

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Brother Dr Francis Irenaeus McCARTHY

St Kevin's College, Moonga Road, Toorak Vic 3142

For service to education through the Christian Brothers order, particularly St Kevin's College, Toorak.

Assistant teacher and Master of English, St Kevin's College, Toorak, appointed Deputy Principal, 1977; later appointed Principal.

Principal, St Kilda Christian Brothers College 1966-1972.

Principal, Parade College, Bundoora, 1974-1976.

Teacher in the Christian Brothers college system, since 1940.

Superior, Community of Christian Brothers, 1984.

Assessor, Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE), 2000-2001; Reviewer and Assessor, VCE Literature written examination, 1995-1998; Emergency Reviewer, VCE English, 1998.

Fellow, Australian College of Educators (Victoria), 1972.

Mr Sydney Charles McCLYMONT APM, Bellerive Tas 7018

For service to the community through Rotary International and Targa Tasmania, and to the Tasmanian Police Service.

District Governor, District 9830, Tasmania, Rotary International, 1991-1992; District Training Officer, for several years; District Secretary, 1990-1991.

Secretary, College of Governors, Rotary International, 1993-1995.

President, Rotary Club of Howrah, 1985-1986; Secretary and Director; Ambassadorial Scholar, 1978; led Study Exchange team to South Carolina USA, 1986; Member, since 1979.

Director, Rotary Club of Central Launceston, 1994-1995.

Director, Rotary Club of Kangaroo Bay, 1997-1999.

Honorary Member, Rotary Club of Sorrell (now Rotary Club of Tasman Peninsula); involved in the establishment of the Club, 1984-1985

Current Officer-in-Charge, Command Centre, Targa Tasmania; Stage Controller, 1993-2006; involved in the establishment of the race, 1993.

Patron, 500 Car Club of Tasmania, since 2000.

Mr McClymont was a member of the Tasmania Police from 1964 until his retirement in 2005. At the time of his retirement he held the rank of Commander.

Honorary Police Aide-de-Camp to the Governor of Tasmania, since 1987.

Inaugural Member, Tasmanian Domestic Violence Advisory Board, 1985-1993.

Awards include:

Australian Police Medal, 1994.

Centenary Medal, 2001.

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Miss Julie Maree McDONALD, PO Box 4155, Forest Lake Qld 4078

For service to swimming, to the Olympic movement, and to the community as a fundraiser for charitable organisations.

Member of Australian swimming team, 1986-1992.; represented Australia in swimming at 2 Olympic Games (won bronze medal, 1988), 2 Commonwealth Games (won 2 gold medals, 1990; and one silver, 1986), and 2 World Championships (Captain of team, 1991).

Coach, Torpedoes Representative Team, on multiple occasions.

Has been involved in the Australian Olympic Committee's anti-drug education program throughout Australia, for many years; including as the current Presenter for the AOC's Energy Australia 'Live Clean Play Clean' drug education program.

Involved in fundraising projects with the Queensland Olympic Council, including through the Winners Circle Program.

Involved in fundraising for a range of community organisations, including Cerebral Palsy League of Queensland, Queensland Spastic Welfare League, Justin Cameron Cancer Care Foundation - Committee member for past 13 years, Australian Kidney Foundation, National Heart Foundation, Salvation Army, and Mater Children's Hospital.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sportswoman of the Year, 1987.

Australian Swimmer of the Year, 1987.

Queensland Sportswoman of the Year, 1987.

Queensland Olympic Council Merit Award, 2005; in recognition of her outstanding contribution to the Queensland Olympic Council and the Olympic Movement.

For her efforts in promoting swimming, the Brisbane Swimming Association named their annual carnival after her; 'The Julie McDonald Cup'.

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Mr Michael Robert McENTYRE, 8 Belar Street, Coonabarabran NSW 2357
For service to secondary education in rural New South Wales and to school sport through Rugby League coaching and administrative roles.

Principal, Coonabarabran High School, since 1999; Deputy-Principal, Wallsend High School, 1998; Deputy Principal, Cessnock High School, 1991-1997; taught at Irrawang High School, 1987-1988; Taree High School, 1975-1983; Newcastle Boys High, 1972-1973; and Coonamble High School, 1969-1971; established Cessnock District Learning Centre for children with learning difficulties.

Executive Member, NSW Secondary Principals' Council; Council's Representative on the NSW Combined High Schools Sport Council, 2000-2006.

President, Combined Dubbo, Bourke, Warrumbungle Principal Council, 2002-2005.

Coach, Australian Schoolboys Open Rugby League Team, 2000-2002; Australian Selector, 2003-2004; Coach, New South Wales Combined High Schools Teams, 1994-1998; Selector, since 1992.

North West Regional Coach, 2000-2005.

Coach, League teams, Hunter Region, 1984-1997.

Zone and Regional Coach, North Coast League teams, 1976-1983.

Coached High School Rugby teams, 1969-2006.

Awards/recognition include:

Awarded Leadership Fellowship, New South Wales Department of Education and Training, 2005; and NSW Government Fellowship, 1996.

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Professor John Kerridge McGEACHIE, 38 Kintyre Crescent, Floreat WA 6014
For service to dental education, particularly through the development of programs for undergraduate and postgraduate students.

Professor, School of Anatomy and Human Biology, The University of Western Australia; former Head of the School of Dentistry.

Honorary Examiner and Lecturer in Anatomy, Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons, since 1987.

Inaugural and former, Director, Oral Health Centre of Western Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

Excellence in Teaching Award, The University of Western Australia, 1992 and 2003.

Campbell-Wilson Roll of Honour, 1999.

Tutor of the Year Award for Medical Students, 2005.

Fellow, International College of Dentists, 2005.

Mrs Patricia Mary McGOVERN, 210 Brisbane Street, Beaudesert Qld 4285
For service to the credit union movement and to the community of Beaudesert through church, sporting and fundraising roles.

Manager, South East Community Credit Society Ltd, 1973-1991; formerly known as Beaudesert and District Credit Union, 1969-1973 and now known as Queensland Country Credit Union Ltd after a merger in June 2005; involved in establishing the credit union in 1973.

Former Director, Queensland Co-operative Credit Union League; Member, Finance and Marketing Sub-Committees.

Founding Secretary, Queensland Divisional Council, Australian Institute of Credit Union Management Ltd; involved with Institute until 1991.

Founding Member, St Mary's Catholic Parish Finance Council, 1993-2001.

President, Beaudesert Golf Club, 1998-2000; Treasurer, 1991-1993; Member, since 1959.

Secretary and Treasurer, Beaudesert Hibernian Race Club, 1988-2002; organisation was established to raise funds for Boystown and to raise awareness of the needs of youth within the community.

Established the Quota Club of Beaudesert, 1976; former President.

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Mr Geoffrey David McGUIRE

'Langaweira', 744 Langaweira Road, Katanning WA 6317

For service to equestrian sport, particularly as a showjumping judge and course designer, and to the community.

Showjumping Judge, International Equestrian Federation, since 1993; Technical Delegate for Eventing, since 1994; Course Designer for Eventing, 1993-2002.

National Technical Delegate, Course Designer and Member, National Rules Committee for Eventing, Equestrian Federation of Australia (EFA); National Judge and Course Designer for Showjumping; National and Olympic Selector for Eventing, 1995-2000.

Chairman, Eventing WA, Equestrian Federation of Australia (Western Australia), 1994-2002; State Delegate to National Eventing Committee, 1993-2003; State Board Member, 1994-2002; Great Southern Equestrian Association; EFA Affiliate; Past President, Committee Member, Judge and Chief Course Builder; Foundation Member 1958; Patron; Life Member.

Chairman, Showjumping, Pony Club Association of Western Australia, for 6 years; Chairman, Horse Trials, for 8 years; President, Great Southern Zone, 1978-1980; Delegate to State Council, for 8 years; Instructor, Examiner and Rally Organiser; Steward for Horse Trials and drafted rulebook.

Inter Pacific Area Representative and Selector; Zone Show Jumping Selector.

Foundation President, Vice-President and Committee Member, Great Southern Horse Trials Association (GSHTA), since 1978; designed cross country courses for clubs in GSHTA, 1985-1994; EFA Steward and Show Jumping Judge, Carrolup Horse Trials, 1995-2004.

Jumping judge and Member, Show Jumping Working Party, Perth Royal Show, for 28 years.

Committee Member, Ring Master, Commentator, Course designer, Show Jumping Judge at Katanning Show ring events, since 1957.

Councillor, Katanning Shire Council, 1980-1994.

Advisory Committee and Board Member, Great Southern Development Commission, 1987-1997.

Chairman, BKW Cooperative (Katanning community retail co-operative), 1982-2003; Board Member, since 1964.

Chairman, Great Southern Transport Forum, for 9 years.

Awards include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

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Mr Archibald James (Jamie) McKELLAR

27 Osborne Road, North Warrandyte Vic 3113

For service to the community through the development of a construction waste recycling industry and commitment to environmentally sustainable industrial practices.

Managing Director, Alex Fraser Recycling/Alex Fraser Group, since 1970s.

Family-owned demolition and salvage business, operating since 1879.

First company in Australia to develop recycling process for construction waste, 1980s.

Directed the company to invest in research and development of waste recycling processes; research included participation from State Government, Commonwealth Scientific Industrial Research Organisation and the Australian Road Research Board.

Company now has 7 major recycling centres in Victoria and Queensland, employs over 120 staff and recycles in excess of 2 million tonnes of material per year in Australia.

Currently exporting construction waste recycling technology to Asian countries.

President, Australian Demolition Contractors Association, for 8 years.

Member, Australian Council of Recyclers.

Awards presented to the Alex Fraser Group include:

Prime Minister's Environment Award, Australian Business Award for Environmental Leadership, 2000.

Australian Manufacturer of the Year, 1998.

Telstra/Victorian Government Small Business of the Year, 1998.

Gold Banksia Award, for waste minimisation, 1995.

Mr Michael William McKELVEY

Pelican Lagoon Research and Wildlife Centre,

Pelican Lagoon Peninsula, Kangaroo Island SA 5222

For service to science through the Pelican Lagoon Research and Wildlife Centre.

Biologist and Co-Director, Pelican Lagoon Wildlife Research and Wildlife Centre; provided land for the Centre, 1980; Director, 'Land for Learning' (based at Centre); International photographer, cinematographer, artist and writer.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Stanley Barry McKENZIE, 12 Solly Terrace, Cummins SA 5631

For service to the community of the Eyre Peninsula, particularly in the field of health administration, and through a range of sporting, school and church groups.

Inaugural Chairman, Eyre Regional Health Service Board, 1994-1999; Deputy Chairman since 2000.

Chairman, Cummins and District Memorial Hospital, 1990-1997; Vice-Chairman, for 2 years; Chairman, Finance Committee; Chairman, House Committee; Chairman, Building Committee; Member, Clinical Privileges Committee; Representative on South Australian Hospital Association; Delegate for Eyre Peninsula Hospital Association; Delegate on Lower Eyre Peninsula Health Board; Deputy Chairman 1998-1999.

Member, Port Lincoln Health Services Board, 1990-1997.

Chairman, Miroma Place Aged Care Hostel; Member, Hostel Placement Committee..

Life Member, United Yeelanna Football.

Commissioner, Great Flinders Football League, since 1984; Eyre Peninsula Zone Tribunal Commissioner, since 1993; Life Member.

Chairman, Cummins Swimming Pool Renovation Committee, 2003-2005; Life Member.

Chairman, Karkoo Recreation and Sports Committee, 1984-1998; Member, 1971-1998.

School Councillor, Karkoo School, 1974-1986; Chairman, for 4 years, Secretary, for 4 years.

Crew Member, Karkoo Country Fire Service, 1969-1992.

Council Member, Cummins Anglican Parish; Member, Finance Council.

Justice of the Peace, since 1983.

Awards/recognition include:

Eyre Peninsula District Council Citizen of the Year, 1995.

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Mrs Wendy Margaret McKEOUGH, 3 Clarke Close, Wingham NSW 2429

For service to the communities of the Taree and Manning River through local government, sporting and service organisations.

Deputy Mayor, Greater Taree City Council, 1994-1995 and since 1997; Councillor, since 1993; Chair of various committees; previously employed as personal assistant to Manning Shire Clerk and County Clerk, for 16 years.

President, Secretary, Community Services Director and Program Director, Rotary Club of Taree-on-Manning, 1997; current Club Historian; Member since club's establishment in 1990. Member, Flair Fashions Committee; committee coordinates the Flair Fashion Awards, the biggest regional fashion awards in New South Wales, with funds raised going to people with cancer.

President of Taree and District Friends of the Royal Blind Society, for 7 years; Taree RSL Travel Club, since 1988; and Wingham Brush Society, for 7 years.

Chair of several committees, including 'Railway - 90 Years Reunion' Committee, 2003-2004; Keep Australia Beautiful Council; Clean up Australia Day; and Tidy Towns; Co-chair, Centenary of Federation Committee.

Member of Australian Red Cross, since 1994; Taree Racecourse Trust, for 5 years; National Parks Regional Advisory Committee, for 9 years; and Wingham Beef Week Committee.

Patron of Wingham Swimming Club, Wingham Rifle Club, and Taree Croquet Club.

Patron, Manning River District Tennis Association; Member of the EAExecutive, for over 30 years.

Patron, Black Head Probus Club and Harrington/Crowdy Head Probus Club.

Patron, Guides New South Wales.

Patron, Manning District Volunteer Rescue Association.

Mrs Theresa Mary McKINNON

50 Comberton Grange Road, South Nowra NSW 2541

For service to the community of the City of Shoalhaven through a range of musical, school and show society organisations.

Life Member, City of Shoalhaven Eisteddfod, Nowra, since 2005; Secretary, 1987-2005.

Chief Stewardess, Decorative Flower and Junior Decorative Flower sections, Nowra Show Society, for over 20 years.

Organist, St Michael's Catholic Church, 3 to 4 times a month for over 20 years; Parishioner, for over 60 years.

Life Member, Falls Creek P&C Association; President and Secretary, 1982-1988.

Board Member, Chevalier College, 1991-1993.

Secretary, Tomerong P&C Association, 1975-1978.

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Mr David Bruce McKNIGHT, 235 Mill Street, Ballarat Vic 3350

For service to the community of Ballarat, particularly through contributions to the Sovereign Hill Museum complex, and to local government.

President, Sovereign Hill Museum Association, 1994-1996; Board Member, since 1987; has served on Committees including President's Advisory, Finance, Outdoor Museum, and Landscape

Chairman, Gold Museum Committee, Gold Museum Ballarat, since 2004.

Trustee and Member, Sovereign Hill Foundation, since 1995; Foundation aims to provide a capital base for the Sovereign Hill Museum's ongoing financial viability.

Current Founding Member, Narmbool Trust; Trust manages a 2000 hectare property which was donated to Sovereign Hill under the Federal Government's Cultural Gift Program; Trust raised \$2million for the development of a Schools Accommodation Centre.

Has had a leading role in the Sovereign Hill Environmental Protection Program (for the schools market), since 1990.

Mayor, City of Ballarat, 1984-1985; Councillor, for 9 years.

Member, Sir Henry Bolte Trust, since 1995; income from the Trust is used as an acquisition fund for the Gold Museum and enables important artifacts to be acquired and retained for the benefit of the citizens of Ballarat.

Member, Rotary Club of Ballarat, since 1986; has served as Director and Chairperson on Committees including International Service, Community Service, Special Projects, and Student Exchange & Program; Paul Harris Fellow, 1996.

Former Chairman, Ballarat Begonia Festival.

Mrs Gavina Marie McLUCAS, 46 Faldt Street, Bundaberg Qld 4670

For service to the community of Bundaberg as a Lifeline counsellor and musician.

Lifeline telephone counsellor, for 26 years; other voluntary roles at Lifeline include roster clerk, welfare officer, supervisor-on-call, training facilitator and Consultative Council Member (former Board of Lifeline).

Volunteer Choral Coach and accompanist, Norville State School, for 35 years; currently accompanying the Norville Voices Choir.

Pianist at the Queensland and Bundaberg Eisteddfods, Bundaberg Amateur Players and Bundaberg Amateur Theatrical Society, for over 30 years.

Keyboard player, Bundaberg Symphony Orchestra, for one year.

Member, Uniting Church Choir and Bundaberg Orpheus Singers.

Currently presenting concerts (with other musicians) to Senior Citizens in Retirement Villages.

Awards/recognition include:

Senior Citizen of the Year Award, Bundaberg City Council, 2005.

Uniting Church Moderator's Medal, 2004.

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Associate Professor Marilyn McMURCHIE

407 Bourke Street, Darlinghurst NSW 2010

For service to medicine as a general practitioner, particularly as an educator in the area of care for people living with HIV/AIDS, and as an advocate for women in medicine.

General Practitioner, Darlinghurst, for over 25 years.

Current Associate Professor, Discipline of General Practice, Central Clinical School, Faculty of Medicine, University of Sydney; Lecturer in General Practice, since 1998; Senior Research Fellow, 1996-2001; New South Wales Medical Director for the Second Australian Blood Pressure Study, 1996-2001; Research Assistant, 1989-1990.

Convener, Women and Family Medicine Working Party, World Organisation of Family Doctors, since 2001.

President, Australian Federation of Medical Women, 1998-2001; Convener, 25th International Women's Medical Congress, 2001.

Member, Royal Australian College of General Practitioners, since 1987; Member, Women and Violence Steering Committee, 1998-2001; Representative, National Hepatitis C Education Program for General Practitioners, 1997-2001.

National Adviser, National Breast Cancer Centre, National Health and Medical Research Council, 1990s until 2002.

Member, Joint Public Health Advisory Committee, General Practice Partnership Advisory Council, Department of Health and Ageing, since 1998; Member, General Practice Strategy Review Group, 1997.

Senior Examiner in General Practice, Australian Medical Council, since 1998.

Fellow, Faculty of Public Health Medicine, Royal Australasian College of Physicians, since 1994.

Current Chair, HIV Prescribers' Continuing Medical Education Project, New South Wales Department of Health.

Current Member, New South Wales Ministerial Advisory Council on AIDS Strategy.

President, Australasian Society for HIV Medicine, 1993-1995.

