Best of eMalahleni

READERS' CHOICE AWARDS 2025

Best Special Needs School
1. W H De Klerk Skool
2. Audeamus Private School
3. Carissa Primary School

Best Tertiary Institution
1. Emalahleni TUT
2. Cambridge Academy
3. Boston City Campus Witbank

Living

Best Security Company
1. CSC Tactical
2. Protecta Security
3. ADT - Witbank

Best Hotel
1. The Ridge Hotel
2. ANEW Hotel Highveld
3. ANEW Hotel Witbank

Best Local Artist
1. Kunsmyn
2. Coenie Bernard
3. Tsetse Matlakala

Best Funeral Parlour
1. The Funeral Home
2. AVBOB Funeral Service
3. Lethukuthula Funeral Home

Best Gym/Sports Club
1. Lifestyle Pinnacle
2. G's Bootcamp
3. Planet Fitness

Best Bank in Town
1. Capitec Bank - Ben Fleur
2. FNB - Highveld Mall
3. Capitec Bank - Highveld Mall

Best Driving School
1. Edu-Drive Driving School
2. Xirindza Driving School
3. Sion Driving School

Best Legal Services
1. Krugel Heinsen Attorneys
2. CBJ Attorneys
3. Ursula Ntuli Incorporated Attorneys

Best Manufacturing
1. Alu Door & Window Centre
2. Afrigrit
3. Kobarn Woodworx

Best Engineering
1. Isazi Engineering & Mining Supplies
2. Mass Hire
3. BSS Profiling

Best Estate Agent
1. Seeff - Witbank
2. RE/MAX Legend
3. Chas Everitt International Property Group

Best Laundromat/Dry Cleaners
1. Squeaky Clean Laundry Services
2. Elkana Laundry Services
3. Blush Royale Laundry

Best Local Event
1. Geringer Street Market
2. Saveways Crescent Christmas Festival
3. Bettie Bandana Cancer Walk

Best Veterinarian
1. Klipfontein Dierekliniek
2. Witbank Veterinary Hospital
3. President Veterinary Clinic

Best Brokerage/Financial Service
1. IFS Wealth Creations
2. Amadwala Group of Companies
3. Sanlam

Best Mining
1. Seriti
2. Andru Mining
3. Masemanzi Mining Holdings

Best Appliance Repair Centre
1. Braam Electronics
2. Powerhouse Appliance Services
3. JJ Appliance Store

Best Purified Water Supplier
1. Oasis Water - Reyno Ridge
2. Oasis Water - River Crescent
3. Oasis Water - Klipfontein

Best Branding/Signage
1. SignMax
2. Konika Minolta/Image Worx
3. Blue Eye Marketing

Best Photographer
1. Carminda Swanepoel Photography
2. 360° Moments Media Photo Booth
3. Forever Photography

Best Courier Company
1. The Courier Guy Kiosk
2. PostNet
3. Fastway Couriers

Best Lodge
1. Rustic Fields Lodge & Venue
2. Steve's Place
3. Destiny Resort

Best Guesthouse
1. Big 5 Guest House
2. Mystical Mansion Guest House
3. La Bendicion Guest House

Best Events Venue
1. 180 Degrees Restaurant
2. Anelli's Tea Garden/Big 5 Guest House
3. Rustic Fields Lodge & Venues

Best Interior Design/Home Décor
1. Curtain Dream
2. E Design & Installation
3. Signature Room

Motoring

Best Battery Centre
1. Spares Wise
2. First Battery Centre
3. World of Batteries

Best Tyre Shop
1. Ganis Wheels & Tyres
2. Tiger Wheel & Tyre
3. Highveld Tyres

Best Filling Station
1. Engen Del Judor
2. Shell Dam Motors
3. Sasol - Highveld

Best Windscreen Replacement
1. PG Glass
2. Autoboys Glass
3. Glasfit

Best Spares Centre
1. Spares Wise
2. Goldwagen - Klipfontein
3. Goldwagen - Central

Best Vehicle Sound & Security
1. Rico's Sound & Cellular
2. Ganis Mag & Motorsport
3. Auto-X-Sec

Best Panel Beater
1. G & J Autobody
2. Hencom Autobody
3. Sparkling Auto Care Centre

Best Pre-owned Dealership
1. We Buy Cars
2. Eastvaal Motors Ford
3. Eastvaal Motor City

Best New Vehicle Dealership
1. Bidvest McCarthy VW
2. Eastvaal Motor City
3. Eastvaal Motors Ford

