

Winter 2026 Newsletter

As we head into winter, we wanted to share a few recent projects, company updates, and industry news from the Plantation Bamboo team.

This month we're showcasing a stunning cladding project from Ōtaki, highlighting a day-to-night decking transformation, introducing a new member of our team, and announcing where you can find us at BuildNZ this July.

A small price increase is coming

Due to increased supply and freight costs, our pricing will be adjusted from **13 July 2026**.

The good news? Any order confirmed and deposit paid before this date can secure current pricing and avoid the increase.

Whether you're planning a deck, cladding project, flooring installation, or simply want to reserve stock for a future build, now is the ideal time to talk with our team.

Meet Lucy

We're excited to welcome our daughter, **Lucy Roughan**, to Plantation Bamboo as our new **Marketing & Design Manager**.

With a background in graphic design, Lucy now leads our social media, website, and marketing activities, bringing fresh ideas and creative energy to the business.

"I'm excited to join my family at Plantation Bamboo and help share the benefits of bamboo."

If you've noticed new reels, posts, or designs on our social channels recently, there's a good chance Lucy was behind them.



Project Spotlight: Ōtaki Bamboo Cladding

Looking for exterior inspiration?

This striking development on the Kāpiti Coast features three neighbouring homes clad in Bamboo X-treme Cladding and built by JCK Builders.

The project showcases how bamboo can create a modern, cohesive streetscape while retaining warmth and natural character.

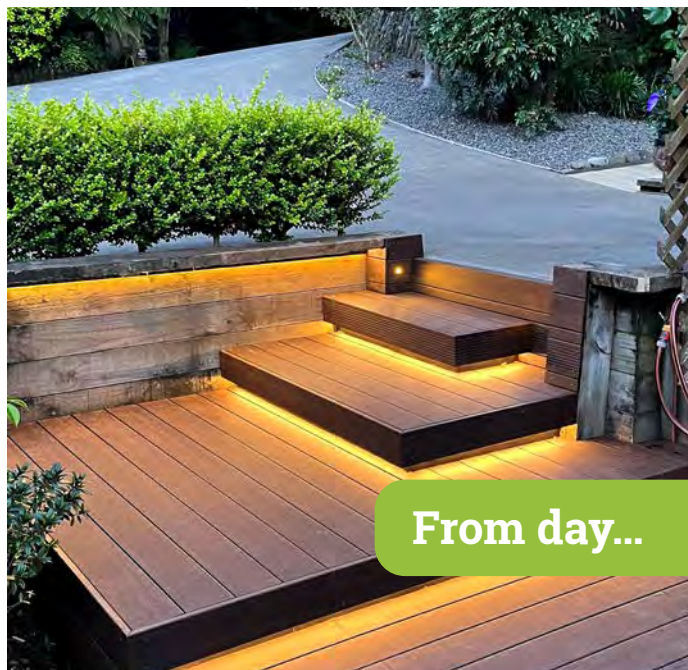
Manufactured using MOSO's Thermo-Density® process, Bamboo X-treme Cladding offers exceptional durability, stability, and sustainability, making it an increasingly popular choice for homes and commercial buildings throughout New Zealand.

[Explore our cladding >](#)

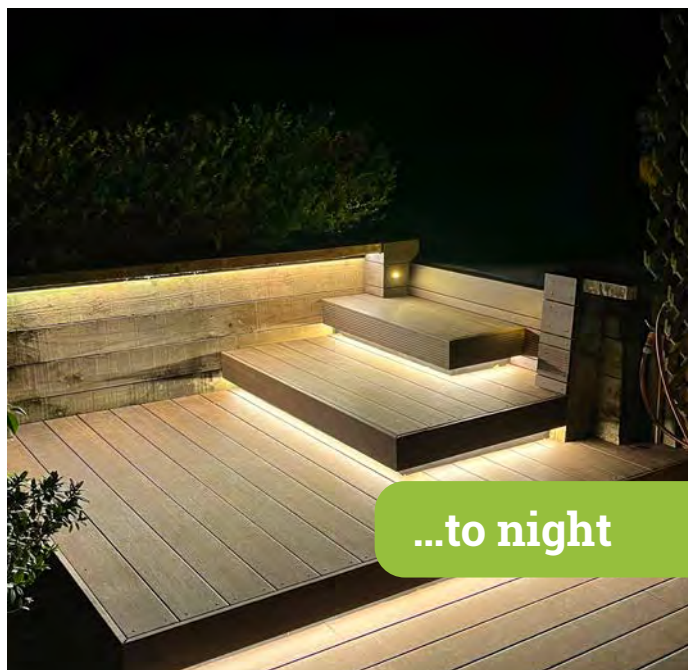
**Three homes.
One stunning
result**



**Bamboo
X-treme
Cladding**



From day...



...to night

From Day to Night with Bamboo X-treme Decking

Great outdoor spaces should look just as good after sunset.

This recent project by **Albon Building Taranaki** showcases how Bamboo X-treme Decking creates a beautiful outdoor setting throughout the day, while integrated lighting transforms the space into a welcoming retreat at night.

[Watch the transformation](#) and see how bamboo can elevate outdoor living

Bamboo Insights on ArchiPro

Whether you're planning a renovation, building a new home, or simply researching materials, our latest ArchiPro articles answer some of the most common questions we receive about bamboo.