Member, Australian National Council on AIDS and Related Diseases, and Member, Clinical Trials and Research Sub-Committees, 1996-2001.

Awards/recognition include:

World AIDS Day Award.

Women's Health Award, Australian Medical Association, 2003.

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Mrs Kathleen Ann McNEILLY, 16 Norfolk Court, Point Halloran Qld 4165
For service to the community of the Redland Shire through cultural, service and welfare organisations, and to business.

Honorary President, Redland Museum since 2002; Vice-President, 2000-2002; Member, since 1986.

In conjunction with a colleague, prepared and set up the *Clark Exhibition* featuring the history of the pioneering Clark Family.

Managed major extensions to the building, 2004.

Assisted in planning an Exhibition Hall to house travelling exhibitions.

Foundation Member, Zonta Club of Wynnum/Redlands, 1981; President, 1986-1987 and 1994-1995; Committee Member for the Status of Women, in particular the Young Women in Public Affairs Award.

Director, Redland Economic Development Board, 1996-1998.

Chairperson, Redland Employment Network, 1992; President, Redland Skill Share Training Support Centre (change of name), until 1996.

President, Redland Chamber of Commerce, 1992-1994; organised a Redlands Youth Employment Summit when President; during Presidency, Chamber took carriage of the Business Achievement Awards.

President, Moreton Bay Branch, Real Estate Institute of Queensland, 1988-1990; also held positions of Secretary and Vice-President.

Volunteer, Capalaba Meals on Wheels, for 5 years.

Member, Handicapped Association of Redlands District, late 1980s; Patron.

Member, establishment committee for Special Transport Assistance Redlands; an organisation to transport disabled and/or sick Redland residents to medical appointments and hospitals.

Board Member, Bayside Community College, 1993-1996.

Member, Advisory Panel for Redland District Committee On the Ageing for the construction of a rehabilitation cottage at Redlands Hospital.

Member, Anglican Parish of Cleveland; current Rector's District Warden; Secretary, for 3 years; Member, Parish Council, 2000-2002; Member, Friends of St Andrew's.

Committee Member, inaugural BA-LONN Community Arts Festival, 2003.

President, Cleveland High School Ladies Auxiliary.

Treasurer, Redlands Lawn Tennis Association, 1971-1976.

Treasurer, Thornlands State School P&C Association, 1968-1971.

Awards/recognition include:

Premier's Award for Queensland Seniors, 2004.

Redlands Citizen of the Year Award, 2004.

Commonwealth Recognition Award for Senior Australians, 2001.

Volunteer of the Year Award, Crest Club of Bayside, 1997.

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Mr Richard Thomas MacNEVIN, 233 Denham Street, Rockhampton Qld 4700
For service to the community of Rockhampton through a range of organisations, particularly in the fields of tourism and vocational education.

Chairman of the Board, Capricorn Tourism and Development Organisation, 1991-2000.
Chairman, Rockhampton Enterprise Centre, for 5 years.
Chairman, Central Queensland Area Consultative Committee, for 3 years.
Chairman, Rockhampton Airport Committee.
Member, Board of Directors, Gracemere Sale Yards Cattle Industry Park Development.

Alderman, Rockhampton City Council, 1991-1994.
Chair, Appeals Committee of the Queensland Cancer Fund (Rockhampton Branch), since 1980s; Coordinator, Doorknock Appeal, for 10 years; Committee Member, for 15 years.
Member, Board of Directors, Endeavour Foundation (provides assistance to people with an intellectual disability); started first furniture workshop, early 1970s.
Committee Member of Shalom Retirement Village, since 1990s; Australian Red Cross; Salvation Army; Queensland Ambulance; Beef 2000 Australia; and the Medical Benefit Council of Australia, for 5 years.
Life Member, Frenchville Sports Club.

Chair, Vocational Education and Training Committee, Central Queensland Institute of TAFE .
Member, TAFE Institute Council.
Member, Central Queensland Alumni Foundation.
Patron, Glenmore State School.

Awards/recognition include:
Australia Day Citizen Award, Rockhampton, 1995.

Mrs Margaret Marion MacRAE, 2 Fisher Avenue, Vaucluse NSW 2030
For service to the community as a volunteer for health care organisations, particularly through support for cancer patients and their families.

Volunteer, Sydney Children's Hospital, since 1965; cares for patients in Oncology Clinic; managed filing system in Children's Cancer and Blood Disorders Department, 1970s and 1980s.

Chair, Divisional Hospital Visiting and Voluntary Services Committee, Australian Red Cross, 1981; Member, 1973-1986; Member, Community Services Committee, since 1986.

Awards/recognition include:
Seniors Achievement Award for Community Service and Volunteering, New South Wales Government, 2004.
Distinguished Service Medal, Australian Red Cross, 1987

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Ms Veronica Norah MACAULAY-CROSS, 80 Finnie Road, Deagon Qld 4017
For service to the community as an advocate for women with advanced breast cancer, and to education.

State Representative, Breast Cancer Network Australia, since 2002; Member, since 2001; Ms Macaulay-Cross was diagnosed with breast cancer in 1996, re-diagnosed in 1999 with metastatic breast cancer; Founding Member, Advanced Breast Cancer Working Party, 2002; has lobbied for the needs of women living with advanced breast cancer to be addressed; involved in fundraising.

Member, West End Group for Women with Advanced Breast Cancer, since 1999.
Consumer representative, Queensland Strengthening Support for Women with Breast Cancer Project 2002; this was a Commonwealth-funded project to improve the provision of support services, especially in rural and remote areas; the outcome was an increase in the number of breast care nurses in hospitals throughout Queensland.

Consumer representative on working groups with Queensland Health Department - the National Breast Cancer Centre, 2001-2002; Queensland Cancer Fund, 2004-2006; and the European Society for Medical Oncology Conference, 2003.

Member, Executive Committee, Australasian Society for Breast Disease, 2004-2005; assisted at the Society's Consumer Forum, 2005.

Has been an invited speaker at various conferences and meetings, including the Breast Care Nurse Conference, 2004; National Breast Cancer Centre Forum, 2004; National Breast Cancer Conference for Women, 2004; Queensland Women in the Public Service Luncheon, 2004; International Women's Day Luncheon, 2005; and Clinical Oncological Society of Australia Conference, 2005, assisted at the Society's Consumer Forum in the same year.

Has organised or assisted with the Warrior Women Exhibition, 2004; the launch of the 'My Journey Kit, 2005; and the Australian Centre for the Moving Image Digital Story Project, 2005.

Member, Executive, Queensland Teachers Union, 1992-1996; Life Member, 2001..

Member of various committees, including Technology in Education, Union Development, Salaries and Industrial Conditions, 1990-1997.

Delegate to Brisbane North Area and Metropolitan East Area Council, 1985-1994.

President at Branch level, 1993, and Secretary, 1994; held other executive positions, 1984-1994; Representative to Council, 1988-1997; Union representative at schools, 1983-2000.

Elected teacher representative, Board of Teacher Registration Queensland, 1995-1997; Chair, Appeals Committee, 1995-1997; Chair, Working Party on Convergence of Vocational and General Education, 1997; Observer and delegate to various conferences, 1993-1996.

QTU representative, 1992-1997, on various committees, including School Advisory Councils Reference Committee, National Schools' Network Coordination Committee, Queensland Department of Education committees, and Biennial ACTU Congress.

Teacher, Department of Education and the Arts, 1978-2000.

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Dr Mikael Conway MACDOUGALL, PO Box 3164, Prahran Vic 3181
For service to the community of Cobram as a general practitioner.

Details not available at the request of Dr Macdougall.

Mr James Frederick (Jim) MACKIE, 3 Lorikeet Lane, Burleigh Waters Qld 4220
For service to Australian Rules football in the Gold Coast region as an umpire and through a range of administrative roles.

President, Gold Coast Australian Football Umpires Association, 1996-1997 and 2003-2004; Vice-President, 1985-1986, 1995 and 2001-2002; Social Secretary, 1981-1983 and 1987-1989; Junior Adviser, 1977-1986, 1990-1998 and since 2003; Senior Adviser, 1977-1980 and 1983-1984; Life Member, 1983.

Umpired over 915 football games.

The Reverend Father Thomas Gregory MALONEY

St John's College, Woodlawn, Lismore NSW 2480

For service to the Catholic Church and to the community of Lismore as Chaplain to health and aged care organisations.

Chaplain, St Vincent's Private Hospital, and St Joseph's Nursing Home, Lismore, since 1988.
Chaplain, Ozanam Villa, St Vincent de Paul Society Aged and Special Care Services, since approximately 1988.

Catholic Chaplain, Lismore Base Hospital, for approximately 15 years.

Catholic Priest in the Order of The Society of Mary: Marist Brothers and Fathers, since 1948.

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Miss Carol-Ann Mary MALOUF, 24 Gatenby Street, Condobolin NSW 2877
For service to the community of Condobolin through agricultural show, health, youth and sporting organisations, and to primary industry.

Currently Executive Officer and Secretary, Condobolin Show Society since 1977.
Former Area Chairman for Red Cross.
Member, Condobolin Hospital Board, 1991-2005.
Secretary and Publicity Officer, Condo Rugby Union Club from 1983.
Former Secretary, Condobolin Branch, National Party of Australia, for 10 years.
Member, Lachlan Shire Council's Traffic Committee.
Associated with Lions Club.

Public Relations/Publicity Officer, NSW Stud Merino Breeders Association from 1994; edits the quarterly magazine *Top Sire*.
Committee Member, Department of Small Business and Regional Development's 'Small Business Drought Assistance Scheme' 1994; now disbanded.
Member, Wool Advisory Group, Australian Wool Innovation.
Coordinator, Don Brown Merino Competition, since 1985.
Secretary/Publicity, Condobolin Merino Breeders' Association, for 10 years.

Awards include:

Recipient of Condobolin Community Services Award, 1995.

Mrs Christine Mary MANDERSON, 7 Badenoch Avenue, Glenhaven NSW 2156
For service to people with cancer and to their families, particularly through establishing patient support groups and preparing information material, and as a radiation therapist.

Chief Radiation Therapist, Department of Radiation Oncology, Westmead Hospital, 1979-2004 (retired); involved in undergraduate and post-graduate teaching.
Inaugural Director of Radiation Therapy, Joint Centre of Radiation Oncology, 1998-2001; established between the Westmead and Nepean Hospitals.
Chair, NSW Radiation Therapy Advisory Panel, Australian Institute of Radiography, 1990-1993.
Member, Cancer Care Centre Working Party (to establish a department of radiation oncology at the Nepean Hospital in Penrith), 1994.

Awards include:

Varian Prize for radiation therapists, 1994.

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Mrs Claudine Beulah MANEA, 18 Haydock Street, Bunbury WA 6230
For service to the community of Bunbury through conservation, health, welfare and sporting organisations.

President, Bunbury Timber Jetty Environment and Conservation Society since 1996; Member since 1990.

Chair, Collections Committee, Bunbury Regional Art Gallery, 1980-1991; involved with the establishment and opening of the Gallery in 1987; Life Member.

Member, Bunbury Regional Hospital, 1994-1998; involved in the collocation of the St John of God Hospital with the Bunbury Regional Hospital.

Involved in establishment of Bunbury Meals on Wheels 1966; volunteer, for many years; Life Member.

Lady Mayoress (spouse Mayor 1966-1972 and 1988-1997); supported her husband during his two terms as Mayor; 'Freeman of the City', 1997.

Instigator; Member, Cemetery Board, since 1990.

Supporter, South Bunbury Football Club, 1969-1972; fundraising and catering.

Founder, Senior Citizens Craft Group (Group operated 1968-1977), Bunbury Senior Citizens Association; Life Member.

Involved, collaboration on and publishing of *Reminiscences of a Rural Practice: Dr Foster and Associates 1947-1999*, 2000.

Assisted spouse (in his role as Director, of the former South West Development Authority, 1982-1988) as an advocate for the South West region of WA.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Bunbury.

Life Member, Bunbury Agricultural Society.

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Mr John James MANGAN-MILLER, 3/11 Edsall Street, Highett Vic 3190
For service to the culinary industry, particularly through hospitality education and training roles, and as a chef.

60 years industry service including:

Management Committee Member, Australian Guild of Professional Cooks (now known as the Australian Culinary Federation Victoria), for 21 years; President; Inaugural Chairman of Constitutional Development; Involved with others in establishing the Guild in 1974.

Range of international and in-Australia hospitality education and training roles, including with the William Angliss Institute of TAFE; teacher, 1970-1981 and 1984-1992, and former Curriculum Consultant; and the Hong Kong Polytechnic - Principal Lecturer and Acting Head of Department, Institutional Management and Catering Studies, early 1980s.

Actively involved with Académie Culinaire de France; Life Member, Australian Branch.

Various professional associations including: Board Member/Secretary, Hong Kong Branch, Les Toques Blanches.

Writer and presenter of numerous papers, published articles, developer of training courses/curricula and judge of culinary competitions.

Early service as a chef, executive chef and executive sous chef with international and in-Australia institutions including the Savoy London, Windsor, Menzies and Chevron Hotels, and the Americana Hotel, Hong Kong Hilton and Nile Hilton, 1946-1970.

Awards/recognition include:

'Black Hat' award by (then) Australian Guild of Professional Cooks.

'Pioneers of the Industry Award', Les Toques Blanches.

Chevalier de l'Ordre du Mérite Agricole.

William Angliss Institute of TAFE training kitchen named in honour of Mr Miller.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

The Reverend Canon Alexander Neil MARSHALL RFD

26 Mossvale Drive, Wakerley Qld 4154

For service to the Anglican Church of Australia, particularly through support for parish projects, and to the community of Wynnum.

Honorary Canon, St John's Cathedral, Brisbane, since 2001.

Rector, St Peter's Anglican Church, since 1996. Has been involved with several projects including;

Helped establish the James Aitken Community Centre, 2002-2004. (Accommodates the Anglicare programs Tufnell Residential and Community Care Program, and Kinnections, and the St Peter's Community Service programs).

Helped produce St Peter's Centenary Book, *Fisher's of Men 1899-1999*, approximately 1999.

Restored St Peter's 1914-1918 Memorial Honour Board Triptych, 1999-2000; helped produce the book *A Parish Remembers* – pen pictures of those remembered on the Triptych.

Chaplain, Queensland Police Service, 1993-1996.

Rector, Parish of Beaudesert, 1984-1996.

Chaplain, Trinity Anglican School, Cairns, 1983.

Rector, Parish of Edge Hill, Cairns, 1981-1984.

Missions to Seamen Chaplain, 1970-1981.

Army Reserve Chaplain, Australian Defence Force, 1971-1990; Reserve Force Decoration (RFD), awarded for 15 years' service.

Rector, Parish of Bowen, 1970-1981.

Assistant Priest, Parish of Ayr, 1965-1970

Assistant Priest, Parish of St Matthew's Mundingburra, Townsville, 1963-1965.

Ordained Priest, 1962.

Assistant Curate, Cairns, 1961-1962.

Ordained Deacon, 1961.

Current Padre, Wynnum Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia.

Current Board Member, Rotary Club of Wynnum and Manly; Member, Rotary International, for 36 years.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Professor Graham MARTIN, 10 Port Drive, Banksia Beach Qld 4507

For service to psychiatry through the development of clinical services for children and adolescents, as a teacher, and through research activities in the area of youth suicide.

Membership of the National Advisory Council for the National Suicide Prevention Strategy (Chairman Evaluation Sub-Committee); National Media and Mental Health Committee; National Advisory Board, Wesley Mission LifeForce; *Mind Matters* Mental Health Promoting Schools National Evaluation Committee; Statewide Expert Advisory Group (Queensland Suicide Prevention Strategy); and Steering Committee, Centre for Rural and Remote Mental Health (Queensland).

National Chairman Suicide Prevention Australia, 1995-2001; Co-Creator and Director Auseinet; the Australian Network for Promotion, Prevention and Early Intervention, 1997-2001.

Co-Author of 13 books, 19 commissioned reports, and over 60 refereed journal articles.

Life Member, Suicide Prevention Australia.

Professor and Director of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, The University of Queensland, since 2001.

Clinical Director, Royal Children's Hospital, and Brisbane North District Child and Youth Mental Health Services, since 2001.

Chief Child Psychiatrist and Clinical Director, Southern Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service, Flinders Medical Centre, South Australia, 1986-2001.

Awards/recognition include:

Gold Companion, Australian Rotary Health Research Fund, 2005.

Admitted to the International Academy for Suicide Research, 2004.

Flinders University Vice Chancellor's Prize for Excellence in Teaching, 2000.

The Australian / Australian Publishers Association Award for Educational Excellence, TAFE and Tertiary Category, for the *Keep Yourself Alive' Education Kit*, National GP Suicide Prevention Education Kit, 1998.

8th Biennial Alby Jones Lecture and Medal Australian Council of Educators, 2002.

Inaugural Wilson Family Lecturer, 2002.

Dignan-Stephens Orator, Royal Children's Hospital Brisbane, 2002.

Dean's Lecture, Flinders University School of Medicine, 2001.

Barton Pope Lecturer, South Australia, 1996.

Julian Katz Orator, Faculty of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists, 1996.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Kenneth Lawrence MARVELL, 14/47-49 Peel Street, Toukley NSW 2263
For service to the community through a range of ex-service, social, and aged care organisations.

Honorary Secretary, Toukley Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1995; Welfare Officer, since 1995; Volunteer Driver for the 'Happiness Club', 1994-2004; Current Quartermaster/Tenor Drummer, Pipes and Drums Band; Life Member. Current Chairman, Merchant Mariners Memorial Committee, Norah Head. Volunteer Driver, Wyong Happiness Club, 1991-2003. Bus Driver, Blood Bank program, Concord Hospital, after 1989. Volunteer Driver, Toukley and District Senior Citizens Club, 1988-1993. Founding Member, Renal Association of New South Wales, 1970; Groundskeeper and Gardener, Toukley House, for 6 years.

Miss Stella Maisie MASSEY, 3 Salwood Close, Holloways Beach Qld 4878
For service to the community of Cairns, particularly through the establishment and direction of the Cairns String Orchestra.

