

MASTER JOINERS CONFERENCE

15 - 17 June 2017

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Wairakei Resort, 640 Wairakei Drive, Taupo

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WELCOME TO THE MASTER JOINERS CONFERENCE 2017

We extend a warm welcome to the 68th annual conference being held at the Wairakei Resort in Taupo, the North Island's premier geothermal area. Once again we have a full and interesting programme with plenty of emphasis on networking and fun, another chance to learn of the latest industry news and reconnect with old friends in this beautiful location.

A new look line-up for our programme this year sees the Conference Opening and Welcome starting on Thursday afternoon and the AGM's first up in the proceedings, allowing the early evening to be spent catching up with the sponsors at the Taupo Twitter. This starts at 4.30pm and a Buffet Meal will be served from 6pm

Friday is a day of conferencing, sponsor presentations, Brad Scott a Volcanologist and belly laughs with stand-up comedian Tarun Mohanbhai to entertain us before we head off for fun and games at New Zealand's only Prawn Park. They make terrible pets and are pretty ugly looking but they taste great! We've organised the opening of the 19th Hole Bar back at the resort to carry on the party.

Saturday afternoon activities are full of thrills and spills so get in quick with your choices, imagine driving your own race car, zooming down the Waikato River in a jet boat, cruising on Lake Taupo or a bird's eye view of the area with a scenic helicopter flight. The Awards Dinner will be held at the Wairakei Resort conference suite and will be a great night. Following the Master Joiner Awards Dinner and presentations, Live Wires are our band to entertain you for the evening.

There are some great flight deals available, so make your travel arrangements in plenty of time and enjoy another conference to remember.

Liam Wackrow, President NZJMF



THURSDAY 15 June 2017

- 9.00 am **NZJMF Executive Meeting - Wairakei Resort**
- 9.00 am Trade Exhibitors set up Displays - Wairakei Resort
- 10.30 am **Conference Registration Opens - Wairakei Resort**
- 12.30 pm Executive Lunch - Wairakei Resort
- 1.00 pm NZJMF Executive Meeting continues if required - Wairakei Resort
- 2.45 pm House Notes Continuity Manager
- 2.50 pm **Conference Welcome** Liam Wackrow, President, Registered Master Joiners
- 2.55 pm **Host Region Welcome** Paul Ingram, Waikato/BOP Region President
- 3.00 pm **Annual General Meetings**
 1. NZJMF
 2. JMF New Zealand Limited
 3. The Joinery Training Trust Limited

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| 4.30 pm | Taupo Twitter | Trade Exhibit area |
| This is your opportunity to catch up with the latest and greatest in new technology and design, and spend time with the Exhibitors who are there to answer all your questions. Complimentary beer and wine to 6.00 pm. Buffet Meal served from 6.00 pm. Cash bar from 6.00 pm to 9.00 pm in Trades. | | |

FRIDAY 16 June 2017

- 9.00 am **House Notes** Continuity Manager

- 9.05 am **"Compliant Timber joinery NZS:4211" Ken Monk, Director, JMF NZ Ltd**

- 9.25 am **"Making Good Choices of Timber for your Joinery" Daniel Wright Marketing Manager, Australian Sustainable Hardwoods**

- 9.45 am **"BCITO Sector Update" Warwick Quinn, Chief Executive, BCITO, Wellington**

SPONSOR PRESENTATION

- 10.10 am **Luxe Panels - Adding Value to Interior Space**

SPONSOR: PSP Limited Presenter: Adam Whitefield

- 10.30 am Coffee / Tea

Trade Exhibit area

SPONSOR PRESENTATION

- 11.15 am **A Business and Product Update**

SPONSOR: Parex Industries Presenter: Barnaby Thompson

- 11.35 am **"Rattle, Bang, Pop" Brad Scott, Volcanologist GNS Science Research Institute, Taupo**

Why we have volcanoes and geothermal systems in the greater Rotorua-Taupo area, and what they get up to.

