

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

### **Miss Vera Lillian ABELL,**

1 Mary Place, Mowll Village, 284 Castle Hill Road, Castle Hill NSW 2154  
For service to the community, coordinating charitable donations.

Founder and Coordinator, BEA Group, since 1998; (Beatrice Ellen Abell is a group of volunteers who donate handmade and purchased goods to Anglicare Family Services, with donations currently totalling in excess of 40,000 items).

Personally records, bundles and gift wraps each donation prior to distribution.

Editor, quarterly newsletter (distributed to over 200 members), since 1998.

Convenor, monthly meetings, since 1998.

Volunteer, Mowll Village Library, Anglican Retirement Villages, since 2002.

### **Mr Douglas Andrew ADAM, Taroom Qld 4420**

For service to the community of Taroom.

Secretary, Taroom District Development Association, 2011-2013; President, 1996-1997; Committee Member, since 1998; Member, Future Development Industrial Summit, since 2011.

Committee Member, Tourist Advisory Committee, Banana Shire Council, since 2010.

Business Representative, APLING Pipeline Community Committee, since 2011.

Committee Member, Dawson Valley Development Association, 1998-2004 and 2009-2010.

Taroom Representative, Dawson River Towns Inc, since 2010.

Taroom Chairperson, Dawson River Festival, since 2010.

Member, Local Management Group, Dawson River Study, 1995-1998.

Committee Member, Taroom Sesquicentennial Committee, 2005-2006; Committee Member, Taroom Bicentennial Committee, 1984-1989.

Active Member, The Ludwig Leichardt Centre Project.

Member, Management Committee, Taroom Rural Financial Counselling Service, 1995-2002.

Committee Member, Taroom Community Consultative Health Committee, 1994-1997.

Board Member, Taroom Fire Board, 1968-1990.

Councillor, Taroom Shire Council, 1979-1991; Chairperson, Finance Committee, 1985-1991;

Delegate, Golden West Tourism, 1982-1991.

Life Member, Dawson Jockey Club, since 1980; Secretary/Treasurer, 1963-1983.

Trustee, Taroom Racecourse Reserve, 1984-2009.

Secretary, Taroom Football Club, 1962-1964.

Member, Taroom Golf Club Provedore, 1969-1977.

Committee Member, Taroom Lions Club, 1966-1975.

Committee Member, Taroom Queensland Ambulance Service Consultative Committee, 1994-1995.

President, Taroom State School Pre-School, 1975; Committee Member, 1977.

Treasurer, St Mary's P&F Association, 1978-1983.

Member, Xstrata Community Reference Group, 2001-2013.

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

### **Dr Ghayath AL-SHELH,**

Office of Islamic Charity Projects Association, 45 Brancourt Avenue,  
Bankstown NSW 2200

For service to the community of the Bankstown region, particularly youth.

Founding Group Leader, 5th Muslim Scout Group, Bankstown District, New South Wales Branch, Scouts Australia, since 2000; Executive Member; initiated the development of the Group's Drum Band.

Member, World Events Bid Committee Team Australia, World Scout Conference in Tunisia, 2005.

Senior Vice-President, Bankstown District Amateur Football Association, 2008-2010; Member, Management Committee, 2002-2004.

Founding President, Spears Sports Club Bankstown, 1999-2004; initiated the development of the first Muslim Women's Netball Team in Sydney.

President, Islamic Charity Projects Association, since 2004.

Vice-President, Children's Festival in Bankstown, 2002-2003.

Vice-President, Muslim Community Radio 2FMF, 1999-2003; Board Member, 1995.

Founder, Sydney Eid Festival, for a number of years; organises the Grand Multicultural Mawlid Festival, one of the largest in Australia.

Current Chairman, Al Amanah College, Liverpool.

General Medical Practitioner, Liverpool Health Care Medical Centre, since 2007.

General Medical Practitioner, Bankstown, 1999-2007.

General Practitioner and Visiting Medical Officer, Brewarrina, 1995-1999.

Awards/recognition include:

Children's Week Award, NSW Department of Community Services.

Australian Ambassador, World Scouts Arab Region Conference in Egypt, 2004.

### **Mr Michael James ANDERSON, PO Box 7666, Sippy Downs Qld 4556**

For service to sport as a Gold Medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Swimming, London 2012 Paralympic Games; one Gold medal, one Bronze medal.

Silver Medallist, Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.

Australian Representative, Swimming World Championships Netherlands, International Paralympic Committee, 2012; Silver Medallist, Swimming World Championships, Durban South Africa, 2008.

Australian Representative, Deaflympics.

Volunteer, Queensland Talent Search Days, Australian Paralympic Committee, ongoing.

Public Speaker, local schools, Paralympic Education Program, ongoing.

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

**Mrs Margaret Mary ANDREWS**, Heidelberg Vic 3084

For service to the Catholic Church in Australia through a range of marriage education programs.

Co-Founder, Marriage Education Program (formerly Marriage Education Committee), 1980; Convenor, since 1996; Co-Convenor, 1984-1996; Practising marriage educator, since 1980. Editor, *Threshold* (Marriage Education magazine), Catholic Society for Marriage Education, 1987-2013.

Member, Marriage and Family Council, Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne, 1997-2001.

Member, Australian Catholic Marriage and Family Council (formerly Family Working Group), since 1999.

Founding Member, Marriage and Relationship Educators Association of Australia.

Former Editor, *Maternal and Child Health* newsletter and *Marriage, Family and Society Issues*.

Awards/recognition include:

President's Award, Catholic Society for Marriage Education, 1999.

**Mrs Gwenyth Ethel ANNING**, 108 Bayonet Head Road, Albany WA 6330

For service to the community of Peaceful Bay.

Volunteer caterer, Walpole Country Club, 1986-2012; Life Member, since 2007; Chairperson, Ladies Bowls; Ladies Golf Representative, Management Committee; Ladies President, Golf Club.

Inaugural Member, Peaceful Bay Progress Association, in the early 1960s.

Member, Ladies Auxiliary, Peaceful Bay Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade, since the early 1960s.

Current Anzac Day Catering volunteer, Peaceful Bay Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia; Honorary Member.

Foundation Member, Bow Bridge, Tingledale and Hazelvale Ladies Club.

Awards/recognition include:

Volunteer Club Legend of the Year, Clubs WA, 2010.

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

**Mr Wayne Richard ANTHONY**, 25 Herbert Allen Way, Willunga SA 5172  
For service to Indigenous Australians, and to the performing arts.

Project Manager, Nyangatjatjara Aboriginal Corporation, overseeing the establishment of Nyangatjatjara College, 1996-2004.

Chair, Theatre Guild, Adelaide University, in the early 1960s; Actor, Writer, and Director, Footlights Club, during the late 1950s and early 1960s.

Creator and performer, 'Humbolt the Clown', 1974-2004; working on a number of television shows such as *Fat Cat & Friends*.

Participant, Kids Convoys, Brown's Mart Community Arts Centre, 1978 and 1983-1986.

Founding Board Member, Focus (Adelaide Festival Fringe), 1978.

Co-Founder, Fringe School; Administrator and Director, 1980-1984.

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

**Dr Trevor George APPLETON, deceased,**

Late of Holland Park West Qld 4121

For service to education through the teaching and promotion of chemistry.

Honorary Associate Professor, School of Chemistry and Molecular Biosciences, University of Queensland, 2009-2013; Assistant Director of Studies, Faculty of Biological and Chemical Sciences (now Deputy Associate Dean (Academic), Faculty of Science), 1996-2009; Reader in Chemistry, 1992-2009; Senior Lecturer in Chemistry, 1983-1991; Senior Tutor (Extended Scale), 1977-1982; Senior Tutor, Chemistry Department, 1974-1976.

Established, National Chemical Analysis (Titration) Competition, Royal Australian Chemical Institute (RACI), 1984; Competition Coordinator, 1984-2013.

Member, Organising Committee, World Chemistry Congress, Brisbane, 2001.

President, RACI Queensland, 1998-2000 and 2011-2012; Membership Officer, 2001-2010; Vice-President, 1997-1998 and 2009-2010; Established Secondary School Titration Competitions, 1980; Organiser, Secondary School Titration Competitions, 1980-2012; Member, since 1971.

Member, Chemical Education Group, RACI Queensland, since 1975; President; Secretary.

Chairperson, Inorganic Group Committee, RACI Queensland, 2005-2007; Treasurer, 2008-2009.

Member, Queensland Senior Secondary School Chemistry Syllabus Committee, Queensland Study Authority, 1992-2009; Member, State Review Panel for Trial-Pilot Chemistry Syllabus, 2001-2009.

Treasurer, National Tertiary Education Union (NTEU), Queensland Branch, 2003-2004; Vice-President (Academic), 2004-2008; Member, Enterprise Bargaining team, 2005-2008.

Fellow, Royal Society of Chemistry (UK), 1993.

Awards/recognition include:

Distinguished Fellow, Royal Australian Chemical Institute, 2009; Chemical Education Award, 2005; Chemical Education Division Medal, 1987.

Merit Award for Service to NTEU, National Council, National Tertiary Education Union, 2008.

Dr Appleton died on 13 June 2013.

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

**Mr Rory Edward ARGYLE**, Peppermint Grove WA 6011

For service to the community, and to the law.

Alumni Member, Committee for Perth, since 2009.

Chairman, St George's College Inc, University of Western Australia, 2007-2013; Chairman, St George's College Foundation, 1989-2007.

Member, Restoration Committee, St George's Cathedral Perth, 2002-2007; Member Key Gifts Committee, 2004-2006.

Chairman, Law School Building Appeal, Murdoch University, 2001-2003; Member, Law Library Fundraising Committee, 1989-1990.

Director, Scitech Discovery Centre, 1992-2001; Chair, Finance and Audit Committee; Honorary Member, since 2003.

Chairman, Management Board, Leeuwin Ocean Adventure Foundation, 1987-2001;

Chairman, STS Leeuwin Construction Fundraising Committee, 1983-1986.

Member, Key Gifts Committee Capital Campaign, Institute of Child Health Research, 2000.

