



The History of Awards & Galas

Award Winners

Business of the Year

1993	SEAMART QUALITY FOODS
1994	MACDONALD'S BAYVIEW RESTAURANT
1995	GOLDSMITH GALLERY
1996	ALLEN MARINE, INC.
1997	WHITE'S PHARMACY AND HARRY RACE DRUG & PHOTO
1998	BRENNER'S CLOTHING & FINE GIFTS
1999	SITKA FUELS
2000	WILMAC CORPORATION
2001	ALASKA RAPTOR CENTER
2002	WESTMARK SHEE ATIKÁ
2003	ALASKA AIRLINES
2004	CENTER FOR COMMUNITY
2005	SHEE ATIKÁ INC.
2006	STEREO NORTH
2007	SEAFOOD PRODUCER CO-OP
2008	SAMSON TUG & BARGE
2009	SITKA SOUND SEAFOODS
2010	ARROWHEAD TRANSFER, LP GAS
2011	HOUSE OF LIQUOR
2012	ALLEN MARINE, INC. ALASKAN DREAM CRUISES
2013	VENNEBERG INSURANCE, INC
2014	BARANOF ISLAND BREWING COMPANY
2015	SILVER BAY SEAFOODS
2016	BARANOF REALTY, LLC
2017	CRUISELINE AGENCIES OF ALASKA
2018	ASPEN SUITES HOTEL SITKA
2019	HALIBUT POINT MARINE-OLD SITKA DOCK
2020	PETRO MARINE
2021-22	AC LAKESIDE
2023	SPENARD BUILDER'S SUPPLY
2024	OUR TOWN CATERING
2025	CPT. GARY'S SITKA ADVENTURES



New Business of the Year

2007	SKINNER SALES
2008	SILVER BAY SEAFOODS
2009	FORTRESS OF THE BEAR
2011	BARANOF ISLAND BREWING COMPANY
2012	THE DOCK SHACK CAFÉ
2014	HOMEPORT EATERY
2016	BACKDOOR CAFÉ
2018	OUR TOWN CATERING
2019	BEAK RESTAURANT
2020	ALASKA SEAPLANES
2021-22	SITKA SWIRLS
2023	HARBOR MOUNTAIN BREWING CO. & CAMPFIRE KITCHEN
2024	SITKA NUTS
2025	MEDICINE BY MOVEMENT WELLNESS & PT

Cossack Cap

1976	GENE PREWITT
1977	LLOYD HAMES
1978	ROCKY GUTIERREZ
1979	FRED GEESLIN
1980	LLOYD RICE
1981	ISABEL MILLER
1982	KIYOSKI NAGUMO & THE ALASKA PULP CORP
1983	PERSONNEL OF THE US COAST GUARD AIR STATIONS & USCG CUTTER WOODRUSH
1984	FRANK O WILLIAMS JR
1985	PAUL ROSENTHAL & THE SITKA SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL & GEORGE LONGENBAUGH M.D.
1987	OLIVER J "PORKY" BICKAR
1988	MAXINE BRITTELL
1989	ATSUO TSUNODA
1990	ARNOLD "ARNIE" JOHNSON
1991	VYOLA BELLE
1992	MARY LOU VILANDRE
1993	DAN & BETTY KECK
1994	VIRGINIA CUSHING
1995	ELAINE STRELOW
1996	STAN FILLER
1997	LIZ HOWARD
1998	ROGER & JUDY SUDNIKOVICK
1999	PAULA SCOTT
2000	MARY SARVELA
2001	JOHN & KRISTY TOTTEN
2002	SITKA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
2003	JOHN LITTEN



2004 NANCY DAVIS
2005 ROGER AND MARY HAMES
2006 LAWRENCE BLOOD
2007 DAN ETULAIN
2008 GARY PAXTON
2009 DEBORAH LYONS
2010 SENATOR RICHARD "DICK" ELIASON
2011 BEN GRUSSENDORF
2012 THAD & SANDY POULSON
2013 BURGESS BAUDER
2014 CORELLA BAGGEN
2015 JEFF BUDD
2016 SENATOR BERT STEDMAN
2017 ROGER HIGLEY
2018 KEITH PERKINS
2019 DIRK & TRISH WHITE
2020 BOB & BETTY ALLEN WITH ALLEN MARINE
2021-22 LAWRENCE "WOODY" WIDMARK
2023 TRUDY PREWITT
2024 FRED REEDER
2025 HAL SPACKMAN

Emerging Leader of the Year

2025 SKYLEEN BOTTANI