



WHAT'S HAPPENING?

July 2005

Diary Dates

August 17

Marketing Seminar
and handouts of
promotional material
including the AIDGC
CD and poster!

Ryde-Eastwood
Leagues Club
Rydedale Road
West Ryde

Annual Conference

Friday,
September 16,
2005 – All Day!

All bookings:
robyn@f1.net.au

2005 Annual General Meeting

You would have all received your Minutes by now. The two Special Resolutions were passed and the Rule changes have also been circulated. Our new Board is:

Rick Hall – President

Ross Underwood and Sean Page – Vice Presidents

Tony Gardiner – Secretary/Treasurer

Terry Grainger, John Baker and Peter Hunt – Committee Members

We would like to thank our two retiring Board Members – Chris Flannery and Dick Benbow for the sterling contributions they have made since AIDGC's inception.

Safety is No Accident

Chemical Hazards Response Information System (CHRIS)

<http://www.chrismanual.com/>

Bonding and Grounding

http://www.iapa.ca/pdf/2004_feb_Bonding_Grounding_Illustrations%20.pdf

Please relay links that you would like to share via What's Happening to jdbaker@ozemail.com.au

Subscriptions – 2005/2006 Financial Year

Members are reminded that the cost of attending the Annual Conference is paid out of your subscription fee. Non financial Members are not entitled to attend the Conference free of charge and their name and contact details will be removed from the website.

Retiring Members:

Graham Goodfellow a founding Member will remain in the organization as a 'Retired Member'

Goodbye also to:

Tony Donaghy has retired from his consultancy and Jeff Allen is working overseas for Shell.

BE AN AMBASSADOR FOR AIDGC

The Marketing Sub-Board is proposing to promote AIDGC and its members to prospective clients who attend the WorkCover NSW public information seminars. Seminars are expected to be delivered by WorkCover in September 2005, following introduction of the new OH&S Amendment (Dangerous Goods) Regulation 2005 and the Explosives Regulation 2005.

It is expected that these will be held at similar, if not identical venues to those introductory sessions held in November 2004. In addition to Sydney CBD and Parramatta, these included:

Albury	Dubbo	Griffith	Moree	Orange	Tweed Heads
Bega	Gosford	Lismore	Newcastle	Port Macquarie	Wagga Wagga
Coffs Harbour	Goulburn	Maitland	Nowra	Tamworth	Wollongong

We would like to mobilise as many AIDGC members and associate Members as possible to provide marketing coverage at these venues. Promotional material will include items to be presented at the AIDGC Marketing Workshop on 17 August 2005.

Formal details of venues, dates and times of the upcoming WorkCover seminars will be advised when they come to hand.

If you would like to participate in our marketing effort please register your interest with John Baker jdbaker@ozemail.com.au

If you have any suggestions or queries please do not hesitate to contact the AIDGC Executive Officer robyn@f1.net.au or leave a message with the AIDGC paging service 02 9430 6739 and I will return your call.