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RESTAURANT LITERALLY "IGNITES" DURING DOCKLANDS FESTIVAL

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(Docklands) When Bellissimo signed up to participate in the Docklands Ignite Festival by featuring a spicy dish of "Fresh Garganelli pasta with chorizo sausage, chili and garlic", they weren't expecting to put on their own fire show too.

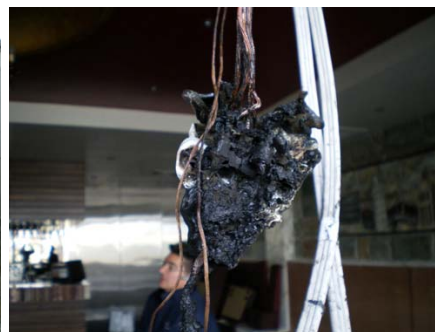
Bellissimo's participation in the winter festivities took an ironic turn when the restaurant literally IGNITED over the weekend.

An electrical fault erupted in flames early Saturday morning (21 June) while the Head Chef was arriving to prepare for the busy day ahead.

Air conditioning ducts caught alight with most of the fire remaining at ceiling level. Sprinklers went off and controlled the blaze while causing much water damage to the carpet and furniture. The exact cause is being looked at by the fire investigation unit. Chef was unharmed by the fire.

Closed to the public for a short time while repairs are taking place, the restaurant will be upgrading its kitchen facilities and adding a new pizza oven.

Bellissimo aims to re-open its doors by Wednesday 2nd July 08.
For booking issues, please phone 9326 6636



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