



CLOSING DATE NEARS FOR BUSINESS AWARDS

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Guernsey businesses have a couple of weeks left to enter this year's Guernsey Awards for Achievement. The closing date for entries for the four main business awards at the island's premier business event in February next year is midday, Wednesday November 3rd.

Since the launch of the event in June this year the organisers, The Guernsey Event Company, have had a lot of interest in all of the main business categories but are looking to encourage anyone still thinking of entering to start work on their nomination forms now. A workshop held last month to provide support for those interested in entering proved very successful with many local businesses taking up the opportunity to find out more about the entry process.

Businesses have a chance to enter three main categories; the NatWest Best Small Business Award, the BWCi Best Medium Business Award and the Healthspan Best Large Business Award. A winner from one of those awards will receive the evening's top accolade, the Commerce & Employment Guernsey Business of the Year Award.

Businesses which have shown dedication and commitment to training are encouraged to enter the Excellence in Training Award, sponsored jointly by the GTA University Centre, NP Group and the IOD.

There are only a few tables left for the gala event to be held at Beau Sejour on February 3rd 2011, which this year is celebrating 25 years of the Guernsey Awards for Achievement. Tickets are priced at £700 per table of ten and can be booked by contacting Natalie Davidson at The Guernsey Event Company on 728686 or by emailing natalie@eventguernsey.com

Nominations for the three business awards close at midday on Wednesday 3rd November. Entries for the Specsavers Unsung Hero Award can be received until Friday 26th November and the closing date for the Guiton Ambassador of the Year Award is Friday 31st December. More information and entry forms can be downloaded from the awards website www.guernseyachievementawards.com

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