

# HUTCHIES' TRUTH

A QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER FOR HUTCHINSON BUILDERS

AUGUST 2016

PRIVATE jet owners operating in Australia will have access soon to the Melbourne Aviation Precinct Corporate Jet Base – the first 24-hour facility of its kind in the Southern Hemisphere.

Hutchies has been appointed by the Melbourne Aviation Precinct to build the world-class aviation centre at Tullamarine, which will be a temporary home for high flying VIPs, such as politicians, business leaders, sporting celebrities and superstars.

The jet base will provide integrated aviation services consisting of exclusive passenger lounges, private jet hangars, on-call customs/immigration and pilot accommodation, as well as refuelling and maintenance facilities.

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## New aviation base flying high with domestic and international jet stars

around-the-clock operating capacity – a major advantage appreciated by international travellers.

The contract value of the corporate jet base is \$68 million and work is anticipated to start in October this year.

The corporate jet base aims to provide a seamless, luxury service for its customer base, from arrival to departure, including aircraft operations and maintenance.

The complex will benefit from its own security, customs inspection and immigration facility.

While aircraft are being



Tullamarine's non-curfew status will give the new Melbourne Aviation Precinct Corporate Jet Base an around-the-clock operating capacity.



The jet base will have hangar capacity for up to 18 aircraft.

prepared for onward journeys, the terminal will provide a state-of-the-art environment, with integrated lounge and business facilities for its passengers.

The contract scope of works includes design and construction of hangars for up to 18 aircraft.

One specialty hangar will display a refurbished Douglas DC-3 aircraft and double as the jet base's central hub.

The central hub will include a basement carpark and service area, customer lounge, meeting

rooms, catering and function facilities.

All amenities will have high-quality architectural finishes and fittings.

In addition, the contract will include design and construction of aircraft pavement (including taxi-way), pedestrian and vehicle pavements and soft landscaping.

Hutchies is currently working through the design and documentation phase with the client and consultant team.

► More details – Jobs Update, P10 & 11.

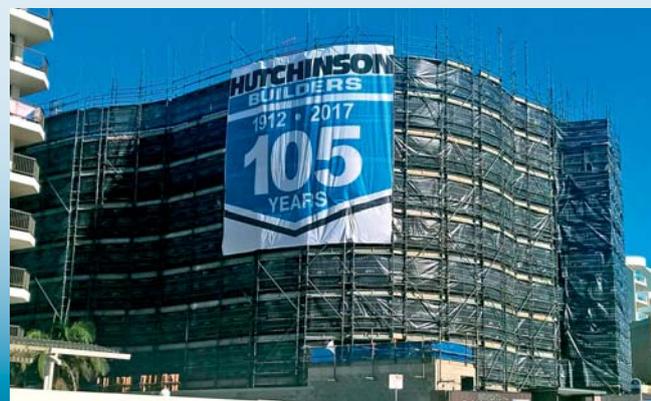
## New signs of the times make impact

WITH Hutchies' 105th anniversary just around the corner, new signage is being rolled out to help mark the event.

Since the centenary celebrations in 2012, Hutchies has highlighted its 100 years of success in the construction industry in Australia.

Now the 100-year milestone signage will be phased out and replaced with 105-year signage.

Hutchies' The Breeze (pictured below) and 310 Ann Street (pictured left) projects were two of the first to carry the new 105-year signage.



## Keeping it real for Indigenous training

AS Hutchies has grown over the past few decades into one of Australia's largest and most recognised builders, we have understandably encountered many challenges.

One of the greatest challenges has been to maintain the small, family business culture, despite our \$1.8 billion annual turnover, 1,400 direct employees and 175 projects under construction at any given time.

At Hutchies, everything we do must be real – no corporate gobbledegook, no tokenism and, while bottom line is important, it is not everything ... it doesn't drive Hutchies' key decisions.

Consider the following for a business of Hutchies' size:

- Hutchies has no corporate hierarchy between its managing director and 23 construction teams responsible for 240 projects valued at \$1.8 billion each year.
- Hutchies has no HR department.
- Hutchies contributes \$1.5 million each year to worthy causes, with the only criteria being that one of its 1,400 employees is associated with the cause.
- Every company member has an open line to the chairman and managing director and is encouraged to use it.
- Hutchies has pinball machines in each of its offices around Australia.
- Hutchies conducts all of its apprentice training internally and owns 32 tower cranes and 21 hoists because it can and because we think it is good for our culture, our business and our reputation.

We are applying the same "keeping it real" criteria to the Employment Parity Initiative program which will see Hutchies engage around 350 Indigenous Australians in Hutchies' business around Australia over the next three years.

We are identifying the right people, providing the right training and guiding them into careers in the building and construction industry.

Whether it's working in a product manufacturing business, in a hardware outlet, on the tools on site, in the office, for a subbie or a Hutchies' site manager, it doesn't matter, as long as we provide the opportunities to our Indigenous brothers and sisters to achieve their goals – simply be the best they can in their chosen profession.

This "keeping it real" approach to Indigenous employment has been par for the course at Hutchies.

From the  
**Managing  
Director**



It is typified by Al Gundy (as pictured below in the September 2002 issue of *Hutchies' Truth*) who joined Hutchies 23 years ago as a tradesman's assistant and has been part of the family ever since.

Having grown up as a member of the Wakka Wakka tribe at Cherbourg and then spending time as a jackeroo before joining the construction industry, Al is one of the most skilled blokes you will ever find.



Al can drive a truck or excavator, handle a jackhammer, oversee health and safety – just as good as he can handle some of his traditional ancestral tasks.

He has mentored apprentices and embraced Hutchies' commitment to our clients in remote and regional Australia where his ability to catch a goanna or hunt down a feed never ceases to impress the crew.

Al is like any one of our 1,400 employees who just needed a start in our industry.

He needed a chance 23 years ago and Hutchies gave it to him.

We welcome and encourage our subbies, consultants and suppliers who are all part of the Hutchies' family to join us in delivering this program.

Please contact Mark Kucks at Hutchies to learn more – [mkucks@hutchinsonbuilders.com.au](mailto:mkucks@hutchinsonbuilders.com.au)

– Greg Quinn



Jack Hutchinson Jnr (left) joins Bravehearts' CEO, Angelo Venardos, for the sod turning at Bravehearts' Gold Coast headquarters which will be a one-stop-shop for child protection.

## Construction industry unites to build a safer world for children

MORE than 40 building contractors from South East Queensland have donated time, effort and money to help the child protection organisation, Bravehearts, deliver a new second level extension to its existing headquarters at Arundel, on the Gold Coast.

Bravehearts' mission is to stop child sexual assault in Australia and it aims to make this country the safest place in the world to raise a child by 2020.

Funding of \$350,000 from Bravehearts was matched with \$950,000 worth of donated equipment, materials, labour, design and services from Hutchies and more than 40 building contractors from South East Queensland.

Bravehearts' CEO, Angelo Venardos, said the organisation was grateful to corporate partner, Hutchies, and its subbies and suppliers.

"This incredible generosity will enable Bravehearts to evolve to meet increasing demand on our services," he said.

"With soaring demand for education, training and counselling, our new headquarters will act as a one-stop-shop for child protection, gearing us to more effectively deliver and evaluate these programs across Australia."

The project will convert the existing single-level facility into a two-storey structure to support this growing demand for Bravehearts' services, as well as gathering all temporary office locations under one roof.

The extension also includes an undercover loading dock, landscaping and carpark modification works. The project started in May and will be finished later this year, with a project cost of approximately \$1.3 million.

