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PRESIDENT'S COMMENT

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Amendment to NZIF Code of Ethics

Voting instructions on two motions to amend the NZIF Code of Ethics were sent to members eligible to vote (all members except students, those who are in arrears with their subscriptions and those on hold) this week. Most of you will have received instructions by email, with a link to the website page where you can record your vote electronically. Paper voting instructions have been sent to the few (14) members that we do not have email addresses for.

A motion to amend the NZIF Code of Ethics was considered at the 2013 AGM in New Plymouth. While the



meeting supported the inclusion of a health and safety clause in the Code of Ethics it was concerned about some of the proposed wording. Rather than put the motion to a vote at the AGM, the meeting directed the Council to reword the motion to take account of issues raised at the meeting and to then conduct an electronic vote of members on the revised wording, using the provisions of Rule 92. The Council has revised the wording and prepared the following two motions:

Motion 1: To amend the NZIF Code of Ethics by inserting the following immediately after clause 1.3:

Every member must take all reasonable steps to uphold and promote the health and safety of people in forests and to uphold and promote health and safety practices in work places associated with forests and forestry operations.

Motion 2: To amend the NZIF Code of Ethics by inserting the following immediately before clause 1.4:

Every member shall recognise and respect the need for sustainable management of the environment and endeavour to minimise adverse environmental impacts from their forestry activities for both present and future generations.

If there is a majority “yes” vote for either or both of the motions, the NZIF Code of Ethics will be amended accordingly. If there is a majority “no” vote the Code will not be amended. Members will be advised of the result of the vote as soon as possible after voting has closed.

The NZIF Code of Ethics is binding on all members under Rule 32. The Code and the NZIF Rules may be viewed [here](#).

All members are urged to vote on the proposed amendments before the closing time of **5:00 pm on Tuesday 15 April 2014**.

If you have any queries on the voting procedure or problems making your vote, please contact the Administrator, Jay Matthes at admin@nzif.org.nz or phone (04) 974 8421.

Invoices to be sent next week

Invoices for your 2014/15 NZIF membership subscription will be emailed to you next week. We do not send paper invoices (unless we have no email address for you) so please look out for your invoice and please pay it promptly and before the due date of 30 April 2014.

NZIF conference – updates

This week I am very pleased to welcome two new conference sponsors:

- Helicopters Hawkes Bay as a conference proceedings sponsor
- Aubade NZ Limited as a proceedings advertiser.

Thank you.

Members in arrears

The Council membership committee has resolved that the 29 members who have not yet paid their 2013/14 subscription will be removed from the register of members on 31st March – next Monday. So if you are one of these, better get the job done this weekend.

New Papers from RSNZ

The Royal Society of NZ has released two “emerging issues” papers. I would be interested in any views you



have on the papers, particularly the “Green Economy” one.

Challenges for Pest Management in New Zealand

This highlights that New Zealand remains under intense pressure from pests which threaten our economy and environment, despite investing heavily in biosecurity and pest management systems. Ongoing targeted investment is needed to protect our native land and aquatic environments and primary production from weeds, vertebrate and invertebrate pests and pathogens. The paper is available [here](#).

Facing the Future: Towards a Green Economy for New Zealand

This presents evidence from local and global trends suggesting that New Zealand should carefully review its direction of development, and discusses the potential for New Zealand to move towards a green economy. The United Nations Environment Programme describes the core characteristics of a green economy as: low carbon, resource efficient and socially inclusive. The paper is available [here](#).

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MEMBER'S FORUM

(Please keep Guest Comment and Member's Forum contributions to around 300 words. Send contributions as an email attachment (Word document) to newsletter@nzif.org.nz

Funding of poplar and willow plantings

Allan Wilkinson, Retired Ordinary Member, Pamerston North

The last comment by Andrew about immediately stopping public funding of poplar and willow plantings is extreme and should be removed from the submission. Gisborne District Council staff responsible for the programme are aware of the problems and are improving their monitoring and enforcement to obtain increased survival of pole plantings. I know from experience that better than 95% survival of poles is possible and practical, but if it is in the continued presence of large cattle then planting is a waste of time and money. It is up to the farming community, not the Institute of Forestry, to modify their grazing practices to allow establishment of trees in pasture whether they are poplars and willows or other wide-spaced trees such as oaks. If they cannot do this in the time frame they have been set then they do not deserve further help, but they must be given the opportunity and extension advice that they need.

