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MULBERRY LODGE QATA17 BRONZE WINNER FOR BEST HOSTED ACCOMMODATION

The Qantas Australia Tourism Awards night on Friday 23 February in Perth saw Mulberry Lodge Country Retreat named as Winner of the Bronze Award for Hosted Accommodation at the prestigious national tourism awards.

With owners and hosts Hazel and Nik Parker hosting a wedding the next morning in Willunga, SA Minister for Tourism, the Hon Leon Bignell MP, accepted the award on behalf of Mulberry Lodge, acknowledging the fantastic showcase the win brings for tourism in his state electorate of the Fleurieu Peninsula.

Watching the awards night live on Facebook, Hazel said “winning this award is wonderful for the Mulberry Lodge team and we are extremely proud to be recognised among the leading tourism businesses in Australia. Achieving a bronze award is the culmination of four years developing the business to be one of SA’s best boutique country retreats – and now one of the best in Australia!”

Mulberry Lodge Country Retreat in Willunga is a boutique escape from the busyness of everyday life, offering a tranquil garden setting among the beautiful vineyards of the McLaren Vale. Renowned for their outstanding hospitality, Hazel and Nik welcome every guest as if to their own home and ensure they leave as friends. A beautiful private suite is within easy reach of Hazel’s famous breakfasts and enthusiastic recommendations of the very best places to wine, dine and experience in the stunning Fleurieu Peninsula, just 45 minutes from Adelaide CBD and international airport.

“Thank you to the team at SATIC and SATC for their fantastic support and encouragement to us and all tourism operators in SA, and thank you to the QATA 2017 judges for picking out Mulberry Lodge for this award. We’d also love to thank all our guests over the last year for their wonderful comments and our local tourism suppliers and friends which have undoubtedly been a very important part of Mulberry Lodge being awarded the QATA Bronze award for Hosted Accommodation for 2017”.

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