



# Hedger scoops award

THE builder behind a new state-of-the-art home in Thornton, Hedger Constructions, has received the 2011 Victorian Regional Builder of the Year.

The award was announced at the 2011 Master Builders Association of Victoria Excellence in Housing awards at Crown Casino late last year.

The event brought together members of the Victorian construction industry to celebrate outstanding workmanship in residential building.

As the winner of the 2011 Regional Builder of the Year for North East Victoria in the \$1

million to \$3 million category, Hedger Constructions was eligible for its construction of a home for Anna and Hartog Berkeley at Thornton.

The judges said all aspects of the home were completed to the highest standards in design, fixtures and fittings, finishing and workmanship.

Following its success in the 2008 awards, Hedger Constructions was again announced as the 2011 Victorian Regional Builder of the Year.

This is one of three major awards in the construction industry and is keenly contested throughout the state.

Company director

Steven Hedger, and wife Sharon, thanked the owners for their outstanding vision and commitment to the project and for the great relationship developed over the course of the construction.

Mr Hedger praised the team led by Brad Miljkovic, Ben Van Lierop, Andy Seja and Wayne Elliott who worked tirelessly on the project over two years.

Mr Hedger said the painting team of Andy McCarthy, Rod Hedger and George Koce ensured an outstanding finish and all sub trades were thanked for their efforts to ensure all aspects of the home were

completed to exacting standards.

Mr Hedger congratulated all his crew who he said continually strives to complete all works to the standards reflected in its award winning homes.

Hedger Constructions is proud to be a locally based company and is honoured to have received such a prestigious award for the second time in three years, he said.

Hedger Constructions has also built multi-purpose rooms at Eildon and Tallarook primary schools and the recently completed Narbethong Community Hall.



*Hedger Constructions' project manager Brad Miljkovic and site manager Greg Newlands at the Master Builders Association awards presentation.*