Council Member, Presbyterian Ladies College Inc, 1989-1998; Deputy Chairman, for 3 years;

Chairman, Outdoor Education Building Appeal, 1995-1996.

Council Member, Shire of Peppermint Grove, 1974-1985.

Member, Queen Elizabeth II Trust WA Committee, 1983-1988.

Senior Partner/Board Chairman, Parker and Parker (now Herbert Smith Freehills), 1989-1996; Partner, 1964-1996; Consultant, 1996-2007.

President, Law Society of Western Australia, 1982; Vice-President, 1979-1981; Treasurer, 1977-1978; Council Member, 1972-1983; Life Member, since 1996.

Commissioner, Legal Aid Commission WA, 1993-1996.

Chairman, Legal Contribution Trust, 1983-1990.

Council Member, Law Council of Australia, 1981-1983.

Vice-President, Australian Institute of Company Directors, 1993-1995; Council Member, 1990-1995; President, WA Division [formerly Institute of Directors (WA)], 1991-1993; Council Member, 1987-1990 and 1990-1995.

Member, National Council, Taxation Institute of Australia, 1970-1973; Chairman, WA Division, 1972-1973; Member State Council, 1966-1974.

Non-Executive Director, Woodside Petroleum Ltd, 1995-2006; Chairman, Audit and Risk Committee; Chairman, Governance and Nominations Committee.

Chairman, Board of Advice WA, Challenge Bank, 1996-1999.

Non-Executive Chairman, Aurora Gold Ltd, 1993-2003.

Non-Executive Director, CMIEC (Australia) Group, 1985-1996.

Non-Executive Director, Agnew Clough Ltd, 1969-1986.

Awards/recognition include:

Gold Medal, Western Australia, Australian Institute of Company Directors, 2008.

Honorary Doctorate of Laws, Murdoch University, 2004.

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

**Mr Christopher John ARTHUR**, 97 Goulburn Street, West Hobart Tas 7000  
For service to conservation and the environment.

Parks and Reserves Manager, West Coast, Parks and Wildlife Service Tasmania, until 2013; Ranger, 1983-2012; Leader, Critical Incident Management.

Member, International Ranger Federation (IRF), for many years; Founding Member, Australian Branch; IRF Representative to the International Union for Conservation of Nature, World Parks Congress, 2004.

Involved with the development of the IRF Dependents Fund; supporting families of rangers who are killed in the line of duty, particularly in Africa).

Executive Member, Tasmanian Ranger Association, for many years.

Foundation Member, Sea Spurge Remote Area Teams, for many years.

Active supporter, Wildcare Australia Volunteers, ongoing.

Activist, Tasmanian Wilderness Society, 1982-1983; involved with the 'Franklin Blockade' book, 1983.

Sponsor, Environmental Management Scholarship Trust Fund, University of Tasmania.

**Ms Kathleen Joy ASHTON**, Morphett Vale SA 5162  
For service to the community through drug and alcohol support services.

South Australian Manager, Family Drug Support, since 2002.

Volunteer, drug and alcohol related fields in South Australia, in the 1990s.

**Mr Robert Barry ASQUITH**, 6 Sevens Avenue, Euroa Vic 3666  
For service to the community through the promotion of local events and projects.

Founder and Director Australian National Show and Shine, since 2001.

Member, Euroa Community Action Group.

Former Member, Rotary Club of Deniliquin and Boort.

Former Project Officer, Euroa Tourism and Business Association (now Business Enterprise Euroa).

Patron; Euroa District Cricket Association, 1997-2000; also served as Committee Member, Delegate, selector and mentor.

Formerly involved, Deniliquin District Cricket Association.

Member, 'Honouring Our Heroes' group, Euroa.

Owner, Euroa Newsagency, 1994-2004.

Board Member, Victorian Association for Newsagents, for many years.

Awards/recognition include:

Newsagent of the Year Award, Victoria and Australia, 2002.

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### **Mr Edward George (Ted) ATCHISON,**

67 Ocean View Parade, Charlestown NSW 2290

For service to the community of the Hunter Valley through service and sporting organisations.

Conference Chairman, Rotary District 9670, 1993-1994, 1997-1998, 2001-2002, 2009-2010 and 213-2014; District Governor, 1993-1994.

Chair, Rotary Foundation GSE Committee, 1986-1992.

Current Co-Chair, Dream Cricket Program Committee.

District Trainer, 2011-2012.

Rotary International President Representative, Rotary District 9810 Conference, 1999.

President, Rotary Club of Charlestown, 1983-1984, 1989-1990 and 2004-2005; current Director, International Service; has served in a range of executive roles, since 1978; Member, since 1978.

Current Executive Member, Hunter Academy of Sport Board.

Chairman, Hunter Regional Sporting Venues Authority (formerly the International Sports Centre Trust), 2007-2011.

Chair, International Sports Centre Trust, 1999-2007.

Chairman, Community Reference Group for redevelopment of Charlestown Square, 2004-2012.

President, Newcastle Technical College Cricket Club, for 10 years; Life Member, since 1990.

Committee Member, Newcastle and Suburban Cricket Association, 1984-1992.

Current Director, Merewether Golf Club.

### **Mr Michael Christopher AUPRINCE,** Peakhurst NSW 2210

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Swimming, London 2012 Paralympic Games; one Gold medal and one Bronze medal.

Gold Medallist, Swimming World Championships, International Paralympic Committee, 2010.

Current Member, U23 Australian Wheelchair Basketball Squad; Bronze Medal at World Championships.

Squad Member, Australian Men's Wheelchair Basketball Team.

Member, New South Wales Junior Wheelchair Basketball Team, 2007-2012.

Advocate, 'Books in Homes' program.

Other awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, New South Wales Australia Day Council, 2013.



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**Ms Brenda AYNLEY**, Hill Street, Parkside SA 5063

For service to the information and communications technology sector.

Current Chair, IP3, International Federation for Information Processing.

National Vice-President, Australian Computer Society, 2002-2003 and 2010-2011; Honorary Life Member, since 2008.

Chair, National Community Engagement Board, 2009-2010.

Chair, Ageism Task Force, 2010.

Lead Tutor and Academic Program Coordinator, Professional Year Program.

Founding Member, Electronic Frontiers Australia, 1994.

Honorary Secretary, South Australian Branch, Australian Computer Society; Chairman, 1999-2001 and 2004-2006; Member, since 1989; Founder and Manager, PC Recycling Group, since 2000.

Chair, SA Committee, The Pearcey Foundation, 2006-2012.

Opened South Australia's first Internet Café, 1995.

Founding Member, South Australian Internet Association, 1995.

Fellow, South Australian Branch, Australian Computer Society, since 2003.

**Dr Ian James BAGULEY**, PO Box 242, Westmead NSW 2145

For service to medicine, particularly brain injury rehabilitation.

Senior Staff Specialist, Brain Injury Rehabilitation Service, Westmead Hospital, since 2005; Research Team Leader, since 1997; Rehabilitation Physician, since 1995.

Honorary Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Macquarie University, 2008-2013.

Clinical Senior Lecturer, Rehabilitation Medicine, University of Sydney, since 2005.

Member, International Organising Committee, International Brain Injury Association Conferences, San Francisco, 2014; Edinburgh, 2012.

Committee Member, Australian Society for the Study of Brain Impairment, 2004-2013.

Corresponding Member, American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, since 1998.

Member, Australian Medical Association, since 1987.

Board Member, Brain Injury Association of NSW, since 2009.

Current Chairman, International Consensus Steering Committee for Paroxysmal Sympathetic Hyperactivity.

Fellow, Australasian Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine, Royal Australian College of Physicians, 1995.

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

**Mrs Marjorie May BAILEY**, Killara NSW 2071

For service to the community through contributions to music organisations.

Honorary Secretary and Public Officer, New South Wales Council, Federated Music Clubs of Australia, since 2002.

Director of Music, Wahroonga Music Club, 2002-2012; Member, since the 1960s.

Honorary Secretary, Sydney Conservatorium of Music, 2005-2008.

Honorary Accompanist, Sydney Gilbert and Sullivan Society, from 1951 until to the 1980s.

Member, Sydney Cultural Council (now the Sydney Eisteddfod), from 2005.

President, Ladies Auxiliary of the 2nd Gordon Scout Group.

Honorary Treasurer, Gift Shop, Eryldene Historic House, 1984-2007.

Supporter, Columbo Plan, 1965-1990; supporting students from Asian countries studying at tertiary institutions throughout Sydney.

**Mr Peter Andrew BAINES**, Breakfast Point NSW 2137

For service to international humanitarian aid in Thailand.

Founding Director and Chairman, 'Hands Across the Water' Australia, 2005; Secretary, since 2007.

Police Officer Specialising in Forensic Services, NSW Police Force, 1986-2008.

Staff Officer, Disaster Victim Identification Commander, Bali bombing in 2002 and tsunami in South East Asia in 2005.

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

**Mrs Gladys BAK**, PO Box 145, Cootamundra NSW 2590

For service to veterans and their families.

National Secretary, Integrated Servicepeople's Association of Australia Inc, NSW, since 2001;  
Founder, Pensions and Welfare Officer.

Assistant Editor, the Association's official journal, *HATS (Helping All That Served)*; quarterly self-produced magazine.

Pensions Representative, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 2002; five Sub-Branched within the Riverina district.

Founder and Co-Curator, Military Scale Model Museum, Bethungra NSW, since 2008; caterer for visiting tour groups to the museum.

Co-Instigator, Bethungra War Memorial Dawn Service, since 1994.

Lobbyist for communication improvements, Riverina region, 2008.

Volunteer, Bethungra War Memorial upgrade, 2004.

Volunteer, Junee Reefs War Memorial upgrade, 2008.

Supporter, ANZAC Day and Remembrance Day services.

Supporter, Legacy and local Occupational Therapists.

Supporter, Vietnam Veterans and Veterans Counselling Service.

Sponsor, the Spirit of ANZAC, Illabo and Eurongilly Public Schools.

**Mr Robert Richard BAK**, PO Box 145, Cootamundra NSW 2590

For service to veterans and their families.

