

WYNDHAM BUSINESS AWARDS 2024



HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

- Enter your Wyndham based business
- Encourage the Wyndham based business you work for to enter
- Nominate a Wyndham business person for either the Business Person of the Year or Young Business Person of the Year award

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

Business Person of the Year
Young Business Person of the Year

AWARD CATEGORIES

New and Emerging/Start Up
Not for Profit or Social Enterprise
Micro Business
Small Business
Medium/Large Business

EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Excellence in Innovation
Excellence in Sustainability
Excellence in Customer Experience
Excellence in Diversity & Inclusion
Excellence in Local Community

ENTRIES OPEN 10 MAY

An exciting opportunity for Wyndham businesses and business leaders to participate, with awards on offer in a wide range of categories.

For further information and to enter the award:

[www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/
business-awards](http://www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/business-awards)



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FAQ'S

What is the cost to enter the awards?

There is no cost to enter the awards. Entering is simply a matter of submitting an entry and addressing all of the questions

How many awards can I enter?

A business is eligible to enter one of the business categories as outlined below.

New and Emerging/Start Up

Not for Profit/Social Enterprise

Micro Business - A business that employs between 0-4 persons from any sector

Small Business - A business, with anything between 5-19 persons from any sector

Medium/Large Business - A business, between 20 plus persons from any sector

In addition, a business is eligible to enter one Excellence award category.

Excellence in Innovation / Excellence in Sustainability / Excellence in Customer Experience
Excellence in Diversity & Inclusion / Excellence in Local Community

In addition, a business person would be eligible to enter one of the below

Business Person of the Year / Young Business Person of the Year

How are the awards judged?

The awards have two stages of judging. The first is the selection of finalists where all entrants are assessed and the top businesses within their category are named finalists. The second stage of judging involves a site visit by two category judges. This is approximately a 45-minute visit and is a great opportunity for the judges to learn more about your business first hand.

Is assistance available with the entry form or for me to learn more?

Council's Economic Development team host information sessions during the entry period which are a great way for businesses to learn about the process, the entry form and the questions. It's also a great networking opportunity with many local businesses in attendance and time allocated for networking. Register here for an information session www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/business-awards

When are the winners announced?

The finalists are announced in early 10 July. The winners of each category are announced at the Gala Awards Evening on Friday 6 September 2024 at Encore Events Centre, Hoppers Crossing.

Do I need to purchase tickets to the Gala Awards?

Yes, tickets for the Gala Awards go on sale 1 August. Finalists will have the first opportunity to purchase tickets followed by a general release subject to availability.

The event is a great opportunity to network and celebrate the achievements of all businesses in Wyndham. Finalists are encouraged to bring along family, friends and co-workers to celebrate.

What if I have more questions?

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact us via the methods below:
Wyndham City Economic Development Team

Email: businessawards@wyndham.vic.gov.au

Phone: 8734-5416

Website: www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/business-awards

In Person: Wyndham Civic Centre, 45 Princes Highway Werribee (by appointment only)

KEY DATES

Entries Open

9am, Friday 10 May

Entries Close

5pm, Friday 7 June

Information Session 1

Tuesday 21 May 9am – 10.30am

Information Session 2

Monday 27 May 5:30pm – 7.00pm

Virtual Information Sessions

Register at wyndham.vic.gov.au/business-awards

Finalist Event

Wednesday 10 July

Judges' Site Visits

Monday 1 July – Friday 5 July

Gala Evening Tickets Sale

Thursday 1 August

Gala Evening

Friday 6 September

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