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## Time to recognise Broome's local heroes

Nominations are now open to recognise Broome's local heroes in the prestigious Australia Day Active Citizenship Awards.

Each year in Broome individuals and groups are recognised as part of the Australia Day breakfast at Town Beach on January 26.

Broome Shire President, Graeme Campbell, said nominees should be active citizens who had made a contribution to making Broome a better community.

"These awards are an opportunity to recognise the special individuals and organisations who make a difference in our Shire," Cr Campbell said.

"In any community, it's important to acknowledge the hard work, achievement and inspiration individuals and organisations provide.

"Broome has many outstanding local role models who would be worthy winners of these important awards, and I would encourage community members to take the time to nominate a deserving person or group."

There are separate categories for individuals, under 25s, and a community group or event.

The 2015 award winners were Bobbie Telford, Trent Caldwell and Theatre Kimberley.

Nominations close at 4pm on Friday 27 November 2015, and forms are available from the Shire of Broome or online at <a href="https://www.ausdaywa.com.au">www.ausdaywa.com.au</a>.

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