Best Service Centre
1. CC Dyno & Conversions
2. SW Auto Worx
3. Venom Racing

Best Towing Service
1. Van Wettens Towing Services
2. Limitless Towing & Recovery
3. Feilim's Recovery & Towing

Best Car Wash
1. Greenpoint Auto Clean Power Wash & Valet
2. Sparkling Auto Care Centre Highveld
3. Sparkling Car Wash & Valet

Best Motorbikes/Quadbikes
1. Xtreme Bikes
2. Jay's Quad, Bike & Boat Specialist
3. Mechanibike

Shopping

Best Butchery
1. Meat & Fish City
2. Meat World
3. Clean Cut Butchery

Best Furniture Store
1. Mr Price Home - Highveld Mall
2. @home and Nu Home
3. House and Home

Best Internet Service Provider
1. Firmlinx ICT Solutions
2. Vodacom - Highveld Mall
3. Metrofibre

Best Mobile Repairs
1. Vodacom - Highveld Mall
2. MTN - Highveld Mall
3. Incredible Connection

Best Supermarket/Grocery Store
1. SUPERSPAR Saveways
2. Checkers - Ben Fleur
3. Pick n Pay - River Crescent

Best Gift Shop/Florist/Hobby Store
1. The Flower Shed
2. Kiley's Florest and Gift Shop
3. House-34-Florist

Best Pet Supplies Store
1. Pet Pool & Home
2. Pet Zone
3. Exotic Fins & Paws

Best Electronic/Appliance Store
1. Nu Home
2. HifiCorp - Highveld Mall
3. Game

Best Stationery & Office Automation
1. PNA - Saveways
2. Konika Minolta/Image Worx
3. Waltons - Saveways

Best Hardware Store
1. Builder's Warehouse
2. BUCO - Witbank
3. PowerBuild

Best Paint Store
1. O'Grady's
2. PowerBuild
3. Jacks Paint

Best Shopping Centre/Mall
1. Highveld Mall
2. Ben Fleur Boulevard
3. Saveways Crescent

Best Clothing Store
1. Woolworths - Highveld Mall
2. Mr Price - Highveld Mall
3. Helpende Hand Ons Winkel

Best Technical Store
1. Firmlinx ICT Solutions
2. HifiCorp - Highveld Mall and Incredible Connection (Joined 2nd place)
3. Konika Minolta/Image Worx

Best Vape Shop
1. Vanilla Vape
2. Brothers Vape Lounge
3. Spartan Vape Co

Best Liquor Store
1. Tops - Saveways
2. Liquor City - Ben Fleur
3. Ultra Liquors

Best Garden Centre/Nursery
1. Duckpond Coffee Shop
2. Van den Berg's Kwekery
3. Riverview Garden Centre

Special Award

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Excellence thrives as the City of Coal honours its best

Our warmest congratulations to all the winners of the Best of eMalahleni Readers' Choice Awards, who represent the very best in local business.

Operating an enterprise amid escalating fuel prices and rising living costs demands extraordinary tenacity.

By adapting to these challenging market conditions, launching new ventures and creating vital jobs, the winning businesses and entrepreneurs have reaffirmed eMalahleni's standing as a driving economic player in Mpumalanga.

Seeing the excitement as business owners proudly display their certificates sends a clear message that excellence is not merely an aspiration in the City of Coal; each winner has earned the genuine trust of our residents.

These accolades carry undeniable weight because they reflect the direct stamp of approval from our readers across eight diverse categories.

"We applaud every recipient for their tireless dedication to outstanding service, and we thank them for partnering with our community to keep eMalahleni moving forward," said Witbank News editor Zita Goldswain.



Zita Goldwain, Witbank News editor.
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Eat, drink and be merry

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1. Bongi's Kitchen
2. Pedros Chicken
3. Life Café

Best Coffee Shop
1. Bembom
2. Platō Coffee - Witbank
3. Life Café

Best Pub and Sports Bar
1. Hennie's
2. News Cafe
3. U-Turn Avenue

Best Dinner
1. Bongi's Kitchen
2. Hennie's
3. Spur Misty Creek - Ben Fleur

Best Breakfast in Town
1. Bembom
2. Life Café
3. Mugg & Bean - Highveld Mall

Glam it up

Best Nail Tech
1. Doll Glamorous
2. Timeless Beauty Aesthetics
3. Perfect 10 Nail & Body Studio - Ben Fleur

Best Barber Shop
1. Blade Barber
2. Legends Barber Shop - Saveways
3. Barber Reyno Ridge

