

Shingle Inn Belmont Forum winner of City of Belmont's 'Best New Business' in 21st Belmont Small Business Awards

Shingle Inn Belmont Forum was one of more than 25 Western Australian small businesses awarded in the 21st Belmont Small Business Awards. The winners were showcased at the 'Night of Stars Event' Grand Ballroom, Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre, Perth on October 31st with over 340 attending. This year's MC's were Belmont BEC Patron Louise Percy and Chair Cassie Rowe. Mayor Cr Phil Marks gave a business update on the City of Belmont and AusIndustry WA Assistant State Manager Julie Mizen presented a message from The Hon Bruce Billson MP, Small Business Minister.

Winner of the 'Best New Business' was Shingle Inn Belmont Forum. Belmont based business, Shingle Inn opened in December 2013 and is focused heavily on customer service. The company runs a regular mystery shopper program, and the Belmont café scores are better than the overall company average. Shingle Inn invest heavily in training their barista's through Shingle Inn's coffee program to ensure their coffee is of outstanding quality every time. So when you're looking for quiet spot to enjoy a leisurely breakfast, lunch or casual dinner, or even just a few moments peace to enjoy a coffee and cake, hide away in a Shingle Inn booth.

The sponsor of the award was the City of Belmont. The City of Belmont is a vibrant, modern City located just six kilometres from the Perth CBD and is in close proximity to key air, rail and road networks. There is an abundance of development residential and commercial opportunities available, coupled with a strong retail, commercial and industrial base. With a focus on establishing and maintaining a progressive business community, the Council is proud to sponsor the award for the Best New Business. By recognising quality and excellence in the community, the City of Belmont – the City of Opportunity continues to be a great place to live, work and invest.

Five multi award winning business were also inducted into the Hall of Fame of the Belmont Small Business Awards. Attendees on the night enjoyed a WA Designer Showcase which was supported by House of Skye, Accesso-ride, Convict Bags, Jonte, Debbie Kelly Millinery and Ingrid Hocking Couture. Alpha Models showcased their talented development Models with hair styling provided by Pierrots and makeup by SC Make-Up Artistry. In addition, entertainer Miss Poppy performed on the night.

For further details on all winners of the 21st Belmont Small Business Awards 2014 visit www.belmontbec.com/awards

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