

Gas and Coal Outburst Committee

The Committee formed for the 1995 Gas & Outbursts Symposium (Wollongong) and the NSW Government Department – Mine Safety Operations has identified a need to keep some type of regular seminar functioning to maintain a focus on the problems associated with gas & coal outbursts and mine gas management.

Half Day Seminar

The target audience is for a cross section of industry from Mine Management and Supervisors to Machine Operators. Industry Specialists, Equipment Suppliers and Researchers are also encouraged to attend.

Date: **Wednesday 29th June 2016**
Time: **1.30 pm** *Duration:* **3 hours**
Venue: **Illawarra Master Builders Club Auditorium
Church Street, Wollongong**

Programme:

- **Recent Outburst Experience at Metropolitan Colliery**
Allister Whilley – Metropolitan Colliery
- **Authority to mine for Longwall Extraction: Case Study at Tahmoor**
Jack Borg – Tahmoor Colliery
- **In-Seam Drilling and Boreholes Beyond 2000 metres**
Frank Hungerford – Valley Longwall International

Afternoon Tea / Coffee

- **Practical Experience in Drilling, Taking Cores, Measuring Gas Content Followed by an Open Discussion as to the Need to Specify Procedures and Processes for these Tasks**
Drillers & Drilling Supervisors – Metropolitan, Appin & Tahmoor Collieries
- **Australian Standard AS 3980 Draft Review**
Murray Bull – Appin Colliery
- **ACARP Work Update**
Brad Elvy – Appin Colliery

*For catering purposes please supply attendance numbers to
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