Awards crown Blacktown’s best

PHYLIS MCGRAW

The atmosphere was electric as Blacktown’s business people crowded into Blacktown Workers Club on Tuesday, June 5 for the annual Local Business Awards presentation.

Fabulous frocks, cheers and tears (of joy) were the order of the night as the winners of this year’s Blacktown Local Business Awards celebrated their success.

As always, the highlight of the night was the announcement of the Business of the Year.

Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital took home the coveted trophy, having already claimed the Best Pet Care title earlier in the evening.

Acceptance speeches ranged from tearful and emotional to wildly humorous but they shared one thing in common – the heartfelt gratitude of the recipients to the staff, customers and community that supported them.

The celebration was held at Blacktown Workers Club, as hundreds of finalists and their guests enjoyed a three-course meal and entertainment by William Motenou, Kirrinh Anosa and Alex Marcel.

Western Sydney Business Access was on hand to capture all the excitement as the finalists were announced, complete with images on the big screen, followed by huge cheers as the winners’ names were read out and they took to the stage to claim their trophies.

Executive Building Group principal Nathan Heta was named Business Person of the Year, while the Youth Award went to Angus Tyson of Riverstone Family Dental.

Awards founder and President Productions managing director Steve Lee said the evening was a huge success.

“There was an electric atmosphere throughout the night,” he said.

The finalists’ excitement was palpable and, as always, people celebrated not just their own success, but cheered for everyone else in the room.

“It was a sell-out event, as always, which goes to show just how popular The Blacktown Business Awards are with the community.”

Our MC, Paul Hancock, kept the evening flowing smoothly and numerous people came up to me during and after the event to say how much they enjoyed themselves. An ever-popular crowd favourite, Paul is hugely excited to bring the Awards to the Blacktown area for another year.”

Mr Lee congratulated all the winners and finalists on their success.

“The Local Business Awards exist to recognize the vital role business people play in the lives of their communities.

While only one business from each category can be recognized as a winner, the achievements of all finalists are worth being recognised and celebrated.

As official media partner for The Blacktown Local Business Awards, Western Sydney Business Access has published a winners feature in this month’s edition that recognizes all category winners from the presentation evening.

‘Of course, the awards are only possibly with the support of

Top: Executive Building Group principal Nathan Heta is named Business Person of the Year. Left: Emma Mitchell from Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital receives the award.

Western Sydney Business Access.

Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital team they have won the big award.

The team from Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital receive their award from Precedent Productions MD Steve Lee.
Blacktown City Council’s ambitious ‘Transforming Blacktown’ plan to deliver the City a future as a modern metropolitan centre is moving ahead.

“We want to make Blacktown a modern, inspirational City that residents and businesses are proud of, a City that becomes a magnet for economic growth,” Blacktown City Mayor Stephen Ball MP said.

“Developing the Warwick Lane precinct and securing a university campus in Blacktown CBD are transformational projects which outline Council’s practical approach to achieving the community’s aspirations for the City.

The Warwick Lane Masterplan will be a major step forward in revitalising the Blacktown Central Business District.

“The Warwick Lane precinct will be developed as a commercial and residential hub in Blacktown CBD serving to attract further high-quality, sustainable development,” Mayor Ball said.

“The transformation of the Warwick Lane will feature key infrastructure: car parking, commercial office and retail space, and public open space.

Specialised consultants have been appointed for the project and Council is expecting the approval of the planning document by the end of this year so work on the first stage, an underground car park, can start in the middle of next year. More people moved into Blacktown City than any other city in NSW last year.

“It is important for Council to make the changes necessary to ensure the City is prepared for more than 52,000 people expected to be living here by 2036,” Mayor Ball said.

A major multi-faculty university campus in Blacktown’s Central Business District is an important aspect of transforming Blacktown City Centre.

“We have a rapidly growing student population and not well-serviced by existing universities. Today, Blacktown City has 18,000 university students but no university campus.

“Council has engaged with university Vice-Chancellors in NSW and will invite interest in the project from universities across Australia and internationally,” Mayor Ball said.

“A fully-integrated university campus will enable greater access to educational and economic opportunities to Blacktown City residents.

“Blacktown CBD is ideally suited to become a modern fully-integrated university campus.”
More than pizza, you are family

FRATELLI Pizzeria took home the award for Outstanding Restaurant at the Blacktown Local Business Awards.

For owner Karim Javed, it was proof that his dream of running a quality pizzeria restaurant was a success.

Prior to opening Fratelli, he worked nine seasons on the Greek island of Mykonos as a PR Manager and head of promotions.

Between seasons I travelled extensively through Europe. As a result of this, it’s always been my ambition and dream to introduce to Australia a pizzeria/restaurant with the same mindset - fresh food, family orientated and fun.

Originally, I was guided by a long-time friend, raised in three generations of pizza making.

To that I added my experience from travels and a little tweak of my own family recipes.

“Up established Fratelli Pizzeria three years ago. We started as mainly takeaway, with a small amount of seating.

In response to numerous requests, we extended the restaurant to the next-door premises, thus reintroducing a spacious comfortable dining experience as well as a venue big enough to cater for parties and functions up to 80 people.

Riverstone is a small but growing area as part of the Rouse Hill development and surrounding areas.

We appreciate the support of our locals and we endeavour to give them the support back.

