

# INNOVATION & RESILIENCE IN THE NZ PLASTICS INDUSTRY

79TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE • 15-16TH MAY 2025



**PLASTICS NZ**  
NEW ZEALAND'S INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION

EARLY BIRD PRICING APPLIES – CLOSES 3RD MARCH 2025

# Welcome

**Don't miss your chance to be part of the Plastics NZ Annual Conference** – the premier event for industry leaders and innovators. Step away from the daily routine and take time to work on your business, not just in it.

This is your opportunity to connect with peers, explore the latest trends in business, sustainability, and cutting-edge advancements in the plastics sector. Gain valuable insights that will help you refine your strategies and set your business up for success in a rapidly changing industry.

Join us for an inspiring experience at the **Ellerslie Event Centre in Auckland on 15th - 16th May 2025**. Be part of the conversation, share in the vision, and help shape the future of plastics!

## Programme Outline

For more programme developments as they happen check out [www.plastics.org.nz](http://www.plastics.org.nz)

### WEDNESDAY 14TH MAY 2025

<b>12.pm – 5.00pm</b>	Pre-Conference Golf at Howick Golf Club
<b>3.00pm - 8.00pm</b>	Exhibitor Setup
<b>7.00pm Onwards</b>	Free Evening

### THURSDAY 15TH MAY 2025

<b>Conference Plenary – Guineas Rooms, Ellerslie Event Centre</b>	
<b>8.00am</b>	Registration
<b>9.00am</b>	Open of Day 1 Conference Plenary Sessions
<b>5.00pm</b>	Close of Day 1 Plenary Sessions
<b>Conference Gala Dinner – Tote on Ascot, Ellerslie Event Centre</b>	
<b>6.00pm - 12.00am</b>	Gala Evening Dinner Event
(Theme – TBA Optional Costumed Event)	

### FRIDAY 16TH MAY 2025

<b>Conference Plenary – Guineas Rooms, Ellerslie Event Centre</b>	
<b>9.00am</b>	Open of Day 2 Conference Plenary Sessions
<b>10.00am</b>	National AGM
<b>2.45pm</b>	Networking Event
<b>4.00pm</b>	Official Close of Conference
<b>7.00pm</b>	Optional Dinner for those staying - TBC



**Novotel Ellerslie**  
 72-112 Greenlane East,  
 Ellerslie, New Zealand



## Accommodation

Novotel Ellerslie is New Zealand's first dual property combining an international four and three star hotel (Ibis Ellerslie) under one roof. Conveniently located next to the Ellerslie Event Centre (400m), only moments from Auckland CBD and providing ease of travel to many of Auckland's attractions like Sylvia Park, Mt Smart Stadium, Eden Park, Ellerslie business precinct and Newmarket shopping.

All guest rooms offer modern and contemporary accommodation featuring King size or twin bedding, state of the art technology with flat screen televisions and broadband internet access. Onsite facilities include "Acacia Restaurant and Garden Bar", a hotel gymnasium, guest laundry facilities, business centre and 24 hour concierge service.

- Novotel Guest Room **\$182.61 + GST**
- Suites available on request – **Limited Numbers Available**

**Please note:** Breakfast IS EXCLUDED in the cost of the room  
**CHILDREN**

- Cots and Highchairs are available. A Babysitting service is available.
- Please contact Kelly to discuss your requirements.

### CHECK IN / CHECK OUT

- Official Check In time is 2.00 pm.
- Official Check Out time is 11.00 am.

### PARKING

- Car parking facilities are available on-site, parking @ \$20.00 per vehicle per overnight (subject to availability - FIFS) Pay As You Go.



## Optional Conference Activities

### 1 PRE-CONFERENCE GOLF

- Wednesday 14th May
- Golf at Howick Golf Club - **\$75.00 + GST**
- Tee-off 12.00pm
- 32 Musick Point Road, Bucklands Beach, Auckland

Located at Musick Point in the suburb of Bucklands Beach, Howick Golf Club is approximately 45 minutes drive from central Auckland.

Many holes are located on the peninsula cliff tops, commanding spectacular panoramic views of the Hauraki Gulf islands including Rangitoto, with the North Shore in the distance and a glimpse of the Sky Tower and the Waitemata Harbour.

#### DRESS CODE

Collared shirt (blade & mock collars are acceptable), Casual/golf trousers, casual/golf shorts, or golf skirts. Denim clothing is not permitted.

Golf shoes (soft spikes only). Flat soled athletic/running shoes are acceptable

Clothing such as singlets, track pants, t-shirts, jandals or shoes with metal spikes are strictly not permitted.

Carts and Golf Clubs & Trundlers are available for hire from the Pro Shop for additional fees and **MUST** be booked in advance. No sharing of clubs permitted:

- Club Hire \$45.00 Includes trundler (Must be booked in advanced - limited number available)
- Golf Carts \$40.00 – (Must be booked in advance - limited number available)
- Trundler Hire \$10.00

### 2 PARTNERS DAY TRIP TO WAIHEKE ISLAND

- Thursday 15th May
- Partners Day trip - **\$450.00 + GST**
- 9am – 4pm Minimum Numbers required : 4
- This is an adults only event – 18+

Partners planning to join their delegate partners at this year's conference are invited to take part in a day trip to Waiheke Island.

