

Please fill out this form to nominate a Hinchinbrook Shire resident for an Australia Day Award.

To return your completed form or for further information, please contact the Office of the Mayor and CEO via email, council@hinchinbrook.qld.gov.au, phone 4776 4784, in person at Council's Main Office, 25 Lannercost Street, INGHAM QLD, or via post PO Box 366, INGHAM QLD 4850.

Please return this form and other supporting documents by close of business **Tuesday 6 January 2026**.

DETAILS OF PERSON SUBMITTING NOMINATION			
Name			
Postal Address			
Email			
Phone		Mobile	
Do you wish to remain anonymous	☐ Yes ☐ No		

NOMINEE DETAILS			
Full Name			
Street Address			
Postal Address			
Email			
Phone		Mobile	
Date of Birth		Age	
Occupation			

Category for Nomination

(Please tick the appropriate category/s. If judges feel the nomination is more suited to a different category, they reserve the right to change.)

☐ **Citizen of the Year**

To be eligible, the person must be 27 years or older on 26 January next.

☐ **Young Citizen of the Year**

To be eligible, the person must not be more than 27 years of age on 26 January next.

☐ **Individual Achievement**

To be presented to a person who has made a significant contribution to local community group/s either as an official, coach, office bearer or in some other official or volunteer capacity.

☐ **Senior Cultural**

To be eligible, the person must be 18 years or older on 26 January next.

☐ **Junior Cultural**

To be eligible, the person must not be more than 18 years of age on 26 January next.

☐ **Community Event of the Year**

To be presented to the person or group who has staged the most outstanding community event during the year.

☐ **Senior Sport**

To be eligible, the person must be 18 years or older on 26 January next.

☐ **Junior Sport**

To be eligible, the person must not be more than 18 years of age on 26 January next.

☐ **2025 Flood Relief Hero Recognition**

Recognise those who went above and beyond to assist the Hinchinbrook community during the January/February 2025 flood event. To nominate someone, provide details regarding how assistance was delivered in the 'Activities Undertaken/Achievements' section. *There will be no overall winner in this category.*



ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

Please provide details of how the nominee has made significant contribution to the community, including positions held or activities undertaken, and a statement about why you think the person should be recognised.

As a guide you should cover the following (*additional supporting material may be attached*):

- In what role/area has the Nominee excelled?
- How has the Nominee demonstrated service worthy of recognition?
- How has the Nominee's contribution impacted on a particular locality, group or community?
- What makes this person stand out from others?

ACHIEVEMENTS

Please list up to three specific achievements by the Nominee to deserve this nomination.

REFEREE

Please supply contact details of a referee who can verify the achievements of the nominee.

Name		Position	
Phone			

AUTHORISATION

I/we declare that the information on this form is correct

Print Name			
Signature		Date	

