JIMBO - STORES SUPERVISOR

Jimbo is the stores supervisor at Matrix and has worked here for 19 years. The stores department is responsible for the assembling of all kits and the dispatch every order.

What did you do before coming here and what led you to Matrix?

I came to work at Matrix on work experience in year 11, while I was still at school and have been here ever since!

What do you enjoy most about working at Matrix?

It's a great environment to work in, the whole company works as a team. I am also a singer / songwriter and Matrix are really flexible when it comes to time off, so I am still able to perform and write / record music.

What does a typical day look like for you?

When I arrive at work, I check my emails and plan out the day's schedule depending what orders have arrived. After briefing the kitting team on their work for the day, I start to organise orders for dispatch.

What are the biggest challenges you face working here?

We have a lot of large orders all due out at the same time and we can often be waiting on components or parts to be made before we can pack the order for dispatch. This can be difficult with tight lead times and often means working to short deadlines. Shipping quotes are also difficult to predict in the current climate.

What qualifications do you have?

I have a diploma in sports performance and excellence and am a qualified gym instructor and lifeguard. At Matrix though, I am qualified to give first aid and have a fork lift truck license.

What piece of advice would you give to your younger self?

From one of my original songs.... ' The most important conversation you will ever have in your whole life ... is the one you have with yourself '.

