



Victoria Day Awards

Celebrating 168 years of Victorian Independence and Responsible Government on July 1st 2019
Nominations for the Year 2019

The Victoria Day Awards are given in five categories:

1. The Victoria Day Award for Community and Public Service (Victorian of the Year) (open to all Victorians)
2. The Victoria Day Award for Community and Public Service by a Young Victorian (open to Victorians under 35)
3. The Victoria Day Award for Community and Public Service by a Victorian Organisation or Group (open to any Victorian organisation or group of individuals who have performed outstanding work in the areas of Community and Public Service)
4. The Victoria Day Award to a Good Corporate Citizen (open to any Victorian business or business person)
5. The Victoria Day Award for the Arts (open to any Victorian creative artist or arts organisation).

The awards will be made at the Victoria Day Reception, at the Melbourne Town Hall on the 1st of July 2019. The awards are part of the celebration of Victoria's Independence and are to encourage community and public service in Victoria. In 2018, the awards were presented by Sir James Gobbo and were received by: Dr. Susan Alberti (Victoria Day Award for Community and Public Service and Victorian of the Year); Daniel Poole (Victoria Day Award for a Younger Victorian); The Cathy Freeman Foundation (Victoria Day Award for Community and Public Service by a Victorian Organisation); John Holland Group (Victoria Day Award for a Good Corporate Citizen selected annually by VECCI in cooperation with the Awards Committee); and, Victorian Opera (Victoria Day Award for the Arts went to Regional Arts Victoria).

In previous years recipients have included Victorians of Australian, United Kingdom and Vietnamese birth. The only requirement is that the person or organisation be a current resident of Victoria and be undertaking outstanding community and / or public service. If you believe you know of an individual or an organisation that might be worthy of a Victoria Day Award, please forward your nomination to: **The Awards Committee, The Victoria Day Council Secretariat, P. O. Box 315, Flinders Ln. Melbourne, Victoria 3000. Nominations Close: 12 May 2019.**

I, _____ of (address) _____
wish to nominate _____ of (address) _____
for a Victoria Day Award in the category of _____ Signed _____

Please outline in approximately 500 words why your nominee might be appropriate to receive a Victoria Day Award in 2019 (you may continue on the reverse of this page).
