

The latest news and updates from Civil Trades



Welcome to our new newsletter

We're thrilled to present the first edition of our new quarterly Civil Trades newsletter.

Each edition will share updates on new resources and professional development opportunities, stories of inspiring people in our industry, upcoming events, and photos of Certified Civil Tradespeople building our nation's infrastructure.

Civil Contractors New Zealand is the driving force behind the industry's Civil Trades scheme. This new newsletter is part of a new approach to raise awareness, showcase the value of certification, and build a strong community of certified Civil Tradespeople across New Zealand.

Enjoy the read, and don't forget to enter our new newsletter naming competition for the chance to win a \$50 Prezzy card. If there is anything you would like to see in future editions, please [get in touch with our team](#) to let us know.

Best regards,

Dave Howard
Chair, Civil Trades



Name our newsletter and win!

We want your help to name our new Civil Trades newsletter!

[Email our team](#) your newsletter name and any content suggestions before 31 December and the person behind the winning name will receive a \$50 Prezzy Card, plus the honour of the name being chosen for future editions.



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Walking the talk as a Certified Civil Tradesperson

There's an element of walking the talk to Jane Mana's Civil Trades certification journey.

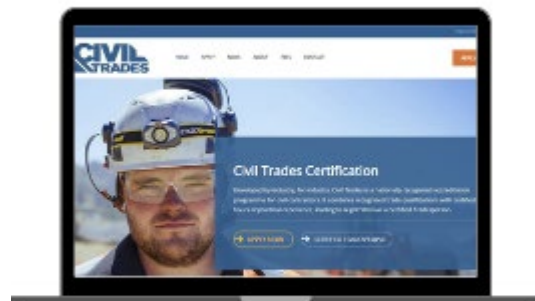
After feeling like she didn't make good use of her time at school, she's found a passion for civil construction and skills development. With her grandson's words of encouragement ringing in her ears, Jane has become a certified Civil Tradesperson.



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Updates for Civil Trades website

Our website has been updated with a news section, new information, and helpful resources about how to go about achieving Civil Trades certification to help you start your Civil Trades certification journey. The site includes a database of Certified Civil Tradespeople to make it easy for employers to look up prospective employees and view their endorsements.



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Leading from the front



A big congratulations to our latest Certified Civil Tradesperson, Stace Keen, who was presented with his certificate by Civil Contractors New Zealand (CCNZ) Wellington Wairarapa Branch Chair Noel Sulzberger at the CCNZ Wellington Wairarapa November Branch Meeting. Stace is the Operations Manager at Mills Albert and a passionate advocate for professional development. In his words, “our people are our future and we have high expectations of professional leadership and workmanship standards. What better way to support them than leading from the front and doing it yourself!”

Photos of the month



Our photos of the month for November show achievement and dedication. On the left is Richard Maclean from Fulton Hogan, receiving his Civil Trades certification. On the right is Nati Fruean from Utilities Infrastructure NZ working on the Darfield to Pines pipeline in Burnham, Canterbury.

By the numbers: new Certified Civil Tradespeople (Feb-Oct 2023)

TOTAL CERTIFIED: 108*

79  PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE

25  ROAD CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE

4  ROAD SURFACING

*February to October 2023

One for the road

A construction worker walks into a bar with a slab of asphalt under his arm. He says to the bartender, "Give me a beer, please, and one for the road."



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