

Vale Jan Wiggins



David Wiggins from the IOP in England and his son Tom would like to pass on their gratitude and thanks for the support they received from the members of the AIP when we heard about the death of David's wife Jan in a scuba accident this summer.

"I often think about the time I spent with you at your conference earlier this year, and sincerely hope that I will have the opportunity to renew friendships established then, at some point in the future."

"Thank you also for the donation that you sent to Jan's memorial fund, I hope in our way we will be able to see the work of my local church and the disabled sailing charity that Jan supported continue into the future. Thank you once again and all the best with the great work you all do for packaging in Australia." David Wiggins

12th & 13th June, Luna Park Sydney

KEYNOTE SPEAKER ANNOUNCED



We are pleased to announce that our keynote speaker for the 2008 AIP National Conference will be Dr Paul Singh, who is a Professor in the School of Packaging, Michigan University, USA.

Dr Singh will be presenting two papers during the conference. Presentation One: Sustainable Packaging Initiative with Case Studies. Presentation Two: Life Cycle Inventory of Food Distribution Containers (Reusable Plastic Containers and Display-Ready Corrugated) for Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.

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by JoAnn Hines

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by JoAnn Hines

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IN SEARCH OF ARTICLES

The AIP has several magazines looking for articles on packaging or packaging related fields. Articles can be as short as 200 words and would be on a subject you have expertise in or have case study material in that you think would be of interest to others in the packaging field. Contact Nerida Kelton on nerida@aipack.com.au

Supermarket Monopoly – Pass Go and make an acquisition!!

by Harry Lovell FAIP

The sale of Coles has aroused much comment in the press not the least being the speculation about Woolworth's interest and also that of Tesco which is reminiscent of the situations which have arisen in the U.K.

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NEW MEMBERS

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

NAME	Associate/Member	State
Trevor Gordon	Associate	QLD
Kevin Holley	Associate	NSW
Nigel Crisp	Member	WA
Harishchandra Ishtaweera	Member	VIC
Charlie Hong	Associate	VIC

Don't miss out on the latest AIP activities for 2007

SITE VISIT VISY AUTOMATION WEDNESDAY 7th NOVEMBER

VICTORIA
VIC@aipack.
com.au

Where? Visy Automation, 13 Reo Crescent Campbellfield
When? Wednesday 7th November 2007
5.30 pm to 6.30 pm
(5.00 pm to 5.15 pm for a 5.30 pm start)

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PACKAGING SPECIFICATION TRAINING COURSE TUESDAY 20th NOVEMBER

Where? Australian Industry Group
20 Queens Rd, Melbourne

When? Tuesday 20th November
12.30 pm for a 1.00 pm start



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The AIP and the Ai Group are offering a half-day course dealing with the preparation and role of specifications across a variety of packaging materials.



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PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION SEMINAR FRIDAY 23rd NOVEMBER

Six expert speakers

QUEENSLAND
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Where? Redlands Room, Hilton Brisbane Hotel
190 Elizabeth Street, Brisbane
When? Friday 23rd November
8.00am arrival for an 8.30 am sharp commencement.
Concludes approximately noon.
What? This half day seminar will provide attendees access to better understanding of all aspects of product identification and traceability.

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ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF DAY RAISED \$11,000 FOR CHARITY



The Joint AIP/SCLAA annual charity golf day, which was held at North Lakes Golf Course Queensland, saw \$11,000 raised for Spectrum Employment and Starlight Foundation and a fully booked course of 144 budding golfers.

Coming from both the packaging industry and the Supply Chain & Logistics industry the day was full of fun, networking and of course a good round of golf. The overall winners for the day were Spectrum Employment, with Amcor Team 1 coming in second. Trades & Labour Hire were awarded lowest total score, Tectura Packaging won the Bradman award and Siemens Team 3 won the highest total score for the day.

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TRACETECH WRAP UP



The AIP would like to extend its sincerest gratitude to Ray Chappelow MAIP, Product Manager, Scale Components, Mark Luft AAIP, National Sales Manager, Dy-Mark Identification Solutions and Phil Biggs, National Sales Manager, Matthews, for giving of their time to present some insightful case studies on tracking and traceability during TraceTech, which was held recently in Sydney. Mark and Phil provided the audience with detailed understanding of the various methods to identify primary, secondary and tertiary packaging within the supply chain, with Ray facilitating the session.

The breakout session was well attended and enabled the attendees to better understand the importance of product identification on packaging and how it can be tracked and traced all the way through a supply chain.

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