Founder and Director, Cairns String Quartet, 1991.
Founder and Director, Cairns Junior String Orchestra, 1996.
Member, Cairns Choral Society.
Member, North Queensland Philharmonic Orchestra.
Second Concertmaster, Gewestelyk Orkest (Holland), 1972-1985

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Cairns, Australia Day Awards 2006.
Senior Cultural Award, Cairns City Council, Australia Day Awards 2003.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr William Edmund MATHESON, Magill SA 5072

For service to the environment, particularly in the areas of soil, water and biodiversity conservation.

Private Consultant in landcare, property management planning, soil conservation and revegetation, since 1987.

Contract Lecturer in soils and landforms, South Australian College of Advanced Education, 1989-1990.

Conciliator for Native Vegetation Act (SA), Department of Environment and Heritage Resources, 1987-2004.

Part-time Instructor, Adelaide and Gilles Plains and Murray Institutes of TAFE in Rural Planning, Soil Conservation and Soil Science, 1990-2002.

Contract Lecturer in geomorphology, Roseworthy Agricultural College, 1987-1990.

Acting Principal Soils Officer, South Australian Department of Agriculture, 1983-1987; various other positions relating to soil conservation, 1952-1983.

Certified Practising Agriculturalist, 1995, 1996, 1999, 2000-2003.

Publications include *Rural Planning – Landcare*, Inkata Press, 1996.

Secretary, South Australian Branch, Australian Association of Natural Resource Management (formerly the Soil and Water Conservation Association of Australia), many years until 2004 (organisation disbanded).

Director, Bushland Conservation Pty Ltd (private conservation company), since 1990s.

Management Committee, Trees for Life SA, for 3 years; Member, since 1989.

Member, Australian Institute of Agricultural Science and Technology, 1991-2004.

Member, Australian Association of Agricultural Consultants, 1991-2004.

Member, Australian Society of Soil Science, 1964-2004; Certified Practising Soil Scientist, 2000-2004.

President, South Australian Society of Soil Science, 1982-1983.

Secretary, South Australian Soil Conservation Advisory Committee, 1978-1983.

President, South Australian Ornithological Association, 1976-1979; Committee Member, for 10 years; Member, since 1962.

Member, State Property and Risk Management Planning Consultative Committee, 1993-1997.

Member, State Committee, Landcare Foundation, 1994-1996.

Member, Landcare Committees including State Landcare Committee, Resources Sub-Committee, Primary Industries Sub-Committee, 1990-1993.

Member, Subject Advisory Committee - Natural Resources Management, Senior Secondary Assessment Board of South Australia, 1988-1991.

Member, Australian Soil and Land Resources Committee, 1984-1987.

Member, Primary Producers Committee, State Planning Commission (SA), 1984-1987.

Member, Advisory Committee, Northern Adelaide Plains Water Resources Committee, 1976-1982.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Marjory Carol MATISON, 163 Homestead Road, Gosnells WA 6110
For service to local government and to the community of the City of Gosnells.

Deputy Mayor, City of Gosnells, since (May) 2005: Councillor, for 15 years.
Roles with a steering committee, leading to the establishment of the Ravenhill Youth Crisis House (Thornlie) and Langford Community House (Langford) (operates today under the name Boogurlarri Community House), 1980s.
Member, Board of Directors (as City of Gosnells representative), Amaroo Cottages for Senior Citizens, since 1999, 1985-1992; Life Member.
Member, Editorial Sub-Committee, 'The Gosnells Story', (published in 1987).
Volunteer and (Council designated) heritage liaison role, City of Gosnells Museum: The Wilkinson Homestead.
Inaugural President/Development Officer, Southern Districts Netball Association; Coach; Life Member.
Inaugural Chairperson (as City of Gosnells representative), Sutherland Park (Sporting Complex).
Chair (as City of Gosnells representative), Working Group relating to Mary Carroll Park, 1987-1992; Involvement as a community member, 'Friends of Mary Carroll Park', since 1992.
Founding Member, Canning Catchment Coordinating Group.
Founding Member, Armadale Gosnells Landcare Group.

Awards include:

Meritorious Service Award, WA Local Government Association, 2002.

Mr Frank Cebria MATONS, PO Box 665, Mornington Vic 3931
For service to veterans and their families on the Mornington Peninsula, particularly through the Returned and Services League of Australia and the Vietnam Veterans Association.

President, Mornington Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1997; Treasurer 1986; and Committee Member, until 2005.
Committee Member, Number 5 Regional Committee, Victorian Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 2002; served as Committee Member of 2 and 22 District Boards (prior to their disbandment); Life Member.
Pension/Welfare Officer, Mornington Peninsula Branch, Vietnam Veterans Association of Australia, since 1992.
Inaugural Chairman, Southern Peninsula Veterans' Centre, since 1997.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Eletha Anne (Fairy) MATTERS, 5 First Lane, St Peters SA 5069

For service to the community, particularly through the fundraising activities of the South Australian Branch of Variety, The Children's Charity.

Committee Member and Event Official, Variety Club Four Wheel Drive Challenge, Variety - The Children's Charity of South Australia, since 2003, Catering and Accommodation portfolio, 1995-2003; Committee Member, South Australian Variety Bash, Catering and Accommodation portfolio, 1992-1998 and 2001; Office Support, since 1992.

Member, St John Auxiliary, South Australia, since 1974; President, 1980-1982; Vice-President, 1977-1980; Life Member.

Mr Thomas Francis MATTERS, 5 First Lane, St Peters SA 5069

For service to the community, particularly through the fundraising activities of the South Australian Branch of Variety, The Children's Charity.

Board Member, Variety - The Children's Charity of South Australia, since 1992; Chairman, Variety Club Four Wheel Drive Challenge, 1997-2003; Chairman, South Australian Variety Bash, 1991-1992.

Member, South Australian Division, Navy League of Australia, since 1964; President, 1968-1973.

Commercial Real Estate Consultant, McGee's Real Estate, for many years (now semi-retired).

Chairman, Multiple Listing Bureau, during the 1970s.

Member, Real Estate Institute of South Australia.

Awards include:

International Recognition Award, Variety International, 2004.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Kenneth Charles MAWSON, 133 King George Street, Cohuna Vic 3568
For service to the quarrying industry, particularly through the establishment of extractive industry training resources and programs, and to the community of Cohuna.

Chairman and Director, EB Mawson and Sons (quarry masters, concrete suppliers and farmers), family business operating since 1912.

International President, Institute of Quarrying UK, 1994-1995.

President, Institute of Quarrying Australia, 1988-1990.

Chairman, Education Foundation, since 1990; Trustee, since 1988; Inaugural Board Member, since 1987.

Representative, Extractive Industry Board and Quarry Managers Advisory Panel, Victorian Department of Primary Industries, for 10 years.

President, Crushed Stone Association of Australia (Victoria), 1978-1982.

Commissioner (during Victorian local council amalgamation), Gannawarra Shire, 1995-1998.

Member, Board of Management, Cohuna District Hospital, 1958-1994; President, 1984-1986; Life Governor, 1984; Chairman, Community Appeal, from 1984.

Member, Gannawarra Joint Rates Review Working Group, since 2004.

Council Member, Cohuna Secondary School, 1995; established local 'Chaplaincy Foundation'.

Foundation Member, Cohuna Retirement Village, 1972-1983; President, 1972-1974.

Freemasonry Lodge Member, since 1946.

Mrs Mala MEHTA, 8 Brigalow Place, Westleigh NSW 2120

For service to the community through establishing the Hindi School, fostering interest in Indian culture and providing assistance to new migrants.

Founder, Indo Australian Bal Bharathi Vidyalaya - Hindi School Inc, 1987; Co-ordinator (volunteer position), since 1987.

Assisted the New South Wales Board of Studies in writing the Hindi syllabus.

Examiner for 2 Unit Hindi Higher School Certificate (HSC) Oral Examination, New South Wales Board of Studies, 2003-2004.

Assisted some NSW libraries in opening a Hindi section, and donated Hindi books.

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MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Veryl Dorette MELLORS, 9 Tietkins Avenue, Alice Springs NT 0870

For service to the Indigenous community, particularly as a foster carer, and through nursing roles in Yuendumu and Alice Springs.

Mrs Mellors has been a foster carer to over 30 children, both through formal arrangements with Family and Children's Services and through private arrangement with Indigenous families, over a period of more than 30 years.

Mrs Mellors' career as a nurse included early service in Yuendumu, (late 1950s), as well as subsequent general, community and schools (medical) service, until retirement in 1985; continued to work in community health and Aboriginal Child Health Unit, part-time until 1997.

Mrs Tempe MEREWETHER, 12A Wattle Street, Killara NSW 2071

For service to the community through support for musical societies and the Australian Red Cross.

Committee Member, Wyvern Music Club, for over 25 years; Past Vice-President.

Committee Member, Friends of the Sydney String Quartet, since 1995.

Member, Sydney Symphony Orchestra (SSO) Subscribers' Committee (later Friends of SSO), 1960s-1990s.

Member, Executive Committee, Ku-Ring-Gai Group, Australian Red Cross; Member, Roseville Branch, since 2002; Member, Executive Committee, Killara Sub-Branch, 1996-2002.

Mrs Caroline Anketell MERRYLEES, 'Coonara', Carrathool NSW 2711

For service to the communities of Hay and Carrathool as an archivist, author and fundraiser.

Honorary Archivist, Hay Historical Society, since 1991.

Compiled, researched and wrote several history publications, including *Brave Beginnings*, a History of the Carrathool District; *Haystacks: Stacks of History - Hay & District*; *Looking Back*; *Witcombe Heritage*; *Mackenzie's Riverina*; *Ringer, Rene*; and *Haywire*.

Former Columnist, *Riverine Grazier* newspaper, 1988-2003 (non-paid position).

Supporter and fundraiser, Hay Convent Management Committee, since 1993.

Former Member, Carrathool Parents and Citizens Association, for many years.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Roger Cordt MEYER, 32 Smart Street, Hawthorn Vic 3122

For service to the community through the preservation and recording of Australian civil aviation history.

President, Civil Aviation Historical Society, since 1999; inaugural Secretary, 1982-1999.

Ann Christine MIDDLETON, PO Box 849, Glenelg SA 5045

For service to the jewellery industry as a designer and manufacturer and through promoting the use of Australian gemstones, and to table tennis.

Self-taught jewellery designer for over 30 years who has developed her business into a multi-million dollar business with clients throughout the world. Commissions include Magic Millions Classic (Singapore), Magic Millions Classic (Queensland), Tokyo City Cup, designed for Royalty and heads of States in Asia, designed jewellery for (then) US President Bill Clinton, and designed of awards for inaugural Hall of Fame for Racing SA.

President, Jewellers Association of Australia.

Judge, Australian Jewellery Design Awards.

Panel member, Argyle Diamonds.

Judge, Avon Spirit of Achievement Awards.

Judge, Western Mining Corporation Student Awards.

Lecturer and adviser to students at Underdale Campus, University of South Australia.

Current Ambassador, South Australian Business Ambassadors Network.

Supporter and sponsor of various community groups including, the South Australian Olympic Council, Bone Growth Foundation, Helpmann Academy, CanTeen, Cranio-Facial Foundation and the Anti Cancer Foundation.

Donor of jewellery items to various charitable organisations, including the Victor Chang Cardiac Foundation, and Burnside Hospital Foundation.

Council Member, Neuro-Surgical Research Foundation, for 3 years.

Australian Table Tennis Champion, 1971-1981; Ranked in top 5 for ten years and retired at Number 1 in 1981.

Awards/recognition include:

South Australian of the Year, 1994.

Avon Spirit of Achievement Award - Business Section, 1996.

Diamonds International Award Winner (Paris), 1994.

Supreme Award for Australia from Argyle Diamonds, 1988.

De Beers Diamonds Today Award and also Supreme Award Winner, 1988.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Glen MILLAR, 93 Davenport Terrace, Seaview Downs SA 5049

For service to Rugby Union football as a coach, player and office bearer, and to the community through local government.

Director, South Australian Rugby, since 1993; Coaching Director, 1990-2000; Chair, Rugby Committee, 1994-1996; Coach of Senior State Team, 1981-1990; played over 54 representative matches for South Australia; Life Member.

Coach, South Australian Schools Rugby Union team, 1980-1986; South Australian Delegate to the Australian Schoolboys Union.

Led the formation of a committee to return South Australian schools back into the National Schoolboys Championships, 1980.

Involved in introducing Rugby Union to various schools in South Australia.

Selector, Australian Rugby Football Schools Union, 1985-1996; Coach of Division 2 Team, for 5 years.

Assisted in organising National Schools Championships in Adelaide, 1986 and 1995.

Coach and Referee, Brighton Rugby Union Football Club, since 1970; played over 250 1st Division games for the club; Life Member.

Has coached various Rugby Union teams, since the 1970s.

Referee at all levels, since 1977.

Manager, Community Development, City of Holdfast Bay (formerly the City of Brighton), current; Council Employee, for over 30 years.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Gordon Charles MITCHELL, 45 Beaumont Drive, Lismore NSW 2480
For service to the Anglican Church of Australia through a variety of roles within the Diocese of Grafton, and to real estate as a land valuer.

Anglican Diocese of Grafton

Chairman, Diocesan Property Board, since 1991; Member, since 1980s.

Current Member, Bishop-in-Council, since 1991; Representative to Diocesan Synod; current Provincial (NSW) Synod Representative.

Corporate Trustee, since 1992.

Development Committee Member, 1987-1990.

Rector's Warden, 1983-1987.

People's Warden, 1980-1982.

Member, Lismore Parish Council, 1977-1989.

District Valuer, Valuer General's Office, Department of Lands, 1969-1996.

Member (non-practicing), 1996-2001, Australian Property Institute, Fellow Member, 1974-1996; Associate Member, 1964-1974: Regional President, for 5 years.

Awards include:

Service Award for Meritorious Service to the State of NSW, 1993.

Ms Janice Marie MITCHELL, 87 Waratah Street, Geelong West Vic 3218
For service to tourism and to the community of Geelong as the artist responsible for the Baywalk Bollards project.

Artist responsible for creation of the Bay Walk Bollards (a series of over 100 bollards that feature works of historical interest) located around Corio Bay and region; the bollards have become a major tourism attraction in the area.

Art Director, Bay Walk Bollards.

Also produced artwork for the Geelong Water Board; Telstra; Penguin Books; David Rankin & Port Jackson Press; Ayres Rock Resort; Yulara complex (Alice Springs); and Tupperware.

Artist in Residence, Barwon Heads Primary School, commenced 1990.

Member, Zonta International.

Awards/recognition include:

Zonta Club of Geelong Outstanding Achievement Award, 1998.

Community Australia Day Award, for her contribution to the Geelong community, 1996.

Winner (Baywalk Bollards), Exhibit/Display category, 1999 Victorian Community and Local History Awards.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Peter Balfour MITCHELL, PO Box 515, Gladesville NSW 1675

For service to the community, particularly through promoting public awareness of the natural environment and contributing to the conservation and management of natural resources.

Founder and current Member, Scientific Advisory Panel, Manly Council. Panel advises the Council on the State of the Environment Report and on approximately 150 environmental projects. Represents the panel on 4 Council committees.

Member, Lane Cove River Catchment Management Committee, for 4 years; Member, Strategic Planning Group, developing guidelines for stormwater management and sediment control, 1990s.

Member, NSW Natural Environment Panel, Australian Heritage Commission, advising on listings for the Register of the National Estate, for 3 years in 1990s.

Peer review of grant applications for Australian Research Council, National Science Foundation USA, and others.

Advises residents' action groups, Landcare groups and local government on environmental matters, and has acted as an expert witness.

Presents lectures, field days and courses to community groups, adult education groups and students.

Arbitrator, NSW Department of Mineral Resources, on issues relating to access to land for mineral exploration.

Current Honorary Senior Research Fellow, Macquarie University; Associate Professor, Department of Physical Geography, 1995-1998; 2 terms as Head of Department; various academic positions, 1974-1998.

Current Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Geography, University of Canterbury, New Zealand, teaching post-graduate courses; Visiting Erskine Fellow, 2002.

Has conducted research in the environmental sciences with emphasis on practical aspects of soil genesis, geomorphology, archaeology, landscape change, mine site management and landscape restoration.

Joint Director, for over 5 seasons, of a Sydney University archaeology project investigating a Bronze Age village in Italy.

Has published more than 60 publications.

Current Principal, Groundtruth Consulting; providing environmental and educational services.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, for his service to the environment and to culture, 2001.

Shared the GK Gilbert Award for Excellence in Geomorphic Research from the Association of American Geographers for his joint publication *Soils: a new global view*, 1995.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr William Fredrick MITCHELL, 81 Nightcliff Road, Nightcliff NT 0810
For service to dentistry as a practitioner and through the Australian Dental Association, and to the community of the Northern Territory.

Councillor, Northern Territory Branch, Australian Dental Association, 1982-1991 and since 2001; Secretary, 1986 and 2002-2005; President, 1987-1990.

Northern Territory Federal Councillor, Federal Council, Australian Dental Association, since 2004.

Chairman, Dental Board of the Northern Territory, for 3 years.

President, Northern Territory Branch, Australia China Friendship Society, 2004-2006; Member, for more than 10 years.

President, Darwin South Rotary Club, 1989-1990.

Fellow, International College of Dentists.

Mr Allan David MOFFATT, 88 Bogalara Road, Toongabbie NSW 2146
For service to veterans through the Royal Australian Navy Communications Branch Association.

Honorary Secretary, Royal Australian Navy Communications Branch Association, New South Wales, since 1992; Welfare Officer; Editor and publisher of National Association journal.

Current Welfare Officer, Parramatta Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia; current Youth Liaison Officer; involved in establishment of Youth Club, 2001.

Former volunteer guide and crew, *Bark Endeavour*.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Robert Hannay MOFFITT, 17 Campbell Court, Warrandyte Vic 3113
For service to medicine as a general practitioner, particularly to veterans and their families.

