



TJM Matthews

FINE TAILORS OF SCOTLAND



## TJ MATTHEWS

For over 50 years TJ Matthews based in Blantyre, South Lanarkshire has been at the heart of fine tailored highland wear. We remain the 'go to' skilled, made to measure and ready to wear manufacturer of Scottish tailored garments (kilt jackets, waistcoats, trews and more specialist items).

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## TJ MATTHEWS POWERED BY LAMBTON TAILORING

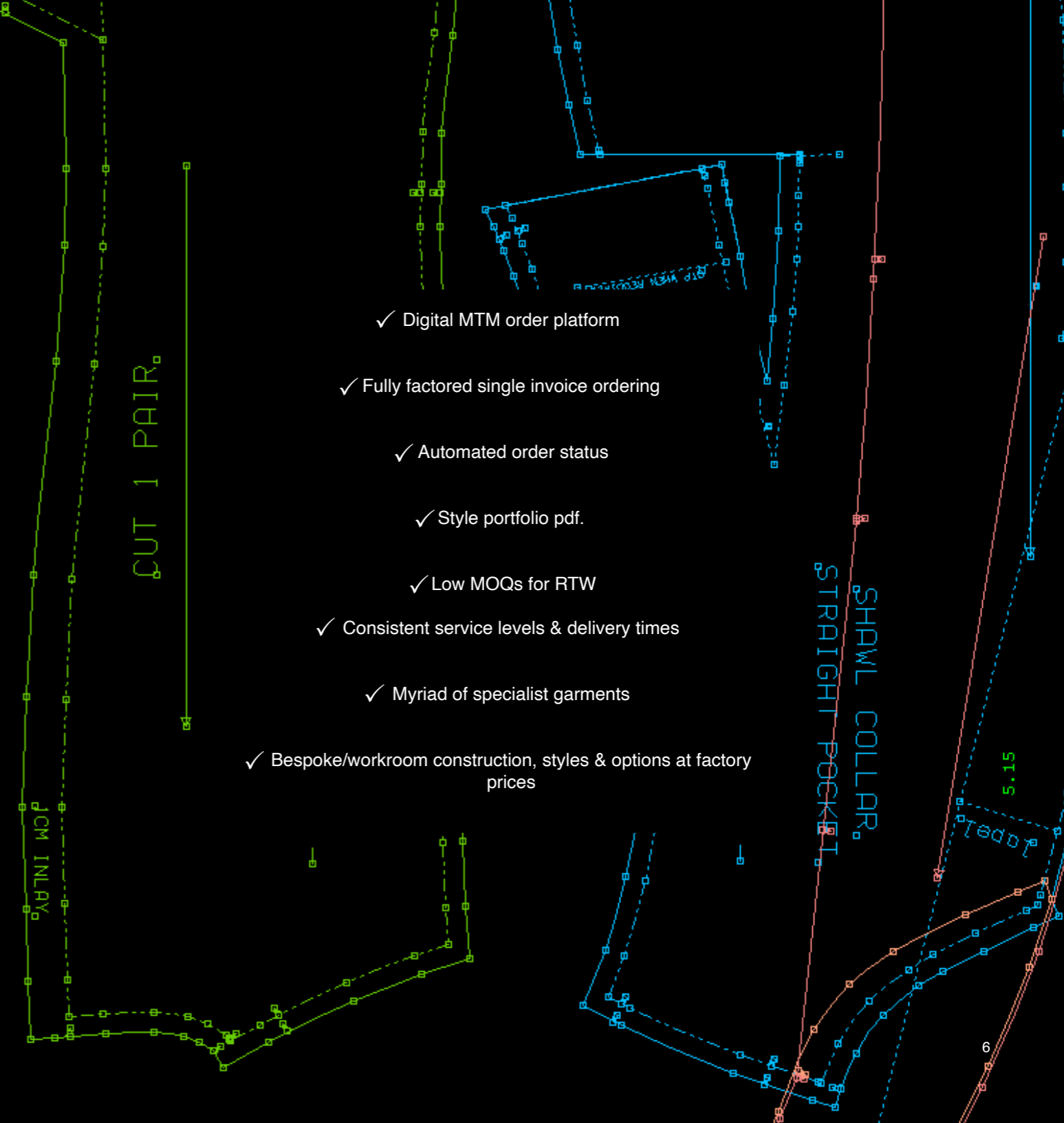
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In 2018 Lambton, based in Leeds, started a program of investing in and merging with this trusted & long-established Scottish garment manufacturer, in partnership with the existing and talented owners Carol Mathieson and Ian McClure. The compatibility and alignment in ethos and objectives were immediately obvious to Edward Lambert and Matthew Norton, founding partners of Lambton. A program of investment in new tailoring machinery (sewing technology and pressing lines etc) along with skills and the introduction of CAD pattern technology has got underway ever since with a notable interruption to progress in the covid years. In the recent past this association has got closer with the aim of boosting the presence of TJ Matthews in the Scottish market, expanding the garment offering beyond highland wear and servicing both the UK and export markets, exploiting both Scottish and off-shore production facilities.



