

Australia Day Awards 2027 Nomination Form

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Nominating someone for an Australia Day Award gives the community an opportunity to publicly recognise and reward that person. You are invited to nominate a friend, family member, community leader or a colleague - the unsung heroes who you believe makes the Scenic Rim a great place to live.

Let's give them the recognition they deserve!

TIPS FOR NOMINATING

A few things you should consider to ensure your nomination provides us with enough information about the achievements of the person/s, event you are nominating.

- Complete form and provide examples to support your statements. This will help the judging panel when applications are being assessed.
- If at all possible, please include the age of the person you are nominating. This helps with categories.
- Include supporting documentation such as newspaper articles, websites or personal references. Anything that you feel will assist the judging panel in making their decision.
- Entries must be submitted electronically via SmartyGrants
- All nominees must be Australian residents and reside within the Scenic Rim Regional Council boundary.
- The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into. The number of nominations received per nominee bears no weight on their selection.

The 2026 Australia Day Award nominations are open from 14 September, 2026 and will close on Monday 9 November, 2026 at 5pm.

If you have any questions about the Australia Day Awards program or nominating please contact Council on 5540 5111.

Nomination Details

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Nominee Details

Details of Individual/Group Being Nominated *

☐ Individual ☐ Organisation

Organisation Name

Title First Name Last Name

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Nominee Postal Address

Address

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Nominee Primary Phone Number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Nominee Primary Email *

Must be an email address.

Nominee Year of Birth

Contact Person *

First Name

Last Name

Nominator Details

Details of Person Submitting This Nomination (You) *

Title

First Name

Last Name

Nominator Postal Address *

Address

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, Postcode, and Country are required.

Nominator Primary Phone Number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Nominator Primary Email *

Must be an email address.

☐ I want to keep my nomination anonymous from the nominee.

Award Categories & Nomination Questions

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Award Categories

Select the appropriate category:

- ☐ COMMUNITY EVENT OF THE YEAR AWARD - Individual, group or organisation who has staged the most outstanding community event in the Scenic Rim. Events must have taken place between 30 November 2025 and 30 November 2026.

Award Categories

Select the appropriate category

- ☐ CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD (16 – 30 years) An exceptional young person aged 16-30, accomplishing great things in all walks of life, making a positive and outstanding contribution to the Scenic Rim community. Must be between 16 and 30 years of age as at 26 January 2027.
- ☐ CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD (31 – 65 years) A leading citizen, considered an inspirational role model to the Scenic Rim community and a person who inspires us to be a friendly, caring and engaged community. This person has taken risks, done the hard yards and had a positive impact on a wide range of people in the Scenic Rim. We recognise their extraordinary commitment to service in the local community over a number of years. Must be between 31 and 65 years of age as at 26 January 2027.
- ☐ CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD (65+ years) An inspirational person aged 65 and over, who continues to achieve and contribute outstanding service to the local Scenic Rim community. A person who proudly gives back to the community and presents a positive image of ageing. Must be aged 65 years or older as at 26 January 2027.
- ☐ COMMUNITY SPIRIT AWARD - Recognising the incredible effort of individuals and community groups during times of crisis or through everyday acts of kindness and leadership in their community between 30 November 2025 - 30 November 2026.

Event Nomination Details

The Judges might not know the people or event you are nominating. The more information you provide the better the application. We are looking for someone who is great at what they do, contributes to the local community, inspires those around them and is a great role model.

Significant contribution/s to the Community for which the Event is Nominated

Provide a description about the Event being Nominated. *

What impact/contribution has the event made to the community? *

Word count:
Must be at least 50 words

Is there an ongoing benefit to the community after the event? *

Word count:

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Must be at least 50 words

Why do you believe the event should receive an Australia Day Award? *

Word count:

Must be at least 50 words

Has this event shown great community spirit, vision or a particular strength? *

Achievements, recognition, awards, milestones, overcoming adversity, particular challenges.

Supporting Documentation *

Attach a file:

Please include any supporting documentation e.g. newspaper articles, letter/s of support, photos etc.

How did you find out about our Australia Day Awards? *

- ☐ Facebook
- ☐ Council Website
- ☐ Word of Mouth
- ☐ Newspaper
- ☐ Other:

Individual Nomination Questions

The Judges might not know the people, group or event you are nominating. The more information you provide the better the application. We are looking for someone who is great at what they do, contributes to the local community, inspires those around them and is a great role model.

What impact/contribution has the person made to the community? *

Word count:

Must be at least 50 words

How is the person an inspirational role model? *

Word count:

Must be at least 50 words

Why do you believe this person should receive an Australia Day Award? *

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Word count:
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Has this person shown great bravery, vision or a particular strength of character?

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Achievements, recognition, awards, milestones, overcoming adversity, particular challenges.

Past and present membership of community/sporting/professional bodies

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Privacy Collection Statement

By submitting this form you are agreeing to the following privacy collection statement.

Scenic Rim Regional Council is collecting your personal information for the purposes of processing your nomination for the 2026 Australia Day Awards. Your information will be used when determining, announcing and promoting award winners, and may also be used for the purpose of promoting the Australia Day Awards competition. The collection of this information is authorised under the Local Government Act 2009. Your information will be provided to the judging panel some of which may be outside of Council, not be given to any other person or agency unless you have given us permission or where we are required to by law. For more information, see the Information Privacy Act 2009 and our privacy policy at www.scenicrim.qld.gov.au