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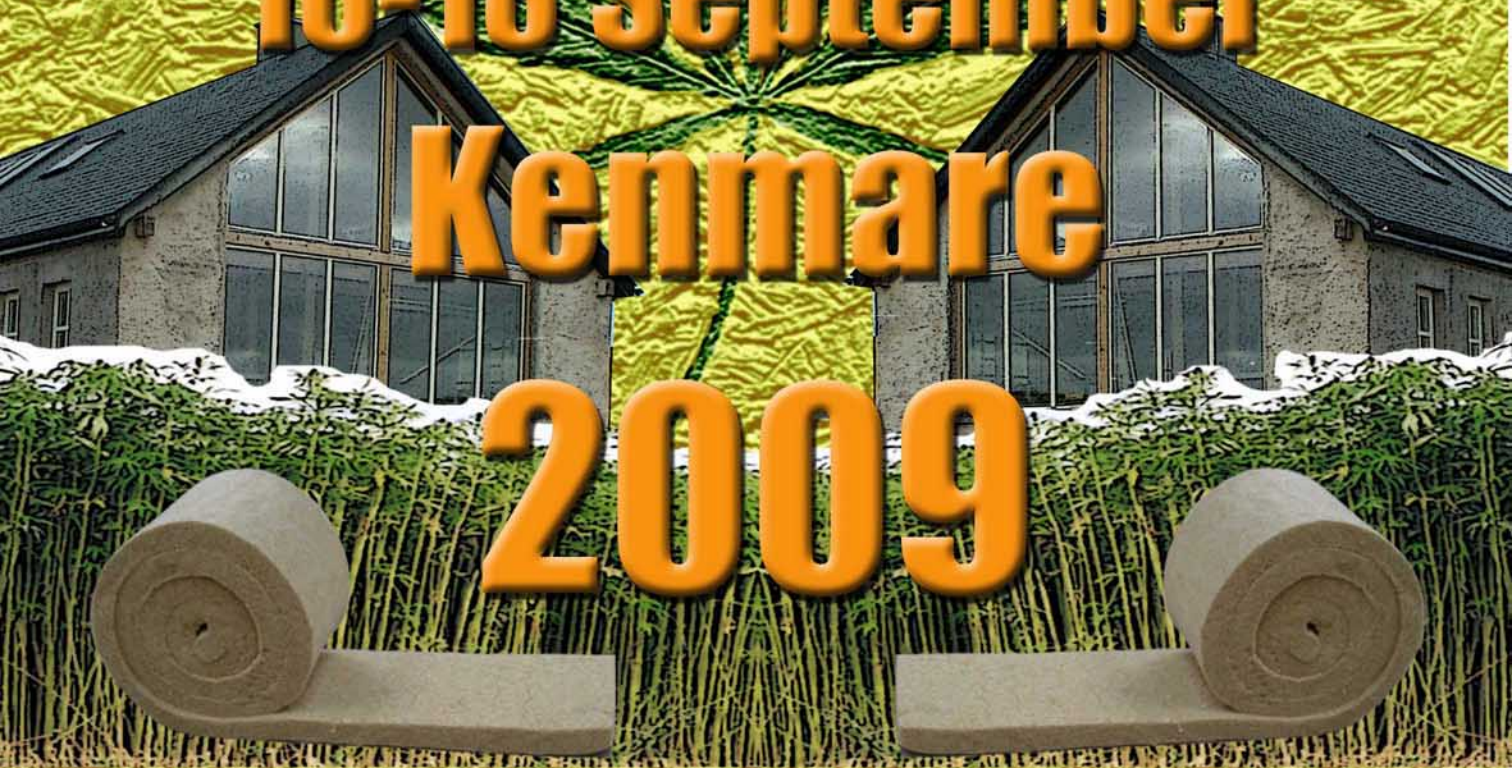
HEMP BUILDING

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Building Symposium
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THE SYMPOSIUM

Many years ago Bob Dylan sang "The times they are a changing" but the phrase is even more relevant now.

The mission in providing this symposium is to have the natural building industry join together and change the times.

