

THINKING ABOUT THE BOX



By re-thinking ideas about packaging size and shape, major environmental gains can be made...
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NEW MEMBERS

The AIP would like to welcome the following new Members...

NAME	GRADE	STATE
Louise Humphrey	Associate	QLD
Peter Bares	Member	VIC
Debra Watkins	Associate	VIC



Senior Food Technologist

The appointee will lead and support research in food innovation and product development. You will provide a specialist focus on new product development including providing assistance with the implementation of new products into commercial manufacturing environments.

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INDUSTRY NEWS

APMA APPOINTS NEW DIRECTOR

At its most recent Board meeting, the Association Chairman Rob Lawrence welcomed new Director, Andrew Jennings representing insignia pty ltd.

The Chairman also paid tribute to his predecessor Jack Winson who served as a Director for four years. He thanked Jack for his contribution particularly his role as Chairman of the Awards of Excellence Sub Committee...

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NATIONAL PACKAGING COVENANT UPDATE

As you may know, Ministers have given their in-principle support to a strengthened Australian Packaging Covenant to replace the current model, subject to a Regulatory Impact Statement (RIS) if required...

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Yates Packaging Technologist

Yates is Australia and New Zealand's leading home garden brand and provides offerings in the following market segments: Plant Protection, Water Management, Plant Food, Growing Media, Home Pest, Seed, Lawn Care and Commercial.

The role is located at Yates head office in Padstow and involves working with a wide variety of packaging formats and liaising closely with packaging suppliers, subcontractors and Yates manufacturing, purchasing and marketing personnel.

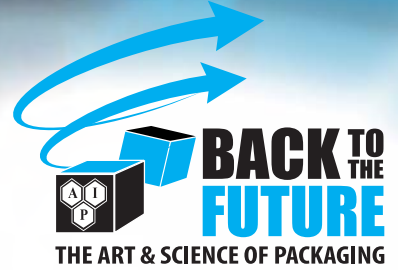
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VALE Eric Davis

I have been informed and confirmed by examination of the funeral notices of the passing of Eric George Davis aged 85 on the 23/09/2009. Eric was a Fellow of the AIP and was a highly respected member of Australian Packaging Industry.

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HAVE YOU BOOKED YOUR EXHIBITION STAND?



Australian Institute of Packaging National Conference 16th & 17th of June 2010 Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG)

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LATEST 25 YEAR AWARDEES

New South Wales and Victoria ran functions in late 2009 where they presented some more of the 25 year awards. The latest awardees were Paul Haberland FAIP, Brad Harrison MAIP, Bob McFadyen FAIP, and Michael Walker FAIP in New South Wales and Robin Tuckerman, FAIP, Colin Simpson, MAIP and Mark Kerr, FAIP in Victoria. The AIP National Board extends their congratulations to all of these Members who have all contributed significantly to the success of the AIP. Between these 7 Members we have past National Presidents, national board members, founding members and State Chairmen. Please join with us in congratulating these Members!



L to R: Robin Tuckerman, Colin Simpson and Mark Kerr



L to R: Paul Haberland, Brad Harrison, Bob McFadyen and Michael Walker (with Craig Wellman centre)

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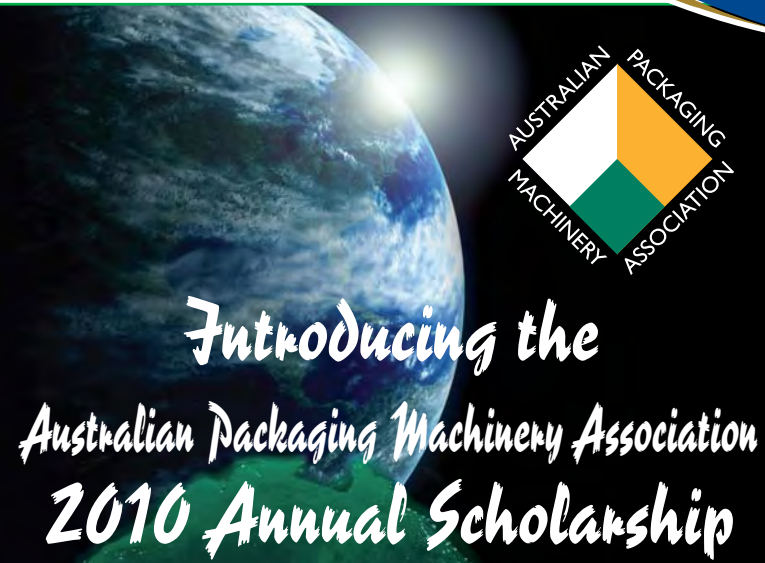


