## CresWalk 2008 - Vote of thanks

ASA and good morning.

On behalf of the team of COB a special thank you to our guests **Sharif Deen** - We are truly inspired by his achievement and I am sure he has motivated the rest of us to get active and healthy. Thank you for sharing this morning with us.

Thank you to the **Dept of Health** and aging for their sponsorship of CresWalk and especially to former health Minister **Stephen Robertson** for his assistance.

To Kellys Distributors for sponsoring the juices today.

Thank you to ALL our random draw prize sponsors, Fabric Cash and Carry (westfield vouchers & pins), ABD poultry (2nt wotif accom), Nandos Mt Gravatt (Nintendo Wii), Healthy life Browns Plains (toilet set kids), Hatia Property Corporation (Movie vouchers), Kouxan Massage (2\*\$80 vouchers), Basket Cases at Underwood Market, The Purple Olive (meal), Mados Restaurant (meal), Akifah Suleman (2 paintings), Kara Activ (voucher), Color spray concrete (DVD), MnM Packaging (gym membership), Yunus Hussein (table mats & runners), Compton Rd Dental (Toaster, Rice Cooker and mincer), Beauty in Progress (Pedicure voucher) & Global convenience (\$100 voucher)

Thank you to **Designer Physique** (for the shakers), **Nutralife**, **Unique** (for the protein bars/ginseng balls), **Select foods** (for nut containers and nuts), **Microgenetics** (for lavender pillows), to **Robins Foods** (kiddies lollies), **Dreamworld** (for discount Vouchers) & **The Coffee Club @ Underwood** (for VIP membership vouchers)

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The success of any event depends on the participants - a special thank you to each of you for your participation in making this another enjoyable day and we hope you've had every bit of fun we've intended for you.

Also THANK YOU ALL for your ongoing support thro' out the year in the numerous other activities of Crescents of Brisbane.

I hope I have remembered everyone involved, but if I've inadvertently forgot you, I apologise for the omission but thank you as well.

Lastly, thank you to the rest of the team of Crescents of Brisbane. Our team this year is the most youthful team we've ever had at Crescents, and as one of the more senior members, it's a pleasure to see the team spirit and leadership role the younger members of our team have taken on - A special thank you to each one of you.

Till next year, same time, same place we'll see you at CresWalk 2010 Insha-Allah.

Iqbal Sultan (Crescents of Brisbane Treasurer)