

## Theme – Improving Our Practice

Best Western Airport Motel and Convention Centre

33 Ardlie Street, ATTWOOD 3049

DAY 1: TUESDAY 24 MARCH 2015		
10.00 am	Registration & Morning Tea	
10.30 am	Welcome and overview of the two days.	Simon Fleming - Chair, OH&S
10.45 am	VicWater Overview An overview of VicWater and the role of the OHS Network, including changes to network membership	Paul O'Brien
11.15 am	WSAA Benchmarking/network update An update as to the WSAA benchmarking project and also the WSAA OHS network and its relationship/links to the Vic network	Peter Gee – Manager Productivity and Performance Improvement, WSAA
12.15 pm	Victorian Water Industry Benchmarking Report & Update	Con Mavrelis
12.30 pm	NEW Leadership Program	Mick Clewes
1.15 pm	Lunch and Informal Networking	
2.00 pm	Asbestos Process	Halil Ahmet, WorkSafe Victoria
3.00 pm	Afternoon Tea	
3.15 pm	Mates in Construction Presentation MATES in Construction is a community development organisation aimed at reducing suicide and improving mental health and wellbeing within the Australian Construction industry	John Brady
4.15 pm	Close of Day 1	
6.00 pm	Pre-dinner Drinks (at own cost)	
6.30 pm	Dinner – Reflections Restaurant (at own cost)	

### Guest Speakers:

- John Brady – John comes from a diverse work background having spent 20 years as a school principal; owns a wine company, a leadership and management consultancy and has spent many years coaching young men in sport. John also spends 4 - 6 weeks a year in central Africa conducting leadership programs and establishing micro economic projects in poor communities.

John is married to Linda and they have five children. He has been with MATES in Construction Queensland for the past six years and helped develop the national award winning "Mates in Construction" program in suicide prevention. John also coordinates the Life Skills Tool Box program which is a resilience building program for apprentices in QLD construction.

John strongly believes that suicide is a preventable problem particularly if we can get Mates helping Mates.

DAY 2: WEDNESDAY 25 MARCH 2015		
8.30 am	Coffee	
9.00 am	Wrap up from Day One / additional discussions	Simon Fleming
9.15 am	Incidents & Learning's from around the state	Various Presenters
10.15 am	Morning Tea	
10.30 am	Safety Culture at Melbourne Water - Melbourne Waters Leadership Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Where did Melbourne Water start and what were the challenges?</li> <li>◆ How did Melbourne Water address these challenges?</li> <li>◆ Stages of Approach</li> <li>◆ Types of Programs used to address safety and culture</li> <li>◆ Initial &amp; ongoing culture surveys</li> <li>◆ Master class, executive alignment</li> <li>◆ What were the results and how have these results impacted on the business</li> <li>◆ Challenges along the way and key factors to success</li> </ul>	Brent Ruddell Melbourne Water
11.30 am	Mental Health Presentation	Stu Wilder
12.30 pm	Lunch and Informal Networking	
1.30 pm	Review of Regulation Changes	Mick Clewes
1.45 pm	Lone Worker Discussion	John Staples
2.00 pm	Dial Before You Dig iPhone App	Rob Ticchi
2.45 pm	General Discussion - open forum / continuation from previous topics	Simon Fleming
3.30 pm	Close / Next Meeting	
3.30 pm	Afternoon Tea and Departure	

## Guest Speakers:

- ◆ Stu Wilder – is a Men's Health Educator and Bowel & Prostate Care Manager at the Western District Health Service, based in Hamilton. Stu has been working with Wannon Water over the last 4 years in both developing and presenting their award winning Health & Wellbeing Program
- ◆ Peter Gee – is the Manager Productivity and Performance Improvement at Water Services Association of Australia and is the convener of the WSSA OHS Network

# 2013 OH&S Seminar

## Registration Form

**DATES:** Tuesday 24 and Wednesday 25 March 2015

**VENUE:** Best Western Airport Motel and Convention Centre  
33 Ardlie Street  
ATTWOOD VIC 3049

**COST:** \$200 per person for 2 days; (not including dinner or accommodation)  
or \$100 per day. If attending dinner, it will be at your own cost

A block booking for accommodation has been made with the venue as they are fully booked. Please tick the box below if you require accommodation on Tuesday 24 March 2015 and it will be arranged for you. This will be at your own cost (\$160) and paid directly to the hotel. Rooms will be released after this date and any further accommodation cannot be guaranteed. Any no shows will receive an invoice from VicWater for payment.

**PLEASE REGISTER THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE TO ATTEND THE OH&S SEMINAR \***

Name			Attending (✓)
Position			Day 1
Company			Day 2
Address			Dinner *
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Special Dietary Needs			

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# photocopy registration form if more than two registrants required

\* AT OWN COST

PLEASE INVOICE:

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COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_

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EMAIL: \*\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Please ensure you provide this information, as invoices will be emailed.

**Submit Form**

PLEASE RETURN BY E-MAIL BY **FRIDAY 6 MARCH** (IF YOU REQUIRE ACCOMMODATION)

OTHERWISE BY **FRIDAY 13 MARCH 2015** TO:

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**CANCELLATION POLICY:** No cancellations will be accepted after 16 March 2015. Substitutes will be accepted.

## Venue Map

