

PROVE proudly acknowledges the Traditional Custodians and Owners of the land and water on which we rely and operate. We pay our deepest respects to their Elders past, present and emerging. We acknowledge the continued cultural, social and spiritual connections that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples have with the lands and waterways, and recognise and value their care and protection for thousands of generations.

It's been a busy, busy few months at PROVE since our last news blast!

- The team has been flying around our beautiful country attending some of the largest events in the industry, see below for more details.
- We've rolled out a number of new policies & training programs. Including developing a Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP). Also, to coincide with Domestic Violence Awareness month in May we held an all staff morning tea to discuss the impact of family & domestic violence in the workplace, learn to read the potential warning signs, conducted an open discussion on the various types & methods of family & domestic violence. Our hope is by instating these policies we will all gain a better understanding on how we can help our fellow employees.
- The PROVE Infrastructure team has been powering through gaining ISO9001, ISO14001 & ISO45001 certifications. As our existing clients would know PROVE prides itself on delivering consistently outstanding customer service, and has always had a keen focus on environmental sustainability, taking steps to reduce any chances of adverse impacts on the environment potentially caused by our work. While gaining certifications has been a lengthy and extensive process, PROVE is committed to ongoing improvement and development of our processes and procedures.

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Plumbing Supply Forum:

After being put on hold the past couple of years due to the COVID-19 pandemic and subsequent border closures & lockdowns, Sydney welcomed back The Plumbing Supply Forum on Tuesday June 7th.

PROVE's Frank Iapozzuto and Paul Oliveri flew in from Melbourne for the much anticipated event, and were not disappointed with the turnout in attendance or the impressive roster of keynote presentations.

Kicking off the day was a very interesting presentation by Tom Devitt, Economist of the HIA, who provided some surety that the property market for the next 3 years is not all doom and gloom, particularly for the attached housing market where the expected influx of international students will provide some stability for investors.

Both with young families Frank and Paul took great interest in the *Transition to lead-free product & the potential for unintended consequences* session presented by ABCB Director – Product Certification Anne-Maree Campbell. Prof. Mark Taylor, Chief Environmental Scientist EPA VIC, emphasised the importance of the lead free reform highlighting the detrimental effects of lead that can pose on growing children and the importance of moving to a better and healthier future with the use of lead free brass plumbing products.

Overall, Frank and Paul not only walked away from the day with a great wealth of knowledge, but the opportunity to finally catchup with contacts, clients and other industry leader. See you next time at the PSF!



Ozwater 2022:

Run by Australian Water Association, Ozwater is Australia's largest water conference and exhibition. PROVE Senior scientist Anthony joined water professionals from across the globe again this year at Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre.

This year's theme "Our Water Journey" focused on celebrating the evolution of the water sector, where we are now, and what possibilities our future holds.

Anthony said of the day, "It was great to network and catch up with clients both old and new as well as other professionals in the water industry. There were many stalls covering all the needs of the entire water industry ranging from water meters to giant valves to water quality testing and everything in between. With the relaxing of current restrictions it was great to be able to mingle and meet with peers once again."



Plumbing Connection:

The Winter edition of Plumbing Connection is out!



In this issue Terry Nguyen discusses the Water Efficiency Labelling and Standards scheme, aka WELS, mandated in 2007 by the Australian government in response to the "Millennium drought", said to be the worst drought on record since European settlement.

Terry walks us through its inception, the challenges these changes posed to engineers, manufactures, plumbers and customers alike, and where all stands today 15 years later.

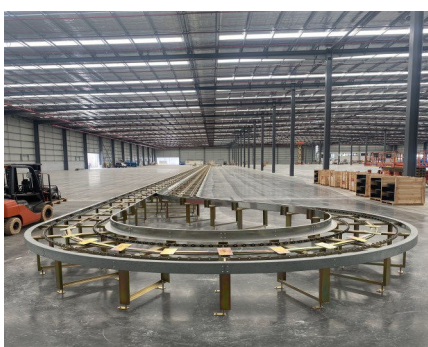
To read this and other articles written by Terry, and many industry leaders, on behalf of Plumbing Connections visit their [website](#).

PROVE Infrastructure:


Our team at INFRA has just handed over their latest project to a very happy customer.

This turnkey installation of not only a 300M+ long crescent pallet carousel but also the associated belt over bed conveyor and DWS system has allowed Hunter Express to begin operations at their new facility with greatly expanded capacity.

With our knowledge of both the mechanical and electrical aspects of each job PROVE is able to deliver quality projects on time and on budget whilst streamlining the project and reducing trade overlap onsite thus minimising overheads and downtime.



Yaru Foundation:

 Since its inception PROVE has been passionate about throwing its support behind a variety of worthy causes, including making monthly donations to WaterAid. Recently we have been looking closer to home and came across the unique social enterprise Yaru Natural Mineral Water.

The Yaru Foundation has been working hard to provide the remote Indigenous community of Pandanus Park with safe, clean drinking water, installing their first water filtration system in 2017.

PROVE hopes its contributions aid The Yaru Foundation to continue this incredible, life changing work.

Please visit their [website](#) read more about The Yaru Foundation, donate, or order Yaru Water.