

# LATROBE CITY AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS 2025 NOMINATION INFORMATION

## Who will you nominate?

Now is your chance to nominate the person or group you would like to see receive an award for:

- Citizen of the Year
- Senior Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Community Event of the Year
- Community Service of the Year

## Nomination details

These awards pay tribute to local individuals and groups that have made an outstanding contribution to the community.

Any individual or organisation can make a nomination and all eligible nominees are acknowledged. Latrobe City Council administers the Australia Day Awards on behalf of the National Australia Day Council of Victoria.

## Eligibility criteria:

- All nominees must be Australian citizens.
- All nominees for Latrobe City Council's Citizen of the Year, Senior Citizen of the Year and Young Citizen of the Year must be a resident of Latrobe City.
- All nominated services or events for the Community Service of the Year and Community Event of the Year must have been provided or held within Latrobe City.
- Community events must have been held during the period of October 2023 to August 2024.
- Only one person, service or event may be nominated per nomination form.
- No self-nominations are accepted.

## Nominations close

**Monday 9 September 2024, 5pm**



## Citizen of the Year

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Latrobe City Council's Citizen of the Year Award recipients are people who have demonstrated through their hard work and dedication that they:

- provide a significant contribution to the community in the current year or over a number of years
- demonstrate outstanding leadership skills and/or are a role model for their community members or organisations, or
- excel in one of these areas: arts or culture, sport and recreation, business, the environment or community service.

## Senior Citizen of the Year

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Latrobe City Council's Senior Citizen of the Year Award is to honour a senior citizen, over the age of 60 years, who through their hard work and dedication:

- has made a noteworthy contribution or given outstanding service to the community over a number of years, or
- provided a valuable contribution to the community in a voluntary capacity within the municipality of Latrobe City.

## Young Citizen of the Year

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Latrobe City Council's Young Citizen of the Year recipient is someone who, on 26 January 2025, is 25 years of age or under and:

- demonstrates outstanding leadership skills and are a role model for their community members or organisations
- has made a noteworthy contribution or has given outstanding service for the local community.

## Community Event of the Year

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Latrobe City Council's Community Event of the Year:

- recognises a person or group who has staged a noteworthy community event within the municipality
- must demonstrate they are a community event and not-for-profit making venture.

## Community Service of the Year

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Latrobe City Council's Community Service of the Year Award is awarded to individuals or a not-for-profit community group who:

- have demonstrated they have performed or given outstanding community service to the local community
- have demonstrated they meet a community need or priority and have provided exceptional service to the community
- operates within the municipality.

### Conditions of entry

- Nominations must be on the official form (one nomination per form).
- All nominations must be received by Monday 9 September 2024, 5pm.
- The name of at least one referee must be supplied. This person may be contacted if the nominee is shortlisted.
- All nomination information and material submitted remains the property of Latrobe City Council.
- Latrobe City Council's award decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into about these decisions.
- Additional information to support your nomination can be attached with the form.

Nomination forms are available from all Latrobe City Service Centres and via the Council website:

[www.latrobe.vic.gov.au/AusDayNominations](http://www.latrobe.vic.gov.au/AusDayNominations)

**These awards are your awards,  
so nominate that special  
person or group now!**