● To help with the extension by providing labour, materials, equipment or by simply donating, contact Hutchies' **Hannah Hogan** on mobile **0407 880 238** or by email to: [hogan@hutchinsonbuilders.com.au](mailto:hogan@hutchinsonbuilders.com.au)

**IN 2015/16, Hutchies' turnover was \$1.6 billion and we expect our profit for the year to be circa \$35 million.**

**This takes our Balance Sheet strength to \$250 million.**

**We have a forward order book of**

### HUTCHIES' STATUS

**\$2.8 billion which ought to translate to around \$1.8 billion per year over**

**the next two years.**

**We'll keep you posted with Hutchies' plans for the next few years but basically we expect more of the same.**



HUTCHIES' recent monthly Toowong office barbecue had a distinctly Indigenous flavour.

## A double Indigenous celebration

Coinciding with the run-up to NAIDOC Week, it was an opportunity to celebrate Hutchies' Indigenous employment program (Statim-Yaga) and welcome a representative of the Preston Campbell Foundation as guest of honour.

As well as some bush tucker on the barbecue menu, didgeridoo music, a dance performance by Indigenous troupe, Excelsior, the crowd heard from special guest, Clinton Toopi, Ambassador for the Preston Campbell Foundation.



Hutchies' Mark Kucks (left) pictured with Clinton Toopi during the double celebrations.

# More jobs, shops and fun in frontier city

GATEWAY Palmerston, which is on track to become Darwin's leading shopping and leisure destination, also has been a boon for local employment.

In the past 20 months, the \$300 million project has generated more than 1,000 jobs and, on completion, the centre will create another 1,000 permanent positions for retail and hospitality workers in stores and food outlets.

The Northern Territory's Chief Minister, Adam Giles, was on site recently for a construction milestone when the highest roof panel was craned into position.

Stage one of the 15-hectare site, south of Darwin, consists of 40,000 square metres of retail space to accommodate Woolworths, Big W, a six-screen Event Cinemas complex, 100 specialty stores and kiosks, dedicated restaurant precinct and a food court with seating for more than 350 patrons.



Gateway Palmerston's 37,000m<sup>2</sup> of roof area will contain 1.5 megawatts of solar panels.

Stage one of the project is on track for final completion early 2017.

Construction is in its final stages with shopfront glazing, roadworks, mall stone-work, ceiling and solar panel installation.

The total roof area at Gateway Palmerston will be 37,000 square metres and carry

1.5 megawatts of solar panels, capable of powering 586 homes.

Gateway Palmerston will provide infrastructure enhancements in retail and leisure, not only for the local Palmerston population, but also for the wider Darwin community.



Hutchies' team members were among the celebrants at the construction milestone.

## Parklands keeps on giving to Gold Coast

THE \$550 million redevelopment of Parklands on the Gold Coast will be the home of the Commonwealth Games Village in 2018.

Afterwards, the huge precinct will be converted into a residential community.

In the meantime, the construction site is home to a number of training programs to attract new building industry trainees and apprentices, including Indigenous recruits, who can be employed by the site's subcontractors.

Hutchies' Gold Coast School



Shaun Henry and Bridgette Starr – recent training participants on the Parklands project on the Gold Coast.

of Construction, in conjunction with Grocon, Construction Skills Queensland (CSQ), Yourtown and the Department of Education and Training (DET), has commenced delivering training programs.

The nature of the site provides students with real life projects.

Two recent training participants were Shaun Henry and Bridgette Starr.

After completing the program,

Shaun went on to gain an apprenticeship in carpentry with a local Gold Coast builder, while Bridgette applied to the Gold Coast City Council to be an apprentice carpenter.

### ~ OBITUARY ~

#### Sir John Pidgeon 1927 ~ 2016

JACK Hutchinson Snr said Hutchies, the building industry and the community had lost a good friend with the passing in June of Sir John Pidgeon, aged 89.

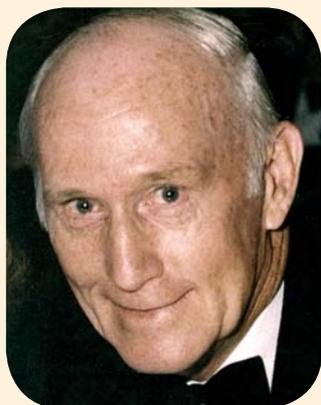
In the 1980s, Sir John and his sister, Valmai, built F.A. Pidgeon and Son – the company started by their father, Frederick, in 1927 – into Queensland's biggest construction and development company.

F.A. Pidgeon shaped the Brisbane skyline as the builder of tall buildings before it ceased construction on major projects in the 1990s.

Sir John contributed greatly to the construction and building industry through his efforts with the Queensland Master Builders Association, the Builders Registration Board and the Building Services Authority.

He was a recipient of the Queensland University of Technology's Distinguished Constructor Award and was inducted into the Constructor Hall of Fame.

He also was an inductee of the Queensland Business Leaders Hall of Fame and the Property



Sir John Pidgeon

Council's Australian Property Hall of Fame.

Sir John was knighted in 1989 for "significant contribution to the construction industry and the community".

He had a long-standing interest in sport, the arts, education and heritage preservation and was noted for his community work, particularly with the Queensland Cancer Fund, the Salvation Army Advisory Board (as chairman) and the Red Shield Appeal.

His funeral was held on June 13 at St John's Cathedral in Brisbane.

He is survived by five children, 14 grandchildren and his sister, Valmai.



Ali Wilson pictured doing her online Hutch Safe Induction component.

## New introduction to the world of building and construction

HUTCHIES' workforce development team has come up with an introduction to construction course designed for those who want a career change, but have little experience in the world of commercial building and construction.

The course is being trialled with a number of Hutchies' staff, such as Ali Wilson, who currently works in Hutchies' reception but wants to be a contracts administrator.

The course is a three-stage program with a combination of theoretical, online and practical

site-based activities that are designed to give participants knowledge of terminology and practical hands-on experience with basic tools on building projects.

Ali is shown doing her Hutch Safe Induction online in preparation for a site visit with her trainer, Warren Belford, who is giving the participants the benefit of his 30 years' experience as a carpenter, builder and trainer.

Know of someone who would like to participate in this course? Contact Michelle Buckland at [training@hutchinsonbuilders.com.au](mailto:training@hutchinsonbuilders.com.au) or call 0447 758 566.



*Pictured (from left) are Josh Linsket, Kris Waldron and Ben Swords. Josh, who started his training with GCSC in July 2014, and Ben, who graduated the GCSC Trade Start program this year, are both employed by Kris of Waldron Constructions while completing their Certificate III in Carpentry as external apprentices with GCSC trainer, Warren Belford.*

## Apprenticeship mentoring and training extended to subbies

HUTCHIES' internal apprenticeship training program has been so successful that it has been offered externally to its subcontractors.

As a result, Hutchies is recruiting, training and mentoring a growing number of external apprentices on behalf of its subbies.

Chairman, Scott Hutchinson, said Hutchies had been serious about growing the number of apprentices in the construction industry for more than 100 years.

"We currently have more than 80 Hutchies' apprentices under training across 25 teams, along with another 15 external apprentices," said Scott.

"Since 2007, we have graduated more than 200 apprentices with an extraordinary completion rate in excess of 95 per cent.

"We have achieved that by recruiting only new apprentices who have completed a pre-trade course and, once they start, by providing them with day-to-day mentoring and training through our apprentice development co-ordinators."

Hutchies deemed the need for recruits

to have completed a pre-trade program as so important that, in 2010, it set up its own registered training organisation (RTO) – the Gold Coast School of Construction (GCSC) which delivers training to more than 200 school-based and post school-based students every year.

Recently, Hutchies also signed up to the Federal Government's Employment Parity Initiative (EPI) which aims to get Indigenous workers into construction and other industries.

The Statim-Yaga ('begin work') program will ensure 350 Indigenous workers achieve full-time employment over the next three and a half years with Hutchies' teams, its subbies and suppliers.

Scott said Hutchies was always looking for candidates who are passionate, enthusiastic and committed to a career in construction.

"There are more than 70 careers in construction, including apprenticeships, waiting for the right candidates," said Scott.

Visit [www.gcsc.edu.au](http://www.gcsc.edu.au) for more information.

