

FREE Sustainable Practice Seminars for Your Business in Cromwell, Alexandra & Ranfurly

9th February in Cromwell: 10-12pm, Molyneux Restaurant on Eris Street

10th February in Alexandra: 1-3pm, Central Stories on Centennial Ave

11th February in Ranfurly: 3-5pm, Ranfurly Arts Centre on Read Street

These workshops will cover:

- The benefits of sustainable practice for your business
 - Energy Efficiency
 - Waste Minimisation
 - Water Efficiency
 - Staff Motivation
 - Fuel Efficiency and Carbon Reduction (Biodiesel)
 - Systems Efficiency
 - Economic Resilience
- The sustainable practice projects will be happening in the Central Otago region in 2010; and
- How you and your business can get involved.

Regional programmes businesses are invited to take part in include the Central Otago Make a Difference Programme, the Biodiesel Consortium, Systems Thinking programmes, Qualmark Accreditation and the World of Difference brand.

Speakers include representatives from The Shed - Northburn Station, Provisions and Hawdun Lodge. These businesses have already taken part in the Make a Difference programme and are keen to share their learnings from the programme and achievements to date.

The workshops are free thanks to a subsidy from the Ministry of Tourism.

For further information please visit the Centre for Sustainable Practice website
<http://www.otagopolytechnic.ac.nz/Schools-departments/centre-for-sustainable-practice.html>

Please register your interest by 5th February with Ella Lawton, Centre for Sustainable Practice, Otago Polytechnic ella.lawton@op.ac.nz