Departing from Downtown Auckland, enjoy a ferry ride to Waiheke Island where you will be greeted by the tour company and commence a privately guided tour around the island. Enjoy a walk through the Sanctuary Garden on the Northern side of the island and appreciate the sculptures while learning about Waiheke's unique growing conditions, exotic plants, herbs and flowers.

Visit one of the island's most spectacular vineyards and experience wine tastings while taking in the 360 degree views over the island and beyond, before heading for lunch at Onetangi Beach.

The tour finishes with the return trip to the ferry to take you back to downtown Auckland.

**Note:** Attendees will need to make their own way to and from the Downtown Ferry Terminal



### 3 GALA DINNER EVENING - ADDITIONAL TICKETS

- Thursday 15th May
- 6pm – 12.00am - **\$290 + GST**
- This is an adult only event (18+)
- One ticket per person is required.
- Ticket price includes meal, open bar and entertainment

All **Full** Conference registrations, Member Day Rate+ and Affiliates include 1 Gala Dinner ticket in their registration.

Additional Gala Evening tickets can be purchased for partners, or business associates not attending the conference.

Further details on the theme of the Gala Dinner event will be released in early 2025 (optional costume event).

### 3 POST CONFERENCE DINNER

- Friday 16th May
- Friday Evening Optional Social Dinner – TBC

If you will be staying on in Auckland for the weekend and would like to join those remaining after conference for a dinner on the Friday night, please tick the box on the registration form.

Details and pricing will be confirmed at a date closer to the event.

# Registration Form

## EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION CLOSING 3RD MARCH 2025

If you're registering for more than one person, please provide a copy of page 1 of this form for each person registered.

### DELEGATE DETAILS

First Name:	Last Name:
Company:	Position:
Postal Address:	
Phone:	Mobile:
Email:	<input type="radio"/> Tick if this is your first conference

### PARTNER DETAILS

First Name:	Last Name:
Phone:	Mobile:
Email:	<input type="radio"/> Tick if this is your first conference

### ACCOMMODATION BOOKINGS

Please book: Novotel Ellerslie, 72-112 Greenlane East, Ellerslie, Auckland, New Zealand

Tick the days you require:  Tues 13th  Wed 14th  Thurs 15th  Fri 16th  Sat 17th

Novotel Guest Room **\$182.61 + GST (per night)**

Suites available on request – Limited Numbers Available

Total cost of accommodation:	\$	(please remember to transfer this amount to the accommodation section on the second page of the registration form)
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Please note any additional requirements

Please note any special dietary requirements

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If Delegates are sharing a room, please give details of the other person and company if applicable

Name:	Company:
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## EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION RATES CLOSES 3RD MARCH 2024

Standard rates apply 4th March – 4th April. Late rates apply 5th April – 8th May.

TAX INVOICE SECTION (ALL PRICES ARE GST EXCLUSIVE)	QTY	Early Bird	Standard	\$
Member Full Registration - includes full 2 day Conference Registration and Thursday Gala Evening Dinner		\$976 + GST	\$1220 + GST	\$
Members Day Rate+ (Thursday) – Day 1 Conference Plenary Sessions & Thursday Gala Evening Dinner		\$716 + GST	\$894 + GST	\$
Members Day Rate (Thursday or Friday) – 1 day of Conference Plenary Sessions only		\$484 + GST	\$605 + GST	\$

### AFFILIATES – MEMBERS ONLY (Must come with paying full Member)

PNZ remains extremely keen to encourage emerging industry leaders/ professionals to attend conference. They have the opportunity to attend with a full paying member at a discounted rate		50% Discount	\$
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### NON MEMBERS SURCHARGE

A Non-member surcharge applies to the above		33% Surcharge	\$
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### OPTIONAL SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

<b>Wed 14th May - Howick Golf Club (Musick Point)</b>		\$75 + GST	\$
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Handicap</li> <li>• Club No.</li> <li>• Golf Club Hire*</li> <li>• Cart Hire*</li> <li>• Trundler Hire</li> </ul>	\$45 + GST \$40 + GST \$10 + GST	\$ \$ \$
* Limited Available			
<b>Thurs 15th May - Partners Waiheke Island Tour</b>	Adults only 18+	\$450 + GST	\$
<b>Thurs 15th May - Thursday Evening Dinner Registration</b>	Additional Tickets Adults Only 18+	\$290 + GST	\$

### Fri 16th May - Dinner social event - TBC

Please tick if you are staying Friday and would be interested in attending an organised event

### TOTAL

	Sub total	\$
If paying by Credit Card please add 3%	GST 15%	\$
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>

### PAYMENT METHOD

<input type="radio"/> Company invoice. Order Number	
<input type="radio"/> Credit Plastics New Zealand's bank account: ANZ, Cnr Queen & Victoria St, Auckland 01-1839-0035879-00	
<input type="radio"/> Credit Card <input type="radio"/> Visa <input type="radio"/> Mastercard	Name on card:
Expiry Date:	Credit card number:
Signature:	Send all registration and payment forms to: Plastics New Zealand, PO Box 76378, Manukau City, MANUKAU 2241