## And it's farewell from Mike

MIKE Tickner (COTY 1991) said goodbye to Hutchies recently, retiring after 36 years on the job.

Chairman, Scott Hutchinson, said he remembered Mike as being always reliable and trusted to get the job done.

"Mike proved himself with Hutchies working with Barry Butterworth (COTY 1996) on the renovation of Lennons Hotel in Brisbane," Scott recalled.

"It was an extremely difficult site, a complicated project, our first really big job in the CBD, and we had a lot of money riding on its success or failure.

"When Barry and Mike pulled it off, the market took more notice of Hutchies as a big player in Brisbane's CBD.

"It was a major turning point for Hutchies and we are eternally grateful to Mike for his part in that."

On his last day at Hutchies, Mike acknowledged that all good things must come to an end.

"It's been great working with all at Hutchies over the years," said Mike.

"I say a special thankyou to all the people I have met and worked with.

"The list is too great to name everyone and I'm sure to miss a few if I tried, but be assured I am grateful to have worked with all.

"I've seen quite a few changes in the past 36 years with Hutchies.

"It's strange to think that when I started there were no computers, mobiles, fax machines or even cordless phones on site and these have in some ways made life easier.

"But one thing is for sure – it is a whole lot faster now.

"Thankyou all again and the very best of luck for the future."



*Mike at his farewell.*

## Quick boost to TAFE facilities fulfilled



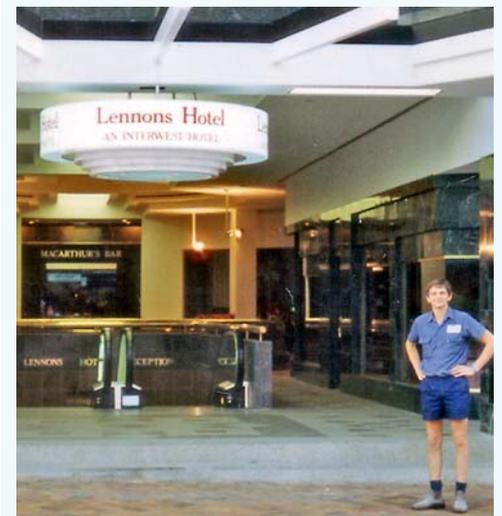
*Two new buildings were added in record time to the existing TAFE complex at Inala.*

THE Department of Education and Training gave Hutchies a tall order when it requested classroom and amenities buildings, as well as a 63-space carpark, to accommodate 180 students at Inala TAFE – all to be delivered in 13 weeks.

The tight deadline was achievable through Hutchies' modular construction capability.

The \$3 million project was built at Hutchies' modular facility at Yatala then delivered to site at Inala for completion.

The modules took seven weeks to build at Yatala and six weeks to install on site.



*Mike in a flashback to Lennons 1988.*



At the AIB awards (L-R) AIB national president, Norman Faifer; Hutchies' Kurt Nolan; and AIB's Victorian chapter president, Frank Pravan.

HUTCHIES' expertise was acknowledged in the Victorian and Tasmanian Australian Institute of Building Professional Excellence Awards for 2016.

The AIB national president, Norman Faifer, said the awards were the ultimate personal achievement for a professional builder.

Hutchies' Kurt Nolan accepted a Certificate of High Commendation in the category of interior construction \$1

## Achievement in AIB

million to \$10 million for the CSIRO Clayton Property Strategy (separable portion four).

Mick Connolly won a Certificate of High Commendation in the category of commercial construction \$10 million to \$50 million for work on the ICON project in the Hobart Central Redevelopment (separable portion A).

## MBA apprentice awards for 2016

CONGRATULATIONS to Matthew Williams, who won the Queensland Master Builders Award (Brisbane) Apprentice of the Year 2016, and to Russell Gillam, who won the MBA (Toowoomba) Apprentice of the Year 2016.

In the Downs and Western



Russell Gilliam, Apprentice of the Year (Toowoomba).



Matthew Williams, Apprentice of the Year (Brisbane).

region awards, Hutchies won the MBA Health and Safety Award for its 'Hutch Safe' induction process, as well as Project of the Year for the Toowoomba Regional Council Library.

## Research to assist banana nations



The Redlands Research Station undertakes a wide range of plant research ... and these pot plants have been positively identified as tomatoes!

A GLASSHOUSE, refurbished by Hutchies at the Redlands Research Station near Brisbane, will contribute to the health and well-being of people in Asia and Africa.

The research centre, operated by the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, is home to Queensland University banana research activity funded by the Bill Gates Foundation.

The aim of the research is to breed banana varieties which are resistant to bunchy top disease, a cause of crop failure.

The foundation's primary purpose for this agricultural development program is to restrict further spread of the disease.

Developments in this research will improve public health in developing nations.



VIPs turning the sod for a new dental clinic in St George.

## Dental works for Indigenous community

DENTAL patients will travel up to 900 kilometres to attend a new dental clinic being built by Hutchies in St George in south-western Queensland.

The \$700,000 project will be delivered for the Indigenous Goondir community.

Patients are expected to come from as far away as Bundaberg, Mitchell, Cunnamulla and Nockatunga, which is 900 kilometres away, for this community service.

The clinic also will give University of Queensland fifth year Bachelor of Dental Science (Honours) students valuable experience and education in the final months of their study.

The turning of the sod at St George was attended by current Balonne Shire Council Mayor, Richard Marsh, previous Mayor, Donna Stewart, and representatives of the Goondir community, University of Queensland and Hutchies.

# History repeats itself with new building at Bulimba State School



*An historic moment as the custodian of Bulimba State School's old 'C Block', school principal, Michael Zeuschner (left), hands ownership to the new owner, Greg Hamilton (right). With them is Hutchies' Russell Fryer (COTY 2010) with a photograph of the building after construction by Hutchies in 1914.*

CONSTRUCTION of 'C Block' – a new four-storey general learning area and library at the Bulimba State School – is of special significance to Hutchies, having built the original in 1914.

The new owner of the old building plans to recycle it as a holistic health centre in Canungra in the Gold Coast hinterland.

Hutchies has started construction on the new \$6 million 'C

Block' which will include 10 new classrooms, library, teachers' areas, roof terraces and amenities.

With the school marking its 150th anniversary this year, the new building has been designed by architects, Biscoe Wilson, to incorporate heritage and modern construction techniques.

It is scheduled for completion by February next year.



*The old Hutchies-built 'C Block'.*



*Proposed new 'C Block' under construction by Hutchies.*

# Sydney dinner, dance and music strike a chord for Lou's Place



HUTCHIES' 2016 annual charity dinner held in the Sydney Town Hall in May resulted in a fun night for hundreds of guests as well as a \$60,000 cheque for Lou's Place.

Live music was provided by Paul Christie's (Mondo Rock fame) Rockhouse band, featuring Angry Anderson as lead singer and MC for the night.

Hutchies' Brian Hood (COTY 2013) said the charity dinner organisers this year had chosen to support Lou's Place which provides a wide range of services, facilities and inspiration to women in need.

Brian said Lou's Place does not rely on the ongoing support of government funding to survive.

"The Marmalade Foundation – a tireless team of women who volunteer their time and expertise to operate



*Hutchies' Brian Hood (COTY 2013) hands a cheque for \$60,000 to Deborah Banks of Lou's Place.*

Lou's Place – is charged with the responsibility of sourcing enough funding to keep the doors open every day," Brian said.

"Hutchies is honoured to help in some small way and we thank our supporters for making it possible."

*LEFT: Hutchies' charity dinner takes off in the Sydney Town Hall.*

## Happy birthday celebrations for Abbey



ABBEY Bowden recently enjoyed her birthday celebrations with her brothers and sisters in the John Berlese (COTY 2006) team at Toowong.

A strawberry and raspberry mousse chocolate fudge brownie cake made the celebration even better.

