# BETA BUSINESS AWARDS 2021



Thursday 11 March 4pm, online

**CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE** 



## Acknowledging the best in the business

he 2021 BETA Business Awards are an eagerly anticipated event in the equestrian calendar. Organised by the British Equestrian Trade Association, they are designed to celebrate the efforts and achievements of companies and individuals judged to have made an outstanding contribution to the industry.

Those considered to have gone that extra mile are nominated by their counterparts in the trade. Some of the awards invite consumer input. Every category receives a huge amount of interest, with the spirit of competition burning brightly throughout. These prestigious annual accolades always attract a huge number of nominations, with some of the very best in the business put forward.

Fiercely contended and much coveted, the BETA Business Awards are a tangible way to recognise and reward those industry heroes who have risen to the challenges of the past 12 months. Standards are incredibly high and those who have successfully made it through to the finals really are the finest in our sector.

#### **AWARDS CEREMONY PRESENTED BY PHILIP GHAZALA**



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## **FINALISTS**

#### **BETA EXPORT AWARD**

An award open to companies of all sizes that have shown substantial and sustained increases in export activity over a three-year period. Submissions included details on export and growth in relation to size and turnover of the company, as well as planning, strategy and the degree to which products or services have been adapted to an export market. Judging is by an independent panel.



Presented by Jane Holderness Roddam. **BETA President** 

**Equine Products UK** 

**EQUINE** PRODUCTS UK LTD - Newcastle-upon-Tyne

**Science Supplements** 

- Hartwell, Northamptonshire SUI



#### **WEATHERBEETA GROUP** RETAIL EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

Celebrating employees showing excellent customer service, great product knowledge and a passion for professional retailing. Nominations are invited from employers or sales representatives and judging is carried out by an independent panel.



Presented by Doug Walker, President, **Weatherbeeta Group** 



**Anna Harding Aivly Country Store,** Ringwood, Hampshire



**Jasmin Khan** Cork Farm Equestrian, Ashford, Kent



**Lucy Chandler TFM Countrystore,** Whisby, Lincolnshire



Georgia Copley **R&R Country, Melton** Mowbray, Leicestershire

#### TSM MARKETING **EFFECTIVENESS AWARD**

An award that marks effective communications and the increased value a company's marketing campaign has brought to its brands. Marketing plans and activity were put under the spotlight to examine how different aspects play a powerful role in helping to solve business problems and generate revenue. Retailers and suppliers were invited to put themselves forward for this award.



Presented by Tim Smith, MD, **TSM Marketing & Communications** 

#### The Saddle Bank

- Peterborough, Cambridgeshire



#### **Science Supplements**

- Hartwell, Northamptonshire SU



Horslyx/Caltech

- Wigton, Cumbria





#### **CITATION TRADE SUPPLIER OF THE YEAR**

Awarded to the manufacturer, wholesaler or distributor judged to offer the best in delivery, customer service, product knowledge and awareness of retailer requirements. Reintroduced this year after a break, it is judged by an independent panel from across the equestrian trade.

#### Citation

Presented by Nigel Lea, **National Partnerships Manager, Citation** 

Weatherbeeta - Banbury, Oxfordshire WEATHERBEETA



**Battles - Lincoln** 



Bliss of London - Walsall, Staffordshire



Perry Equestrian - Cradley Heath, Staffordshire



#### **STUBBS ENGLAND NUTRITIONAL HELPLINE OF THE YEAR**

Presented to a company considered to offer excellence in nutritional advice and service to customers - consumer, trade and retail.



**TopSpec Equine** - Thirsk, North Yorkshire TopSpec\*

**Baileys Horse Feeds** - Braintree, Essex

Spillers - Milton Keynes, **Buckinghamshire** 



Dengie Horse Feeds - Maldon, Essex Dengie







Presented by Ross Bradwell, Director, **Stubbs England** 



#### **SEIB RETAILER OF THE YEAR**

An award for tack shops and feed merchants whether or not they are BETA members - that is divided into two categories.



Presented by **SEIB** 

#### **Equestrian Retail Store**

RB Equestrian - Milton Keynes, **Buckinghamshire** 



The Millwheel Tack Shop and **GG Feeds - Warfield, Berkshire** 



The Tack Room Milnathort - Kinross



**1st Choice Horse Supplies** 





Redpost Equestrian - Totnes, Devon

**Barnyard Pet & Equestrian Supplies** - Northwich, Cheshire



#### Online/Mail Order Retailer

**GS Equestrian** 





Redpost Equestrian - Totnes, Devon



Urban Horse - Alston, Cumbria Urbanhorse

**RB Equestrian – Milton Keynes,** Buckinghamshire



Online for Equine/Highfield Equestrian - Shirleywich, **Staffordshire** 



**Equus England - Stevenage,** Hertfordshire



Because of the coronavirus pandemic, the Equine Careers **Sales Representative of the** Year and Equestrian Event of the Year supported by Henson Franklyn categories will be held over until 2022.





Please note that the BETA Lifetime Achievement Award will now take place in September.

## Sponsors

A huge vote of thanks to our loyal sponsors who play such a crucial role in supporting these important business awards. Click on the logos to find out more about them.





**Weatherbeeta Group Retail Employee of the Year** 

**BETA Export Award** 



Citation **Citation Trade Supplier** of the Year

**Marketing Effectiveness Award** 



**STUBBS ENGLAND Nutritional Helpline** of the Year



**SEIB Retailer of the Year** 

#### **POSTPONED UNTIL 2022**



**Equine Careers Sales Representative** of the Year



**Equestrian Event** of the Year supported by **Henson Franklyn** 

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