2013 FINALISTS

Category 1 – Major Tourist Attractions – Sponsored by The Sunday Times
AQWA
Cygnet Bay Pearl Farm
Fremantle Markets
Fremantle Prison
Kings Park and Botanic Garden
Rottnest Island
The Bell Tower, Home of the Swan Bells, Perth
Whiteman Park

Category 2 – Tourist Attractions – Sponsored by Hello Perth and Fremantle
Lobster Shack
Navy Pier Dive – Whale Shark-n-Dive
Nullarbor Links – world’s longest golf course Australia
Yanchep National Park

Category 3 – Major Festivals and Events – Sponsored by The Sunday Times
Margaret River Gourmet Escape
Pinctada Cable Beach Polo
Perth’s Festival of Cycling
Sunsmart Ironman Western Australia

Category 4 – Festivals and Events – Sponsored by OAMPS Insurance Brokers
Avon Valley Gourmet Food and Wine Festival
Avon Valley Vintage Festival
City of Perth Australia Day Skyworks
Kickstarters Gascoyne Dash 2012
Kings Park Festival
Perth Caravan & Camping Show 2013
**Category 5 – Ecotourism - Sponsored by Department of Parks and Wildlife**

Alek & Gina’s Ningaloo Ecology Cruises Glass Bottom Boat
Out of Sight Tours
Sail Ningaloo

**Category 6 – Heritage and Cultural Tourism – Sponsored by National Trust Australia WA**

Fremantle Prison
Rottnest Island
The Bell Tower, Home of the Swan Bells
Two Feet & a Heartbeat

**Category 7 – Indigenous Tourism – Sponsored by WAITOC**

Koomal Dreaming
Uptuyu Adventures

**Category 8 – Specialised Tourism Services – Sponsored by Chamber of Commerce & Industry**

Crystal Swan Cruises
Fremantle Prison Gift Shop
Kalamunda Farmers Market
Tour Vision
Harbour Town Brand Direct Outlet Shopping
Rottnest Island Bike Hire
WAITOC

**Category 9 – Visitor Information and Services – Sponsored by Tourism Council WA**

Armadale Visitor Centre
Augusta Margaret River Tourism Association
Broome Visitor Centre / VisitBroome
Denmark Visitor Centre
Esperance Visitor Centre
Fremantle Visitor Centre
Geographe Bay Tourism Association
Kalgoorlie Boulder Pure Gold
Kununurra Visitor Centre
Zig Zag Cultural Centre
Category 10 – Meetings and Business Tourism – Sponsored by Perth Convention Bureau
Cable Beach Club Resort & Spa
Esplanade Hotel Fremantle
Hyatt Regency Perth

Category 11 – Major Tour and/or Transport Operators – Sponsored by Budget Car and Truck Rentals
The ADAMS Group
Rottnest Express
Rottnest Fast Ferries
Slingair Heliwork WA

Category 12 – Tour and/or Transport Operators – Sponsored by Tourism Council WA
Adventure Wild
Alek & Gina’s Ningaloo Ecology Cruises Glass Bottom Boat
Aussie Wanderer Adventure Tours
Country Escape in WA Tours
Harvest Tours
Inspiration Outdoors
Kimberley Wild Expeditions
Out of Sight Tours
Top Drop Tours

Category 13 – Adventure Tourism – Sponsored by MGIB
Kalbarri Quad Bike Safaris
Mills Charters
Ningaloo Whaleshark-n-Dive
Sail Ningaloo
Skydive Express
Skydive Jurien Bay
Three Islands Whale Shark Dive
Truenorth Helicopters
Wagoe Beach Quad Bike Tours
**Category 14 – Tourism Marketing – Sponsored by Countrywide Publications**

Characters of the Kimberley 2013
City of Fremantle
Destination Rottnest
Geographe Bay Tourism Association – Recharge Yourself Campaign
Perth City – Get to Know Me
Perth Education City (PEC) Italy, Korea & Taiwan Education and Youth Tourism Campaign

**Category 15 – Tourism Education and Training**

There are no finalists in this category

**Category 16 – Tourism Restaurants and Catering Services – Sponsored by Hostplus**

Cable Beach Club Resort and Spa - Sunset Bar and Grill
CORE Cider House
Elmar’s in the Valley
Feral Brewing Company
Mosman’s Restaurant
The Lake House Denmark

**Category 17 - Tourism Wineries, Distilleries & Breweries – Sponsored by Tourism Western Australia**

CORE Cider House
Elmar’s in the Valley
Feral Brewing Company
Laurance of Margaret River
Matso’s Broome Brewery
Sandalford Winery
The Lake House Denmark
Voyager Estate Cellar Door

**Category 18 – Tourist and Caravan Parks – Sponsored by Caravan Industry Association WA**

Big4 Peppermint Park
Discovery Holiday Parks – Lake Kununurra
Category 19 – Backpacker Accommodation – Sponsored by Tourism Council WA
Beaches of Broome

Category 20 – Hosted Accommodation – Sponsored by Tourism Council WA
Fawkes House
Hideaway Haven
The Beach House at Bayside
Trigg Retreat Bed and Breakfast

Category 21 – Unique Accommodation – Sponsored by Ascert Australia
Berkeley River Lodge
Kalyaana Spa and Wellness Retreat
Karma Chalets and Karisma Spa
Pelicans at Denmark
Rottnest Island

Category 22 – Standard Accommodation – Sponsored by Staragencies
Ibis Hotel Perth
Perth Ambassador Hotel
The Murray Hotel

Category 23 – Deluxe Accommodation – Sponsored by Whatson Group
Aiyana Retreat
Cape Howe Cottages
Crown Promenade Perth
Darby Park Serviced Residence Margaret River
Freshwater East Kimberley Apartments
Esplanade Hotel Fremantle – By Rydges
Habitat Resort Broome
Novotel Perth Langley
Footprints Preston Beach Resort
Pier 21 Apartment Hotel
**Category 24 – Luxury Accommodation – Sponsored by Lion**

Cable Beach Club Resort & Spa
Crown Metropol
Pullman Resort Bunker Bay
The Rocks Albany

**Category 25 – New Tourism Development – Sponsored by Small Business Development Corporation**

Kingfisher Tours
The Terrace Hotel
Walpole Wilderness Discovery Centre

**Category 26 – Qantas Award For Excellence in Sustainable Tourism - Sponsored by Qantas**

Rottnest Island
WAITOC

**27 – Local Government Award for Tourism – Sponsored by WA Local Super**

City of Fremantle
City of Swan
Shire of Carnarvon
Shire of Irwin
Shire of Kalamunda

**28 – Excellence in Food Tourism – Sponsored by Tourism Western Australia**

Bushfood Factory and Cafe
Chocolate Drops
Eat Drink Perth
Harvest Tours
Kalamunda Farmers Market
Lobster Shack
The Old Marron Farm
Vino Foods - Lake House at Denmark
29 - Sir David Brand Young Achiever Medal – Sponsored by Hospitality Group Training
Emma Miller – The Bell Tower
Genevieve Whisson – Shire of Kulin
Justine Nagorski – Denmark Visitor Centre
Kirsty Lucas – Pinnacle Tours
Ryan Frost – Novotel Perth Langley

31 - FACET Golden Guide Award – Sponsored by Department of Parks and Wildlife
David Bomba – Out of Sight Tours
Kurt Williamson – Barradict Sportfishing Charters