Shown enjoying the celebrations are (from left) Jack Hutchinson Jr; birthday girl, Abbey Bowden; Ibrahim Kasumba; and John Berlese's feral hand doing a bit of photo-bombing.



## Vintage honey in the making

VERY casual Cairns' beekeeper, Jessie Gilliland, is shown with the honeybees and a 25 litre container of Hutchies' 105-year anniversary celebration honey.

The Cairns' honeybees were established in May 2013 and, on the last rob of the hive in May, the team had collected a total of 384 litres of honey since that time.

A QUICK note to pass on my continued thanks to the Hutchies' Tweed team for making me look good.

The (Coles) Mackay Mount Pleasant store relaunched today defect free which was an extremely pleasing effort.

As usual, Peter pulled on his charm and persuasive attitude to pull everyone on board this project and hit the target both in project timing and budget.

Senior operations management and the construction lead from Melbourne visited the store and gave the thumbs up.

It was a huge success to breathe some life back into this tired store.

There were the usual extras asked for which your team have noted and are already into action mode to get them knocked off quickly and their can do attitude did not go unnoticed by the senior head office visitors.

Pete was solidly supported by Josh and, of course, Murray just took all of the accolades at last night's dinner.

My heartfelt thanks to your wonderful team once again and I look forward to the next project.

Regards  
**Danny Walker**  
Project Manager Qld  
Store Construction

I WOULD like to say a big thankyou to Hutchinson Builders at Smithfield for sponsoring tickets for my autistic son to go to Circus Quirks in Cairns.

We had the pleasure of attending the 11am show today and my children had an absolutely amazing time.

One child said it was the most amazing thing they had ever seen.

Thanks to you my children had such a magical day.

Fallon Ivy

I WOULD just like to personally thank the two of you and the Hutchies' team, led by Searle and Lachlan Kiely, for your help in dealing with what became a difficult situation when we had part of the plaster ceiling in the NAB banking chamber collapse in March.

## FEEDBACK



Your prompt securing of the site and co-ordination and guidance of the issue thereafter was much appreciated.

Hopefully we don't have cause to seek your assistance in such an urgent manner again.

My apologies for the belatedness of this thankyou.

Kind regards from all of the Unity Pacific team, including the Board.

**Chris Morton**  
Managing Director

FABCOT engaged Hutchinson Builders in January 2015 for the detailed design and construction of the Bakewell Shopping Centre located at 1 Mannikan Court, Palmerston, NT.

Hutchinsons have done an outstanding job delivering a complex project by maintaining good progress on site, despite numerous external factors hindering the continuity of work and workflow on the site itself, as well as on the external services upgrades around the site.

Hutchinsons have shown their ability to overcome the difficulties and find solutions to work around the problems and achieve a positive outcome, while maintaining good relationships with all council and authority stakeholders.

Fabcot recommend Hutchinson Builders as an excellent builder that is capable of delivering projects in the NT, as they have been doing for us across the country for a number of years.

Fabcot will continue to use Hutchinson Builders as one of our preferred builders in the NT.

Yours faithfully  
**Peet van Buren-Schele**  
Fabcot Pty Ltd

ON behalf of the Toowong P&C and Toowong State School, I would like to

say thankyou to Hutchinson Builders for donating prizes for our recent Trivia Night, and thanks to you for organising them.

The duffle bags filled with Hutchies' merchandise were fantastic, and the winners were all stoked to receive the gear.

The money we raised on the night will go towards new sporting equipment for the school.

Thanks again! Your support is greatly appreciated.

**Tracey Logan**  
President  
Toowong P&C

I JUST wanted to pass on what a fantastic job my wife and daughter (as well as myself) thought you have done and are doing on 45 Lawson.

It's the first time they have been there since you started and they were completely blown away by how good it looks.

Also they commented on how polite and happy everyone seemed, which to me is the sign of a great job and good people.

Cheers  
**Jim Goldberg**

THANKYOU so much for your generous donation to the 2016 OzHarvest CEO CookOff.

With your help the 2016 CEO CookOff raised over \$1.6 million!

This will allow OzHarvest to deliver an incredible 3.2 million meals to Australians in need and expand our nutrition education, hospitality training and community engagement programs.

That's something we can all be proud of.

Our biggest, best and most incredible CEO CookOff to date saw more than 150

of Australia's top CEOs and business leaders team up in Sydney and Brisbane with 50 of the country's best chefs to lovingly prepare a gourmet dinner for 1,300 guests.

Your donation empowers and allows us to do amazing things across the country – so we'd love to keep sharing our story with you to showcase the impact of your donation in helping us to nourish our country across our four pillars – Food Rescue, Education, Engagement and Innovation.

Thank you again for your enormously heartfelt generosity and support.

**Ronni Kahn,**  
CEO and founder OzHarvest

WITH hand-over today we would like to thank you for all the hard work and effort that has gone into completing G35!

You have all done an unbelievable job and we could not be prouder of the finished product and also the attitude you guys have shown!

The support from the entire company is superb.

Rohan, Mark, Jye, Mitch and Clayton – class act.

Hats off to you boys and we feel very comfortable that you are handling five more projects for us.

Very happy Hutchies' clients.

Kind regards,  
**Brendan Tutt**  
**Tessa Group**

A QUICK note to say thanks for Hutchinson getting our project back on track after a false start with [CENSORED].

Russell, Tom, Dave and Mitch all worked very openly and efficiently to get this project priced and on site.

We have announced the news to the purchasers and everyone is very happy Hutchinson is building the project.

Thanks again.

**Joe Adsett**  
Director  
**Joe Adsett Architects**

# Wheels rolling along in construction career

DESPITE having sustained a broken neck in a cycling accident four years ago, 26-year-old Mitchell McMahon is now pursuing an active career in the construction industry with Hutchies in Townsville.

Being confined to a wheelchair has earned Mitchell the nickname 'Wheels', but it has not slowed his drive to succeed in the building game.

Although he has limited hand and leg function, Mitchell was able to land a contracts administrator position at Hutchies with the help of STEPS Employment Solutions – a not-for-profit organisation providing training, employment and community services.

He is currently working on the \$13 million Mount Louisa residential aged care facility for Blue Care while studying for a Diploma of Construction.

Mitchell said he enjoyed watching projects go “from nothing to something”.

“I like helping to manage the subbies and making sure everything is getting done to the right timeframes,” he said.



Hutchies' Mark Phillips (left) with Mitchell (Wheels) McMahon who is planning on a bright future in the building game.

“The job is not just about making money for me. It's about using my brain and feeling like a part of society.

“I encourage anyone else in a similar situation to see STEPS to find out what's

possible and get back to work,” said Mitchell.

Hutchies' Mark Phillips said that, after Townsville's team members met Mitchell, they were determined to provide an opportunity to keep him in the construction industry.

“In the early days of employing Mitch, representatives from STEPS provided advice on how to move forward,” Mark said.

“Technology has removed many of the barriers to employment for disabled people.

“Once someone with a disability has had a chance, employers will find they are as valuable in the workplace as anyone else.”

Mark said other team members enjoyed working with Mitchell who was “a comic with an infectious smile” and someone who was always willing to join in a friendly prank.

➤ To learn more about STEPS Employment Solutions contact 1300 766 962.

## Cold weather Noosa style

ALMOST everyone has been complaining about the weather, but, when Noosa rugs up against the cold, the thermometer must be going south.

Steven Hodgins (pictured below) – ‘rugged up’ with vest and beanie – demonstrates how Queenslanders prepare for the cold, as he heads out on site at the Mary Cairncross project on the Sunshine Coast.



## Paul hits 50

CAIRNS' Paul De Jong (COTY 1995) looks suicidal at the thought of turning 50.

We hope the knife was for the birthday cakes!

Knowing their team leader's favourite dessert was profiteroles, Mavis Beacon, from the office, made a croque-mouche and the local patisserie supplied a profiterole strawberry cake for the celebration.

