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Young artists inspire



BLACKTOWN'S vibrant young artists have been presented with their awards in the children's section of the 2007 Blacktown City Art Exhibition in a showcase of spectacular vision for the future.

The young artists aged from five to 15 contributed to the 'Solar Cities' theme of the exhibition and were awarded first prize, highly commended and People's Choice awards. Some of the prizes the young artists were presented included gift certificates, art supplies, rulers, pencils and environment bags.

Max Cyresko and Bainy Zhang were two of the first-prize winners and were presented their awards by Councillor Barbara Gapps and Director of Environment and Recreation Services, Liz Jeremy.

"I am impressed with the artistry displayed in the works of art and the creative responses of these young artists to the Solar team. Council is so impressed that we are looking at potentially using these artworks to promote the Blacktown City Solar City Project," Mayor of Blacktown City, Councillor Leo Kelly, OAM said.