

UNIFORM TRIAL (TROUSERS FOR DELIVERY STAFF WITH POSTING PEG POCKET)

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USER FEEDBACK-

The pocket for the dog peg is an excellent addition and keeps it ready for use and in a convenient easy to find place. The added depth to the pocket is an added security measure, as we now have van keys as a part of our daily equipment we do need multiple pockets. The general feel of the trouser whilst worn is one of a part of uniform robust enough to be used daily instead of an imitation fashion garment.

G.PETRIE H&S REP (WOOLTON D.O.)

I have worn the new posting peg trousers for past week.

The trousers have the pocket situated slightly behind your thigh. It's just the right position to be able to grasp the peg quickly when needed and the peg slots back in position without any effort or force to do so.

When first I had the peg in the pocket, I initially thought it would cause discomfort and would irritate me. The position of the peg pockets have been carefully considered though and you wouldn't even notice the difference if the peg was there or not.

When sitting down in the van the peg falls neatly to the side without sticking into the back of your leg



(see pic).

The trouser designer has not had to remove the deep square pocket that was on the trouser to accommodate the "something for you" (739) Cards or Hazard book.

The peg protrudes very slightly from the top of the pocket which is a clever design feature.

This enables managers to see immediately if the peg is being carried. It also allows for easy retrieval.

The conclusion is that these new "Posting peg trousers" are much more suited than the current clothing for carrying equipment for delivery and i would definitely say it's an improvement.

Gary Roberts cwu h & s rep

Formby LDO

After being involved from the start with this trial, I can say categorically that these trousers are far more suitable for every day delivery work.

The posting peg pocket is a valuable addition. The access to the peg is quick and easy. So much so, it's easy to forget that you are carrying it!! It is reassuring to know that it is close to hand and that you do not have to search through the front pouch of the satchel or remove 2 layers of uniform to retrieve it from a shirt pocket!!

The previous side pocket design meant that the peg would poke into your leg when returning to your seat in the van. This newer peg pocket is more 'user' friendly and does not create any issues. It is cleverly positioned behind the side seam of the trousers.

In my opinion the posting peg pocket should be introduced nationally for ALL delivery staff.

Andrew Adlen Liverpool S.D.O.

During the trial of these trousers, I have been approached by many members of staff who are keen to know if they can be issued with these trousers!

The posting peg pocket is the main focus of interest here. We finally have a piece of uniform which can accommodate the most valuable piece of PPE that any post person will carry.

The dog peg is a very valuable piece of kit. However it does not fit in the current trousers side pocket. In fact the sharp edge digs in your thigh when sitting down in any vehicle.

It does however fit snugly in the waterproof jacket front pocket!! So snugly in fact that it normally gets stuck in the seam of the pocket and it therefore can't be retrieved when needed.

I am more than happy to endorse these trousers for delivery staff.

The posting peg needs to become an everyday piece of kit. Therefore we need a pocket designed to accommodate it for quick and easy use.

M. Evans Heswall D.O.