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SPECIALISTS IN VEGETATION MANAGEMENT

NEW ZEALAND ARBORICULTURAL ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL CONFERENCE - DUNEDIN TOWN HALL
IN ASSOCIATION WITH ASPLUNDH

Thursday 8 November

Conference MC: Jennie Vickers NZDIA

From 7:15am	REGISTRATION DESK OPEN - Glenroy Foyer - Harrop Street	
Room	Glenroy Theatre	Trade Area
8:00 - 8:15	WELCOME & HOUSEKEEPING - OPENING BY NZ ARB PRESIDENT	
8:15 - 9:00	International Keynote: Ted Green <i>President of the Ancient Tree Forum</i> The importance of ageing gracefully Sponsored by Treescape®	
9:00 - 9:45	International Keynote: Ed Gilman <i>University of Florida</i> Tree structure that helps trees resist failure	
9:45 - 10:30	Plenary Speaker: Dr Neil de Wet <i>Toi Te Ora Public Health</i> Biophilic public health: Kākā, kauri and our health expectancy	
10:30 - 11:00	MORNING TEA - Trade Zone Exhibition Hall - Main Auditorium	
Room	GENERAL ARB STREAM Glenroy Theatre	PRACTITIONERS STREAM IN ASSOCIATION WITH COMMERCIAL OUTDOOR MACHINERY Stage - Main Auditorium
		Chair: David Stejskal Auckland Council
11:00 - 11:45	Lily Burrows <i>Dunedin City Council</i> Assessing consent, a city planner's perspective on resource consent	Dan Holliday <i>Climbingarborist.com</i> The Internet, a good resource for Arborist training? Or could it end in disaster?
11:45 - 12:30	Dr David Orlovich Arboreal fungi - more fun than you can shake a stick at	Andy Neverman <i>Self-employed, Contract Climber and Trainer to Thoughtplanters NZ Limited</i> "Tips and Tricks" Reloaded
12:30 - 13:15	STUDENT MENTOR LUNCH IN ASSOCIATION WITH TREETECH Fullwood Room	LUNCH - Trade Zone Exhibition Hall - Main Auditorium
Room	Glenroy Theatre	Conference Room 2
13:15 - 14:00	Craig Webb <i>CWCA Limited</i> An A-Z of report writing	Andrew Harrison <i>WINTEC</i> Lean - Mean - Tree Climbing Machine!
14:00 - 14:45	Jez Partridge <i>Treecology Tree Consultancy</i> Amenity Tree Evaluation Methodologies in New Zealand	Sam Turner <i>Ropework. Education. Design. Limited</i> LogA - A Data Collection Tool for Arborists
14:45 - 15:15	AFTERNOON TEA - Trade Zone Exhibition Hall - Main Auditorium	
Room	Glenroy Theatre	Conference Room 2
15:15 - 16:00	Nikole Wills Trees through the ages - a civilisation fuelled by trees	Menno Kluiters <i>Tree Consultant</i> Myrtle Rust
Room	Glenroy Theatre	
16:00 - 16:45	James Fletcher <i>Treescape®</i> From Compliance to Engaged Health & Safety Leadership - an Opportunity for our Industry	
16:45 - 16:55	ISA Update - Chris Walsh	
16:55 - 17:05	Fredrik Hjelm <i>The Living Tree Company</i> Kauri Dieback Update and Q&A	
17:05 - 18:00	NZ ARB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & INTRO OF CLIMBERS	
18:00 - 19:30	WELCOME FUNCTION / GEAR CHECK (TRADE ZONE - MAIN AUDITORIUM)	