## Please don't let me be misunderstood

LIVE music enthusiast and supporter, Scott Hutchinson, joined hospitality workers, politicians and musicians to protest against the Queensland Government's new lockout laws.

Protesters claimed the new laws, the first of which came into effect on July 1, would cripple Brisbane's unique vibrant music scene and cost thousands of jobs in the hospitality and entertainment industry.

Under the new laws, last drinks in pubs and clubs are called at 2am, or 3am in nightclub precincts, and rapid consumption drinks, such as shots, are banned after midnight. From February 2017 a 1am lockout will be rolled out.

Scott was also disappointed that his protest was misunderstood by many.

“I marched as a Puritan to highlight the puritanical nature of the laws, but everyone thought I was a leprechaun,” Scott complained.



## BAD TASTE LOCKOUTS

CLARE ARMSTRONG

HOSPITALITY workers, politicians and musicians slammed the State Government's imminent lockout laws at a rally in Brisbane yesterday. About 300 people gathered in front of Treasury Casino, in Brisbane's CBD, a venue that will be excluded from the new restrictions, to protest the laws due to come into effect on Friday. Protesters carried signs that read, “No votes for Nannystacia,” and “Anna just killed the dancefloor,” as they marched along Adelaide St. Seeking at the rally, Cl...

position frontbencher, Jarrod Beeje, said 6000 jobs would be lost statewide and accused the Government of punishing the majority of the industry for the “sins of a few”. “We see the issues of alcohol-fueled violence but politicians just talk a sledgehammer to the industry,” he said. From Friday, statewide last drinks will be called at 2am, or 3am for designated “safe night” precincts, and rapid consumption drinks such as shots will be banned after midnight. Manuela Osorio attended the protest and said she had already lost her job selling shots to patrons at Fortitude Valley nightclub, CFC and The Met. “I don't know what I will do, I've lost both my jobs because no one buys shots before midnight,” Ms Osorio said. The contentious law has not been extended to the state's casinos. Andrew Bartlett, Senate candidate for The Greens, said the lockout laws were giving casinos a “free kick”. State Development Minister Anthony Linton said casinos were exempt because the service of alcohol was not their primary purpose. ESTABLISH FDS

Scott made headline news in Brisbane's The Courier-Mail.

## MELBOURNE AVIATION PRECINCT CORPORATE JET BASE

**Job Value:** \$67,534,502

**Job Description:** This project is the design and construction of a corporate jet base at Tullamarine. This world-class aviation centre will be the first 24-hour facility of its kind in the Southern Hemisphere.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Ben McArthur  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: David Bowles  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Pat Maddumage  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Dennis Deveson  
 Hutchies' Supervisor: Daniel Vickery  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Tom McKeeg  
 Hutchies Design & Quality Mgr: Kurt Nolan  
 Hutchies Design Manager: Sash Jojic  
 Architect Firm: Cox Architecture  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: ARUP  
 Quantity Surveyor: WT Partnership  
 Electrical Consultant: ARUP  
 Client: Melbourne Aviation Precinct

## BUNNINGS FOUNDRY

**Job Value:** \$28.2M

**Job Description:** This extensive project involves the construction of a new 18,000m<sup>2</sup> warehouse and a 14,000m<sup>2</sup> carpark on the site of the old Toowoomba foundry. Work involves maintaining several Heritage-listed sheds and buildings dating back to 1911, one of which will be converted to an Interpretative Centre (museum) for the old foundry, as well as an upgrade of the New England Highway and Bridge Street intersection.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Robert Weymouth  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Joe Watson  
 Hutchies' Cadet Administrator: Brandon Tonkin  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Geoff Kampf  
 Hutchies' Supervisor: Greg Inwood  
 Hutchies' Safety Officer: Barry Davidson  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Danny Charlesworth  
 Architect Firm: G4 architecture  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: RMA  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: VT Consulting  
 Client: Bunnings Group

## ARCHER STREET, BILINGA

**Job Value:** \$5,039,723

**Job Description:** This residential unit project at Bilinga on the Gold Coast comprises 16 two-bedroom apartments, plus two penthouses, with mid-level finishes, basement parking and car stackers, located 30 metres from the beach opposite the Gold Coast Airport.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Rohan Barry

## JOBS UPDATE

Hutchies' Project Manager: Stephanie Wilson  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Jay Kruger  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Mitch Bohringer  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Jye Bailey  
 Architect Firm: Dignum Design  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Ken Brown and Associates  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: DNBS Consulting Engineers  
 Quantity Surveyor: Robertson Project Management (Qld)  
 Electrical Consultant: Arkeda  
 Client: CPMP

## COOLANGATTA SLSC STAGE 2

**Job Value:** \$1,052,788

**Job Description:** Works involve demolition of the existing overhead coverings to the club's external dining area to allow for part of the external deck to be enclosed and installation of new roofing, followed by demolition of the current kitchen for the installation of new food servery and kitchen facilities.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Paul Hart  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Kruse Carter  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Tim Todd  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Glenn Robinson  
 Architect Firm: Shane Denman  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Laurie Oar & Associates  
 Hydraulic Consultant: SPP Group  
 Mechanical & Elect. Consultant: DMA Engineers  
 Client: Tweed Heads & Coolangatta Surf Life Saving Club

## PRINCES PARK, HOBART

**Job Value:** \$262,566

**Job Description:** Construction is underway of an architecturally designed public amenities building in Princes Park, Battery Point, Hobart.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Mick Connolly  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Nick Scott  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Victoria Logan  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Chris Spillane  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Courtney Winter  
 Architect Firm: Terroir  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: Aldanmark Consulting Engineers  
 Electrical Consultant: JMG  
 Client: Hobart City Council



Artist's impression of the expanded and improved Mary Cairncross Reserve building.

## PREMIER HEALTH CARE, HERVEY BAY

**Job Value:** \$29,495,000

**Job Description:** This project entails the construction of a new two-storey, 145-bed aged care facility.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Michael Michell  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Dave Smythe  
 Hutchies' Administrators: Melanie Longland, Dave Styles  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Clayton Ballard  
 Hutchies' Supervisor: Dominic Taylor  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Terry Lloyd  
 Architect Firm: Kirkbride Architects  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Meinhardt  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: Bradlees Meinhardt  
 Quantity Surveyor: Napier Blakeley  
 Electrical Consultant: Meinhardt  
 Client: Premier Health Care

## JAMES COOK UNIVERSITY, AIITHM

**Job Value:** \$4.6M

**Job Description:** This project involves the construction of an Australian Institute of Tropical Health and Medicine (AIITHM) facility on Thursday Island. The Torres Strait Research Facility will be a high quality field-station and will support research into locally prevalent diseases, including both chronic diseases and pathogens.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Paul De Jong  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Peter King  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Mick De Jong  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Chris Hattingh  
 Architect Firm: Wilson Architects  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: ARUP  
 Electrical Consultant: WSP  
 Client: James Cook University

## PINE RIVERS BOWLS CLUB

**Job Value:** \$3,443,000

**Job Description:** Job involves the construction of a three-storey structural steel and multi-level carpark including upgrade of existing fire, civil and stormwater services.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Russell Fryer  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Tom Wilson  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Dan Branagan  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Mick Franks  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Mitch Elliot  
 Architect Firm: Project Leaders  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Cozens Regan Williams Prove  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: JFOP Urban Consultants  
 Electrical Consultant: Bradicich Engineers  
 Client: Pine Rivers Memorial Bowls Club

## MARY CAIRNCROSS RESERVE REDEVELOPMENT

**Job Value:** \$5,078,240

**Job Description:** This project consists of the demolition of an existing education centre and café and the construction of a new building and surrounds to accommodate enhanced amenities and facilities.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Michael Michell  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Steven Hodgins  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Emma Dunn  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Stuart Hargreaves  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Terry Lloyd  
 Architect Firm: Guymer Bailey Architects and Norman Richards Building  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Blakeney Munns Consulting Engineers  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: Callaghan & Toth  
 Civil, Environmental & Hydraulic  
 Electrical Consultant: Umow Lai  
 Client: Sunshine Coast Regional Council

## DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION, BUNDABERG

**Job Value:** \$764,121

**Description:** The project is a high security fit-out of an existing industrial warehouse for the Department of Immigration and Border Protection based in Bundaberg.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Kevin Whitaker  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Dan Shaw  
 Hutchies' Supervisor: Tony Svenson  
 Architect Firm: Design Thought Facility  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Tungsten Structures  
 Quantity Surveyor: JLL  
 Electrical Consultant: BSE

## BOTANIQUE STAGE 2

**Job Value:** \$18.15M

**Job Description:** This project involves the construction of 75 terrace homes.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Levi Corby / Paul Hart  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Josh Fergusson  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Lindsay Low  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Rick Rowntree  
 Hutchies' Supervisor: Joe Jacobsen  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Rob Bilsbury  
 Architect Firm: TVS Architects  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: Cozens Regan  
 Client: Robina Group

## SPRING GULLY WAREHOUSE

**Job Value:** \$2,689,970

**Job Description:** A new 600m<sup>2</sup> warehouse with attached office and chemical store took



This residential project is currently under construction at Bilinga opposite the Gold Coast Airport.



On completion, Botanique will boast 75 terrace homes.



**Hutchies is undertaking the design and construction of a world-class private jet base at Melbourne's Tullamarine airport.**

just 12 weeks to complete. Work involved full height racking, a temperature controlled room as well as a 700m<sup>2</sup> concrete hard stand driveway to suit road train access and forklift unloading.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Robert Weymouth  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Shaun Spry  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Mick Cummings  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Justin Maher  
 Hutchies' Foreman: Jeremy Harry  
 Hutchies' Safety Team: Joe Frost/ Brett Dowker  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Shaun Spry  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: HIG  
 Electrical Consultant: Ash Burners & Francis  
 Client: Origin Energy

## SHORE STREET FUEL & RETAIL

**Job Value:** \$3.5M

**Job Description:** This job entails construction of a 7-Eleven store and Super Cheap Auto outlet in Cleveland.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Levi Corby  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Neil Middleton  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Jon Zygadlo  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Grant Delaney  
 Architect Firm: TRG  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: Farr Engineering  
 Qty Surveyor & Elect Consult: Peter Eustace & Associates  
 Development Partners Asia Pacific  
 Client: Development Partners Asia Pacific

## OUR LADY OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS PARISH CHURCH, SPRINGFIELD LAKES

**Job Value:** \$3,710,785

**Job Description:** This job is the construction of a new church in Springfield Lakes which incorporates overseas supplied specialist items such as painted glazing, sculptured stone altar and other stone fabricated items.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Simon England  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Juergen Goetzmann  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Trevor Bruiners  
 Architect Firm: GHD  
 Struct., Civil & Hyd. Eng. Cons.: GHD  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: GHD  
 Quantity Surveyor: GHD  
 Electrical Consultant: GHD  
 Mechanical, Fire & Energy Efficiency Consultant: GHD  
 Certifier: Phillip Chun  
 Client: Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Brisbane

## JMC ACADEMY

**Job Value:** \$7,418,637

**Job Description:** The project involves the construction of a new 'slender' nine-metre wide, seven-storey building for JMC in the heart of South Brisbane as an educational facility for its creative industries academy. The construction of this slender building is unique in that it utilises a precast wall and precast Ultrafloor system to provide a rapid structural cycle with minimal underslab propping required.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Sholto Fotheringham  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Marcus Hoddinott  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Frank Moes  
 Architect Firm: Inscape Design

Struct., Civil & Hyd. Eng. Cons.: Hilton Reid Consulting Engineers  
 Quantity Surveyor: Flavio Costanzo & Associates  
 Electrical Consultant: Bradicich Consulting Engineers  
 Client: JMC Investments & Developments  
 Mechanical, Fire & Energy Efficiency Consultant: Cushway Blackford Consulting Engineers  
 Certifier: Building Certification Consultants

## NAMBOUR STATION ACCESSABILITY UPGRADE

**Job Value:** \$7,885,050

**Job Description:** Hutchies was engaged by Queensland Rail on a construct only basis to carry out a DDA upgrade of the Nambour Station as part of its ongoing accessibility upgrade of the network.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Benjamin Plunkett  
 Hutchies' Administrators: Chelsea Wood & Caitlin Hawkins  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Terry Wilson  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Trevor Bruiners  
 Architect Firm: Kellogg Brown & Root  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: Kellogg Brown & Root  
 Electrical Consultant: Kellogg Brown & Root  
 Client: Queensland Rail

## MT GRAVATT CARPARK

**Job Value:** \$2.12M

**Job Description:** A new three-level carpark to replace an asphalt carpark behind the existing Nexus office building on Mt Gravatt-Capalaba Road is being built to service the large office building and adjacent sports club afterhours.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Sholto Fotheringham  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Marcus Hoddinott  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Andrew Taubman  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Frank Moes  
 Architect Firm: Cottee Parker  
 Struct., Civil & Hyd. Eng. Cons.: ADG Consulting Engineers  
 Certifier: Steve Bartley & Associates  
 Traffic Engineer: TTM Consulting  
 Superintendent: PEP Consulting  
 Client: CorVal Partners

## ST PAUL'S SCHOOL

**Job Value:** \$6,918,577

**Job Description:** This job involves the construction of a new gymnasium and refurbishment of existing gym foyer and reception area including associated external works.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Russell Fryer  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Tom Wilson  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Mitch Grimmer  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Clem Green  
 Architect Firm: Towill Design Group  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: Calibre Consulting  
 Quantity Surveyor: Honeywill Consulting  
 Elect./Mech./Lift Consultant: Wood & Grieve Engineers  
 Landscape Architect: Jeremy Ferrier  
 Client: St Paul's School - The Corporation of the Synod of the Diocese of Brisbane

## TOYOTA, LISMORE

**Job Value:** \$3,644,798

**Job Description:** The project involves the construction of a new Toyota showroom and service centre next to the airport in Lismore, NSW, with a tight timeframe of just 16 weeks.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Robert Weymouth  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Joe Watson  
 Hutchies' Cadet Administrator: Brandon Tonkin  
 Hutchies' Supervisor: Chris Luhrs  
 Hutchies' Safety Officer: Barry Davidson  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Danny Charlesworth  
 Architect Firm: Interworks  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: RMA  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: Newton Danny Chapelle  
 Client: Blades

## CROWE HORWATH OFFICE FIT-OUT

**Job Value:** \$164,000

**Job Description:** Business advisory and accountancy firm, Crowe Horwath, contracted Hutchies for its level one office alterations project.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Mick Connolly  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Nick Scott  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Grant Davey  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Peter Hulcombe  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Nick Silcox  
 Architect Firm: IA Design & Architects Designhaus  
 Client: Crowe Horwath (Aust)

## KENNARD'S SELF STORAGE, MURARRIE

**Job Value:** \$7M

**Job Description:** The project involves the construction phase of an extensive Kennard's self storage facility in Murarrie, in east Brisbane.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Project Managers: Simon England / Ben Plunkett  
 Hutchies' Administrators: Simon England / Kerri Hollingsworth  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Matt Hutton  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Frank Moes  
 Architect Firm: Neale Windress and Associates  
 Struct. & Civil Engineer. Consult: ADG  
 Hydraulic Engineering Consult: BRW  
 Quantity Surveyor: N/A  
 Electrical Consultant: E & C Electrical  
 Fire Consultant: Microfire  
 Energy Efficiency Consultant: Anderson Energy  
 Certifier: Phillip Chun  
 Client: Kennard's Self Storage



