

# 2018 Australia Day Award Nomination Form

Nominations close 5pm Wednesday 1 November 2017				
Late nominations will not be accepted				
Please lodge with the Economic Development Officer, Strathbogie Shire Council,				
info@strathbogie.vic.gov.au <u>or</u> 109A Binney Street Euroa <u>or</u> PO Box 177, Euroa 3666				
Nomination				
Town	□ Avenel □	Euroa	Longwood	
	□ Nagambie □	Strathbogie	Violet Town	
Category	Community Organisation of the Year			
	□ Community Event of the Year (event occurred after 27/01/2017)			
	□ Junior Citizen of the Year (under 15 yrs at 26/01/2018)			
	□ Young Citizen of the Year (between 15 - 25 yrs at 26/01/2018)			
	□ Citizen of the Year (over 25 yrs at 26/01/2018)			
Nominated Person				
Name		Phone		
Email				
Address				
Parent / Guardian (junior / young citizens)		Date of birth (junior / young citizens)		
Community Organis	ation / Event			
Organisation/Event				
Event date (if applicable)				
Contact person		Phone		
Email				
Address				
Nominator				
Your name		Your phone		
Your email				
Your address				

## **Reason for Nomination**

(Please write a concise statement below - you may add extra sheet if necessary)

### Judging Process

- The town winners will be chosen by the town Australia Day committee. Their decision is final.
- The Shire-wide winners will be chosen from the list of town winners by the Strathbogie Shire Councillors.

#### Criteria

Please use these criteria when nominating a person, group or event.

#### All nominations received will be assessed against the following criteria

- The nominated person must be an Australian Citizen.
- The nominated person must have made a significant contribution to the town worthy of recognition.
- The nominated person must not have received any remuneration for their work. i.e. it must be voluntary
- How long has the nominated person made the major commitment for
- The level of excellence that the person has demonstrated in their chosen field.
- The impact of the person's contribution towards a particular field, locality, group community of humanity at large.
- A person who has won an award previously can be nominated again.
- Has the nominated person's contribution been recognised elsewhere (e.g. in the media, by other awards, interest groups or local councils).
- A person is allowed to be nominated if they live outside the shire / town as long as the voluntary work they do is within the shire / town.
- The criteria regarding age shall be decided by the Australia Day Council.
  - Junior Citizen of the Year (under 15 years of age at 26 Jan 2018)
  - Young Citizen of the Year (between 15 and 25 years of age at 26 Jan 2018)
  - Citizen of the Year (over 25 years of age at 26 Jan 2018)

#### Community Organisation and Event of the Year (event occurred after 27/01/2017)

- Has provided significant positive impact on the town's community
- Has demonstrated a high level of excellence and innovation