KINGSTON
BUSINESS AWARDS

2027 BUSINESS AWARDS

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ABOUT THE AWARDS

The Kingston Business Awards are dedicated to recognizing exemplary models of excellence and community service by Kingston's businesses and the invaluable contribution they make to Kingston's economic development, unique character and outstanding quality of life.

Being recognized by one's peers, either by nomination or award recipient, is a thank you for the hard work and risk nominees have incurred. As ambassadors for business in Kingston, nominees and award recipients provide guidance and inspiration to new and seasoned businesses as well as young, aspiring entrepreneurs. They help foster the spirit of adventure and enterprise, risk and reward.

The excitement builds as each step of the awards process leads towards the glittering awards ceremony where the winners are revealed. The atmosphere is electric and we're told, time and time again, that nothing compares to the Kingston Business Award's.



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WHY BECOME A PARTNER?

ELEVATE YOUR BRAND

Position your business alongside Kingston's celebration of excellence, innovation and achievement. Partnering with the Kingston Business Awards strengthens your brand's reputation and demonstrates your commitment to a thriving local business community.

PUT YOUR BUSINESS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Connect your brand with an engaged audience of business owners, decision-makers and community leaders. Benefit from valuable exposure through event promotions, digital platforms and recognition leading up to, during and following the celebration.

BUILD MEANINGFUL CONNECTIONS

Great opportunities begin with great connections. Engage with Kingston's business leaders, entrepreneurs and innovators while building relationships that create opportunities for collaboration and growth.

INVEST IN KINGSTON'S SUCCESS

Your partnership does more than support an event. It celebrates the people and businesses driving our local economy forward. Show your commitment to entrepreneurship, innovation and a stronger, more prosperous Kingston.

AWARD CATEGORIES

BUSINESS PERSON OF THE YEAR

This prestigious award honours an outstanding business leader whose vision, dedication, and achievements have made a meaningful difference in our community. Through their leadership, entrepreneurial spirit, and commitment to excellence, this individual has inspired others, championed local business, and helped shape Kingston's economic success. Whether through business growth, mentorship, innovation, or community involvement, this award celebrates a leader whose contributions leave a lasting legacy.

ENTREPRENUER OF THE YEAR

This award celebrates the entrepreneurial spirit, vision, and determination of business owners who are making a meaningful impact in Kingston. Recognizing individuals who demonstrate innovation, leadership, and a commitment to growth, this award honours entrepreneurs who are building successful businesses, creating opportunities, and contributing to the strength and vitality of our local economy.

NEW BUSINESS OF THE YEAR

This award shines a spotlight on a new business making an exciting impact in Kingston. Recognizing fresh ideas, innovation, and entrepreneurial determination, this award celebrates businesses that are turning vision into success. From delivering exceptional products and services to building strong customer relationships and contributing to our community, this award honours emerging businesses that are making their mark and helping shape the future of Kingston's business landscape.

SKILLED TRADES AWARD

This award recognizes a business in the skilled trades sector that demonstrates excellence in its craft, leadership in its industry, and a commitment to shaping the future of skilled trades. From delivering exceptional workmanship and embracing innovation to mentoring the next generation and championing careers in the trades, this award honours businesses that are making a lasting impact on their industry and Kingston's economy.

CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE AWARD

This award recognizes a business that puts people at the heart of what they do, creating memorable experiences, building lasting relationships, and finding innovative ways to exceed expectations. Whether through outstanding service, personalized attention, accessibility, or a welcoming and inclusive environment, this award celebrates businesses of all sizes and sectors that make every customer interaction count.

ARTS & CULTURE AWARD

This award recognizes an individual, group, or organization making an exceptional impact through artistic expression, creativity, and cultural experiences. From visual and performing arts to music, design, and other creative pursuits, this award celebrates those who inspire, entertain, connect, and enrich our community. Whether through artistic achievement, innovative experiences, or making arts and culture more accessible, this award honours those who contribute to Kingston's vibrant cultural identity.

INNOVATION AWARD

The Business Innovation Award recognizes a Kingston business or organization that demonstrates exceptional creativity, forward-thinking leadership, and the ability to turn innovative ideas into meaningful business success. This award celebrates both businesses that are transforming the way they operate through new technologies, processes, products, or services, and those whose innovative ideas and business models are creating new opportunities in the marketplace. From emerging entrepreneurs bringing groundbreaking ideas to life to established businesses reimagining how they serve customers and compete, this award recognizes innovation in all its forms. The recipient will demonstrate how their innovation has delivered measurable results, strengthened their business, and contributed to the growth and competitiveness of Kingston's business community.

COMMUNITY IMPACT AWARD

The Community Impact Award recognizes a Kingston business, non-profit, charity, or social enterprise that demonstrates an exceptional commitment to making a positive and lasting difference in our community. Whether through community programs, social responsibility initiatives, innovative partnerships, or services that address important local needs, this award celebrates organizations that go beyond their day-to-day activities to strengthen the social and economic well-being of Kingston. From businesses investing in the communities they serve to non-profit organizations delivering essential programs and services, this award recognizes leadership, collaboration, and meaningful action that creates measurable community impact.


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TITLE SPONSOR – $6,000

- Name included in title of the event
- Three-minute speaking opportunity at event
- Four complimentary tickets to the awards
- Three e-newsletter advertisements and rotating website banner for three months
- Event page link to your website
- Sponsorship recognition in e-newsletter which goes out to over 2,100 subscribers
- Logo prominently displayed on all event materials and website
- Full page advertisement in event program
- Logo printed in 2028 Partnership Package distributed to all members

PARTNER SPONSOR – $4,000

- Two-minute speaking opportunity at event
- Three complimentary tickets to the awards
- Three e-newsletter advertisements
- Event page link to your website
- Sponsorship recognition in e-newsletter which goes out to over 2,100 subscribers
- Logo prominently displayed on all event materials and website
- Half page advertisement in event program
- Logo printed in 2028 Partnership Package distributed to all members

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NOMINEE RECEPTION – $3,500

- A two-minute speaking opportunity
- Two complimentary tickets to the awards
- Your company logo prominently featured on all promotional materials and on every program
- Event page link to your website
- 1/4 page advertisement in event program
- Recognition in Chamber's social channels
- Logo printed in 2028 Partnership Package distributed to all members

AWARD SPONSOR – $3,000

- Company name on the award
- A two-minute speaking opportunity and presentation of award
- Two complimentary tickets to the awards
- Your company logo prominently featured on all promotional materials and on every program
- Event page link to your website
- Recognition in Chamber's social channels
- Logo printed in 2028 Partnership Package distributed to all members

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COCKTAIL HOUR – $1,500

- Opportunity to provide cocktail hour display and promotional items
- Your company logo prominently featured on all promotional materials and on every program
- Event page link to your website
- 1/4 page advertisement in event program
- Recognition in Chamber's social channels
- Logo printed in 2028 Partnership Package distributed to all members

PROGRAM – $1,000

- Your company logo prominently featured on all promotional materials and on every program
- Event page link to your website
- 1/4 page advertisement in event program
- Recognition in Chamber's social channels
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