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Impressive UK packaging figures

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Introducing the Australian Packaging Machinery Association 2010 Annual Scholarship

The Australian Packaging Machinery Association are pleased to announce the second Annual Scholarship program is open for submissions...

The 2009 winner was Rebecca Du, Packaging Engineer, Amcor Fibre Packaging who has already commenced her Diploma in Packaging course.

The Australian Packaging Machinery Association is Australia's national organisation, representing the packaging and processing machinery industry.

The Australian Packaging Machinery Association are seeking a packaging engineer that is looking to further their education by offering them a scholarship to enrol in the Australian Institute of Packaging Diploma in Packaging Technology; an internationally recognised and accredited course.

The Australian Institute of Packaging (AIP), Diploma in Packaging Technology is an internationally recognised qualification for those wishing to pursue a career in the packaging industry, or for those who are already in the industry and who wish to extend their knowledge and expertise.

Apply today....
Applications close Friday the 30th of April 2010.

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Don't miss out on the latest AIP activities for 2010
ALL Members are invited to attend ANY events across the country.

VIC AIP VIC TECHNICAL DINNER

When? **Wednesday 3rd of February**
 Where? Wednesday the 3rd of February
 Box Hill Golf Club
 202 Station Street
 Box Hill 3128
 (Melway ref 61 C3)
 Time? 6.00 pm for a 6.30 pm start
 The evening concludes at approx 9.30 pm

BOOKINGS CLOSED

AIP NSW WRAP-UP

In December 2009 AIP NSW Branch ran a highly-successful technical dinner on the evolution of labelling. Guest speakers included Claude D'Amico MAIP from Innovia Films and Will Tompson from the Van Dyke Press. We would like to thank both Claude and Will for taking time out of their busy schedules and providing an interesting and informative session.

QLD AFGC RETAIL READY TOOLKIT ROADSHOW (BREAKFAST)

When? **Wednesday the 17th of February**
 Where? Viewing Room
 Queensland Cricketers Club
 Vulture Street
 Woolloongabba
 Time? 7.30 am arrival
 Will conclude at approx. 9.30 am
 Speaker? Samantha Blake

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JOURNEY OF THE ARK

A key feature of every bottle of Johnnie Walker scotch is the Striding Man logo. It was created in 1908 by an illustrator named Tom Browne to be a likeness of John Walker in traditional attire. In the logo, the man is walking forward, which Diageo Australia Limited, the distributors, says symbolises forward thinking and the pursuit for excellence...

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NSW AFGC RETAIL READY TOOLKIT ROADSHOW (DINNER)

When? **Wednesday the 17th of February**
 Where? Oatlands Golf Course Club House
 Bettington Road, Oatlands
 Time? 6.00 pm for a 6.30 pm start
 Will conclude at approx. 8.30 pm
 Speaker? Samantha Blake

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THE ART & SCIENCE OF PACKAGING

Australian Institute of Packaging National Conference 16th & 17th of June 2010 Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG)

The biennial Australian Institute of Packaging (AIP) National Conference brings together leading international and national experts in a variety of fields to cater for everyone in the food, beverage, manufacturing and packaging industries. Keynote speakers are world-renowned experts in their fields and the program provides an extensive array of educational and technical opportunities for everyone in the industry. The AIP National Conference is open to both Members and non-members and is the largest educational conference of its kind in the industry. A not-to-be-missed event.

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