Wherever possible, Fratelli Fratelli makes out to employ local residents for training and positions. Most of our meats, chicken and produce are purchased from local businesses.

We are proud sponsors of The Riverstone Under 16’s Razorbacks Rugby Team;

an up and coming professional athlete, Youth Dance School, The MS Wallah and we are always happy to donate to any charities at schools in the area. We also throw an annual Community Christmas party.

In association with other businesses, we have held a successful charity evening for The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

We found this very exciting and very rewarding for them, and moving forward would welcome any inquiries to support like associations.

“As a further request from patrons, we have now extended our business hours to open Monday evening to put an end to the dreaded Mondayitis when nothing is open.”

“Our mission is always to offer our patrons a warm, family-friendly, fresh food experience that’s always welcoming of children.”

“Our large screen and projector offers a variety or comforts from simple scenery to background movies, slideshows via USB for functions, or business meeting presentations.

“Moving forward, we are hoping within the next few months to introduce home delivery.

“Like everything in our business, we don’t introduce it until we’ve got it perfected.

“Our main goal is to bring people together through good food and an environment that you feel at home. To us you are not a customer you’re family.”

Fratelli Pizzeria is at 58 Garfield Rd East, Riverstone. Call 9627 2700 or visit them on Facebook Fratelli Pizzeria-Riverstone.

Congratulations to the 2018 finalists and winners

STEPHEN BALI

BLACKTOWN City is one of the fastest growing urban areas in Australia. All Council are committed to developing and maintaining sound relationships with the business community.

“Love to talk about the contribution of our business community. Businesses provide jobs, services and activity to support our City’s people.

Our $16.5 billion economy creates some 130,000 jobs, many of these are occupied by local residents. Employment and job creation is fundamental to the quality of life of our community.

There are over 21,000 registered businesses in our City.

We are home to 360,000 people. Forecasts are that our population will exceed 500,000 by the year 2046, making up a quarter of the entire population that is Western Sydney.

It cannot be underestimated how heavily our economy relies on small businesses. There is no doubt that small businesses and their owners are the glue that holds our community together.

Council remains committed, through its economic development program, to create an environment that helps support and enable businesses to grow.

There is no doubt that the entrepreneurial spirit represented at the 2018 local business awards is why Blacktown City has a very bright future. On behalf of Blacktown City Council, I wish to congratulate all winners and finalists. You deserve this recognition.

Stephen Bali is Mayor of Blacktown City.

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Awards make it all worthwhile

PUMP Station Fitness Seven Hills owner Sheridan Wardle said she was thrilled and honoured to be named a finalist in the Blacktown Local Business Awards. “Our instant thoughts were also that hard work really does pay off,” she said. It was the first time the Seven Hills gym had entered the awards after opening its doors two years ago. Ms Wardle said the award was a recognition of clients that they appreciated and respected the team and its passion and love of what they did. “It makes all the sacrifices owning and operating a 24/7 gym worthwhile,” she said. The local community are a diverse range of people, all with such an enthusiastic and friendly spirit. “They come together from all different walks of life, forget about their stresses and work hard on themselves for an hour or two. We are so happy that we are able to provide a friendly and approachable environment and the opportunity to help people better themselves through health and fitness. “Thank you for your loyalty, thank you for your support and most of all thank you for believing in us. “Everyone is welcome to come down to PUMP Station Fitness and see what a great family, fun, fitness community we have created.” PUMP Station Fitness is at 115 Best Road, Seven Hills. Call 0404-421-155. Visit https://www.facebook.com/pumpstationfitness/

Junaya Family Development Services

Junaya Family Development Services (Junaya) is a community based, not-for profit organisation for families with children 0-18 years old. Based in Blacktown, Junaya also provides a specialist project to support families with children and/or young people experiencing learning difficulties and or challenging behaviours within Western Sydney.

Junaya offers a range of evidence based programs and services inclusive of;

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Visit www.thecuttingroom.net.au.

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They stick to the motto “If you can’t eat it, don’t sell it”.

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“We would love to express our appreciation to everyone for your ongoing support and welcome those who are yet to give us a try,” Mr Genc said.

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Bing Lee Prospect is at shop 29 Homemaker Centre, 19 Stoddart Rd, Prospect. Call 9781 3130 or visit www.binglee.com.au/stores/prospect.

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Rockmans
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Forecast
Hard work pays off for Zeko

The team at Zeke Mediterranean Cuisine were excited to be named a finalist in the Blacktown Local Business Awards. “This is very exciting for us as it allows us to know that all the hard work and effort we put into our daily practice is being appreciated and recognised by our customers and our local community,” owner Dejan Zeckaran said.

“This is our second time as finalists and we hope that it continues over the years. "We always aim to do our best and to ensure we are catering for all our customers and looking at continuous improvement.”

Mr Zeckaran said the awards were an advocate for the restaurant and all the hard work that his family, staff and himself had put into it every day. “It also allows us to see where we stand in our community, and gives us a chance to communicate and network with other business owners.”

Mr Zeckaran encouraged other business people to enter the awards next year. “Definitely give it a go,” he said. “Whether you win or lose or become a finalist, it is important to always give it your best and continue to strive for the best.”

