Press release

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International Paper Russia hosts a Tree of Knowledge event in Svetogorsk

Svetogorsk, 26 April 2016 – International Paper Russia hosted another Tree of Knowledge event in Svetogorsk during which the company gave away more than 750 office paper packages to social and children’s educational facilities in the town.

In particular, International Paper Russia helped the Izyuminka kindergarten, the polytechnic community college, the social center, as well as an orphanage and kindergarten in Lesogorsky. The paper will enable the young Svetogorsk residents both to study and unlock their creative potential. Such charity events are held regularly in Svetogorsk as part of International Paper’s social program.

Ksenia Sosnina, President of International Paper Russia, said:
“Paper is still the backbone of education and remains the foundation for learning and creativity. With this donation we are pleased to be able to positively contribute to the development of the young residents of Svetogorsk — a community where our employees live and work.”

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About International Paper

International Paper (NYSE: IP) is a global leader in packaging and paper with manufacturing operations in North America, Europe, Latin America, Russia, Asia and North Africa. Its businesses include industrial and consumer packaging along with uncoated papers and pulp. Headquartered in Memphis, Tenn., the Company employs approximately 55,000 people and is strategically located in more than 24 countries serving customers worldwide. International Paper net sales for 2015 were $22 billion. For more information about International Paper, its products and global citizenship efforts, visit internationalpaper.com.

About International Paper Russia

International Paper started its operations in Russia in 1998. The company focuses on the production and marketing of office and offset papers, liquid packaging board and bleached chemical thermo-mechanical pulp with wholly owned manufacturing operations in Svetogorsk. The company’s Russian footprint also includes a 50:50 joint venture with the Ilim Group, the largest integrated paper and pulp manufacturer in Russia. International Paper’s most well-known brands in Russia are Ballet and SvetoCopy.
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