



2023 Business Award Nomination

Category:

Nominee (Business or Individual):

Manager/ Owner:

Mailing Address:

Your Name:

Your Phone Number:

Comments / Reason for the Nomination: Please use an additional sheet of needed.

26th Annual Business Awards

Wednesday, September 27th
La Place Rendezvous

Cocktails @ 5:30pm
Dinner @ 6:30pm

Non-Member Tickets \$65.00
or Table of 8 \$455.00

Member Tickets \$60.00
or Table of 8 \$420.00

All Businesses in the Rainy River District are eligible for nomination

Please return form to:

Fort Frances Chamber of Commerce
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Nomination Categories

Deadline: September 8, 2023

Business Woman of the Year

Presented to a business or professional woman who is committed to the growth and development of themselves, their business, and the community.

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Customer Service Award (Business)

Presented to a business who has raised customer service to new standards of excellence by consistently providing high-quality customer services and continually exceeding customer expectations.

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Fort Frances Times



Business of the Year 1-15 Employees

Presented to the business with 1-15 employees who acts as a role model for other businesses and demonstrates a continued passion for excellence, shows growth and profitability.

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93.1 The Border



Home Based Business

This award honors a home business that consistently shows excellence and quality. They will have established strong relationships with their customers and conduct their business as a business not a hobby, and operate as a primary or secondary source of income. They must have been in business for at least one year and show a potential for future growth.

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M.L. Caron Electric



Customer Service Award (Individual)

Presented to an individual who has raised customer service to new standards of excellence by consistently providing high-quality customer services and continually exceeding customer expectations.

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Business of the Year 16+ Employees

Presented to the business with 16+ employees who demonstrates a continued passion for excellence, shows growth and profitability and acts as a role model for other businesses.

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Small Business Trainer of the Year

Presented to a business of 15 employees or less, who consistently hires unskilled or under skilled workers, who mentor and provide work-oriented education and training or apprenticeship opportunities to their employees.

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New Business Award 1-3 Years

Presented to an entrepreneur who has demonstrated innovation, vision, and business growth. The nominee may have founded a business, purchased an existing one and turned it around, or diversified a business. The nominees must have been established in the Rainy River District for no less one year and no more than 3.

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Test of Time Award

Presented to the business who has truly stood the test of time in the Rainy River District. This award will recognize extraordinary leadership, innovation, and creativity that has assisted a business to operate successfully for 25 years or more.

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Aboriginal Business of the Year

To an Indigenous Business that is at least 51% Indigenous owned and operated. Government agencies and Institutions are not allowed. An Indigenous Entrepreneur who has demonstrated innovation, vision & business growth. The nominee may have founded the business, purchased an existing business or diversified a business while showing leadership and dedication to the preservation of culture, values and identity.

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