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### Monday 14 January 2019

#### 2018 AUSTRALIA DAY NOMINEES ANNOUNCED

Narrandera Shire Council together with the Australia Day Committee is pleased to announce the Narrandera Shire Australia Day Award nominations. The committee received 20 nominations for 2018 including:

Citizen of the Year
Nicholas Jensen (posthumous)
Neville Bamblett
Nella Smith
Betty Bradney
Warwick Heckendorf
Dr Joseph Romeo
Judith Findlay

Senior Citizen of the Year
Judith Findlay
Maureen Dodds
Beverley Absolom
Bruce Gawne
Shirley Fennessy
Jocelyn Middleton
John Ryan

Young Citizen of the Year Renae Galvin

Organisation of the Year
Narrandera Golf Club Volunteers
Community Transport Drivers
Bidgee Boxing
Barellan Aged Care Support Group

Mayor Cr Neville Kschenka said of the announcement, "These nominations reflect a broad cross section of our community, it is a tremendous honour to be put forward by your peers in our community and have your contributions to Narrandera Shire acknowledged.

I would like to thank the many nominators who took the time to nominate members of the community. It is an important opportunity to recognise the hard work and efforts of both individuals and organisations."

The awards will be announced during the Australia Day Ceremony on 26 January 2019 at Marie Bashir Park. Celebrations begin at 8am with breakfast followed by the Citizenship Ceremony and presentation of awards.

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