Jim Carle, FNZIF, Tauranga

During 10-12 March, 2014, the Working Party on Environmental Applications of Poplars and Willows of the International Poplar Commission (a technical statutory body of FAO of the UN) was hosted in Gisborne and the East Coast to showcase the environmental uses of poplars and willows by national research agencies (Landcare; Plant and Food; and Agriculture/Grasslands) and regional government agencies (Hawkes Bay, Bay of Plenty and Wellington Regional Councils) to an international audience of poplar and willow specialists from USA, Canada, Sweden and Estonia. Day 1 saw NZ and international presentations. Days 2 and 3 were spent on the East Coast hills inspecting the use of poplars and willows in restoring sheep and dry stock farm landscapes from extreme cases of earth flows, gullying and shallow landslide erosion.

The overall opinion expressed by farmers, local authorities, scientists, academics and international specialists on the study tours was that without poplars and willows, restoration of severely eroded farming landscapes would not have been possible in most circumstances and that the ongoing economic costs to repair downstream pastures, livestock, infrastructure, lives and livelihoods would have been insurmountable.

I cannot speak for the East Coast Forestry Project performance. However, I believe that the last two paragraphs of the NZIF statement in the Friday 21 March Newsletter are very severe and not consistent with what the Working Party on Environmental Applications of Poplars and Willows of the IPC heard and saw on the East



Coast recently:

- *If government is to provide funding to land owners with the objective of using afforestation to reduce erosion on eroding and erodible land, the grant conditions must require the operations to be based on the best available scientific and practical evidence for such work. NZIF submits that information available about the ECFP shows this is not currently the case and that public money is effectively being wasted.*
- *NZIF submits that the results reported represent a failed policy, questionable governance by officials in monitoring the effectiveness of public spending and a set-back to reducing erosion on the East Coast. We suggest that any government funding for willow and poplar planting should cease immediately.*

I have copied this email to local authorities, scientists and academics involved with poplars and willows on the East Coast (and beyond) so that they can engage with you to share their experiences in outreach of poplar and willow science, the emergence of the NZ Poplar and Willow Research Trust, the role of the International Poplar Commission (see <http://www.fao.org/forestry/ipc/en/>) and justification for continued use of poplars and willows for restoration of severely eroded landscapes on the East Coast and elsewhere. You may even be encouraged to visit the East Coast to hear and view the role of poplars and willows first hand.

The flagship CABI-FAO book *Poplars and Willows: Trees for Society and the Environment* (<http://bookshop.cabi.org/?site=191&page=2633&pid=2525>) will be launched at FAO's Committee on Forestry (World Forestry Week) in Rome, Italy on 21-27 June. The book (prepared by 70 voluntary authors as an IPC project) contains several NZ case studies (including on the East Coast, NZ) on the use of poplars and willows to restore landscapes and livelihoods and provide fodder in droughts. This is an effective way for scientists and land-use policy-makers, planners and practitioners to share their knowledge and technology with the rest of the world.

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NZIF BUSINESS

From the Registrar

Registration reviews

The following Registered Members have their five-year reviews due:

- Mr A Bell of Lower Hutt
- Mr A Dick of Whangaparaoa
- Mr C Fisher of Rotorua
- Mr P Keach of Rotorua
- Mr B Manley of Christchurch.