We can provide a united combination of vision and technology to bring positive change and financial opportunity to the building industry and the world: Building green from start to finish in both the alternative and mainstream construction trades.

In September of 2009 join dozens of presenters and hundreds of participants in the beautiful West of Ireland for the first international Hemp Building Symposium.

To be hosted by Hempbuilding.com and Steve Allin, author of the pre-eminent book, "Building with Hemp". with Hempcrete Natural Building from Canada and Jayeson Hendyrson the leading Canadian Hemp building expert from Bowen Is.B.C.

Experience feature presentations on every aspect of natural building with industrial hemp, including presentations, panel discussions, breakout sessions, demonstrations and displays.

The industrial hemp building industry has been fragmented by geography and the forces of competition. However there is little to be gained by duplicating research and development, when networking and cooperation can pave the way to opportunity and growth in spite of mainstream recession. All sectors need to work together to make the promotion and research of industrial hemp more efficient capitalising on the pioneering work done so far.

The increased movement towards more sustainable methods of all human activities will give industrial hemp a chance to gain the reputation it deserves as a truly ecological construction material.

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EVENT DETAILS

The best aspect of hemp building is that it is possible to build a beautiful, quality structure that is marketable to a large segment of the residential and commercial building industry from concept to finishing

This symposium is being held to bring together the experts in the area of hemp building materials and their application. The basic presentations given will be collected on a post symposium CD-ROM together with other resources to create an archive of the latest developments in utilising Hemp based materials for construction.

Are you a ?;

- Municipal planning agents and government beaurocrat
- Industrialist or investor
- International media
- Contractors and professionals wanting to expand their repetoire to more natural building methods
- Experienced or new but enthusiasitic hemp builders
- Potential industrialists and entrepreneurs from around the world who are interested in getting involved in the field.
- North American LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) or other International Energy Efficiency standard- involved professional

- A display area is available for those companies who wish to advertise their products and services.
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Demonstrations will take place nearby.

Translators can be arranged for Czech, French, German, Polish. Portuguese, Russian, Spanish & Ukrainian speakers during the seminar.

Other languages by request.

PRICE FOR 3 DAYS ATTENDANCE300 euros including; lunch and refreshments.

Accommodation will be available at the Kenmre Bay hotel
www.kenmarebayhotel.com

For special symposium rates email;

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Other accommodation details; www.kenmare.com





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SPONSOR DETAILS

Main sponsorship includes;
Your company presence in primary position on all promotional literature
A major presentaion slot on the programme
Display stand with power supply 4m x 2m
Promotion through the post symposium CD ROM
4 passes to the symposium
Sponsorship of closing meal event
Breakout room for private sessions
Cost.....4500 euros

Full sponsorship includes;
Your company presence on all promotional literature
A major presentation slot on the programme
Display stand with power supply 3m x 2m
Promotion through the post symposium CD ROM
2 passes to the symposium
Breakout room for private sessions
Cost..... .2800 euros

Presenter sponsorship includes;
Your company presence on all promotional literature
Presentation slot on the programme
Display stand without power supply 1.5m x 1.5m
promotion through the post symposium CD ROM
1 pass to symposium
Breakout room for private sessions
Cost 1200 euros

Supporter sponsorship
Your company presence on promotional literature
Promotion through post symposium CD ROM
Cost ..600 euros

10% discount available for payments received before July 1st 2009

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PRESENTATIONS

Presentations for the Symposium will focus on the many aspects of using Hemp based materials in construction. The various binders currently used with Hemp hurds or shives from cement-lime based mixtures to the use of clays to produce hempcrete bricks or cast structures will be of interest to many, so too will the use of Hemp Bales..

The systems used to build the timber frameworks in conjunction with cast hempcrete and the manner of applying the hempcrete are constantly being advanced. From the hi tech mechanised approach to the 'hands on model' all will be given their chance.

