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## Kalamunda Chamber of Commerce Celebrates Excellence in Local Business at Annual Outstanding Enterprise Awards.

The Kalamunda Chamber of Commerce hosted the prestigious Outstanding Enterprise Awards at the stunning Chalet Rigi, celebrating the achievements of exceptional local businesses, innovators, and community leaders. Supported by major sponsor CD Dodd and gold sponsor Community Bank Forrestfield, the evening honoured the best in business and community service in the Kalamunda region, which encompasses the foothills of High Wycombe and Forrestfield, all the way out to the Bickley Valley and Pickering Brook.

The event saw Major Sponsor CD Dodd, a pioneer in sustainability, bring WA's first Volvo FM battery heavy electric vehicle to park right at the venue entrance, with the MC Tod Johnston of V Capri fame playfully commenting on the enviable "best parking spot in the house."

Rollerrama, a crowd favourite, claimed the People's Choice Award with record-breaking votes, as attendees reminisced over this iconic hills venue's nostalgic resurgence.

Among the individual honours, Jasmin Harley of Foothills Beauty was named Business Person of the Year, recognised for her leadership and dedication to her customers. In the enterprise category, Quantum Electrical Services WA, a family-run business, took home the top honour as Chairperson's Enterprise of the Year, reflecting the spirit of local entrepreneurship and family-driven success stories.

With awards spanning industries from creative arts to community activation, the Chamber's annual event highlighted not only the region's business achievements but also the camaraderie and passion of the community that sustains them.

## 2024 Outstanding Enterprise Award Winners:

- Excellence in Tourism, Hospitality & Events (Hospitality Category): Plume Estate Vineyard
- Excellence in Tourism, Hospitality & Events (Events Category): Rollerrama
- Excellence in Retail: Zanthorrea Nursery
- Outstanding Not For Profit: Friends of Upper Lesmurdie Falls
- Outstanding Personal Services: Foothills Beauty
- Outstanding Professional Services: Desborough Accountants
- Outstanding Trade Specialist: The Doggy Lady
- Mayor's Award for Community Activation: Kalamunda Garden Festival
- Vision & Strategy Award: Replenish
- Outstanding Creative Enterprise: Collective Design Agency
- Outstanding Local Product: HHH Spirits, Single Malt Whiskey
- Business Person of the Year: Jasmin Harley, Foothills Beauty
- People's Choice Award: Rollerrama
- Business Station Emerging Enterprise Award: Hogg Culture Brewing Co.
- Chairperson's Enterprise of the Year: Quantum Electrical Services WA

The Kalamunda Chamber of Commerce congratulates all nominees and winners, and extend special thanks to major sponsor CD Dodd and Community Bank Forrestfield, as well as Bronze sponsors Matthew Hughes, Desborough Accountants, Zanthorrea Nursery, Hawaiian Pty Ltd, Hon Donna Faragher & Sen. Linda Reynolds and Business Station for their invaluable support in making this year's awards a memorable success.

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Email: Tania@kalamundachamber.com Link to Images: https://we.tl/t-H15O9xIPOH "Once a year we ask businesses to step outside of their comfort zone and take a hard look at what makes them stand out from the crowd. The brave business owners that make the effort to go through that process tell us that they receive lasting benefits from participation. These participants are an inspiration to our local enterprise community." - Jon Elbery, Chairperson Kalamunda Chamber of Commerce



2024 Outstanding Enterprise Awards Winners







Chris Dodd from CD Dodd arrives in WA's first Volvo FM battery heavy electric vehicle







Guests enjoyed a fantastic evening celebrating local business excellence





