



pHin Smart Water Care Recognized as Best Smart Home Product

pHin Wins 2018 CE Pro BEST Award and 2018 Electronic House Product of the Year Award; Named Finalist for IoT Innovator Award

San Jose, Calif. – September 10, 2018 – ConnectedYard, a Hayward Industries, Inc. company, today announced that [pHin](#) has been honored with two prestigious awards from CE Pro and Electronic House. pHin has also been named a finalist for a 2018 IoT Innovator Award.

pHin was named a winner of the 2018 CE Pro BEST (Best Electronics Systems Technologies) awards and a winner of the 2018 Product of the Year award by Electronic House. Both awards recognize pHin as an innovative smart home product that brings intelligence and automation to the connected backyard. The IoT Innovator Awards recognize pHin as one of the best products in the Internet of Things market.

“We are thrilled to be recognized by CE Pro, Electronic House and IoT Innovator. These awards underscore pHin’s innovation and the valuable role it plays helping homeowners simplify the care and maintenance of their backyard swimming pools and hot tubs,” said ConnectedYard Co-Founder and CEO Justin Miller.

pHin is a smart water care solution that takes the guesswork out of pool and hot tub maintenance by combining a wifi-enabled smart monitor and mobile app that monitors water chemistry and temperature 24/7, and notifies customers via smartphone when they need to take action. Customers receive recommendations on how to balance their water so they add only the exact chemicals needed.

Award entries were judged on creativity, innovation, functionality, aesthetics, and lifestyle benefits to the homeowner, by an independent panel of industry leaders, along with the editors of CE Pro and ElectronicHouse.com. For more information and the full list of award winners, go to [CE Pro](#) and [Electronic House](#). Winners of the IoT Innovators awards will be announced in early September.

About ConnectedYard

Headquartered in San Jose, Calif., ConnectedYard, a Hayward Industries company, is dedicated to bringing intelligence, predictability and efficiency as the center of the connected backyard. pHin, the company's first product, is reinventing pool and hot tub care with smart technology designed to help people have more time to enjoy an outdoor lifestyle. Learn more at www.phin.co, [Twitter](#) and on [Facebook](#). Beginning with pool and hot tub care, ConnectedYard will expand to everyday components involved in outdoor living.

About Hayward Industries, Inc.

Hayward Industries, Inc. is a leading global manufacturer of residential and commercial pool equipment and industrial flow control products. Headquartered in Elizabeth, NJ, Hayward markets a full line of energy efficient pool and spa equipment including pumps, filters, heaters, cleaners, salt chlorinators, automation, lighting, safety and flow control products. Hayward Products and trademarks include OmniLogic®, VS Omni, TriStar®, MaxFlo®, Super Pump®, AquaRite®, TurboCell®, Navigator®, Pool Vac™, AquaVac®, SwimClear™, and CAT Controllers®.

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