General Practitioner, South Morang Medical Centre, Victoria, since 1996.
General Practitioner, Gold Coast, 1995.
Physician, Hyperbaric and Underwater Medicine, The Alfred Hospital, Melbourne, 1986.
Aviation Medical Examiner, Civil Aviation Authority, 1983-2004.
General Practitioner, Eltham, Victoria, 1976-1995.
Medical Officer, Royal Australian Navy, 1971-1976; Royal Australian Navy Reserve, 1983-2004.
Resident Medical Officer, Bendigo Base Hospital, 1970.

Member, Australian Medical Association.
Member, Society of Aerospace Medicine.
Member, Aviation Medicine Society of Australia and New Zealand.
Member, South Pacific Underwater Medical Society.

Mr Joseph David MOLDRICH, 1/83 Craig Hill Drive, Wheelers Hill Vic 3150
For service to the records management industry, particularly through the development of industry standards.

National Director, Records Management Association of Australasia (RMAA); Fellow, since 2003; Member, since 1990; Associate Member, since 1979; Convener and Host, 1995 RMAA National Convention; Convener and Host, RMAA State Seminars, 1991-1994; Information Industries Roundtable, RMAA representative, 1991-1993; Chair, Technology and Industry Standards, 1991-1993.
President, RMAA Victorian Branch, 1989-1995; Vice-President, Federal Director, 1990-1995; Functions Coordinator, Victoria, 1980-1989.

Chair, Standards Australia Committee IT/21 (Document / Records Management) - AS4390, AS ISO 15489, AS5044, AS5090, since 1991.
Chair, International Standards Organisation (ISO), Tech. Comm. TC/46 SC11 (Archives / Records Management) - ISO 15489, since 1996.
Vice-President, International Records Management Congress, Australasia and Oceania.
Principal Consultant, Enterprise Information Management.
Lectures annually to academic institutions and classes including The University of Melbourne, Monash University, RMIT, Prahan TAFE (now Swinburne TAFE), University of Sydney.

Awards/recognition include:

J Eddis Linton Award, for Excellence in Records Management - Most Outstanding Individual, Records Management Association of Australasia, 2003.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr William Francis (Bill) MONTAGUE, Blairgowrie Vic 3942

For service to the fruit industry through the introduction of a range of innovations to improve the quality of market produce.

Managing Director, W F Montague Pty Ltd (fruit and producer and wholesalers) since incorporating the family business in 1958; introduced Controlled Atmosphere storage from USA, 1967; first waxer of supplied fruit, 1977; introduced nitrogen flushing for use in Controlled Atmosphere systems, 1981; introduced new varieties of apples.

Member, Dandenong Hospital Board, for 10 years.

Patron, (former) Victoria State Opera and Opera Australia.

Sponsor, Victorian Art Centre.

Sponsor, The Production Company.

Has provided support for the Collingwood Football Club.

Supporter, several organisations including the Epworth Foundation, the Alfred Foundation, the RACV Foundation and Visy Cares.

Member, Rotary Club of Dandenong, 1967.

Awards/recognition include:

'Friend of the Association', International Dwarf Treefruit Association of America, 1999.

Inducted, Australian Fresh Fruit Company Hall of Fame.

Mrs Pamela Lynne MOORE, 'Towri', Burren Junction NSW 2386

For service to the community through the Country Women's Association of New South Wales.

Vice-President, Country Women's Association of New South Wales (CWA), 1989-1990 and 1994; Honorary Secretary, 1991-1993; NSW Delegate to CWA Australia Conferences, 1991 and 1994; Chairman, State Agricultural/Environmental Committee, 1997-2001; Life Member. Inaugural State Agricultural/Environmental Officer, Country Women's Association of NSW, 2002-2004.

Current Board Member, Natural Resources Advisory Council (Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Natural Resources, NSW).

CWA Representative, Rural Women's Network (Department of Primary Industry, NSW), 1991-1993. Founding Director, Country Creative Arts Co-operative.

CWA Representative, Rural Doctor's Network Committee, 1991-1993.

CWA Representative, North West Drought Committee, 1994.

President, Barwon Group, 1986-1988; Group Representative to the Country Women's Association of NSW State Executive Committee.

Current President/Secretary, Burren Junction Branch, Country Women's Association of NSW; President, 1985-1988; Secretary, for 11 years; Member, since 1980.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Rowan Richard MOORE, 155 Moores Way, Glenmore NSW 2570

For service to the dairy industry, and to the community of Camden through aged care, agricultural show and service organisations.

Chairman, State Council of Rural Lands Protection Board, 2001-2004; Chairman, NSW Animal Health Committee; Member, Noxious Weeds Advisory Committee; Member, since 1996.

Chairman, Moss Vale Pasture and Protection Board (Moss Vale Rural Lands Protection Board), 1994-1998; Member, since 1982.

Chairman, Graham Park Trust, (Dairy Farmers' Association), 1989-2001

Deputy Chair, Dairy Research Foundation, University of Sydney ('until 2002'); Member since 1989.

President, Camden Branch, Dairy Farmers' Association, for 8 years; Representative, State Council, for 10 years; Area Branch Representative, for 4 years; Life Member Member, 1972-1991.

Member, NSW Dairy Industry Policy Review Committee, 1982-1991.

Current Director, Dairy Farmers Milk Supply Co-operative.

Director, Dairy Farmers Co-operative, 1990-2004.

Dairy Farmer, Camden area, since 1954.

Board Chairman, Carrington Centennial Trust, since 2001; Vice-Chairman, 1997-2001; Director, 1983-2002; Board Member, since 1983; Trustee; Carrington Centennial Trust provides accommodation, nursing and community care to the aged in the Camden area.

President, Camden Show Society, 1996-2000; Poultry Steward and Chief Steward, 1953-1984; Life Member; Member, since 1953.

President, Rotary Club of Camden 1975-1976; Vice-President, 1974-1975; Secretary, 1973-1974; Community Service Director, Vocational Service Director at various times; Representative, District Governor, 1976-1977; Member, since 1969.

Member, Camden Apex Club, 1963-1969; held most offices in the Club.

Member, Oaks Rural Fire Brigade, for many years; served as Deputy Captain.

Awards include:

Dairy Science Award, Dairy Industry, 1993.

Joe Calcraft Memorial Award, 1979.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Shirley Anon MORELAND, 21 Phillip Street, Kenilworth Qld 4574
For service to the community of Kenilworth, particularly through the Kenilworth Arts Council.

Current President, Kenilworth Arts Council; and Founding Member, 1989; organiser of the Kenilworth Arts Festival.

Mary Valley Community News Inc, Board Member, for past 10 years; current Secretary.

Instrumental in the establishment of the Rural Fire Brigade Service in Kenilworth.

Instrumental in the establishment of the Kenilworth Library.

Involved with the Kenilworth Historical Society.

Residents and Ratepayers Association, Secretary, 1980s.

Current (unofficial) School-Community Liaison Person with Kenilworth State Community College; working with the College to promote closer community relationships.

Teacher, Education Queensland, for 45 years, 36 of which in local schools in Kenilworth and Conondale.

Award/recognition include: received

'Kenilworth's Living Treasure', Kenilworth Chamber of Commerce, 2003.

Mrs Dorothy Gwenyth MORRIS, 9 Ryan Street, Rutherford NSW 2320
For service to the community of Maitland as a choir conductor and musical director.

Choir Conductor, Maitland Uniting Church Choir, for more than 40 years.

Current Musical Director, Maitland Repertory.

Music Teacher, Maitland area.

Awards include:

City of Maitland Service Award, 2004.

Mr John Arthur MORRIS, deceased
Late of Stafford Heights Qld 4053
For service to the welfare of veterans and their families.

Honorary Secretary, 2/15 Battalion AIF Remembrance Club, for 20 years; Committee Member, 1946-2004; Life Member.

Honorary Auditor, Rats of Tobruk Association, for over 15 years; Life Member.

Mr Morris died on 23 September 2005.

Next of Kin: Mr Darryl James Morris (son)
Mobile 0418 792 804

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr John William MORRIS, 9 Ryan Street, Rutherford NSW 2320
For service to the community, particularly through the Maitland Repertory Society, and to education.

Foundation Member, Maitland Repertory Society; President, for 4 years; Vice-President, for 30 years; Publicity Officer, for 40 years.

Life Member and Former Delegate (for Maitland Teachers Association), New South Wales Teachers' Federation State Council.

Life Member and Former President, Maitland Teachers Association, for 25 years.

Former Member and President, Hunter Valley Branch, English Teachers Association.

Founding Member, Republic Clubs of Australia.

Awards/recognition include;

Maitland Citizen of the Year, 1996.

Mr Gerald Henry MOSES, 125 Santa Cruz Boulevard, Clear Island Waters Qld 4226
For service to the Jewish community of Queensland, and to the community of the Gold Coast.

Current Representative Member, Gold Coast Jewish Community Council.

Current Treasurer, Gold Coast Hebrew Congregation; a number of senior positions on Board of Management over a period of 35 years; Life Member.

Team Manager, Maccabi Queensland, 1988, 1986; Carnival Patron, 1995-1996; Carnival Manager, 1990-1991; also served as a Queensland Councillor with Maccabi Australia, during 1980s.

President, Vice-President and Treasurer of Maccabi Queensland; Life Member.

Treasurer, Australian Team competing at the 14th Maccabiah Games held in Israel in 2003.

Involved in establishing the Reuben Pelerman Charitable Trust and the Reuben Pelerman Benevolent Foundation; currently serves as a Trustee.

Administrative roles with organisations including: Gold Coast Hebrew Congregation, King Solomon College United Israel Appeal, Gold Coast Chevra Kadisha, Gold Coast Jewish Community Council and Gold Coast Jewish Welfare Association.

Director, (former) Brisbane Bears Football Club, 1989-1992.

Treasurer, Surfers Paradise Golf Club, 1971-1973.

Awards include:

Gold Coast Zionist Council, Rabin Award, 2001.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Reginald Marven MOULD, 13 Wentworth Street, Shepparton Vic 3630
For service to the community of Shepparton through a range of educational, emergency services and charitable organisations.

Current President, North Shepparton Community and Learning Centre, for 5 years; Secretary, for 2 years; Volunteer, for 10 years.

President, Goulburn Valley Branch, Make a Wish Foundation, 2003-2004; Treasurer, for 12 months; Member, for past 10 years; regularly helped to raise \$30-50,000 per year.

President, Probus Club of Shepparton, 1995-1996; continued to work on the committee until 1999; Board Member, commencing 1991; Member, commencing 1990.

Controller, Shepparton Unit, Victoria State Emergency Service; volunteer, for 15 years.

Inaugural Secretary, Goulburn Valley University of the Third Age; President 1997-1999; Secretary, 1988-1997; Committee Member.

Committee Member, PACE (Promotion of Adult Continuing Education) Advisory Council, for 1.5 years.

Current Secretary, Local Group, Darwin Defenders.

Social Secretary, Shepparton Branch, Postal Institute, for 21 years; Life Member.

President, Arthritis Self Help Group, for 9 years.

Cancer Connect Volunteer (Qualified Councillor), for 3 years.

Mr Andrew John MUIR, 13 Lynell Street, Hamilton Qld 4007

For service to Rugby Union football through the development of the sport in country areas of Queensland, and to the community through contributions to the Scots PGC College, Warwick.

Chairman, Queensland Country Rugby Union, 1978-1996; President, 1986-1987; Vice-President, 1997-2004; Treasurer, 1972-1978; Life Member.

Director (Board Member), Queensland Rugby Union, 1983-1997; Queensland delegate to Australian Rugby Union, 1995-1997; Life Member

Chairman, The Scots PGC College, 1982-2002; Council Member, for 30 years.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Miss Elspit Agnes MULHERIN, 5/37 Peel Street, Mackay Qld 4740

For service to the community of Mackay through a range of cultural, social welfare, aged care and charitable organisations.

President, Friends of the Theatre, 2005; Vice-President, 2002-2005; Committee Member; Member, since 1988; has donated approximately 2000 hours as a volunteer.

Member, Advisory group to the City Council on Theatre needs, since 2004.

Committee Member, Mackay and District Respite Care Association Inc, since 1999; Treasurer, 1994-1999.

Member and Volunteer, Society of Vincent de Paul, since 1980; President, Centre of Charity Conference, 2000-2005.

Current volunteer, OZCARE Homeless Men's Hostel.

Current volunteer Secretary, St Patrick's Parish, for over 15 years.

Member, Soroptimist International of Mackay Inc, for almost 24 years; has held all office positions at club level; former President of Region of North Queensland.

Current Patron, Mackay Lady Veterans Golf Club, has held the positions of Secretary, Treasurer and Committee members, since 1988

Current Patron and volunteer, Mackay Golf Club; Life Member.

Mr Ivan John MULLER, 47 Banjos Circuit, Tamworth NSW 2340

For service to the community of Tamworth as a fundraiser and supporter of charitable, sporting and youth organisations.

Fundraiser and supporter of Billabong Clubhouse (Tamworth and District Mental Health Support Group) through musical concerts; raised \$90,000 since 1996.

Fundraiser and supporter of Cancer Council of New South Wales through musical concerts since 2004; Assists in promotion of awareness of bowel cancer.

Fundraiser and supporter of Police and Community Youth Clubs through musical concerts, since 2005.

Local musician, since 1958; Founder and Leader, John Muller Big Band, 1974-1985.

Junior Cricket Coach, Tamworth Cricket Association.

Life Member, North Tamworth Cricket Club.

Representative (local area) cricket and hockey player, during 1950s and early 1960s.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Mary Susannah MULLER

John Paul Village, 24/15 The Avenue, Heathcote NSW 2233

For service to the community, particularly through the New South Wales Women Justices' Association.

New South Wales Women Justices' Association:

President, State Council, 1980-1985; Vice-President, 1985-1993; Treasurer, 1975-1980.

Patroness, Sydney Branch, since 2000; Treasurer, 1985-1999; President, for 8 years.

President, Sutherland Shire Branch, for 7 years; Vice-President, for 2 years; Secretary, for one year.

Appointed Justice of the Peace, State of New South Wales, 1969.

Inaugural Member, Carers New South Wales, 1975; Executive roles.

Volunteer, Sir Joseph Banks RSL Day Care Centre, for 18 years.

Volunteer, Handicapped Children's Association, for 24 years.

Volunteer, Community Health and Tuberculosis Australia, from 1983.

Volunteer, Westpac Museum on the Rocks.

Bowls organiser, Sutherland Indoor Club.

'Big Sister', Cronulla, from 1975.

Mr Edward Anthony MULLIGAN, 9 Pearson Street, Guyra NSW 2365

For service to the community of Guyra through sporting, agricultural and ex-service organisations.

Patron, Guyra and District Cricket Club; former President; Life Member.

Patron, Northern Tablelands Area Cricket; for many years took young New England cricketers to Brisbane for competition to help improve their standard.

Patron, Guyra and District Show Society; Member, since 1930s; Committee Member, since 1947; Life Member.

Founder and former President Guyra Pony Club; current Patron; Life Member.

Former President, Zone 13 Pony Club; current Patron.

Foundation Member, Australian Stock Horse Society and Patron, New England Branch.

Foundation Member, Guyra Polocrosse Club, since 1978.

Patron, Guyra Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, served terms as President, for 10 years, Vice-President, for 4 years; Welfare Officer; instigated establishment of Memorial Gardens at RSL Hall.

Instrumental in the establishment of Baldersleigh school bus run in the western area of Guyra; Inaugural President of the management committee.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Ms Cheryl Meree MUNSON, 16 Mons Street, Lidcombe NSW 2141
For service to tenpin bowling as a player and coach.

Player/competitor, Tenpin Bowling, since 1973. During this time, represented Australia in the South Pacific Classic, was a World Cup Finalist 1984, and finished in the Australian Top 10 on 9 occasions.

Member, All Star Team, 1984-1990.

Member, Team of the Decade, 1980-1990.

Captain, NSW State (Rachui) Team, for 9 years.

Current Member, Coach Education Team, Tenpin Bowling Australia.

Head Coach, Ten Pin Bowling section, Australian Commonwealth Games Team, Malaysia, 1998.

Ladies Team Coach, Federation Internationale des Quilleurs Asian Championships, 1994-1999.

Ladies Team Coach, Federation Internationale des Quilleurs World Championships 1999.

Team Captain and Coach, AMF Bowling Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

Hall of Fame, Tenpin Bowling Australia, 1999.

Mr Graeme John (Dick) MURDOCH, 11 Fisher Court, Altona Vic 3018
For service to local government and to the community of Altona.

City Councillor, City of Altona, 1992-1994.

Past Mayor and Councillor, City of Hobsons Bay, 1996-2004.

President, Newport Baseball Club; Life Member.

Member, Committee of Management, State Baseball/Softball Centre, 1996-2005.

Principal, Altona West Primary School, 1987-1997.

President, Altona Lions Club, 1986-1987; Life Member; Member of District Cabinet, for 3 years; current Member.

Acting Chairperson, Mobil Community Consultative Committee, Altona; Member, 1996-2005.

Chair of Adjudication Panel, Williamstown Little Theatre, 1996-1998.

Director, Altona Meadows-Laverton and Altona Community Bank.

President, Altona Probus Club.

Awards include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Michael John MURPHY, 'Sarina Park', 127 Waggs Lane, Mortlake Vic 3272
For service to the community of regional Victoria, particularly through local government, water conservation and environmental organisations.

Chair, Glenelg Hopkins Catchment Management Authority, since 2000; Director, since 1997.
Community Representative, Natural Resources Management Ministerial Council Community Forums, 2003, 2004 and 2005.

Director, Future Environment Fund, since 2004.

Chairman, South Western Branch, Timber Industry Roads Evaluation Study, 1998-2000;
Member, State Committee, 1998-2000.

Board Member, Victoria Road Freight Advisory Council, 1998-2000.

Board Member, South West Water Authority, 1994-1996.

Engineer, Water Board.

Councillor, Moyne Shire Council, 1996-2000; Mayor, 1996-1997.

Chairman, Road Funding Working Party, Municipal Association of Victoria, 1997-1999.

Director, Warrnambool Cooperative Society, since 2004.

Board Member, Mortlake College Council, since 2004 and, 1993-1996.

Chairman, Finance Committee, St Colman's Parish, 1993-2003.

Member, Building Committee, Abbeyfield Society Aged Persons Hostel, since 1999.

