

# OUR ORIGINS OUR COMMUNIT OUR FUTURE





# Our **business**

BFX Furniture is an Australian business specialising in the design, manufacture and supply of education, office and commercial furniture.

We have been in the furniture business for over 35 years and offer an extensive range of quality products, professional services, innovation, and experience. That is why we are one of Australia's most trusted providers of education and office furniture solutions.



"Customer service is part of BFX's DNA and our people are key to the success of our business."

For years, we've been investing in the growth and professional development of our national sales and project consultancy team to ensure customers can access expert advice anywhere and anytime. Behind our 'front line', and from the earliest days of the business, we have also built a supply chain team that has hundreds of years' combined industry experience.

For these reasons, BFX is an approved supplier to both the Queensland and New South Wales Governments and is the largest supplier of education furniture nationally.



**BFX First Establishment** 



**BFX Furniture Headquarters** 

# Our **origins**

Established by the Moore family in 1987 – literally in the backyard shed – BFX has grown and evolved to become one of Australia's leading suppliers of education and office furniture.

In 2009, BFX pioneered the development of 'flexible learning furniture' at the request of the Queensland Government to better cater for the wide range of teaching and learning styles. Today, we're supplying innovative furniture solutions like this to every Australian State and abroad.

BFX is a bigger business today than it was even 10 years ago, but we still pride ourselves on providing the same personal service and quality products you expect from a small, family business.

# Our **people**

With a growing workforce of more than 250 staff, BFX has an extended sales team based all over metropolitan and regional Australia as well.

The BFX team come from many backgrounds. New and Old Australians. First Australians. Our Indigenous Participation Plan captures our commitment to diversity and is enabling economic and employment opportunities for local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island people within, and together with, our business.

At BFX, five, ten, 15 and 20 years' service is common. Second generation BFX employees are not uncommon.



"Together, we celebrate diversity, we salute success, and we always look to do better."

# Our **community**

BFX is still based where it all started, at Yandina on Queensland's Sunshine Coast.

Nestled at the base of Mount Ninderry (Gubbi Gubbi/Kabi Kabi Country), our 13,000m<sup>2</sup> modern manufacturing and supply facility is the nucleus of our business and home to BFX Headquarters.

At BFX we support hundreds of families locally and throughout metropolitan and regional Australia through direct employment. We support many more through our support of Australian suppliers, sub-contractors, small and medium enterprises (SME's).

BFX is 100% Australian owned and operated and we are proud of the contribution our business makes to the community.

## Our **environment**

BFX Furniture has an enduring commitment to the sustainability of our products and practices.

We achieve this through ethical sourcing and continuous improvement in our use of raw materials, energy and resources, waste minimisation and recycling, and furniture design that ensures our products are fit-for-purpose and built to last.

Our manufacturing and supply headquarters is solar powered and 'carbon neutral'. Partnerships with suppliers Laminex, SAPAR and JJ Richards see our board, metal and cardboard waste recycled, while plastic packaging is minimised, and polystyrene has been almost completely removed from our supply chain.

BFX has an unblemished record of compliance with local, state, and federal legislation and Australian standards. We use an Environmental Management System (ISO 14001), independently audited and certified, to continuously improve our business' production systems and performance.



**Sustainable AS/NZS ISO 14001 Environmental Management** System, certified by CACS



**EO** Board **Emission Level E0** 



**Good Environmental Choice** Certified by GECA





"Our goal is to forever enhance the social, environmental, and economic sustainability of our business – and to be at the forefront of our industry's efforts to reduce its impact on the environment."

# Our **capacity**

BFX is committed to the superior design, production and supply of quality products and services.

We invest in research and active partnerships with education leaders to ensure that we design, specify and supply learning spaces that ensure maximum student and teacher engagement and wellbeing.

Our dedicated Research, Product Development and Design Teams are constantly improving product designs so that we can continue to be leaders in our field.

Backed by a growing team of 65 professional Project Consultants and a specialist Major Projects Division, BFX has the capacity to deliver projects of any scope. These teams work collaboratively with our Distribution and Installation departments to deliver state-of-the-art government, education and office projects nationally.

This dependable approach has seen the company approved as a contract supplier to the NSW Government, a preferred supplier of Queensland Government furniture and the sole supplier of Queensland emergency school furniture, under which school fitouts must be provided within days of a fire, flood or other event.



## **Proven Success**



## Robina TAFE TAFE QLD

Robina, QLD

## **Endeavour Hills Special School**

Ireland Brown Construction Endeavour Hills, VIC

#### **USC Library**

**USC Facilities Management** Sippy Downs, QLD

#### **Fitzroy Gasworks Senior School**

Watpac Fitzroy North, VIC

### **Muswellbrook South Public School**

School Infrastructure Muswellbrook, NSW

#### **Our Lady of The Sacred Heart**

Sydney Catholic Schools Kensington, NSW

## Our future

A \$20 million specialist distribution centre is the final piece of the growth puzzle for BFX Furniture.

The planned new building will be a state-of-the-art distribution facility of around 7000 square metres of floor space.

The expansion alongside the existing BFX premises in Yandina will facilitate the ability to supply a growing demand for BFX products and services in Australia and abroad.



"We will continue our commitment to diversity by providing opportunity to all."



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