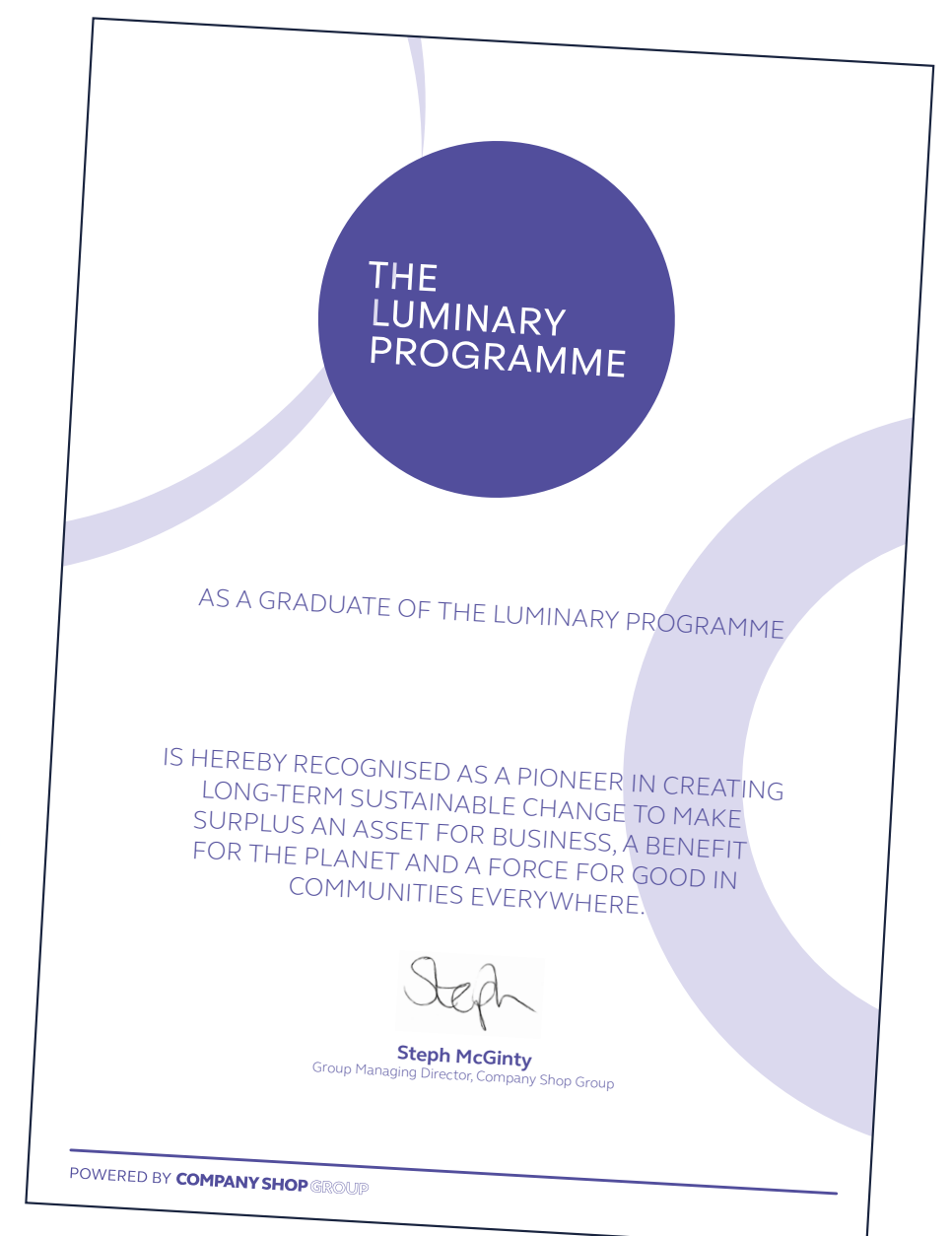
"THE LUMINARY PROGRAMME IS A REALLY GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO BUILD A MUCH BROADER AWARENESS OF SOME OF THE ISSUES AND IMPACTS OF FOOD WASTE."

Rob Bailey, M&S

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"I WOULD RECOMMEND THE LUMINARY PROGRAMME BECAUSE YOU GET A NEW INSIGHT AND APPROACH ON HOW TO DEAL WITH FOOD SURPLUS."

Krissy Polo-Tolley, Greencore



"THE LUMINARY PROGRAMME HELPS YOU TO LOOK AT YOUR BUSINESS PROCESSES IN A SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT WAY."

Fran O'Brien, The Cornwall Bakery



BRC GLOBAL STANDARD FOR FOOD SAFETY

We work hard to protect all the brands that we work with, and one way we do this is by adhering to the highest standards of product safety and legal compliance.

WE PROTECT YOUR REPUTATION AS IF IT IS OUR OWN.

We are delighted to share that we have again been re-certified against the BRC Global Standard for Food Safety (Issue 8: August 2018) and achieved an AA grade.



TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT HOW WE PROTECT YOUR BRAND, TAKE A LOOK THROUGH THE RECENT ADDITION TO OUR KNOWLEDGE LIBRARY - 'THE SURPLUS MANUAL'.

HELLO DUDLEY & HELLO BRISTOL!



COMPANY SHOP

OUR LATEST COMPANY SHOP STORE HAS OPENED IN DUDLEY AND HAS ALREADY WELCOMED THOUSANDS OF NEW MEMBERS THROUGH THE DOOR.

The store, which has created 47 new jobs, was officially opened by the Mayor of Dudley, Cllr David Stanley, and is part of our continued sustainable investment strategy to further increase our capacity and capability to redistribute more surplus stock across the UK.

We are also delighted to say 'Hello Bristol' following the opening of the latest Ocado Staff Shop. Powered by Company Shop Group, the shop was officially opened by two lucky Ocado colleagues. We are proud to have worked with Ocado for many years and we look forward to supporting more staff shop openings in the future.

HAVE YOU GOT SURPLUS STOCK?

We work with food and non-food suppliers, including the UK's largest retailers, manufacturers, farmers and growers, to redistribute their surplus food and household products for the greater good.

Let our expert team help you; drop us an email to surplus@companyshopgroup.co.uk or give us a call on 0800 211 8484.



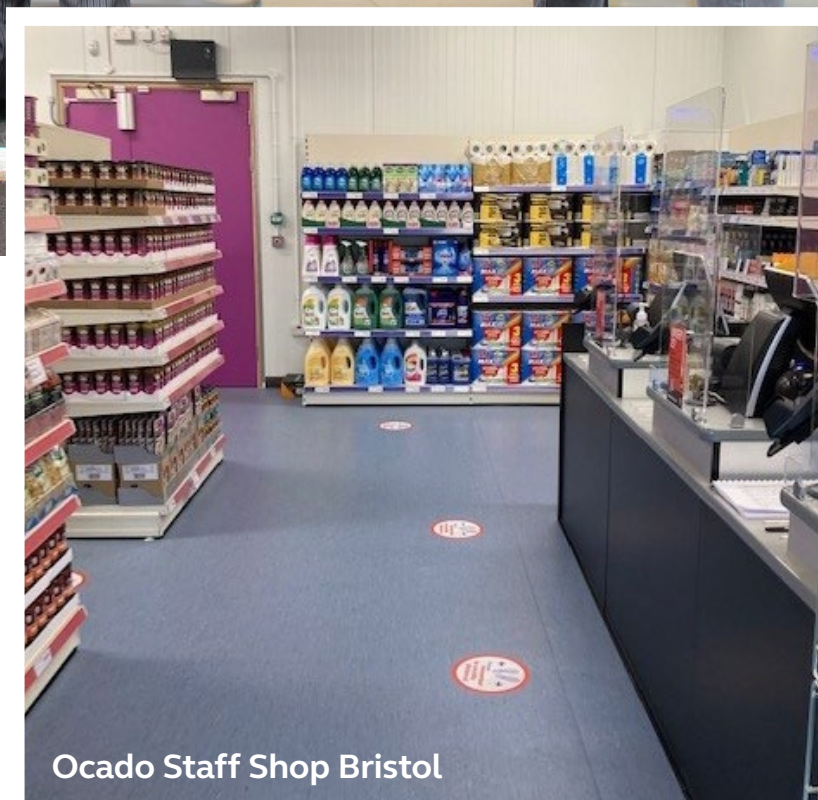
Company Shop Dudley



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IF YOU ARE PART OF THE FMCG SUPPLY CHAIN MAKE SURE THAT YOUR EMPLOYEES ARE NOT MISSING OUT.

CONTACT OUR MEMBERSHIP TEAM [HERE](#) TO FIND OUT MORE.



Ocado Staff Shop Bristol

HEALTHY HOLIDAYS A SUCCESS ONCE AGAIN!

School holidays can add even more pressure on families and the Community Shop team has once again stepped up and delivered another successful Health Holidays programme across the Easter break.



Partnering with 26 organisations, Community Shop created and delivered an action-packed and enriching programme covering interactive cooking and exercise sessions, and mental health and nutritional education to generate social value in our most deprived communities.

The Healthy Holidays programme provides vital support to individuals and families, engaging with thousands of people throughout the holidays. Interactive online sessions were viewed tens of thousands of times and over 8,000 meals were created to feed families, with 3,785 free lunches given to children at risk of holiday hunger.

Community Shop is continuing to transform lives and you could be part of it. If you have surplus stock or community funding and a desire to make a real difference, why not donate it to Community Shop?

HELP US TO CONTINUE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE. GET IN TOUCH AT [SURPLUS@COMPANYSHOPGROUP.CO.UK](mailto:surplus@companyshopgroup.co.uk) OR GIVE US A CALL ON 0800 211 8484

Community Shop

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