SPONSOR PRESENTATION

- 12.00 pm **"How to Increase your Gross Margin on Benchtops"**

SPONSOR: Amorini Presenter: Chris Prier

- 12.20 pm Lunch

Trade Exhibit area

SPONSOR PRESENTATION

- 1.25 pm **"Glazing into Timber Windows"**

SPONSOR: Thermawood - RetroFit NZ Presenter: Graeme Clark

- 1.45 pm **"That Indian Guy" Tarun Mohanbhai, Comedian / Actor / Writer / Producer, Auckland**



New Zealand born Tarun Mohanbhai has been doing stand up for well over ten years, performing in New Zealand, Australia, South Africa, Malaysia, Singapore, USA, Canada and the UK at various comedy venues and festivals. Tarun has been a warm up comic for TV shows such as The Vote, Whanau Factor, 2 Tube, Pop Goes the Weasel and award winning 7 Days. He first hit the comedy stage in 1996 and since then has produced, written and starred in 4 sell-out NZ comedy festival shows. His TV credits included featured performances on the top rating Billy T Awards, PULP Comedy, Last Laugh, New Zealand's award winning drama Mercy Peak and the feature Tyrannical Love. Since 2012, along with Nick Rado, Tarun runs Laugh Club NZ which runs comedy nights around NZ from Kaitia to Invercargill.

- 2.15 pm Coffee / Tea Trade Exhibit area

3.30 pm Huka Prawn Park (Buses depart from Hotels for a 5 minute ride to the iconic Huka Prawn Park)



Prawn Fishing (competitions with prizes for the longest prawn or the most prawns caught - the prawns will be added to the buffet!) and 'Killer Prawn Hole-in-One-Challenge' Golf (land a golf ball into one of the rings floating in the prawn ponds and win cash prizes!). Tour nursery and hatchery, see prawns close up in the aquarium, or sit back with a glass of wine and soak your feet in the geothermal foot bath. Some activities may be weather dependent but there will be a 'Plan B'. Limited number 160 guests - first in first served. Full Buffet sit down Dinner from 5.30 pm in Riverside Restaurant with Dessert platters, followed by music and mingling.

Dress casual - Cash/leftpos/creditcard bar

From 9.00 pm Buses depart for Wairakei Resort
9.00 pm till late Night Club in 19th Hole Bar



SATURDAY 17 June 2017

From
8.30 am Breakfast in the Trades Trade Exhibit area
9.30 am Trade Exhibitors pack out
9.30 am House Notes

9.35 am 'Printing' Jawbones & Helicopter Blades - Andrew Kersley / Nick Gledhill, Axia Design, Ahuriri HB



A revolution in digital design technology that enables 3D objects to be 'printed' from layers of fused powders or resins is being used to create plastic and metal components for cars, planes, appliances, electronics and the human body.

Andrew Kersley

With a masters degree in Technology majoring in product development plus industrial experience from NZ, UK and USA working with high end brands like Apple, Andrew brings a very broad combination of Design and Project Management skills to the AXIA team.

Nick Gledhill

Coming from an engineering based background and a degree in Technology makes Nick an invaluable member of the AXIA team. Having spent time working for high end Australian product design companies specialising in composite and plastic components broadens AXIA's knowledge base even further. Nick's interest in the additive manufacturing revolution has helped steer AXIA in this direction. "I believe Rapid Prototyping will continue to help expand the horizons of designers, with fewer limitations on what can be made."

10.30 am Transport to lunch and chosen activities

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES. Choose one:

1) Chris Jolly Outdoors Scenic Lake Cruise

Enjoy a relaxing scenic cruise on beautiful Lake Taupo. You will travel around the Northern bays and out to the famous Maori Rock Carvings for that perfect photo opportunity. Lunch provided on board.

2) Bruce McLaren Motorsport Park Formula Challenge - V8's and Single Seaters

Head out to the Bruce McLaren Motorsport Park and get behind the wheel of a Race Car! Learn the tricks of race car driving and experience the fun of driving on an International Race Track. Experience either the Holden or Ford V8 race car, or a Formula Challenge Single Seater - the closest you will ever get to driving a Formula 1 car! Weather won't affect this. Boxed lunch provided.

3) Thermal Jetboat Safari to the Hidden Valley

Enjoy over an hour of jetboating along the mighty Waikato River before stopping to take in the geothermal wonderland that is Orakei Korako. Explore a world of gushing geysers, hot springs, bubbling mud pools and some of the worlds largest and most amazing silica terraces. Orakei Korako boasts the most active geysers of any geothermal park in New Zealand. Lunch at The Mudcake Café.

4) Helicopter Tours - Taste of Taupo

Fly over Huka Falls and the Craters of the Moon before heading out to the beautiful Whakaipo Bay. Fly along the lake edge to the famous Maori Rock Carvings before heading over town and back to the Huka Falls heli-pad. 15 Minutes \$170. Lunch available at the Hub Kitchen.