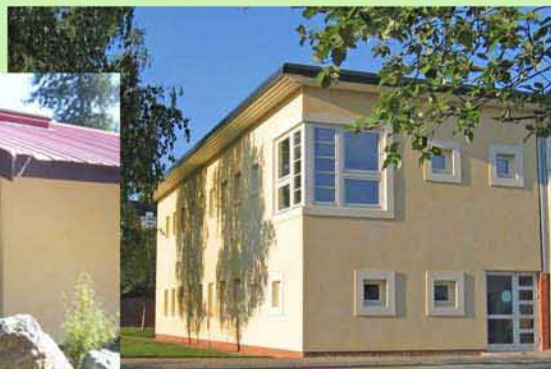
Insulation materials made from Hemp fibres are also taking their place and production is now established in the major hemp producing countries. Together with the associated materials used with these products this is an area of hemp materials likely to expand with the retro fitting of many properties to meet new energy regulations.

The natural materials used in the Hemp building field especially the finishes obtained using hemp based plasters have enabled artisans to produce unique effects that greatly add to the palette of the ecological builder and the ideas and results obtained by the pioneers in this area are particularly spectacular.

All these subjects above and more will be expanded on by the presenters at the 1st International Hemp Building Symposium in Kenmare this September. All presentations will be included on the post symposium CD ROM

If you would like to give a presentation on the work you have been doing but do not have a sponsor get in touch with us at the address below and we might be able to hook you up with a suitable backer.

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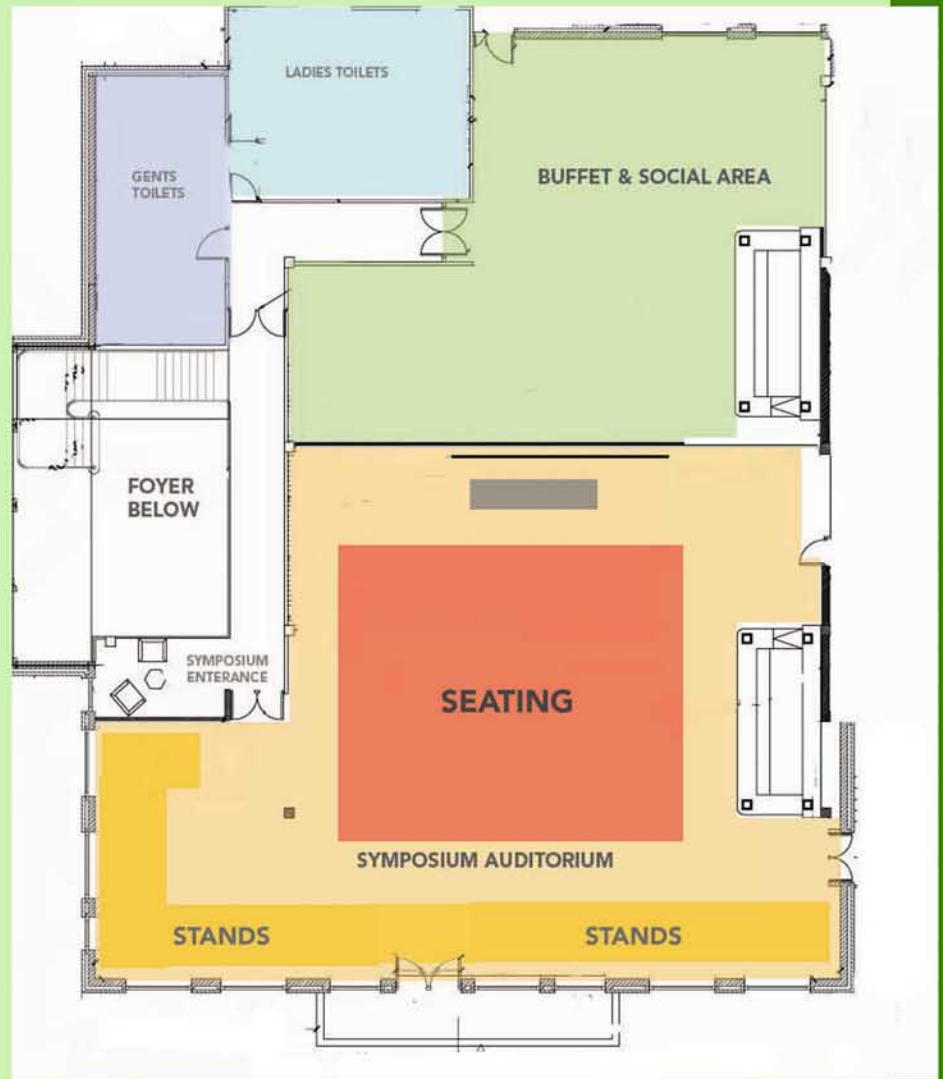
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FLOOR PLAN



The symposium will be held in the Kenmare Bay Hotel function hall where there is space for a minimum of 150 participants to be seated plus additional space for stands etc...

