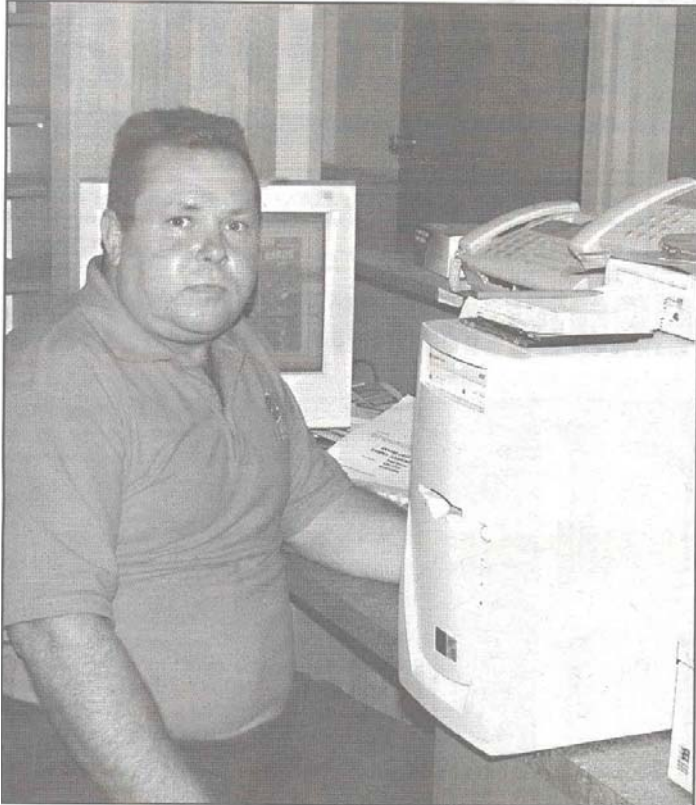


# LOCAL BUSINESS PARTNERS AUSSIE ICON



After 16 years of service to the local community most everyone would know Appro Computers. Operated by husband and wife team Carl and Julie Glover Appro has provided our schools, businesses and our homes with all their needs and has often supported local sports and charity funding when ever the call went out.

Carl and Julie have partnered with one of Australia's best recognised icons AWA.

"Working with AWA provides us with greater opportunity and enables us to service our customers in a more efficient and effective manner" says Carl. Our local customers can still deal with the friendly staff they are accustomed to and now our technicians have access to the AWA support systems and have the solid backing of the AWA technical team. Northern Illawarra locals who own better brand name computer systems will now be visited by AWA (Appro) when ever a warranty issue arises.

"We are able to bring so much more to the table now by providing a full range of Computer, Home entertainment, communications and even TV repair services" Carl added. Carl

and Julie have long prided themselves on their combined 32 years of experience in IT providing locals with real experience and knowledge ensuring excellent service.

"Times are tough in business today" say Carl " and the It industry is one of the toughest with so much competition from large retailers. We focus on services and repairs and not so much on quick sales of cheaper systems.

Over the years I've seen many IT businesses come along and then disappear leaving people stuck.

We know that partnering with AWA will help to ensure that we continue to serve our local communities for another 16 years".

Keep an eye out around town for Carl's new AWA van. Carl can be contacted on 4294 3362 or 1300 666 410.

## RAIL TUNNEL PLAN DROPED

The New South Wales Labor Party has shelved a plan to cut rail travelling time between Wollongong and Sydney, but is keeping open the option of shortening the road journey.

The party's blueprint southern suburbs re- that the road will be built