

IWA/AWA CONFERENCE



WELLBEING: OUR PEOPLE, OUR FUTURE

25 and 26 June 2015
RACV City Club,
501 Bourke Street,
Melbourne



We would like to thank our event sponsor **GHD**.



IWA Conference Program

Friday 26 June 2015

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- 9:00 am Registration**
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- 9:30 am Wellbeing and the impacts of a workplace fatality**
Martin Bowles, Manager, Western Treatment Plant, Melbourne Water
 Martin will provide an insight into organisational and individual impacts post a workplace fatality
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- 10:00 am Unity Water case study: health and safety**
Kenan Hibberd - Executive Manager People, Culture and Safety from Unity Water
 Insight into how Unity Water are achieving impressive results in health and safety performance.
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- 10:30 am Morning Tea**
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- 11:00 am Sponsors address**
Mark van den Enden- Managing Principal – Melbourne, GHD Woodhead
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- 11:10 am Responding to changing technology and markets**
Andrew Howlett - General Manager, Reform our Letters Service, Australia Post
 Andrew will present on how Australia Post is supporting its workforce in response to changing technology and markets.
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- 11:40 am Panel discussion: Attracting, developing and retaining staff**
Boris Bielert, CEO, Jimmy Possum
Kylie Row, Manager, Enterprise Change & Capability, Yarra Valley Water
Jim Grant, Partner, Dattner Grant
 Panel members will provide brief presentations on 'engagement and retention in a successful regional enterprise', 'attraction and engagement of staff' and 'strategies for people in career transition in an ageing workforce', before taking questions as a panel.
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- 12:30 pm Thinking about mental health in the workplace**
Maria Katsonis - Department of Premier and Cabinet, Beyond Blue Ambassador and author
 The closing address of the Conference, Maria will speak about mental health from a range of perspectives.
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- 1:00 pm Lunch and close**

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS Thursday 25 June 2015

In conjunction with this conference, the following Special Interest Groups of the IWA will be meeting on the above date. For details of these meetings please contact the convenors listed below:

Special Interest Group	Convenor	
Corporate Governance	Jo Riley (North East Water) (02) 6022 0586	jriley@newater.com.au
Customer Service	Grant Colling (Yarra Valley Water) (03) 9872 2414	grant.colling@yvw.com.au
Educators	Zoe Burnett, East Gippsland Water (03) 5150 4452	ZBurnett@egwater.vic.gov.au
Energy & Greenhouse	Megan Kreutzer (Coliban Water) (03) 4408 5451	megank@coliban.com.au
Executive Assistants	Rebekah Fraser (Central Highlands Water) (03) 5320 3165	rebekah.fraser@chw.net.au
Human Resources	Christina Bassani (Goulburn Valley Water) (03) 5832 4846	christinab@gvwater.vic.gov.au
Information Technology	Craig Lindley (Yarra Valley Water) (03) 9872 1216	craig.lindley@yvw.com.au
PR/Communications	Michael Grant (Gippsland Water) (03) 5177 4784	michael.grant@gippswater.com.au
Technical Services	Paul Northey (Barwon Water) (03) 5226 9201	paul.northey@barwonwater.vic.gov.au

Please note, the Finance SIG does not meet in June. For further information regarding this SIG contact the Convenor, Michael Clamp, Gippsland Water, on (03) 5177 4619 or michael.clamp@gippswater.com.au

CONFERENCE ACCOMMODATION

For enquiries regarding accommodation at the Conference venue, please call the RACV City Club, Melbourne direct on (03) 9944 8888.

Please remember to mention the reservation is for the 'Institute of Water Administration' Conference when booking to determine if there are any conference room allocations still available. Discounts are available for RACV general members.

The Biggest Ever Laurie Gleeson Dinner 2015

The June IWA Conference Dinner will be replaced by a special event, the inaugural **Biggest Ever Laurie Gleeson Dinner**

A limited number of tickets are now available, to enquire about availability contact Ben Brennan by telephone: 0430 139 969 or email: ben.brennan@vicwater.org.au.

Join us on the Thursday evening at Etihad Stadium to celebrate Men's Health Week and to pay tribute to Victorian Water Industry stalwart Laurie Gleeson.

Guest speakers include:

> Sam Kekovich > Terry Daniher > David Parkin > Dr Bernie Crimmins

Where: Medallion Club, Etihad Stadium **When:** Thursday 25 June 2015, 6.30pm

Cost: \$190 per ticket or \$1900 for a table of ten

The dinner will include charity auction and raffles, with all profits going to the Australian Prostate Cancer Foundation.

Laurie Gleeson was Managing Director of Goulburn Valley Water from 1980 to 2008. He was past President and a member of the IWA Executive Council, and a former Board member of WSAA. After his diagnosis with prostate cancer, Laurie worked tirelessly to lobby the Federal Government to include the life-extending cancer drug Zytiga on the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme.



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To register for the IWA Conference please return this form to VicWater by **Thursday 18th June 2015**. For enquiries regarding the Biggest Ever Laurie Gleeson Dinner, please contact Ben Brennan on 0430 139 969.

Please return by email, fax or mail.

Email: vicwater@vicwater.org.au Fax: (03) 9639 8860

Mail: IWA, C/- Suite 1. Level 6, 2 Collins Street, Melbourne, 3000

Tax Invoice: ABN 96 103 789 875

ORGANISATION:

ATTENDEES	Name	Please provide email address of person attending	Purchase Order Number	Conference and Lunch		✓ for takeaway lunch (please note limited options)
				Members* \$149	Non-Members \$170	
Totals						

* Members are individual members of IWA and/or AWA

[Please tick option for payment]

Attached is a cheque for \$ made payable to *The Institute of Water Administration Inc.*

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**Please ensure you provide this information all invoices will be emailed.

Remittances should be emailed to David Thomas (IWA Treasurer) on david.thomas@westernwater.com.au

Next IWA Conference

19 and 20 November 2015

Venue: RACV City Club, 501 Bourke Street, Melbourne