Life Governor, Mortlake and District Hospital, since 1979; Board Member, 1980-1989;
Chairman, 1981-1984.

Member, Rotaract Club of Mortlake, 1976-1982; served as President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Awards include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Thomas James (Jim) MURPHY, 1 Silver Crescent, Grange SA 5022
For service to the sport of canoeing as an official and administrator.

Current President, Canoe South Australia; Life Member.
Current Committee Member, West Lake Canoe Club.

Current Chief Race Starter, all national and domestic competitions.
Member, Joint Management Committee South Australian Sports Institute, since 1987.
Chairman, Australian Canoeing - National Sprint Race Committee, 1996-2003.
Member, Australian Canoeing Sprint High Performance Commission, 2000.
Canoe/Kayak Official Marshall, Sydney 2000 Olympic Games.
Chief Starter, World Masters Games, Nagambie Victoria, 2002.

Teacher and Physical Education /Outdoor Education coordinator, Enfield High School, for past 19 years.

Awards include:

South Australian Sports Institute Volunteer of the Year.
Service to Canoeing Award, Canoeing Australia, 2001.
Life Member, Australian Canoeing

Dr Patrick MURRAY, 24 Wirra Wirra Street, Toowoomba Qld 4350
For service to medicine as a physician and to the community of Toowoomba, particularly through service and historical groups.

Senior Visiting Physician, Toowoomba General Hospital since 1968; established Post Graduate Program to allow registrar rotation between Toowoomba and the Royal Brisbane Hospital; established Coronary Care Unit, 1968; established Renal Dialysis Unit, 1974. Chairman and Member, Medical Advisory Board, 1970s and 1980s.
Visiting Physician, Baillie Henderson Psychiatric Hospital, since 1995; and St Vincent's Private Hospital, 1967-1977.
Established St Vincent's Coronary Care Unit, 1968; and involved in establishing the first High Dependancy Unit, 1972.
Consulting Physician, private practice 1967-1997.
Former President, Local Medical Association, Australian Medical Association.
Former Member, Ethics Committee, University of Southern Queensland.
Fellow, Royal Australasian College of Physicians; former Committee Member, Queensland Branch.

Member, Rotary Club of Toowoomba since 1980; International Director, Youth Exchange Program, Polio Plus, and Rotary Bowelscan Program; Paul Harris Fellow, 1989.
Founder Member and Inaugural President, Toowoomba Historical Society
Member, Australian Society of the History of Medicine.
Founder Member and Chairman, Toowoomba Hospital's Health and Medicine Museum.
Inaugural President, P&F Association, Downlands College.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Winifred Mildred MURRAY, 20 Murray Street, Manoora Qld 4870
For service to the community of Cairns through the Australian Red Cross.

Australian Red Cross

Member, Queensland Divisional Executive Committee, 1994-1996.

Current President, Cairns Branch.

Current Convenor, Cairns Red Cross Thrift Shop.

Vice-President, Cairns Branch, 1973-1980, 1995-1997 and 1998-2003.

Branch Secretary, Cairns Branch, 1997-1998.

Deputy Disaster Officer, Cairns Branch, 1980-1993.

Treasurer, Cairns Branch, 1980-1994.

Chairman, Cairns Blood Bank Committee, 1971-1976.

Volunteer, since 1961, Life Member.

Member, Cairns and District Ex-Servicewomen's Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1983.

Mrs Margaret Ruth NELDNER, 4 Longland Court, Woorim Qld 4507
For service to the community through church, educational and craft organisations.

Current President, Secretary, Lutheran Women's Guild, St Paul's Church, Caboolture Lutheran Parish; former Secretary; current Pastoral Assistant.

Current Member, Brisbane North and Sunshine Coast Zone Lutheran Committee.

Member, Lutherans For Life Council, for 4 years.

Sunday School Coordinator, St Andrew's Lutheran Church, Brisbane, for 8 years.

Volunteer Mathematics Tutor, Bribie Island State High School, for past 8 years.

Teacher, All Hallows' School, Brisbane, for 22 years.

Assistant Secretary, Bribie Island Orchid Society, for past 3 years.

Current Assistant Tour Operator, Bribie Island Handcraft Club.

Volunteer, SilverCord Telephone Reassurance Service, for several years; current Coordinator.

Has also delivered library books to immobile sick and elderly persons for the Bribie Public Library, for past 5 years.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Warren Oscar NEWMAN, 100 Napier Street, Tamworth NSW 2340
For service to the community of Tamworth through research into and documentation of local history, and through educational organisations.

Member, Tamworth Literary Society, since 1990.

Member, New England North West Regional Development Board, 1990-1996.

Organist and volunteer working on the restoration of the organ in St John's Anglican Church, Tamworth, since 1990.

Publications include:

Calrossy - 1919-1994 - A vision unfolding.

Tamworth - A Pictorial History (co-authored with Mr L Green OAM).

Chronological History of Tamworth, 4 volumes (co-authored with Mr L Green OAM).

School days in the Bush (co-authored with Mr D Maher).

Member of Rotary, since 1979.

President, Armidale Rotary Club, 1983-1984.

Member, Tamworth Rotary Club since 1990.

Founder, Armidale Centenary Rotary Club, 1984.

District Governor, District 9650; 1987-1988.

Chairman, William Cowper Anglican Primary School Council, 2000-2001; Deputy Chairman, 1998-2000.

Member, Calrossy Commission, 1994-1998; (governing body of the Calrossy Girls School).

Regional Director, Educational Programs and Planning, North West Regional Office, NSW Department of Education, 1990-1991.

Associate Professor and Dean, Faculty of Education, Nursing and Professional Studies, University of New England, 1989-1990.

Principal Lecturer, Head of Education Studies, Armidale College of Advanced Studies, 1978-1979.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Wendy Lorraine NICHOLSON, 5 Ophir Street, Moonee Ponds Vic 3039
For service in the field of neonatal care as a proponent of the benefits of breastfeeding and through contributions to the establishment of the College of Lactation Consultants Victoria Inc and the Network of Australian Lactation Colleges.

Founding Member, College of Lactation Consultants Victoria Inc; current Membership Secretary.

Former Coordinator, Network of Australian Lactation Colleges, 1997.

Former Executive Member, Australian Lactation Consultations Association.

Former Member, Australian Breastfeeding Association.

Established 'Swan' health education seminars, 1996.

Former Lactation Consultant, Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne, 1987-1995.

Expert Guest Lecturer for the Diploma of Social Science (Child Care) at Swinburne University of Technology, 1982-early 1990s.

Lactation Consultant (private practice), since 1995.

One of the first group of Australians to qualify as an International Board Certified Lactation Consultant, 1985.

Publications include:

Breastfeeding, A Beginner's Guide (instructional video), 1994.

Hand Expressing and Cup Feeding (instructional video), 1994.

Midwives, Mother and Breastfeeding, 1985.

Breastfeeding Protocol, for the Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne.

Mr Anton NIEUWENHOUT, 5 Telford Street, Yarrawonga Vic 3730

For service to veterans and their families through the Yarrawonga Mulwala Sub-Branch of the Returned and Services League of Australia, and to the community of Yarrawonga.

President, Yarrawonga Mulwala Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, current; Member, since 1967; also served as Secretary and Treasurer).

Director, Mulwala and District Services Club, for over 10 years; Vice-President, 2000-2001.

Committee Member, Cobram Yarrawonga Sub-Branch, Legacy, for over 20 years.

Member, Wangaratta Sub-Branch, Vietnam Veterans' Association, for many years.

Current Member, Yarrawonga Football Netball Club; Secretary, 1975-1976; Committee Member, for a number of years.

Commodore, Yarrawonga Yacht Club, 1997; Member, for over 20 years.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Betty Doreen NOBES, Marion Bay, Southern Yorke Peninsula SA 5575
For service to the community of the Southern Yorke Peninsula, particularly through health care organisations.

Inaugural Chairman, Board of Southern Yorke Peninsula Health Service, 1993-1994.
Board Member, Southern Yorke Peninsula Hospital; 1983-1992; Chairman, 1992-1993.
Current Chairman, Warooka Consulting Rooms Committee; Council Representative, 1983-1995.

Representative, Primary Health Care Advisory Committee, Department of Health, since 2003; aims to improve Health Care Delivery to the Southern Yorke Peninsula.

Provides support to carers in the area - drawing on her experience as a home dialysis carer for her late husband.

Chairman, District Council Warooka (first female chairman on Yorke Peninsula Local Government), 1990-1995; Elected Member, 1983.

Current Vice-President, Warooka Branch, Australian Red Cross, Member, since 1983; current volunteer, Telcross service.

Treasurer, Marion Bay Tavern Social and Sports Club, since 2001.

Chairman, Bicentenary Committee - Warooka District.

Information Officer (casual employee), Innes National Park, for 13 years.

Justic of the Peace, South Australia, since 1985.

Mr George Michael NOLAN, 10 Liliika Road, City Beach WA 6015

For service to the Irish community in Western Australia.

Service to the Irish community in Western Australia

Honorary Consul General for Ireland in Western Australia, since 1978; Honorary Consul for Ireland in Western Australia, 1978-1981; held similar position in Thailand prior to this.

Honorary Secretary/Treasurer, Consular Corps in Western Australia.

Life Member, Australian-Irish Heritage Association.

Member, Australian-Irish Cultural Foundation.

Life Member, Irish Club of Western Australia.

Involved with W.B. Yeats Society; The Celtic Club; The Irish Club of Western Australia; Gaelic Athletic Association of Western Australia.

Treasurer, Royal Australian Navy Cadets; Reserve Officer, for approximately 15 years.

Treasurer, Naval Association in Western Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

Brendan Award, Australian-Irish Heritage Association, for outstanding service to Australia's Irish Heritage, 2002.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr William George NOONAN, 1 Dixon Court, Greensborough Vic 3088
For service to the transport industry, particularly through the development of road safety programs, and to the trade union movement.

Federal President, Transport Workers Union (TWU), 1998-2000.

State Secretary, TWU, Victoria, 1994-2001; State Secretary, TWU Victoria/Tasmania, since 2001; Member, Committee of Management, since 1971. Responsible for instigating several pro-active road safety programs including:

Annual Safety Seminars implementing Chain of Responsibility and Random Drug Saliva Tests;

Goulburn Valley Highway Action Group;

Farm Gate Entry to improve and support Regional Road Safety;

Health Break aimed at Road Safety and at improving the health of transport workers;

School Pedestrian Safety Days.

Chairman, TWU Superannuation Fund Audit and Compliance Committee, since 1995; Director, TWU Superannuation Fund, since 1995.

Member, VicRoads Advisory Board, since 1995; Member, Audit Committee, since 1996.

Founding Member, Inaugural Chairman, Transport Industry Safety Group, 1993-1998.

Member, Victorian Freight and Logistics Advisory Council, since 2003.

Member, Victorian Road Freight Advisory Council, since 2003.

Member, Melbourne Waterfront Security Committee, since 2003.

Member, WorkCover Appeals Board, 1989-1992.

Director, Institute of Breathing and Sleep, since 2000.

Founding Committee Member, Angela Taylor Memorial, since 1988; Deputy Chairman, Blue Ribbon Foundation, since 1999; Director Community Partnerships, since 2000.

Director Berry Street, since 2005.

Member, Premier's Drug Prevention Council Business Advisory Group, since 2004.

Member, Victorian Enforcement Liaison Group, since 2003.

Awards include:

Centenary Medal, for his service to the trade union movement, 2001.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Faye Philomena OAKLEY

263 Hector McWilliam Drive, Tuross Head NSW 2537

For service to the community of Tuross Head through church, aged care and emergency services organisations.

Current Member, Tuross Head Progress Association.

Current Member, Tuross Head Community Aid.

Current Member, Tuross Head Preservation Group.

Member, St Andrew's Church, Tuross Head, Anglican Diocese of Canberra and Goulburn, for 25 years; Member, Anglican Ladies Guild, for 25 years.

Current volunteer, Eurobodalla Meals on Wheels Co-operative Ltd, for 35 years.

Volunteer Radio Presenter, Eurobodalla Community Radio Station, for over 18 years.

Member, Tuross Head View Club, for many years.

Volunteer, Tuross Head Rescue Squad, for many years.

Operates a free lending library from her home, which is open to the public 2 afternoons per week, for over 25 years.

Awards include:

Senior Citizen of the Year, Eurobodalla Shire Council, 1999; Achievement Award, 1995.

Mrs Joan Mida O'BRIEN, 145/678 Victoria Road, Ryde NSW 2112

For service as an advocate for women in the legal profession, and to the community through church and floral art groups.

Details not available at the request of Mrs O'Brien.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr John Daniel O'DONOGHUE

1 Montrose Avenue, Adamstown Heights NSW 2289

For service to the arts as the author of contemporary Australian plays.

Author of 12 plays, including *Coffee on the Levee*, 1957; *Dear Saint Joseph and Dear Saint Anne*, *Make Dadda a Trammie as quick as you can*, 1966; *A Happy and Holy Occasion*, 1975; and *Essington Lewis: I Am Work*, 1981-1982. Between 1976 and 2002, two of his plays, *A Happy and Holy Occasion* and *Essington Lewis: I Am Work*, were produced several times in theatres around Australia.

Lecturer, Linguistics, Newcastle College of Advanced Education (now University of Newcastle), 1972-1987.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, for his service to the community through plays communicating Australia's culture, 2001.

Sydney Theatre Critics Award, *Essington Lewis: I Am Work*.

Category A Fellowship, Literature Board, Australia Council, 1985.

NSW State Government Play Award.

Newton-John Award, University of Newcastle, 2003.

City of Newcastle Drama Award (twice).

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Miss Helen O'KEEFE

Snowden Mining Industry Consultants, 87 Colin Street, West Perth WA 6005
For service to the community through promoting the mining industry.

Service whilst a student at the WA School of Mines (WASM), Curtin University of Technology, include:

Member, WASM Student Guild Committee, 2000.

Member, Student Chapter Committee, Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, 2000 and 2002.

Captain, WASM Wombats Mining Team, 2000, 2002 and 2003; Coordinator, 2003.

Event Secretary, International Collegiate Mining Competition (hosted by the WASM Wombats in Kalgoorlie), 2002.

Delegate/Presenter, 24th International Symposium on Mine Planning and Equipment Selection, 2003.

Mining project experience and part-time employment includes:

Student Mining Engineer, Yilgarn Star Underground Operations, Sons of Gwalia Ltd, 1999-2000 (for 3 months).

Project Supervisor and Student Engineer, Fimiston Open Pits, Kalgoorlie Consolidated Gold Mines, 2001-2002; Member, Shot Crew, 2001; Haul Truck Driver, 2000 (for one month).

Committee Member, Perth Branch, The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, 2005.

Staff Member – Mining Engineer, Snowden Mining Industry Consultants Pty Ltd (Perth), since 2003.

Academic/student awards include:

Curtin University Gold Medal, 2004.

WA School of Mines Gold Medal, 2004.

Charles Warman Medal, The Institute of Engineers Australia, 2004.

G B O'Malley Medal, The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, 2003.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Zipporah OLIVER, 13 Kurrajong Avenue, St Kilda East Vic 3183
For service to people with disabilities, and to the Jewish community of Melbourne.

Member, Board of Management, Carers Victoria, for 11 years; held positions of President and Vice-President.

Founder and Convenor, Carers Advisory Council.

Carers Australia Delegate to the first International Conference on Caring UK, 1998; presented a paper on the impact of caring on families.

Honorary Psychologist, Health Advisory Committee, Riding for the Disabled Association Victoria, since 1994.

Member, Association for Children with a Disability.

Psychological counselling and training in disability associated contexts.

Organises monthly community supportive dinners for Jewish women, since 1984.

Opens the family home to community members for their special family celebrations.

Established a collection of catering equipment suitable for use at large gatherings which is available for loan by members of the community.

Collects, repairs and cleans wedding outfits to lend to people in the community unable to afford to buy their own.

Established a support group for Jewish families with children with disabilities.

Visits Jewish inmates at the Dame Phyliss Frost Centre, Deer Park, Victoria.

Mentor to and supporter of a wide range of individuals in the Jewish community.

Regularly teaches Jewish ethics and Jewish philosophy to a number of groups.

Founded several community service organisations.

Established and administers a free loan facility of Jewish books.

Raises and discreetly distributes funds to the needy.

Mr Kevin Francis O'LOUGHLIN, Adelaide SA 5000

For service to the community as a contributor to the development of teaching programs providing insight into Indigenous culture and through contributions to the reconciliation process.

Details not available at the request of Mr O'Loughlin.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr James Sydney O'NEILL, 27 Rosenthal Street, Campbell ACT 2612
For service to the community of Canberra as an honorary auditor and financial adviser to a range of church and charitable organisations.

Chair, Audit Committee, Calvary Hospital, 1995-2002.
Current Honorary Auditor, The Royal Life Saving Society Australia.
Current Honorary Auditor, Australian Capital Territory Organ Donation Awareness Foundation.
Financial Adviser, Carmelite Monastery, since 1975; Member, Men's Committee, for more than 25 years.
Current Honorary Auditor, The Catholic Women's League.
Current Honorary Auditor, Swim Safe.
Current Honorary Auditor, The Retired Priests Fund.
Former Honorary Auditor, St Christopher's Parish.
Chair, St Thomas More's Parish Finance Committee, 1992-2003.

Volunteer, The ACT Hospice, since 1985.
Member, Braddon Conference, St Vincent de Paul, for many years.
Secretary, Ozanam Home for the Aged, St Vincent de Paul, 1992-2003.

Member, Consumer and Trader Tribunal, ACT Office of Fair Trading, since 2003.
Deputy Chair, Agents Board ACT, ACT Office of Fair Trading, 1996-2003.
Member, The Inner North Local Area Planning Advisory Council, 1993-1999.
Auditor-General of the ACT, 1989-1992 (retired).

Mr Maxwell Thomas O'TOOLE, 271 Rosevears Drive, Rosevears Tas 7277
For service to sport as an athletics coach, and as an instructor of community fitness groups.