National President, Integrated Servicepeople's Association of Australia Inc, NSW, since 2001;  
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Editor, Association's official journal, *HATS (Helping All That Served)*; quarterly self-produced magazine.

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Founder, Tour Guide and Co-Curator, Military Scale Model Museum, Bethungra NSW, since 2008.

Lobbyist for communication improvements, Riverina region, 2008.

Volunteer, Bethungra War Memorial Dawn Service, since 1994.

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Sponsor, the Spirit of ANZAC, Illabo and Eurongilly Public Schools.

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**Mr Joseph Nicholas BAKHASH**, 83 King Street, Cloncurry Qld 4824  
For service to the community of Cloncurry.

Auxiliary Captain, Cloncurry Station, Queensland Fire and Rescue Service, since 2001;  
Deputy Captain, 1988-2001; Auxiliary Firefighter, since 1970.

Delegate, Australian Rail, Tram and Bus Union, for over 30 years; Queensland Executive Member, for many years.

Volunteer, St Joseph's Catholic School, for many years; fundraiser; School Grounds Maintenance Officer.

Founding Committee Member, Brothers Rugby League Club, Cloncurry, from 1968; Coach, for 15 years.

Australia Day Committee Member, for many years.

Awards/recognition include:  
Centenary Medal, 2001.

**Dr Pratish Chandra BANDOPADHAYAY**, 4 Baker Avenue, Glen Waverley Vic 3150  
For service to the Bengali and Nepalese community.

President, Bengali Association of Victoria, 1998-1999 and 2002-2003; Hindu Priest, since 1989.

Inaugural Secretary, Sur-Chhando, 2009; Founding Member.

President, Bengali Literary Society, 2002-2003; Treasurer, 2004-2006; Secretary.

Member, Executive Committee, Keith Chenhall Foundation, since 2002.

Secretary, Federation of Indian Associations of Victoria; 'India 2000'.

Co-Founder and Inaugural President, Nepal Australia Friendship Association.

Inaugural Committee Member, Indian Descendant Engineers and Scientists.

Principal Research Scientist, Thermal and Ventilation Engineering, CSIRO, part-time since 2006.

Project Leader, Solar Refrigeration Project, from 2005 until his retirement in 2006.

Team Leader, Thermal and Ventilation Engineering, 1999-2005.

Principal Research Scientist, Advanced Fluid Dynamics Laboratory, 1996-1999.

Principal Research Scientist, Division of Building Construction and Engineering, 1989-1996.

Principal Research Scientist, Division of Energy Technology, 1987-1999.

Research Scientist, several divisions, 1978-1987.

Secretary, Australian National Committee, International Institute of Refrigeration, 1995-1997 and 2000-2002; Member, since 1991.

Member, Thermodynamics and transfer Processes (Commission B1), since 2000.

Chairman, Commission Meeting Technical Committee, 1994-1996.

Member, Organising Committee, Joint Commission Meeting, 1994-1996.

Technologist, Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Queensland, 1975-1978.

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**Mr Ronald Frederick BARKER**, 2/96 Hawdon Street, Heidelberg Vic 3084

For service to cultural heritage, particularly the history of fire services.

President, Fire Services Museum, Victoria, 1983-1993; Vice-President, 1980-1983. Life Member.

Member, Metropolitan Fire Board Fire Equipment Service, 1961-1992; assisted in the establishment of Fire Brigade Historical Society, 1972.

**Dr Ramzi BARNOUTI**, 147 Smart Street, Fairfield Heights NSW 2165

For service to the community through a range of multicultural and health organisations.

Board Member and Public Officer, Iraqi Australian Christian Association, since 2009; President, 2007-2009; Founding Member, since 2006.

Volunteer Adviser and supporter of the Aag NGO Iraqi Association.

Board Member, Arab Council Australia, since 2009. Lecturer, 'Save Use of Medicines' seminars, National Prescribing Service, since 2010.

Volunteer, Migration Support Program, Australian Red Cross, since 2006; Founder, Pro-bono Medical Program.

Volunteer Translator, English-Arabic, *Information Booklet for the Patients*, Westmead Fertility Centre, 2007.

Author and Publisher of numerous scientific papers, including *The Gulf War in 1991 was more destructive to Iraqi Semen Profile than the 2003 War*, presented to the Fertility Society of Australia in 2006.

Author, *Fertility and Infertility*; Arabic, 2001.

Author, *Human Semen and Infertility*; Arabic, 1993.

Awards/recognition include:

Volunteer of the Year, Australian Red Cross, 2007; for contribution to humanitarian program.

Volunteering Award, NSW Community Relations Commission, 2007.

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

**The Reverend Trevor Phillips BARRETT**, 16/8-10 Casuarina Drive,  
Cherrybrook NSW 2126  
For service to the community through roles within the adult education sector.

Founder/Organiser and teacher of computer skills, Leisure and Learning, Pennant Hills Uniting Church, since 1997.

Honorary Chaplain, Mawarra retirement village, West Pennant Hills, 2002-2010.  
Chaplain and supernumerary, 8 hostels and retirement homes in the Leichhardt Parish, 1988-1990.  
Minister, Uniting Church in Australia, 1954-1988.

Awards/recognition include:  
Certificate of Appreciation, Mawarra retirement village, 2007

**Mr John Robert BARWICK**, Manilla NSW 2346  
For service to the community, particularly through the Uniting Church in Australia.

Current Secretary, Church Council, Manilla/Barraba Uniting Church; Elder; Lay Preacher; Member, since 1954; (Methodist Church, 1954-1977; and Uniting Church, since 1977).  
Volunteer, Methodist Young Peoples Club; Leader, 1958-1977; Youth Group Leader, 1977-1996.  
Leader, Anglican/Uniting Church Connections Youth Group, 1997-2009.  
Organiser, Annual Coastal Camp for Youth, since 1975; involving 39 camps.  
Organiser, Bike for Bibles Ride, Bible Society Australia, for 23 years.  
Member, Kairos Prison Ministry Team, on four occasions since 2005.  
Writes monthly Uniting Church message (*Thought of the Week*) in local *Manilla Express* newspaper, since 2001.

Manilla and District Cricket Association; Member, 1955-1994; Life Member, 1988; Board of Control Member, ca1968-1990.  
Member, Manilla Cricket Umpires Association.

Delivered Manilla's ANZAC Day Oration, 2009, 2011 and 2013.

Awards/recognition include:  
Manilla Sports Award, 1979.

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

**Mr Thomas John BASCOMBE**, Port Lincoln SA 5606

For service to the community of the Eyre Peninsula.

Treasurer, Axel Stenross Maritime Museum, 1985-2009; volunteer, since 1982.

President, Rotary Club of Port Lincoln, 1977; former Treasurer; Member, 1968-1999; current Honorary Member.

Member, Men's Probus Club of Port Lincoln; retired in 2010 after 25 years' service; former President.

Board Member, Matthew Flinders Homes, 1981-2000.

Member, Parent Committee, 3rd Port Lincoln Sea Scout Group, in the late 1950s.

President, Scouts Combined Group Committee, in the late 1950s.

**Mr Ryley Douglas BATT**, Port Macquarie NSW 2444

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Australian Wheelchair Rugby Team, London 2012 Paralympics Games.

Silver Medallist, Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.

Competitor, Athens 2004 Paralympic Games.

Silver Medallist, World Championships, 2010.

Gold Medallist, Great Britain Cup, 2011.

Gold Medallist, Asia Oceania Regional Championships, 2011

Visits schools, businesses and local community groups to tell his story and spread the Paralympic message in New South Wales coastal regions.

Other awards/recognition include:

Team Athlete of the Year, NSW Institute of Sport, 2012.

Ambassador, Australian Paralympic Committee.

Ambassador, Suncorp.

Current Ambassador, Port Macquarie Youth Hub.

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

**Mr Luigi BAZZANI**, 1422 Sturt Street, Lake Wendouree Vic 3350  
For service to the food and wine tourism industry.

Owner, Warrenmang Vineyard (since 1978) and Resort (1989), and Bazzani Wines.  
Actively involved with the hospitality industry in regional Victoria, serving as owner of The Copper Pot Restaurant in Bendigo, 1970; La Scala Restaurant in Ballarat, since 1976; and Lamby's Bar and Café Lascelles at the National Wool Museum in Geelong, 1988.  
Former President and Life Member, Wine and Food Society of Ballarat.  
Established Vineyard Escapes in Ballarat to further promote wine tourism in the Pyrenees region, 2002.

Rebuilt and refurbished original The Copper Pot Restaurant in Bendigo and re-opened as Tourism Complex including Ristoranté Bazzani, The Piazza Caffé, The Icon, and Black Swan Bar/Entertainment area, 1995.

Founding Sponsor, Ballarat Art Gallery Foundation.  
Committee Member, Industry Professionals Board, Faculty of Hospitality, University of Ballarat.  
Supporter of a range of local organisations including Bendigo Overton Children's Home, Ballarat Cancer Research, Ballarat Child and Family Services, both Ballarat and Bendigo Base Hospitals, and the Avoca Regional Suicide Awareness Program.

Awards/recognition include:

Named a Legend of the Melbourne Food and Wine Festival, 2008.  
Goldfields Tourism Award for Best Restaurant and Best Winery, 1999.  
*The Age* Special Annual Award for Professional Excellence, 1999.  
Winner, Victorian Government Small Business of the Year, 1993.

**Mr Andrew Garth BEADLE**, PO Box 686, Duncraig WA 6023  
For service to the civil aviation industry, particularly air traffic management.

Inaugural International Federation of Air Traffic Controllers Associations (IFATCA) Representative, International Civil Aviation Organisation, 2008-2011; also served as Member, Air Traffic Management Requirements and Performance Panel.  
Executive Vice-President Technical, IFATCA, 1999-2002 and 2009-2011; also served as Secretary, IFATCA Annual Conference, 2011.  
Author, *IFATCA Statement on Future Air Traffic Management*.

Vice-President Technical, Civil Air, Civil Air Operations Officers Association of Australia, 1996-2000; Perth Delegate, 1993-1996; Life Member, 2006.

