

Welcome to NASH NEWS Issue 6

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NASH WELCOMES METALS NZ

A new association has been launched at the Metals Industry Conference in April. Metals New Zealand (Metals NZ) is an incorporated society serving the needs of New Zealand's metals related industry.

It consists of Organisation Members made up from metals related industry associations, Ordinary Corporate Members made up from key stakeholder companies and Affiliate Members representatives. Its Executive consists largely of leaders of New Zealand's major organisations operating in the metals based sectors. Metals NZ members nominate the Executive

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NASH MEMBERS FORUM – A SUCCESS

Following on from the Metals NZ Conference, NASH hosted a member's only forum to discuss issues that affect the industry.

With half the membership attending, this proves that these newly introduced forums are of immense importance to the members and the Industry.

As well as discussing industry issues, the members were treated to presentations by:



Peter Thorby –
Manager of Building
Standards DBH



John Green –
Director, Building
Disputes Tribunal



Derek Baxter –
CEO, Certified
Builders Association
of NZ



Pam Bell –
Manager of
Prefab NZ



Ken Watson –
Executive Director,
NASH Australia

Copies of these presentations are available in the Members only section of the NASH website. To access these you need to be a paid up member and use your own personalised 2011 password as a login.

If you haven't received your login please contact the Carl Davies at gm@nashnz.org.nz

Board Members for 2011/12

The following persons were duly elected at the recent AGM to serve on the NASH Board from April 2011 to March 2012:

- Professor Charles Clifton
The University of Auckland
- Dr. Stephen Hicks
Heavy Engineering Research Association
- Gordon Barratt
Frametek Ltd
- Todd Forsyth
Rollforming Services Ltd
- Chris Kay
New Zealand Steel Ltd
- Graham Rundle
RedCo (NZ) Ltd
- Mark Taylor
FrameCAD Solutions Ltd
- Wayne Rowe
Howick Engineering Ltd
- Philip Vautier
Impact Steel Frames Ltd
- Geoff Kell
Geoff Kell Consulting Ltd
- Kyle Dickinson
Steel Frame (NZ) Ltd

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2011:

NASH will be participating in the following conferences:

- Certified Builders of NZ Conference in Auckland 10th to 12th June
- NZ Institute of Quantity Surveyors Conference 17th to 19th June in Wellington
- Master Builders Conference (with Buildex) in Auckland 25th to 28th June

Construction Industry Council meetings will be held on the following dates:

- 23rd June in Wellington
- 4th August in Auckland
- 15th September in Wellington
- 27th October in Auckland
- 8th December in Wellington

NASH is a member of the Construction Industry Council (CIC); A peak body of the Construction Industry.

NASH BOARD MEETINGS:

- 26th May
- 21st July
- 6th September
- 1st November
- 13th December



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The Board of NASH welcomes this move and has a seat on the Governing Executive Committee. It has been felt that a united voice will assist in getting the recognition from Government and other sectors that it deserves.

The move will not affect NASH and we will be continuing as normal says Carl Davies GM of NASH. This is a move in the right direction for all metals-based sectors run by Industry for Industry.

NASH PRESENTS AT METALCON CONFERENCE

Chairman Gordon Barratt and General Manager Carl Davies attended and spoke at the 20th Annual Conference in Las Vegas. The conference is an invaluable resource for all design and construction professionals. Their paper on The Success with High Strength Cold Formed Steel Framing in NZ was well received. NZ exhibitors reported that the show was one of the best in terms of dialogue and orders for NZ products.



At the Metalcon conference in October, General Manager Carl Davies met keynote address speaker Alberto Gonzales Former US Attorney General in the Bush era.

PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE

The NASH Steel Frame Handbook and NASH 3405:2011, 'An Alternative Solution for Steel Framed Buildings' are now available.

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