Quilpie Shire Council Australia Day Award **Nomination Form 2020** Your Details: I would like to nominate: _____ Name:_____ Address: ______ Address:_____ Phone: (h) _____ (w) ____ (m) ____ Phone: (h) _____ (w) ____ (m) ____ Email: _____ Email: For an Australia Day Award in the following category: Referee Details (if available): Citizen of the Year Award Name: _____ Community Group Award Address: _____ Outstanding Achievement Award Phone: (h) _____ (w) ____(m) ____ Outstanding Junior Achievement Award Email: Sports & Recreation Award of the Year Australia Day Certificates of Appreciation Signature of nominator: Selection criteria as below needs to be addressed and the Please note: Closing date for nominations is nomination form is required to be fully completed. 5.00pm Friday 10 January 2020 Supporting documentation may also be included. **Please Note:** All awards are acknowledgement for 1. How has the person or group made an outstanding contribution to the local community? achievements & events in 2019. 2. How is the person/group an inspirational role model for the community? The awards are *not* for an accumulation of 3. Why do you believe that this person should receive an Australia Day Award?

4. Does the nominee work in a volunteer capacity or in a paid

position?

achievements throughout several years.

On 26 January 2020 Australians, all around the country will celebrate what is great about Australia.

We would like you to help us celebrate what is great about our community by nominating someone you know for an Australia Day Award.

The **Quilpie Shire Council** Australia Day Awards will recognise members of our community who have made an outstanding contribution to the community.

The Award categories that you can nominate in are:

- Citizen of the Year
- Community Group Award
- Australia Day Sport & Recreation Award
- Australia Day Outstanding Junior Achievement Award
- Australia Day Outstanding Achievement Award
- Australia Day Certificates of Appreciation

How to nominate:

Please complete this form and post to the address listed below by **5.00pm Friday 10 January 2020**

Quilpie Shire Council, PO Box 57, Quilpie Qld 4480 Marked 'Confidential - Australia Day Awards'

Supporting documentation may also be provided with your nomination form if you feel will assist the judges in making their decision. Supporting documentation can include items such as personal references, photographs, samples of work, portfolios, newspaper articles etc.

Please do not supply originals of supporting documentation, as all documentation will be retained by Quilpie Shire Council.



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Eligibility in Categories

- All nominees must be a resident of Quilpie Shire
- Awards are for achievements and events in 2019 only.

Citizen of the Year

 Nominees can be of any age group and are required to be residents of Quilpie Shire and nominations will need to demonstrate the scope of impact the individual's contribution has on the Quilpie Shire community.

Community Group Award

 The award is designed to encourage, acknowledge and reward the valuable contributions individuals and community groups are making throughout Quilpie Shire.

Australia Day Sport & Recreation Award

• This award can be for any sporting group or individual who participates in, organises, or plays an integral part in sport and recreation within the Shire. It could also be recognising a sporting event held in 2019.

Australia Day Outstanding Achievement Award

• This award can be for an individual or group who has demonstrated an outstanding achievement throughout 2019. This may be a specific achievement or could be an event held.

Australia Day Certificates of Appreciation

 Certificates of Appreciation are awarded to individuals for specific work they have carried out throughout the year. This can be a great way to thank any volunteers in your organisation who have gone above and beyond the call of duty.

Selection Criteria

Please consider the selection criteria listed below when completing your nomination.

- How has the person/group or event made an outstanding contribution to the local community?
- How is the person an inspirational role model for the community?
- Why do you believe that this person/group should receive an Australia Day Award?
- Does the nominee work in a volunteer capacity or in a paid position?
- Have these contributions taken place in 2019?

Judging Process

Nominations will be reviewed by an appointed judging panel. The Judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Award Recipients

Award recipients will be announced at a ceremony during our Australia Day Celebrations on Sunday 26 January 2020.

Enquiries: Please contact Quilpie Shire Council
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