Dear Member

Welcome to the last 2017 edition of the CIBSE ANZ Newsletter.

We have had an incredible year and want to say a huge thank you for all your support and involvement in making 2017 such a successful year.

So, before you tuck into a well-earned mince pie, take a look at the final news updates we've put together for you.

Have a great Christmas and we'll see you next year.

The CIBSE ANZ Team
Young Engineers Awards open with a banging new accolade

Giving passionate, young engineers a voice and a chance to step out of the shadows is what the Young Engineers Awards are all about. That’s why, in its second year, this ANZ region-wide competition has added a new category to the line-up for 2018.

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CIBSE NZ – Now Incorporated to serve local members better

CIBSE NZ members will for the first time have the opportunity to formally engage with decision making and have their say in how the institution is run, locally. This is because the Chartered Institution of Building Services NZ is now incorporated under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

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Talking Buildings Podcast - Engineering Excellence with Angus McFarlane, Structural Engineering Leader at Laing O’Rourke

With his sound knowledge and experience on the subject, Angus discusses Design for Manufacture and Assembly (DfMA) – a principal way to deliver innovation.

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Building Commissioning goes into the Innovation Incubator

Standards Australia recently launched its ‘Innovation Incubator’. The Incubator was established to bring the agility, thinking, processes and project methodologies of a start-up to Standards Australia and embed an open innovation mindset across its internal and external business operations.

CIBSE collaborated with stakeholders from across the Building Commissioning value chain at an interative workshop to tackle the issues associated with Building Services Commissioning.

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CIBSE ASHRAE Young Engineer Finalist, Baoying Tong had never been to London before he boarded his flight for the Award Ceremony last month but that wasn’t the only first for Baoying on this journey. The opportunity opened up a spectrum of experiences for the young engineer.

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Almost 100 local building services professionals, including CIBSE members and their guests, attended the CIBSE WA annual luncheon at the gorgeous Matilda Bay Restaurant in Perth with some surprise guests in the adjacent Swan river - a pod of dolphins decided they weren’t to miss out on the fun!

Read the full write up here
QLD - Fire Stopping of Services Penetration

Date: 31 January 2018

Venue: WSP, Level 3, 69 Ann Street, Brisbane City, QLD, 4000

Life safety is the responsibility of everyone in the construction industry. The design has to be right. The installation has to be right. Ongoing operations and maintenance programs have to be right. But what is 'right'?

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ARBS 2018 Exhibition

Date: 8 - 10 May 2018

Connect and network with peers, colleagues, designers, contractors, suppliers, installers, and end users over 3 action packed days of exhibition, seminars, product presentations, awards dinner and specialty networking events.

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Let’s Talk

Tweet of the month

@CarlosFloresLen

This is fascinating. 5 Australian coal power plants break down unexpectedly within a week, and the SA Tesla battery saves the day in milliseconds. Are batteries going to dramatically change the electricity grid much sooner than we thought? Click to view
Linkedin post of the month
Wayne Allison, Greenstar Mechanical Services

What does my Air-conditioning have to do with Fire Safety and why should I care?

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We hope you enjoyed the newsletter. If there’s anything you’d like to see more of in next month’s edition, don’t hesitate to get in touch.