

Country Volunteer of the Year

To help you plan, please see a preview of the questions relevant to the category you selected, and the nomination criteria.

Nominations must be submitted via the online form. Sometimes your personal circumstances may mean you need support to complete a nomination. If this applies to you, please email volunteers@wacricicket.com.au or call 9265 7316.

Nomination criteria

To be eligible for a Kookaburra WA Community Cricket Award, the nominee must volunteer at, or be, a WA Cricket affiliated community cricket club, association, or program in Western Australia.

Nominations are for voluntary work and programs during the current cricket season. Past achievements and ongoing contribution to community cricket will be viewed favourably.

The nominee must be performing the role they undertake in a voluntary capacity, which may include an honorarium, within the nomination period and not a WA Cricket staff member.

All nominees must act in the Spirit of Cricket, do what is best for volunteers and players, be respectful to all in cricket community, and not bring the game into disrepute.

For individual awards, nominators must include two referees per nomination and inform each referee. Referees cannot be a relative of the nominee. One referee should be the club or association president or a management committee member if the president is unavailable, is a relative of the nominee, or is the nominee.

Western Australia's [top clubs and associations](#) will be invited to nominate. Greater consideration will be given to invited clubs and associations during judging.

The same individual/organisation may be nominated for multiple categories however a separate nomination must be received for each category.

All finalists are encouraged to attend the Community Cricket Awards presentation on an evening in March.

To be eligible for the Country Volunteer of the Year, the nominee must reside in a country region recognised by the Country Cricket Board for the current cricket season.

To be nominated for Young Volunteer of the Year, nominees must be aged 21 years or under.

To be eligible for the Junior Community Coach of the Year, nominees must be a registered community cricket coach and be either accredited or attended a WA Cricket run coach development activity in the lead-up or during the current season. Example activities include coaching courses, workshops, and training visits.

To be eligible for the Woolworths Cricket Blast Coordinator of the Year, nominees must have either:

- a) attended Cricket Blast training (as approved by WA Cricket) between 1 June 2025 and Kookaburra WA Community Cricket Awards nomination closing date; or
- b) delivered a Cricket Blast program deemed consistent with current Cricket Blast practices, as determined by WA Cricket in its sole discretion.

Please see the questions on page two.



Nomination questions

- Q 1: Who do you wish to nominate?
- Q 2: Which club or association does your nominee volunteer?
- Q 3: What is your nominee's email address?
- Q 4: What is your nominee's mobile number?
- Q 5: Please select the category you wish to nominate your volunteer for:
- Metropolitan Volunteer of the Year
 - Country Volunteer of the Year
 - Young Volunteer of the Year
 - Junior Community Cricket Coach of the Year
 - Woolworths Cricket Blast Coordinator of the Year
 - Community Match Official of the Year

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- Q 6: Please select:
- Country Volunteer of the Year – Female
 - Country Volunteer of the Year – Male
- Q 7: Please provide an overview of why this person has been nominated including a list of the volunteering role/s they perform at their club/association.
- Q 8: Please outline the qualities and skills of this person that makes them deserving of the Volunteer of the Year award.
- Q 9: Please describe their achievements and how they have made a significant impact at their club/association this year.
- Q 10: Please tell us about anything else that makes them deserving of this award (eg what sets them apart from others, new initiatives they have implemented, demonstrated change at the club/association).
- Q 11: Number of years they have been volunteering in community cricket (if known).
- Q 12: How long has the nominee lived in the club or associations region?

Nominator and referee details

- Q 13: Your full name
- Q 14: Your club or association name
- Q 15: Your email address
- Q 16: Your mobile number
- Q 17: If the volunteer contacts us to find out who nominated them, do you agree for your name to be provided?
- Q 18: First referee's full name
- Q 19: First referee's email address
- Q 20: First referee's mobile number
- Q 21: Second referee's full name
- Q 22: Second referee's email address
- Q 23: Second referee's mobile number
- Q 24: How did you find out about the WA Community Cricket Awards?