Air Traffic Controller, Airservices Australia, 1978-2006.

Awards/recognition include:

Scroll of Honour, International Civil Aviation Organisation, 2011.  
Australia Day Achievement Award, Airservices Australia, 2006.



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**Mr Julian John BEAUMONT**, PO Box 1155, Double Bay NSW 1360  
For service to the arts, and to health and care of the aged community.

Board Member, National Gallery of Australia Foundation, since 2009; Philanthropic contributions.

Chairman, Macquarie Bank Collection, Macquarie Bank, 1987-2013; Judge, National Sculpture Prize, 2003-2007.

Board Member, Artbank Australia, 2005-2009.

Inaugural Advisory Board Member, National Art School, 1996-2002; Donor and Scholarship Provider.

Board Member, Artspace Visual Arts Centre, Sydney, since 2011.

Founding Governor, Museum of Sydney; 'Hunter Governor'.

Vice-President, Art Gallery of New South Wales Society, 1996-2002.

Founding Governor and Chairman, Historic Houses Trust of New South Wales Foundation, 1995-2000.

Supporter, Melbourne Art Foundation.

Chairman, St Luke's Care, since 2002; Director, since 1996.

Mentor, ACT Brumbies; Super 15 Rugby team.

Financial Supporter, Sydney University Rugby Union Football Club.

Chairman, Southern Cross Exports, 2004-2009.

Development Consultant, Accenture, USA, 1996-2002.

Chairman, IT&T Services Pty Ltd, 1996-2001.

Operations Director, Macquarie Bank, 1983-1997; joined, 1972; roles with several Macquarie-owned toll road companies in New South Wales and Victoria, 1996-2009, including:

- Director, Sydney Roads Group, 2006-2007.
- Director, ConnectEast Holding Trust Group, Melbourne, 2006-2007.
- Chairman, Statewide Roads (M4), 2000-2007.
- Chairman, Airport Motorway Group (M1 - Eastern Distributor), 1999-2007.
- Chairman, Interlink Roads Pty Ltd (M5), 1996-2007.

Co-Author, *The Macquarie Group Collection: The land and its Psyche*, 2013.

Awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, Museum of Contemporary Art.

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

**Dr Jurriaan Jan BEEK**, Casino NSW 2470  
For service to medicine, and to the community.

General Practitioner, Casino Medical Centre, specialising in Obstetrics, since 1980.  
Visiting Medical Officer, Casino and District Memorial Hospital, since 1980.  
Diploma Examiner, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetrics and Gynaecology Board of Examiners, since 2005; Diploma holder, since 1980.  
Selection Panel Member, John Flynn Medical Scholarship, for several years.

Conjoint Lecturer, University of Western Sydney School of Medicine, since 2011.  
Actively involved in the education of medical students on rotation at the Casino Medical Centre, since 1981.  
Variously Treasurer, Vice-President and President, Casino Branch of Challenge Foundation, 1981-1995.  
Justice of the Peace, since 1991.  
Member, Casino Aero Club, for many years.  
Made several documentary video recordings about local Bundjalung history as told by a late Indigenous elder.

Fellow, Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine, since 2000.

**Mr Mathew Anthony BELCHER**, Mermaid Beach Qld 4218  
For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Olympic Champion, Sailing (470 Men), London 2012 Olympic Games.

1st, Sail for Gold Regatta, Great Britain, 2012.  
2nd, Olympic Test Event, Great Britain, 2011.  
1st, Sailing World Cup, Germany, 2011.  
2nd, Sailing World Cup, England, 2011.  
1st, Sailing World Cup, The Netherlands, 2011.

4 times 470 World Champion, 2010-2013; France, Spain, Australia, and The Netherlands.  
Twice 470 European Champion, 2011 and 2013.

Other awards/recognition include:  
Finalist, World Sailor of the Year, 2010, 2012 and 2013.

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

**Mr Charles Frederic BELFORD**, Winthrop WA 6150

For service to the community of Western Australia.

Justice of the Peace, since 1977; Civil Marriage Celebrant, since 1995.

State President, Royal Association of Justices of Western Australia, 2009-2010; Vice-President, 2003-2009; Councillor, 2000-2002; Secretary and Treasurer, Fremantle Branch, 2000-2004.

Provides a Justice of the Peace service to the residents of St John of God Murdoch Hospital, since 2010.

Current Interview Supervisor, Rangeview Juveniles Remand Centre.

Training provider on court procedures to new recruits, West Australian Police Academy, 2003-2006.

Adjudicator, Fremantle Courthouse, Joondalup Courthouse and Central Law Courts, 1982-2007.

President, Council of Motoring Clubs of Western Australia, since 2013; Vice-President, 2005-2011; Secretary, 1997-2004.

State Delegate, Australian Historical Motoring Federation, since 1991; Organiser, Annual General Meeting in Perth, 2002 and 2010; Member, Organising Committee, 'Maurice Brockwell Memorial Run' and 'Classic Car Show' annual events.

Member, Austin Motor Vehicle Club of Western Australia, since 1992.

Secretary, Treasurer, Member and Magazine Editor, Austin Seven Club of Western Australia, for over 12 years.

Treasurer, Tractor Museum of Western Australia, 2002-2007; Member, since 2000.

Member, Veteran Car Club of Western Australia, since 2002.

Treasurer, Fremantle Sub-Branch, National Serviceman's Association, since 2012; Member, Western Australian Branch, since 2001.

Current Auditor, Grand Lodge of Western Australia.

Treasurer, United Press Lodge, for 10 years; Member, since 1976.

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

**Mr Eric John BEUTEL**, PO Box 294, Caboolture Qld 4510

For service to the community of Caboolture.

Founding and Active Member, Caboolture Community Action, for many years.  
Co-Founder and Treasurer, Caboolture Greet and Meet, since 2011.  
Current Foundering Member, Buranga Widjung Justice Group, and Publicity Officer.  
Bus Driver, Caboolture PCYC Waminda Respite Centre, for 11 years.  
Volunteer, Urban Country Music Festival, Caboolture, for 10 years; Busking Coordinator.  
Founding Member, Spiders Boxing Club; President, for 5 years.

Treasurer, National Council, National Servicemen's Association of Australia, for 11 years;  
Queensland State Delegate, for 2 years; Vice-President, Qld State Management Committee,  
for one year; Committee Member, for 4 years.  
Inaugural President and Founding Member, Caboolture Sub-Branch, National Servicemen's  
Association of Australia; Founder, Sunshine Coast, Redcliffe and Tablelands Rockhampton  
Sub-Branches.  
Treasurer, National Servicemen's Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, for  
9 years; Member, for 11 years.

**Mrs Beverley Narelle BIRD**, 23 Beauchamp Street, Albany WA 6330

For service to music, and to the community of Albany.

Accompanist, Albany Choral Society, since 1959.  
Vice-President, Albany Eisteddfod (Inc), for 30 years; President, 2013; Committee Member,  
since 1980; Life Member, 2007.  
Resident organist, Albany Wesley Uniting Church, since 1959.  
Chair or Member, Wesley Uniting Church Council, since 1985.  
Rehearsal and Performance Accompanist for the opening of the Albany Entertainment Centre,  
2010.

President of Member, Spencer Park Primary School P&C Committee, for 10 years.  
Accompanist, Spencer Park Primary School choirs.

Secretary, Albany Senior High School Education Council, for 5 years.  
Accompanist, Albany Senior High School musical productions.

Facilitator for the acquisition of pianos for four churches in the City of Albany.

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

**Mrs M Shirley BISHOP**, 43 Bligh Street, Gympie Qld 4570

For service to the community of Gympie.

Member, Gympie Show Society, over 30 years; Organiser, Show dinners and balls; Manager, Show Princess Quest; Programming; Judging; Timetabling, ongoing.  
Secretary, Gympie Committee, Miss Australia Quest, 1965-1975.

Council Member, St Patrick's Parish, for 3 years; volunteer, Parish Caring Mass, for the past 10 years; volunteer, local Catholic schools; involved with Church Debutante training; Church volunteer.

Member, Gympie Conference, St Vincent de Paul Society, since 1999; Welfare Client Interviewer, since 2007; Charity Centre Volunteer, 1996-1999.

Supporter, Rotary Club of Gympie, since 1959;.

President, 'Rotary Annes', 1965-1966; current Member.

Co-Founding Volunteer Driver, Gympie Meals on Wheels, for over 34 years.

Current volunteer, Friends of the Court Support Program.

Volunteer Driver, Red Cross Handicap Centre.

Volunteer Driver, Friends of Gympie Home Library.

Volunteer, Gympie Pony Club.

Raffle Secretary, Gympie Kindergarten, ongoing.

Various Executive positions including President and Secretary, Gympie Contract Bridge Club, for over 40 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Gympie, 2009.

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

**Mrs Dorothy May BLACKER**, 5 Kelly Street, Cobar NSW 2835  
For service to the community of Cobar.

A range of executive roles including President, Vice President; Secretary; Publicity Officer and International Delegate, Cobar Branch, Country Women's Association, since 1955.

Secretary, Far Western Group, Country Women's Association, for 3 years; Publicity and Group Officer, for 5 years.

President, Lilliane Brady Village; Member, since the 1990s.

Secretary/Treasurer, Combined Pensioners and Superannuation Group, for many years.

Secretary/Treasurer, Over Fifties Social Club, for many years.

Representative, Isolated Children's Association, in the 1950s.

Member, Cobar Branch, St Vincent de Paul Society.

Member, Cobar Meals on Wheels.

Member, Cobar Museum Association.

Volunteer, Royal Far West Children's Health Scheme; Cobar Legacy Club; House With No Steps; Cobar Public School; Cobar Cadets; Cobar Scouts and Guides; Cobar Little Athletics; and the Cobar Soccer Club.

Awards/recognition include:

Cobar Citizen of the Year, Cobar Shire Council, 2010.

Cobar International Women of the Year, International Women's Day, 2010.

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

**Mr Robert McChristie BLACKLOW**, 4 Hassell Place, Glenorchy Tas 7010  
For service to the arts through the production of fine furniture and marquetry.

