

How is NZACS Managed?

NZACS has a Board which is made up of member companies. There are Board membership positions for retailer and supplier members. The Board meets 3 times per annum as a minimum.

The day to day running of the Association is managed by the Executive Director and staff.

How do I Become a Member?

If you would like your organisation to become a member of NZACS please e-mail info@nzacs.com or visit www.nzacs.com and request a membership application form. Membership subscription fees are charged on an annual bases.



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A not for profit trade association representing the interests of its member organisations within the convenience retailing industry.

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What is the New Zealand Association of Convenience Stores?

The Association was established in 2000 as an organisation to represent the Convenience Store Industry in New Zealand. It was formed initially as an offshoot from the Association in Australia (AACS) which had been in existence since the early 90's.

The formation of the Association in New Zealand was as a result of the need to represent the interests of suppliers and retailers whose interests are central to the performance of the industry.



NZACS Chairman Roger Bull

What does NZACS provide its members?

NZACS offers a number of programs and events which are consistent with the five strategic pillars of the Association:

- Industry Research and information sharing – An annual survey of retailers performance undertaken by professional research partners.
- Education and provision of tools for the development of member employees in the industry. NZACS runs a C Store simulation program over 2 days enabling members' employees to develop and manage C stores in a non- threatening environment. NZACS has an annual development programme for aspiring leaders in the sector. It requires research, essay and oral representation of an issue facing the industry.
- Networking for members by the provision of conferences and meetings enabling members to share discussion and presentations that are in the interests of the industry
- Government representation and lobbying on issues that affect its members to trade fairly and responsibly
- Environmental sustainability ensuring that NZACS is the focal point for emerging environmental issues that will affect the ways in which our members can do business.

Who can be a Member of NZACS?

There are two classes of membership being Retailers and Suppliers. Suppliers have two levels of membership available to them; Premier Member and Associate. The Premier Members pay a higher level of annual subscription as a demonstration of their desire to support the industry as fully as possible.



A team of industry delegates participate in the Convenience Store Simulation Workshop.