

Australia Day Activities across Benalla Rural City

2024 Australia Day Nominees

Being nominated for an Australia Day award is a great honour. All nominees have made outstanding contribution and commitment in their service to the local community. Congratulations to all nominees listed below.

Community Event / Project of the Year

Benalla Botanical Gardens Parkrun Diwali @ the Mural Moorngag Music Stage and Hot Air Balloon Night Glow Shared Stories – the 3rd National Heritage Festival in Benalla Small Town Sing **Community Group of the Year**

Full Impact Squad Molyullah Community Moorngag Hall and Recreation Reserve Committee of Management Mt Bruno Picnic Committee

Junior Citizen of the Year (12-17)

Hayley Cooper Oliver Hall Abbey-Rose Richards Emily Snell Kelsey Scriven

Young Citizen of the Year (18-25)

Thomas Hill Millicent Scriven

Citizen of the Year

Robyn Clark Greg Dennis Nea Hicks Ross Hill Janette and John Knapper Sue Kucia Russell Lowe Larissa Montgomery Peter and Margaret Poels Phillip and Joanne Thomson Jenny Wapling

AUSTRALIA DAY 2024 IN BENALLA

Benalla Rural City Australia Day Award Presentations at BPACC



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Come along to BPACC, 57 Samaria Road, from 11.30am. Entry is free, tickets essential by scanning the QR Code or phoning Benalla Cinema on

03 5762 5515.

Program will include:

- Citizenship Ceremony
- Entertainment by Benalla Theatre
- Company, Col Milligan and Dallas Alice
- Australia Day Award Presentations
- Barbecue by Rotary Club of Benalla.

EVENTS IN OUR RURAL TOWNSHIPS

Baddaginnie Fire Shed

8am – Community Breakfast, Presentation to the Baddaginnie Achiever of the year and Flag Raising Ceremony.

Devenish Bicentennial Park

9am – Flag Raising Ceremony, presentation to the Devenish Achiever of the Year and Morning tea.

Goomalibee CFA Shed

7.30am – Community Breakfast and Flag Raising Ceremony

Goorambat Hall

8am – Community Breakfast, Presentation to the Goorambat Achiever of the Year and Flag Raising Ceremony.

Lima School Community Centre

9.30am – Flag Raising Ceremony, Presentation to the Lima/Swanpool Achiever of the Year, and morning tea.

Molyullah Hall

8.30am – Community Breakfast, Presentation to the Molyullah Achiever of the year and Flag Raising Ceremony.

Benalla Visitor Information Centre 14 Mair Street Benalla

7.30am – Community barbecue breakfast, gold coin donation, thanks to Rotary Club of Benalla followed at 9am with Flag Raising Ceremony and Presentation to the Benalla Achiever of the Year.

Benalla Cinema Celebrates with two Australian movies FREE!

Free movie screening of *Scarygirl* (PG) at 2.15pm. Tickets essential from the Benalla Cinema box office. Free movie screening of *The Dry* (M) at 4.30pm. Tickets essential from Benalla Cinema box office, 14 Mair Street Benalla or by calling 03 5762 5515.

Tatong Recreation Reserve

8am – Community Breakfast, Presentation to the Tatong Achiever of the Year and Flag Raising Ceremony.

Thoona Memorial Hall

8am – Community Breakfast, Presentation to the Thoona Achiever of the Year and Flag Raising Ceremony.

Warrenbayne Community Hall

8.30am – Community Breakfast and Flag Raising Ceremony.



Australia Day

Reflect. Respect. Celebrate.