Mr Zeckaran said Blacktown was a great place to be in business. “It is the community I grew up, and went to school in, therefore it is my way of giving back to the community. "I would like to thank everyone for the who had nominated us to become finalists, it is a very nice and over whelming feeling knowing that the community you work for support you. "We appreciate all the votes and will continue to do our best. "We feel very appreciate that there are things like the local business awards as it is such a great way to network with business and advocate our own business.”

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The Seventh Corner Cafe - Seven Hills Plaza
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Little Explorers Early Learning Centre - Blacktown
Electrical Appliance Store
The Good Guys - Homemaker Prospect
Fast Food/Takeaway
Atlantic Fish & Chips - Westpoint Blacktown
Family Services
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Florist/Plant Retail Store
Stylish Blooms - The Ponds
Shopping Centre
Fresh Food
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Body Langley Hair
Health Improvement Services
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Home Furniture & Furnishings
Nick Scali Clearance Outlet - Homemaker Prospect
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Pharmacy
Terry White Chemist - Stanhope Village
Professional Services
Gerard Malouf and Partners - Blacktown
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LI Hooker - Blacktown
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Business Person of the Year
Nathan Heta, Executive Building Group
Youth Award
Angus Tyson, Riverstone Family Dental
Business of the Year
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- Diesel Conversions Australia
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**Bakery/Cake Shop**
- Baker’s Perfection
- Bakers Delight - Stanhope Village
- Woodcroft Bakery - Woodcroft Shopping Village
- Denut King - Stanhope Village
- Angel’s Bakery
- Totti’s Cake Studio
- Cake Evolution

**Beauty Services**
- The Body Shop - Westpoint Blacktown
- Fresh Nails - Stanhope Village
- Aveda - The Art of Beauty
- Wax House by Simene
- Laser Clinic Australia - Westpoint Blacktown
- Tiffany Nail Spa
- Isabella Nails - Seven Hills Plaza
- ivrows Experts - Stanhope Village
- Intense Beauty and Makeup

**Bedding Store**
- Sleepy - Homemaker Prospect
- The Sleeping Giant - Homemaker Prospect
- Sweet Dreams - Homemaker Prospect
- Original Mattress Factory - Homemaker Prospect
- Snooze - Homemaker Prospect
- Atlantic Waterbeds

**Butcher**
- Woodcroft Quality Meats - Woodcroft Shopping Village

**Cafe**
- Marden Meats - Kings Langley Shopping Centre
- Laker Park Deli
- Riverstone Meat Company
- Ali Medina Halal Meats

**Fitness Services**
- Vigeor Ladies PT Gym
- Blacktown Aquatic Centre
- Blacktown Leisure Centre - Stanhope
- The Good Life Health and Fitness
- Anytime Fitness - Quakers Hill
- Anytime Fitness - Blacktown
- Riverstone Swimming Centre
- F45 Training - Seven Hills
- Pump-Station Fitness

**Florist/Plant Retail Store**
- Blacktown Florist
- Seven Hills Angel Florist - Seven Hills Plaza
- Woodcroft Florist & Art - Woodcroft Shopping Village
- Flower Seasons - Westpoint Blacktown
- Stylish Blooms - The Ponds Shopping Centre
- Echo Flowers
- Shilpa Florist - Westpoint Blacktown

**Fresh Food**
- The Butchers Fish Market - Seven Hills Plaza

**Hairdresser**
- The Cutting Room - Riverstone Village
- Wildcat Custom Hair Design - Seven Hills Plaza
- Bella Beautiful Hair Salon
- Hair By Marty
- Taylan Hair Design
- Undercover Hair
- Fantasy Hair By Amanda
- Workers Haircare
- Hair Industry - Westpoint Blacktown
- Express The Barbershop
- Ayres Hair and Beauty
- Zehra Hair and Co

**Health Improvement Services**
- Earthbreaks Blacktown GP Super Clinic
- St Martin’s Village Medical Centre - St Martins Village
- Speckavers - Seven Hills Plaza
- Pinecone Dental - Stanhope Village
- Blacktown Family Medical Centre
- Main St Family Medical Centre
- Western Sleep Clinic - Maryvale Plaza Arcade
- Integrated Chiropractic and Wellness
- Woodcroft Family Medical - Woodcroft Shopping Village
- PhysioCare Blacktown
- Genevieve Mlekotzewski Naturopathy
- Prospect Dental Clinic - Prospect Shopping Village
- Speckavers Blacktown

**Home Furnishings**
- Fantastic Furniture - Homemaker Prospect
- Homeland Furniture - Homemaker Prospect
- Plush Leather - Homemaker Prospect
- Nick Scali Clearance Outlet - Homemaker Prospect

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**ALL Finalists 2018**

- Harvey Newman - Blacktown Mega Centre
- Ding Lee - Homemaker Prospect
- The Good Guys - Homemaker Prospect
- J&V Computers Blacktown - Blacktown Mega Centre

**Fast Food/Takeaway**
- Chicken King - Woodcroft Shopping Village
- Atlantic Fish and Chips - Westpoint Blacktown
- Subway - Seven Hills Plaza
- Subway - Westpoint Blacktown
- Sahara Street Food
- Craft Gourmet Pizza Bar - Blacktown
- Paradise Charcoal Chicken Marsden Park
- Joy’s Takeaway
- Pizza Hut - Woodcroft Centre
- Tenero’s Sizzapers & Catering
- Express Kababs
- Nick’s Takeaway

