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Ben Okley has reached the Semi Finals of the Budget Car and Truck Rentals Philanthropic Award in the prestigious 7NEWS Young Achiever Awards VIC.

The next round of judging, which determines the Finalists in each category, is taking place on Wednesday 3rd March, so stay tuned for the results.

Make sure you "Like" our Facebook page to hear all the latest news, plus the announcement of Finalists in early March. Finalists will be announced in the following categories:

- Budget Car and Truck Rentals Philanthropic Award
- First National Real Estate Leadership Award
- Generation Us Career Achievement Award
- IKON Services Environmental Sustainability Award
- Kangan Institute Inspirational TAFE Student Award
- Luminary Tech Visionary Award
- oacdigital Online Achievement Award
- Qoin Small Business Achiever Award
- Saward Dawson Community Service and Social Impact Award
- The Bridge Create Change Award
- The Victorian Government Group Achievement in the Community Award
- Awards Australia Health and Wellbeing Award
- Yarn Strong Sista Indigenous Achievement Award

Winners will be announced at an Awards Gala Presentation Dinner on Friday 16th April at Sofitel Melbourne On Collins. All nominees regardless of judging results are invited to attend and will be presented with a framed certificate on stage to honour their achievements and community contribution.

For further information, visit <u>www.youngachieverawards.com</u> or alternatively, please feel free to call the Awards office on 9720 1638.

Best wishes to Ben Okley at the next round of judging.

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The Young Achiever Awards began in 2012 with the purpose to acknowledge, encourage and most importantly promote the positive achievements of all young people up to and including 29 years of age. The awards showcase the achievements of young Victorians, and pay tribute to their vision, innovation and commitment to contributing to their community