Our latest articles explore:

- Why bamboo is becoming a preferred choice for architects and homeowners
- How bamboo compares to traditional building materials
- Creative ways bamboo is being used throughout New Zealand
- The environmental benefits of choosing bamboo



Decking, cladding, and everything in-between: why bamboo is the material of choice for Kiwi backyards

[Get inspired on ArchiPro >](#)

Annual team days in Wellington

With staff based across Auckland, Wellington, and Christchurch, we recently gathered in Wellington for our annual team get-together.

It was a great opportunity to share knowledge, review business performance, discuss customer feedback, and explore ways we can continue improving the experience we provide to our customers.

And yes - we managed to fit in some good food and plenty of laughs too.

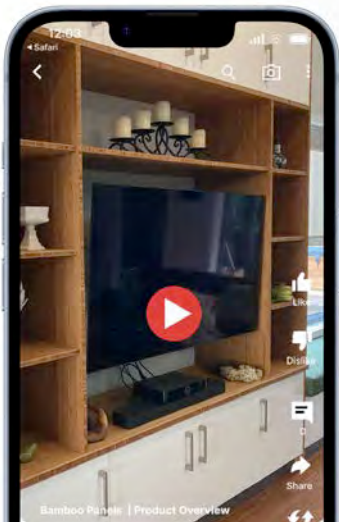


Endless Design Possibilities With Bamboo Panels

Bamboo panels are one of the most versatile products in our range, used for everything from benchtops and cabinetry to shelving, furniture, and more.

This project shows how bamboo panels can bring warmth, texture, and natural character into a home while offering a durable surface for everyday living.

See how bamboo panels are used throughout this home



See us at BuildNZ!

Plantation Bamboo will be exhibiting at **BuildNZ Auckland** on 15-16 July.

As New Zealand's premier trade event for the building and construction industry, BuildNZ brings together builders, architects, designers, specifiers, and suppliers from across the country.

Visit our stand to explore our bamboo decking, cladding, flooring, and panel solutions, discuss upcoming projects, and discover why more building professionals are choosing bamboo.



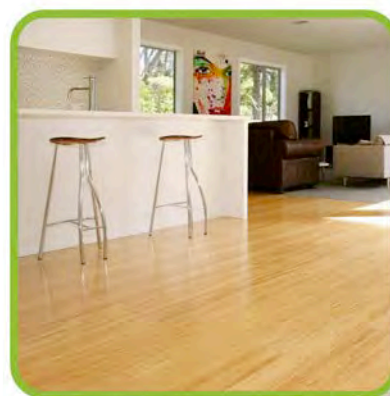
[Register here >](#)

Transform Your Home with Bamboo Flooring!

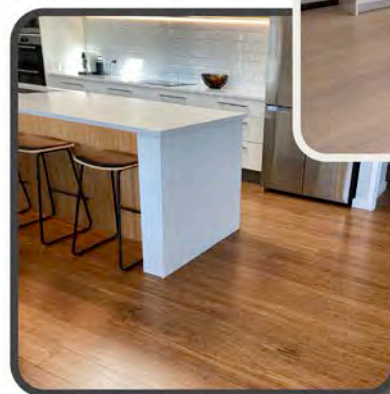
Looking for flooring that feels warm, natural, and built for everyday living?

Our bamboo flooring range offers a beautiful alternative to traditional timber flooring, with options to suit a wide range of homes and interiors.

Browse our latest bamboo flooring inspiration and explore how different colours and finishes can transform a space professionals are choosing bamboo.



**Bamboo
Flooring**



[Explore our Bamboo Flooring range >](#)

**Beautifully sustainable
Built to perform**

**The bamboo specialists
Plantation Bamboo**

Did You Know?

The bamboo used in our products starts helping the environment long before it reaches your project. During its rapid growth, bamboo absorbs significant amounts of CO₂ from the atmosphere and stores it within the plant's fibres.

That means your bamboo deck, cladding, flooring, or panels don't just look great, they also act as a long-term carbon store, helping reduce the environmental footprint of your home or building.

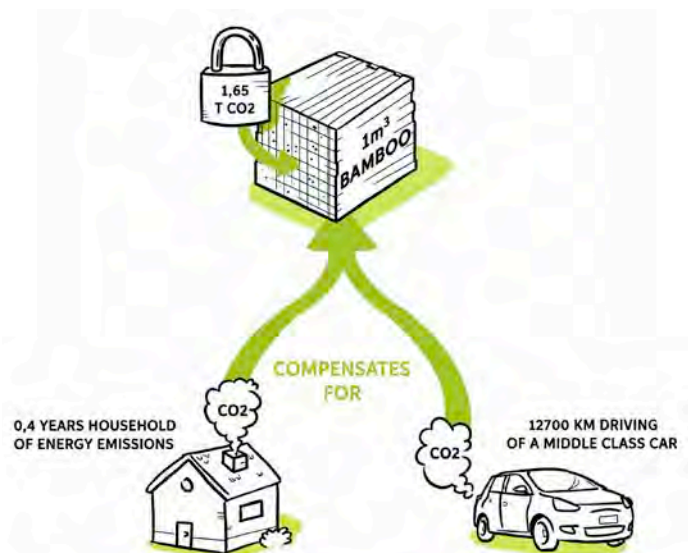


Figure adapted from Moso Bamboo

More Information

Please check out our website for lots of photos and information of our range of bamboo building-related products - www.plantationbamboo.co.nz As usual if you have any questions or if we can help you with anything bamboo-related, please get in touch with any of our friendly team.

Best regards,
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