

CURRITUCK COUNTY TOURISM HOSPITALITY AWARDS 2014

Do you have an outstanding employee at your place of business you would like to recognize? Is it someone who provides excellent hospitality to visitors and sets a great example for the rest of your staff?



Congratulations to our 2013 Winners

(front row, l-r): Sandra Powers (Outer Banks Center for Wildlife Education), Jenna Laurick (Dunkin' Donuts of Grandy), Cathy Cole (Resort Realty of the Outer Banks), Lauren Sawyer (The Farm Market by United Turf); (back row, l-r): Randy Vannoy (Inn at Corolla Light), Gina Rickman (Beach Bums), Ann Sensibaugh (Whalehead in Historic Corolla), Travis Morris (Tourism Leader of the Year), Laik LePera (Outer Banks Blue), Ben Berrane (Paramount Destinations);

(Not pictured): Debbie Hartlove (Carolina Shores Vacation Rentals).

If so, you are invited to nominate your most outstanding employee for the 2014 Currituck County Tourism Hospitality Awards Program. This program honors both front-line and behind-the-scenes employees of tourism-related businesses in Currituck County who provide exemplary customer service and hospitality to visitors.

Each business is invited to nominate one employee. Nomination categories include: Attraction, Lodging, Restaurant and Retail. Employees can be nominated in the areas of front desk staff, housekeeping, sales manager, maintenance, host/hostess, chef, tour guide, cashier/clerk, and several other areas.

By nominating an employee from your business, you will not only recognize a valuable member of your staff, you will also promote your business and show your commitment to serving our visitors.

To nominate an employee, complete the nomination form on reverse and return it to the Tourism Department at 106 Caratoke Hwy. Moyock, NC 27958. This awards program is being offered free of charge.

Thank you for helping to recognize employees who provide exceptional customer service!

Deadline for nominations is

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2014

County-wide winners will be honored during the annual Currituck Chamber of Commerce Awards Luncheon on October 3, 2014 (time TBA).



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Thank you for making a nomination! **Please return this form and your supporting documentation to:**

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