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DC Construction named residential Master Builder of the Year

Rye based builder DC Construction has tonight been named residential Master Builder of the Year for a spectacular home in Merricks North.

Representatives from DC Construction received the award during tonight's gala presentation evening before 600 guests at Crown Palladium.

O'Dowd Design and Construction was named Regional Builder of the Year for a beautiful seaside home in Point Lonsdale. Robert Rolls from Mornington based First Impressions Projects Pty Ltd was awarded Young Builder of the Year.

Executive Director Brian Welch congratulated the winners saying that the calibre of entries was at an all time high.

"DC Construction are a worthy winner for the stunning home they built at Merricks North," Mr Welch said.

"This six bedroom property is unusually striking because of the curvaceous, rammed earth walls which form the structure spine and sleek theme for the home," he said.

"This is a complex house where the precisely executed details exceeded the clients' expectations."

The O'Dowd Design home was similarly striking with high quality materials used throughout.

"The high standard of craftsmanship is evident throughout this home which boasts a low maintenance exterior using organic materials including stone and ironbark."

Mr Welch also congratulated Robert Rolls for his award.

"Robert has his own building company, First Impressions Projects, which has been operating for 15 years. The judges were impressed with his professionalism in the way he manages his business and his clients," he said.

"Robert's enthusiasm, motivations, grasp and management of a wide range of technical and complex issues of a project make him a worthy winner."

Full list of winners attached. Images of winning projects available upon request.

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Winners– Master Builders Excellence in Housing Awards 2012

Master Builder of the Year

DC Construction Pty. Ltd.

Project: Merricks North

Regional Builder of the Year

O'Dowd Design and Construction

Project: Point Lonsdale

Young Builder of the Year

Robert Rolls

First Impressions Projects Pty. Ltd.

Best Renovation/Addition under \$200,000

Ecobuilt Vic Pty. Ltd.

Project: Moonee Ponds

Best Renovation/Addition \$200,000 - \$300,000

Neumode Design & Construction Pty. Ltd.

Project: Melbourne

Best Renovation/Addition \$300,000 - \$500,000

Croft Wootton Construction Pty. Ltd.

Project: Mornington

Best Renovation/Addition \$500,000 - \$1M

Riviera Building Group P/L

Project: Dromana

Best Renovation/Addition \$500,000 - \$1M

(Special Commendation)

Ecoast (SJ Coleman P/L)

Project: Red Hill

Best Renovation/Addition over \$1M

Estruct Group

Project: Williamstown

Best Display Home under \$175,000

Eight Homes

Project: Cranbourne West

Best Display Home \$175,000 - \$220,000

Eight Homes

Project: S- Seven, Clyde North

Best Display Home \$220,000 - \$250,000

Henley Properties Group

Project: Montana Q1, Clyde North

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Best Display Home \$250,000 - \$275,000

Urbanedge Homes

Project: Jardene 004, Clyde North

Best Display Home \$275,000 - \$300,000

Burbank

Project: Alder 2600, Point Cook

Best Display Home \$300,000 - \$350,000

Burbank

Project: Kingston 2700, Cranbourne West

Best Display Home \$350,000 - \$425,000

Porter Davis Homes

Project: Sandringham 45, Wantirna South

Best Display Home \$425,000 - \$500,000

Burbank

Project: Havencrest 3900, Point Cook

Best Display Home \$500,000 - \$750,000

Malishev Homes

Project: Allure, Highton

Best Display Home over \$750,000

Englehart Homes

Project: La Provence, Balwyn North

Best Display Home over \$750,000

(Special Commendation)

Grollo Homes

Project: Grollo A380, Balwyn

Best Custom Home under \$300,000

Q Designer Homes

Project: Torquay

Best Custom Home \$300,000 - \$400,000

Eco Sustainable Homes

Project: Kinglake

Best Custom Home \$400,000 - \$500,000

BH Developments

Project: Whittlesea

Best Custom Home \$500,000 - \$600,000

Sutton Constructions

Project: Echuca

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Best Custom Home \$600,000 - \$800,000

Knight Building Group

Project: Beaumauris

Best Custom Home \$600,000 - \$800,000

(Special Commendation)

Englehart Homes

Project: Blackburn

Best Custom Home \$800,000 - \$1M

Imperial Builders Pty Ltd

Project: Albert Park

Best Custom Home \$1M-\$3M

Arch.10 P/L

Project: Mt Waverley

Best Custom Home \$1M-\$3M

(Special Commendation)

First Impressions Projects P/L

Project: Williamstown

Best Custom Home over \$3M

DC Construction Pty Ltd

Project: Merricks North

Best Multi Unit Development – up to 3 units

Moobi Group

Project: Brighton

Best Multi Unit Development – up to 3 units

(Special Commendation)

Berman Homes

Project: Caulfield

Best Multi Unit Development – 4 to 12 units

Costas Constructions P/L

Project: Warrandyte

Best Sustainable Energy Home

Positive Footprints

Project: Preston

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