



**RESTAURANT  
ASSOCIATION  
OF NEW ZEALAND**

# NZ CULINARY FARE



## **Congratulations to the following Major Award Winners at the 2009 New Zealand Culinary Fare...**

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### **New Zealand Restaurant of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by Crombie Lockwood, QBE Insurance & Dish Magazine)*  
Okurukuru Winery

### **New Zealand Chef of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by Moffat Ltd and Southern Hospitality)*  
Francky Godinho, Hawkes Bay

### **NZ Sommelier of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by Wither Hills)*  
Simon McAuley, Cape Kidnappers

### **New Zealand Service Professional of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by SKYCITY)*  
Wei Ze Xia, Auckland University of Technology

### **New Zealand Pastry Team of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by Fonterra Brands The Pastryhouse)*  
Cherng-Hann Ma & Jie-Min Aw, SKYCITY

### **New Zealand Commis Chef of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by The Auckland Branch of the NZ Chefs Association and Hospitality Recruitment)*  
Daniel Reynolds, Blanket Bay Lodge

### **New Zealand Junior Food & Beverage Person of the Year 2009**

*(Sponsored by New Zealand Food Safety Authority (NZSFA))*  
Ellee Donald, Okurukuru Winery – New Plymouth

### **Hot Kitchen Excellence Award 2009**

*(Sponsored by e-gas)*  
Leslie Kumar, NZ Defence Force – Linton Army Camp

### **Training Excellence Award 2009**

*(Sponsored by Host Magazine)*  
North Shore International Academy, Auckland

### **Secondary Schools Excellence Award 2009**

*(Sponsored by Hospitality Standards Institute)*  
Kerikeri High School

### **Toque d'Or 2009**

*(Organised by Nestle Professional in association with Vegetables.co.nz, New Zealand Beef & Lamb Marketing Bureau, Akaroa Salmon, The House of Knives & Perrier)*  
Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology

### **Junior Team Skills 2009**

*(Sponsored by Hospitality Standards Institute (HSI))*  
Auckland University of Technology

### **New Zealand Bartender of the Year**

*(Sponsored by De Kuyper Liqueurs)*  
Tim Etherington-Judge, Cartel

### **BIDVest Regional Team Challenge**

*(Sponsored by BIDVest in association with BIDVest Fresh & Regal Marlborough Salmon)*  
Jon Baker – Marc Soper

*\*For Medal Results see Culinary Fare page/ News / Major Award & Medal winners for 2009*