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* Pandora - Westpoint Blacktown
* Ana & Coates - Westpoint Blacktown
* Proud Jewellers - Seven Hills Plaza
* Verve Jewellers - Stanhope Village
* Bevilles - Westpoint Blacktown
* Gregory Jewellers - Westpoint Blacktown

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* B E. Campbell
* Blacktown Woman's & Girls Health Centre
* Dallas Kitchen
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* Rent Back Glass
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* Interiors Cheer and Dance
* Le Beauty Affairs - Beauty & Makeup Studio
* Jump! Swin School Seven Hills
* Riverstone Family Dental
* Velloeta Funeral Services
* Leads Of Fun
* My Peak Performance
* Danielle's Fun faces

* Vic's Chicken - Westpoint Blacktown
* H & H Limousines
* As Clean As A Whistle
* Craig Driving School
* Jill Kidz Constructions

Performing Arts
* Natasha's Arts Theatre
* Dance Junction
* Studio Dance NSW
* Innovative Dance Co - Shelley Primary School
* Step Up and Dance
* Saba Dame Dance Studios
* Powerhouse Dance Group
* Cindy's Dance Studio - Blacktown
* Full Force Dance and Cheer

Pet Care
* Family Pet Mindin
* Shear Elegance Pet Styling
* Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital
* Blacktown Area Pet Sitting

Pharmacy
* Terry White Chemist - Stanhope Village
* Priceline Pharmacy - Seven Hills Plaza
* Pharmacy Nutrition Warehouse - Quakers Court Shopping Centre
* Chester & Jake's Pharmacy - Westpoint Blacktown
* Kings Langley Discount Store
* Cincotta Discount Chemist Blacktown
* Bowers Pharmacy - Woodcroft Shopping Village
* Priceline Pharmacy - The Ponds Shopping Centre
* Xtreme Chemist - Blacktown Mega Centre

Professional Services
* Mortgage Choice - Kings Langley
* Gerard Malouf and Partners - Blacktown
* Wealth Wealth Management - Blacktown
* Kids Assist Australia - Amwell Park Shopping Centre
* Little Feather Photography
* Broadcast SFO

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* Titles Strata Management - Western Sydney

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* Harriett Property Agents - Blacktown
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* Ray White - St Martins Village
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"As a Custom Builder who cares about our client, we place a significant amount of time understanding the scope of works, and what our client is looking to achieve, offering a more personalised building experience" – Nathan Heta

Our office will be relocating on Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th June. Our landline phone will not be answered during this time. Please leave a voice message or send through an email if the matter is urgent.

Thanking you kindly for your patience and understanding.
Centre helps women and girls stay healthy

Blacktown Women’s and Girls’ Health Centre is a community based, non-profit women’s health centre, which provides accessible health and wellbeing services for women and girls in Blacktown Local Government Area regardless of their income. It was also the winner of the Most Inclusive Employer category in the Blacktown Local Business Awards.

The centre offers an holistic approach to understanding, managing and supporting women, girls and the broader community in the Blacktown Local Government Area to make informed decisions about their own health and wellbeing. This approach is based on feminist philosophy, with an emphasis on respect and empowerment for all women and girls.

The centre recognises that women’s health encompasses the physical, spiritual, environmental, emotional and social wellbeing of women and girls.

Blacktown Women’s and Girls’ Health Centre is at 6 Prince street, Blacktown. Call 9831 2070 or visit womensandgirls.org.au/contact-us/.

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Xtreme Car Audio taking you to the next level

EXCITED is how Xtreme Car Audio Blacktown director Jay Arici describes being named as a finalist in this year’s Local Business awards.

“We were all very excited hearing that Xtreme Car Audio had been announced as a finalist,” he said.

“There certainly were some high-fives and cheers among the team in the workshop. We have entered the awards for the past 6 years, and been a finalist every year.”

Xtreme Car Audio was the winner of the Automotive Services award in 2013 and Mr Arici was named Business Person of the Year in 2015.

“The team at Xtreme Car Audio strive to deliver quality products, service and workmanship and having it recognised locally and nationally makes it so much more worth it,” he said.

“It is easier to deliver negative comments, reviews or feedback, so when your hard work is positively acknowledged, it is the most amazingly rewarding feeling.”

“And, we love going out as a team for a work function and having a good night as either just a finalist or (fingers crossed) a winner.”

Mr Arici encouraged other businesses to enter the awards next year.

“If you have thought about entering the local awards, don’t think, just do it,” he said.

“It gives you a goal, an experience, recognition and ambition. You may win every year, you may not win for 10. The people you meet on the awards nights, the things you learn and the support you get is second to none.”

Mr Arici said he had been in business in Blacktown for more than a decade and had seen it grow.

“Blacktown is a friendly city away from the city. It is the business hub of western Sydney and our customers are so loyal. Blacktown is a great place for Xtreme Car Audio to be.”

“To all of our clients, customers, suppliers, fellow local businesses, friends and family – you have always backed Xtreme Car Audio, and the team here.”

“Your support is so greatly appreciated. Being a finalist and winning the award isn’t just for us, it’s to thank you as well. Xtreme Car Audio would not be what it is today without you all.”