Any member of the Institute has the right to object to an application or review. Any objection should be made by lodging a notice with the Registrar within 20 working days of the first appearance (18 March) of the notice in this Newsletter, specifying the grounds of the objection. *Mike Marren, Registrar, NZIF Registration Board*

2013 CPD recording

In preparation for the 2014/15 membership invoicing the CPD recorded by Registered Members on the NZIF website has been reviewed. It is with pleasure that the Registration Board can report that the majority of Registered Members have met their CPD reporting requirements for maintaining their registration. Unfortunately, some still have to comply and those in arrears need to address the matter. Please note the CPD



module is available for any NZIF Member. Anyone considering registration should avail themselves as CPD reporting for three years prior to applying for registration is part of the application criteria.

Nominations for NZIF Forester of the Year 2014

Nominations are now called for NZIF Forester of the Year 2014. Members are urged to nominate those they consider have made some difference to NZ forestry, particularly over the last year.

The NZIF Forester of the Year Award is one of the highest accolades the Institute can bestow. It recognises an NZIF member who has made an outstanding contribution to either the forestry profession, or the forestry sector, over the last 12 months. The award recognises leadership, excellence and personal integrity, particularly where this demonstrates the character and strength of the forestry profession.

The awardee receives a certificate and the Forester of the Year carving, which they hold for one year.

Nominations forms and further information are available on the [NZIF website](#). Nominations close at 5:00 pm on **Monday 7th May 2014**.

Kirk Horn award

The Kirk Horn Award is an award for eminence in forestry in NZ and is offered every second year. It is available in 2014. The purpose of the award is to recognise outstanding contributions in the field of forestry with those eligible being NZIF members currently working in, or who have worked in, forestry in NZ. No applications are called for, with the recipient being selected by a committee appointed by Council. If you wish to suggest names of potential recipients of the Kirk Horn Award, please email the [NZIF President](#) and/or the [Convener](#) of the NZIF Fellows Committee.

Time to nominate candidates for NZIF Fellow

Is there an NZIF member that you consider has achieved eminence in the forestry profession? If so you may want to nominate them as a candidate for recognition as an NZIF Fellow. Apart from the criterion of eminence, candidates must be a Retired (but not Retired Associate), Registered or Ordinary member of NZIF and must have been such a member for at least five years prior to the nomination. They also must have had at least 15 years' experience in some branch of forestry (which can include practice, administration, teaching or research), of which at least five years must have been in NZ.

In a change of procedure this year, we are asking nominators not to discuss the fact they are being nominated with their candidate. Should a candidate pass through the nomination and vetting processes, the Council will contact the candidate to ensure they are willing to have their name put into the voting process.

Nomination forms are on the NZIF [website](#) (the link to the form is near the bottom of the page) or contact the [Administrator](#).

Timetable for the 2014 Election of NZIF Fellows

Nominations close with the NZIF Administrator – **5:00 pm Monday 28th April**

Electronic ballot opens – Friday 30th May

Close of voting – 5:00 pm Monday 23rd June

Announce new Fellows at AGM – Sunday 6th July

Latest Journal online

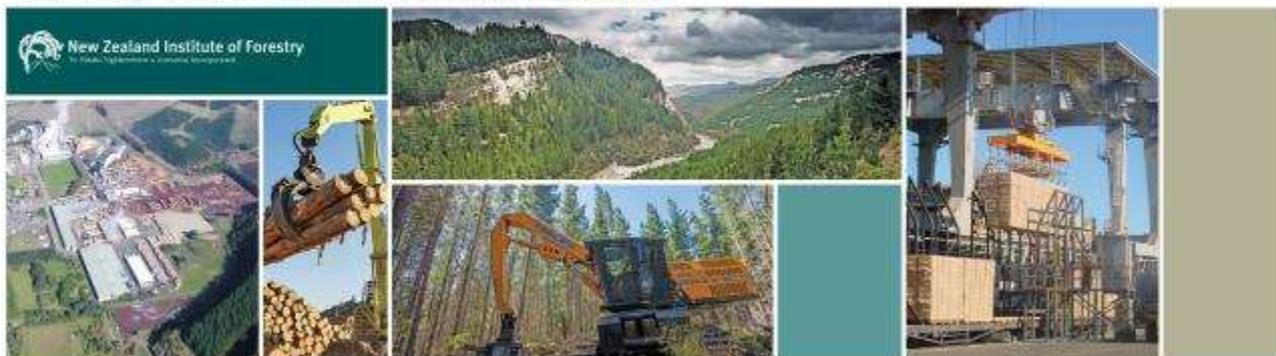
The latest NZ Journal of Forestry 58-4 (2014) is now online.

