Award winners announced

Exhibitors and visitors at Harrogate International Nursery Fair joined in celebration last night as the Baby Products Association announced the winners of its Concept & Innovation Awards and Baby and Nursery Trade Awards (BANTAS).

Lisa Walford of Baby Safe Ltd was announced as winner of the Concept Award for Safe Sleep Seat – a baby car seat that reclines by remote control; and Lucy Bostock of More-2-Explore for Adventure Belt – a fun

safety belt to keep parents connected to their children when out an about in busy areas. These were



both presented with trophies by Sara Ludlam of 3Volution – official sponsor which will be offering the winners £750 of legal advice.

Judges of the BANTAs had a difficult job choosing the winners this year as the quality of entries was so high. Penny Franks, editor of Nursery Today presented the awards as follows:

Travel

Winner: Bebecar UK (East Coast) - Spottech

Highly Commended: Peg Perego – Book S Elite Modular System

Travel Accessories

Winner: Hippychick – Tron

Highly Commended: Hippychick - SpaceCot

Sleep Accessories

Winner: Cloud b Cloud Beehop

Highly Commended: Super Undies - Nightime Bedwetting Underwear

Toys

Winner: Halilit - Musical Rings

Highly Commended: East Coast Nursery, 'Say Hello' to Tummy Time

In Home

Winner: Red Kite Baby Co Ltd – Red Kite Panda Booster

Highly Commended: Silvercloud (East Coast) – Silvercloud Moses Basket

<u>Safety</u>

Winner: Slumberland – Slumbertime Luxury Pocket Sprung Mattress

Highly commended: Shnuggle Pebbly

Feeding, Cleaning & Changing

Winner: Carriwell Aps – Carriwell Padded GelWire Support Nursery Bra

Highly Commended: Little Chick London – Swaddle Robe

Best New Product

Winner: PHP Gift & Baby Ltd – Grow & Tell

Highly Commended: Orby Swim Ltd – Orby Jetsuit

These are not-to-be missed products to see at the show today – the doors are open from 9am to 5.30pm and tomorrow from 9am to 4pm. Visit www.nurseryfair.com for more information.

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