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Do you know someone who is actively shaping our community for the better?

The Rural City of Murray Bridge announces the launch of the Citizen of the Year Awards, a platform to celebrate and honour our local legends whose tireless efforts have a profound impact on our local area.

These awards are designed to shine a spotlight on individuals and organisations making a remarkable difference in our community across various sectors, including education, health, fundraising, charitable and voluntary services, business, sport, arts, the environment and more. Every contribution that enhances the well-being of our community is worth acknowledging so be a legend and nominate a legend in one of the following award categories:

Citizen of the Year: This prestigious award recognises individuals who have consistently made extraordinary contributions to our community over an extended period. Nominees must be Australian Citizens.

Young Citizen of the Year: We celebrate the young emerging leaders whose efforts are actively shaping our community's future. Eligible nominees must be Australian Citizens aged over 16 years and under 30 years of age on 26 January 2024.

Community Event of the Year: This category acknowledges the driving force behind the most exceptional community event. Nominees must be Australian Citizens.

Award for Active Citizenship: Presented to individuals or groups that have delivered exceptional work on an event or project for the community during the past calendar year. Nominees need not be Australian Citizens.

Award recipients will be announced during our Australia Day celebrations, a fitting occasion to recognise their outstanding contributions.

Do you know someone who is making a tangible difference in your community? Nominate them today and provide them with the opportunity to be acknowledged and celebrated for their significant contributions.

More information and nominations can be made at [Australia Day | Murray Bridge Council](#)

Nominations for the 2024 Citizen of the Year close on 17 November 2023.

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