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CONFERENCE 2014

Tackling Challenges and Delivering Value



New Zealand Institute of Forestry Conference · 6 July – 9 July 2014 · Napier

Conference dates

The NZIF 2014 Conference will be held at the War Memorial Conference Centre in Napier from Sunday 6 to Wednesday 9 July 2014. The theme is “Tackling Challenges and Delivering Value”. Please mark your diaries now and plan to attend.

Conference website is [here](#).

Programme update

The latest version of the conference programme is on the conference website. Since it was loaded we have had confirmation that the Associate Minister Hon Jo Goodhew has accepted an invitation to speak in the slot before morning tea on the opening day (Monday 7th July).

Conference field trip – 9 July

Below is the field trip timetable for the NZIF field trip at the conference:

08:30	Boarding buses at War Memorial Conference Centre in Napier
09:30	Cape Sanctuary Wildlife Reserve at Cape Kidnappers
12:15	Lunch at Clifton Café
13:15	David Trubridge workshop
14:45	Kanuka Engineered Wood Products
16:30	Airport
16:50	Venue and hotels

Sponsorship

This week we are pleased to welcome with thanks:

- Helicopters Hawkes Bay as a **conference proceedings sponsor**
- Aubade NZ Limited as a **proceedings advertiser**.

Sponsors who have signed up for the conference are:

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Sponsorship enquiries should be directed to James Treadwell (vice-president@nzif.org.nz).

Conference programme

The draft conference programme is now available on the conference [web site](#). Have a look and get excited.

Conference committee

The conference organising committee is:

Bob Pocknall	Chair
Brett Gilmore	
Matthew Croft	
James Powrie	
Mark Morice	
James Treadwell	Sponsorship
Ian Lyver	Treasurer
Jay Matthes	Conference Manager (admin@nzif.org.nz)

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2014 Awards and Scholarships

The NZIF Foundation will be offering the Chavasse Travel Award and three student scholarships (polytech, undergraduate, postgraduate) in 2014. A call for applications will be announced shortly. Make sure you apply if you are interested and tell others who might be interested in applying.

Visit the Foundation website or [click here](#) for further information (details for 2014 will be loaded soon).

Please advertise the Awards around your office, universities etc., as you do not have to be a NZIF member to apply.

The awards will be announced at the NZIF 2014 Conference in Napier on Monday 7th July 2014 ([see here](#) for more details on the Conference).

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SUBMISSIONS

Murray Parrish (murray.parrish@chh.com) is Submissions Coordinator. NZIF Members or local sections considering making submissions (even on what appear to be local issues) should advise him of their plans. Council can assist with the cost of making submissions (contact Murray for details)

The following opportunities for submissions will be of interest to Members:

Environmental Reporting Bill - submissions due 17 April 2014

The Environmental Reporting has had its first reading and has been sent to the Local Government and Environment Select Committee for consideration. The purpose of the bill is to create a national-level environmental reporting system, including affirming the role of the Parliamentary Commissioner for the Environment in reporting on environmental reports and processes that produced the reports.

More information [here](#).

NZ Wilding Conifer Management Strategy

The Ministry for Primary Industries is seeking comment feedback on a draft strategy ([download here](#)) to improve the management of wilding conifers in New Zealand. The strategy aims to enable key parties to address the spread of wilding conifers, and contain or eradicate established areas of wilding conifers by 2030. The strategy sets out a number of high level actions to support that goal. MPI has worked closely with a working group of key stakeholders to develop the draft strategy. The Working Group includes representatives from; the forestry and farming industries, regional and district councils, Department of Conservation, Land Information New Zealand, New Zealand Defence Force, SCION, and community groups. This strategy builds on an MPI commissioned Pacific Eco-Logic status report on wilding conifer management that was developed with input from members of the New Zealand Wilding Conifer Management Group.

