

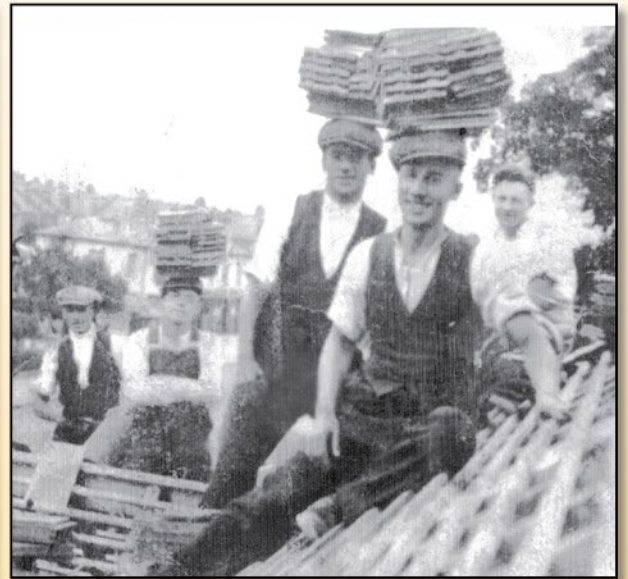
HYTILE NEWSLETTER

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USING YOUR HEAD – NOW, AND THEN!



Despite bushfires, a pandemic, flooding and storm damage, Australia's building industry is in a healthy state with confidence remaining high. Federal Government incentives for both new homes and home ownership are helping encourage a buoyant economy. Also encouraging is the Master Builders' Association reporting that renovations are currently at a 10 year high.



NEED A NEW ELEVATOR?

The Instant Asset Write-off Scheme is continuing.
So, what does this mean for you?

It allows businesses to claim an immediate deduction on the cost of an asset – which effectively means that on the purchase of a new Cable Hoist, Belt Elevator or Solar Panel Lifter you get around \$3,000 back in your pocket at tax time. Might be time to consider updating your equipment.



HYTILE RIDGECOVERS

Rain, rain and more rain....It's that time of the year again, so don't let your hard work, time and money get washed away in a sudden downpour. Invest in a few Ridgecovers so you always have 'protection' on-hand.



HYTILE BATTEN TROLLEY

The Hytile Batten Trolley is a popular tool for the

"back conscious" roof tiler. Tiles can be transferred from one end of the roof to the other with a minimum of physical effort.

They are particularly useful on long gable roofs, and in today's market where block sizes are becoming smaller the options for loading a roof from all sides are limited. In these situations, the Hytile Batten Trolley can be a big advantage in speed and energy saving – just load and roll!

View it in action on our website at www.hytile.com.au

Some T.L.C. for your Tilecutter

Does your Tilecutter need a bit of attention?

Drop it in and we'll sharpen the chisel, replace the cutting wheel and give it a bit of grease and oil. If the cutting action is a little sloppy we can rectify this with oversize link bolts – you'll really notice the difference.

Doing the job yourself? When the gap between the chisel and cutter wheel widens with use, sharpen the chisel. Don't just slide the chisel down and nip up the grub screw – it will pop back up with the first cut. Instead, pack some small washers under the base of the chisel. Replace the cutter wheel when it gets blunt.



**HYTILE
CHIPPING
HAMMERS**



▲ **DEC Roofing's Stephanie Doidje got the gong for Murray Valley Training's Best Apprentice last year during Covid.**

Stephanie works for Rob Walker alongside her brother Dean, and it's a real family affair. Rob is retiring shortly so she and Dean will then move on to work for Rob's son Daniel of Texas Roofing. Rob is a long-time Hytile customer and we wish him a very happy retirement. All the best for the future to him and wife Denise.

ROOF TILING APPRENTICE AWARDS



Above: Jack with boss Craig



Above: Philip with boss Leigh



And moving right along, Holmesglen TAFE's awards night was held in March this year where the following up-and-coming young apprentices received recognition for their efforts: Jack House from Excellent Roofing, Ethan Benson from Straight Edge Roofing, and Philip Creasey from Jaguar Roofing. **Well done boys!**

What did the barista call her face mask? A coughy filter!

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