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NOMINATE A LOCAL CHAMPION IN KINGBOROUGH

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Recognising Kingborough's outstanding volunteers is a highlight for Council, and the Mayor of Kingborough is pleased to launch the nomination process for the 2018 Kingborough Awards.

Council created the Kingborough Awards in 2017 as a way of including as many people as possible in the celebration of what makes communities great – the individuals who bring us together and create the connections which make us a stronger community.

There are many people who go about their community work without thinking their role is greatly significant, or who are unaware of the positive impact they have on the lives of people who benefit from their efforts. Whether it is planting trees, working for the local sporting or guides group, or reaching out to new migrants or older residents of our community – there are many who deserve to be recognised and celebrated.

The Mayor of Kingborough, Cr Steve Wass said "We have so many dedicated individuals and community groups across our municipality, representing a wide range of interests – from sports, the arts, natural environment to community services. The Awards honour the outstanding achievement of members of our community who consistently give their time and energy to supporting their local community."

If you know any local champions, we hope you will consider nominating in one of the three categories: Citizen of the Year, Young Citizen of the Year (under 26 years) and Community Group of the Year.

Last year we received outstanding nominations and thank those who took the time to complete the forms. This is the most important step towards recognising our local heroes.

Nominations are now open and the online fillable form is available on Council's website: www.kingborough.tas.gov.au/community-grants or by calling Council's Community Development Officer on 6211 8200.





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