

PRESS RELEASE

DARWIN AWARDS 2007



Group Training held its annual Darwin awards last night to recognise the achievements of the apprentices and trainees that completed their qualifications in 2006. The Minister for Employment & Education, the Honorable Paul Henderson presented the awards to the winners and runners up.

Group Training NT employs apprentices and trainees across the Territory and hosts them out in a wide variety of qualifications. With offices in Nhulunbuy, Katherine, Alice Springs and Darwin all areas of the NT can be serviced. Following are the categories, winners and runners up of the awards:

School Based Encouragement Award 2006

Hivaraj Klessa-Hosted by the Hanuman Restaurant and attends Casuarina Secondary College

Trainee Encouragement Award 2006

Kathy Browne – Hosted by the Department of Health & Community Services

Outstanding Apprentice Stage 1

Rachael Perry – Hosted by Osmosis Hair Studio

Outstanding Apprentice Stage 2

Eric Barz – Hosted by Bridge Toyota

Outstanding Apprentice Stage 3

Trent Lopez – Hosted by MTU Detroit Diesel

Training GTNT, RTO Commitment to Training Award

Wayne Dillon – Hosted by Office of the Commissioner for Public Employment

Supervisor of the Year 2006

Jennifer Sullivan – Employed by De Castro Sullivan Lai

Small Host of the Year 2006

Harwood Plumbing

Host of the Year 2006

Bridge Toyota - Tied with ANZ Bank

School Based Apprentice/Trainee of the Year 2006

Amina Sherif-Hosted by the Sewing Room and attended Sanderson High School

Runner up - School Based Apprentice of the Year 2006

Kane Mola-Hosted by Holiday Inn Esplanade and attended Sanderson High School

Indigenous Apprentice of the Year 2006

Debbie Guy-Hosted by the Department of Health & Community Services

Runner up - Indigenous Apprentice of the Year 2006

Olivia Graham - Hosted by NT Police Fire and Emergency Services.

Trainee of the Year 2006

Cain Parkin – Hosted by the ANZ Bank

Runner up - Trainee of the Year 2006

Kara Almond -Hosted by BiZnorth

Apprentice of the Year 2006

Sam Murray -Hosted by PowerWater

Runner up- Apprentice of the Year 2006

Ben Cooper -Hosted by PowerWater

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