Xtreme Car Audio is at 153 Main Street, Blacktown. Call 8814 9264 or visit www.xtreme-caraudio.com.au

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Dealer that’s close to Blacktown’s heart

The team at Heartland Holden is no stranger to success at the Blacktown Local Business Awards. The Outstanding New and Used Motor Vehicles finalist has not only won its category in 2015 and 2016 but took home the Business of the Year trophy in 2016.

Heartland Holden marketing manager Dianne Bowden Marketing manager said the local business awards have always been very close to her heart.

“Recognition by the local families is the best endorsement to me and my team,” she said. “I commenced with Heartland Blacktown in February 2015 and we won our first award in 2015.

“It meant a lot to us, as I consider Local Business Award as the best recognition by the local families for all the hard work we put in every day.”

Ms Bowden said excellent community spirit, a multinational population and an inclusive attitude were what made Blacktown a great place to be in business. Her message for anyone considering entering the awards next year was: “Do the right thing by the local community and you will reap the rewards in the long run.”

She thanked the people of Blacktown for their support. “At Heartland Blacktown we have been serving the local community for 52 years. Heartland Blacktown is run and managed by third generation and still family-owned and operated.”

“Without the local community’s support, we couldn’t have survived for 52 years and I join my hands and thank each and every family for their support.”

Heartland Holden is at 120 Sunnyholt Road, Blacktown. Call 8822 8333 or visit www.heartlandholdenblacktown.com.au.

Family environment helps these students succeed

Helen Perris Music Studio is based in Lalor Park. The studio’s aim is to provide a relaxed, fun environment, where every student is set up to succeed. Students are immersed in both the technical and artistic sides of their chosen instrument, with a strong focus on performance techniques.

Many students also explore composition, song writing and improvisation. Lessons are tailored to students’ individual needs and the studio fosters a strong sense of community, encouraging students to perform with and for each other whenever possible.

Call 8840 4058 or visit www.helenperris.com.
Was a complete surprise for Helloworld Seven Hills

Cindy Lee and the team at Helloworld Seven Hills were excited to learn that they were finalists in the Blacktown Local Business Awards.

“It was a complete surprise to us all when we were advised we were finalists,” she said.

“Our team were thrilled to be recognised for doing something we love. This has been a wonderful experience for us.

“We truly appreciate our client’s decision to choose us to assist with their travel plans and are grateful for the trust they have placed in Helloworld Travel Seven Hills over the past 13 years. We feel privileged to have the opportunity to plan your holidays and we greatly value your business.

“We look forward to continuing our relationship with you in the future. We would also like to thank the management and team at Seven Hills Plaza.

“We appreciate being a part of such supportive shopping centre, who have worked with us to grow our business.”


Setting the trend at Schofields

FUISING authentic Maltese cuisine with Med Or fare, Limestone Café on Railway Terrace is setting the trend in Schofields. Its aim is to offer a place where everyone can enjoy homemade, authentic food and great coffee in a friendly and casual environment.

The menu is eclectic, inspired by the team’s Maltese heritage, modern Australian cuisine and classic French pastries, having a blend of authentic Maltese dishes, pastizzi, and breads, fresh and vibrant Aussie dishes and mouth-watering French pastries.

Quality isn’t a question when there is an in-house bakery.

Limestone Café serves all day brekkie dishes such as Big Boy Brekkie with Maltese sausage, bacon, haloumi, mushrooms, roasted tomato, hash brown and eggs served with toasted Maltese sourdough and a side of homemade cowboy beans.

Lunchgoers can drive into Nanna’s Ravioli tossed in olive oil, garlic, parsley, sarmon and topped with tomato and basil sauce. Tapas temptations include Arancini la Maltesa flavoured with sundried tomatoes and filled with a glicuna, crumbled and fried served with a side of Mediterranean pizza with basil, pesto, mozzarella, feta, cherry tomatoes, capiscums, onions, olives and capers.

Limestone Café’s main attraction dish is the Fried Rabbit cooked in the in-house made spice blend.

Limestone Café offers outside catering and is fully licenced.

It is at 119 Railway Terrace, Schofields. Call 0433 888 967 or visit them on Facebook page at Limestone Café.

Verve Jewellers – quality and style

VERVE Jewellers is a respected jeweller shop in Stanhope Gardens.

It offers an outstanding range of unique jewellery along with some of the finest brands such as Thomas Sabo, Swarovski, Georgini and range of watches and gifware.

Verve Jewellers’ range mainly includes large selection of affordable uniquely designed fashion jewellery. They also has a magnificent range of outstanding diamond jewellery and rings for those precious occasions in our lives, such as engagements and anniversaries, when intrinsic quality should not be compromised.

Verve jewellers is also a member of GIA and JAA, a leading-edge Group. Verve Jewellers is at shop 4, Stanhope Village Shopping Centre, Stanhope Gardens. Call 8678 2221 or visit www.vervejewellers.com.au.

The team at Helloworld Seven Hills.

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Main St Family Medical Centre thanks their clients

The team at Main Street Family Medical Centre was delighted to be named a finalist in the Blacktown Local Business Awards for the third year in a row.

"The practice always treat the awards as a special and outstanding achievement in the local community," practice manager, Desy Bozdaliovai, said.

