

Kia ora , and welcome to your fortnightly issue of ForuM. We hope your week has been a good one. We have a few items to draw to your attention in this issue, including information about the national and local AGMs, and - believe it or not - dates for some of the regional Christmas parties!

Kia pai tō rā whakatā.
The FMANZ team

National AGM on 15 October



Members are invited to join the AGM on Thursday 15 October at 6.00pm. The AGM will be Livestreamed from Auckland, with branches in Hamilton, Palmerston North, Wellington, Christchurch and Dunedin facilitating local participation. **Register here**. You can also tune in from anywhere to watch it via Livestream,

but you will be unable to vote. The agenda, 2019 AGM minutes and the 2020 annual report and consolidated financial statements have been sent to members in an email. If you did not receive these, please contact Lynda at membership@fmanz.org.

Nominations are invited from members for vacancies on the Board from the Northern Region (Auckland, Waikato & Bay of Plenty). Nominations need to be in writing and must be lodged with Gillian via ceo@fmanz.org by 5.00pm on **Thursday 1 October**. See [here](#) for more information and job description. Please also email any notices of resolutions for consideration at the AGM to Gillian via ceo@fmanz.org by 5pm on **Thursday 1 October**.

Dates for Regional AGMs

We also have a few dates for the regional AGMs. The Waikato/ Bay of Plenty branch is holding its AGM on 6 October at 5.30pm - register [here](#); the Auckland branch is holding its AGM on 15 October at 5.00pm - before the national AGM - register [here](#); and the Wellington branch is holding its AGM after the national AGM, at 6.45pm on 15 October - register [here](#). Be sure to get along to support your local branch and put your name forward to join your local committee if you want to get more involved.

Congratulations to FMANZ's Newest Assessed Members

Congratulations to the following FM professionals who were approved into their new member categories at the recent Board meeting. They can now start using their post-nominals as their badge of professionalism.

Gemma Tracey	Associate	AFMANZ
Cath Latham	Member	MFMANZ
Belinda Mellon	Member	MFMANZ
David Soper	Member	MFMANZ
Lena Hill	Member	MFMANZ
Paul Compton	Member	MFMANZ
Michaela	Member	MFMANZ
Tangimetua	Member	MFMANZ
Leigh Wetselaar	Member	MFMANZ
Riaan Roberts	Member	MFMANZ
Mike Williams	Member	MFMANZ
Ha Marks	Member	MFMANZ

MBIE Deadline for Feedback Extended

MBIE has extended public consultation on proposed changes to help reduce carbon emissions in the building and construction sector until 11 October at 7.00pm. Facilities managers can now specify their occupation on the survey form - all the more reason to give feedback so FM will be recognised by the MBIE Building for Climate Change advisors to the Minister. The quickest and easiest way to be part of the consultation process is to respond via the survey on the **MBIE website**.



