

# TRIPPAS WHITE GROUP

## MEDIA RELEASE

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### Trippas White Group donates a significant contribution to The Scots College Indigenous Program.

Trippas White Group donated \$50,000 to the Indigenous Program created by The Scots College, an elite private boys' school in Sydney's eastern suburbs.

The donation contributed to the commissioning of a bronze sculpture replicating Leon Wunungmurra, a previous Scots College student who graduated from the Indigenous Program in 2017. The sculpture was revealed at the Open Day during the 125-year anniversary celebration of transforming boys' education.

The Sculpture is a representation of two cultures coming together, combining the authenticity of Aboriginal education entwined with Scots College educational program. This is reflected through the strong stance of the sculpture as he holds his spear ready to hunt, whilst proud to wear the Scots College kilt.

The Indigenous Program was established in 2012 and run by Indigenous Education Executive Officer, Jonathan Samengo. "Six years later, we have raised over \$6 million to help educate and provide boarding for more than 20 Aboriginal boys across Australia," says Jonathan Samengo.

Brien Trippas, Executive & Chairman of Trippas White Group and Joseph Murray, Managing Director, witnessed the unveiling of the stunning sculpture on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March.

Trippas White Group is pleased to be a part of an inspiring program that gives back to the Aboriginal community. "It was an honour to be a part of such a significant moment for both Scots College and Trippas White Group," said Brien Trippas.

The long-standing relationship with Scot's College began eight years ago when Trippas White Group won the contract to provide catering services for the college. This includes providing daily nutritious meals for the Scots College boys, through to catering for celebrations and events such as; their Open Days, Indigenous Gala Dinners, Awards Ceremonies and more.

Trippas White Group has over 25 years hospitality experience and provides extensive services to a diverse portfolio. This includes prestigious educational precincts, National networks of first and business-class lounges for Singapore airlines, and the healthcare sectors.

In addition, the group has several premium restaurants, cafés and event spaces across Australia in some of the most iconic locations. Venues include; 360 Bar and Dining in Westfield Tower, Portside Sydney Opera House, Botanic Gardens Restaurant, Centennial Homestead, WATT at the Brisbane Powerhouse, Beach House Avalon, Roslyn Packer Theatre and Walsh Bay Kitchen.

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