"The achievement means recognition by the local community as well as promoting local business. It is an opportunity to promote the business as well as bringing together local businesses to celebrate excellence and quality and an opportunity for clients/customer to nominate their favourite local business.

"The Blacktown community has grown exponentially in the past 10 years and its demographic being multicultural allows local business to provide a wide range of multicultural services and deliver quality customer services/ products.

"On behalf of the practice’s team, we would like to thank all of our loyal clients in supporting our practice to continue to provide quality healthcare services to local communities.

Main Street Family Medical Centre is at 67 Main Street, Blacktown. Call 8822 7300 or visit www.mainstreetfamilymedical.com.au.

New Vision shines as an awards newcomer

MAZED is how New Vision Financial Services managing director Chris Brown describes being a finalist in the Blacktown Local Business Awards.

"I am absolutely amazed to be nominated and it is a testament to my clients and all the hard work we have put in since starting the business," he said.

It was the first time he had entered the awards. As a new business, we were looking for ways to be recognised for the hard work we do and the support we provide to our clients.

"It is recognition that we are doing what we set out to achieve is right. We aim to go ever and above for our clients and to be the best finance broker in Australia."

Mr Brown encouraged other businesses to enter the awards. Next year. These awards recognise the businesses in the local area who go above and beyond.

"It is great motivation to continue to improve and succeed. Mr Brown thanks his clients for their support.

"Without our customers, we would not have the business we do today, and I want to thank each one of their continued support. Thank you to the Local Business Awards for such a great opportunity for local business's to shine."


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- Blacktown Women's and Girls’ Health Centre (BWGHC) is a feminist women’s health service which offers a holistic service provision for the health care of women and girls living in the Blacktown Local Government Area and beyond.
- Women and girls find the Centre to be a safe space for them to find support and healing for emotional and physical issues.
- Counselling and casework are offered every day, at low or cost,
- Through established community partnerships, we provide a free early childhood clinic, free women’s health clinics, free legal support and support for women who are or have experienced domestic violence.
- In addition, we offer an active group program facilitated by health care professionals and health educators, and including regular health talks, exercise and yoga groups, and support groups for resilience building and domestic violence.
- BWGHC auspices the North West Sydney Women’s Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Service, which enables the Centre to provide additional support for women dealing with domestic violence through the legal system.
- The Centre also offers the services of a remedial massage therapist and a naturopath and nutritionist at very low cost.
- BWGHC also actively participates in community efforts to raise awareness about women’s health needs and domestic violence and advocates for the health care rights and needs of women overall and especially women and girls in our community.
Complete shopping experience at Seven Hills

Seven Hills Plaza is a long-term supporter of the Blacktown Local Business Awards. Marketing manager Karla Bucoy said the awards were special because they recognize and celebrate outstanding local businesses and their personnel who go above and beyond to provide exceptional customer service.

“Being nominated by customers and judged on presentation and performance ensures only the most outstanding businesses are acknowledged, making the awards a pinnacle of success for local businesses,” she said.

She encouraged other businesses to enter next year’s Blacktown Local Business awards.

“The awards are a wonderful way to acknowledge your team’s efforts in making your business a success and is a symbol to current and potential customers that your business provides exceptional customer service.”

Seven Hills Plaza congratulates all finalists and winners; their involvement in the awards is a testament to their hard work and dedication.”

Mr Bucoy said Blacktown was a great city to do business.

“Blacktown City is a vibrant, modern metropolitan centre that is home to a diverse community of businesses and customers,” she said.

“The city provides a wealth of opportunities for businesses to grow and succeed.

“Seven Hills Plaza thanks the wonderful community of locals who live, work, and shop in the Hills District. Your support ensures that local businesses are thriving in the area.

“For decades, Seven Hills Plaza has been the local shopping destination for variety and convenience.

“As the district has grown, Seven Hills Plaza has grown to ensure it caters to the growing needs of the community.

“Today, Seven Hills Plaza provides a complete shopping experience and continues to transform its offering to better serve the community.”

Seven Hills Plaza is at 224 Prospect Highway, Seven Hills. Call 9621 3144 or visit www.sevenhillsplaza.com.au

Early birthday gift

Terry White Chemmart Stanhope Gardens is celebrating its 15th birthday early with a finalist spot in the Blacktown Local Business Awards.

Co-owner Maria Keefe says the entire team was very excited when the Stanhope Village chemist was named as a finalist in this year’s Blacktown Local Business Awards.

“It’s our 15th birthday later this year, so it’s a lovely time to be acknowledged,” she said.

Ms Keefe says Blacktown was a great place to be in business.

“The clients are lovely and it’s nice to have been nominated by them for the awards. We’d like to thank the customers and the staff for their support.”

Terry White Chemmart Stanhope is at shop 9 Stanhope Village, Stanhope Gardens.


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An outstanding new business

H & H Limousines is a local business that started with a passion for cars. It is now the winner of the Outstanding New Business category in the Blacktown Local Business awards.

Co-owner of the Schofields-based business Damien Hannaford said: “We thought ‘Why not start a business with our cars.’

“One thing led to another and five Holden VF Supercars and two stretch limousines later H & H Limousines has grown into a trusted transport provider with the local community catering for many requirements including weddings, formals, party events, concerts and cruise terminals.”

