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Finalists Announced for 2025 CareSuper Business Excellence Awards

The Launceston Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce the finalists for the 2025 CareSuper Business Excellence Awards, following a record-breaking year of participation.

A total of 129 applications were received, with 71 finalists representing 53 outstanding businesses across Northern Tasmania. Each of the award categories features a maximum of five finalists, selected through a robust and refreshed judging process. This year, judges included subject matter experts and industry leaders, ensuring credibility, fairness, and quality outcomes. All finalists have now been notified.

“We were thrilled with the number and caliber of applications this year,” said Alina Bain, CEO of the Launceston Chamber of Commerce. “It’s clear that the spirit of innovation and excellence is thriving across our region.”

The breadth of applications reflects the strength and diversity of our region’s business community—spanning small, medium and large enterprises, and including entries from Beaconsfield, West Tamar, Devonport and Deloraine.

Finalists represent a wide range of industries, from the community and care sector to professional services, tourism, events and festivals.

“One of the most exciting trends this year is the strong engagement from new businesses and regional entrants,” Ms Bain said. “It highlights the growing dynamism of our entire business ecosystem.”

The Young Professional category drew particular attention with 18 applications and five exceptional finalists. “It is encouraging to see so many talented young professionals stepping up. The future of leadership in Northern Tasmania is in great hands,” added Ms Bain.

Winners in each category, along with the Chambers Choice Award, Business of the Year, Hall of Fame inductee, and Life Member recognition, will be announced at the Gala Dinner on Saturday 30 August at the Hotel Grand Chancellor Launceston.

“This event isn’t just about awards—it is a celebration of the people and businesses that drive our region forward,” Ms Bain said. “Guests can expect an unforgettable night, with a three-course dinner by Chef Peter Twitchett, premium Josef Chromy wines and Boags beer, and a stunning live performance from a Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra ensemble.”

To help celebrate, Hotel Grand Chancellor Launceston is offering a night's accommodation for two. Purchase your Gala tickets by Friday 15 August to go in the draw. The winner will be notified by Monday 18 August 2025.

"We want the Gala to reflect the excellence we are celebrating," said Ms Bain. "It is a night to honour achievement, share in success, and create new connections within our vibrant business community."

Tickets available [here](#).

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FINALISTS:

Exceptional Customer Service:

Casalinga
Entombed Escape Rooms
Hire a Building Inspector
House of Beauty
Ivory & Deene
Multicap
Sponsored by Launtel

Exceptional Event:

Australian Musical Theatre Festival
Island Crown 2025
North Festival
Tasmanian Craft Fair
Tomorrow Conference
Sponsored by City of Launceston

Retail Excellence:

AdoreU
Balls & Bumpers
Honey Fawn Boutique
Ivory & Deene
Your Tea Shop
Sponsored by Launceston Central

Excellence in Tourism & Hospitality:

DuCane Brewing
Launceston By Foot
Paint the Town Red

Tamar River Cruises
Timbre Kitchen
Sponsored by Visit Northern Tasmania

Excellence in Design:

SM Building Pty Ltd
West Tamar Council
Sponsored by Walker Designs

Marketing Excellence:

Hawthorn Football Club
Multicap
Solstice Energy
The People Project
West Tamar Council
Sponsored by Clifford Craig Foundation

Professional Services Excellence:

AMC Search
Cavalletti Communications
Optim Equine
Synectic Accountants & Advisers
Women's Legal Service Tasmania
Sponsored by Launceston Airport

Excellence in Education & Training:

Health Nest
Innova Dental
Johnson First Aid
Tasmanian Leaders
The Dental Surgery, Newstead
Sponsored by TasTAFE

Excellence in Equity:

Self Help Workplace
Talent Advisory
X-hemp
Sponsored by MAS National

Excellence in Innovation & Technology:

Hire a Building Inspector
Enginuity Power Solutions

Sponsored by nbn co

Environmental Excellence:

Countrywide Hydrogen Holdings Pty Ltd

Enginuity Power Solutions

Florage

SM Building Pty Ltd

Sponsored by NRM North

Excellence in Health & Wellness:

Beta Park Boulderering

Giuntini Chiropractic and Family Wellness Centre

Johnson First Aid

Royal Flying Doctors Service Tasmania

Tasmania Vaccine Solutions

Sponsored by St Lukes

Building Exceptional Communities:

Beta Park Boulderering

Royal Flying Doctors Service Tasmania

Launceston Central

The North & Coast Post

West Tamar Council

Sponsored by JMC

Exceptional Workplaces:

AdoreU

ARTAS

Kate Presnell Body Works

Health Nest

ReadyTech

Sponsored by West Tamar Council

Excellence in Community Service:

Beaconsfield Family Medical

Citizen Advocacy Launceston Region

Hawthorn Football Club

OzHarvest

Royal Flying Doctors Service Tasmania

Sponsored by RioTinto Bell Bay

Young Professional of the Year

Carina Field
Tom Hodgman
Tom Green
David Kewley
Prashanth Reddy
Camilla Wishaw