

Terms & Conditions of British Butchery Awards Entry:

Definitions

In the Terms & Conditions of Award Entry, the following definitions apply:

'The Event' or 'Award Dinner' means 'British Butchery Awards'

'NCB' means National Craft Butchers.

'Judge' means Award Judge / 'Winner' means Award Winner / 'Finalist' means Award Finalist / 'Entrant' means Award Entrant

'Attendee' means any person or business attending or registering to attend 'British Butchery Awards'

'Venue' is The Belfry, Nottingham.

Terms and Conditions

- The British Butchery Awards are organised by National Craft Butchers (NCB) of 1 Belgrove, Tunbridge Wells, TN1 1YW.
- By entering the awards, the entrant will be deemed to have read and understood the terms and conditions of 'Award Entry' and 'Registration and Attendance' and to be bound by both terms and conditions.
- By entering the British Butchery Awards, all award and category entrants have agreed to allow the details of their entry to be shared with the judges and representatives of NCB. All entrants will be deemed to have consented to the transfer and sharing of their personal, company and project data and information for the purpose of administration and judging of the awards and any other purposes to which the entrant has consented.
- The British Butchery Awards are open to independent retail butchery businesses and other organisations within the United Kingdom of Northern Ireland and Great Britain.
- All category entries must be received by NCB prior to the submission deadline. Entries received after the submission deadline will not be accepted. Part completed entries will not be accepted. Neither NCB, our entry platform, nor the judges will accept responsibility or liability for any lost, late, mislaid or incomplete entries with all such entries deemed invalid.
- All category entries must be submitted in English and submitted electronically with supporting documents (if applicable) using the 'Judgify'. Any entry received by any other means including via email, fax, post or hand delivered will not be accepted.
- Entry fees (for each individual category submission) must be paid via credit or debit card at the time of submission. Should payment not be made at the time of submission, the submission will not be completed and the entry not accepted.
- Entry fees are as follows: Wholesale Butchery, Large Butchery Business Categories are £75 with an Early Bird Fee of £50. Small Butchery Business

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- Upon written request, entries may be withdrawn by the entrant prior to 11:59pm on Monday 10th March 2025. In the case of a withdrawal of entry by the entrant, entry fees are non-refundable.
- Entries must be submitted and paid by the person with whom all future correspondence about the awards and finalist information will be sent.
- Entrants may enter multiple award categories, however all submitted entries must be tailored for each individual category.
- Nominations for Young Butcher, Special Recognition and Supplier of the Year should ensure they have received consent for the nomination and to share their contact information.
- All category finalists will be announced in April 2025.
- The judges will shortlist finalists from each award category and the finalists will be publicly announced on 22nd April 2025. Finalists will also be listed on the official British Butchery Awards webpage and via NCB's websites and social media channels.
- Award winners will be announced during the awards dinner taking place in Nottingham in June 2025. Under no circumstances will the details of winners be disclosed prior to the event. During the awards dinner, one award winner will be announced from the finalists in each category with category winners trophies being presented at the event. Finalists (excluding winners and runners-up) will receive a certificate within 30 days of the event.
- Category winners, finalists, and nominees are not provided with complimentary tickets to the awards dinner. All category finalists are required to be present at the awards dinner and must purchase a minimum of one ticket to the awards dinner in June 2025.
- The British Butchery Awards are judged by a panel of independent judges.
- The judges and NCB reserve the right at its absolute discretion to reject any entry without explanation or notice. In the case that an entry is rejected by the judges or NCB, the entry fee will be non-refundable (unless NCB in its absolute discretion decides otherwise).
- The judges' decision will be final, and no explanation, correspondence or discussion will be offered or entered into before or following the judges' decision. Additionally, feedback will not be given on any successful or unsuccessful entry before or following the judges' decision.
- Should entries of a winning standard not been submitted into an individual category, the judges at their absolute discretion may decline to award a winner or finalists. In the case that a category is deemed unworthy of a winner and / or finalists, entry fees will be non-refundable.

