

## Guildford's Copper & Oak is WA's best liquor merchants

COPPER & Oak have been awarded the most coveted prize in the Western Australian liquor industry at this year's annual awards night.

The company's Guildford based store was named 'Metropolitan' and the Peter Basioli, 'WA Liquor Store of the Year' at the recent 29th WA Liquor Industry Awards, proudly presented by Lion at the Pan Pacific Hotel.

The awards recognise and celebrate excellence in the independent packaged liquor store industry.

Voting for the best store is based on scores by sales representatives from wineries, beer suppliers and distilleries from across the state.

Copper & Oak formed 21 years ago by Jose Pestana who set up shop in Tuart Hill after emigrating from South Africa and decided to call Perth home.

The following year Nelio, his brother, joined him from overseas to help run the business.

In 2022 the duo established their Copper & Oak Guildford store at a historic building previously known as Chateau Guildford which has been supported by industry peers and locals.

Their liquor Industry award caps off a number of accolades they have received this year from the Swan Chamber of Commerce.

Mr Pestana said the liquor award was validation of many years of demanding work put into the business and being part of the local community.

"That's what we're about, building community and culture, we're not just about being retailers in another shop. We want to be part of something, and Guildford has shown it."

"Being a town that's all about the heritage factor, they've embraced us, they come in, and they know us by name".



Nelio Pestana driving the old Citroen Van.



Jose Pestana pouring hops.



Copper & Oak's Liquor Store of the Year Award.



# COPPER & OAK

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Family owned liquor store, Copper & Oak have been awarded the most coveted prize in the Western Australian liquor industry at this year's annual Liquor Industry Awards night.

Located on the corner of Meadow & Swan Street in Guildford. Also with an outlet in Tuart Hill.

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