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### **SOUTH BANK RESTAURANTS PICK UP TWO PRIZES AT FOOD AWARDS**

South Bank's Little Stanley Street reinforced its reputation as one of Brisbane's best dining destinations recently, picking up two awards at the 2007 Restaurant and Catering Queensland HOSTPLUS Brisbane Awards for Excellence.

Popular eateries Obsession Chinese Restaurant and Café and The Point Restaurant and Bar walked away from the star-studded awards ceremony with the Best Chinese Restaurant and Best Alfresco Dining Restaurant awards respectively.

Obsession's Joyce Chiu said winning the award for Best Chinese Restaurant was a great reward for five years of hard work.

"This is not just my reward, but also a reward for our fantastic chef and great floor staff who are the ones that really make Obsession a great place to dine," Joyce said.

"It's not enough to just have good food these days. You need impeccable service, a good atmosphere and attractive presentation as well. The fact that we are able to provide all of those elements alongside traditional Chinese flavours is the reason we have been honoured with this award."

The Point's Erso Isik said he was ecstatic about picking up the Best Alfresco Dining Restaurant award at the ceremony.

"The Point has worked very hard over the past year perfecting our food and service. I have to say we're all very happy," Erso said.

South Bank Corporation CEO Malcolm Snow congratulated Joyce and Erso and wished them luck for the State final in September.

"It is a wonderful achievement for both Obsession and The Point to have been recognised as Brisbane's best in these highly competitive categories," Mr Snow said.

"These awards show that South Bank, and especially Little Stanley Street, has built an undeniable reputation as one of the premier dining precincts in Brisbane.

"Little Stanley Street, Grey Street and the Parklands have an unrivalled variety of fine restaurants, chic cafés and great bars that make South Bank a fantastic social destination."

For bookings or more information on The Point call 3846 5555 or go to [www.thepointrb.com](http://www.thepointrb.com).

For bookings or more information on Obsession Chinese Restaurant and Café call 3844 3373 or go to [www.obsessionchinese.com.au](http://www.obsessionchinese.com.au).

For more information on the great variety of South Bank restaurants and cafes contact the South Bank Visitor Information Centre on 3867 2051 or log on to [www.visitsouthbank.com.au](http://www.visitsouthbank.com.au).

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