## LAMBTON TAILORING

A dedicated made to measure and ready to wear tailoring business, whose origins date back to Yorkshire in 1976 when a group of enlightened artisan tailors were the first to harness the power of technology to augment fast disappearing skills and improve reliability and service. Lambton pride themselves on style, flexibility, service and value offering the tailoring and retail trade an out-source, white (own) label solution to simple and complex tailored garments and shirts for men and women. With over 40 skilled employees based in Bramley, Leeds (garment technologists, CAD specialists, graders, spec writers, IT specialists, production & logistics managers) Lambton cover all the skills required to feed their UK and international production facilities and deliver market leading, high quality specialist garments for their retail customers.



✓ Digital MTM order platform

✓ Fully factored single invoice ordering

✓ Automated order status

✓ Style portfolio pdf.

✓ Low MOQs for RTW

✓ Consistent service levels & delivery times

✓ Myriad of specialist garments

✓ Bespoke/workroom construction, styles & options at factory prices



### LAMBTON INDIA, OFF-SHORE PRODUCTION

The result of a steady and harmonious 12 year relationship with two prominent Indian tailoring families utilising highly capitalised factories with state of the art cutting, sewing and pressing machinery. This combined with decades of experience in made to measure and ready to wear garment manufacturing and slick logistics results in this solid and reliable partnership. Within a SETA certified paternal environment Lambton India ensures equal opportunity and diversity to its 350 skilled and dedicated staff, equal to the demands of all UK legislation.

We believe in *sustainable custom clothing with minimal waste*.

Our factory is LEED-certified as a Green Building with a Gold rating. Through optimised design and practices in site planning, water and energy management, material use, and indoor environment quality, we reduce our environmental impact.

The features of the unit include;

- ✓ On site renewable energy system (solar PV) with generation capacity of about 32,529 kWh per annum
- ✓ Energy efficient building with high performance glass.
  - ✓ Use of eco-friendly building materials.
- ✓ High efficiency, low noise, eco - friendly HVAC systems.
  - ✓ Use of ultra-low flow water fixtures.
- ✓ Eco friendly roof finishes to reduce heat ingress
- ✓ Landscaping with native and adaptive species
- ✓ Rainwater harvesting system

We are looking at including the DHL carbon offset fee and we are working towards moving towards recycled packaging wherever possible across the business.

**HIGHLAND WEAR**  
Made in Scotland & off-shore



## SHERIFFMUIRE

1. Braid epaulette
  2. Argyll cuff
  3. Silver Highland buttons
- Black & gun metal available



*Made in Scotland only*



## ARGYLL JACKET

*Made in Scotland and off-shore*

1. Braid epaulette  
- flat optional
2. Lapel width measurement choice
3. Stag horn buttons  
- metal buttons optional
4. Argyll pocket flaps & cuffs





## GHILLIE JACKET

1. Lapel width measurement choice
2. 1, 2 or 3 button front
3. Straight pockets with flaps  
- slanted optional
4. Notch lapel
5. 5 button cuff  
- 3 or 4 button optional



*Made in Scotland and off-shore*



## CRAIL JACKET

*Made in Scotland and off-shore*

1. Flat epaulette
2. Cut away front
  - standard curve front optional
3. Crail cuffs
4. Jet pockets with no flap
  - Crail pocket optional, with or without pintucks



