



Bathurst Arts Council Youth Arts Awards

The Youth Arts Awards are community awards recognising outstanding young creative individuals between the ages of 15 and 25, who live in the Bathurst Regional Council Area. Proudly supported by the Bathurst Arts Council Inc, these awards acknowledge the work of young people who have distinguished themselves in their particular field of the arts. There are FOUR stages as follows:

1. The ten nominees selected from these nomination forms will be asked to perform at the Bathurst Youth Arts Awards Showcase Concert at BMEC on 26TH NOVEMBER 2018. They will each receive a certificate and \$100 from Bathurst Arts Council to further their arts endeavours. There will also be personal media coverage before and/or after this concert for the 2018 Youth Arts Award Recipients.
2. During this concert, three finalists will be selected for the Bathurst Youth in the Arts Scholarship which is sponsored by 2BS GOLD. This is a \$1,000 scholarship or subsidy to be applied to a specific arts related opportunity.
3. These three finalists will then perform on 14TH DECEMBER at the Bathurst Regional Council event to announce Citizen and Young Citizen of the Year. The scholarship recipient will be selected by the Bathurst Arts Council panel and a 2BS representative after this concert.
4. The three finalists will again perform on Australia Day 26TH JANUARY 2019 where the Bathurst Youth in the Arts Scholarship of \$1,000 and a certificate will be presented to the selected finalist.

Nomination Guidelines / Regulations:

1. Nominees need to be recognised within their area of the arts as having achieved a level of excellence and outstanding contribution to their school or community arts organisation.
2. Nominees must be available to perform at all three concerts and attend interviews/photo calls etc in relation to the awards.
3. The Youth Arts Recipients and three finalists will be selected by a panel of arts practitioners appointed by the Bathurst Arts Council Committee.
4. Teachers, coaches or arts group administrators are not eligible for these awards.
5. By accepting the nomination you agree to abide by all conditions set out on this form.

Name of Nominee: _____

Field of artistic representation: _____

Nominated by: _____ Signature: _____

Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Name of group represented: _____

Achievement for award recognition: Please attach a single page with relevant information

Signature of Nominee: _____

Return this completed form to: **Bathurst Arts Council, PO Box 414 Bathurst 2795 or email to youthartsawards@gmail.com**

Nominations will be accepted on or before 1ST OCTOBER 2018.