Best Spa
1. Placecol Skin Care Clinic and Timeless Beauty Aesthetics (Joint winners)
2. Gravity Slimming & Beauty Spa
3. Indulgence Spa & Aesthetics Nuakh Aesthetics (Joint 3rd place)

Best Make-up Artist
1. Veronique Pieterse
2. Doll Glamorous
3. GlamUp Girl

Best Ladies' Hairdresser
1. Salon Francois
2. Marzanne Potgieter
3. Melissa Barrett

Best Permanent Make-up
1. Smudgeproof Studio
2. Timeless Beauty Aesthetics
3. Gravity Slimming & Beauty Spa

Best Lash Tech
1. Soné Tenreiro
2. Ansoné Badenhorst PMU & Lash Artistry
3. Perfect 10 Nail & Body Studio - Ben Fleur

Healthcare

Best Optometrists
1. Spec-Savers - Highveld Mall
2. Cullen & Jones Optometrist
3. Spec-Savers - Highland Mews

Best General Practitioner
1. Dr Liesl Pieterse
2. Dr Desiree Booysen
3. Dr Beyers and Dr Cross (Joint 3rd place)

Best Weightloss/Dietitians
1. Nutrimed Dietitians
2. Mandla Ramagoma Dietitian
3. DivineNique Slimming Beauty Clinic

Best Dental Care
1. Dr Lebo Motshana
2. Smilez Dental Surgery
3. Dr Amanda Ligthelm

Best Medical Centre/Hospital
1. Life Cosmos Hospital
2. Centre De La Vie
3. Legacy Emergency Medical Services

Best Physiotherapy/Chiropractor
1. Mangazile Lukhele Physiotherapy
2. Tjaart Broodryk Physiotherapy
3. Xolile Lubisi Physiotherapist

Best Pharmacy
1. Arrie Nel Tasbet Pharmacy
2. The Local Choice Pharmacy - Centre De La Vie
3. Clicks Pharmacy - Ben Fleur

Home Improvement

Best Cleaning Service
1. Kobus du Plessis Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning & Mobile Valet
2. Makhuna Cleaning Services
3. BTK Industrial Services

Best Borehold Service
1. Johan Drilling
2. Boreholemaster
3. Bomi Drilling & Blasting

Best Pool Service
1. Pet Pool & Home
2. Ree Multi-Service Group
3. Clear Water Pools

Green Energy/Solar
1. MHT Energy
2. 1st Choice Electrical
3. One Energy

Best Electrician/Electrical Contractor
1. Ree Multi Service Group
2. 1st Choice Electrical
3. MHT Energy

Best Landscaping
1. Ree Multi-Service Group
2. Debler Group Services
3. Stokkies Draai Tuin Dienste and Witbank Garden Services (Joint 3rd place)

Best Handyman/Maintenance
1. Ree Multi Service Group
2. Kobarn Woodworx
3. 1st Choice Electrical

Best Plumbing Service
1. Ree Multi-Service Group
2. Witbank Plumbing & Projects
3. Ad Hoc Plumbers

Best Builder/Contracter & Construction
1. Ree Multi-Service Group
2. Kobarn Woodworx
3. Quadro Sand

Best Locksmiths
1. Krabo Locksmiths
2. Lock & Safe Worx Locksmiths
3. Thunder Locksmith

Best Blinds & Curtains
1. Ree Multi-Service Group
2. Curtain Dream
3. Kay's Interiors

Best Tiling/Flooring
1. Ree Multi-Service Group
2. Kobarn Woodworx
3. Home Tech

Best Roofing
1. Ree Multi-Service Group
2. Witbank Dakkappe
3. Supreme Guttering

Best Air conditioning
1. Ree MultiService Group
2. Cool Gents Refrigeration & Services
3. Speedking Cooling Services

Kids

Best Party Place/Kids' & Entertainment
1. Hennie's
2. Duckpond Coffee Shop
3. Spur Smokey Ridge

Best Tutoring Centre
1. A+Students
2. MasterMindz Tutoring Centre
3. X10 Maths & Science

Best Primary School
1. Laerskool Taalfees
2. Laerskool Kragbron
3. Laerskool Duvhapark

Best Nursery School
1. Tweety Land Kleuterskool
2. Lucy Mashiane Pre-primary & Nursery School
3. Riekies Private Pre-school

Best High School
1. Hoër Tegniese Skool Witbank
2. Hoërskool Generaal Hertzog
3. Hoërskool Patriot

Best Private School
1. Cambridge Academy
2. Curro Bankenveld
3. St Thomas Aquinas School

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