



Croydon Shire Council

Australia Day Awards 2027

Nomination Form

Do you know someone who deserves recognition?

On 26 January 2027, Australians all around the country will celebrate what's great about Australia. Help us celebrate what's great about our community by nominating someone you know for an Australia Day Award. The Croydon Shire Council Australia Day Awards will recognise members of our community who have made an outstanding contribution to the community and for exceptional achievement in 2026.

There are six award categories:

Citizen of the Year

Nominees must be 21 years of age or older on 26 January 2027.

Young Citizen of the Year

Nominees must be aged between 16-20 years of age on 26 January 2027.

Volunteer of the Year (open to all ages)

Nomination must be for achievements and contributions outside of paid employment.

Senior Sports Person

Nominees must be 21 years of age or older on 26 January 2027.

Junior Sports Person

Nominees must be aged 20 years and younger on 26 January 2027.

Community Event of the Year

Events must have been held in the Croydon Shire during the 2026 calendar year.

All nominees must be a resident of Croydon Shire at the time of nomination.

Please complete this nomination form and return by **4.30pm on Monday 6 November 2026**.

In person - Croydon Library, Matron Morrow Hall, Corner of Brown and Sircom Streets, Croydon

Mail – Croydon Shire Council, PO Box 17, Croydon QLD 4871

Email – sonyafrost@croydon.qld.gov.au

Enquiries to: Sonya Frost, Director Community Tourism & Marketing, phone (07) 4748 7108

Supporting documentation may also be provided with your nomination form that you feel will assist the judges in making their decision. Supporting documentation can include items such as personal references, photographs, samples of work, portfolios, articles etc. Please do not supply originals of supporting documentation, as all documentation will be retained by Croydon Shire Council.



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NOMINATION FORM

Award Category
(tick one)

☐ Citizen of the Year

☐ Senior Sports Person

☐ Community Event of the Year

☐ Young Citizen of the Year

☐ Junior Sports Person

☐ Volunteer of the Year

Nominee (the person you are nominating)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone: (A/H) _____ (B/H) _____ Mobile _____

Email _____

Age or date of birth: _____

You must attach a response to the selection criteria as outlined below that is no longer than two (2) A4 pages (supporting documentation may be additional to this limit).

- 1. How has the person/event made an outstanding contribution to the local community?**
- 2. How is the person an inspirational role model for the community?**
- 3. Why do you believe that this person should receive an Australia Day award?**

Your details

Name _____

Address _____

Phone: (A/H) _____ (B/H) _____ Mobile _____

Email _____



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Referee (details of another person who can support this nomination)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone: (A/H) _____ (B/H) _____ Mobile _____

Email _____

Signature of nominator: _____

Closing date for nominations is 4.30pm Monday 6 November 2026.

The information collected in this form will be used by Council for lawful purposes directly related to the functions and activities of the Council. Your personal details will not be disclosed to a third party outside the process of dealing with your application, except where required by legislation (including the Right to Information Act 2009). The information collected may be retained as required by the Public Records Act 2002.

