



Industry News

Paint Times

Paint times for quarter panels and turrets are currently under review by the Times Committee.

It is well understood that this is an area of many discrepancies and we will work hard to achieve a fair result.

Paint & Panel Industry Survey Results

Paint & Panel has conducted an online survey which asked: *Should the industry adopt collective bargaining of hourly repair rates for quoting?*

74% of respondents have answered "yes".

Email Scams targeting Body Repairers

Watch out for emails that are being sent to body repair businesses at the moment asking for the body repairer to organise an interstate/long distance tow and saying that they will pay for the tow with a credit card at the workshop, for the body repairer to pass the payment on. These emails may relate to the Towing Scam that was reported in Industry News Service #28.

Invitation to Bankstown Paceway – Saturday 5th December

MTA Members and their guests can attend the Truer Memorial at Bankstown Paceway for the discounted rate of \$40 on Saturday 5th December. This includes racecourse entry, race book and 3 course buffet dinner. Details are available in the invitation attached. This is a great idea for a Christmas event.

Invitation: [download here](#)

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