

Broker an ethical winner

By Michael Cox

A PICTON mortgage broker says she's happy to hand over some of her profits to support the McGrath Foundation.

Pink Finance recently won the Best Ethical and Social Responsibility Program category at the 2011 Australian Broking Awards, beating more than 1000 entrants.

Brokers from Pink Finance have donated \$35,000 in the past two years to the McGrath Foundation.

Ten per cent of Carol Curtis's commission is donated to the foundation which raises money to place breast care nurses in communities across Australia and increase breast awareness in young women.

"Even though it means I earn less money, it's for a good cause," she said.

Ms Curtis said that being a breast cancer survivor was part of the reason she started working for the company.

"I joined with Pink Finance because it [breast cancer] has a special meaning to me," she said.

Pink Finance founder Nicole Cannon said she started donating to the McGrath Foundation because she wanted to change the face of the industry and improve its ethics.

And Miss Cannon said her love for cricket was also part of the reason she chose to donate to the foundation.



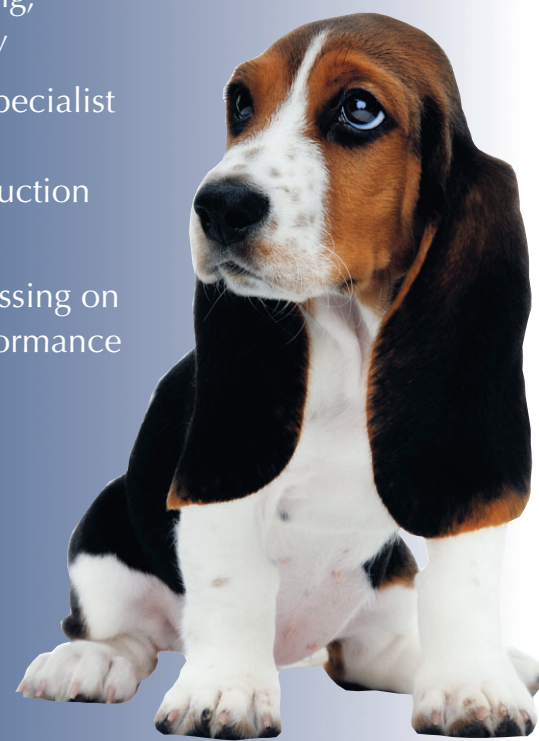
"It proves that we can make a mark in a short time even though it's a very male-dominated industry," she said.
"I'm very humbled by the award."

A good cause: Carol Curtis with the Best Ethical and Social Responsibility Program award from the Australian Broking Awards.
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PROPOSED NOMINATED INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT

A Development Application has been received by Wollondilly Shire Council to use the following land:

Lot 12 DP 811972 – 165 Arina Road, Bargo

For the purposes of: Six (6) Agricultural Igloos

Applicant: Y Dimassy

Consent Authority: Wollondilly Shire Council

The Development Application is a Nominated Integrated Development under Clause 5(1)(b) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulations 2000.

Approval for the proposed development is required from the NSW Office of Water under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979 in respect of a controlled activity approval under Section 91 of the Water Management Act, 2000.

The application and plans relating to the proposal may be inspected at Council's Offices, 62-64 Menangle Street, Picton, between 8am and 4pm Monday to Friday (public holidays excepted) for thirty one (31) days commencing 3 August 2011.

Any person may make a written submission in relation to the Development Application. Written submissions received may become a public document. Submissions will be received until 4.00pm on 5 September 2011. Please quote Council's file number 010.2011.00000387.001 on any submission. **Enquiries may be directed to Mark Ruddiman, Development Assessment Planner on 4677 1192 or email council@wollondilly.nsw.gov.au.**

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PROPOSED INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT

A Development Application has been received by Wollondilly Shire Council for the use of the following land:

Lot 24 DP 1087690 – Stargard Crescent, Picton

For the purposes of: Seven (7) Lot Subdivision & Six (6) Dwellings including SEPP 1 Objection

Applicant: Corbett Constructions Pty Ltd

Consent Authority: Wollondilly Shire Council

The Development Application is an Integrated Development under Section 91 of the Act. Approval for the proposed development is required from NSW Rural Fire Service under the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act, 1979 in respect to a Bushfire Safety Authority under the Rural Fires Act.

The application and plans relating to the proposal may be inspected at Council's Offices, 62-64 Menangle Street, Picton, between 8am and 4pm, Monday to Friday (public holidays excepted) for 15 days commencing 3 August 2011.

Any person may make a written submission in relation to the Development Application.

Submissions will be received until 4pm on 18 August 2011. Any written submission may become a public document. Please quote Council's file number 010.2010.00000944.001 on any submission. **Enquiries may be directed to Grant Rokobauer, Development Assessment Supervisor on telephone 4677 1172 or email council@wollondilly.nsw.gov.au.**

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PROPOSED NOMINATED INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT

A Development Application has been received by Wollondilly Shire Council to use the following land:

Lot 1100 DP 1150160 – Park Way & Young Avenue, Camden Park – the Central Reserve

For the purposes of: Community Facility comprising Shelter & Amenities, Civil Works & Landscaping

Applicant: Byrnes PDM Pty Ltd

Consent Authority: Wollondilly Shire Council

The Development Application is a Nominated Integrated Development under Clause 5(1)(b) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulations 2000.

Approval for the proposed development is required from the NSW Office of Water under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979 in respect of a Controlled Activity Approval under Section 91 of the Water Management Act, 2000.

The application and plans relating to the proposal may be inspected at Council's Offices, 62-64 Menangle Street, Picton, between 8am and 4pm Monday to Friday (public holidays excepted) for thirty one (31) days commencing 3 August 2011.

Any person may make a written submission in relation to the Development Application. Written submissions received may become a public document. Submissions will be received until 4.00pm on 5 September 2011. Please quote Council's file number 010.2011.00000338.001 on any submission. **Enquiries may be directed to Grant Rokobauer, Development Assessment Supervisor on 4677 1172 or email council@wollondilly.nsw.gov.au.**

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