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Display Home Makes a Great First Impression

Huxley Homes Pty Ltd celebrated their success at the 2011 HIA CSR NSW Housing Awards on Saturday night.

The Baulkham Hills company won the Display Home Over \$350,000 category (partnered by Austral Bricks) for their The Avalon project at Oran Park.

According to the judges, "this project makes a great first impression. The interactive design and cross flow ventilation would make this stylish home easy and comfortable to live in. The open planned layout is suited for both the entertainer and family. Outstanding construction quality and attention to detail has produced an outstanding result."

Congratulating Huxley Homes Pty Ltd on such an outstanding achievement, HIA's NSW Executive Director, David Bare, said the awards were a tremendous display of the housing industry's capacity, innovation and resilience in tough times.

"It is encouraging to see that in challenging market conditions HIA's builders and designers have maintained their commitment to excellence. The high standard of entries shows that support for these awards has yet again been remarkable. Each year the bar is raised higher making the judging process all the more difficult."

"Major winners tonight can look forward to progressing to HIA's national awards next year and we wish them every success."

The awards were held in front of a sell-out black-tie audience at the Sydney Convention Centre. Special guests included Minister for Planning and Infrastructure Hon Brad Hazzard; Hon Matthew Mason-Cox (representing the Premier); Brian Doherty, General Manager NSW, CSR Bricks and Roofing and HIA's NSW President, Martin Walsh.

This year's theme was A Night in Paris. Guests were entertained by the dazzling Nikki Bennett Moulin Rouge Show. MC for the evening was Karl Stefanovic, Australian Gold Logie Award winner and co-host of Channel Nine's breakfast show, Today.

The Association's showcase awards night recognise excellence in housing innovation, material selection, design, construction and services to the NSW residential building industry.

Housing Industry Association (HIA) is the leading industry association in the Australian residential building sector, supporting the businesses and interests of builders, contractors, manufacturers, suppliers, building professionals and business partners.

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