

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## Belmont Forum supports the 25th Belmont & Western Australian Small Business Awards!

The Awards provide recognition and encouragement for small business achievements and will be open for small businesses, individuals and organisations in Belmont, Perth metropolitan area and across regional Western Australia.

Belmont Forum will support the Best Retail Business Award. To be eligible to enter this award category, businesses must be located within the City of Belmont and need to highlight their retailing achievements.

Alexandra McAuliffe from Belmont Forum said, "Belmont Forum is pleased to be sponsoring the Best Retail Business Award in the City of Belmont for the 25th consecutive year. Belmont Forum has completed a fabulous refurbishment and our entire team invite you to visit and experience the new Belmont Forum soon.

"We are very proud to be a long term supporter of the Belmont & Western Australian Small Business Awards, and in particular the Best Retail Business Award." Ms McAuliffe said.

Belmont BEC and Founder of the Belmont & Western Australian Small Business Awards Carol Hanlon said "The Awards are open to small businesses both within the Belmont area and across the state with 26 categories available for entrants to consider. This is the 25th year we have held our Small Business Awards and it is exciting to see the awards grow each year to provide recognition to those striving for business excellence and acknowledging community achievements"

Potential entrants will be able to access a wide range of support in preparing their submission that includes Free Award Entry Kits, Workshops, Webinars and access to Award Mentors who can assist with tips in preparing award submissions to impress the judging panel. Entries are open until 5pm September 25<sup>th</sup>.

Winners of this year's 25th Belmont & Western Australian Small Business Awards 2018 will be announced at the 'Night of Stars' event that will take place in the Ballroom of the Perth Exhibition and Convention Centre on Wednesday, October 24th, 6pm - 8.30pm.

For more information on how to enter the awards and other categories, please contact awards@belmontbec.com or phone: (08) 9479 3777 or view <a href="www.belmontbec.com/awards">www.belmontbec.com/awards</a>

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