**Artist's impression of the new Toyota showroom and service centre under construction in Lismore.**

## DET INALA TAFE

**Job Value:** \$2,953,713

**Job Description:** This project involves construction of 12 modular buildings for the Queensland Department of Education and Training and a new 63-lot car park.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Rohan Barry  
 Hutchies' Construction Manager: Julian Batt  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Nathan Webber  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Rhiannon King  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Brendan Wells  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Jye Bailey  
 Architect Firm: Vabasis  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: STA Consulting Engineers  
 Civil Engineering Consultant: DNBS  
 Quantity Surveyor: Ridgemill  
 Electrical Consultant: BSI  
 Client: Department of Education and Training

## CRESTWOOD PLAZA STAGE 1A

**Job Value:** \$1.2M

**Job Description:** Crestwood Plaza Shopping Centre, Stage 1A involves the extension and construction of existing centre tenancies and the redirection of site driveways and entrances.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Levi Corby  
 Hutchies' Project Manager: Neil Middleton  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Jon Zygadlo  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Jay O'Conner  
 Client: Prime Space Projects

## JAPE ADAIRS - BASE BUILD

**Job Value:** \$335,500

**Job Description:** Job involved an upgrade of a recently vacated tenancy in preparation for the fit-out of a new Adairs store.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Evan Reid  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Ben Spink  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Trevor Bruiners  
 Architect Firm: Bell Gabbert  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: JB Industries  
 Client: Jape Kong Su Nominees

## JAPE - ANACONDA BASE BUILD

**Job Value:** \$584,757

**Job Description:** Anaconda Group engaged Hutchies on a design and construct basis to carry out an upgrade of a recently vacated tenancy.

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Evan Reid  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Ben Spink  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Trevor Bruiners  
 Architect Firm: Bell Gabbert  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Wood & Grieve  
 Client: Anaconda Group

## JAPE - STORAGE SHEDS

**Job Value:** \$278,664

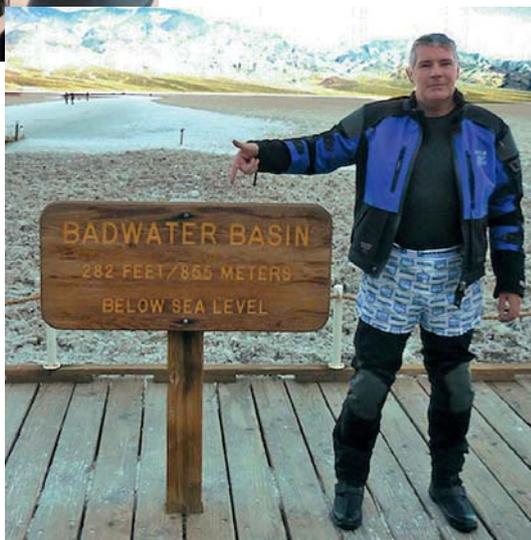
**Job Description:** Job involves the design and construction of a storage shed facility for Jape Kong Su Nominees

Hutchies' Team Leader: Cy Milburn  
 Hutchies' Administrator: Evan Reid  
 Hutchies' Site Manager: Ben Spink  
 Hutchies' Cost Planner: Trevor Bruiners  
 Architect Firm: Bell Gabbert  
 Struct. Engineering Consultant: Glynntucker  
 Client: Jape Kong Su Nominees

# TRAVELLING UNDIES & BUDGIES



ABOVE: Colin ('Cookie') Dawking of the Arc by Crown Project, all geared up in Hutchies' Undies for a shot on the flying fox zipline during a P&O cruise in the Pacific.



RIGHT: Peter Singleton reached a low point in his USA holiday when he visited Badwater Basin in Death Valley, California, famous for marking that country's lowest elevation (86 metres below sea level).



RIGHT: Cooper Gamble is obviously too young for Hutchies' Undies, but with his hat, hi-vis jacket and boots, Cooper is well on the way to follow his father, Forrest, into construction.



Kurt Boyd, of Sky Tower site, against the skyline of the Grand Canyon, USA.



Isaac Soper is a star in Mexico.



Tim Ferguson adds to the grandeur of the Great Wall of China in his Hutchies' Undies.



Winner of 'best dressed', Leo DeBoer (third from left), with (from left) Al Gundy, Dean White and Paulo Valente.

## Wild life on Jungle Island



Baby ANZAC, Finley Llwyd Smith, arrived April 25, as a son for Luke and Claire Smith.



James Anthony is a little brother to Patrick and son for Katherine Pietrowiec and Ryan Readdy.



Strange animals on the loose during Hutchies' Jungle Island theme night.

ONCE again the Social Club's annual men's fishing weekend went off with a bang ... this time on North Stradbroke island.

This year there was strong partici-

pation with 40 members wetting a line including 11 first-timers.

Fishing was fun, until the serious business of dressing for the theme night arrived.

The theme was 'Jungle Island' and strange animals were everywhere.

Next year will mark the 30th anniversary of the infamous fishing weekend and the organisers would

like to get some of the 'old timers' back - including Scott and Jack.

Anyone who would like to join the party next year should contact Dean White.

## Groovy fashion for the Moo

CHAIRMAN, Scott Hutchinson, joined Townsville team members to participate in the recent Groovin the Moo in North Queensland.

Apart from having a great time at the Moo, they had fun designing a tasteful commemorative T-shirt for the occasion.

The front showed the festival program conveniently printed upside-down, so the wearer could shirtfront him or herself to read the time and place of the next event and never get lost.

The back of the T-shirt featured Scott in festival mode with the hapless Hutch.



LEFT: Chairman Scott Hutchinson in festival mode with Hutch the safety induction star who seems to have passed out.



Team members who donned the tasteful Hutchies' Groovin the Moo T-shirts are (left to right) Darren Bozsan, Leo Pozzebon, Jon-Paul Floyd, Pierre Kessler, Scott Hutchinson, Giancarlo Pozzebon, Otto Pozzebon and David Balson.

## A new link with old club

HUTCHIES has teamed up with one of Brisbane's oldest family rugby league clubs, Wests (Panthers) Juniors, as the major club and jersey sponsor for 2016.

Hutchies' 105-year shield and logo is emblazoned on all 20 Wests Panthers teams registered in the Brisbane metropolitan competition, ranging from under 6s to under 17s.

The Panthers' home base at Bardon's Purtell Park was



*Hutchies has a strong visual presence at Purtell Park as the major Panthers sponsor for 2016.*

upgraded with new Hutchies' banners and signage adorning the park entry, clubhouse, training sheds and the new Hutchies' goal post pads.

The Panthers Juniors is an NRL

breeding ground with current Queensland rep players, Dane Gagai and Matt Gillett, starting their football careers at Purtell.

With the sons of league greats, Gordon Tallis, Brad Thorn and

Darren Lockyer, currently running around in the junior comp, it is fitting that a family business like Hutchies supports one of Brisbane's oldest family rugby league clubs.



*The Chariots of Backfire crew.*

## Backfire delivers for prostate cancer

THE Hutchies' sponsored vehicle, Chariots of Backfire, lived up to its name in the recent car race for Prostate Cancer.

Scott MacGregor, Consolidated Properties' residential development manager, said Chariots of Backfire delivered plenty of backfire and various other mechanical issues throughout the race weekend.

Chariots of Backfire had a catastrophic gearbox failure early on day two, after 214 laps, 680 kilometres and 140 litres of fuel.

However, the car managed to cross the finish line with team members giving it a push.

"While the car didn't make the distance, we are confident that the money we raised for the Prostate Cancer Foundation of



*Hutchies' Chariots of Backfire looked the part on the grid, but didn't go the distance.*

Australia will," said Scott.

"I am proud to say the team raised \$4,483, which is a fantastic effort.

"So a big shout out of thankyou to everyone who supported this great cause."



## Tweed tourists swoop on Sawtell

SAWTELL, a village on the New South Wales coast near Coffs Harbour, was the unfortunate destination selected by Tweed's social club for its annual surfing weekend away.

The theme for the Saturday afternoon session at the pub was 'Tourists', in the hope they would blend in without being noticed.

