##### Australia Day 2019

##### Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Matthew Noonan

##### Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Tamara Wilson

##### Murrindindi Senior Citizen of the Year Pam Petersen

##### Australia Day 2018

##### Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Fern Hames

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Kate Chalmers

##### Murrindindi Senior Citizen of the Year Pamela Lawless

Wayne Miller

##### Australia Day 2017

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Ray Steyger, Alexandra

##### Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Melissa Peart, Marysville

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Marysville Jazz

##### Australia Day 2016

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Paul Bannon, Yea

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Thomas Walters, Eildon

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Marysville Jazz and Blues Weekend

##### Australia Day 2015

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Stephen Joblin, Flowerdale

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Michelle Willans, Narbethong

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year The 100th Yea Show

##### Australia Day 2014

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Rosemary Chester, Alexandra

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Timothy Shaw, Gobur

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Eildon Lions Easter Market

##### Australia Day 2013

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Steve Meacher, Toolangi

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Natasha Beggs, Eildon

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Alexandra District Open Gardens

##### Australia Day 2012

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Brad Quilliam, Kinglake

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Ayden Embling, Alexandra

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Marysville Sparkling Wine Festival

##### Australia Day 2011

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Valerie Borrie, Yea

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Danielle Shaw, Gobur (presented in Alexandra)

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Red Wristband Ball, Kinglake

##### Australia Day 2010

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year David Hall, Alexandra

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Jarryd Biffin, Alexandra

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Toolangi & Castella Bushfire Garden Restoration, Kinglake

##### Australia Day 2009

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Ronald Drysdale, Yea

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Kathryn Buckland and Rhiannon Aldous, Yea

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Toolangi Festival

##### Australia Day 2008

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Joan Coller, Alexandra

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Sarah Garlick, Yea

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Molesworth Easter Bazaar

**Australia Day 2007**

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Rex Tate

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Bandemonium

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Back to Wall, Eildon Action

##### Australia Day 2006

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Jean Laws

Cathedral Riding Citizen of the Year Tom Maunsell (Posthumous Award – to be collected by Tom’s wife Mrs Helen Maunsell)

Cheviot Riding Citizen of the Year Christine (Tina) Gorman

Dennis Riding Citizen of the Year Bruce Stonehouse

King Parrot Riding Citizen of the Year Donald McQueen

Redgate Riding Citizen of the Year Maurie Pawsey

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Patrick Borg

Murrindindi Major Community Event of the Year Hoof Over Hills 2005

Murrindindi Minor Community Event of the Year Bush Kids Music Festival 2005

**Australia Day 2005**

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year William and Valerie Wilson

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Andrew Belsten

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Alexandra Traders & Tourism Association –

Alexandra Truck, Ute & Rod Show 2004

**Australia Day 2004**

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Jim Sherlock

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Jason Cromarty

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Flowerdale Primary School Hoof Over Hills 2003

##### Australia Day 2003

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year David Fitzroy

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Rotary Club of Alexandra - 2002 Easter Art Show

##### Australia Day 2002

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Elaine White

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Kate Goschnick

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Alexandra Truck, Ute & Rod Show 2001

##### Australia Day 2001

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Peter Weeks

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Tessa Abbottsmith Youl

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Opening of the Rotary Club of Alexandra

Time Capsule from 1975

##### Australia Day 2000

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Alan Worrall Jones

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Kim Campbell

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Alexandra Truck, Ute & Bus Show 1999

##### Australia Day 1999

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Cheryl O’Halloran

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Matthew Bibby

Murrindindi Community Event of the Year Lions Club of Eildon - Eildon Christmas Eve Party

##### Australia Day 1998

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Lorna Warne

Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year Susan Milroy

##### Australia Day 1997

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Richard (Dick) and Margaret McKernan

##### Australia Day 1996

Murrindindi Citizen of the Year Donald McLeish

##### Australia Day 1995

Yea recipient Margaret Mahon

Alexandra recipients Hilda Williamson (senior award) and

Anthony Collis (junior award)

Council amalgamations took place in November 1994 and prior to that date it is understood that the Australia Day Awards were co-ordinated by the Shire of Yea for the Yea district and the Alexandra Apex Club for the Alexandra district.

From old Shire of Yea files it has been identified that Award recipients were as follows:

1994 Mr John Aldous and Ms Deidre Hawkins

1993 Fr. Terry Pidoto

1992 Mr Alexander Dougal Drysdale

1991 Mrs Jan Joyce

1990 Mr Arthur Lindsay Bassett and Ms Margaret Jean Wawn

1989 Mr Craig Leslie Walker (Young Citizen), Mr Colin Alexander Purvis and Mrs Joan Gwenneth Byrne

1988 unknown

1987 Mrs Mary Waters

1986 Kinglake Mountain Monthly

1985 Mr Colin Egan

1984 Mr Thomas Dignam

1983 unknown

1982 Mr Peter Mackay Lloyd

1981 Mrs Grace M. Bennetts

We do not hold Award information for the Shire of Alexandra prior to 1995.