

Conference 2010 - Programme

Friday 19 March

- 9am MTNZ Executive Meeting
- 9am Trade Shows set up
- 11am Registration desk opens at the Rydges Harbourview Hotel
- 4pm Trade Show opens
- 6pm Pre dinner drinks
- 7pm Welcome by MTNZ President Ian Reid and Zone One Representative Delwyn Smith, roll call, Merit Awards and the cutting of the 50th Anniversary Cake
- 7.45pm The Dominion Drama World Cuisine Dinner – dress: smart/casual
- 9pm Jane Keller, accompanied by Richard Marrett, will entertain
- 10pm Registration Desk closes

Saturday 20 March

- 8am Registration desk re-opens
- 8.30am 50th Annual General Meeting of Musical Theatre New Zealand
- 10am (approx) Morning Tea - registration desk will reopen for seminar/forum only registrations and ticket pick up for the John Herber Masquerade Ball, for those who are only attending this function.
- 10.45am Forum Session
- Midday The Hal Leonard AGM Lunch
- 1pm Registration desk closes
- 1.15pm Seminar Session
- 1.15pm Trade Show will start to close
- 3.15pm Seminar session concludes
- 3.30pm Origin Theatrical Poster, programme, website and John Herber Showbill competition awards and conclusion of the AGM
- 4.30pm AGM closes (approx time)
- 6pm – 7.30pm The Origin Theatrical Champagne & Canapé Hour at the Rydges Harbourview Hotel accompanied by the Ambiance String Quartet kindly sponsored by Redd Acoustics Sales
- 7.45pm MTNZ 50th Anniversary Gala Dinner & the John Herber Masquerade Ball at the Sky City Convention Centre – please note Sky City is a five minute walk from Rydges Harbourview Hotel and transport will be available if the weather is adverse or if you have mobility issues. We will also have people directing you. Formal dress - please come dressed for a ball – traditional or modern – anything goes, and don't forget your mask.
- 12.30am The John Herber Masquerade Ball concludes
From 11pm onwards, the bar will be open (and coffee and tea will also be available) at the Rydges Harbourview Hotel till the small hours

Sunday 21 March

- From 8.45am Farewell breakfast at the Rydges Harbourview Hotel
- 9.30am Farewell from the MTNZ President
- 10.30am Tour of the Civic Theatre (downtown Auckland)