

Citizen of the Year Awards

Australia Day
Australia Day Council of South Australia



Who makes a real difference in your community?

Nominations are now open in three categories:

- **Citizen of the Year** • **Young Citizen of the Year**
- **Community Event of the Year**

Awards are presented at **Australia Day** events in Councils across SA. Head to the website or contact your local Council for details

www.citizenoftheyear.com.au



Do you know someone who makes your community a better place?

The Citizen of the Year Awards are proudly presented by the Australia Day Council of South Australia, sponsored by San Remo, and administered by local Councils.

The Awards reward and recognise individuals and organisations that have made a noteworthy contribution during the current year, and/or given an outstanding service over a number of years, to a local community over and above normal employment duties.

Outstanding contribution and community service includes areas such as education, health, fundraising, charitable and voluntary services, business, sport, arts, the environment, or any other area that contributes to the advancement and wellbeing of a community.

Nominate someone who makes a real difference in your community and give them the opportunity to be rewarded and recognised for their important contribution.

Visit our new website www.citizenoftheyear.com.au to nominate online and for more information on the awards, including past winners.

Categories

Citizen of the Year Award

To be eligible, the person must be an Australian Citizen.

Young Citizen of the Year Award

To be eligible, the person must be an Australian Citizen under 30 years of age on January 26, 2016.

Community Event of the Year Award

This is presented to the person/group who has staged the most outstanding community event during the past year.

Procedure

Each local Council in South Australia seek nominations in their local Council area, with the award recipients announced at the Council's Australia Day celebrations. Councils can forward the details of their Award recipients to the Australia Day Council of SA to go in the running for the State Awards, presented by the Governor of South Australia on Australia Day Eve at Government House.

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Regional Council of Goyder 2016 Citizen of the Year - Nomination Form

Nominee (the person/organisation you would like to nominate)

Please provide as much information as possible.

Award Category:

Name:

Address:

Telephone: Date of Birth:

Email:

Is the person being nominated an Australian citizen?

Reason for nomination – how has the person/organisation contributed to the community?

Please list any other significant contributions and/or achievements:

Additional material may be attached – maximum five A4 pages.

Nominator (your details)

Name:

Address:

Telephone: Email:

Nominations to be received by 4pm, Monday 2nd November 2015

**Attention: Ali Webster
Regional Council of Goyder
1 Market Square, Burra SA 5417**

For further information contact Ali on 88920100 or email awebster@goyder.sa.gov.au

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Criteria to assist nomination

1. What is the community that has benefited from the nominee's contribution or services?
2. Describe the contribution or services to the local community of a voluntary nature for which the person is nominated.
3. When did this contribution or service commence and how much time per week etc is involved?
4. Describe contributions or services which relate to the employment duties of the nominee.
5. Who has benefited most from the work of the nominee?
6. Has the nominee been awarded any other recognition/awards for their contribution or service?
7. Has the nominee worked alone or as part of a team? If part of a team, what was his or her role in the team?
8. Has the nominee shown outstanding leadership or any other outstanding qualities?
9. Has the nominee had to overcome any particular difficulties or hardship to complete their work?
10. Has the nominee been involved in a number of organisations e.g. community / sporting / professional?