Please provide submissions to wildingconifer@mpi.govt.nz by 17 April 2014.

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LOCAL SECTIONS

HAWKES BAY SECTION

Durable eucalypt field day and pruning workshop – 30 April

Members in the Hawkes Bay may be interested in this event:

Time: 1:30 pm – meet at Alexander property, 458 Omapere Road, Central Hawkes Bay. 4WD vehicle access to the durable eucalypt trials. All vehicles must travel together to access the site so please be on time. 4:00 pm Workshop ends.

RSVP: Ed Saathof by phone on 027 590 0177

Ground-durable eucalypts are an exciting diverse species that can be grown by Hawkes Bay farm foresters. The NZDFI is working with farm foresters to develop best-practice pruning and thinning regimes so growers can produce a range of products including posts and poles. In 2011, Rick Alexander planted one of NZDFI's species demonstration trials with eleven durable eucalypt species. After 18 months, some of the plots in this trial were among the top performing in the NZDFI's programme. Timely and correct form-pruning has been a key part to



management of these trials and this will be the focus of the workshop, which will be led by NZDFI project manager Paul Millen.

Ken Scott of Lakewood Products Ltd is sponsoring the pruning workshops and will provide pruning equipment that attendees can test. However, please also bring your own loppers and secateurs. There will be plenty of time for questions and discussion throughout the workshop. Please bring your own refreshments and wear boots suitable for rough terrain. Bring wet weather gear if required. For more information about NZDFI check out their website: www.nzdfi.org.nz

CANTERBURY SECTION

Annual General Meeting and Section Meeting – 15 April

AGM

This will occur immediately before the section meeting. The agenda and reports for the AGM will be emailed to Canterbury members soon.

Section meeting: How can forestry help Canterbury meet its water quality goals?

We are pleased to bring you:

- David Caygill, CNZM and Deputy Chair at Environment Canterbury
- Darren Mann, Regional Manager, Canterbury Rayonier Matariki Forests
- Chris Fowler, Partner, Adderley Head.

Now that the Land and Water Regional Plan is here, how does forestry fit within the new outlook on Canterbury water management? Hear where we have been with forestry and water management, what the arrangements are now, and perspectives on how to manage forestry's responsibilities under the LWRP.

Programme:

- Drinks and nibbles 6:00 pm
- AGM 6:30 pm – with continued drinks and nibbles
- Presentation 7:00 pm
- Cost: \$15 – please bring correct change

Venue: Drinks and nibbles in downstairs entrance foyer of the School of Forestry, University of Canterbury. Presentation in Lecture Theatre F3.

Want to come? Please email your confirmation to Yannina Whiteley by **Tuesday 8 April** (yannina.whiteley@xtra.co.nz).

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STUDENT'S SECTION

Time for student members to confirm status

At the beginning of each year, NZIF student members need to confirm that they are still a student. Please contact the Administrator (admin@nzif.org.nz) and let Jay know if you are still studying and confirm your contact details. Don't expect us to have some sort of second or third sight and to know what you are doing in 2014. You need to tell us.

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PEOPLE NEWS

NZIF members will be sorry to learn that **Michael Cambridge**, chair of the Marlborough Forest Association and a passionate advocate for the use of wood, was killed in a car accident last Sunday (23rd March).

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ADVERTISEMENTS

The NZIF has no view on the service or product sought or advertised. Follow up any item directly with the advertiser, not with the NZIF. A charge may be imposed, depending on the nature of the advertisement. If you respond to an advertiser, tell them that you saw it in the NZIF newsletter. To advertise in the newsletter contact the NZIF Administrator, admin@nzif.org.nz, ph (04) 974 8421.