Call owner Damien on 0416 101 587 and Greg on 0418 248 530 or email h.hlimousines@gmail.com. Visit them on Facebook H & H Limousines.

Helen Perris provides a rich musical education experience tailored for the individual needs of each student. She is proud to have been part of the Blacktown community since 2010, offering a safe space for students to take creative risks.

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Ready Steady Go Kids gets youngsters moving

Ready Steady Go Kids started in 2004 in a quest to help all children benefit from sport and physical activity.

Today, it’s classes are run at approximately 200 locations across Australia and many more internationally.

The Ready Steady Go Kids multi-sport program was designed by a paediatric physiotherapist and occupational therapist. It aims to enhance children’s gross and fine motor skills, encourage their continued participation in sports and prepare them for the early school years.

The program is designed to build confidence and self-esteem, providing a platform of knowledge and boosting school readiness skills.

It incorporates basic counting and colour concepts, encourages team work and sportsmanship, builds social skills and develops listening skills and concentration in a fun, non-competitive environment.

The team teaches 10 different sports rotating every two weeks during the school term, which helps children develop a broad range of skills and the variety ensures continued interest in the program.

The Ready Steady Go Kids program caters for children between the ages of 18 months to 6 years.

Its 30 to 45-minute classes are held indoors seven mornings a week at Blacktown Leisure Centre Stanhope Gardens, Parklea Public School in Glenwood and Hills Sports Fitness and Aquatic Centre at Seven Hills.

A free trial is available by booking online www.readysteadygokids.com.au or by call 1300 766 892.

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Hard work and dedication paid off for the team at Gerard Malouf & Partners when they won the Outstanding Professional Services category at the Blacktown Local Business Awards.

"It is very rewarding when the community recognises the hard work and dedication that our team puts in," senior partner compensation solicitor George Cham said.

Winning at the awards is not a new experience for the team.

Gerard Malouf and partners have been a finalist numerous times since 2008 and has taken home the trophy five times including this year.

Ms Cham said the best thing about the Local Business Awards was that local businesses were acknowledged for their hard work and dedication to the Blacktown community.

CWP has been in business in Blacktown now for approximately 19 years. The Blacktown community has always been supportive to our firm.

"We are happy to be a part of a community that is so multicultural and growing. We look forward to growing with the Blacktown community into the future.

"To our staff, we really appreciate all your hard work and dedication that goes in to representing each and every client.

"To our most valued clients, without each and every one of you, our business would not be as successful as it is today.

"We truly appreciate your trust in our firm to assist you and guide you through some of the most difficult times you will face in your life."

Ms Cham encouraged other businesses to consider entering the Blacktown Local Business awards next year.

"Believe in yourself and your business and be proud of what you can offer the community," she said.

Visit: www.gerardmaloufpartners.com.au

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Xtreme Car Audio Blacktown is the leading independent car audio and vehicle accessory store in Sydney. Established in 2009, Xtreme Car Audio has been recognised at the local and national awards as a finalist and winner in the Automotive Service Category. In 2015, the Director was the Business Person of the Year winner.

Xtreme Car Audio specialises in in-car entertainment, vehicle security, off-road lighting, navigation and Bluetooth systems and car audio. Selling quality products and offering Xtreme warranty on all installations completed at the large workshop at 133 Main Street Blacktown. Xtreme Car Audio has a heavy social media presence, being found on YouTube, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter and is always involved in local events and popular car shows as a sponsor, exhibitor and spectator.

Xtreme Car Audio is open 7 days a week with installations available every day.

The team at Xtreme Car Audio is made up by Enis, Omer, Becky and Jay who are a passionate, professional and experienced group and a very close-knit family.

For all your car audio and accessory needs, call the team at Xtreme Car Audio on 02 8816 9244 or email them at xtreme@xtremecaraudio.com.au.

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Pharmacy a favourite with the community

"IT felt amazing." That was the reaction of Choice Pharmacy North Kellyville owner Mohsen Ibrahim after winning the Outstanding Pharmacy category of the Sydney Hills Business Awards. "It's a testament to all the staff and the customer service that they provide," he said. "It's good to be acknowledged for all your hard work and service in our local community. It was a huge honour to receive the award." Mr Ibrahim previously owned the Choice Pharmacy in Dural, where he and his team won the Local Business Award trophy several years in a row.

"We've been in the new site for seven or eight months," he said. "The people in the community have been very supportive. They always shop locally and support local business. There's a great sense of community here. I'd like to say a massive massive thank you to the community for its support. We'll always do our best to make sure they're looked after."

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We offer outside catering. We are also fully licenced. For more enquiries, please call on 0433 488 967 or visit our Facebook page at Limestone Café. We are located at 119, Railway Terrace, Schofields.

We believe in sourcing the freshest seasonal produce locally wherever possible to showcase the best New South Wales can offer.
Double delight for this winner

Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital wins Business of The Year and Outstanding Pet care

The team at Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital is celebrating a double win at the Blacktown Local Business Awards. They took out the Outstanding Pet Care trophy before heading back on stage later in the evening to claim the coveted Business of the Year award.

Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital is a purpose-built facility that offers premium personalised care for your pets. It is staffed by six experienced vets, supported by a team of passionate and qualified nurses to ensure your pet will receive nothing but the best treatment.

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There is also ample on-site parking available.

