

Top gong to Angove

RIVERLAND winemaking company Angove was last night crowned the Business of the Year at the Australian Organic Industry Awards in Melbourne.

The prestigious awards recognise the achievements of businesses which are committed to sustainable and organic practice across different sectors, including wine.

In accepting the award, John Angove, chairman of Angove Family Winemakers and fourth-generation winemaker, said: "We are thrilled to receive this recognition.

"As a family business, we are honoured to have been recognised as industry leaders by our peers. At our core, we are committed to fostering an awareness of certified organic wine and are dedicated to pushing the boundaries in organic farming practice."

Sales of Angove organic wines have grown by 28 per cent in the past 12 months.