



# Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce Business & Community Excellence Awards for 2018

Deadline for nominations Monday February 18th, 2019

## 2018 Island Savings “Business/Organization of the Year” Award

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All Business/Organizations and citizens residing in the Cowichan Lake Area are eligible to nominate a business or organization

This award will recognize a **Chamber Member business/organization** that has made an outstanding contribution to the community.

**Nomination requirements are as follows:**

- good corporate citizenship through active participation in business and community events is essential
- the business/organization has the ability to create employment and generate income
- the business/organization promotes economic welfare
- the business/organization rewards its employees and the community at large with a sound reputation of providing quality service.

## 2018 Country Grocer “Excellence in Customer Service “Employee of the Year” Award

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This award will recognize an **employee of a Chamber Member business/organization** who consistently offers exceptional customer service.

**Nomination requirements are as follows:**

- good performance, attention to quality workmanship and service
- this person is considered a role model within his or her respective industry
- this person will have performed their job to such a level that their efforts have not only assisted revenues but also have enriched the lives of their customers and co-workers
- this person always goes the extra mile to serve the customer and is a strong team player

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**2018 Citizen of the Year Award**

All citizens residing in the Cowichan Lake Area are eligible for the:  
“Citizen of the Year Award”

**Criteria for the Citizen of the Year Award:**

- ❖ Awarded to an individual who has spearheaded, organized or carried through a project that has benefited the community as a whole during 2018.
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**2018 Nichole Stock Community Service Award**

All citizens residing in the Cowichan Lake Area are eligible for  
“Nichole Stock Community Service Award”

**Criteria for the Nichole Stock Community Service Award:**

- ❖ An individual who has exemplified volunteerism;
  - ❖ Who has served the community unselfishly on an ongoing basis in 2018; and
  - ❖ Who has **Not** received any remuneration for the volunteer activity for which the award is given
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**\*\*\*\*\*New Chamber Award\*\*\*\*\*  
2018 Youth of the Year Award**

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All Young Citizens residing in the Cowichan Lake Area are eligible for  
“Youth of the Year Award”

**Criteria for the Youth of the Year Award:**

- ❖ Must be a young member of our community who has had a special impact in our society through their volunteer activities
- ❖ This person will have acted for the good of others, and has demonstrated exemplary leadership skills
- ❖ The individual has shown a continuing and active interest in the people of Cowichan Lake and surrounding area.
- ❖ Nominee must be high-school aged or younger and have made a significant contribution of volunteer service during 2018

I Nominate \_\_\_\_\_ for:  
(Please Choose only one category per nomination, more than one category checked will result in a voided submission of a worthy candidate)

2018 Business of the Year Award.....

2018 Excellence in Customer Service - Employee of the Year Award.....

2018 Citizen of the Year .....

2018 Nichole Stock Community Service Award.....

2018 Youth of the Year Award.....

*Judging is based on the quality of the nomination.*

Please answer the questions listed below on a separate piece of paper. More detailed answers will allow a better examination of the candidates' qualifications for the award.

Why should your nominee be considered for this award? Please be specific.

What makes this nominee different from other candidates?

Please give examples of how the nominee exemplifies this award.

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Deadline for nominations is Monday, February 18th, 2019

You can drop off your Nomination Entry at the Chamber Visitor/Business Centre, 125C South Shore Road or Email to [lcchamber@shaw.ca](mailto:lcchamber@shaw.ca) or Fax to 250-749-0187

Three Finalists from each category will be announced at the Chamber Annual General Meeting Scheduled for March 7<sup>th</sup>, these finalists will each receive a complimentary ticket to the Chamber Spring Fling Red Carpet Gala scheduled for Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup> where the winners will be announced during the awards ceremony. Family and friends of finalists can also express their congratulations and support by attending the Chamber Spring Fling Red Carpet Gala, for more details, contact the Chamber office at 250-749-3244.

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