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Boyd Coddington Installs Techni Waterjet System Using KMT Pressure System

Boyd Coddington, famed hot rod builder and star of American Hot Rod, has chosen to install a TECHNI Waterjet™ Techjet® 3000 table using a KMT Waterjet 50 horsepower extreme pressure system. The equipment was chosen based on the exceptional cutting performance of the product and the responsiveness of both companies. KMT Waterjet is based in Baxter Springs, KS and Techni Waterjet is based in Joplin, MO.

The TECHNI Waterjet™ system is 5' x 10' and will be used to cut a large variety of materials for the high performance Boyd Coddington Hot Rods. The equipment is capable of cutting custom gaskets, metals, glass and fabrics – nearly any type of material. Boyd's Garage can take advantage of the waterjet cutting technology to cut man hours from the old fashioned manual methods of fabricating custom pieces. The Techjet® 3000 gives them a fast and easy way to fabricate parts for each of their customized Hot Rod cars.

The system will use water pressurized to extreme levels – 60,000psi – by a KMT Waterjet 50hp Plus intensifier. The high pressure system is designed to be reliable, simple to operate and need minimal maintenance. The machines have the most advanced design allowing for very slow stroking of the plungers, extending seal life. The cutting head is also provided by KMT Waterjet and is the most efficient cutting head available anywhere, based on research done by University of Missouri-Rolla.

This installation truly adds extreme performance and capabilities to a hot rod shop already known for exciting, high-performance products. KMT Waterjet delivers extreme pressure systems which have greater reliability and ease of use for cutting with water. These systems include the pumps, lines, cutting heads and abrasive-handling equipment. The equipment is sold through the industry's largest world-wide network of system integrators who build turn-key waterjet systems and provide unequalled support.

KMT Waterjet is part of the KMT Group which markets, develops and manufactures advanced production solutions for the engineering industry within precision grinding, sheet metal working, tube forming, and waterjet cutting. The KMT holding company, Karolin Machine Tool AB, is quoted on the O list of the Stockholm Stock Exchange.

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Boyd Coddington and wife Jo stand in front of there new KMT SL-V 50hp intensifier.



Machine operator Kevin Christenson stands in front of the power behind his new waterjet system.

