



CENTRAL DARLING SHIRE COUNCIL

27 July 2025

Nominations called for Central Darling Shire Outstanding Community Service Awards

Central Darling Shire Council is pleased to advise that nominations are now open for the Outstanding Community Service Awards. Each year these awards celebrate individuals, volunteers, and events that have made a meaningful and positive difference across the Shire.

Council is calling on residents to take the time to recognise and celebrate those who go above and beyond to support others, contribute to the wellbeing of the community, and make Central Darling Shire a better place to live, work and visit.

Award Categories

Awards will be presented in the following categories:

- **Citizen of the Year** – recognising an individual over 18 years of age who has made an outstanding contribution to the community.
- **Young Citizen of the Year** – for a young person aged 17 and under who has shown leadership, dedication, or made a valuable impact in the Shire.
- **Volunteer of the Year** – acknowledging someone who gives their time and energy for the betterment of others without expectation of reward.
- **Service to the Community Award** – for achievements in areas like local business support, environment, culture, or exceptional service.
- **Outstanding Local Event of 2025** – celebrating a significant event that has brought people together and contributed positively to the community spirit.

These awards are an important opportunity to say thank you to those whose efforts might otherwise go unrecognised.

Nominations can be made online by visiting Council's website:

<https://www.centraldarling.nsw.gov.au/News-articles/Outstanding-Community-Service-Awards-2025>

People can also visit Council offices and fill out a printed nomination form.

Nominations close at 4pm on Tuesday 30 September 2025. Late nominations will not be accepted. Only residents of Central Darling Shire can be nominated. The award recipients will be announced on Australia Day in 2026.

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