Cabinet maker/producer of traditional furniture  
Self-employed furniture designer, maker and marquetarian.

Notable commissions include:

The Senate Chamber, Parliament House, Canberra: Central furniture - Marquetry Screen Wall, President's Desk, Central Table; plus the Hansard Desk (Tasmania's gift to the New Parliament House).

Marquetry picture for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Boardroom furniture, *The Mercury* newspaper.

Boardroom furniture, Tassal, Hobart.

Part-time Lecturer, Woodskills, Design in Wood, School of Art, University of Tasmania, 1978-1992.

Teacher-in-Charge, Cabinet Making, Hobart Technical College, 1974-1990.

President, Woodcraft Guild of Tasmania, 1997-2000; Member, 1997-2010; current Friend of the Guild.

Member, Hobart Branch, International Timber Association, long-term.

Supporter of organisations including the Make a Wish Foundation

Exhibitions and Awards include:

Working in Wood, *The Examiner*; 1st prize, 1998 and 1999.

Tasmanian Wood design collection, 1990 and 1999.

World Forestry Day Award, Forest Industry Association of Tasmania, 1997.

Norton Ladkin Memorial Award, 1996.

Tasmanian Woodcraft Competition; 1st and 2nd prize Traditional Furniture; Award for use of Veneers, 1989.

Forestry Exhibition, Hobart; 1st prize Crafters Choice; 3rd prize Woodturning Category, 1988.

Circular Head Arts Festival; 1st prize Tasmanian Oak Award, 1988.

'Design in Wood' Exhibition, Fine Arts Gallery, University of Tasmania, 1983.

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

**Mr Allan William BLIGH**, 101/67 Carabella Street, Kirribilli NSW 2061

For service to general aviation.

Involved in the supply and modification recommendations of general aviation aircraft in Australia for many years.

Established Australian distribution and service centres for Piper aircraft, in the 1990s.

Principal of an agency for Beechcraft aircraft.

Executive positions with distributor of Cessna Aircraft Company, Mooney Aviation Company and Hughes Helicopters. Aircraft Sales Representative, Ansett General Aviation, commenced in 1969.

Involved in training.

Involved in the establishment of motion flight simulation and 'glass cockpit' training for general aviation purposes.

Publisher, *Asia Pacific Aviation News*.

Current Vice-President, Royal Federation of Aero Clubs of Australia; Representative, Standards Consultative Committee, Civil Aviation Safety Authority; Representative, Pricing Consultative Committee, Airservices Australia.

Current Director, Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association.

Current President, Sydney Schofield's Flying Club Ltd.



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

**Mr Ian Henry BOCK**, 13 Bruce Street, Mount Waverley Vic 3149

For service to the arts through a range of photographic associations, and to the community.

President, Victorian Association of Photographic Societies, 2001-2002; Committee Member, 1985-2005; Treasurer, for 5 years; Public Officer, for 10 years; Melbourne Camera Club Delegate, since 1985.

President, Melbourne Camera Club, for 8 years; Treasurer, for 15 years; Board Member, since 1967; also served as Secretary; current Vice-President; Member, since 1965; Honorary Life Member, 1988; Organised, Production of Club Trophies, since 1980s; Presenter/Instructor, Introduction to Photography Course, for many years; established the Morning Camera Club, operated for 5 years.

Current Principal Worker, project to copy all prints in Permanent Collection to digital format, Australian Photographic Society; Member, since 1966; Committee Member, National Convention, Geelong in 1993, and Shepparton in 2001; Presenter, Melbourne in 1985, and Launceston in 1988.

Life Member, Australian Portfolio Photographic Society, 2006; Member, since 1973; current Member, Digital Folio and Colour Slide Folio; Newsletter Editor, 1993-2005.

Former Committee Member, Victorian International Geelong Exhibition of Photography (VIGEX) International Photographic Salon; Judge, 1996.

Current; Member, Friends of VIGEX.

Foundation Member, Australian Photographic Collectors' Society, since 1976.

Member, Melbourne PC Users Group, since 1990.

Presenter, Photoshop Workshop Tutorial Group, since 2008.

Convenor, Digital Imaging Interest Sub-Group, Retired and Interested Persons Interest Group, 1992-2013.

Current Elder, St John's Uniting Church, Mount Waverley; also donated 10 albums (each containing 300 prints) of the church's activities, 2010.

Member, Friends of the Highway Gallery, Waverley Arts Society, since 2010.

Current Treasurer, Area Monash 041/042 Mount Waverley-Valley Reserve, Neighbourhood Watch; Member, since 1987.

Current Member, Waverley Art Society; official photographer.

Speaker and/or judge at many camera clubs, church, Probus and other community groups.

Saved a large collection of historic photographs of Monsanto Australia Ltd/Huntsman Chemicals (when West Footscray Plant was demolished) to be preserved at the Victoria State Library.

Awards/recognition include:

State Service Award Australian Photographic Society 1991.

Melbourne Camera Club Queenie Gatt Award 1990; annual award that recognises service to the club of a non-photographic nature.

State Service Award Victorian Association of Photographic Societies 1988.

Australian Photographic Society's Les Newcombe Award for excellence in experimental photography, 1984.

'The Bockey' award, named in his honour, Melbourne Camera Club.

Neighbourhood Watch 25 Years' Service Award, 2012.

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

**Mr Norman BODINNAR**, Nyah West Vic 3595

For service to the community of Nyah West.

Member, Nyah West Fire Brigade, since 1962; Captain, for 29 years; involved for many years with the Municipal Fire Prevention Committee (now the Regional Planning Committee).

President, Tooleybuc Sporting Club, 2002; Vice-President, 2003-2007; Secretary, 1991-1994, 1997-2001 and 2009-2010; Board Member, since 1986.

Member of the local hospital committee, for over 30 years.

Justice of the Peace, since 1977.

Awards/recognition include:

Lions Club Nyah District Citizenship Award, 2004.

**Mr Ian BODINNAR**, 31 Monash Avenue, Nyah West Vic 3595

For service to the community of Nyah West.

Member, Nyah West, Mid Murray and Nyah and District Fire Brigades since 1955, holding various active and administrative positions during that time.

Life Member, Nyah West Fire Brigade, 2001.

Life Member, Country Fire Authority, Victoria, 2013.

President, Swan Hill Gliding Club, for over 15 years; served as Secretary and Airworthiness Officer; Life Member of the Club, 1997.

President, Nyah West Lions Club, 1980 and 1996-1997.

Member of the local hospital committee, for many years.

Justice of the Peace, since 1975.

**Mr Bruce John BOLAM**, 'Blair Athol', 281 Keppel Street, Bathurst NSW 2795

For service to the community of Bathurst.

Mayor, Bathurst City Council, 1984-1987.

Supports many local community groups including: The Salvation Army, Bathurst Lions Club, Bathurst Historical Society and the local Anglican Cathedral by donating funds and equipment.

Chairman, Red Shield Appeal, The Salvation Army, ca2003.

Patron, Central Tablelands Rowing Club.

Foundation Member, Bathurst Rowing Club; Member and current Patron.

Member, Rotary Club of Bathurst, since 1978.

Managing Director, Bolam Property Investments.

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

**Mr Christopher Adam BOND**, Mitchelton Qld 4053

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Australian Wheelchair Rugby Team, London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist, London test event, 2011.

Gold Medallist, Great Britain Cup, 2011.

Gold Medallist, Asia/Oceania zonal championships, 2011.

National Vice-President, CanTeen Board, 2009-2011; ACT Division Representative; Member Advisory Committee, 2008-2010; Member, 2006-2011.

Other awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, The Sony Foundation.

Ambassador, The Leukaemia Foundation.

**Mr Michael James BOURKE**, Trafalgar Vic 3824

For service to the community of Trafalgar.

Founder and Editor, *Trafalgar News*, since 1999.

Foundation President, Community Newspapers Association of Victoria, 2005-2008; current Member.

Chairman, Trafalgar and District Branch, Bendigo Community Bank, since 2008; Board Member, since 2007.

President, Trafalgar Community Development Association, 2002-2006; Member, for 6 years; developed the Trafalgar Community Strategic Planning Process.

Supporter, Trafalgar Youth; leading a number of youth-attended projects and activities.

Led the development of long-term strategy for Trafalgar recreation and sporting needs.

**Mr Peter William BOYER**, 46 Grays Road, Fern Tree Tas 7054

For service to conservation and the environment, particularly in the field of climate science.

Member, Al Gore's Australian Climate Reality, since 2006.

Founder, Climate Tasmania, 2007.

Current Member, Climate Action Hobart.

Climate Adaptation Champion, National Climate Change Adaptation Research Facility, 2011.

Information Services Manager, Australian Antarctic Program, 1989-2002.

Freelance writer, *The Mercury* newspaper, since 2007.

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

**Mrs Jennifer Anne BRADBURY**, 18 Clarence Street, Shepparton Vic 3630

For service to nursing, and to the Goulburn Valley community.

Registered Nurse, Goulburn Valley Health, 1975-1990; Nurse Unit Manager, Medical Ward, during the 1970s and 1980s.

Member, Steering Committee, 1989-1990; Inaugural Nurse Coordinator, Goulburn Valley Hospice Care Service, 1990-1991; Fundraiser, for many years.

Volunteer Coordinator, Diabetes Education Service, Goulburn Valley Health; established this service in 1982.

Organiser, annual Diabetes Forum; Consumer Representative, Goulburn Valley Diabetes Strategic Committee

Established mini intensive/coronary care service in 1978.

Inaugural Oncology Care nurse, in the late 1980s; helped to establish current Oncology Unit.

Reading Volunteer, Gowrie Street Primary School, for over 20 years.

Welfare Officer, Shepparton Probus Club.

Secretary, Goulburn Valley Book Club.

**Mrs Jane Kristine BRIDGES**, 14 Oakwood Street, Sutherland NSW 2232

For service to education through support for Indigenous needs within the Catholic education system.

Aboriginal Education Adviser (K-12), Southern Region, Catholic Education Office, Sydney, since 2000; current Member, Aboriginal Education Advisory Committee.

