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AUSTRALIA'S LEADING ROAD SAFETY ADVOCATES HONOURED AT NATIONAL AWARDS

The winners of this year's Australian Road Safety Awards presented by Suncorp have been announced at a ceremony held at Parliament House in Canberra today.

The 13th Annual Awards are an initiative of the Australian Road Safety Foundation (ARSF) and aim to drive new standards of excellence in the field of road safety, while acting as a catalyst to increase road safety activities on a national scale.

The Australian Road Safety Awards acknowledges the achievements of leading road safety stakeholders and provides an opportunity to formally recognise their commitment to improving road safety outcomes.

Featuring nine award categories this year including Community, Schools, Indigenous, Rural & Remote Programs, Innovation, Technology, Workplace Road Safety, Local and State Government sections, the Awards also feature additional and expertly judged Founder and Recognition accolades. A full list of winners is included below.

ARSF founder and CEO Russell White was impressed at the calibre of road safety projects from all the entrants.

"This year, the awards have once again attracted an impressive array of entries, showcasing a variety of approaches to tackling road safety challenges. From community-led education programs to technological advancements in road safety, the contributions of these individuals and organisations are invaluable," Mr White said.

"As road users, we each play a part in shaping the safety of our roads. Adopting safe driving habits, staying informed about road safety measures, and supporting initiatives aimed at reducing road trauma are steps we can all take. The rising toll of road fatalities and injuries underscores the urgent need for collective action."

"I congratulate the winners and entrants on their efforts and hope that their successful programs will inspire others to prioritise road safety initiatives and help us to achieve a Fatality Free Future," he said.

Hosted by Bill Woods, the Awards Ceremony welcomed several esteemed guests including Senator the Hon Carol Brown, Assistant Minister for Infrastructure and Transport, and the Office of Road Safety.



The Awards are a vital part of the suite of signature programs from the ARSF, which also includes Fatality Free Friday, Rural Road Safety Month, Slow Down Songs, RoadSet and the year-round Road Safety Resilience Campaign, along with other seasonal campaigns.

The Winners of the 13th Annual Australian Road Safety Awards presented by Suncorp:	
Community Programs Award <i>Presented by Suncorp</i>	City of Gold Coast <i>Oceanway Path Conflict Study Trial</i>
School Programs Award <i>Presented by Suncorp</i>	Royal Perth Hospital <i>P.A.R.T.Y. Program</i>
Indigenous Programs Award <i>Presented by Suncorp</i>	Department for Infrastructure and Transport SA <i>On the Right Track</i>
Rural & Remote Programs Award <i>Presented by ELGAS</i>	TRANSAFE WA <i>iNSTRUCKTA! Safety Truck</i>
Innovation Programs Award <i>Presented by LicenSys</i>	SafeCycling Program
Technology Award <i>Presented by Subaru</i>	Department of Transport and Planning VIC & GHD <i>Evaluation of the Safe Travel in Local Streets (STiLS) Road Safety Program</i>
Workplace Road Safety Award <i>Presented by Subaru</i>	St John Ambulance Australia <i>Learner Driver First Aid</i>
Local Government Programs Award <i>Presented by myPlates</i>	Campbelltown City Council <i>Child Restraint Diversion Program</i>
State Government Programs Award <i>Presented by Suncorp</i>	South Australia Police <i>Jeff the Road Safety Dog</i>
Judges Recognition Awards <i>Presented by Suncorp and ARSF</i>	Transport for NSW <i>Level Crossing Technology Trial</i>
Founder Award for Outstanding Achievement <i>Presented by Suncorp and ARSF</i>	Department of Transport and Planning VIC & GHD <i>Evaluation of the Safe Travel in Local Streets (STiLS) Road Safety Program</i>

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