Former Committee Member, Newstead Harrier Club; Coach, for past 10 years; former Field and Track Captain; Member, since 1960s.
Coach, Tasmanian Little Athletics Under 13 state team.
Coach at Athletics Tasmania's school holiday clinics.
Instructor, Police-Citizen Youth Club (Launceston) Inc, for 12 years.
Former Sports Master, St Patrick's College, Launceston; Coach, 1977-1993.
Coaches all age groups (Little Athletics to Seniors) at Club, Northern Branch and State Level and is a regular instructor at Coaching Clinics and Courses as well as officiating at competitions.
Member, Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Group.

Awards/recognition includes;
Outstanding Achievement in Volunteering Award, Launceston City Council, 2005.
Australian Track and Field Coaches (Tasmanian Division) Coaches Recognition Award, 2002-2003
Association Merit Award, Athletics Tasmania.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Francis Septimus (Sep) OWEN, 21 Melissa Avenue, Adamstown NSW 2289
For service to the community of Newcastle through public speaking and charitable organisations.

Critic Emeritus, Newcastle Forum Club (public speaking), 1998; former President; Member, since 1958.

Well known in Newcastle as a guest speaker at service clubs and church groups.

Honorary Secretary, Newcastle Hebrew Congregation.

Voluntary Tutor, U3A (University of the Third Age) in aspects of English.

Freelance columnist and book reviewer, *Newcastle Herald*, 1980s and 1990s.

Author and/or editor-publisher of books of light verse which he sells to raise funds for charitable organisations including the Royal Blind Society, Samaritans Australia and Lifeline.

Ophthalmologist in Newcastle, from 1958 until his retirement in 1985.

Honorary Ophthalmologist, Royal Newcastle hospital and Mater Misericordiae Hospital

The Honourable Ernest Thomas (Ernie) PAGE

8 Marian Street, Coogee NSW 2034

For service to the New South Wales Parliament and to local government through the Waverley Council.

Member for Coogee, Parliament of New South Wales, 1990-2003 (retired); Minister for Local Government, 1995-1999.

Member for Waverley, Parliament of New South Wales, 1981-1990 (seat abolished).

Mayor, Waverley Council, 1966-1967, 1974 and 1978-1983; Councillor, 1962-1987.

Awards include:

Centenary Medal, for his service to the parliament and to the community, 2001.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr John PAGE DFC, 10/1 Edmondson Drive, Narrabeen NSW 2101

For service to veterans and their families through the Royal Australian Air Force Association.

President, Halifax Branch, Royal Australian Air Force Association (RAAFA) since 2000; Vice-President, 1988-1999; Branch Delegate to the Division Assemblies and Annual General Meeting, since 1987.

State Councillor, RAAFA, 1990-1996.

Pension and Welfare Officer for NSW Division, since 1987.

Honorary Advocate at Veterans Review Board Hearings, 1988-1999.

Member, foundation committee of the Department of Veterans Affairs Training and Information Program, 1994-1998.

Marshal for the Air Force Contingent on ANZAC Day, 1998-2002.

Awards include:

Distinguished Flying Cross (DFC) during World War 2.

Mr Genseric (Bill) PARKER, 65 Parker Road, Gembrook Vic 3783

For service to the community of Gembrook through recording local history and through a range of civic, sporting, heritage and health groups.

Local historian; author of *Forest to Farming - Gembrook: an early history*, 1995.

Member, Gembrook Cemetery Trust, since 1958.

Chairman, Gembrook Public (Bushland) Park, appointed in early 1960s; Member, Management Committee, appointed 1950; continues his involvement to date through advice to the 'Friends of Gembrook Park'.

Committee Member, Friends of Kurth Kiln Inc, since 1999: Founding Members; Kurth Kiln is a site associated with the former Forests Commission of Victoria; erected during WWII to produce charcoal for gas producer units it supplied an alternative source of fuel for cars and trucks.

Member, Gembrook Centenary Committee, early 1970s.

Volunteer rain gauge observer, for over 50 years.

Member, St Mark's Anglican Parochial Council, Emerald, early 1970s.

Member, Establishment and Management Committee, (former) Cockatoo Bush Nursing Centre (renamed the Mountain District Community Centre), 1960-1972; President, 1963-1966; Life Governor, 1979.

Committee Member, Monbulk High School, 1963-1968.

Member, Gembrook Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1946; Auditor, (elected 1952, a number of years service); also served as President of the Gembrook Committee for Assistance to Returned Soldiers, early 1950s.

President, Gembrook Progress Association, early 1950s.

Committee memberships relating to the local swimming pool, park and sports.

Award include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Heather Mary PARKER, PO Box 922, Buderim Qld 4556

For service to medicine as a general practitioner and as a contributor to professional organisations, and to aviation.

General Practitioner (GP) in Queensland since 1985; Previously GP in Canada, 1979-1983. Flew herself to conduct monthly outback clinics; participated in Wide Bay/Burnett Regional Health Authority scheme, flying herself to outback regions for women's health program. Former sessional Medical Officer, John Oxley Youth Centre and Sir David Longland Correctional Centre; former Member, South Queensland Regional Parole Board, for 2 years. External Medical Officer, WorkCover.

Member, Conference Committee, Australian Medical Writers' Association, 2001.
Fellow, Royal Australian College of General Practitioners.
Former Member, Australian Medical Women's Association, South Pacific Underwater Medical Society.

Patron, Corporate Angel Network of Australia, since 2002.
Member, AMSANZ since 1995; Member, Committee of Aviation Medicine Society Australia and New Zealand, 2000-2004; Member, Conference Committee, 1997-1999 and 2003.
Convenor, International Congress Aviation and Space Medicine, 2002.
Convenor Australasian Society of Aerospace Medicine and 5th Annual Asia Pacific Congress Aerospace Medicine Conference, 2005.
Current Aviation Medical Examiner for Australia, New Zealand, UK and Europe, Canada, USA, South Africa and Singapore.
Past Vice-President, Maroochy Aero Club; Sunshine Coast Air Race convenor, 1997-1999.
Past President, Australian Women Pilots Association (Queensland).
Doctor to 'Gondwana Voices' choir tour to Europe, UK and Hong Kong, 1999.

Past President, Sunshine Coast Youth Orchestra, for 4 years.
Journalist; writes for various aviation and medical publications.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Leslie William PARKER, 4 Pacific Street, Emu Park Qld 4710

For service to the community of Rockhampton through surf lifesaving, agricultural and sporting organisations.

President, Wide Bay Capricorn Branch (formerly known as South Barrier Branch), Surf Life Saving Queensland, 1985-1993; State Councillor, 1985-1993; Branch Patron, since 1993; Life Member.

President, Emu Park Surf Life Saving Club, 1978-1991; Patron, since 1991; Life Member.

Chairman, Emu Park Lawn Bowls Club, current; President, 1999-2000; other positions include Junior President, Treasurer, Chairman of Selectors, and Deputy Chairman of the Amalgamated Management Board, since 1994.

Had an extensive boxing career as an amateur competitor, and as a referee both as an amateur and professional official.

Deputy Chair, Rockhampton Port Authority, 1990-1996; Director, 1988-1990.

Volunteer, Rockhampton Agricultural Show, 1966-1996.

President, Rotary Club of Rockhampton North, 1981-1982; Paul Harris Fellowship, 1982; member, 1967-1987.

Various Management Positions, Australian Meat Holdings (previously Metro Meats and TA Field, before a series of take-overs), 1960s-1996.

Awards include:

Citation of Merit, International Life Saving Federation.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Councillor Teasdale George (Dale) PARKER

6/29 Lindsay Street, Rosslea Qld 4812

For service to the community of Townsville through local government and a range of sporting organisations, and as a fundraiser for children with cancer.

Current Chairman, Townsville City Council; Councillor for Division 5, since 1998; Chairman, Corporate Governance Committee, since 2000; Chairman, Disability Advisory Committee, since 2000; Member, Community Safety Committee; Member, City Infrastructure Committee; Member, Audit and Risk Committee; Member, Co-ordination Committee; Member, City Safe Advisory Committee; Member, Traffic Advisory Committee; Member, CBD Management Group; Member, Senior's Advisory Committee; Council representative, Cotters Market Stallholders Association Inc; Council representative, Magnetic Island to Townsville Swim Committee; Council representative, North Queensland Military Museum (Committee of Management); Council representative, Townsville Citizen's Board; Council representative, Vincent Community Renewal Group.

Director, Townsville Port Authority, 1991-1996 and 2001-2005; Board Member, appointed 1990; Member, HR Committee, 2003-2005.

Member, Townsville Port Advisory Body, 1990-1996 and 2001-2005.

Management Committee Member, Mount Isa to Townsville Economic Development Zone (MITEZ), 1994-1996 and since 2000.

Chairman, Ross River Action Group, 1987-1991.

Chairman, North Queensland Paralympic Games Committee, 2000-2004 (raised money to support the Queensland team, raising approximately \$70,000 for Sydney 2000 and Athens 2004 teams).

Creator and organiser of the BOC 'Kids Against Cancer' Balloon Launches, 1992-1995 (charity to assist children suffering from cancer, raising \$64,500 over 4 years).

Chairman, Townsville Committee, Queensland Netball, 2004.

Secretary, Townsville Cruising Yacht Club, 1986 and 1988-1989; Publicity Officer, 1985-1989; Competitor.

Secretary, Berkeley Rugby League Football Club, 1973 and 1974-1975; Administration and fundraising while playing and coach of junior teams.

Secretary, Jubilee Bowls Club, 1995; Senior Vice-President, 1995, 1999.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, for service to the community, 2001.

Townsville Citizen of the Year, 1995.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Rodney John PARSONS, 37 Wollundry Avenue, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650
For service to the community of Wagga Wagga, and to accountancy in regional New South Wales.

Current Chairman, Key Gifts Committee, Forrest Centre Capital Development Campaign; raises funds to upgrade facilities for older people and people with a disability.

Member, Investment Committee, Charles Sturt Foundation, since 1995.

Foundation President, Golden Gown Awards Committee, 1977-2000; raises funds for charity through the promotion of fashion, particularly utilising wool and other natural fibres; current Trustee.

Treasurer, Murrumbidgee Turf Club, since 1995; Director, since 1989.

Current President, Wagga Commercial Club.

Chair, Fundraising Appeal, Northcott Society (formerly Crippled Children's Society) to build respite house in Wagga Wagga, 1997.

Chair, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital Equipment Enhancement Appeal, 1995.

President, Sunrise Rotary Club, 1992-1993; Inaugural Secretary, 1991; Paul Harris Fellow, 1999; Member, 1991-2004.

President, South Wagga Rotary Club, 1985; other executive positions, 1980-1991.

Past President, Riverina Anglican College Parents and Friends Committee, 1990s.

Foundation Secretary, South Wagga Apex Club, 1960s; District Governor, 1972-1973; Life Member.

Past President, Lutheran School Parents and Friends Committee.

Former Treasurer, Wagga Wagga City Golf Club.

Senior Partner, Adams Kenneally White Chartered Accountants, current; Partner, since 1974.

President, New South Wales Branch, Institute of Chartered Accountants, 2000; Member, State Council, 1995-2003; State Chairman, 2001; Member, Rural and Regional Issues Committee, since 1997; Regional Country Chairman, for many years until 1995; Member, Country Congress, for many years; Fellow, 1971; Member, since 1967.

Awards/recognition include;

Meritorious Service Award, Institute of Chartered Accountants, 1998.

Wagga Wagga Citizen of the Year, 1997.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Desmond Reginald PAUL, 11/222 Esplanade, Seacliff SA 5049

For service to athletics through a range of administrative roles with sporting organisations.

Board Member, Association of Australian Veteran Clubs, 1988-1996.

Convenor, Australian Veteran National Track and Field Championships, 1993; Schools Cross Country and Track and Field events.

Foundation Member, Australian Sports Administrators Association, 1983.

President, South Australian Masters Athletics Inc (formerly South Australian Veterans Club), 1988-1996; Life Member; Competitor since 1973; Committee Member, since 1980.

President, South Australian Distant Runners Club, since 1980; Foundation Member and Life Member.

Board Member, Athletic Association of South Australia (now Athletics SA), 1985-1992; Life Member; Convenor, Winter Competition, 1985-1992; current Member, Winter Committee.

Volunteer Race Director, The Advertiser City-Bay Fun Run, since 1992; took over as Race Director, City-Bay Fun Run Committee Inc, to administer the race in 1992 and changed the focus of fundraising to assist Athletics South Australia; event has increased from a few thousand participants in 1992 to 19,000 in 2005.

President, Adelaide Harriers Athletic Club, 1984-2000; Treasurer; 1950; Life Member; Committee Member and Member, since 1959.

Torch Bearer, Sydney 2000 Olympic Games Torch Relay.

Track and Field Official, since 1949. Has worked at a number of events, including World Cup Track and Field Championships, Australian University Track and Field Championships and Sydney 2000 Olympic Games; officiates at all championships held in South Australia, including national championships.

Justice of the Peace, for over 35 years.

Awards include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Patricia Ann PAYNE, 117 Helmsman Boulevard, St Huberts Island NSW 2257
For service to pharmacy, and to the community through fundraising for children's medical research.

Current Member, Graduate Review Panel, Pharmacy Board of New South Wales.
Current Member, Pharmacy Alumni Association, University of Sydney; current Founder and Chair, Women in Pharmacy; Member, National Organising Committee, Annual Women for Pharmacy Conference.

Current Pharmacist, Central Coast, NSW.
Community Pharmacy proprietor, Castle Hill, Sydney, for over 20 years.
Registered Pharmacist, since 1961.
Australian Nominee, Executive Committee, Community Pharmacy Section, International Pharmacy Federation.

Board Member, Children's Medical Research Institute, since 2000.
Member, Biological Safety Committee, since 1996.
Member, National Organising Committee, Jeans for Genes Appeal, since 1994.
Founding Member/President, Hills District CMRI Committee, since 1991.
Member, Beecroft CMRI Committee, 1969-1979; President, 1972-1973.

President, Friends of Harrisford, King's School, 1990-2000; President, Women's Auxiliary, Kings School, 1982-1984; Governor, Kings School Foundation, 1982-1984.
President, Women's Auxiliary, Tara School for Girls, 1989-1990.
Volunteer Religious Education Instructor, West Pennant Hills Public School, 1976-1999.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Raymond Bruce PAYNE, 3 Westray Avenue, Banora Point NSW 2486
For service to the welfare of ex-servicemen and women through a range of Vietnam veterans' support organisations.

President and founder of Vietnam Veterans Sports and Social Club, 1998; current Property Officer.

Co-Found, Vietnam Veterans Social Golf Club – Gold Coast, 1997; Secretary; currently produces newsletter.

President and Founder, Charlie Company, First Battalion, Royal Australian Regiment Association, since 1982; Organiser, annual reunions of Charlie Company Vietnam War veterans, since 1982; widened to include veterans from later conflicts, such as Somalia and East Timor; supplies a newsletter and website to all past and present members of C COY 1RAR.

Founding Secretary, Queensland Chapter, 173rd Airborne Brigade (a US Army formation to which 1RAR was attached in South Vietnam); Secretary, 1997-2005; current Editor and Webmaster.

Involved in the foundation of the Association of First Infantry Battalions (now First Battalion Association), 1990; Secretary, 1991; National President, 2002-2003; created and maintains website.

Member, Consultative Committee, Gold Coast Veterans Advice Network (run by the Department of Veterans' Affairs), 2000-2002. Transferred to Tweed Heads Office, since 2002; has worked on a number of projects with the Gold Coast Veterans' Affairs Network through the Veteran and Community Grants Scheme.

Member, Vietnam Veterans Association of Australia and the Clarence Valley Vietnam Veterans Association.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Barry Clive PEARSON, 80 Penshurst Street, Penshurst NSW 2222
For service to medicine as a general practitioner, and to the community of Hurstville through aged care and service organisations.

General Practitioner, Ashby Medical Centre, since 1952.
General Practitioner Affiliate, St George Hospital, Kogarah, 1980-1990.

President, Illawarra Suburbs Medical Association, for 2 terms.
Member, Australian Medical Association, for 52 years.
Life Member, Australian College of General Practitioners.

Involved in establishing Hurstville Meals on Wheels (while President of Hurstville Rotary Club); Patron, for past 37 years, and delivers meals.
President, Rotary Club of Hurstville, 1966-1967 and 2006-2006; Treasurer, for many years; served on Youth Exchange Committee; Member, since 1960s.

Awards include:
Achievement Award, Hurstville City Council, 1998.

Mr Ross Aubrey PEARSON, 24 Bayswater Road, Lindfield NSW 2070
For service to the community through museum and historical societies, and through sporting, ex-service, nature conservation and children's organisations.

New South Wales Military Historical Society
Member, since 1980; President and Chairman of the Executive Council, 2003.
Member, Roseville Sub-Branch, since 1950; President, 2002; Welfare Officer and Trustee.
Adviser to Kokoda Trail Memorial Committee.
Committee Member, Halifax Branch, Royal Australian Air Force Association.
Member, Bomber Command Association In Australia.

Former President, 2/3rd Lindfield Scout Group, 1950s.
Instrumental in the establishment of the site of Cataract Scout Park for the 1986 Australian Jamboree.
Involved in the operation of the 1988 World Jamboree.

Member, National Parks Association since 1950s; Walks leader.
Member, Ku-ring-gai Bat Colony Committee, 1985-1989; instrumental in the formation of the 'Friends of the Bats'.
Life Member, Gordon Rugby and Lindfield Rugby Clubs; Lindfield President, 1962-1965.
Life Member, The Australian Museum Society; President, for 4 years in early 1950s.

Awards/recognition include:
'Certificate of Merit', New South Wales Military Historical Society, 2002; tatus of 'Fellow' conferred, 1996.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr John Harold (Jack) PENNINGTON, 24 Alberga Street, Kaleen ACT 2617
For service to athletics, particularly in the area of long distance running, as an administrator, coach and competitor.