Member, Aboriginal Education Advisory Committee, Catholic Education Commission of NSW, since 2002.

Member, General Capabilities Advisory Group, Australian Curriculum Assessment and Reporting Authority, since 2012; but unable to attend some meetings due to her work commitments with the Catholic Education Office.

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

**Mrs Carole Ann BROADHEAD**, Bermagui NSW 2546

For service to the Sapphire Coast community, and to charitable organisations.

President, Sapphire Coast Producers Association, 2007-2009; Foundation Member, for more than 20 years; Member, Rural Tourism Network, 1998; Developer and Member, Native Cut Flowers Special Interest Group, 1992.

Secretary and Public Officer, Bega Valley Home Modification and Maintenance Project, 1994-2005.

Manager, Tulgeen Disability Services, 1978-1990; volunteer.

Service to charity organisations includes:

- Co-Founder and Convenor, The Loomgrowers, 2003.
- Fundraiser, Mahboba's Promise, since 2007.
- Founder, Friends of Mahboba's Promise Bega, 2007.

**Dr Belinda Jane BROWN**, 126 Tanti Avenue, Mornington Vic 3931

For service to medicine in the field of breast cancer treatment.

Established a breast cancer service in the Mornington Peninsula in 1992.

Frankston Hospital, Victoria, since 1993.

Peninsula Private Hospital, Victoria, since 1993.

Monash Breast Screen, Victoria, since 1993.

Hull Royal Infirmary Hospital, UK, 1990-1992.

Alfred Hospital, Victoria, 1986-1990.

Fellow, Royal Australian College of Surgeons, since 1990.

Foundation Member, Breast Surgeons of Australia and New Zealand, 2010.

Member, Australasian Society of Breast Disease.

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

### **Mrs Elsie Mary BROWN,**

Unit 128 'Geelong Grove', 50 Barwarre Road, Marshall Vic 3216

For service to the community, particularly through charitable and church organisations.

Committee Member, Australian Support Committee, Bushikori Christian Centre Orphan Support (Aust) Inc, since 1998; Member, Working Party to Uganda, 1998 and 2003; Financial Sponsor; involved in fundraising.

Volunteer, Crossroads Foundation, Hong Kong, 2011.

Church Council Member and Elder, St Andrew's Uniting Church; Gifted family home to Church to provide accommodation for families of people undergoing medical treatment in Geelong; Member, Property Committee; former President, Ladies Fellowship; volunteer, range of Church initiatives.

Lady Mayoress, City of Geelong West, in the 1970s.

### **Dr James Boyer BROWN,** 45 Toseland Road, Trafalgar Vic 3824

For service to medical education, and to the community.

Chair, National Director of Training Group, Australian Medical Education Network, 2010-2013. Director of Training, GetGP - Gippsland Training Program, since 2005; Senior Medical Educator, 1997-2006.

Examiner, Royal Australian College of General Practitioners, since 2001; participant, Continuing Professional Development Program, since 1996.

Visiting Medical Officer, Latrobe Regional Hospital and West Gippsland Hospital, Warragul, since 1988.

Senior Lecturer, School of Rural Health, Monash University, 1999-2004.

General Practitioner, Trafalgar area, since 1988.

Member, Trafalgar Community Development Association.

Fellow, Royal Australian College of General Practitioners.

Awards/recognition include:

Trafalgar Citizen of the Year, Baw Baw Shire Council, 2012.

National Medical Educator of the Year, General Practice Education and Training, 2009.

Victorian Rural Doctors Award, Rural Workforce Agency Victoria, 2009.

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

**Mrs Gillian Jayne BROWNHILL**, 1411 Eumundi-Noosa Road, Eumundi Qld 4562  
For service to the conservation of Australian fauna.

Founder and President, Eumundi Wildlife Rehabilitation Centre, since 1997.

Awards/recognition include:

Environmental Category, Pride of Australia Medal (Queensland), 2012.

Eumundi Australia Day, Eumundi Historical Association, 2010; for caring for and promoting awareness of native fauna.

Australia Day Award, Sunshine Coast Regional Council, 2008.

**Mr Anthony Malcolm BRUCE**, 21/39 Wearing Road, Bargara Qld 4670  
For service to veterans and their families, and to the community.

Foundation Member, North-Western Sub-Branch, National Servicemen's Association; Life Member since 2008; Welfare Officer.

President, Moree Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, 2006-2009; Treasurer, 2004-2005; Welfare and Pension Officer, 2009-2012; Member, 2003-2012; Fundraiser, ANZAC Day and Remembrance Day.

Zone Chairman, District 201N1, Lions International and Cabinet Member.

Past President, Moree Lions Club; Member, for over 30 years.

Active supporter, Moree Botanic Gardens.

Committee Member, Moree Race Club.

Member, Stock and Station Agents Association; Licensed Auctioneer.

**Mr William Francis BUCKLE**, Church Point NSW 2105  
For service to the motor vehicle industry as a designer and retailer.

Founder and Proprietor of Bill Buckle Autos, 1961; current Dealer Principal, The Bill Buckle Group

Involved in many sectors of the motor vehicle industry including sales, design, and research and development, especially in the use of composite materials and fibreglass in the construction of vehicles.

Designed and built the fibreglass bodied Buckle Coupé in 1955 (only 24 produced).

Manufactured/assembled other fibreglass bodied vehicles from imported mechanical parts, including the Goggomobil Dart which was also designed by Mr Buckle.

Sponsor of many organisations including the Variety Club of Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Design Award for the 'Autosun Sportsroof', 1977.

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

**Ms Rhonda Suzanne BURCHMORE**, Armadale Vic 3143

For service to the performing arts, and to the community.

Ms Burchmore has been involved with the Australian entertainment industry as an actress, singer, dancer and recording artist for over 25 years.

She has performed in a range of roles including:

- *Cry Me a River*, RB Productions, 2012; *Legs11*, 2011; and *Fever*, 2005.
- *Little Orphan Trashley*, Melbourne Theatre Company, 2012; *The Drowsy Chaperone*, 2010; *Tomfoolery*, 2006; *Urinetown*, 2004; and *Into The Woods*, 1998.
- Perth Cabaret & Comedy Carnival, 2011.
- *Cry Me a River*, Adelaide Cabaret Festival, 2011
- *The Boyfriend*, The Production Company, 2009; and *Mame*, 1999 and 2008.
- *Respect*, Jim McPherson, 2007.
- *My Funny Valentines*, Star City, 2005.
- *Leading Ladies*, Queensland Performing Arts Centre, 2004.
- *Rhonda Burchmore Sings and Swings*, 2003.
- *Mamma Mia*, Dainty Organisation, 2001 and 2001.
- *Easter Parade*, New York, 1998.
- *Red Hot and Rhonda*, Crown Casino, 1997.
- *Hey Hey its Cinderella*, Somers Carroll, 1996.
- *Aladdin*, IMG Australia, 1996.
- *Hot Shoe Shuffle*, David Atkins Enterprises, London, 1992-1994.
- *Stop the World, I want to get off*, West End London, 1989.
- *Sugar Babies*, Australia and West End London, 1985-1987.

Regular guest, *Hey Hey, it's Saturday*, in the 1990s.

Various performances, Australia and United Kingdom, 1980-1990.

Recordings include 5 albums:

- *Rhonda Burchmore*.
- *Pure Imagination*.
- *Cry Me a River – the world of Julie London*.
- *Midnight Rendezvous*.
- *Live at the Melbourne Concert Hall*.

Patron, Australian Youth Choir.

Supporter, over 30 charitable organisations including Alzheimer's Australia; Vision Australia; Red Nose Day and RSPCA.

Awards/recognition include:

Female Vocal Performer of the Year, Australian Club Entertainment awards, 2011.

Best Female Variety Performer, 'Mo' Award, Australian Entertainment, 2000;

Best Female Variety Performer, Australian Club Entertainment awards, 1999 and 2000;

Variety Performer of the Year, 1999.

Ambassador, Heartfelt Kids, Victoria, AIDS Australia, Very Special Kids Charity.



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

**Mrs Leonie Ruth BURGESS**, 5 Flavio Avenue, Parafield Gardens SA 5107  
For service to highland dancing.

National Secretary, Australian Board of Highland Dancing.  
Technical Secretary, South Australian State Committee of Highland Dancing.  
State Coordinator annual State concert for schools.  
Highland Dance tutor at Scotch College, for 24 years.  
Has taught dancers at Royal Caledonian Society of South Australia and Port Adelaide Caledonian Society, for over 25 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Awarded a medal by the Federation of Ethnic Communities' Councils of Australia in appreciation of her contribution to Australian multiculturalism, 2004.

**Mr John BURKE**, Bendigo Vic 3550  
For service to athletics.

Athletics Coach, since the 1960s.  
Competitor, in the 1950s and 1960s.  
Founding Member, Bendigo Athletics Club, 1974; Life Member, since 1981; volunteer Official, for many years; current Clubroom Caretaker.

Awards/recognition include:

President's Award, Victorian Athletic League, 2008/2009.  
President's Award for Outstanding Service, Bendigo Athletics Club, 1977; Best Clubman, 1980.

**Mr Donald Hamish CAMERON**, 602/22 Point Street, Pyrmont NSW 2009  
For service to the entertainment industry.

Board Member, Forces Entertainment, ongoing since 2003; Member, Advisory Committee; Producer, Promotional DVD, 2005.

Assistant Producer, *Farnham and Friends for Xmas* DVD, 2011.  
Co-Producer, *Troops of East Timor* Live Event, 2002.

Chief Executive Officer, Chief Entertainment, ongoing since 2000.  
Chief Executive Officer, Triple M Broadcasting, 1980-1987.

Member, Advisory Council, University of New South Wales College of Fine Arts, ongoing since 2011.

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

**Ms Cate Natalie CAMPBELL**, 21/6 Primrose Street, Bowen Hills Qld 4006  
For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Olympic Champion, Women's 4x100m Freestyle Relay, London 2012 Olympic Games.

