

SEPTEMBER 2006

**RAC Community Safety
Month Events**

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Events

**New Course for Injury
Management Co-ordinators**

Safety2006 Conference Program Now Available

This year's Safety2006 Conference promises to be the biggest and best with a bumper line up of speakers including three high profile keynotes.

In addition to Professor Andrew Hopkins, other keynote speakers featured include:

Superintendent Keith Williams ASM, Manager, Rescue/SCAT (Special Operations Unit) - Ambulance Service of NSW

Keith will present "**Ambulance Service NSW Response to the Beaconsfield Mine Rescue**" where he will provide details from his personal experience with the Beaconsfield Mine Rescue operation as a key member of the rescue team.

Dr Maggie Goldie, Vice President EHS - Tyco Fire and Security

Dr Goldie will present "**Managing Risks Across the Continents - A Global Perspective from a Service and Contracting Business**". Her presentation will address some of the steps taken to meet the challenge of establishing a consistent approach to managing risks across regions spanning 100 countries and incorporating 90,000 employees.

The Safety2006 Conference program incorporates a total of 22 presentations featuring a broad range of topics and quality speakers. For a copy of the full program, please contact IFAP on 9430 6611 or visit www.verticalevents.com.au.

EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT
Book your place before 29 September and
save on your registration fees!

Training for Injury Management Co-ordinators

IFAP's latest course has just been released with the first course scheduled this month.

IFAP's new **Injury Management Co-ordinator Course** is specifically designed for those people who have the responsibility (either directly or indirectly) for injured workers in their organisation.

The three-day course provides participants with an introduction to the rights and obligations enshrined in the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 and its Regulations for all parties involved in the workers' compensation and injury management process.

The course will also provide participants with an understanding through practical application of the legal requirements involved in the injury management process. The course also explores the important issues of workplace culture, managing difficult workers' compensation cases and data analysis and reporting.

Participants will be provided with a well rounded educational experience culminating in assessments which are innovative and applicable to the workplace.

Injury management in the workplace is a 'win-win' philosophical concept which, if implemented and adhered to, can provide many benefits to the injured worker and their employer: for the employer this is none more so than downward pressure on their workers' compensation premium.

Course Dates

18 - 20 September

17 - 19 October

For more information or to book places, please contact **Christine Williams** at IFAP on **9310 0218**.

New Members

IFAP welcomes the following new members:

CORPORATE

A&B Welding Pty Ltd
City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder
Det Norske Veritas (DNV)
DITS Pty Ltd
FMC Technologies Australia Ltd
Gleneagle Gold
Imperial Snubbing Services
Interactive Fitness Software
Modec Management Services Pty Ltd
Reonmay Engineering Pty Ltd
Resource Equipment Rentals Pty Ltd
Sugar Australia
Terex mining Australia
Upstream Petroleum Pty Ltd

INDIVIDUAL

Bob Adams
John Christie
Peter Deith
Kendall Leggett
Daniel D Lewis
Marinus Van De Werken
Piers Wilkinson

For information on IFAP Membership, please contact IFAP on **9430 6611**.

Sponsors Secured for Key Events

IFAP has secured several high profile sponsors for upcoming events this year.

CGU have renewed their sponsorship of the 2007 IFAP/CGU Safe Way Awards. This will be their third year as principal sponsor of IFAP's annual safety awards program. The **2007 IFAP/CGU Safe Way Awards** will be launched at a breakfast presentation to be held during Community Safety Month on Tuesday 31 October.

Skilled have also renewed their sponsorship of IFAP annual conference dinner. Now in their fourth year as sponsors of this event, Skilled have recognised the value of this dinner in providing a key opportunity for safety professionals to network after the Safety2006 Conference and to recognise the achievements of the Gold Safe Way Achiever Award winners. This year's **Skilled**

Gala Dinner will be held at the Kings Park Function Centre on Wednesday 14 November.

IFAP is holding its 3rd annual **Corporate Golf Day** on Thursday 15 November at the Novotel Vines Resort. Last year's event saw a full field of 144 players with many others turned away. Sponsors have been keen to jump on board early this year with **Omniware Australia** confirming their support as a Gold Sponsor and **Atwood Oceanics, Compass Group** and **Optima Digital Print** locked in as Silver Sponsors. Several sponsor packages offering valuable benefits and excellent exposure opportunities are still available for this event. Please contact **Rebecca Johnston** on **9431 6276** for details.

RAC Community Safety Month Events

IFAP is holding a number of events in October to coincide with RAC Community Safety Month.

Safety Networking After-Hours Cocktail Function - Wednesday 4 October

Water Corporation Field Ergonomics Program

Presented by: Claire Preston, OSH Consultant - Water Corporation

Venue: Fremantle Sailing Club **Time:** 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Attend this event and find out more about the initiatives the Water Corporation are currently working on to tackle their ageing workforce and manual handling issues.

