



INDUSTRY INFO

APPRENTICE AWARDS NIGHT 2006

The Apprenticeship Factory – Awards Night 2006

The Apprenticeship Factory's Annual Awards Night was held at the Shepparton RSL on the 6th October 2006. Just under 200 guests attended the evening to help celebrate the achievements of all the apprentices and trainees who had been nominated for awards and recognised for their hard work and outstanding efforts in their chosen fields over the past year.

The night was a great success and would not have been possible without the generosity of many local businesses who assisted with sponsorship money and prizes.

As well as acknowledging the fantastic success reached by so many nominees there was also the opportunity to win a door prize or two and listen to David Zalcborg, Australian Table Tennis Champion, humorously recount some of his life experiences.

The Apprenticeship Factory would like to congratulate all nominees, runners up, winners and host employers on their accomplishments and thank everyone for attending and being part of what has become an annual tradition.

BARRY FRANKLIN APPRENTICE OF THE YEAR



Andrew Kvackaj, Field Officer—The Apprenticeship Factory, Anthony Lea, Superintendent—EDI Rail, Michael Last, Apprentice Diesel Fitter—EDI Rail and Doug Hedges, Operations Manager—EDI Rail.



Michael Last, Diesel Fitter—EDI Rail. Winner Barry Franklin Apprentice of the Year & Best Apprentice in Third Year of Trade.

TRAINEE OF THE YEAR



Ann Le Lievre, Manager Library & Customer Service—Murrindindi Shire Council, Rachael Creighton, Business Trainee—Murrindindi Shire Council, Gerard Hard, Field Officer—The Apprenticeship Factory



Rachael Creighton, Business Trainee—Murrindindi Shire Council. Winner Best Trainee at Certificate II Level and Trainee of the Year.

SCHOOL BASED NEW APPRENTICE

SNBA Winner
Hairdressing Trainee,
Katrina Harris
Pure Bliss By The Creek



SBNA Runner Up
Engineering Trainee,
Shane Pfeiffer—
ADI Limited Mulwala



BEST TRAINEE AT CERTIFICATE II LEVEL

Best Trainee Cert II
Winner
Business Trainee,
Rachael Creighton,
Murrindindi Shire Council



Best Trainee Cert II
Runner Up
Rural Operations Trainee,
Sonny Neivandt,
RV SM SG & KA McAcey



BEST TRAINEE AT CERTIFICATE III OR IV LEVEL

Best Trainee Cert III or IV
Winner
Planning Trainee
Leo Stevenson
Mitchell Shire



Best Trainee Cert III or IV
Runner Up
Agriculture (Dairy) Trainee,
Katay Blackburn
Pleasant Park Jersey Stud

BEST APPRENTICE IN FIRST YEAR OF TRADE

Best First Year Apprentice
Winner
Horticulture Apprentice
Tiffany Vincent
Murrindindi Construction



Best First Year Apprentice
Runner Up
Apprentice Carpenter
Chris Mulready
SJ & ME Hall and Alistair Wood

BEST APPRENTICE IN SECOND YEAR OF TRADE

Best Second Year Apprentice
Winner
Engineering Apprentice
Matthew Whitling
Red Shed Engineering



Best Second Year Apprentice
Runner Up
Horticulture Apprentice
Tyrone Downie
Moria Shire

BEST APPRENTICE IN THIRD YEAR OF TRADE

Best Third Year Apprentice
Winner
Diesel Fitting Apprentice
Mick Last
EDI Rail



Best Third Year Apprentice
Runner Up
Automotive Mechanic Apprentice
Corey Hearn
TenixToll Logistics



BEST APPRENTICE IN FOURTH YEAR OF TRADE

Best Fourth Year Apprentice
Winner
Apprentice Electrician
Nathan Worm
Tatura Milk



Best Fourth Year Apprentice
Runner Up
Automotive Mechanic Apprentice
Andrew Dundon
TenixToll Logistics



FIELD OFFICERS OF APPRENTICE & TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

FIELD OFFICER
Of The Barry Franklin
Apprentice of the year
Andrew Kvackaj
(Melbourne & Shepparton)



FIELD OFFICER
Of The Trainee of the year
Gerard Hard
(Seymour)



Congratulations to all Nominees, Runners Up, Winners,
Host Employers and Field Officers and a BIG thank you to
all The Apprenticeship Factory staff involved with
organising the Awards Night.