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Barrier Reef takes the trifecta

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arrier Reef Pools won all three awards for its fibreglass lap pools in the annual Swimming Pool and Spa Association Awards of Excellence.

Pool entries from Secret Harbour, Atwell and East Fremantle took out gold, silver and bronze awards with a popular 12m-long fibreglass lap pool.

The gold award went to a pool located as a focal point for outdoor entertainment that is positioned down a boundary wall alongside the alfresco area at the Secret Harbour home.

Bluestone paving is laid around the edges of the pool and complements the gelcoat interior in Ocean Shimmer.

A constant depth of 1.35m suited the owners' needs and a water feature on the far side of the pool is lit with LED lights.

A specially engineered drop footing was required to stabilise the ground around the house pillars and a recessed step-in allows uninterrupted lap swims.

Semi-frameless glass fencing separates the pool from the alfresco area and Astralpool filter and pump equipment ensures water quality.

The cost of the gold-winning pool was \$28,000.

Glass walls along the wall of the living area of the Attwell

home provide wide views of the new lap pool that won silver.

The lane width of the 12m pool is 2.8m with an extension to 3.45m where wide entry steps are positioned at one end.

The pool is a constant depth of 1.35m and the interior gelcoat is Electric Blue, which contrasts with the white limestone paving.

Frameless glass fencing provides unrestricted views of the pool from the alfresco area and Astralpool pump and filter equipment control water quality with a self-cleaning chlorinator.

The Attwell pool cost \$23,000. Timber and stone were used to surround the pool that won the bronze award for fibreglass

lap pools. The 12m pool, built at the rear of a home in East Fremantle. has a classic that look comes from a minimalist design.

Polished black granite from the Stone Gallery edges the pool, with limestone used for the main paved area. The timber fencing is a mix of pine and stained jarrah, and frameless glass fencing separates the pool area from the rest of the house.

The pool equipment includes a Hayward automatic pool cleaner and an Astralpool cartridge filter and Viron pump. The pool cost \$31,000.

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The gold award winner in Secret Harbour.



Barrier Reef's silver award winner



Barrier Reef's bronze award winner in East Fremantle



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