



PETER C. COOK & CO.
TIMBER, GRP AND METAL WORK
MANUFACTURING, DESIGN AND FABRICATION
INC. PLASTIC LUMBER UK

ESTABLISHED IN 1932



We Have Been Supplying The U.K. House Building Industry for over 70 years With A Range Of Exterior Products Designed To Meet The Ever Changing Trends In Demand

Today We Offer Items Manufactured To The Customers Specific Requirements In

Grp Timber, Mild Steel, Pvc And Plastic Lumber - ALL PREASSEMBLED UNITS

The Product Range Includes:

Grp Timber, Porch Canopies, Bay Window Canopies, Dormers, Balconies, Porch Screens, Posts, Finials, Gallows, Brackets, Corbels, Roof Pediments And Meter Cupboards.

For Relevant Projects We Also Offer A Full Architectural Design Service.

WE TAKE PRIDE IN OUR REPUTATION FOR QUALITY WORKMANSHIP COMBINED WITH EXCELLENT SERVICE AND WOULD WELCOME THE OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS YOUR REQUIREMENTS.

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Peter C Cook & Co

A one-stop shop for bespoke and volume fabrication

Peter C Cook & Co has been working in conjunction with the construction industry since 1932. For over 70 years their craftsmen and technicians, in collaboration with their design specialists, have worked hand in hand with major house building companies to produce desired building products that visually shape each customer's individual developments.

Today, the Company offer items manufactured to the customer's specific requirements in Timber, Glass Reinforced Plastic (GRP), Mild Steel, and the newest addition to their portfolio, Plastic Lumber. This latest product is a fully finished, machinable, recycled plastic which combines the benefits of being virtually maintenance free whilst being totally versatile in its workability and fabrication.



GRP bay window canopy

GRP Dormer roofs



Due to considerable investment in a new state-of-the-art factory and equipment Peter C Cook & Co have developed in terms of both a greatly diversified product range and advancing skills and results in the moulding of modern day materials such as GRP and Plastic Lumber. The versatility of both GRP and Plastic Lumber allow the distinctive visual features sought by each individual developer to be customised to their designs, such is the machinable nature of these materials. The Company's advancing technology with GRP and Plastic Lumber allows the Company to offer their customers complete pre-assembled units which are easily installed as well as being virtually maintenance free, not to mention almost eliminating material waste on site.

At Peter C Cook & Co the continually advancing moulding skills allow the Company to match an ever increasing number of colours and choice of

textured self-finishes. If the customer can find an example of a natural colour or texture they wish to emulate, Peter C Cook & Co will virtually always be able to produce a faithful replica. Whether creating a visually accurate reproduction of the style of a particular architectural period or generating an entirely new concept, the technical precision, attention to detail and time spent on developing the wooden template (from which the GRP mould is taken) ensures that the finished product is the sharpest representation of the developer's unique design.

Examples of the Company's work include the tile effect bay window canopy, which was made in conjunction with Bryant homes. Made from GRP this product can be done in any colour or mould to assure the finished product looks exactly like the real thing. A further example is the modular Bay window unit which is also made from GRP. Peter C Cook & Co are proud to say they developed this concept with Miller homes and it has proved a very versatile product as it can be made to suit the house-builder i.e. colour, tile effect canopy, plain canopy, with or without insulation, with or without hardwood, with or without PVC, with or without window. In addition to this the Company have developed a modular dormer system that can



GRP stone effect & carbel and thistle logo

incorporate lead or tile effect finish, as well as insulation if required.

Incorporated in the factory is a state-of-the-art joinery/manufacturing department which fabricates products such as hardwood doors, screens and timber features including finials, gallows brackets, porch canopies and many other specialist joinery products. The Company also have the facility to produce metalwork i.e. decorative features like metal posts, balcony rails, feature brackets.



Timber louvre doors

Entrance door

An example of the Company's work can be found at the prestigious Berkeley homes Riverside development, for which Peter C Cook & Co made balconies and decorative features.

The apartments were of such high quality they were valued in excess £1M million per unit. The Company also made exterior hardwood entrance doors for St James homes in Kew Gardens, another executive development over looking the Thames that reached £2M per unit. The advantage house builders have found in using Peter C Cook & Co is that they are



GRP bay window canopy



Berkeley Homes entrance canopy



Entrance porch screens, timber and plastic lumber



Dual porch canopy

a one-stop shop to the house building industry for producing high quality, specialized bespoke or volume produced building products.

At present growth of Peter C Cook & Co has been both vertical and horizontal. The vertical growth consisted of the expansion of the product

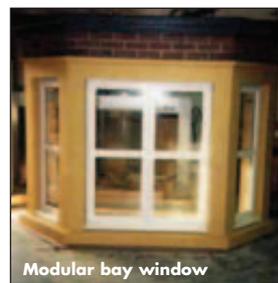


Roof pediment feature with finial GRP & plastic lumber

range and customers this applies to. However the real growth has been firstly the move to the new state of the art factory that is over six times the size of the previous workspace, and secondly the investment into the innovative design of all their GRP and Plastic Lumber products. This has ensured that the Company are at the forefront



Berkeley homes timber balconies



Modular bay window

of supply of the full range of virtually maintenance free, complete pre-assembled units to the house building industry.

Perceived growth of Peter C Cook & Co can best be described by the efficient production techniques leading to greater output vastly increased variety or sophistication of products. The ability to cater to a much larger number of house builders and also to fulfil their product requirements no matter the variation in size/design and architectural periods desired. Peter C Cook & Co is developing towards complete pre-assembled products that minimize installation time as well as material waste.

One of the unique new developments under trial at the moment is a complete Bay Window system that incorporates not only the bay window canopy but also the surrounding stonework and insulation delivered as a single unit on site. Another unique product nearing completion in the Company's development programme is a custom made GRP floor for wet rooms aimed at builders of prestigious executive homes.

We were involved in the making of thistle moulds for Bett homes, which they use to make their properties known by their thistle logo. We think this is a great idea for all major house builders to get their properties known by way of unique recognition.



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