

February 2016



The Livos team is exited to bring in the New Year with our very first Expo The Passive House Conference running on the 12th-13th of February. Followed by the Eco showcase for professionals and trades in Sydney on the 1st of March.

Please note the showroom will be closed on the 13th of February.

ASSOCIATION

AUSTRALIAN We will continue to send you newsletters regularly and would love to PASSIVE HOUSE hear from you if you have anything to share, so please let us know any feedback

Kindest regards Angela Petruzzi









Wantirna Basketball courts revisited

Sanded and oiled a year ago and with the correct maintenance, Wantirna college gym floors still look a treat even with the large amount of traffic at a large High School.

Case Study: Australian positive Carbon House

Archiblox's carbon positive house is running for world sustainability award. Livos having played a small role by featuring many of the products on the exterior as well as internal coatings, the house made the top 10 list for the international Sustainia Award, beating 1,500 others to secure a finalist spot. For more information click here.

In the Media - Sanctuary Issue 33

Family tree house: A modest timber cottage in Newtown has undergone a gradual, 15 year transformation. The Upper floor in tallowwood flooring was finished with Kunos. For more information, click here.

Budget beauty: Emma wanted a modest home for herself and her children on a tiny budget. Livos was again used on the floors. For more information, click here.

Outside the box: An energy-efficient addition to a charming double brick home in Melbourne's east bucks the trend for all new. Here Kunos was used on timber floor and concrete. For more information, click here.



In the Media - Green

An overview of paints and some of their differences. For more Information, click here.

Rugged Individualist - tucked away in a bushy part of Paddington a distinctive 1970's home is reconfigured and refurbished. Ardvos was used on PEFC Ironbark. For more information, click here.



Product Information

For all products, whether natural like Livos or synthetic, it is imperative that the preparation, application as well as maintenance instructions are followed. This is the only way to keep anything from a bench top, floor, deck or painted walls and everything in-between in an optimal condition

We have simple to follow how to sheets, videos as well as care and maintenance and rejuvenation sheets available on our web site. Please download or ask your retailer for a copy.



Hints and Tips

When you've gone to the trouble of sourcing out good materials and undertaking the work, it is worth maintaining your surface for longevity..





Points of Interest

Livos co-director Angela Petruzzi from Bayswater, Victoria, argues that paint manufacturers should list all their paint ingredients to help consumers avoid non regulated nasties and toxic volatile organic compounds (VOCs), which cause health and indoor air pollution problems. An odour-free house paint can still contain harmful levels of VOCs. For more information, click here.

Expo Dates

The Passive house conference Melbourne - February 12-13th at the Sidney Myer Asia Centre, 158/761 Swanston St, Parkville VIC 3052. From 8.30am to 5pm Friday and Saturday.

Eco showcase Sydney - For trade professionals March 1st at the Cammeray Golf Club.

Livos is holding its first Trade certification workshop in April this year. Over 2 days, trades will have the opportunity to discover the Livos difference with opportunities for hands on training from the experts and demonstrations. Particular emphasis will be on application, maintenance and troubleshooting. Email or call us for further details.

DIY Workshops - Due to the popular demand of our trade nights we are in collaboration with other professionals in the field and anticipate holding information evenings especially for specific groups who are interested in healthy sustainable areas. Dates will be subject to demand, so please register your interest by replying to this email or through our website.

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