

ALL-ENERGY '08 CATERING

In-house expertise

AECC's in-house Catering Department are the official caterers at All-Energy '08, and they are ready to help you in any way they can. They cater for a diverse range of occasions including business breakfasts, international conferences, prestigious awards ceremonies and large corporate dinner dances, as well as for exhibition stands. In 2006 at the prestigious AIPC Apex Awards for 'World's Best Congress Centre' AECC's catering received the highest score out of all the competing conference centres.

What's on offer

You can benefit from this superb service during All-Energy '08. AECC's team will be happy to provide:

- A basic "tea and coffee package" that can be regularly checked and refreshed
- Lunch trays to satisfy you, and your visitors, during the all-important lunch period
- Delicious tea-time treats to give you an energy boost
- "Happy Hour" requirements – everything you need to stage an on-stand networking "Happy Hour" on the Wednesday afternoon prior to the start of the Civic Reception and Giant Networking Evening – e.g. wine/beer/soft drinks, nuts and crisps
- Vouchers that can be used by your staff in place of money at our catering outlets
- Special vouchers that can be used at the cash bar at the Giant Networking Evening – these will be printed with your company name and you can hand them to all your contacts so that their drinks are literally "on you"

With your interests in mind

With all-important health and safety and environmental risks in mind, AECC requires that all food and drink for consumption during All-Energy '08 be purchased from them – or alternatively supplied through them. However, they do recognise that some companies may already have existing contracts with caterers they would prefer to use during the show. It is a requirement that all exhibitors who wish to employ the services of an external caterer purchase a permit for the privilege of doing so. The permit will only be issued providing all requirements under Health and Safety and Food Hygiene Regulations are in place. You, or your outside caterer need to provide a written health and safety policy, risk assessments for the operation, hazard analysis and critical control points, and adequate insurance cover. AECC reserves the right to refuse any permit on the grounds that information provided does not adhere with current regulations.

The cost of the permits is:

- Full Permit @ £650.00 + VAT
- Food Permit @ £325.00 + VAT
- Beverage Permit @ £325.00 + VAT

Your catering contacts

If you wish to make arrangements for catering at All-Energy '08, or have any questions about permits or bringing in your own supplies, Scott McDonald, AECC's Catering Development Manager, will be happy to help you. Tel: 01224 330422 or Email smcdonald@aecc.co.uk. Scott is also your contact for catering in any meeting room you may have booked for use at the show.

General catering enquiries should be addressed to David McDonald, Catering General Manager, Tel: 01224 330425; Email: dmcdonald@aecc.co.uk