Bronze Medallist, Women's 50m Freestyle, Beijing 2008 Olympic Games; Bronze Medallist, Women's 4x100m Freestyle Relay.

Gold Medallist, Women's 100m Freestyle, 2013 World Swimming Championships; Silver Medallist, Women's 50m Freestyle, 4x100m Medley Relay and 4x100m Freestyle Relay.

Bronze Medallist, Women's 50m Freestyle, 2009 World Swimming Championships.

Winner, Women's 50m and 100m Freestyle, 2013 Australian National Swimming Championships.

Winner, Women's 50m Freestyle, 2012 Australian National Swimming Championships.

**Mr Peter McEachern CAMPBELL**, 11/15 St Canice Avenue, Sandy Bay Tas 7005  
For service to yachting as a journalist.

Current Member, Australia Day Regatta Management Committee.

Current Media Officer, Launceston-Hobart Yacht Race.

Media Director, Rolex Sydney to Hobart Yacht Race, 1991-2005.

Media Consultant, Cruising Yacht Club of Australia, 1994-2005.

Current Editor-at-Large, *Offshore Yachting*; and Editor, 1971-2006.

Member, Royal Yacht Club of Tasmania, since 1984; current Honorary Editor, *Tasmanian Yachtsman*.

Member, Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron, 1991-2009; current Honorary Media Officer.

Member, Cruising Yacht Club of Australia, since 1977.

Editor, *Modern Boating*, 1975-1982.

Senior Reporter, News Editor and Feature Editor, *The Land*, for 13 years.

Journalist, *The Mercury* newspaper, Hobart, 1946-1948; still yachting contributor.

Journalist, *Daily Telegraph* and *ABC News*.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

Sport Promotion Award (formerly Media Award), Yachting Australia, 1998-1999 and 2004-2005.

Meritorious Service Award, Rolex Sydney to Hobart Yacht Race, 2012.

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

**Mr Guido CANALE BEM**, 39 Manson Road, Hendra Qld 4011

For service to the Italian community.

Vice-President, Three Saints Feast Brisbane; former Secretary; Member, for over 27 years.

Director, Co.As.It, for 27 years.

Leadership roles with Casa Italia Community Centre; Life Member.

Director, Italian Chamber of Commerce, for 3 years.

Owner of the largest Italian travel agency in Queensland.

Member, Fortitude Valley Rotary Club, for 45 years.

Director, Football Queensland, since 2005.

Director, Queensland Soccer Federation, 1990-2005.

President, Brisbane Football Club, for 15 years; Life Member; current Trustee.

Member, Australian Federation of Travel Agents.

Awards/recognition include:

British Empire Medal for his service to the Italian community and sport, 1978.

Cavaliere dell' Ordine della Stella della Solidarietà Italiana (Knight of the Order of the Star of Italian Solidarity).

Paul Harris Fellow, Fortitude Valley Rotary Club.

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

**Mrs Maureen Louise CAPP**, 905/265 Exhibition Street, Melbourne Vic 3000  
For service to the community of Melbourne, particularly through advocacy roles for residents.

Founder and Chairperson, Residents Rights since 2006.  
Chairperson, Wesley Historic Precinct Action Group, since 2009.  
Treasurer, Residents 3000, 1999-2003.

Member, Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (Physiotherapy Board), since 2011.  
Member, Building Practitioners Board, since 2012.  
Council Member and Treasurer, Victorian Association of TAFE, 1997-2001.  
Chairman, Gas Appeals Board, 1999- 2000.  
Member, Electricity Appeals Board, 1999-2000.  
Member of Management Program Advisory Committee, Victoria University of Technology, 1992-2000.  
Chairman, Advisory Council, St Columba's Ladies College, Essendon, 1983-1988.  
Member of Transport Accident Commission, Board of Rehabilitation at Glen Waverley, 1987-1989.  
Justice of the Peace, since 2010.

Director, J M & M L Capp Pty Ltd, since 1998.  
Finance Manager, City of Maribyrnong, 1996-1998.  
Manager - Projects, Department of Treasury and Finance, Privatisations and Industry Reform Division, 1993-1996.  
General Manager, Victorian Accident Rehabilitation Council, Management Services Division, Policy Planning and Research Division, 1991-1993.  
Accountant. Linfox Group, 1990.  
General Manager, Transport Accident Commission, Corporate Services Division, 1986-1989.  
Manager - Administration, Department of Employment and Industrial Affairs, 1985-1986.  
Deputy Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Legal and Registry Division, Ministry of Housing, 1984-1985.  
Lecturer in Accounting, Footscray Institute of Technology, 1980-1985.

**Mr John Robert CARLYON**, PO Box 262, Preston Vic 3072  
For service to the welfare of veterans and their families.

Welfare Advocate, Naval Association of Australia, 1996-2011;  
President, Sandgate Sub-Section, 2003-2012; Vice-President, 2000-2003; Members Social Functions Organiser, 1994-2011.  
Delegate to Queensland State Council, 1996-1998 and 2006-2011.  
Assistant State Secretary, Queensland, 1998-1999; Member, since 1969; Life Member, 2011.

Past President, Far East Strategic Reserve Navy Association; Founding Member, 1998.  
Host of Homestay students from St Paul's School, Bald Hill, for over 14 years.

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

**Mr Cameron Micheal CARR**, Wellington Point Qld 4160  
For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Australian Wheelchair Rugby Team, London 2012 Paralympics Games.

Silver Medallist, Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.  
Silver Medallist, World Championships, 2010.

Currently involved in teaching the community about disability and Paralympic sport.

Other awards/recognition include:

Sports Award, Redlands City Council, Australia Day, 2013.  
Team of the Year Award, Queensland Academy of Sport, 2012.  
Current Ambassador, Paralympic Education Program.  
Ambassador, 'Be the Influence'.

**Mr Eric Ronald CARRIGAN**, 2 Gwydir Street, Moree NSW 2400  
For service to the community, particularly to people with a disability.

Treasurer and Board Member, Gwydir Industries, since 2001.  
Secretary, Moree Division of Sydney Legacy, 2000-2010; President, 1997-1999;  
Vice-President, 1995-1996; Member, since 1992; Member, Rivergums Retirement Village Building Committee.  
Trustee, Gurley Sport and Recreational Ground, since 1989; former Chairman.  
President, Moree Picnic Race Club, for 4 years; Committee Member, 1982-2003.  
Patron, Gurley Pony Club, since 1995.  
Member, Gurley Rodeo Committee, 1978-1985.  
Committee Member, Moree Show Society, 1975-1982.  
Chairman, Gurley Silo Committee; Member, 1985-1988.

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

**Ms Caroline Mary CARROLL**, Surrey Hills Vic 3127

For service to the community, particularly to persons raised in institutional or other out-of-home care.

Founding Chair, Alliance for Forgotten Australians, since 2007; involved in the development and implementation of various projects designed to improve lives of Forgotten Australians, including:

- National Oral History project for Forgotten Australians and Former Child Migrants, 2009-2012.
- National Apology to Forgotten Australians and Former Child Migrants, 2009.
- Terms of Reference of the 'Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse.
- *Forgotten Australians: Life Stories*, DVD.  
*Inside: Life in Children's Homes and Institutions*, travelling exhibition.

Team Leader, Records, Find and Connect Program, Open Place, since 2010.

Committee Member, VANISH, 2004-2009.

Melbourne Contact, Care Leavers of Australia Network, 2000-2004.

Member, Family Information Networks and Discovery, Department of Human Services Victoria.

**Mr David Burleigh CARTER**, Blackburn Vic 3130

For service to veterans and their families.

Details not available at the request of Mr Carter.

**Ms Kelly Anne CARTWRIGHT**, 99 Barrabool Road, Belmont Vic 3216

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Athletics, London 2012 Paralympics Games; plus one Silver medal.

Competitor, Beijing 2008 Paralympics Games.

Gold Medallist, IPC World Championships, 2011, 2 Gold medals.

World Record Holder, (T42 200m), Adelaide Track Classic, 2012.

World Record Holder, (T42 100m), Australian Athletics Championships, 2012.

Other awards/recognition include:

Award of Excellence (Joint Winner), Victorian Institute of Sport, 2012; Athlete of the Year with a Disability, 2012.

Ambassador, Australian Paralympics Committee, Make a Wish Foundation, Relay for Life, the Humpty Foundation, Pride Australia, Lighthouse Foundation and Geelong's St Laurence disability service, ongoing.

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

**Mr Peter Clary CASTRISSION**, 3/520 Willoughby Road, Willoughby NSW 2068  
For service to international relations through providing educational opportunities to people in India.

Founder and Chief Executive Officer of the 40K Foundation Australia, since 2005.

Upon witnessing first-hand the devastating impact of extreme poverty affecting so many children in India, Mr Castrission believed that education would change the lives of these children and would open up opportunities to change and shape their own futures. Five years and \$400,000 later, the Banyan School outside Bangalore opened its doors to its first children; 8 years later the school now has 300 pupils.

The Foundation educates children living in poverty so they can have better lives; educates young Australian students in how to build social businesses in India; and educates young leaders to make a sustainable impact in the businesses in which they work. The Foundation:

- employs 20 staff in India and Australia;
- plans to send 2,000 young Australians to India in the next 5 years to train in building social businesses;
- plans to educate 40,000 children in developing communities in the Asia-Pacific region; and
- consults with 'big business' to help them to build profitable new business lines that will, hopefully, solve social problems.

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

**Dr Graham William CATO**, Balnarring Vic 3926  
For service to community health, and to surf lifesaving.

General Practitioner and Partner, Balnarring Village Medical Centre, since 1979; General Practitioner, Balnarring.

General Practitioner/Consultant, Focus, since 1980.

Board Member, Bays Hospital Group, since 1997; Chairman, Medical Advisory Committee, since 2003; Member, since 1997; current Chairman, Clinical Practice Committee; current Chairman, Aged Care Facility Pharmacy Committee; Board Member, Hastings Bush Nursing Hospital (prior to the formation of Bays Hospital Group), 1994-1997.

Committee Member, Australian Association of Developmental Disability Medicine; Founding Member, ca2002.