4.30 pm **Arrive back at Wairakei Resort**
6.30 pm **Pre Awards Drinks**
Waikato Resort
7.00 pm **Awards Dinner**

Dress: Jacket and Tie

Karapiti/Waikato Ballroom, Wairakei Resort

- Owen Wright Memorial Trophy
- Most Promising Apprentice Award - the Ernie Jelinek Cup
- Graham Hughes Memorial Outward Bound Scholarship
- NZ Master Joiners Apprentice Awards
- Gordon Caulfield Memorial Trophy

NZ Master Joiner Awards



Band is **The Live Wires**, a versatile band who will bring magic to our special event with dance music from the 60's to modern day classics.

FRIDAY 16 June 2017

9.30 am Buses depart for each one of two options for Partners to choose from;

1. THE RELAXING PROGRAMME:

Aratiatia Floodgates

Watch the Aratiatia dam floodgates open to form NZ's largest surging rapids. Aratiatia Rapids are formed when the dam gates of the Waikato River are opened a few times a day. These are also the famous rapids used in the filming of Peter Jackson's movie, The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug.

Huka Falls River Cruise

Enjoy "Maid of the Falls", a purpose built riverboat with comfortable inside seating, large rear deck and a front viewing platform. The ride will take you up the Waikato River for awesome views of the thundering Huka Falls (NZ's highest volume waterfall). This is a real experience, cruising through crystal clear water, with birdlife and native bush lined riverbanks. See natural hot streams and the earth's energy that drives Wairakei Geothermal Power Station. Enjoy complimentary tea and coffee while cruising on water that is always calm and excellent for photography.

Lava Glass Sculpture Garden and Gallery

Enjoy a delicious café lunch and watch the fascinating art of glass blowing in the studio. Adjoining the studio is an extensive gallery of hand-blown art glass and jewellery for sale or viewing. Take a stroll through the spectacular Sculpture Garden with 500 glass sculptures set in an acre of manicured grounds. The board walk takes you on a 400m amble around ponds and through fields of glass flowers, or you can sit and enjoy the water tumbling down the 15 piece waterfall.

2. THE MORE ACTIVE PROGRAMME:

Walk the Craters of the Moon Track

The Craters of the Moon geothermal walkway wanders through a weird, other-worldly, landscape featuring bubbling craters and steaming vents. The main walking track is a 45 minute loop walk, an easy grade suitable for most people of all ages, and the track surface is a mixture of fine gravel and wooden boardwalks. Take also the top track, adding 20 minutes to walk to the upper lookout viewpoint. It's a moderate walk with numerous steps, but the view makes it well worth the effort!

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Note: Attendance is space dependent with preference given to full delegates.

2.15 pm Afternoon Tea in the Trade Exhibit area

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10.30 am Depart from Wairakei Resort for Saturday lunches and activities with delegates



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- Register on line at www.masterjoiners.co.nz
- or
- Fill in the Registration Form accompanying this brochure
- or
- Download a form at www.masterjoiners.co.nz
- Send completed form with payment to: Master Joiners Conference
c/- Many Hats Limited
PO Box 12097
Ahuriri, Napier, 4144

REGISTRATION FEE includes satchel, conference sessions, Taupo Twitter and some drinks on Thursday night and buffet dinner, Friday teas and lunch, Saturday breakfast. Additional tickets for Taupo Twitter can be purchased for partners via the registration form.

ACCOMMODATION has been reserved at the Wairakei Resort. Please complete the accommodation section on the Registration Form. The rates are only available if your booking is made through the conference organisers. A minimum deposit of \$115 must accompany bookings. Accommodation will be allocated on a first come first served basis and after 15 May 2017 we cannot guarantee availability as unallocated rooms will be released back to the hotel.

Please advise the Conference Organisers of any changes and not the hotel directly.

The balance of the account is to be settled with the hotel by the delegate on departure and details of your hotel booking will be included with your confirmation.

TRAVEL Delegates should make their own travel arrangements to Taupo. Early flight bookings are recommended. The airport is about a 15 minute taxi ride to the conference venue and accommodation.

CANCELLATION POLICY Once confirmation of your registration has been sent, the cancellation policy takes effect. • A refund of registration fees less administration fee of \$49.00 + GST will be made for cancellations received in writing by 1 June 2017. The cancellation fee is still payable even if registration fees have not been paid. • Refunds after 1 June 2017 will be at the discretion of the Organising Committee. • If fees have not been paid prior to conference, and the registrant is unable to attend, the registrant is responsible for, and will be invoiced for committed costs accordingly. • If for reasons beyond the control of the organisers, conference is cancelled, registration fees will be refunded • Hotel cancellation fees vary and you will be advised any costs upon receipt of your cancellation, these costs are your responsibility.

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