

### Why be a Master Joiner?

The NZ Joinery Manufacturers' Federation (trading as **Master Joiners**) is made up of joiners living and working throughout New Zealand. The Federation encourages competition and the pursuit of excellence between and from its members, their employees and apprentices.

There are many advantages of being a member of your local branch of Master Joiners. The benefits of interaction and sharing of information with fellow joiners is invaluable, with particular regard to customers and suppliers. Master Joiners is the recognised national joinery industry body. Membership bestows credibility with potential clients.

Benefits free to members include a framed membership certificate for office or showroom, quarterly newsletter, website and magazine promotion, health and safety guide, presentation folders, brochures, window and vehicle stickers and exterior signage.

Full comprehensive Terms & Conditions of Trade is available to members at a much reduced price from EC Credit Control. Master Joiner clothing and flags are available for purchase, and a 4 - Agreements Employment package including fixed term, full time, part time and casual is available at a special rate for members from Employers Assistance Ltd.

The Federation and local associations work together with training providers to provide pre-training courses and also sponsors youth skills competitions and events aimed at promoting excellence in trades training.

A very successful Master Joiners Conference is held annually and delegates to the conference benefit greatly from the dissemination of information and demonstrations of new technology and design, as well as the networking with fellow joiners.

The annual Master Joiner Awards and Master Joiners Apprentice Awards promote excellence in joinery, encourage the use of sustainable timbers and best practice, and showcase the finest work from the industry.

Check out the website [www.masterjoiners.nz](http://www.masterjoiners.nz) or contact the Executive Officer, Corinne Moore, for information about membership. Phone (06) 844 9954, Fax (06) 650 6756, email [info@masterjoiners.co.nz](mailto:info@masterjoiners.co.nz).

Subscription costs are:

New First Year Member	\$195
Members with 2 or less full-time Employees	\$270
Members with 3 or more full-time Employees	\$390

Plus the local association fee for your region.

All subscriptions are exclusive of GST. Linked reduced membership is available with NKBA for \$310. This includes local branch subscription

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