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Dear Organisations and Community Members

Nominations are now open for the 2016 Naidoc Community Awards

The Annual Naidoc Awards recognise the outstanding contributions that our local Indigenous Australians make to improve the lives of Indigenous people in their communities and beyond, or to promote Indigenous issues in the wider community, or the excellence they've shown in their chosen field.

Each year the winners of the Local NAIDOC Awards will be announced in the following categories:

- Elder of the Year
- Naidoc Person of the Year – Gooda Family Trophy
- Junior Sportswoman of the Year
- Junior Sportsman of the Year
- Senior Sportsman of the Year
- Elders Recognition Award
- CQ Darumbal Pride Award
- Lloyd Willie 'Spirit of Unity Community'
- Organisation of the Year
- Student of the Year

Aswell as Special Recognitions presented at Naidoc Expo

- Best Decorated Office
- Best Banner

Nominations for the CQ Naidoc Awards close on Wednesday 6th of July 2016.
All Nominations can be emailed to kadiaaskov@cqid.com.au or faxed to (07) 49200 010.

Regards,

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