



# Coober Pedy NAIDOC Awards

## NOMINATION FORM 2026

**Nominations close Friday 26 June 26 (5:00pm ACST)**

The NAIDOC Awards celebrate the outstanding contributions and excellence of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples across five award categories.

### Key Tips

- Fill out the form entirely ensuring no fields are skipped.
- You can nominate for more than one award category.
- You can nominate yourself for an award.
- Nominations will not be accepted for an award category that the nominated person has previously won in the past 10 years. However, they are still eligible to be nominated for other award categories.
- Attach the form in an email to [info@amyacmntbc.com.au](mailto:info@amyacmntbc.com.au) and include any supporting evidence. Examples of supporting evidence include: testimonials, photos, resumes, news articles, portfolios, and websites to support your nomination.
- Ensure the selection criteria on page 4 of this form is addressed.
- There is no word count for your reasons for nominating.

**If you have any queries please contact the NAIDOC Committee:**

[info@amyacmntbc.com.au](mailto:info@amyacmntbc.com.au)

### Details of person being nominated

Ensure the contact details are current for the person you are nominating. The NAIDOC Committee will use these details to contact the nominee.

Name:	
Contact Number:	
Email Address:	
Address:	



Nominees must be Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander peoples to be eligible for nomination. Please select the applicable identification:

- Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent
- Identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander
- Be accepted as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander by Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander community

**Details of person lodging this nomination**

Name:	
Contact Number:	
Email Address:	
Address:	

**Awards Category**

Please select the category you wish to nominate the person for. You can select more than one category.

- 2026 NAIDOC Lifetime Achievement Award
- 2026 NAIDOC Female Elder Achievement Award
- 2026 NAIDOC Male Elder Achievement Award
- 2026 NAIDOC Community Person Award
- 2026 NAIDOC Female Youth Achievement Award
- 2026 NAIDOC Male Youth Achievement Award

**In selecting a winner, the judges will consider the following criteria:**

- Past and current achievements
- Demonstrated excellence in the nominated category
- The individual's status as an inspirational role model for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and the broader Australian community
- The individual's future goals and their likely impact

Please write a response addressing each of the criteria above and explaining your reasons for nominating. If you are nominating for more than one award category, please ensure you complete a separate nomination form for each category. You can provide additional information like testimonials, photos, resumes, news articles, portfolios, and websites to support your nomination. This can be included as attachments when emailing the nomination form.

Final selection may be subject to the provision of additional information.



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## Privacy Statement

The Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee is committed to protecting the personal information it holds. The Agency (AMYAC) will handle personal information you provide in accordance with the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth).

## Collection of personal information

The Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee is collecting your personal information and the personal information of the person you have nominated for the purposes of the 2026 Coober Pedy NAIDOC Awards selection process.

## Use and disclosure of personal information

The Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee may provide the winning names of categories to event organisers, and media (Coober Pedy Times, Dusty Radio). The Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee also intends to produce publications to promote the 2026 NAIDOC Award winners.

Providing the requested personal information is voluntary. If you choose not to provide us with your personal information, we will be unable to assess your application for the award. You must ensure that the person you are nominating has also agreed to be nominated for an Award and agrees to the personal information contained in this nomination form being provided to, and used, by the Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee.

The Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee will not provide the personal information collected from you to anyone else outside the Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee, other than specified above, unless you or the person you have nominated have given consent for us to do this, or we are authorised or required to do so by law. The privacy and security of your personal information is important to us and is protected by law.

## Consent to use and disclose personal information under the Privacy Act

I consent to the Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee collecting this personal information and it being used and disclosed in whole or part for the following purposes:

- to conduct the 2026 Coober Pedy NAIDOC Award process;
- to provide to local media to announce and promote the 2026 Coober Pedy NAIDOC Awards.

I warrant that the nominee consents to me providing their personal information to the Coober Pedy NAIDOC Committee for the purpose of conducting the 2026 NAIDOC Awards.

Signature:

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Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Email form to [info@amyacrntbc.com.au](mailto:info@amyacrntbc.com.au) to submit your nomination.

Past and current achievements




**Demonstrated excellence in the nominated category**


**The individual's status as an inspirational role model for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and the broader Australian community**


**The individual's future goals and their likely impact**


