

# ITALIAN COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER AWARDS 2019 NOW OPEN!

Co.As.It. (SA) is a peak body for ageing Italo-Australians in South Australia. Our mission is to advance the wellbeing of ageing Italo-Australians with access to information, support, advocacy, services and programs that promote a fulfilling life.

In 2019 we are proud to announce the 15th Anniversary Italian Community Volunteer Awards. The event will recognise volunteers for their outstanding contribution to the Italian community in South Australia. Volunteers do not need to be from an Italian background to be nominated, as long as their work has benefitted the Italian community!

The volunteer awards aim to recognise individuals who have given their time generously to the Italian community. The winners will be presented with a certificate and prize during the Co.As.It. (SA) Italian Community Volunteer Awards on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2019. Simply fill in the nomination form (with the volunteers consent) and send it to Co.As.It. (SA) as per our details below. The closing date for nominations is 5pm Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2019. Late nominations will not be accepted.

For more information and nomination forms please contact the Co.As.It. (SA) Italian Assistance Association office on **8223 3311** or email **admin@coasitsa.org.au**.

## **AWARD CATEGORIES**

### **Aged Care Service Award**

An outstanding volunteer who has contributed at least five years of service to any aged care service provider in South Australia.

### **Community Service Award**

An outstanding volunteer within an Italian club, Italian association, not-for-profit organisation (not including aged care), private business or other government agency that has made an outstanding contribution to the Italian community in South Australia.

### **Lifetime Achievement Award**

A volunteer with at least 20 years of service to South Australia's Italian community. The individual may be a volunteer in the aged care or community sector.