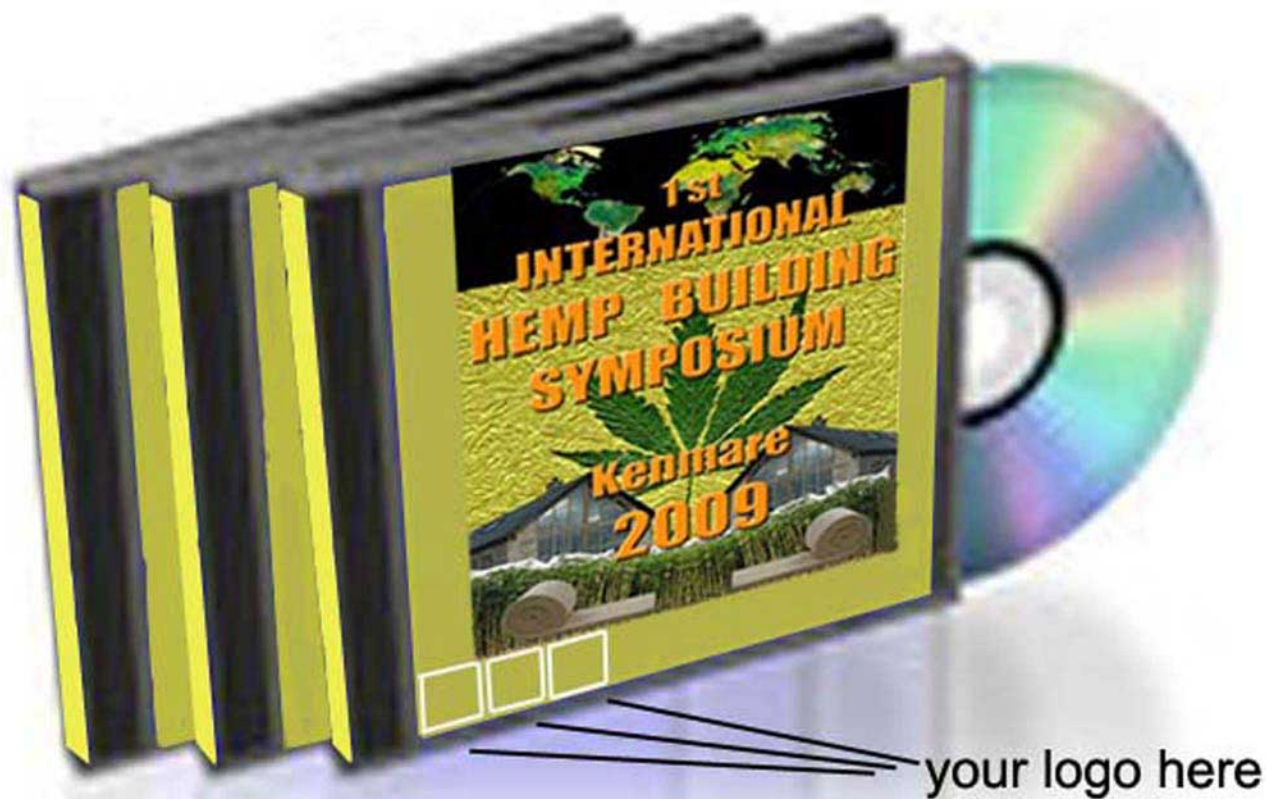
Adjacent to the auditorium is the area designated for the buffet lunch and social area for participants.

Full bar facilities will be available in the social area throughout the symposium.

For details of the Kenmare Bay Hotel go to;

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