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Invites you to an information session

Managing Asbestos on Rural Properties

When: Wednesday, 23rd November 2011

Time: 7.30 pm

Where: Community Day Centre, Toosey Hospital (enter from Smith St), Longford

Aim: To build knowledge and skills of rural property owners on best practice management of Asbestos

- Current Regulations and Codes of Practice
- New Regulations and Codes of Practice commencing 1st January 2012

Speaker: Mr Paul Kilby, Senior Inspector, Workplace Standards Tasmania, Launceston

In addition to working across the rural and forestry sectors, Paul has a special interest in asbestos management and is currently responsible for reviewing all asbestos removal start work notifications in the northern region.

Recently, Paul volunteered to assist the Division in conducting a number of information sessions for the public on the new asbestos regulations.

The Hazard: Asbestos exposure has a delayed onset of symptoms of disease / injury

To familiarise yourself with some of the issues involved read the article: "Asbestos: anatomy of an investigation" in March 2011 edition of Workplace Issues which is a case study of a farmer in the north-west who was fined for demolishing a building containing asbestos. The farmer had failed to engage a licensed asbestos removalist despite having council approval to demolish the building

http://www.wst.tas.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0011/168635/Mar_11.pdf

Supper will be served at about 8.45 pm

Cost: Free for members and sponsors. Gold coin for non-members

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