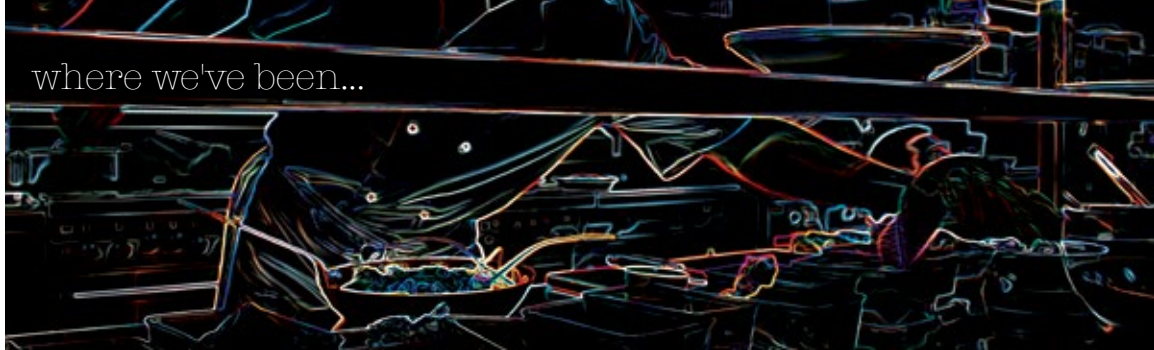


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### **Jonas Cafe** Campbelltown

I have bragged before about the quality of 'in Macarthur' magazine's sales meetings. There are only four of us and unsurprisingly, we all love eating. Jonas Cafe in the Stowe Apartments near Macarthur Square was our venue and indulgence was at the forefront of our thinking.

Well, my thinking. I was ordering and decided on a share concept. I opted for the two most indulgent breakfast menu items and there was not one single complaint from anyone. French Toast and Ricotta Hotcakes formed our sticky sweet order. One serve of each between four of us is pretty much a sample of the dishes, but again, nobody was complaining. A petite, tasty sweet treat with a quality coffee is a perfect business meeting accompaniment.

Jonas is a slick new cafe serving a brilliant version of modern cafe fare. Along with all the disgraceful behaviour that social media has enabled, it has also created a pretty reliable source of hospitality reviews. A good review is never a guarantee, but neither is a bad review. A universal out pouring of either is a sure sign though, one way or the other. I am yet to see one less than gushing review of Jonas. The food, the Toby's Estate Coffee, the service and atmosphere - all earn somewhere between 4 and 5 stars. We agree!

Jonas is a collaboration between a chef and a manager. That's a good arrangement if you're considering a partnership in hospitality. Maria and Nathalie have their individual roles and

respect the other's ability and autonomy. From what we have observed on several occasions, it's working a treat!