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**Kountry Kraft commemorates Arbor Day by Planting a Tree in Newmanstown  
Custom Cabinetry Company Values Sustainable Forestry**

**April 29, 2016 – Newmanstown, PA** – For the second consecutive year, Kountry Kraft, the custom cabinetry company founded in Newmanstown PA in 1959, has planted a Norway Spruce tree at White Swan Park on North Sheridan Road to commemorate Arbor Day.

The streets of Newmanstown were once lined with beautiful Norway Spruce trees – planted in the late 1800s and early 1900s by the Long family who owned much of the land in town. A member of the Long family suffered from asthma, and at the time the common belief was that planting trees could purify the air and alleviate asthma symptoms, so the family planted many around town. Over the years many of the Long family’s trees died due to age and weather conditions.

Kountry Kraft began planting trees last year in an effort to revive the Long family tradition. The second annual Kountry Kraft Arbor Day tree planting is just a small part of the company’s strong commitment to the Newmanstown community where they have done business for more than 50 years. The company generously supports area charitable organizations with monetary contributions, product donations and staff time and talent.



Pictured Left to Right: Kountry Kraft employees Jamie Highley and Wade Putt



In addition to their commitment to community, Kountry Kraft has a strong commitment to sustainable forestry and responsible harvesting practices. They are certified for Environmental Stewardship by the Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturer's Association (KCMA), a recognition offered only to manufacturers who demonstrate compliance with stringent criteria.

For more information about Kountry Kraft's commitment to the environment, visit [www.kountrykraft.com/environment](http://www.kountrykraft.com/environment).

Pictured Left to Right: Tyler Hurst - 3<sup>rd</sup> Generation, Amy Stevenson and Linda Beamesderfer

#### About Kountry Kraft

Kountry Kraft is a second generation, family-owned manufacturer of high quality hand-crafted custom cabinetry. Founded in 1959 by Elvin and Helen Hurst, Kountry Kraft is widely recognized as one of the leading manufacturers of custom cabinetry in the country. Kountry Kraft is proud of its commitment to impeccable quality and excellent service, and they are dedicated to their partnerships with kitchen and bath professionals to provide the finest products at an exceptional value, always on time and to specifications. The company proudly produces fine cabinetry that maintains a harmonious balance between quality craftsmanship and modern technology. Experience the Kountry Kraft difference today. For more information, visit [kountrykraft.com](http://kountrykraft.com)

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