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Business Excellence Awards finalists announced

Finalists in the 2019 City of Melton Business Excellence Awards were announced at a special presentation ceremony today.

Thirty businesses from hospitality, trades, professional services, creative industries and more are now in the running to win a business excellence award in 12 categories including Business of the Year.

Now in its 13th year, these awards are about recognising and rewarding the great contributions local businesses make to the City of Melton.

This year, a 50 per cent increase in nominations added to the highly competitive selection process.

City of Melton Mayor Cr Bob Turner said the quality of entrants across the categories was exceptionally high.

“It’s a hugely competitive field this year and I’d like to congratulate each of the finalists for making it this far,” Cr Turner said.

“I’m continually impressed by the outstanding achievements of local businesses and I look forward to celebrating the innovation, talents and contributions of our finalists at the awards gala dinner.

“These awards are one of many Council initiatives working to help local businesses thrive in the City of Melton.”

Principal sponsor of the 2019 awards is Quest Apartments Caroline Springs, returning for the third year.

“We’re grateful for the support from our event sponsors who help make the business awards possible,” Cr Turner said.

The awards gala dinner will be held on 30 August at Tabcorp Park.

“Whether your business is a finalist or not, the gala dinner is a great way to reward



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your staff with a night out, celebrate business achievements and network with other local industry leaders,” Cr Turner said.

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Category	Proudly sponsored by:	Finalists
Best Creative Industries Business Award	Victoria University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Melton Music - Same Day Printing - Bespoke Art Framing
Best Hospitality & Tourism Business Award	WestWaters Hotel & Entertainment Complex	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Eynesbury Homestead & Golf - Compass Expeditions - Dingo Discovery Sanctuary & Research Centre
Best Micro or Home Based Business Award	The GEO Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cross the T - Happily Ever After Celebrant Service - My Diffability Australia - moJé essentials
Best Professional Services Business Award	Western Water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - XO Accounting - Kool Kidz Ravenhall - Words in Motion Speech Pathology - Serenity Bookkeeping Solutions
Best Retail Business Award	Woodgrove	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Melton Pools & Spas - Melton Florist - My Diffability Australia
Best Trade & Construction Business Award	Atherstone Exchange	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fixwell Smash Repairs



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Waterproofers - Monte’s Kitchen Cabinets
Community Contribution Award	Matchworks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hope Street Youth & Family Services - Djerriwarrh Community & Education Services - Combined Churches Caring Melton - 979FM Melton Community Radio
Innovation Award	Westkon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pacing Dynamics - The Enchanted Studios - Events 720
Best Personal Services Business Award	Melton Toyota	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Watervale Dental - Melton Swim School - The Fit Station Caroline Springs
Best Access and Inclusion Business	Melton Disability Advisory Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All finalists
Mayoral Achievement Award	Venture Melton	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All finalists
Business of the Year Award	Quest Apartments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All category winners
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