



Salute to Excellence

COOKERY | HOSPITALITY | TOURISM

CONNOR JOHNSON

Secondary Student of the Year Award Cookery

Calamvale Community College

I love how I can enter a kitchen and instantly be in my element and how the food I make brings people together. I love the way that I started my cookery journey in school because I've learnt so much about the industry already and I am ready for when I leave school because of that.



GRACIE JENNER

Secondary Student of the Year Award Food & Beverage

Hilton Brisbane

I am an authentic, friendly, professional, with a passion for the hospitality industry. I love welcoming guests and can connect and respond to them with genuine care and interest. I continuously develop skills and my confidence grows with my passion daily.



TASMIN MASTERS-HUMPHREYS

Secondary Student of the Year Award Tourism

Albany Creek State High School

I have a strong passion for tourism. I thrive on the practical experiences that have been presented to me in my tourism course, especially teamwork and tour guiding experiences. I'm eager to explore future tourism opportunities in the area of event management.





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JULIE LEWIS

Teacher/Trainer of the Year Award

Albany Creek State High School

After dedicating 30 years to teaching tourism, my enthusiasm for sharing knowledge and passion with my students remains unwavering. It is fuelled by witnessing their skill development and connecting them to real life experiences within this exciting industry.



ARTHUR CLIVE'S BAKERY CAFE

Employer of the Year Award

Arthur Clive's Bakery Cafe is an award-winning eatery located in Queensland's picturesque Scenic Rim.

Committed to supporting young talent, the family owned and operated cafe provides school based apprenticeships and traineeships to secondary students studying tourism and hospitality.

The cafe provides valuable hands-on training and mentorship, fostering a continuous improvement culture and forward-thinking individuals.





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COOKERY RUNNER UP

Caleb Talbot

Emmaus College Jimboomba

COOKERY FINALISTS

Holly Everson | Pine Rivers State High School

Ava Janes-Doherty | Kirwan State High School

Connor Johnson | Calamvale Community College

Matthew Meadows | Calamvale Community College

Lachlan Peebles | Calamvale Community College

Brody Rodgers | Beachhouse Hotel

Noah Schepis-Wells | Calamvale Community College

Caleb Talbot | Emmaus College Jimboomba

TOURISM RUNNER UP

Elly Street

Albany Creek State High School

TOURISM FINALISTS

Maya Fullarton | St Michael's College

Mela Jestico | Sea World Cruises

Sophie Lambert | St Mary's College

Tasmin Masters-Humphreys | Albany Creek State High School

Amy Mellor | Career Training Institute of Australia

Brooke Pringle | Albany Creek State High School

Tahliah Russell | Albany Creek State High School

Elly Street | Albany Creek State High School

FOOD & BEVERAGE RUNNER UP

Jessica Pauli

All Saints Anglican School

FOOD & BEVERAGE FINALISTS

Albert Abella | Bellbird Park State Secondary College

Ashleigh Beatty | Chisholm Catholic College

Sophie Cordie | Maryborough State High School

Gracie Jenner | Hilton Brisbane

Samantha Joynson | Maryborough State High School

Shayla Klarich | Calamvale Community College

Jessica Pauli | All Saints Anglican School

Marcella Sariman | Kirwan State High School

Abbey Shaw | Trinity College Beenleigh

Tia Sunbeam | Calamvale Community College

Lara Walmsley | Maryborough State High School

Annabelle Wessling | Chisholm Catholic College

TEACHER/TRAINER RUNNER UP

Liz Braid

Regional Training Services Queensland

TEACHER/TRAINER FINALISTS

Liz Braid | Regional Training Services Queensland

JT Foody | Maryborough State High School

Julie Lewis | Albany Creek State High School

Nicole Rehner | Wilsonton State High School

Larissa White | Regional Training Services Queensland