

## Suki Tea Makers

Ambient

### **Background**

Turning 18 years old this year (2023), SUKI TEA now has a dream, state-of-the-art 7500 sq. ft Tea Factory as its HQ to help the team continue delivering excellence for its wide customer base. The new factory provides the perfect creative space for innovation in blending and recipe creation, and a dedicated tea-rista training room for all customers.

The new factory move will also assist SUKI in its goals for net zero carbon, leading the way for a cleaner future for its business. In line with SUKI TEA's mission to be an ethical and sustainable organisation, the new factory has allowed the business to reduce its Scope 2 emissions down to zero, superseding its environmental target to reduce the business' emissions by 50% by 2030.

The new facility is powered by 100% renewable energy sources including a 10kW Solar PV system. LED sensor lighting and PIR controls are installed throughout, along with large windows for maximised used of daylight and recycling of key waste streams.

SUKI TEA, which was formed from friendship between founders, Annie and Oscar in 2005 in Belfast, has grown to be a leading loose leaf tea brand supplying thousands of hotels, cafes and delis across the UK, Ireland and further afield. With the new factory opening, the business expects to increase its production capacity by over 600% over the next decade, creating employment in many areas of the business for the continued market expansion.

## **Product Range**

Product available to both foodservice and retailers.

Loose leaf tea, loose leaf pyramid teabags and tea accessories.

Amongst the range of almost 50 blends in black, green, white, oolong, fruit and herbal, there is:

Fairtrade Breakfast Tea

Green Tea Ginseng

Whole Peppermint

Rooibos Citrus

Mango Tango

Matcha (powdered green tea)

**Apple Loves Mint** 

Jasmine Dragon Phoenix Pearls

Gourmet dessert teas including Turkish Delight and Green Tea Mint.

Suki's Sparkling Tea Infusions, available in 'Black Tea and Peach' and 'White Tea, Apple and Elderflower' flavours. The delicate varieties are created using hand-picked tea leaves, botanicals and natural fruit juices.

#### **Customers**

Teas and infusions are exported worldwide to 17 countries around the world countries including:

UK

Ireland

Germany

Japan

The Netherlands

Belgium

Poland

Rwanda

Kenya

### **Accreditations**

- SALSA Accreditation acquired September 2007
- Feefo Gold Service Award 2018: seal of excellence For delivering exceptional customer service

#### Awards held

- Blas na h'Eireann Awards 2024: Bronze award for Bramble Tea
- Blas na h'Eireann Awards 2023: Gold award for Suki Green Tea Ginseng
- Great Taste Awards 2023: One Gold Star for Lemongrass and Ginger
- Blas na h'Eireann Awards 2022: Silver award for Bushmills Black Bush Tea
- Great Taste Awards 2022: Two Gold Stars for Suki Breakfast Tea and one Gold Star for Suki Tea's Black Bush Tea Pyramids
- Blas na h'Eireann Awards 2021: Gold for Earl Grey Blue Flower, Silver for Whole Peppermint & Bronze for Apple Loves Mint
- Great Taste Awards 2021: Two Gold Stars for Whole Peppermint and One Gold Star for Earl Grey Blue Flower

• Great Taste Awards 2020: One Gold Star each for our Sparkling Black Tea & Peach, Mango Tango Tea, Mince Pie Tea, Lady Lemon Grey Tea and Iced Raspberry & Vanilla (Iced) Tea.

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