TRADE ZONE & HUSQVARNA ESPRESSO LOUNGE

Friday 9 November

7:30 - 8:00	REGISTRATION DESK OPEN	
Room	Conference Room 2	Trade Area
7:30 - 8:30	CONSULTANT'S WORKSHOP	
Room	Glenroy Theatre	Stage - Main Auditorium
8:30 - 9:15	<p>Ted Green <i>President of the Ancient Tree Forum</i> You can't become ancient without getting old first Sponsored by Treescape®</p>	<p>Dan Holliday <i>Climbingarborist.com</i> Safe use of chainsaws in the canopy and optimal work positioning</p>
9:15 - 10:00	<p>Ed Gilman <i>University of Florida</i> Pruning you won't forget</p>	<p>Andreas (Rossy) Ross <i>Pro Climb Limited</i> Aerial Rescue when Confronted with Spinal Injury</p>
10:00 - 10:30	MORNING TEA - Trade Zone Exhibition Hall - Main Auditorium	
Room	GENERAL ARB STREAM Glenroy Theatre	UTILITY ARB STREAM IN ASSOCIATION WITH POWERNET - Conference Room 2
		Chair: Mark Way PowerNet Ltd
10:30 - 11:00	<p>Gordon Bailey <i>Central Otago District Council</i> Tree population management - where size does count</p>	<p>Trevor Gardiner <i>Thoughtplanters</i> UA Level 3 Qualifications</p>
11:00 - 11:30	<p>Judy Gardner <i>Scion Research</i> Forest and tree diagnosis at Scion</p>	<p>Dr Selwyn McCracken <i>Stantec New Zealand Ltd</i> Satellite Imagery</p>
11:30 - 12:00	<p>Andrew Benson <i>University of Canterbury</i> The use of temporally normalised electrical resistivity profiles to track the spread of decay in trees</p>	<p>Open Discussions with UA Committee Discussion about Pros/Cons of Utility Arborists becoming Registered Electrical Workers</p>
12:00 - 13:00	LUNCH - Trade Zone Exhibition Hall - Main Auditorium	
Room	Glenroy Theatre	Otago Museum Reserve 419 Great King Street, Dunedin
13:00 - 13:45	<p>Howell Davies Sustainability and biodiversity of urban forests</p>	<p>NZ Arb Husqvarna National Tree Climbing Championship Preliminary Events:</p> <p>AB Equipment Speed Climb Kask Work Climb Silky Saws Aerial Rescue Donaghys' Ascent MetroGreen Throwline</p> <p>12:00 - 5:30pm</p>
13:45 - 14:30	<p>Alan Matchett <i>Dunedin Botanical Gardens</i> Growth and timing at New Zealand's oldest botanic garden</p>	
14:30 - 14:45	CONFERENCE CLOSE	
14:45 - 15:15	AFTERNOON TEA - Exhibition Hall - Main Auditorium	
15:15 - 17:30	<p>Notable Trees Field Trip Departing from Dunedin Town Hall Foyer Moray Place</p>	
17:30 - 19:00	Food Truck Friday! A Joint Informal Function for Climbers and Delegates AT THE TOWN HALL (Harrop Street)	
18:00	NEW ARBORIST OF THE YEAR COMPETITION KINDLY SPONSORED BY HANSA AND TREEHUB	

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Saturday 10 November

Room	Botanic Gardens 36 Opoho Road	Otago Museum Reserve H D Skinner Annex Gallery		Otago Museum Reserve
9:00-10:30	Workshop Ed Gilman Planting and pruning to resist failure			NZ Arb Husqvarna National Tree Climbing Championship Masters Challenges*: Treetech Men's Masters Challenge Arb Innovations Women's Masters Challenge *Incomplete preliminary events will be concluded prior to start of Masters' events Venue: Otago Muesum Reserve Start Time: 8:00am Masters' Challenge: 12:00pm Finish: 16:30pm
10:45-12:15	Workshop Ted Green Read the trees	10:30-11:15	Public Lecture Mark Roberts Critical thinking in arboriculture	
		11:15-12:00	Public Lecture Mark Roberts Trees in a Changing Environment	
19:00	CONFERENCE DINNER, AWARDS & AUCTION - DUNEDIN TOWN HALL MC: Jennie Vickers NZDIA			