

#### **NOMINATION STEPS**

Submit your nomination in 3 easy steps from 29 March 2023

#### 1 Go to our <u>online</u> <u>nomination portal</u>

- 2 Select the award category
- 3 Enter required details and add supporting documents

## DATES TO REMEMBER

- NOMINATIONS OPEN
  29 March 2023
- NOMINATIONS CLOSE
  5 November 2023
- FINALISTS ANNOUNCED AND CONTACTED From 11 December 2023
- AWARDS CEREMONY 17 January 2024

### AWARD CATEGORIES

Ipswich residents can be nominated for:

- Citizen of the Year
- Senior Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Cultural Award
- Sports and Recreation Award
- Community Group of the Year

View the full description of each category here Ipswich.qld.gov.au/ausdayawards





## SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION EXAMPLES





Finalists and their nominators will be invited to the official awards ceremony to be held on Wednesday 17 January 2024

## FAQ'S

How long does it take?

On average submitting a nomination takes less than 30 minutes.

#### Can I nominate myself?

No, all nominees must be nominated by a third party.

#### Can I nominate more than one person or community group? Yes.

**Can I send my nomination via mail?** No, nominations can only be submitted online via the official nomination portal.

#### Who judges the nominations?

A group of representatives from the Ipswich community.

#### Do I have to include a referee?

Yes, including a referee is critical for the nomination.

# Can I nominate the same person more than once?

No, nominating someone multiple times does not add merit to their nomination. The selection panel will assess each nomination against the eligibility, category and judging criteria.

## **NEED MORE INFORMATION?**



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