## PRINCE CHARLIE

1. Braid cord epaulette
2. Crail cuff
3. Silver metal button  
- black or gun metal optional
4. Satin lapel  
- ribbed satin optional



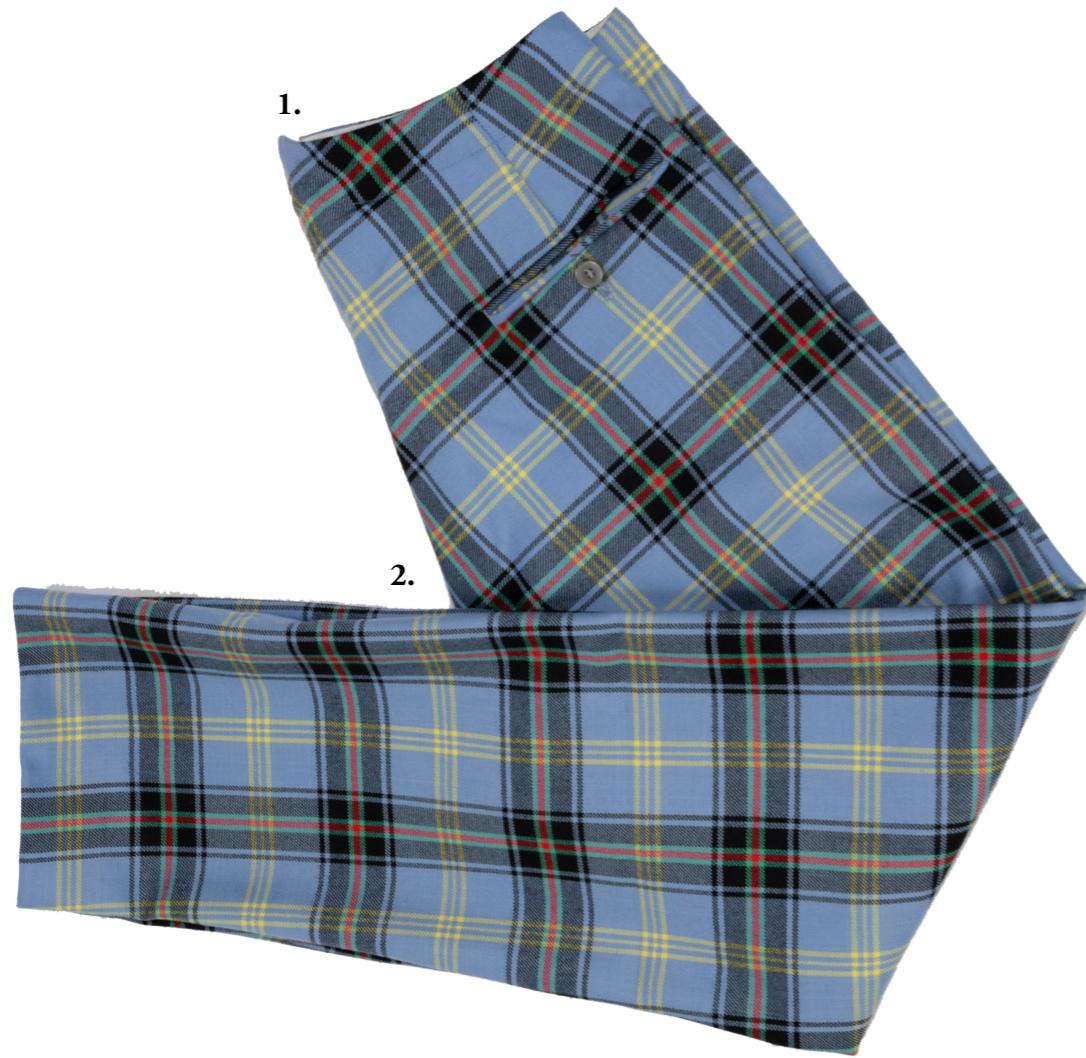
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## TREWS