Quakers Hill Veterinary Hospital is at 138 Burdekin Road, Quakers Hill. Call 9626 9561 or visit www.quakershillvets.hospital.com.au.

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SBA asked Tapered The Barbershop how they felt about being involved in the Blacktown Business Awards. How did you feel when you were announced as a finalist in the Local Business Awards?

Completely caught us by surprise the team and I felt extremely humbled and overwhelmed with unexpected excitement heading towards the awards night.

Is it the first time you have entered the awards? Yes it was.

What is so special about these awards to you?

For myself and the team it meant the world as for our business is so new so to be apart of the night alongside other established, successful business was a complete honour.

Do you have a message for anybody considering entering the awards next year?

To never underestimate your self-worth nor your business also to attend, have fun and to be a part of something great which you also be along others that have started in the same way of business as you have. Everybody goes home winning.

How long have you been in business?

Tapered The Barbershop has been in business for 18 months.

What’s so great about being in business in the Hills?

A very busy, competitive area which comes with growth isn’t alone opportunity.

Do you have a massage for your clients/ customers for their support?

We all at Tapered The Barbershop wouldn’t be where we are today without all the support of our loyal clients and our wonderful family day to day they give us motivation to strive to be better not just as barbers but as people. We strive every day to be better than yesterday we strive to be that little bit different pay attention to the finer details and deliver the goods to our clients without their support we cannot do so. So, we thank you all so very much.

Is there anything else you’d like to add?

At Tapered The Barbershop it’s not just a 9 to 5 job it’s our life style one we take seriously and dedicate every minute of our day to deliver the best to you. No matter the goal big or small no matter the day good or bad no matter how high or low or steep a hill may be never give up on your goal your dream always strive to be a better version of your perfect self be confident and be always ready to learn nothing comes easy that’s for sure but why not make the journey fun filled with the ones closest to you? They say love what you do and you will never work a day in your life.

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We are very pleased to have won the people's choice award and this vindicates the stand we took. We have always believed that business done fairly will bring in the results. We would like to thank our loyal, satisfied customers who voted for us. We accept this humbly, promising our customer to keep doing what we do best – bring you great products at an affordable price.
Ozinn a winner in first awards

OZINN took home the trophy for Outstanding Home Improvement & Hardware business in its first time as a finalist in the Blacktown Local Business Awards. Mr Sheilds said “It was a huge honour for us, and we feel like we have made the most of the opportunity.”

His message for other businesses thinking about entering next year’s awards was “Focus on your customers. Success will come on its own.”

Ozinn is committed to building long term relationships based on integrity, performance, quality, value and client satisfaction. “We wish to build a diversified business that provides exceptional service and superior value to our stake holders, observing highest ethical and professional standards in all business dealings. “We will continue to meet the changing needs of our clients with our qualitative services and range of quality product. We believe our customers are pivotal to our business, our growth and our brand.”

Call Ozinn on 0430 057 273 or visit www.ozinn.com.au

Staff the key to success

THE team at Blacktown Family Medical Centre was surprised and pleased to be among the finalists at this year’s Blacktown Local Business Awards according to practice manager, Vivian Nguyen. “We were actually surprised to be a finalist this year as we were late in finding out the dates for voting this year,” she said. “With great patient support we were able to make the finalist list this year.”

“We have entered the Blacktown Local Business Awards nearly every year since 2012, and we were winners in 2012, 2015 and last year 2017.”

Mr Nguyen said the awards were special because they give recognition to the staff who have been contributing to the business in providing outstanding service to the community,” she said.

Ms Nguyen encouraged other businesses to enter the awards in future. “The awards bring recognition to the staff and business,” she said.

“It’s a great time once a year for staff to get together and attend the awards night to celebrate a year of hard work. You also get to find out about other successful business in different categories.”

Blacktown Family Medical Centre is at 117-119 Main Street, Blacktown. Call 9671 8500 or visit www.blacktownfamilymedicalcentre.com.au.

Working hard for the community

EXCITED is how Harrads Property director Lorraine Young describes the feeling in the team’s Blacktown office when they discovered they were among the finalists for this year Blacktown Local Business awards. “We were excited that our hard work in Blacktown has paid off and for the recognition by the community,” she said.

Harrads Property has been a finalist in the awards in previous years and Ms Young said it provided the team with recognition for their hard work.

“It [also] gives us an opportunity to reach for people in the community that we can help on their real estate journey,” she said.

Junaya supports Blacktown’s families

JUNAYA Family Development Services was a finalist in the Blacktown Local Business Awards Most Inclusive Employer category.

It is a community-based organisation offering Early Intervention Services and support for families with children aged up to 18. The service also runs a specialised project to support families, parents or carers with children who are experiencing learning difficulties and/or challenging behaviours. It also runs Family Groups for the broader Western Sydney area.

Junaya’s courses provide empowering, effective and potentially transforming strategies, training and resources to enable families to make positive and lasting change in their lives.

Groups for parents and carers include: 1-2-3 Magic and Emotion Coaching; a Caring For Kids with ADHD workshop; Resourceful Independent Skilling Empowerment program; Engaging Adolescents program; the Positive Parenting Program; and Youth Mental Health First Aid.

Groups for kids and adolescents include: Stop, Think, Do; Leave Bites; and Re-navigating Anger and Guilty Emotions.

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