Mini Care Mates winner of Small Business Development Corporation 'Home Based Business Award' in 21st Belmont Small Business Awards

Mini Care Mates 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.

Mini Care Mates won the 'Home Based Business Award' in the 2014 Belmont Small Business Awards. Mini Care Mates are the creators of customised toiletry packs. They are a quality, environmentally friendly product that is supported by a high level of customer service and satisfaction. The major target markets for the business are hospitals, government agencies, mining companies, corporates and relief organisations. What makes the Mini Care Mates packs so special is that they are customised to the needs of the client, unlike off the shelf packs that may contain unnecessary items. The company strive to make the ordering process online, as easy as possible – and the goods are delivered to your door.

The sponsor of the 'Home Based Business Award' was the Small Business Development Corporation. Since 1984, the Small Business Development Corporation (SBDC) has provided independent information, guidance and advice to small business operators around the State. The SBDC works directly with small business operators and with industry and business associations to exchange information and provide support and assistance to their members. Through a range of services and programs, the SBDC is dedicated to the development and growth of the small business sector. SBDC are proud to sponsor the 2014 Belmont Business Awards which recognise and acknowledge the very significant contribution made by small businesses to our economy and our community.

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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