- The judges and NCB reserve the right to amend category selections where it is deemed appropriate.
- The judges reserve the right to disqualify any entry not accompanied by the appropriate / correct supporting documentation or any entry deemed to be inaccurate, false or misleading. In the case that an entry is disqualified, the entry fee will be non-refundable.
- The judges and NCB accept no responsibility for any costs associated with entering or attending the awards. This includes but not limited to: Attending the awards dinner or the creation, submission, judging and / or evaluation of award entries.
- NCB will not be held responsible for any travel, accommodation and / or (non-event served) food or refreshment requirements of an award attendee, finalist or winner.
- NCB reserves the right at its own discretion to alter or reschedule the awards, the awards dinner and / or to change the judging panel and / or these terms at any time and without notice.
- Should the event be rescheduled, these terms remain binding between NCB and all award entrants and dinner attendees for a period of 6 months from the original scheduled date of the awards dinner. Should the awards dinner be rescheduled, the awards dinner will be held within 6 months of the date of original scheduled dinner and in the case that an attendee is unable to attend the rescheduled event, a substitute attendee may be nominated up to 7 days prior to the rescheduled awards dinner without charge. Should the awards dinner be cancelled or not rescheduled or held within 6 months of the original schedule dinner, a refund limited to the sum of a fully paid table or individual ticket cost which has been paid by an entrant or attendee will be offered. For the purpose of doubt, a change of name, a rescheduled date within 6 months of the original scheduled awards dinner or a relocation of the awards dinner is not a cancellation.
- NCB will not be liable for any death, injury, financial loss or damage sustained by an award attendee as a result of, or arising from any circumstances, including but not limited to financial losses arising from the rescheduling or the cancellation of the awards or awards dinner by NCB, which right NCB hereby reserves where in its opinion it thinks such action necessary, or appropriate under such circumstances which is deemed to be outside the control of NCB. For the purposes of this agreement, non-exhaustive illustrations of those matters which are hereby agreed to be outside NCB's reasonable control include fire, storm, tempest, lightning, other abnormal weather conditions, national emergency, labour disputes, strikes, lockouts, civil disturbances, explosion, inevitable accident, threatened or actual war, armed conflict, terrorist attack or nuclear, chemical or biological contamination or the withdrawal or non-appearance of key presenters of the awards dinner. Should NCB cancel the awards dinner, this agreement shall automatically terminate.

- NCB will not be held responsible for the security of any award attendee nor for any attendee's personal belongings. All award attendees accept and acknowledge that neither NCB nor the venue maintains insurance covering any attendee's property and / or liability, and it is the sole responsibility of the award attendee to obtain such insurance.
- All award entrants and award attendees agree to indemnify NCB against all costs, claims, damages and expenses that any award entrant and / or award attendee incurs as a result of, or in connection with; any breach of this agreement by NCB; or any complaint or claim made or brought against NCB in respect of any act or omission on the part of any award entrant, its representatives, award dinner guests or any award attendee.
- During the award dinner, alcoholic beverages will be served for the enjoyment of attendees. NCB strongly advise all award attendees to keep within the UK legal drink driving alcohol limits. By agreeing to these terms & conditions, all award attendees accept full responsibility for their own actions and acknowledge and agree that NCB, the event suppliers, the venue and event sponsors will not be held responsible for any attendees' actions following the consumption of alcohol, or from any related or non-related circumstance which may occur prior, during or following the awards dinner.
- While peanuts or other tree nuts may not be an ingredient in the food served at the awards dinner, menu items may be produced in the same area as food containing various nuts. NCB, the event caterers, suppliers and the venue wish to advise sufferers of nut allergies, that although best practices are used in the preparation of food served by the venue, inadvertent cross-contamination of nuts and nut traces may occur.
- Prior and following the awards, NCB will produce a comprehensive media / publicity campaign highlighting the awards, award categories, winners, runners-up and finalists. All award entrants, winners, runners-up and finalists agree to offer NCB the exclusive right to use content, images and film for the promotion of the awards, and for the commercial promotion of NCB and any NCB event.
- All award entrants, winners, runners-up and finalists grant NCB the exclusive right to use and reproduce their name, trademark and company logo for pre-event, onsite and post-event marketing of the awards, and for the commercial promotion of NCB and any NCB event.
- Photography and filming by NCB's approved photographers and film crews will take place during the awards evening and dinner. As photographs and film footage may include images of award winners, runners-up, finalists and attendees, all award winners, runners-up, finalists and attendees acknowledge and accept that NCB may record, photograph, film and broadcast (via print, electronic means and internet) any image or film footage taken during the awards evening and dinner. All winners, runners-up, finalists and attendees agree to offer NCB the exclusive right to use any image or film footage taken

during the awards evening and dinner for the promotion of the awards, and for the commercial promotion of NCB and any NCB event.

- All winners, runners-up and finalists of the British Butchery Awards 2025 will be given the entitlement to display the appropriate winner, and finalist logo on their websites and corporate marketing materials for their own promotion. Category winners, and finalists may only use the official logo in connection with the award for which they have won or announced as a finalist. The logo must be issued by NCB, must not be altered, and the year of the award must be clearly displayed.
- By submitting your registration for this event, you consent to National Craft Butchers contacting you via email and telephone with regards to this and future events / services.
- Due to data protection regulations, attendee lists for the awards dinner are not offered by NCB.
- The attendee numbers anticipated for the awards dinner are for guidance purposes only and NCB gives no assurance or warranty that the anticipated attendee numbers will be achieved.
- These terms shall be governed by the laws of England and Wales and the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction.

Data Protection:

By entering The British Butchery Awards 2025, all award and category entrants have agreed to allow the details of their entry to be shared with the judges and representatives of NCB. All entrants will be deemed to have consented to the transfer and sharing of their personal, company and project data and information for the purpose of administration and judging of the awards and any other purposes to which the entrant has consented.

By submitting a registration for this event, the participant acknowledges and gives consent on behalf of all person's mentioned on this registration form to have their details entered onto National Craft Butchers database.

Event Ticket(s) – Approximately 3 weeks prior to the event, you will receive your event ticket(s) via email or post. You are required to bring your ticket with you on the evening before entry to the event is granted.

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