

Sharpe Bros among significant men of the Central Coast



A NEW book by Margaret Hardy titled Significant Men of The Central Coast was recently launched at Gosford, NSW.

Michael, Richard and Hayden Sharpe of Sharpe Bros are mentioned for their involvement in providing support to community groups through donations, partnerships, volunteering and community sponsorships.

During the nineteen fifties and sixties, the Sharpe family were in the business of development and building construction on Sydney's Central Coast. Asphalt operations commenced in 1970 as an extension of the family's business activities and today Sharpe Bros is an asphalt paving company provides services for road surfacing and maintenance operations throughout the country.

The three Sharpe brothers are supporters of Apex, Rotary and various chambers of commerce. "With their investment in new technologies, new machinery and innovative safety programs, Sharpe Bros has provided employment opportunities for local people," states the author, Margaret Hardy.

"They also entered into a \$25,000 sponsorship arrangement with the Gosford Regional Gallery at East Gosford which includes an 'Emerging Young Artists Prize', 'The Sharpe Bros Art Prize' and 'The Sharpe Bros Road Workers Prize'. This much valued support gives incentive to the Artists and the Gallery."

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