



Creek to Creek Chamber of Commerce

2010 Business Awards

Nomination Form

CATEGORIES IN 2010 INCLUDE:

- **Tursa Under 25 Business Achiever**
- **Self employed or within a business Award**
- **The Pines Business Achiever Award 5 or less employees**
- **Currumbin RSL's Business Achiever Award 6 to 30 employees**
- **Red Heeler Business Achiever Award 30 plus employees**
- **Inology Business Achiever Award - Home based**
- **Bendigo Bank's Business Achiever Award - Non profit/community organisation**
- **The Soul Arch Business Achievement Award - product or service innovation**
- **The Bayview Special Achievement Award - Business or individual**

The Creek to Creek Chamber of Commerce is searching for nominations for the 2010 Creek to Creek Chamber of Commerce Business Awards.

The business awards is a celebration of business in the Palm Beach, Tugun, Elanora, Currumbin and Tallebudgera area. The awards are open to all businesses including members and non members of the Creek to Creek Chamber of Commerce.

Why nominate?

The awards are designed to showcase businesses of all sizes and the awards act as a self auditing business tool. Winners receive a glass trophy, which can be displayed at the winning business. It is also a great opportunity to recognise and reward staff.

Customers can nominate outstanding businesses

And remember customers can nominate their favourite or outstanding business that they know, including your local butcher or bank. When a customer nomination occurs, the business being nominated will be contacted to formalise the nomination. As with previous years, the business awards will be independently judged by leading industry specialists from relevant business fields. **Finalists will be contacted one week prior to the Awards Breakfast.**

How to nominate

Simply fill out the form attached. For further information about the awards please email admin@creektocreekchamber.org.au or call 0415 310 193

Nominations close Friday August 20 2010

Entries must close on 20 August 2010 – So nominate today!

When are the winners announced?

The Awards Gala Dinner will take place on Thursday 2 September 2010 at the Currumbin RSL. For more information visit www.creektocreekchamber.org.au



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Name of business: **Date:**

Address:

Telephone: **Fax number:**

Email address:.....

Contact name and title:

How long has your business operated in the Chamber area?

Circle category or categories entered Category:

- Tursa Under 25 Business Achiever Award
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How to enter

Complete and sign the entry/nomination form. Mail the entry/nomination to PO Box 366 Palm Beach 4221, email admin@creektocreekchamber.org.au, call Carolyn at 0415310193 or fax it to 5598 2104. We will confirm receipt of your nomination within 72 hours of receipt. Nominations close 20 August 2010.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

To enter these awards you are acknowledging that:

- *You agree to your business being profiled in the media and to the local community.*
- *Your business is based in the Chamber area.*
- *The decision of the judges is final and not open to appeal.*

I will, or a representative from my business will be attend the awards breakfast.

I accept all conditions relating to these Awards.

Signature



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Q1 Describe the business - 50 words or less

NB: Individual Special Achievement and Youth Business Achievers need only address question ten.

Q2 How long has the business been operating?

Q3 Is the business retail/wholesale/manufacturing?

Q4 How many employees does the business have?

Q5 What is the business's target market? (50 - 200 words or less)

Q6 How does the business market itself? (50- 200 words)

Q7 How does the business monitor client satisfaction? (50 -200 words)

Q8 Does the business practice any environmental policies? (50 -200 words)

Q9 How does the business contribute to the broader community? (50 - 200 words)
(Donations, sponsorships, community involvement)

Q10 Any additional points to support your nomination? (0-200 words)
Individual and Youth Business Achiever (200 - 500 words).

Please note : Answers to the following questions maybe submitted in a separate document. When submitting a separate document please attach the nomination form.

Privacy Statement

This information is collected by the Creek to Creek Chamber of Commerce Inc and information will be used for administrative and contact purposes. Information will be used by the judging panel for the purpose of judging this entry. Contact details may be provided to major sponsors and the media. Personal information will not be disclosed for other purposes. You may access this information at any time by contacting us. We cannot accept application without any contact details.



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Frequently asked questions

What are the area boundaries?

The business must be physically located in Currumbin, Currumbin Waters, Currumbin Valley, Elanora, Palm Beach, Tugun, Tallebudgera or Tallebudgera Valley.

Can franchises nominate?

Yes, we welcome franchise nominations because they are businesses too! However, on the Nomination Form please use local examples, relevant to this area only.

Who can nominate for the Business Achiever Award - Under 25?

Any notable self employed or outstanding youth employee working within an organisation.

What are the benefits of being involved?

- The most valuable thing any business could receive is recognition from your peers
- Allows you to benchmark your business across the business spectrum.
- Entering the awards will involve you taking an inward look at your business which will also help you recognise the things you do well and also the things that need attention – every business should honestly analyze its performance on a regular basis.
- Media and community recognition.
- An award to show off in your foyer for years to come!
- Shows your people how proud you are of their efforts for your business

Who should I bring to the Awards Dinner?

- Bring staff members and their partners and use the event as celebration.
- Bring suppliers because, like your staff, your business couldn't run without them.
- Bring VIP clients to show your appreciation for their support.
- Bring your family, they are the ones who have supported you through good times and hard.

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