

## **Ole South Wins 10 "Best of" Awards at Tour of Homes**

Murfreesboro, TN < June 9, 2008> Ole South Properties, Tennessee's #1 Independent Home Builder, recently took home ten "Best of" awards from the 2008 Homes Today Tour of Homes. Four Ole South homes were honored with multiple awards including the coveted "Best in Show" award.

"Ole South Properties is dedicated to going above and beyond the expectations of its buyers," Ole South owner and president John Floyd said upon receiving the awards Thursday evening. "These awards recognize the commitment of my staff more than anything."

The Showcase home, a 4,000 sq ft entertainer's dream, received the Best in Show award, the Tour's highest prize. The home also won several other awards including Best Exterior, Best Master Suite, Best Floor plan and Best Overall Home Décor.

Ole South's model homes at Innsbrooke Crossing, Evergreen Farms and Scottish Glen in Murfreesboro also received various recognitions:

- Entry #7 – Scottish Glen - Best Techno House
- Entry #8 – Evergreen Farms - Best Landscaping
- Entry #9 – Innsbrooke Crossing - Best Kitchen, Best Floor plan, Best Overall Home Décor

Lisa Booten, owner of Magnolia House Gift and Garden accepted the awards for Home Décor on behalf of Ole South for her work in the interior design and decorating of the Showcase Home and Innsbrooke Crossing.

Rob Calk, Vice President for Sales and Marketing for Ole South said, "The Tour of Homes is an annual event where Murfreesboro's home builders exposition the latest designs and trends in home construction and decorating. This is where the builders put their best foot forward."

The awards ceremony was held at the Tour's Preview Party at Puckett Station last Thursday. More than 450 middle Tennessee home builders, real estate professionals and other distinguished guests were in attendance. Rutherford County Home Builders Association Executive Director Karyn Beaty and 2008 Tour of Homes Chairman J. R. Eastman distributed the awards.

Murfreesboro-based Ole South Properties is Tennessee's largest independently owned home builder and constructs a variety of home styles in middle Tennessee. The company has been voted Favorite Builder five years in a row by Daily News Journal readers, has won numerous prestigious national awards and is consistently ranked in the top 100 home builders nationally.