

## Magellan toasts a record conference

**IT WAS** bigger and better than ever – Magellan Travel Group last week celebrated a successful three-day conference at the Perth Crown Towers, including a fabulous Gala dinner event held on Fri evening.

With more than 300 delegates in attendance, it was the biggest annual conference that Magellan has ever hosted.

Key highlights included the Group's announcement of an exclusive luxury affinity program with Signature Travel Network, the launch of the new Magellan Members Portal and new digital marketing tools and services which were launched to the



**AT SANDALFORD** winery: Deb Fox, APT; Andrew Macfarlane, Magellan Travel Group md; Susan Haberle, APT; and David Stafford, Magellan Travel Group.

group's members.

As the conference drew to a close, tributes were paid to the recently-retired founding board member of the Magellan Travel Group, Kevin Dale.



**A GATHERING** of new members celebrating coming together for their first Magellan Conference since joining.



**ENJOYING** the welcome event, Mark Pearman of Epping Travel, retired founding director of Magellan Kevin Dale and Simone Kaye of Worldwide Travel.



**ANDREW** Macfarlane with Virgin Australia's Angela Grant (left) and Ann Elliott.



**KRISTINE** Chippendale of Qantas with prize winner Laura Maitland of Alpha Travel.



**FAREWELLING** founding director Kevin Dale: Andrew Macfarlane with Andrew Jones, Kevin Dale and Trevor Jones.



**LAURA** Noccioli from Travelrite International with Andrew Mcfarlane and Etihad Airways general manager AU/NZ Sarah Built.



**TRAFALGAR'S** Matt Cameron-Smith with Kevin Dale and Trafalgar global ceo Gavin Tollman.



**HAVING** a round of golf: Kevin Dale; Melinda Gregor, Gregor & Lewis; Les Cox, Albatross Tours; and Rob Mackie, Trans World Travel.



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