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HOLIDAY PARKS TRUST

BONNY HILLS HOLIDAY PARK WINS GOLD!

North Coast Holiday Parks (NCHP) Bonny Hills has struck gold after winning the top award at the 2014 North Coast Tourism Awards held in South West Rocks over the weekend.

NCHP Bonny Hills took out the coveted Gold Award in the category of *Tourist and Caravan Parks* in a night that celebrated the best Tourism Operators along the North Coast from Great Lakes to the Tweed. The annual awards are a collaboration of the North Coast Destination Network and the Legendary Pacific Coast in partnership with the 14 North Coast Councils.

North Coast Holiday Parks manages 24 parks and forms part of the NSW Crown Holiday Parks Trust (CHPT). NSW CHPT CEO Steve Edmonds said the relationship of the Trust with the local community, Council and Chamber of Commerce has been a great success at Bonny Hills and one that the Trust continues to roll out in local communities that NSW CHPT Parks and Reserves are located in.

“Funding and construction of a new beachfront walkway around the headland is one of the most recent infrastructure improvements that Park guests, the local community and visitors to the area enjoy on a daily basis,” Mr Edmonds said.

“The scenic walkway is part of \$1.7 million in infrastructure improvements that the Park and surrounding area has undergone since late 2012.

“This award also demonstrates the ongoing commitment that the Trust, Park Managers, Greg and Michelle Morrissey, and their team at Bonny Hills have towards providing a superior level of service and accommodation.

“This is the first time the Trust have entered a submission for an award for Bonny Hills and to receive this top industry accolade at the outset is a fantastic achievement for the entire team.

“The caravan and camping holiday is part of the Australian way of life; the staff at Bonny Hills and the NSW CHPT team are to be congratulated for providing a holiday destination of such a high standard that families can enjoy for many years to come.”

NCHP Bonny Hills Managers Greg and Michelle Morrissey said they were proud to receive the award as their entire team all work alongside the Trust to provide superior accommodation and give Park guests the best experience possible during their stay.

“You would be hard pressed to find another team as hard working and as dedicated to their work as the staff here at Bonny Hills and this award is recognition of that,” Mr Morrissey said.

North Coast Holiday Parks Bonny Hills has six cabins, 16 holiday van sites and 56 short-term caravan & camping sites, as well as three new “Glamping” beach tents which provide all of the luxuries of modern living. It boasts sweeping ocean views and is located on the coastal headland in Bonny Hills, just seven kilometres North of Laurieton and 20km South of Port Macquarie.

A full list of activities, accommodation and rates are available at www.northcoastholidayparks.com.au and the latest Park updates can be found at www.facebook.com/BonnyHillsHP.

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