Patron, ACT Veterans Athletic Club, since 1995; Foundation Member, since 1979.
Foundation Member, NSW Veterans Athletic Club.
Foundation Member, Australian Veterans Athletics Association, late 1970s.
Founder and inaugural President, ACT Cross Country Club, 1965-1976; Life Member; Member, since 1965.
Founder and Secretary, Canberra City Harriers (formerly Canberra Highlanders Club), 1962.
Life Member, North Canberra Gungahlin Athletic Club.
Convenor, Amateur Athletic Association.
Founder and President, ACT Athletic Coaches Association; Life Member.
Foundation Member, NSW Coaches Association.
Member, Australian Sports Medicine Federation, 1980-1985.
Editor, *The Veteran Athlete*, 1971-1979; contributor, for many years, to several athletic magazines including *The Harrier Magazine*, *Athletic Review* and *Athletics*.
With his encouragement, a fitness clinic for cardiovascular testing was established at the Australian National University in 1967; in 1969 he was the main driving force behind the organisation of a successful symposium on Physical Recreation and Fitness held at the university.

Mr Darren Peter PENNY, Canberra ACT 2600
For service to the international community as a contributor to the development of paramedical services and hospital management of, and response to, disasters in Vanuatu.

Mr Penny was involved in the late 1990s in assisting Vanuatu Hospital Services to develop a national disaster plan.

He has since established a paramedic service in Vanuatu named ProMedical, now administered by the Vanuatu Emergency Medical Services Association, which operates as a registered charity.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Desmond Joseph PENTREATH, 4 Archibald Street, Lockington Vic 3563
For service to the community of Lockington through a range of business, aged care, service and heritage organisations.

Inaugural Member, Lockington Community Care Committee Inc, since 1992. Volunteer Building Supervisor for 10 aged care units.

Involved in the establishment of the Elmore/Lockington and District Community Bank and the Lockington District Business Centre, 2003-2004.

Co-ordinator, Lockington and District Community Action Plan, since 1995.

Inaugural Member, Lockington District Heritage Centre, since 1993.

Committee Member and Public Officer, Lockington Channel Committee Inc, for over 10 years.

Involved in the establishment of the Lockington Community Centre, 1980; Committee Member on the old Community Hall since 1953.

Charter Member, Lockington Lions Club, since 1972.

Involved in the establishment of a memorial to Kevin Sarre (a local world class shearer).

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Rochester Shire, 1993.

Mr Peter Carl PERRY, 43 Bannockburn Road, Pymble NSW 2073

For service to the community through health and youth organisations, and through Rotary International.

District Governor, Rotary District 9680, 1985-1986.

Member, Rotary Club of St Ives, since 1975; member of Club and District committees.

Volunteer, Rotary Australia World Community Service, involved in several projects in Papua New Guinea and India, 1980s and 1990s; produced regional and national newsletters.

President, Australasian Pioneers' Club, 1980-1982; Member, since 1951.

Member, Lord Baden Powell Society, since 1986.

Leader, 3rd Lindfield Scout Group, 194-1947.

President, Sydney Branch, Better Hearing Australia, since 2001; Branch Member, since 1980.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Caroline Elizabeth PESCHEK, 4 Vagg Street, Cooma NSW 2630
For service to people with disabilities through the activities of Cooma Challenge, and to the community through committee roles within the health sector.

Chief Executive Officer, Cooma Challenge, since 1993.

Branch Coordinator, Cooma Branch, Challenge Foundation, 1986-1993.

Part-time Bookkeeper, Cooma Branch, Subnormal Children's Welfare Association, approximately 1983-1986; Volunteer Management Committee Assistant Secretary, 1980-1982.

Cooma Challenge was previously known as Challenge Foundation, and Subnormal Children's Welfare Association.

Member, Access and Equity Advisory Committee, and Social Plan Advisory Committee, Cooma-Monaro Shire Council, current.

Member, Board of Directors, Cooma District Hospital, 1987-1996; Chair, 1995-1996; Steering Committee Member, Disability Services Standards Monitoring, and Disability Services Program, 1995.

Local Advisory Board Representative, Cooma Planning and Development Committee, Monaro Health Service, 1995-1996.

Member, South Eastern Regional Developmental Disability Service Advisory Council, Health, 1987.

Mrs Margaret Olive PESTELL, 'Diablo', Wombat Road, Young NSW 2594
For service to equestrian sport, particularly through the Young Pony Club.

President, Young Pony Club, 1979-1981 and 1989-2004; Assistant Secretary, since 2004; Instructor, over 30 years; Zone 2 Chief Instructor, since 1986, Member, for 56 years.

Zone 2 Delegate, Pony Club Council of New South Wales, for 33 years.

Inaugural President, Young Branch, Riding for the Disabled, 1982-1986.

Current Secretary, Harden Eventing; Foundation Member.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Dianne Merlwyn PETRIE, Randwick NSW 2031

For service to the community through the Williams Syndrome Association of Australia and the Association of Genetic Support of Australasia.

Co-Founder and President, Williams Syndrome Association of Australia Inc, since 1984.
Executive Member and Director, Association of Genetic Support of Australasia Inc, since 1988.

Member, Steering Committee International Genetic Alliance representing Australia.

Board Member, World Alliance of Organisations for the Prevention of Birth Defects (Continental representation).

Founding Member, Australasia Genetic Alliance.

Member of Carers Coalition, NSW Genetics Advisory Committee, Newborn Screening Advisory Committee, HGSA Social and Ethics Committee, and Home Care Working Party.

Annual Information Day for Breast Cancer (BRCA1/2 and unknown genes), since 2000.

Annual Picnic Day, Williams Syndrome Association of Australia Inc, since 1986.

Genetic Disorders Awareness Week, since 1996.

Mr Peter PHILIPPSOHN, 41C New South Head Road, Vaucluse NSW 2030

For service to the Jewish community, particularly as a contributor to the establishment and development of Mount Sinai College and through the Jewish Communal Appeal.

President, Mount Sinai College, Maroubra, 1980-1984; one of founders, 1980; Life Governor.
Current Trustee, Board of Governors, Jewish Communal Appeal, Board Member; Chairman, Allocations Committee, for one year; Member, for 3 years; also served on Building and Capital Committee, Priorities and Planning Committee, and IT Committee; 10 years' service.
Chairman, Melton Management Board, Shalom Institute, 2004; participant in and supporter of educational programs of the Institute, since 2000.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Brian PHILLIPS, 7 Winter Avenue, Neutral Bay NSW 2089

For service to the performing arts in the area of musical theatre, particularly through Rockdale Opera.

Artistic Director, Rockdale Opera, since 1994; Member, Management Committee, since 1994; Director of Operettas and Grand Operas, 1968; Principal Singer, 1958.

Director, Canberra City Opera, 1996.

Director, Lyric Opera Company of Queensland, 1980s. (Now Opera Queensland).

Artistic Director, Gilbert and Sullivan productions, Sydney Opera House Trust, 1970-1988;

Performer, Christmas at the Opera House Concerts, late 1990s.

Performer and Director, Gilbert and Sullivan Society, 1969-late 1980s; Committee Member, 1969-late 1980s.

Mr John Milton PILCHER DFC*

C/- H N McLean Retirement Village, 67 Killean Street, Inverell NSW 2360

For service to the community of Inverell, particularly through Rotary International, and through agricultural show, recreational and sporting organisations.

District Governor, Rotary District 965 (now 9650), 1982-1983; undertook a range of roles at District level, 1965-late 1980s.

Club Service Director, Inverell Rotary Club, 1966-1967 and 1979-1980; President, 1967-1968; Vice-President, 1965-1967; Vocational Service Director, 1964-1965; International Service Director, 1963-1964; Member, 1961- 2004.

Member, Inverell Probus Club, since inception in 1989.

President, Inverell Show Society (then the Inverell P&A Association), 1971-1972; Member, for many years.

President, Inverell Delvyn Bridge Club, 1977-1979; Member, 1963-2004; Life Member.

President, Inverell Pony Club, for a number of years during 1960s; also served as a district delegate to the NSW Pony Clubs Association.

President, Inverell Rugby Club.

President, The Inverell Club.

Member, National (Country) Party, Inverell.

Awards include:

Distinguished Flying Cross on two separate occasions (DFC*) during World War 2.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Ben Kurt PIPER, 115 Evans Street, Port Melbourne Vic 3207

For service to the community, particularly as a volunteer adviser to and administrator of local legal service organisations, and as a supporter of the activities of the Friends of Port Melbourne Foreshore.

President and *pro bono* legal adviser, SouthPort Community Legal Service, Port Melbourne since 1988.

Pro bono legal adviser, Fitzroy Legal Service, 1982-1992; Member, Implementation Group, 1985-1989; Convenor, Finance Committee, 1987-1988; Member, Law Handbook Committee, 1988-1992; Member, Legal Projects Committee.

Pro bono legal adviser, (former) Melbourne Citizens Advice Bureau, 1995-1999.

Member, Friends of Port Melbourne Foreshore since 1993.

Member, Steering Committee, Bayside Development Action Group, 1991-1993.

Member, Coalition Opposing Identification Numbers, 1987-1989.

Member, People Against Identification Numbers, 1985-1987.

Member, Australian Crime Prevention Council, 1986-1995.

Dr Leslie Oswyn POIDEVIN, deceased

Late of Burnside SA 5066

For service to medicine in the area of women's health.

Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, 1970-1981.

Inaugural Medical Superintendent, Queen Victoria Maternity Home, Adelaide, 1951 and Honorary Consulting Obstetrician, 1951-1969.

Director, Obstetrics, University of Adelaide, 1952-1957; established Department of Obstetrics. General Practitioner, Scone, NSW, 1939-1951.

Resident Medical Officer, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, 1938-1939.

Surgeon to all British Prisoners of War, Java, 1942-1945; Prisoner of War, 1942-1945.

Mentioned-in-Despatches, World War II.

Member (representing SA), Australian Regional Council, Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, 1952-1956; Fellow, 1965; Member, since 1951.

Author, 8 books, between 1985 and 1999; including *Samurais and Circumcisions*, 1985.

Awards include:

Chapter of Military Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, 2002, in recognition of his military service to Australia and contribution to the Australian Council of RCOG.

Dr Poidevin died on 11 March 2006.

Next of Kin: Mrs Rosemary Poidevin (spouse)

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Laurel June POWELL, 'Lochiel Farm', Pambula NSW 2549

For service to the community of Pambula through a range of aged care, health and church groups.

Member, Board of Directors, Bega Valley Meals on Wheels Co-operative since 2001; Member and volunteer, Pambula Meals on Wheels, 1976-2001; volunteer Roster Secretary; Member, Client Issue Committee; Member, Quality Assurance Committee.

Member, Fundraising Committee, Friends of Pambula Hospital Friends of Pambula Hospital; performs general volunteer duties.

Member and volunteer since program commenced, RSL Panorama Day Club (respite service); Assistant Coordinator of the program, since 1998.

Member, Parish Council, Christchurch Anglican Church, since 1980; Church Warden, 2004; Member, Church Vestry Committee, for 14 years; Coordinator, Kids Club, for 8 years.

Volunteer, Imlay House, since 1994; Volunteer worker, Imlay House Op Shop, for 22 years.

Awards include:

Australia Day Community Citizen Award, for work with Meals on Wheels, 1993.

Returned and Services League of Australia ANZAC Award, 2000.

Mrs Cheryl Joan PRICE, 35 Holt Avenue, Wahroonga NSW 2076

For service to the community through support for people with coeliac disease.

Details not available at the request of Mrs Price.

Mr Graham William PRICE, 35 Holt Avenue, Wahroonga NSW 2076

For service to the community through support for people with coeliac disease.

Details not available at the request of Mr Price.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Maxwell Simpson PRIOR, 15 Muirkirk Street, Jamestown SA 5491

For service to the community of Jamestown through a range of health care, sporting and service organisations.

Inaugural Chairman, Jamestown Health, Ambulance and Medical Centre, since 1990.
Chairman, Jamestown Hospital and Health Services Board, 1986-1992 and 1997-2003;
Chairman, Finance Committee; Vice-Chairman, 1992 –1997; Board Member, for 29 years.
Served as Representative for Northern and Mid North Hospitals of South Australia to South Australian Hospitals Association Board.
Secretary/Treasurer, Heartbeat Inc Jamestown Branch, since 2000; Treasurer, for 5 years.
Inaugural Chairman.
Secretary/Treasurer, St John Ambulance Brigade, 1966-1979. Driver and Attendant, 1966-1979.

Secretary, Lions Club of Jamestown, 1992 and 2000-2005.
Committee Member, for 29 years; President, 1991; Assistant Secretary, 1998; Treasurer, 1976; and Zone Chairman.
Co-ordinator of Lions Club Blood Courier service, for 20 years.
Secretary/Treasurer, Victoria Park Trust (sportsgrounds), 1966-1991.
Life Member, Belalie North Cricket Club.
Justice of the Peace, since 1969.
Local Coroner, since 1990.

Town Clerk, Corporation of the Town of Jamestown, 1966-1991.

Awards/recognition include:

Northern Areas Council, Citizen of the Year, 2004.

Mr William James PROFFITT, 106/155 Fisher Road North, Dee Why NSW 2099

For service to the community through the Wesley Heights Aged Care Facility.

Chairman, Board of Management, Wesley Heights Aged Care Facility, Manly, 1996-1999 and 2001-2004; Deputy Chairman, 1999-2001; current Member, Client Care Support Group and Pastoral Care Committee; Member of the Board, since late 1980s.
Involved in raising revenue for the Facility and investing funds for redevelopment of the building, facilities and services.
Chairman, Dee Why Gardens Retirement Village Residents' Association, since 2004.
Chairman, Property Committee, Balgowlah Uniting Church Council, 1962-2002.
Member, Manly Probus Club, from 1997.

Awards include:

Medallion, for Services to Older People, The Uniting Church of Australia, 2004

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Barbara Stapleton QUIGG

Unit 111, Edinglassie Retirement Village, 1 Emerald Street, Emu Plains NSW 2750
For service to the community, particularly through the Penrith Community Aid Association.

President, Penrith Community Aid Association and Foundation Member, since 1972.
Honorary Treasurer of Women's Refuge, 1978-1983.
Coordinator of Emergency Housekeeping (now known as Home Care), 1973-1983.
Editor and Printer, *Serving Magazine*, 1973-1980.

Member, View Club, since 1981.
Volunteer, Penrith Senior Citizens Centre.

Awards include:
Penrith Council's Wall of Achievement Award, 1997.

Mr Nicholas John QUIGLEY, PO Box 880, Rockhampton Qld 4700

For service to the ex-service community, particularly through the Central Queensland Sub-Branch of the Vietnam Veterans Association of Australia.

President, Vietnam Veterans Association of Australia, Central Queensland, since 1993; initiated concept of Cockscomb Bush Camp (CBC) as a retreat for veterans from all conflicts; maintains CBC website.
Co-Founder, Central Queensland Veterans' Support Centre, 1998.
Co-Founder, 'Heart Safe' gym program for Vietnam Veterans' Counselling Service, 1997.
Co-Founder, 'Mate's Place' Drop-in Centre, 1995.
Member, State Emergency Service, 1998.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Emeritus Professor John Allen RAMSLAND

271 Parkway Avenue, Hamilton South NSW 2303

For service to the community, particularly through historical research in the areas of child poverty and abuse, the Indigenous experience and institutional life in colonial Australia, and to education.

Contributed to many publications recording the results of his research into the history of education, the Indigenous community, child abuse and institutional life in prisons.

Member, Australian and New Zealand History of Education Society, since 1980s; President, for one year; Executive Committee Member, International Standing Conference of the History of Education, since 1990s; Honorary Secretary, for several years.

Emeritus Professor of History, University of Newcastle, since 2003.

Professor of History and Dean, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, 1994-2002.

Dean, Faculty of Arts, 1991-1993.

Foundation Director, School of Humanities and Social Science, 1989-1993.

Associate Professor of History, 1991-1994.

Associate Professor of Education, since 1988.

Dean, Faculty of Education, 1987-1988, Sub-Dean, 1982-1984 and 1986-1987.

Senior Lecturer, 1984-1987; Lecturer 1978-1983.

Mr Donald RANSOM, 42 High Street, Burnside SA 5066

For service to the environment and to the community of South Australia, particularly through initiatives relating to recreational vehicle access to public lands.

Member, Toyota Landcruiser Club of South Australia, since 1973; Committee Member, for 23 years; Chair of various Sub-Committees; Club representative on South Australian Association of Four Wheel Drive Clubs (SAAFWDC) Executive.

Coordinator, Natural Resources Advisory Unit of the SAAFWDC, since 1993.

Instrumental in the production of the SAAFWDC booklet *Minimal Impact Camping and Touring Guide*.

Involved in the establishment of a partnership agreement between National Parks and Wildlife SA and the SAAFWDC, 2000.

Chairman, Recreational Vehicles Advisory Committee.

Member, Pastoral Board Sub-Committee on forming public access routes in pastoral lands in South Australia.

Representative for the SAAFWDC on the Tourism and Recreation Stakeholder Working Group of the Coongie Lakes Wetlands.

Member, Coorong Consultative Committee, since 1986; Chairman, 1991-1996; Deputy Chairman, 1988-1991 and 1996-2000; active in the development of the planning documents, The Coorong National Park Management Plan, 1990, and The Coorong and Lakes Alexandrina and Albert Ramsar Management Plan, 2000.

Member, Friends of the Coorong.

Member, Friends of the Innamincka and Strezlecki Regional Reserves.

Member, National Parks Camp Ground Hosts.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Shirley Ann READ, 4 The Outlook, Hornsby Heights NSW 2077

For service to gymnastics, particularly as a supervisor, coach and judge through
Gymnastics New South Wales.

Chairperson, Women's Artistic Gymnastics (WAG) Sport Management Committee, since 1999.

NSW WAG Technical Director, since 1999.

WAG Coordinator, Northern Region NSW, since 1995.

GNSW Competition Coordinator, 1995-2000.

Northern Region Supervisor, 1993-1996.

Internationally (FIG) accredited judge, 1988-1992.

Nationally accredited judge, since 1986.

Level 2 accreditation NCAS, Women's and Men's Coach, 1985.

Level 1 accreditation NCAS, Women's and Men's Coach, 1983.

WAG judge, since 1982.

Gymnastics Training Manager of YMCA in Sydney.

WAG and MAG coach, Epping YMCA, since 1979.

Head MAG and WAG coach, Epping YMCA, since 1994.

Volunteer, Artistic Gymnastics World Championships, Brisbane, 1994.