Despite the clever undercover gear, by the time the Hutchies' team was finished, Tweed had made a lasting – and dubious – impression on Sawtell.

Among the Hutchies' tourists in Sawtell were (from left) Paul Hart (COTY 2005), Dan Matthews, Kyle Patience and Scott Rheinberger.

## Independence day for Millsy

FOR some parents, driving the kids around is a chore, but for Milan ('Millsy') Kutlesa it is a sheer pleasure!

Millsy, of Hutchies' Melbourne, has had a remarkable recovery following a stroke 18 months ago.

Through determination, he has made significant achievements along the road to recovery – the latest being to get back behind the wheel of a car.

Millsy and his family are delighted he has gained his independence all over again with a new licence and a car to drive.

To celebrate this next chapter in his life, Millsy spent the first day of his new freedom by cruising the streets of Melbourne with his excited kids as passengers.

Millsy is proof that some of



*Millsy back behind the wheel.*

the simple things we take for granted are our most valuable possessions.

## Chain reaction linked to charity



The Hutchies-sponsored team in the Chain Reaction bike ride.

THE AEIOU Foundation and the Starlight Children's Foundation were beneficiaries of this year's Chain Reaction, the ultimate corporate bike challenge.

The ride this year was a 1,000 km, seven-day event throughout South East Queensland and northern New South Wales, raising funds for children's charities.

Most riders train for three months leading into the ride.

Hutchies' Aidan Murphy raised almost \$6,000.

The Hutchies-sponsored team together raised \$121,227 and the 42 riders who undertook this year's challenge raised \$1,009,936.

Hutchies sponsored a team of seven riders, including Angelo Venardos, CEO Bravehearts; Aidan Murphy, Hutchies' design manager; Euan Morton, of Synergies Economic Consulting and AEIOU Foundation board member; Terry McBride, of McBride Legal; Andrew Coronis, of Coronis; Michael Byrom, of Herdlaw and chair of the Queensland organising committee of Chain Reaction; and Damien Atkinson, barrister and chairman of the Youth Advocacy Centre, Wilston.

## Gareth's long haul to help MND

GARETH Davies, managing director of SafeAssure, has thanked Hutchies for its support in the recent Million Metres for MND (Motor Neurone Disease) charity bike ride from Brisbane to Sydney.

"As my largest personal supporter, it is important for me to let you know how much it was appreciated," said Gareth.

"Overall, I raised approximately \$8,800 and the group raised more than \$160,000 which goes straight to research for finding a cure for MND."

Gareth is shown with some of the riders from Kaden Boriss Brisbane, Workplace Health and Safety lawyers.



A BIG contingent turned out for The Men of League golf day held at the Indooroopilly Golf Club.

The Men of League Foundation is a national organisation which supports members of the

## Men of League golf day

rugby league community who have fallen on hard times.

Its vision is to provide prac-

tical assistance with everything from medical operations, rehabilitation and nursing equipment

to welfare support, grants and scholarships. Hutchies' team consisted of Paul Kruger, Simon McGilvray, Lawrence Versace and Ronnie Atkins.





## Out ... but definitely not down

TEAM RF participated in the recent Corporate Games touch football tournament and, although they lost all three games, they had a great day out.

From left, team members are (rear) Josh O'Connor, Elliott Rees, Rob Morrison, Alistair Pillay, Blake McGilvray; and (front) James Duncan, Alan Gscheidle, William Steele, Mitch Collocot and David Smith.

## These tough blokes keep their cool

THE Tough Bloke competitors are usually hot and sweaty, but Craig Dinning, Chadi Akouri and Alex Krober, from Hutchies' University of Wollongong team, found conditions to their liking when they completed the Tough Bloke Challenge during Sydney's recent freezing weather. They crossed the finish line in excellent time.



## Elegant polo presence on coast



HUTCHIES' team leader, Ben Illes, recently hosted team members and clients in a corporate tent at the polo on the Gold Coast. Elegant members who attended included (from left) Duncan McInnes, DGM Group; Ben Illes; and Dean Gallagher, DGM Group.



From left, the Wheelie Mad Runners are (back) Dennis Howe, Chris Chapman, Helen Reakes, Shannon Telley and (front) James Reakes, Rebecca Johnston, Bonnie Van Bockel, Gerrit Van Bockel, Monty Summers, Jasmine Manning, Kaila Ridgway, Kim Mastin, Jennifer Wenzel, Kylie Sheardown and Robyn Campman.

HUTCHIES' Cairns sponsored a team in the Wheelie Mad Race to help fund the local cerebral palsy support group.

The team raised \$63,000 for Far North Queensland Cerebral Palsy, with the funds going directly to helping run programs and buy equipment for local kids with the

## Wheelie Mad

disorder and other physical disabilities.

The team included Shannon and Gerrit from Full Boar Carpentry, who ran to support Shannon's little girl who has cerebral palsy.

## In swing for SWIN

FIFTY-EIGHT supporters of South West Indigenous Network (SWIN) converged on the Toowoomba City Golf Club recently to play in a friendly two-man Ambrose competition.

The day ensured strong competition between the golfers, all vying for the famous SWIN Golf Day Shield.

Several Hutchies' teams competed but Hutchies' Rob Weymouth (COTY 1993) and his golfing partner, Mal Porter, were the lucky winners on the day.

SWIN works with many communities in south western Queensland and its valued community members, businesses and organisations deliver many improvements for the district.



Rob Weymouth (COTY 1993) and Mal Porter win the coveted SWIN Golf Day Shield.

## Night of the round table



THOR Building Products, supplier of insulation and building wrap, provided

Hutchies with a table at the recent Fight Night at Eatons Hill Hotel, north of Brisbane.

Shown from left are Jethro Simms, Jilleasa Challenor, Jack Tippet, Jamie Wilkins, Kaylah Polzin, Olivia Polzin, Rebecca Henery, Chelsea Wood and Steve Bott.

Hutchies' procurement manager, Drew Ray, was present, but not pictured, as he was busy taking the photo.

## Great prizes to be won!

# Scratch-its

If your Hutchies' Scratchie matches the lucky numbers listed you are a winner! To claim your prize telephone Hutchies on (07) 3335 5000.

Prizes compliments of Hutchinson Builders.

### No. Prize

28003 Hutchies T-Shirt  
28136 Hutchies Undies  
28261 Tape measure  
28301 Hand Sander  
28445 Hutchies Cap  
28598 Jack's Tequila  
28666 Paint brush set  
28713 Hutchies T-Shirt  
28881 Screw Driver Set  
28946 Drill Bit Set

### No. Prize

29100 Hutchies Undies  
29232 Chalk Line  
29378 Hutchies Honey  
29492 Paint brush set  
28563 Hutchies T-Shirt  
29609 Hutchies Honey  
29718 Hutchies G-string  
29896 Screw Driver Set  
29999 Hutchies Undies  
30165 Jack's Tequila

### No. Prize

30211 Tape measure  
30365 Hutchies Cap  
30494 Hutchies Honey  
30573 Hutchies T-Shirt  
30641 Hutchies Undies  
30725 Hutchies T-Shirt  
30837 Hutchies Undies  
30969 Tape measure  
31029 Hutchies Undies  
31113 Hutchies Cap

### No. Prize

31255 Hutchies Honey  
31313 Paint brush set  
31495 Hutchies T-Shirt  
31522 Screw Driver Set  
31641 Drill Bit Set  
31772 Hutchies Undies  
31861 Chalk Line  
31906 Jack's Tequila  
32194 Paint brush set  
32229 Hutchies T-Shirt

### No. Prize

32396 Hutchies G-string  
32485 Screw Driver Set  
32587 Hutchies Undies  
32610 Hutchies Honey  
32755 Tape measure  
32899 Hutchies Cap  
32901 Hutchies Honey  
32994 Hutchies T-Shirt  
33001 Hutchies Undies  
33032 Chalk Line