



TIPPER TALK CBB MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | APRIL 2024 |

Welcome to Tipper Talk! We're excited to bring you another edition packed with fresh updates, notable news, and invaluable insights straight from the heart of CBB. As we step into April, we'll be exploring NHVR updates, catching a glimpse of the latest build, and shining a spotlight on our tipper of the month.

With the pace of this year, it's essential to start considering your next build. Spots are filling up quickly, so now's the time to join the conversation and secure your place! Don't let this opportunity pass you by. Reach out to our Sales team at sales@chrisbodybuilders.com.au or give us a call at 03 9311 6124 to reserve your spot for your upcoming build!

LATEST NEWS

ADVANTIA PROJECT: ENHANCING PBS VEHICLE ACCESSIBILITY FOR INDUSTRY



The Advantia Project aims to enhance accessibility to PBS vehicles, headed by HVIA member Advantia Transport Consulting.

Their goal is to create Vehicle Specification Envelopes (VSEs) tailored for three commonly used PBS vehicles. By doing so, the project intends to simplify the introduction of safer and more efficient vehicles into the market. Additionally, it aims to address various obstacles faced by operators, such as cost and time constraints. Drawing insights from past experiences, notably the development of the 20-meter three-axle truck and four-axle dog trailer notice in 2022, this project endeavours to expand PBS accessibility to a broader spectrum of operators. [Read more](#)

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NATIONAL CLASS 2 B-DOUBLE NOTICE OPERATOR'S GUIDE 2024

Updated Guide for Operators of National Class 2 B-double Authorisation Notice
The National Class 2 B-double Authorisation Notice for 2024 (No.1) grants permission for the operation of Class 2 heavy vehicles configured as B-doubles. These vehicles must adhere to the conditions outlined in the Notice and are permitted to travel on designated routes and areas within the Australian Capital Territory, New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia, Tasmania, and Victoria.

Please note that this authorization does not absolve these vehicles from adhering to other provisions of the Heavy Vehicle National Law (HVNL), including regulations concerning mass and dimensions. [More information](#)



Source www.nhvr.gov.au



OPERATOR OBSERVES A SIGNIFICANT CONTRAST IN TYRE LONGEVITY WITH TIREMAAX PRO.

Since implementing Hendrickson's TIREMAAX PRO-LB system, this transport company in Victoria has noticed significant improvements in tyre durability. STS Bulk Haulage, based near Geelong, specialises in hay and grain transport, operating a fleet of five trucks across routes in Victoria and southern New South Wales. Using A-double and B-double tippers, as well as drop decks for hay, the company chose the TIREMAAX PRO-LB system for automatic tyre pressure adjustment based on load status. Notably, on their latest CBB builds, the system has led to improved tyre performance, particularly in reducing wear and scalloping. [Read more](#)



STS Bulk Haulage is currently running A-double and B-double tippers from Chris's Body Builders with the TIREMAAX PRO-LB system fitted. Image: STS Bulk Haulage.

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Are you travelling via the CityLink/Monash Freeway? Please be aware of the temporary access changes for trucks weighing over 44 tonnes, including b-doubles. Swipe across to view changes to both inbound and outbound travel. At this stage, Transurban doesn't have ETA on repairs as assessments are ongoing however crews are working as quickly and safely as possible to open the impacted sections of CityLink to all road users. For the latest traffic information <https://traffic.vicroads.vic.gov.au/>

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The Victorian Government is investing an extra \$1 million with the Victorian Transport Association (VTA) to train more heavy vehicle drivers and maintain supply chains. The VTA's Driver Delivery program targets driver shortages and enhances road safety, focusing on attracting and retaining younger drivers through accredited training and job assistance. Since 2016, the program has trained nearly 400 drivers, with ongoing government support. The latest funding aims to train more drivers to support Victoria's \$21 billion freight industry, benefiting over 260,000 workers. The VTA coordinates training and job placements, ensuring a skilled workforce. This partnership addresses industry skill shortages following the success of a 2023 job training initiative, which helped over 125 individuals secure employment in freight and warehousing. [Read more](#)

Source www.trailer.com.au



TRUCK SHOWS AND EVENTS

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Get your hands on a brand new CBB 3 Axle Dog Trailer. Made with Hardox™ steel, it's lighter and stronger than conventional trailers, featuring a Lumiere design with curved sides

Equipped with a two-way tailgate, York drum axles/suspension, Firestone tyres, Jost rims, mesh wind out tarp, this trailer is primed and ready for action. Plus, it comes with PBS, pending truck suitability and the option for registration in Victoria!

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LATEST BUILD

Take a look at this beauty!

Take a look at this beauty. It's a Kenworth with a shiny aluminium Truck Tipper Body and a 4 Axle Tipping Dog Trailer. This rig is equipped with a Groeneveld automatic greasing system for quad dog, York suspension & 22.5" axles, Narva side lights, a wind out hoop mesh tarp with Razor electric drive, a 300mm grain door, fold down aluminium ladder, Hexis coloured vinyl sides, and a full length 175mm spray suppressant.



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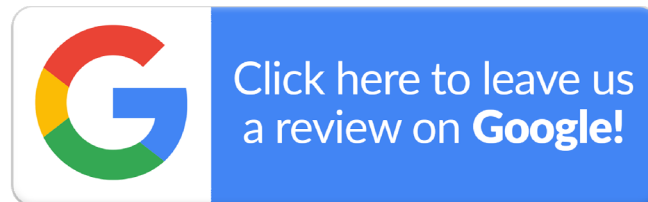
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