

## CATEGORY

## AUSTRALIAN STONE

## - BEST RESIDENTIAL PROJECT -

**ARCHITECT:** Finnis Architects

**DESIGNER:** No specific architect – this was a team project

**BUILDER/DEVELOPER:** The Rattray Group – Julian Rattray

STONE SUPPLIER: Bamstone

**STONE INSTALLER:** Peninsular Stone Masons





## Bluestone in Brighton

Situated in the Melbourne bay side suburb of Brighton, this two story home featuring Bluestone from Bamstone celebrates modern design. Diamond sawn Australian bluestone wraps the external walls in a harmonious rhythmic pattern, according to Bamstone. Each paver was fixed to the exterior façade with mechanical and megaproxy fixing. Additionally, sawn Australian bluestone paving surrounds the exterior of the house, leading the eye to the outdoor drop edge bluestone pool and entertainment space.

Bringing the outdoors in, bluestone flows into the interior space via feature wall pillars, complementing the natural wood architectural features throughout. The stone has been fixed with an open 2mm join with mitred corners. High ceiling details and large open living spaces

make the interior space a simplistic and timeless oasis.

Cam Freeden, director, Peninsula Stonemasons Group, said: "One of the important lessons learned by us after 40 years as building masons in Victoria is, choose your suppliers wisely. For first grade geology, service and sheer technical ability Bamstone set all the standards".

Bamstone is an Australian, familyowned and operated business with a reputation for superior customer service and the production of highest quality natural stone products. The company have been paving projects in Australia and the world with Bamstone Bluestone for more than four decades.

Today, it is Australia's largest stone processing facility. It also produces unique artisan-created stone furniture.

