

## **Member News**

### **SEELEY INTERNATIONAL**

Jon Seely Appointment to new senior role.

Seeley International Founder and Executive Chairman, Mr Frank Seeley AM has announced the appointment of Jon Seeley to the newly-created role of Group Managing Director.

The senior appointment is designed to drive further growth, innovation and business development across all of the Seeley entities, and aligns with the Group's strategic plan to establish a more robust corporate structure. Mr Jon Seeley will also continue to oversee the development of recently formed companies as well as future acquisitions, to ensure the realisation of Seeley International's growth strategy to become a \$1 Billion company

### **SUNTRIX**

Suntrix have just introduced their new LED lighting range they aren't 'just another solar company' they are again proving this point. LED lighting is a natural progression for the company who not only installs solar systems on homes and business, but work with their customers to reduce power usage, thereby helping clients cut their electricity bills even faster.

Simply swapping ten inefficient halogen downlight globes to an LED option can save around \$443 a year. LED options are not limited to just downlights - Suntrix can provide LED solutions for all manner of lighting applications including high bays and LED tubes

(\*Savings calculated based upon 10 hours running time with power costs of 30cents per 1,000W/Hours)

### **THE WYLIE GROUP**

Mark Wylie of the Wylie Group, a third generation family business, is one of the founders of the "Family Business Movement" in Australia. Mark has recently joined the Jaquillard Minns Family Office as an Advisor. His role is to advise family businesses and family offices on a wide range of issues that affect families such as governance, family leadership, wealth creation, philanthropy, advice and administration.

Marks passion in life is to help family business members deal with the hard issues that affect many families in Australia. He has a wealth of experience in business and especially family business as he has work in family businesses for over 40 years.

### **BEAUMONT TILES**

Adelaide-based family business, Beaumont Tiles, has reached a major retail milestone recently opening its 100th outlet in Sydney's affluent northern beaches in North Manly.

Beaumont Tiles Managing Director Bob Beaumont said the company has increased its national footprint by 35 per cent over the last three years with a current focus on growing its NSW presence.

"We're incredibly proud to reach our 100th outlet. Our absolute goal however has been to be the best at what we do and the growth has followed. This philosophy runs across the people we employ, the technologies we deploy, the products we offer and the value we place on our customers," Mr Beaumont said. The SA success story began in the 1960s when local greeting cards and travel goods distributor R J Beaumont decided to import tiles after being unable to source suitable product for his own home. Today, the family-owned company turns over more than \$200 million a year, employs 800 people and imports more than 100,000 tonnes of tiles a year in addition to those sourced locally.

## WOTHERSPOON WEALTH

Astute Investing has changed its name to Wotherspoon Wealth.

“The new name celebrates our heritage and is as distinctive as our service” says John Wotherspoon.

“First for independent investment advice in Adelaide - we operate differently to most, consistently providing personalised, impartial investment advice” says Simon Wotherspoon.

Astute Investing was founded by Simon and John Wotherspoon early in 2010. Five years later, the business continues to grow, sharing its success with a growing client group. This family owned business was ahead of its time in offering completely independent investment advice and commission free insurance along with other private wealth management services.

The entire team encouraged the use of the name Wotherspoon Wealth because the business has been built on John and Simon’s values and experience. John’s entrepreneurial spirit and proven advisory record over almost 30 years provide an invaluable foundation. Simon is also an experienced, trusted advisor with his contagious passion and energy adding innovative flair and development ideas to the blend.

Clients joined in celebrating their new name with the Wotherspoon Wealth team on 18th February 2015 at their freshly rebranded Glen Osmond offices. Each received a commemorative gift of a limited edition boutique release of McLaren Vale Shiraz – aptly named ‘The Independent Adviser’.