JOB VACANCY WEBSITES

Science jobs	fusionz.rsnz.org/
MPI	http://careers.haines.co.nz/MPI/Pages/Vacancies.aspx
NZ conservation jobs	www.conjobs.co.nz/index.php
Department of Conservation	www.doc.govt.nz/about-doc/jobs-at-doc/current-vacancies/
Australian Government	jobsearch.gov.au/Login/Login.aspx?WHCode=0
Australia Department of Agriculture Fisheries & Forestry	www.daff.gov.au/about/jobs

German student seeks work

I am 23 years old and a student in Forest and Ecosystem Management, 8th semester, at the University of Applied Science in Erfurt, Germany. I am writing to ask if there might be a vacant position for a practical trainee in your company for three or four months, preferably starting from April 2014 onwards. My qualifications: I have a three-year vocational education as a forest worker (logger). Furthermore I gained experience as a forwarder and skidder. I am good at forest inventory (with GPS, GIS, Vertex), silviculture, roundwood supply, marketing and controlling, hunting and other things that are connected with forest management.

As international mobility for students is becoming more and more important, I am very eager to gain practical



experience by working abroad. This will not only help to improve my prospects for a future professional career, but will allow me to learn more about your country and culture as well. Kind regards, *Christian Riedel* (forest.emc@gmail.com)

Dutch student seeks internship

I am a Dutch student searching for a challenging internship in the forestry sector in NZ. I am a fourth year student of the international timber trade and would like to learn about forestry, silviculture and how timber and forest products are commercially processed and traded around the globe. The internship requires fulfilling a 20-week placement. I am available to start in April/May 2014. A cover letter and/or resume can be provided on request. *Camiel van Gessel* (camielvangessel@gmail.com)

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PUBLICATIONS / MEDIA / NOTICES

IUFRO FOREST TREE BREEDING CONFERENCE 2014

This conference will be held on 25-29 August 2014 at the City Conference Center in Prague. Due to the large interest from companies and participants we expect this year to be one of the most successful one. Therefore many well-known speakers are going to attend this event such as Dr Sue Carson, Dr David Neale, Dr Dana Nelson, Dr Alvin Yanchuk. The scientific program has been already published and it can be also found on the [Conference website](#).

LAWA WEBSITE: GET ONLINE AND GET TO KNOW YOUR RIVERS

A new website launched this week is a great tool for people wanting to find out what is really happening in their local waterways. The [Land, Air, Water Aotearoa \(LAWA\) website](#) shares environmental information from councils throughout NZ in one place and in an easy-to-understand format. The first stage of the long-term project focuses on rivers, with state and trend data displayed for more than 1100 freshwater monitoring sites. [Watch introductory video](#). The LAWA website is a collaboration between NZ's 16 regional and unitary councils, the Ministry for the Environment, Cawthron Institute and Massey University, with support from the Tindall Foundation.

STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOP: INTERGOVERNMENTAL PANEL ON CLIMATE CHANGE, 30 APRIL, WELLINGTON AND WEBCAST

The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) Fifth Assessment (AR5) Working Group II (WGII) Report 'Impacts, Adaptation, & Vulnerability' and Working Group III (WGIII) Report 'Mitigation' will be finalised and approved in Yokohama, Japan from 25 to 29 March and Berlin, Germany from 7 to 11 April 2014 respectively.

At the invitation of the NZ Climate Change Centre (NZCCC), WGII Co-chair Dr Chris Field will join, via video-conference from Washington DC, other New Zealand WGII and WGIII lead authors, at a Stakeholder Workshop "Responding to Climate Change" in **Wellington on 30 April 2014**, marking one of the first opportunities to hear from key IPCC figures regarding these landmark reports.

For more information, and to register for this event at the Royal Society of New Zealand on Wednesday 30 April,



9:00 am – 5:00 pm, please visit www.royalsociety.org.nz/ipcc.

The event will also be webcast, and information about the webcast can be found on the event’s webpage.

For more information contact Marc Rands, 04 470 5754, Marc.Rands@royalsociety.org.nz.

