

# Local Citizen of the Year & Community Pride Awards

Australia Day 2022



## Award Nomination Form

### Step 1

Read the terms, conditions and category details.

### Step 2

Select the appropriate category.

### Step 3

Complete the details on the nomination form.

### Step 4

Include supporting documents and a photo of the nominee/project.

### Step 5

Email your nomination form to [council@cumberland.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@cumberland.nsw.gov.au)

#### Category *(check appropriate box)*

<input type="checkbox"/>	Local Citizen of the Year (26 - 64 years)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Local Young Citizen of the Year (up to 25 years)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Local Senior Citizen of the Year (65+ years)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Community Pride Award (individual)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Community Pride Award (school or group/organisation)

**This is your opportunity to nominate someone who you believe has contributed extensively to the community.**

#### The candidate is *(check applicable boxes)*

<input type="checkbox"/>	An Australian Citizen or permanent resident	<input type="checkbox"/>	Aware of this nomination	<input type="checkbox"/>	School or group/organisation
<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	Available on 26 January 2022

#### Candidate Details

Title (Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss):	First Name:	Surname:
Address:		
Organisation (if applicable):		
Email Address:		
Phone Number (H):	(M):	(W):
<i>I, the Candidate, am aware of this nomination. (check box)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Signed:	

#### Nominator Details

Name (Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss):		
Address:		
Organisation (if applicable):		
Relationship to candidate:		
Email Address:		
Phone Number (H):	(M):	(W):
<i>I acknowledge that the information I have provided is accurate. (check box)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Signed:	



## TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

### Nomination

- Nominations must address the specific criteria.
- Include as many relevant details about the nominee/s as possible. (Additional pages can be added with further information to support your nomination.)
  1. A photograph of the nominee/project **MUST** be attached (in .JPG or .TIFF file format) for use in the Awards Program and Council publications.
  2. No school reports, personal documents, certificates etc. are to be submitted. Cumberland City Council staff may contact the nominator for clarification or to obtain further information.
- Nominee/s must agree to the nomination, and terms and conditions prior to submission.

### Eligibility

- Nominees must live, work, study, play sport or volunteer in the Cumberland City LGA.
- Nominees may be paid or unpaid workers.
- Nominees may not nominate themselves for any of the Citizen of the Year categories, and must not be nominated by a relative
- Nominee may, however, nominate themselves for Community Pride awards
- Council staff and Councillors cannot be nominated for these awards.

## CATEGORIES AND CRITERIA

### 1. Local Citizen of the Year (26-64 years):

For those aged 26 years or over who live, work, volunteer or belong to a community group in the Cumberland City LGA. Demonstrates excellence in their chosen field;

- Contributes to the Cumberland community; and
- Is an inspirational role model to the Cumberland community.

### 2. Local Young Citizen of the Year (up to 25 years):

For those up to 25 years of age who live, work, study or belong to a community group in the Cumberland LGA. Demonstrates excellence in their chosen field;

- Contributes to the Cumberland community; and
- Is an inspirational role model to the Cumberland community.

### 3. Local Senior Citizen of the Year (65+ years):

For those 65 years and over who live, work or belong to a community group in the Cumberland LGA. Demonstrates excellence in their chosen field;

- Contributes to the Cumberland community; and
- Is an inspirational role model to the Cumberland community.

### 4. Community Pride Award (Individual):

This award is for an individual that has reached out and continued to achieve successful contribution to our community taking into account the social distancing and isolation restrictions. This can be in the form of:

- Finding new ways to support and encourage the community
- Implementing engagement with vulnerable community members
- What impact has the nominee had on the Cumberland community?
- How does the nominee enhance community pride in Cumberland?
- What makes the nominee deserving of the Community Pride award (individual)?

## 5. Community Pride Award (Group, School or Organisation):

This award is for a Group, school or organisation that has reached out and continued to achieve successful contribution to our community taking into account the social distancing and isolation restrictions. What impact has there been to the Cumberland community?

This can be in the form of environmental, sustainability, or community work that enhances local neighbourhoods or improves the lives of local residents.

- What impact has there been to the Cumberland Community
- How does their project enhance the look or feel of the Cumberland community?
- What positive outcomes have been achieved through their project?
- Why are they deserving of the Community Pride Award (Group, School or Organisation)

## Things to consider when nominating

*Please detach from nomination form and keep this section for future reference*

- How has the nominee made an outstanding contribution to our community?
- Has the work been undertaken on a paid or voluntary basis?
- How is the nominee an inspirational role model for the Cumberland community?
- What amount of sacrifice/difficulty has the person experienced whilst working towards their achievements?

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## Additional Information

All candidates and nominators will be invited to attend Cumberland City Council's Local Citizen of the Year Award Ceremony on Wednesday 26 January 2022, where the awards will be announced and presented.

The winners of these awards will be invited to participate and represent the Cumberland community at various events and initiatives throughout 2022.

### **Nominations close Friday, 12 November 2021**

Please email completed form, photograph and any attachments to:

[council@cumberland.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@cumberland.nsw.gov.au) (Subject: 'Attn: Civic Events')

For more information regarding Cumberland City Council's Local Citizen of the Year Awards phone 8575 9000 or visit Council's website [www.cumberland.nsw.gov.au/coty](http://www.cumberland.nsw.gov.au/coty)

