



Our Community Volunteer Celebration 2025

Celebrating the contributions of our local volunteers

**Volunteer of the Year Award, Youth Volunteer of the Year Award
and Lifetime Achievement Award**

NOMINATION FORM

Which award are you nominating a community member for? *(please tick one):*

- Volunteer of the Year (under 15 years of service in the shire)
 Volunteer of the Year (lifetime achievement, over 15 years of service in the shire)
 Youth Volunteer of the Year (12-25 years)

NOMINEE *(the person you are nominating)*

First Name: Last Name:

Preferred Name (optional): Pronouns (optional):

Town:

Email:

Phone: Age (*Youth Award only*):

Does the nominee consent to this nomination? Yes No

The nominee must consent to their nomination being submitted.

TELL US ABOUT YOUR NOMINEE *ALL questions must be complete for the application to be eligible.
Supporting material and additional pages can be attached.*

1. Name of volunteer organisation(s)

2. Volunteer role(s)

3. Average number of hours spent volunteering per week: hours

4. Please describe the nominee's key responsibilities and contributions in their volunteer role(s)

5. How has the nominee demonstrated leadership, inspired others or gone above and beyond in their role? (provide examples)

6. What positive impact has the nominee made in the community and/or organisation they volunteer with?

Lifetime Contribution

Please only answer the following questions if you are nominating someone for the Volunteer of the Year Award Lifetime Achievement. To be eligible for this award, the nominee must have been volunteering in the shire for 15+ years.

7. Length of service (in years): years.

8. Please provide a brief statement supporting your nomination for the lifetime achievement award, highlighting why this individual deserves to be recognised for their lifelong contributions. (max 250 words)

9. Please submit an image of your nominee for the Award Ceremony and promotional material.

Please email the image to communitydevelopment@amrshire.wa.gov.au

Image sent (please tick):

NOMINATOR (your details)

First Name

Last Name:

Organisation(s)/Group(s):

Town:

Email:

Phone:

Relationship to Nominee:

I hereby declare that I have read the eligibility criteria and general information and that the information contained in this nomination form for the 2025 Volunteer of the Year or Youth Volunteer of the Year, is to my knowledge, true and correct and the nominee consents to their nomination being submitted.

Declaration (please tick):

Signed:

SUBMISSION OF YOUR NOMINATION

By Email:

To A/Community Development Officer, Shannon Walker at
communitydevelopment@amrshire.wa.gov.au

By Post:

Attn: Shannon Walker, A/Community Development Officer
Shire of Augusta Margaret River
PO Box 61
Margaret River WA 6285

In Person:

Shannon Walker, A/Community Development Officer
Shire of Augusta Margaret River Civic Administration Centre
41 Wallcliffe Road, Margaret River.

**Nominations close Sunday May 4, 2025.
Late and incomplete applications will not be accepted.**

Shire of Augusta Margaret River

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The Shire of Augusta Margaret River's Volunteer of the Year, Youth Volunteer of the Year and Lifetime Achievement Awards aim to acknowledge the enormous value volunteers add to our community by recognising the exceptional and outstanding contribution of time, work skills, life experience and continued support and commitment a particular individual has made.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Any individual actively involved in voluntarily servicing within the Shire of Augusta Margaret River during the past 12 months (or more) may be nominated.
- Previous recipients who have won a Volunteer Award are ineligible to be re-nominated.
- Youth Volunteer of the Year nominees must be aged between 12 and 25 at the time of nomination.
- **The nominee must consent to their nomination being submitted.**

GENERAL INFORMATION

- A separate nomination form for each individual is required.
- Incomplete nomination forms will not be accepted.
- Copies of supporting materials may be submitted but must be attached to the official Nomination Form.
- Nominations will be assessed by the Shire of Augusta Margaret River Volunteer of the Year Awards Selection Committee.
- The Shire of Augusta Margaret River Volunteer of the Year Awards Selection Committee may request copies of additional information on the nominee.
- Nominees and winners of the Awards will be presented at Our Community Volunteer Celebration hosted in partnership with Arts Margaret River, Margaret River Community Pantry, Mindful Margaret River, Nature Conservation Margaret River and Margaret River Community Centre Monday 19 May from 6pm to 8pm - all nominees are encouraged to attend.

Any questions? Please contact A/Community Development Officer, Shannon Walker on 08 9780 5276 or email swalker@amrshire.wa.gov.au

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