The Mildura Arts and Culture Advisory Committee is inviting nominations for the 2021 Elliott Award.

## Introduction

The annual Elliott Award recognises individuals who have made an outstanding contribution to the arts in our community, particularly where that contribution has not previously been formally acknowledged.

The Award was founded by the Mildura Arts and Culture Board (2004–2013). In 2014, the Mildura Arts and Culture Advisory Committee continued this commitment in acknowledging those whose passion, commitment, dedication and contributions to arts and culture in our community that may otherwise go unrecognised.

Past recipients of the Elliott Award have been recognised for their length of service to the arts and breadth of their contribution throughout the term of their involvement in the arts; the encouragement and nurturing of children and youth in arts practice; the championing of arts involvement to the broader community; and the creation of a significant positive community legacy in the development of the arts in our community.

### Elliott Award recipients

2020 Megan Sullivan

2019 David Searle

2018 Mavis Francis

2017 Henry Tankard

2016 Yvonne Hedley

2015 Leonard (Len) Krause

2014 Peta‑Lynne Buchanan and Janine Kerr

2013 Kay Sylvester

2012 Neil Fettling

2011 Shirley Bowie

2010 Mollie Kalms

2009 Neil Noyce

2008 Vaughn Stirrat

2007 Tom McCullough

2006 Des Tobin

## How to Complete Your Nomination

To nominate someone for the Elliott Award you will need to complete a Nomination Form and submit it along with any supporting documentation by the closing date.

Additional information may be provided as a separate document detailing reasons why you are nominating this individual. Such submissions should be around 1,000 to 2,000 words maximum.

You may also:

* Enclose clear copies of newspaper or magazine articles about the nominee and their achievements
* List other awards they may have received

## Important Milestones

**Nominations open**: Friday 6 August 2021

**Submit your nomination**: By 4 pm, Friday 1 October 2021

**Nominations assessed**: October 2021

**Mildura Arts and Culture Advisory Committee meeting**: October 2021

**Nominators notified**: Early November 2021

**2021 Elliott Award Presentation**: To be advised.

Please note: Where possible, the Elliott Award will be presented to the recipient in the year for which it has been awarded.

### More Information:

Antonette Zema

Arts and Culture Development Manager

Mildura Arts Centre

(03) 5018 8330

arts\_centre@mildura.vic.gov.au

## Nomination Form

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Nominee Details Individual you are nominating | | | |
| Title |  | | |
| First name |  | | |
| Surname |  | | |
| Organisation(s) if applicable |  | | |
| Address |  | | |
| Telephone | Home: | Work: | Mobile: |
| email |  | | |
| Is the nominee aware of this nomination? | Please circle: Yes / No | | |

##### Mildura Rural City Council Privacy Collection Statement

Mildura Rural City Council collects Personal and or Health Information for municipal purposes as specified in the Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014. The information collected in this form is used only for the purposes specified (primary purpose) and is not passed on to third parties. Council may disclose this information but only if authorised or required by law. Council may not be able to process your request unless sufficient information is given. Should you need to change or access your personal details, or you require further information regarding Council’s Privacy Policy please contact Council’s Privacy Officer.

### Selection Criteria

Why do you believe this person should receive the Elliott Award?

What impact did the actions of the nominee have on the community in relation to arts and culture? e.g. ongoing benefit to the community?

Other significant contributions and achievements:

### Referees

Please provide two referees:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Referee 1 | Referee 2 |
| Name:  Phone: | Name:  Phone: |

### Nominator Details

To be completed by the person submitting the nomination:

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Title |  | | | |
| First name |  | | | |
| Surname |  | | | |
| Organisation if applicable |  | | | |
| Address |  | | | |
| Telephone | Home: | Work: | Mobile: | |
| email |  | | | |
| Signed |  | | | Date: |

## Submission

Completed nomination forms and supporting documentation must be submitted by **4pm, Friday 1 October 2021** to:

Post: Elliott Award, Mildura Arts Centre, PO Box 105, Mildura VIC 3502

email: Elliott Award, Mildura Arts Centre, arts\_centre@mildura.vic.gov.au

### One last question…

How did you hear about the Elliott Award?

Please circle:

Newspaper / Word of mouth / Website / Radio / Social media

Other