Tailored off-shore

1. Peak back no front waist band  
- grown on peak back with front waistband optional
2. Single seam





**OUTERWEAR**  
Tailored off-shore



## TWEED BOMBER JACKET

*Tailored off-shore*

1. Zip Front
2. Shirt style collar
3. Knitted cuff & waistband
4. Button front and other pocket options available

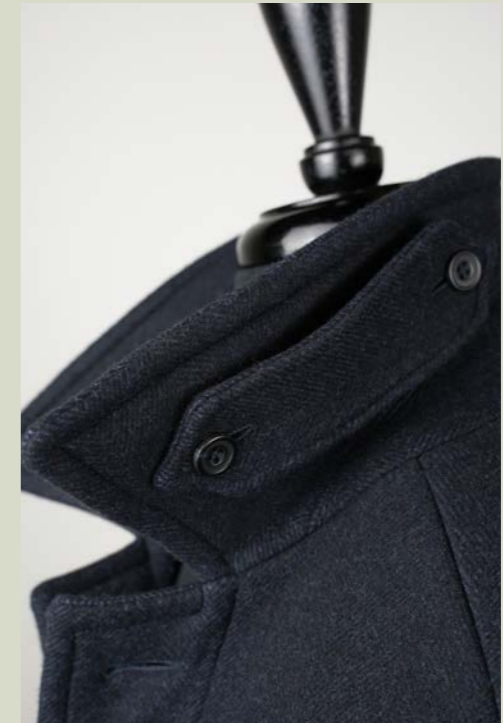


## BALMACAAN COAT

1. Prussian Collar
2. Fly front fastening
  - button front optional
3. Raglan Sleeve
4. Button & strap cuff
  - plain cuff optional
5. Removable storm tab
6. Vertical welt pocket



*Tailored off-shore*



## ULSTER COAT

*Tailored off-shore*

1. Ulster collar
2. Double breasted fastening
3. Gauntlet cuff
4. Half waist belt
5. Action back
6. Button through pleated vent





**CASUAL WEAR/COUNTRY WEAR**  
Tailored off-shore



## FIELD COAT

Tailored off-shore

1. Utility collar
  - Funnel collar optional
2. Had-warmer pockets
  - other pocket options available
3. Stud fastening
  - Button optional
4. Mock suede contrast collar
5. Optional waterproof membrane lining
6. Bellow pocket with flaps



## SHOOTING GILET

Tailored off-shore

1. Mock suede contrast gun patched
2. Hand-warmer pockets
3. Cartridge pocket
4. Zip front
5. Funnel neck with storm tab
6. Sewn on half belt with side adjusters



## COUNTRY JACKET

*Tailored off-shore*

1. Working storm flap
2. Inverted pleat patch pocket
3. Action shoulders



## OVER SHIRT

Tailored off-shore

1. Inverted pleat patch square pocket  
- with or without flap
2. Extra soft fusing collar and cuffs
3. Overshirt collar style  
- camp collar optional



## DRAWCORD TROUSERS

*Tailored off-shore*

1. Drawcord waistband
2. Single forward pleat
3. Slant pockets



## BREEKS, PLUS 2'S, 3'S AND 4'S

Tailored off-shore

1. Regular looped waistband
  - peak back optional
2. Belt loops or adjusters
3. Velcro cuff
  - strap or buckle optional
4. Half lined or full lined
  - line in satin, cotton or ventile



**FORMAL WEAR**  
Tailored off-shore





## DINNER JACKET

Tailored off-shore

1. Ribbed silk lapel  
- Satin optional
2. High gorge peak lapel  
- notch or peak optional
3. Rib silk covered buttons  
- satin covered buttons  
optional
4. Cutaway fronts



## TAILCOATS

*Tailored off-shore*

1. Peak label  
- notch optional
2. Link button
3. Tail pocket  
- left or right side



## LOUNGE SUIT

*Tailored off-shore*

1. Single breasted
2. 2 button fastening  
- 1 and 2 optional
3. High gorge notched lapel
4. Kissing buttons on the cuff



- 1. Fitted tartan coat
- 2. 4 button fastening
  - 1, 2 and 3 optional
- 3. Peak lapel
- 4. Kissing buttons on the cuff
- 5. Contrast collar and pocket flaps
- 6. Cloth covered buttons



*We offer an array of womenswear,  
please follow the contact details at the  
back of this brochure for more  
information.*

Age 5-15



*We offer an array of boyswear, please follow the contact details at the back of this brochure for more information.*



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