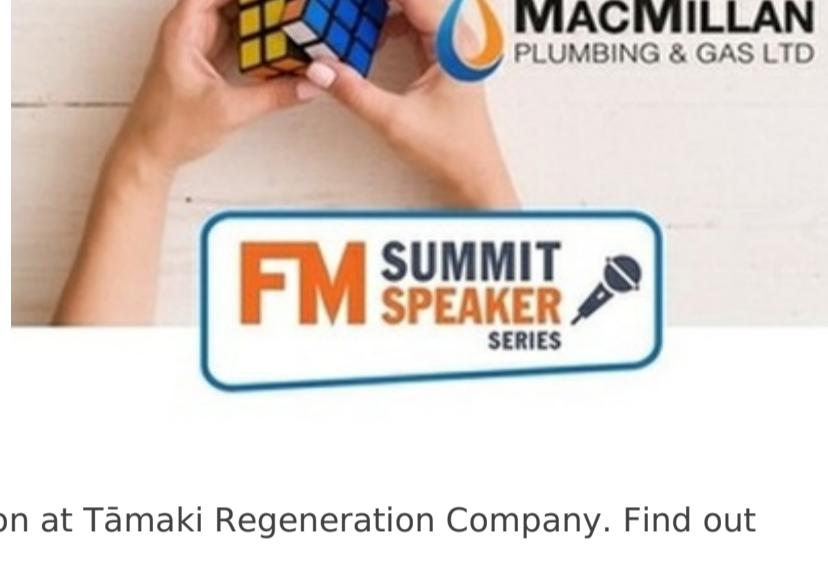
Save the Date - Christmas Parties



We know it seems incredibly early to be thinking about Christmas but save these dates: Wellington, your Christmas party will be on 26 November; Otago, your Yuletide celebrations will take place on 2 December; and Canterbury you can let your hair down on 3 December. Dates for other regions TBC. Keep an eye on the [learning and events page](#) for more details.

Asset Management One-Hour Webinar

Join us at 8.00am next Tuesday, 29 September for another FM Summit Speaker Series, kindly sponsored by MacMillan Plumbing and Gas. During this one hour webinar, Jack Crutzen will present several high-level principles of asset management, while Tracy Massam will take a look at good asset management in action at Tāmaki Regeneration Company. Find out more and register [here](#).



Three-Hour Asset Management Online Workshop



Speaking of asset management, be sure to join the senior team from SPM Assets for an engaging and informative three-hour online workshop on 13 October 9.00am - 12.00pm. Delivered in five 20-minute slots, each followed by a five-minute break-out and a five-minute debrief, the course promises to be fun and engaging. Using a number of case studies, the team will provide a

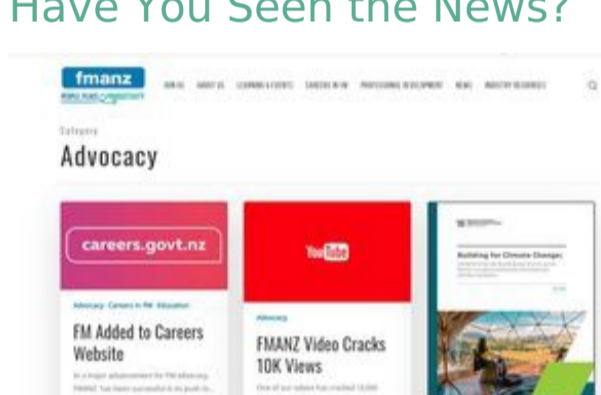
practical perspective of asset management and arm participants with a series of complimentary references, templates and guides. Learn more [here](#).

Congratulations to our Survey Winner

Congratulations to Eoin Davidson, Manager of Technical Services at the School of Psychology, Te Herenga Waka - Victoria University of Wellington, who wins a complimentary registration to FM Summit 2021. And thank you to everyone who took part in the survey - your feedback will help us plan a strong programme and engaging event. Next year's Summit will take place on 6-7 June at Cordis, Auckland - be sure to double-check you have this date in your diary!



Have You Seen the News?



Have you checked out our **News page**? It's a great place to see what you have a few minutes and want to catch up on what's been happening. If you want to see what has been achieved recently on the advocacy front, click on 'Advocacy' highlighted in blue, and all the advocacy stories will pop up.

Situations Vacant

Waitemata District Health Board (WDHB) is looking for a Digital Design and Delivery Specialist to develop and implement the digital processes as they relate to the building information, property and infrastructure design data for current built environments and major new construction works. This is a unique position with the opportunity to contribute significantly to the development and integration of the digital design space across the organisation. Closing date: 4 October. Learn more and apply [here](#).

A Word from our Corporate Platinum Sponsor

Site Assistance - Resene representatives can provide site assistance to answer any technical queries clients or painting contractors have. It is important to understand that paint manufacturers' site assistance is not intended as project management of a project; it is merely a support service. Painting contractors are ultimately responsible for project managing their own work.



Look out for: - Painting contractors who try to defer issues to the paint manufacturer. It is the painting contractor's responsibility to resolve their issues with the support of the manufacturer where needed.

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