

Entrepreneurial Spirit Award

Entrepreneurs are more than just business owners; they are born from passion and determination to take a vision and dream and turn it into a new business or venture. These are visionaries who are willing to work hard and take risks. They are creative and innovative in their approach to new business ventures.

This award recognizes an individual, company or organization demonstrating great initiative and innovation to establish a new business venture or project within the last 3 years. Through hard work and dedication, the recipient has successfully brought a new venture to fruition that positively impacts Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Eligibility: The nominee is a resident of, or business in Niagara-on-the-Lake. The business or venture has been active for less than three years and is not an extension, or new location of an existing business.

Criteria: Nominations includes examples of challenges overcome, evidence of perseverance and uniqueness of idea/business. The recipient has successfully brought a venture to fruition that positively impacts its industry, other businesses and/or the community within the last three years. In this way the recipient has added to the dynamic growth and vibrancy of the town.