Volunteer, Artistic Gymnastics Sydney 2000 Olympic Games.

Awards include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

Program Leadership Award, YMCA Australia, 2005.

Mrs Susan Lindsay READ, 19 Stoddart Way, Bateman WA 6150

For service to education through support for local school communities, particularly as
a leader of parent groups.

Vice-President, District Council, West Australian Council of State School Organisations (WACSSO), 2002-2004; WACSSO is the umbrella organisation for all schools' Parents and Citizens associations in Western Australia.

President, Rossmoyne Senior High School Parents' and Citizens' Association, 1996-2004; Vice-President, 1994-1995; Member, School Council, 1994-2004; Member, many committees including Building and Grounds Committee, 1998-2004; Education Committee, 1993-2000; Parent Multicultural Support Group, and the community based Local Drug Action Group.

President, Bateman Primary School Parents' and Citizens' Association, 1992-1995; Member, Bateman School Council, 1988-1990 and 1992-1999.

President, Bateman Mothers' Club (later known as the Bateman Fundraising Auxiliary of the Parents' and Citizen's Association), 1987-1991.

Leader, Bateman Community Playgroup, 1984-1985.

President, Bateman Pre-primary Parents Group, 1985 and 1988.

After Hours (08)9332 7445

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Ernest Frank (Ernie) REDMAN, 5 Eggeling Street, Castletown WA 6450
For service to the community as a supporter of school student tours to the Burma Thailand Railway prisoner of war memorial, and to the ex-service community through the Esperance Sub-Branch of the Returned and Services League of Australia.

Fundraising and other assistance to Esperance High School student participation in Quiet Lion Tours to the Burma Thailand Railway, since 2000.

Current Member, Esperance Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, including welfare roles.

Honorary Staff Member, Esperance High School; in acknowledgement of roles with students attending Quiet Lion Tours.

Former supporter of various causes including the Royal Flying Doctor Service.

Mr Anthony William REDSTONE, Selwyn Pine Road, Norfolk Island 2899
For service to the community through philanthropic contributions to children's, ex-service, health and customs service projects, particularly on Norfolk Island.

Philanthropic contributions include:

\$12,500 to Norfolk Island Banyan Park Play Centre – for a specialist teacher; Centre provides services for children with autism.

\$20,000 for Norfolk Island Lions Park children's playground refurbishment.

\$110,000 to Norfolk Island Sub-Branch Museum, Returned and Services League of Australia.

\$400,000 to Norfolk Island Hospital - to fund a dental clinic known as Ahstyk Dental Clinic.

\$100,000 to AEIOU (Autism Early Intervention Outcomes Unit). Annual major raffle prizes for Heart/Lung Transplant Association and 'Hear and Say' (children's cochlear implants).

\$125,000 to Norfolk Island Customs Service Border Control - to purchase high technology drug screening equipment and training.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Ms Catherine Mary REID, 2/12 Ballater Street, Essendon Vic 3040

For service to people with disabilities, particularly as a contributor to the advancement of attendant care services to allow independent living.

Current Vice-President, Physical Disability Council of Australia; Victorian State Representative, for several years; Founding Member.

Chairman, Physical Disability Council of Victoria, current; Member, Council's Sub-Committee for organising the National Annual Conferences held in 2003 and 2004; Founding Member.

Current Member, Polio Advisory Committee, ParaQuad Victoria.

Current Panel Member, Home First Attendant Care Review Panel, Department of Human Services.

National Consumer Representative, Disability Advisory Council of Australia for the review of the National Attendant Care Scheme.

Training and Development Manager, AQA Qualcare (Statewide attendant and respite care service for people with disabilities and their carers), until 1999.

Instigator, Attendant Care Lobby, Australian Quadriplegics Association (Victoria), 1987. Lobbying of Federal Parliamentarians led to the amendment of the Disability Services Act and the establishment of a permanent attendant care program for the disabled.

Conference Presenter, papers on disability and ageing issues, various national and state forums, for many years.

The Reverend Thomas Theodore REUTHER

9 Ferguson Avenue, Myrtle Bank SA 5064

For service to the Lutheran Church of Australia, particularly in the areas of school education and aged care.

Chaplain, Fullarton Lutheran Homes, 1994-2004; Acting Managing Director, 2002; Board Member and Executive Director, 1996-2004.

Prime mover in establishment of national Lutheran Board for aged care, 2003.

Chairman, School Council, Yirara College, Alice Springs, 1993-1996; undertook feasibility study for establishment of Faith College, Tanunda, South Australia 1975; involved in negotiations to transfer control of Yirara College from Northern Territory Government to auspices of Finke River Mission (FRM), Lutheran Church, 1991-1993; former FRM Board Member.

Inaugural National Director, Lutheran Schools, 1983-1993.

Principal, Concordia College, 1968-1982.

Former Member, Independent Schools Board, South Australia.

Former Member and influential in creating Christian Schools National Consultative Group.

Former Member, Australian Headmasters' Conference.

Former Member, Australian Council of Education Administration.

Fellow, Australian College of Education, 1988.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Carolyn Ann RICE, 'Allambie', Cookamidgera NSW 2870

For service to the community through the programs of Quota International.

Quota International is a club-based world service organisation whose members are dedicated to assisting disadvantaged women and children and the hearing impaired.

Current International President.

International President-Elect, 2004-2005.

International Treasurer, 2002-2003.

Chair, South Pacific Area Task Force, 2001-2002.

Chair, International World Service Committee, 2001-2002.

South Pacific Area Director, 2001-2003.

Governor, 26th District, 1998-2000.

Lieutenant Governor, 26th District, 1996-1998.

Club President, Quota International of Parkes, 1993-1995; Vice-President, 1991-1993.

Colonel Peter George RICHARDS (Ret'd), 9/6 Boake Place, Garran ACT 2605

For service to the ex-service community, particularly through the Woden Valley Sub-Branch of the Returned and Services League of Australia.

President, Woden Valley Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, appointed 1989; Vice-President, 1987-1988; Secretary, 1985-1988; Assistant Secretary, 1984-1985; Member, Sub-Branch Finance Committee.

Life Member, Australian Capital Territory Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia.

Board Member, Canberra Southern Cross Club, 1990-1997; Tour Director, Travel Club.

Awards/recognition include:

Certificate of Appreciation, Australian Capital Territory Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, 1988.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Thomas Charles RICHARDSON, Lavender Street, North Sydney NSW 2060
For service to the welfare of the veteran community of the North Shore, Sydney.

Secretary, Kirribilli Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1993; Member, since 1986; has held all executive positions; Chairman, 60th Anniversary, Victory in the Pacific celebrations, 2005; Organiser, Kirribilli ANZAC Day Memorial Service, for past 10 years; Life Member, Returned and Services League of Australia.

President, Kirribilli Ex-Service Club.

Ms Ann Margaret RIGBYE, 7 Deakin Court, Gympie Qld 4570
For service to the community of the Cooloola region through a range of social welfare, youth and health organisations.

Current Vice-President, Erin House Committee; President, for a number of terms; Member, for many years; Erin House provides shelter for victims of domestic violence.

Current Committee Secretary, Cooloola Youth Service; Member, for 18 years.

Member, Cooloola Community Housing Association.

Secretary, Community Development Committee.

Member, Women's Health Committee.

Member, Local Disaster Recovery Committee.

Currently establishing a community legal service.

Coordinated the establishment of the Cooloola Regional Youth Pathways Project; comprised representative from Job Network, TAFE, Gympie State High School, Centrelink and other youth workers.

President, Girl Guides Gympie.

Awards/recognition include:

Lions Citizen of the Year award, 2004.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Ian Stuart RISELEY, 1449 Stumpy Gully Road, Moorooduc Vic 3933
For service to the community, particularly through Rotary International.

Australian and South East Pacific representative to the Rotary International Board in Chicago, 2006-2008.

Chairman Rotary Foundation Committee, 2003-2004.

Consultant to Rotary Foundation East Timor Roofing project.

Victorian Chairman, Polio Eradication Private Sector Initiative Campaign, 2002-2004.

Received AusAid Peace Builders Award, 2002 for East Timor Roofing project.

Member, Rotary Zone 8 World Community Service Task Force for environmental issues, 2001-2002.

District Governor, Rotary District 9810, 1999-2000.

Chairman, Group Study Exchange, 1990-1993; responsible for 30 outgoing and 30 incoming overseas students a year.

Charter Member, Rotary Club of Sandringham, since 1978; President, 1981-1982; Chaired several service committees.

President, Beaumaris Sea Scouts.

Director, International Education Forum and World Education Program Australia; both are not-for-profit companies facilitating international education experiences for young people.

Financial and Management adviser and auditor, Miora Inc; a not-for-profit organisation attending to the welfare of intellectually handicapped children.

Financial adviser to various other community, welfare and sporting groups on a pro bono basis.

Dr Peggy Diane RISMILLER

Pelican Lagoon Research and Wildlife Centre,

Pelican Lagoon Peninsula, Kangaroo Island SA 5222

For service to science through the Pelican Lagoon Research and Wildlife Centre.

Co-Director and Senior Researcher, Pelican Lagoon Research and Wildlife Centre, since 1988; conducts biological research and conservation studies on Australian native species, particularly echidnas, Rosenbergs goanna and island tiger snakes.

Principal Investigator for Earthwatch Institute.

Visiting Research Fellow, Department of Anatomical Sciences, University of Adelaide.

Member, Society of Woman Geographers.

Author, *The Echidna: Australia's Enigma*, AVIVA.

Awards include:

Earthwatch Award for Climatic Change Research, 2002.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

The Reverend Henry Thomas ROBERTS, 4/36 Regent Street, Bexley NSW 2207
For service to the Uniting Church in Australia through the Georges River Presbytery Aged Care complex, providing hospital chaplaincy services and providing services for congregations without ministers.

Chairman, Georges River Presbytery Aged Care (GRPAC); Board Member, 1981-1999; Chaplain to GRPAC; instrumental in establishment of 'Roberts Lodge', 1998.

Active in developing and encouraging Korean Ministry within the Uniting Church, and fostering congregation-to-congregation partnerships with churches in the Republic of Korea (ROK); leads groups to visit church in ROK.

Chaplain, Calvary, St George Private and Public Hospitals, since 1979.

Chaplain, Nowra Navy Base and HMAS Watson (Navy Reserve).

Minister, Peakhurst Uniting Church, 1979-1985.

Minister, Bankstown Methodist (now Uniting) Church, 1969-1979.

Since 1985 has acted as relieving Minister at various parishes, including Broken Hill, Kingsgrove, Hurstville, Blakehurst, and Earlwood.

Mrs Helena Betty (Bettine) ROBERTSON, Waverton NSW 2060

For service to the community, particularly through the New South Wales Branch of the National Trust of Australia.

Member, Women's Committee, National Trust of Australia (NSW), 1964-1998; Member, Tours Committee, 1979-1998; Voluntary Service Medallion, 1998; Member, 1964-1998.

Volunteer Interviewer, Volunteer Centre of NSW, 1986-1992.

Reader, Radio 2RPH (print handicapped radio), 1980-1985; Mrs Robertson reads for 3 hours a week at the station.

Volunteer, Meals-on-Wheels, Neutral Bay, 1956-1979.

Member, Springtime Committee, Children's Medical Research Foundation, late 1950s-early 1960s.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Shirley Joan ROBINS, 8 Bolingbroke Grove, Toorak Gardens SA 5065

For service as a contributor to and supporter of the activities of ex-service organisations in Adelaide.

Support to HMAS Australia Club, South Australia, through provision of meetings/functions venue (at no cost) and area for displaying memorabilia, for 26 years.

Support to fundraising activities of Legacy Club of Adelaide.

Licensee, Union Hotel, 1963-2002.

Mrs Marjorie ROBSON, 168 Pacific Way, Tura Beach NSW 2548

For service to the communities of Merimbula and Jindabyne through amateur musical theatre productions, fundraising for charitable causes, and through church and aged care groups.

For 30 years Mrs Robson has written, directed, produced and accompanied 36 local musical productions for local theatres in Jindabyne and Merimbula. These shows are attended by the local community and proceeds from the ticket sales are donated to charity.

Founding member, The Belles and Beaux of St Clement's, Merimbula since 1999.

Parishioner and Musician, St Clement's Anglican Church, Merimbula.

Founding member, The Alpine Artists, Jindabyne; also the Jindabyne Variety Group, which became The Alpine Players in the 1970s.

Secretary, Alliance Francaise de la Cote de Saphire, since 2000.

Transportation Officer, Home and Community Services, Berridale

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mrs Elizabeth Johannah ROGERS, 16 Penarth Avenue, Beaumont SA 5066
For service to the community through contributions to the Friends of the State Library of South Australia, the Burnside Historical Society and Carrick Hill.

Honorary Secretary, Friends of the State Library of South Australia, since 1998; Member, since 1992; Chairman, Program and Membership Sub-Committee, since 2000; Delegate to Australian Federation of Friends of Museums.

Editor, Burnside Historical Society, since 1998; President, 2000-2003; Vice-President, 1999-2000; Life Member.

Current Secretary, Carrick Hill Foundation.

Current Editor, Friends of Carrick Hill; Inaugural Secretary, 1987-1996; current Guide, Carrick Hill.

Awards/recognition include:

Certificate of Appreciation, Carrick Hill Trust, for her service and contribution to Carrick Hill, 2006.

Australia Day Community Award, City of Burnside, for her service to the community, 2002.

Mrs Jan ROSS, 22 Franklin Street, Richmond Tas 7025
For service to the community of Richmond through school, aged care and sporting organisations, and through the Tasmanian Branch of the Australian Garden History Society.

Part-time teacher aide, Richmond Primary School, since 1988 (paid position since 1998); Assists in programs for children with disabilities; Initiated Landcare group at school; Member and office bearer, Parents and Friends Committee, 1976-1988.

Member, Richmond Advisory Committee; Leadership role in Tidy Towns competition.

Member, Richmond Preservation and Development Trust, for many years.

Foundation Member, Richmond Community Organisation.

Member, Australian Garden History Society, for many years; Member, State Committee, for 9 years; Foundation Committee Member, Coal River Garden Club, since 1997.

Member, South Eastern District Nursing and Home Care Service Auxiliary; Representative on Richmond Advisory Committee.

President, Richmond Meals on Wheels, 1994-1997; Inaugural Treasurer 1991-1993; current Committee Member.

Fundraiser, Australian Red Cross.

Canteen Manager, Richmond Football Club, since 1995. Life Member.

Awards/reconciliation include:

International Year of the Volunteer award, 2001.

Citizen of the Year, Clarence City Council, 1996.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Mark Dattilo RUBBO, 33 Little Victoria Street, Fitzroy Vic 3065

For service to the community through fostering an awareness of Australian literature as a bookseller, literary critic, and promoter and supporter of Australian writers.

Managing Director and major shareholder, Readings Pty Ltd; Founder, Readings@Readings events; provides a literacy fund for school libraries and literacy programs in the areas of Readings stores; also supports literacy and libraries in developing countries.

President, Australian Booksellers Association, 1988-1990; Board Member, for many years; Life Member.

Member of Board, National Book Council, for many years.

Chairman, Editorial Board, Australian Book Review, 1985-1988.

Founding Chair, Spoleto Writers Festival (now called The Melbourne Writers Festival), 1986-1988.

Initiated and currently oversees The Mietta Foundation's Readings@Miettas.

Judge for the Miles Franklin Award, 2002-2004; also for Age Book of the Year and Victorian Premiers Awards; assessor for Literature Board of the Australian Council, 1991.

Judge, Melbourne Prize for Literature, 2006.

Board Member and Treasurer, La Mama Theatre, 1997-2005.

Co-author (with Mr D Gaunt), *Copyright Amendment Act 1991: A Guide for Members*, 1992.

Awards include:

Australian Independent Bookseller of the Year, 1998 and 2001.

Mr Michael Ashley RUTLEDGE, 'Yeadon', Hay NSW 2711

For service to local government through the Hay Shire Council.

Mayor, Hay Shire, since 1997.

Shire President, Hay Shire, 1978-1980; Deputy President, 1977, 1982-1983 and 1988; Councillor, from 1971 onwards.

Executive Member, Western Division Group of Shires, 1978-1980.

Current Deputy Chair, Riverina Regional Organisation of Councils.

Member, Riverina Regional Development Board, since 2003.

Current Member, Murrumbidgee Catchment Management Authority.

Volunteer Firefighter, New South Wales, for 33 years.

Member, Griffith Division of Sydney Legacy, since 1997.

Former Member, Hay Hospital Board.

Awards/recognition include:

Hay Australia Day Citizen of the Year, 2005.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Councillor Barry Edward RYAN, 260 Church Street, Gloucester NSW 2422
For service to local government through the Gloucester Shire Council and the Shires Association of New South Wales.

Mayor, Gloucester Shire Council (GSC), 1994-1997 and since 1999; Shire President, 1988-1994; Councillor, since 1983; represented GSC on Hunter Councils.

Vice-President, Shires Association of New South Wales, 1995-2001; Executive Member, since 1994; Member of Planning and Environment Committee 1997-2002; Industrial panel 1995-2001; Structural Management Committee 1994-1996.

Chairman, Roads and Transport Committee, since 1995; Member, since 1994.

Represented Executive on Board of Future Plus Finances Pty Ltd, and Statewide Insurance.

Manager, Gloucester Soldiers Club, 1986-1990.

The Reverend Father Gerald Paul RYAN, 48 Sweyn Street, Balwyn North Vic 3104
For service to the Catholic Church through pastoral roles in parishes in Victoria, and as an early contributor to the liturgical movement in the Archdiocese of Melbourne.

Parish Priest, St Bridget's Parish, Greythorn, since 1984.

Parish Priest, St Kevin's Parish, Ormond, 1973-1984.

Parish Priest, Parish of St Thomas the Apostle, Blackburn, 1954-1973.

Assistant Priest, Parish of St Peter and St Paul, South Melbourne, 1946-1954.

Assistant Priest, Parish of St John the Baptist, Clifton Hill, 1942-1946.

Assistant Priest, Parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, Armadale, 1939-1942.

Ordained to the Priesthood, Archdiocese of Melbourne, 1939.