IFAP/CGU Breakfast Safety Presentation - Tuesday 31 October

Positive Teams - Positive Results

Presented by: Donatus Michalka, Director - Positive Workplace Foundation

Venue: Kings Park Function Centre **Time:** 7.30am to 9.30am

This breakfast will address the hidden health and safety epidemic in Australia and what you can do about it in your workplace. Donatus Michalka, winner of the "Most Outstanding Presentation Award" at IFAP's 2005 SafetyWA Conference will advise how your company can reduce the human and financial cost by creating positive teams and achieving positive safety results. This breakfast will also feature the official launch of the 2007 IFAP/CGU Safe Way Awards by the Hon. Mr John Bowler, Minister for Resources and Assisting the Minister for State Development; Employment Protection; Goldfields-Esperance and Great Southern.

For more information on these events or Community Safety Month, please contact **Mackenzie Craig** on **9430 6611**.

September 2006 - December 2006

TRAINING COURSES	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Occupational Safety & Health Training - Ph: 9310 0218 for bookings				
Diploma of OH&S Bridging Course - Perth (10 days) ** <i>NEW</i>		23-3		
Diploma of Occupational Health & Safety (20 days) ** <i>NEW</i>			6-17	4-15
Safety & Health Representative, Introductory - Perth (5 days)	4-8, 18-22, 25-29	9-13, 16-20, 23-27, 30-3	6-10, 13-17, 20-24, 27-1	4-8, 11-15
Safety & Health Representative, Introductory - Bunbury (5 days)	18-22	30-3		4-8
Safety & Health Representative, Transitional Training - Perth (1 day)	25	30		
Safety & Health Representative, Refresher (2 days)	7-8	3-4	15-16	18-19
Safety & Health Representative, Refresher - Bunbury (2 days)		5-6		13-14
Occupational Safety & Health for Supervisors - Perth (2 days) **	12-13	17-18, 31-1,	14-15, 28-29	12-13
Occupational Safety & Health for Supervisors - Bunbury (2 days) **	4-5	3-4		11-12
OSH - Managerial Responsibilities (2 days) **	5-6		13-14	
Cert. III in Surface Ventilation Technician - (3 days) **	18-20		20-22	
Cert. IV in Surface Ventilation Officer - (2 days) **	21-22		23-24	
Accident Investigation - (1 day)		19		14
Introduction to OSH - (1 day)	4		13	
OSH Management Fundamentals - (1 day)	15		17	
Successful Safety Committees - (2 days)		5-6		
Manual Handling - (1/2 day)	14			4
Hazardous Substances in the Workplace - (1 day)		4		
Construction & Equipment Skills Training - Ph: 9310 0216 for bookings				
MARCSTA Surface Induction - (1 day)	Every Wednesday, Friday & Alternate Saturdays			
Forklift Truck Operator - (1 day) **	Courses Every Monday			
Forklift Truck Operator - Skillbuilder (2 days) **	Courses Every Thurs/Fri			
Dogging - (5 days) **	4-8, 11-15	9-13, 30-6	6-10	4-8, 11-15
Rigging, Basic - (4 days) **	18-21	16-19	13-16	
Rigging, Int/Adv - (6 days) **	25-30	23-28	20-25	
Elevating Work Platform - (1 day) **	Courses Every Tuesday			
Basic Scaffolding - (5 days) **	25-29		27-1	
Int/Advanced Scaffolding - (6 days) **		9-14		4-9
Course in General Safety Induction - (1 day) ** <i>NEW</i>	7, 14, 21, 28	5, 12, 19, 26	2, 9, 16, 23, 30	7, 14, 21
Course in Hydroblasting, Induction - (1 day) **	5	3	7	5
Course in Contribute to Safe Tilt-up Construction - (1 day) **	12	24	21	12
Survival & Emergency Response Training - Ph: 9431 6273 for bookings				
Basic Offshore Survival (includes HUET) - (2 days) **	Courses Every Week			
TFOSET, FOET BOS Refresher - (1 day) **	Selected Mondays			
Aviation Escape and Survival (includes HUET) - (1 day) **	Every Tuesday			
BOSIET (OPITO) - (2.5 days) **	Courses Every Week			
Tropical BOSIET (OPITO) - (2 days) **	Courses Every Week			
Crisis & Emergency Management Training - Ph: 9221 9200 for bookings				
Introduction to Emergency Management - (1 day)	14	12	16	14
Telephone Skills in an Emergency - (1 day) <i>NEW</i>	12	10	14	12
Introductory Safety & Health Representative - Oil & Gas (5 days)	11-15	23-27	20-24	