SCION WORKSHOP ON VISUALISATIONS FOR COMMUNICATING ON SUSTAINABLE FORESTRY

You are invited to a workshop on visualisations for communications on sustainable forestry. For engaging with forestry stakeholders, good communication is crucial and visualisations are an important component. This two-hour-long workshop focuses on the use of visuals to facilitate communication. Drawing on a range of images, participants will explore some of the challenges of depicting sustainable forestry and discuss how successful images are for communicating. This workshop is focused on forestry stakeholders (councils, ministries, iwi, ENGOs, public) and the forest sector (owners, managers, communicators). Please RSVP to this email the venue you will attend: Barbara.Hock@scionresearch.com. The numbers will be limited so early registration is recommended.

CITY	TIME AND DATE	VENUE
Christchurch	Tuesday 1 April 10:30am-12:30pm	Scion, Illam Campus, Forest Road, Canterbury University
Nelson	Wednesday 2 April 10am-12noon	Meeting room at the Nelson Suburban Club, 168 Tahunanui Drive
Dunedin	Thursday 3 April 10am-12noon	Edward Bowes Room, Cargill’s Hotel (Quality Hotel), 678 George Street, Dunedin
Auckland	Monday 14 April 10am-12noon	HSB 429, Human Sciences Building, Auckland University, Symonds Street A map will be sent on request
Rotorua	Tuesday 15 April 2pm-4pm	Totara Room, Scion, Sala Street, Rotorua

IFA PLANTATION PRODUCTIVITY SYMPOSIUM PROVING R&D PAYS

Mt Gambier, 12-14 May 2014

The Institute of Foresters of Australia (IFA) is offering IFA Members’ Rates for NZIF Members who would like to attend this event

We would like to find ways to increase the yields and value of the current planted estate for long-term gain. Did you know there are R&D results from Australia and overseas that show how to increase yields and commercial value of plantations? It is time to stop thinking and start doing!

- Two days of international and local speakers
- Full day tour
- Practical ‘how to’ case studies on research and implementation
- Measuring the gain – productivity and profitability
- Early bird registration now open on the [IFA website](http://ifa.org.au).



ROYAL SOCIETY OF NZ

Charles Fleming Fund – call for applications

Closing date: 31 March 2014

RSNZ is calling for applications for the following awards:

- Charles Fleming Fund – Publishing Award
- Charles Fleming Fund – Senior Scientist Award.

Information on these awards and application forms are available [here](#).

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CALENDAR

The events in this calendar have come from a range of sources and no responsibility can be taken for errors. Contact the organisers to check times, locations, costs etc. New events are marked in moss green.

March 2014

Thur 27 – Fri 28
Wed 30

RSNZ Science Media SAVVY workshop, Dunedin, smc@sciencemediacentre.co.nz
IPCC webcast, Wellington, www.royalsociety.org.nz/ipcc,
Marc.Rands@royalsociety.org.nz

April 2014

Tue 1 – Thur 3

Scion workshops on communicating sustainable forestry,
Barbara.Hock@scionresearch.com

Wed 30

Hawkes Bay field trip, Ed Saathof 027 590 0177

May 2014

Fri 9 – Sat 10

Trees for Bees Conference, Gisborne, www.eastwoodhill.org.nz/conference/

Mon 12 – Wed 14

IFA International Plantation Productivity Symposium, Mt Gambier, [IFA website](#)

Thur 22 – Fri 23

RSNZ Science Media SAVVY workshop, Wellington, smc@sciencemediacentre.co.nz

June 2014

Wed 11 – Thur 12

Woodflow Logistics 2014, www.woodflowlogistics.com

July 2014

Sun 6 – Wed 9

NZIF 2014 Conference, Napier

August 2014

Wed 9 – Thur 10

FIEA biennial forest conference, Auckland, www.fimo2014.com

Mon 11 – Tue 12

DANA Melbourne conference, [details here](#) or email pam@prcc.com.au

Mon 11 – Tue 12

DANA Rotorua conference, [details here](#) or email pam@prcc.com.au

Mon 25 – Fri 29

IUFRO Forestry Tree Breeding Conference, Prague, [Conference website](#)

April 2015

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