

Green businesses urged to enter DEBI environmental awards

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Businesses throughout Devon are being urged to enter a competition that rewards those firms that have done the most for the environment.

The Devon Environmental Business Initiative (DEBI) will celebrate the most environmentally aware enterprises and organisations at a glitzy event at the Met Office, in Exeter, in November.

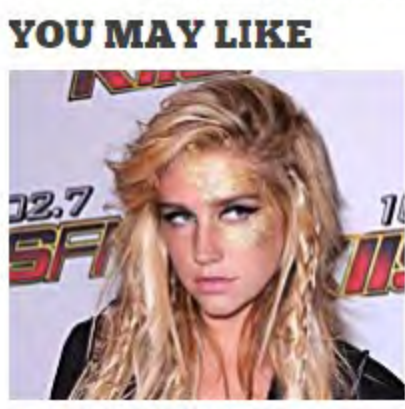
The 2016 DEBI Awards are open for nominations now.



CEREMONY: BBC star Carol Kirkwood fronts a previous DEBI awards event

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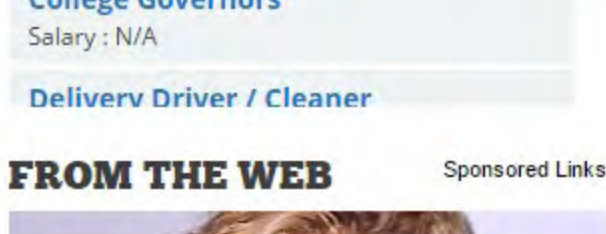
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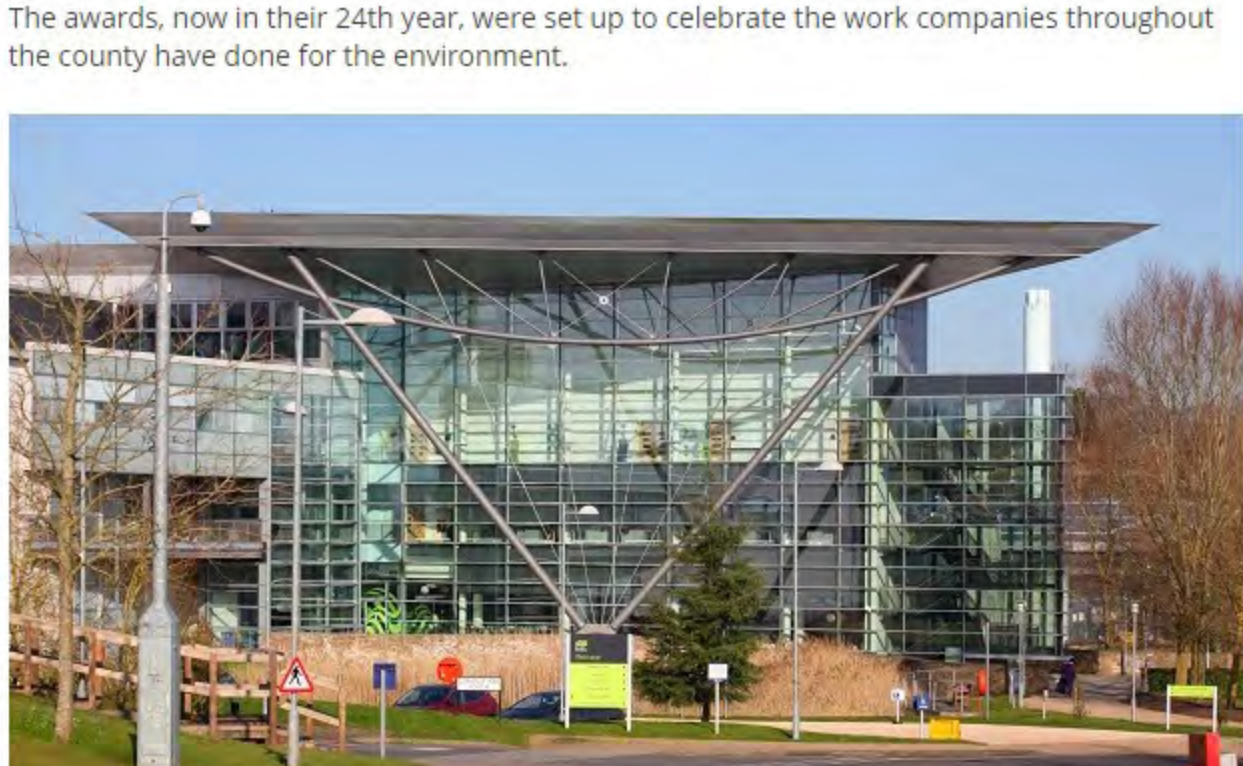


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VENUE: The Met Office in Exeter

There is a **DEBI Member award**, but private and public sector businesses do not have to be a member of DEBI to enter in other categories.

These include:

Environmental Champion – for a person who commits a substantial amount of their own time and effort to their work or project.

Educated in Devon – for businesses, schools and community groups providing innovative educational programs that encourage and stimulate environmental awareness.

Enjoyed in Devon – aimed at the hospitality, leisure and retail sectors.

Made in Devon – for businesses that grow/make products or provide services in Devon.

Sustainable in Devon – for businesses, co-operatives and community projects which operate in an ethical manner, whilst having regard to the impact they have on the environment.

Public Service in Devon – seeking the most environmentally sustainable project or initiative promoted by a public Sector organisation in the past two years.

An award for the **Overall Winner**.



Neil Stallard (above), a director of DEBI and of Saltash-headquartered recycling and waste management services firm Alpha Logic, said: "Businesses and organisations in Devon are already well-known across the UK for their commitment to the environment.

"So the DEBI awards create the perfect opportunity for them to come together and celebrate the positive impact they are having on our local world and, beautiful countryside and urban spaces.

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"Winners of the DEBI awards are recognised for their dedication to adopting environmentally sound policies.

"It's a great way to highlight their work and discover more about the innovative ways Devon-based businesses are using to forge the impact they have in environmental best practice.

"We're looking forward to this year's awards event and can't wait to see who will walk away as winners on the night."



WINNERS: Previous DEBI award winners gather to show their trophies

DEBI is a networking organisation set up to inform, support and motivate businesses, of all sizes and from all sectors in Devon, to adopt environmentally sound and profitable business policies.

It is a non profit-making organisation and a registered charity and was set up by business representatives to support other businesses in Devon more than 20 years ago.

Guidelines for entering are available at www.debi-online.org.uk

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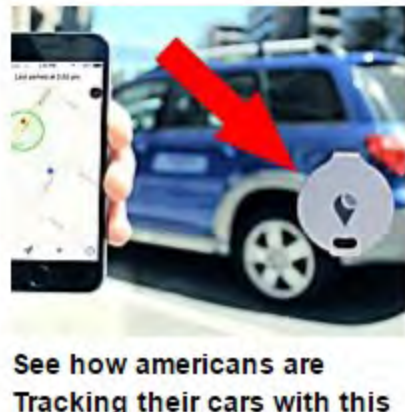
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