

WOOD HEAT 2023

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This will be the first in-person Wood Heat Conference since the pandemic so it'll be great to get the entire UK industry together under one roof to get talking. As ever, we'll have a packed agenda and have strived to provide a platform where the industry can gather to network, share ideas and experiences, discuss some of the challenges we are facing, and look to the year ahead.

No two years are ever the same in the UK biomass energy sector and with so much going on in the wood heat industry in 2023 we need to step back and take a good look forward to see the opportunities that lay ahead.

- With the RHI closed, the Biomass Strategy just released and new standards evolving - what does the biomass heat sector look like in 2023?
- How can we finance our industry in a post-subsidy environment? What opportunities are there for growth and innovation?
- How are new wood heat standards impacting the industry? How can we ensure our technology is sustainable and as green as possible, without discouraging investment?
- With the war in Ukraine still raging, how can we secure supplies of feedstocks to protect UK energy security and our consumers - what role can feedstock innovation play in this?

These and many other topics will be covered either formally during the conference or in the many conversations that you'll have with each other - so there's never been more reason to make your presence known at the Wood Heat Conference.

Wood Heat 2023, the 6th such two day gathering, will give you the knowledge and contacts to make the most of the opportunities still to be found in the UK biomass energy sector - we're expecting a strong turnout from across the industry so get involved and support us. **Email sponsorship@r-e-a.net to discuss your options.**



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Benefits of becoming a REA sponsor

Our reputation: The REA is the largest renewable energy and clean technology trade association in the UK and is one of the leading industry voices

Our mission: Help us to accelerate the energy transition as we empower our members to build commercially and environmentally sustainable businesses as we strive for a greener future built on renewable energy and clean technology

Our followers: Cross platform social media exposure with the potential to reach a new audience in excess of 20,000 users

Benefits of sponsoring the Wood Heat Conference

Attendance: Delegate tickets are competitive and usually sell out quickly, your sponsorship package confirms your place at this prestigious event

Networking and investment: Opportunities with the sector's leading wood fuel suppliers, biomass boiler and stove manufacturers, installers and distributors, energy companies, developers, and government stakeholders

Grow your network: Engage with other businesses present at the event to help in securing new business partnerships

Brand awareness: Enhance your professional reputation with your peers and strengthen existing relationships

Build your reputation in the biomass sector: Increase your visibility to attract new customers and sales opportunities



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Headline Sponsor: Company branding on REA website, pre-show promotion, onsite throughout the conference - including the stage - and on printed event material, social media exposure. Package also includes two chairs, four delegate places for the conference plus logo on the delegate badges: **£5,000+VAT**

Sponsorship Package: Company branding on REA website, pre-show promotion, onsite and printed event material. Two places to attend conference, social media exposure: **£2,000+VAT**

Exhibitor Sponsor: Table, two chairs, two places for conference, company branding on REA website, pre-show promotion and printed event material, social media exposure: **£3,000+VAT**

Lunch & Coffee Sponsor: Company branding onsite, two places to attend conference, company branding on REA website, pre-show promotion and printed event material, social media exposure, exclusive promotional distribution in refreshment area: **£3,000+VAT**

Cancellation Policy

More than 3 weeks' notice:
Less than 3 weeks' notice:
Less than 2 weeks' notice:

75% refund
50% refund
No refund

Social Media Exposure

19.4K Twitter Followers
18,263 LinkedIn followers

If you'd like to get involved and work with us promoting your products to the biomass industry, we'd love to hear from you. Contact us via email: sponsorship@r-e-a.net



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The Association for Renewable Energy and Clean Technology (REA) has been representing the biomass heat sector since 2001. The REA member forum for biomass heat is called the 'Wood Heat Forum'. It was formerly the Wood Heat Association a wholly owned subsidiary of the REA, but in October 2020 became a Forum and formally part of the REA.

About the REA Wood Heat Forum

The Wood Heat Forum brings together wood fuel suppliers, biomass boiler and stove manufacturers, installers and distributors, energy companies and developers. It also benefits from members of the wider REA.

Post the end of the Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) in March 2021, the WHF is working closely with BEIS to ensure a sustainable end of life scheme for the RHI, which includes the development of a Quality Fuel Standard to be introduced by the Biomass Suppliers List (BSL) and mandatory servicing from April 2022.

We are also working to ensure the best use of biomass recognises that one of the most efficient uses of biomass is in the direct production of heat, with a conversion efficiency approaching 90%. Such efficiencies need to be recognised in future policy discussions concerning 'best use' of biomass and the REA shall be advocating for this to be recognised in the Government's upcoming Biomass Strategy.

We support our members across the UK by providing newsletters, website, technical information, updates on policy, as well as listening to and tackling their concerns, through national and local conferences and forums.



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