



## MEDIA RELEASE

### **Allways Marine is the winner of the Young Entrepreneur Award in 27<sup>th</sup> Belmont & WA Small Business Awards**

**Allways Marine** is one of many Western Australian small businesses awarded in the 27th Belmont & WA Small Business Awards on the Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> of November 2020. The winners were showcased at the 'Night of Stars Event' in the ballroom of the Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre with over 320 attending.

The welcome address was delivered by City of Belmont Cr Bernard Ryan. VIP guests included Consul General India, Dantu Charandasi & Comm Consul of India, Dinesh Bhardwaj; Hon Consul of the Republic of Mauritius, Ian Whitaker, Hon Consul Slovakia, Paul Faix; Member for South Perth, Hon John McGrath, MLA; City of Belmont, Deputy Mayor Cr George Sekulla, Cr Jenny Davis, Cr Bernard Ryan; City of Cockburn, Cr Chontelle Stone; EMRC Chair Cr Jai Wilson; The Australian Asian Association of WA, President Marlene Burnaby; Hong Kong Business Association WA President Winnie Lai Hadad; Business & Professional Women WA President Carol Hanlon; Belmont BEC Chair Jules Lewin and TCF WA Chair Irving Lane welcomed many WA State and Club Presidents who attended the presentation awards night.

Entertainment was provided by singers Kaylene Taylor, Charndee Kaur and David Lazaro 'Expedition The Musical Journey' with Ken Haywood presenting the Welcome to Country. The WA Designer Showcase wowed all attendees with design talent from Jonte, Kirrikin, Pretty Fly Accessories, MummActiv, SilverStar and CIZZY Bridal Australia with models supplied from Metro Modelling and Dance Academy. MC's for the 'Night of Stars' evening included Belmont BEC Patron Louise Percy & Past Belmont BEC Board Member Hannah Beazley.

Owner of Allways Marine, John Grobler is 32 years of age and has achieved success building his own business in the Marine arena from small beginnings to what it is now. In 8 years, and with over 100 VIP clients he is always ready to assist any new client who wants the best for their vessel.

Mr Grobler said, "I started with one thing in mind, which was ensuring he offered old school customer service. I aim to make every client feel like they are receiving the best service possible."

The Young Entrepreneur Award is supported by Blake Digital.

Adam Blake, Blake Digital said, "We are thrilled to support the Young Entrepreneur Award. Blake Digital is a creative agency passionate about building and developing brands and business. We are an agency who makes it our business to look after your business wherever in the world your business is. Blake Digital strive to provide excellent customer service, award winning designs, powerful integrated campaigns, beautiful and focused website and innovative and targeted marketing."

Carol Hanlon, Founder of Belmont BEC and the Belmont & WA Small Business Awards said, "The awards provide a fantastic opportunity for small and growing enterprises from Belmont and across Western Australia to be recognised for their achievements."

Ms Hanlon said, "This is the 27th year we have held our Small Business Awards and it is exciting to see the awards grow each year to provide recognition to those in Western Australia striving for business excellence and acknowledging community achievements. We sincerely thank the valuable support from our Category Sponsors which make this amazing small business event possible. In particular to the City of Belmont for their long-term support".



For further details on all winners of the 27th Belmont & Western Australian Small Business Awards 2020 visit [www.belmontbec.com/awards](http://www.belmontbec.com/awards)

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