Current Associate Member, Royal Australian College of General Practitioners; former Member, Disability Working Group (curriculum).

Chairman, Australian Resuscitation Council Victorian Branch, 1982-1986; Delegate to National Council, 1982-1986; Founding Member.

Member, Australian Medical Association, for 38 years.

Member, Medical Advisory Committee, Surf Life Saving Australia, 2002-2004. Member, Honours and Awards Committee, Life Saving Victoria; Honorary Medical Officer, since 1977; Helicopter Crew Examiner; assisted with the development of the Westpac Helicopter Rescue Service in Victoria; Life Member.

Current Member, Fairhaven Surf Life Saving Club; President, for 3 years.

Member, Establishment Committee, Balnarring Primary School, 1988-1990; Chairman of public meetings.

President, Mornington Peninsula Tennis Association, 1990-1993; former Secretary.

Committee Member, Balnarring Tennis Club, 1985-1989.

Former Chairman, Hastings Day Tennis Tournament.

Medical Support, Crib Point Football Club.

Course Surgeon, Balnarring Race Course.

Organist, Uniting Church Balnarring.

Awards/recognition include:

Outstanding Service to the Community, Flinders Shire Community Awards, 2009.



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

**Mr John Victor CHANDLER**, 51 Rockley Road, South Yarra Vic 3141

For service to local government, and to the City of Stonnington.

Mayor, City of Stonnington, 1996-1997, 2006-2007 and 2011-2012; Councillor, 1996, 1999, 2002, 2004, 2008 and since 2012.

Mayor, City of Prahran, 1988-1989; Councillor, 1982-1994.

Board Member, Municipal Association of Victoria, 1997-2007 and 2009-2011.

Advocate, Save a Dog Scheme.

President, Prahran Mechanic's Institute, since 2010; Vice-President, 2007-2010; Committee Member, since 1996.

Member, Australian Building Codes Board, since 2012.

Current Principal, John Chandler Architect.

**Mr Christopher Tony CHANT**, 11 Jason Circuit, Wodonga Vic 3690

For service to the community of Albury through a range of community organisations.

Superintendent, Southern NSW, St John Ambulance Australia, since 2008.

Superintendent, Albury Division Operations Branch, 2005-2008.

Chairman, Southern Region, 2005-2008.

Chairman, Murray Region, since 2010; Honorary Secretary/Coordinator, 1998-2010.

Volunteer, Murray Region, NSW State Emergency Service, since 2007.

Member, NSW Ambulance Service, 1987-1989.

Team Leader, Disability Services, NSW Family and Community Services.

Employee, Roads and Traffic Authority of NSW, 1990-2011.

Leader, 5th Albury Group, Scouts Australia, 1994-1996; Leader, 2nd Albury Group, 1989-1994; Assistant Leader, 1st Chinderah Group, circa the 1980s; Cub Scout Instructor, Point Danger Group, Tweed Heads, from 1983.

Civil Marriage Celebrant, since 1995.

Member, Rotary Club of Albury Hume, since 2005.

Awards/recognition include:

Volunteer of the Year, Albury City Council, 2008.

Member, Most Venerable Order of St John of Jerusalem (Order of St John), 2007.

Silver Medal and Bar, St John Ambulance Australia; Priory Vote of Thanks, 2005.

Silver Commendation, St John Ambulance Australia (NSW).

Certificate of Commendation, Roads and Traffic Authority of NSW, 1997; (Customer Service Officer of the Year).

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

**Mr Andrew Lachlan CHAPMAN**, 6 Ridge Road, Kallista Vic 3791  
For service to the arts as a photographer.

Founding President, Many Australian Photographers Group, 1998; Member and regular contributor, since 1998.

Has published 5 books:

*Working Dogs* (with Melanie Faith Dove), 2013.

*Around The Sheds*, 2012.

*Woolsheds*, 2011.

*Campaign*, 2007.

*The Shearers*, 2006.

**Mr Clifford Lawrence CHAPMAN**, 41 Bay Road, Oatley NSW 2223  
For service to veterans, and to the community.

Vice-President, Canterbury Bankstown Branch, Royal Australian Air Force Association, since 1996; Committee Member, 1950-1951 and 1982-1996; Life Member, 1996; Member, since 1949.

Member, NSW Division, Royal Australian Air Force Association, for many years.

Secretary, Oatley Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, 1997-1999; current Patron; current Custodian, Oatley War Memorial; Member, since 1990; Member, Youth Club Committee, for 9 years.

Honorary Member, Canterbury-Bankstown Sub-Section, Naval Association of Australia.

Life Member, Oatley RSL Community Club, for 51 years.

Management Committee, Air Force Navy Club, Lakemba.

Member, Oatley Heritage Group, since 2011.

Member, Intellectual Disability Foundation of St. George, for 43 years; Life Member, 2010.

Employee, NSW Branch, Maritime Service Board, for 43 years; Member, Retired Officers Association.

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

### **Mr Micheal Donald CHAPMAN,**

505 Sport Hill Road, Easton CT 06612, United States of America  
For service to music as a songwriter, producer and teacher.

Writer/Co-Writer, including:

- *48 Crash*, Suzi Quatro, 1973.
- *Mickey*, Toni Basil, 1982.
- *Love is a Battlefield*, Pat Benatar, 1983.
- *Pleasure and Pain*, Divinyls, 1985.
- *The Best*, Tina Turner, 1990.
- *Back to the Drive*, Suzi Quatro, 2006.

Producer/Co-Producer, including:

- *Can the Can* (album), Suzi Quatro, 1973.
- *Living Next Door to Alice* (single), Smokie, 1976.
- *Parallel Lines* (album), Blondie, 1978.
- *Eat to the Beat* (album), Blondie, 1979.
- *My Sharona* (single), and *Get the Knack* (album), The Knack, 1979.
- *Hard Rock* (album), Suzi Quatro, 1980.
- *Autoamerican*, Blondie, 1980.
- *Wrap Your Arms Around Me* (album), Agnetha Faltskog (formerly of ABBA), 1983.
- *Crawl File* (album), Australian Crawl, 1984.
- *Sons of Beaches* (album), Australian Crawl, 1984.
- *What a Life* (album), Divinyls, 1985.
- *Def, Dumb & Blonde*, Deborah Harry, 1989.
- *In the Spotlight*, Suzi Quatro, 2011.

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

**Mr Neville Donald CHARLTON**, Chittaway Bay NSW 2261  
For service to the community of the Central Coast.

Welfare Officer and Member, Central Coast Committee, Men of League Foundation, since 2008.

Member, Long Jetty and District Senior Citizens' Club, since 2001; Member, Entertainment Group, since 2001.

Member, Central Coast Ukulele Club, since 2011.

Committee Member and Performer, Tuggerah Lakes Choral Society.

Former Member/performer, *The Lakes Singers* and *The Sparklers*.

Volunteer Bus Driver and entertainer, Legacy Brisbane Water Retirement Village.

Member, *Twin Town Troubadours*; raised funds for a range of local charities.

Justice of the Peace.

Member, NSW Representative Team, 1959 and 1961; NSW Rugby League Selector.

Member/player, Eastern Suburbs District Rugby League Football Club, 1962; Sydney Roosters.

Member/player, Western Suburbs District Rugby League Team, 1954-1961; Life Member.

Awards/recognition include:

Member, Hall of Fame, Western Suburbs District Rugby League Club, 2009; Member, Team of the Century; Member, Team of the 1960s.

**Mr Keith CHENHALL**, Traralgon Vic 3844  
For service to the community of Traralgon.

Founder, Keith Chenhall Charitable Trust, 2002.

Traralgon Apex Club, 1949-1965, including President; Life Member, 1965.

Chairman, Traralgon Cemetery Trust; Member, 1967-2002.

Member, Traralgon Chamber of Commerce.

Parishioner and Vestry Server, Anglican Parish of St James, Traralgon, for over 40 years; Synod Delegate, for 18 years.

Honorary Lay Canon, since 2008.

Member, Friends of St Paul's Cathedral, Sale, since 1979.

Life Member, City of Traralgon Brass Band, since 2012.

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

**Mrs Doreen Gladys CHERRY**, Avalon Beach NSW 2107

For service to the community of the North Shore.

Member, Australian Women of the Year Association, since 1976.

Committee Member, Australian Women's Land Army Association; Member, Land Army, 1945.  
Supporter, Look Good Feel Better; Mrs Cherry organises the collection of scarves from Women of the Year members, community groups and individuals to donate to Look Good Feel Better (Cancer Patients Association).

Supporter, Kaddy Transport, Uniting Care, Uniting Church, Dee Why, from 1982.

Supporter, Cerebral Palsy and the Special Centre 'Miss Australia' Quest, 1973.

Community representative, friendship group exchange tour to Carmel, California USA, 1973.

Established, Avalon Beach A1 Company, Girl Guides; assisted in the building of the Guide Hall opened in 1967.

Retired Justice of the Peace.

Branch Delegate, New South Wales Nurses and Midwives' Association, 1990-1992;  
Registered Nurse, 1945-1994.

Former President, Royal North Shore Hospital Post-Graduate Nurses Association; Foundation Member; Life Member.

Early Childhood Specialist.

**Mr Dean Nelson CLAFLIN**, 27 Curtis Road, Balmain NSW 2041

For service to marine and maritime art.

Honorary Secretary and Public Officer, Australian Society of Marine Artists, since 1996;  
Treasurer, 1996-2005; Membership Secretary.

Curated 11 exhibitions through the Society including at:

- Australian National Maritime Museum.
- New South Wales Parliament House.

Editor, Newsletter and Bulletin.

Founding Member, since 1996.

Helped to establish the Artist-in-Resident program, Sydney Heritage Fleet.

Former Liaison Officer, Lord Howe Island Museum.

Former Manager, Marine Art Gallery, Rozelle, Sydney.

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

**Mr Neville John CLARK MC**, 8/26 Brougham Street, North Melbourne Vic 3051  
For service to education.

Headmaster, Mentone Grammar, 1988-2003.  
Headmaster, Cathedral College, Wangaratta, 2005.  
Headmaster, Christ the King College, Cobram, 2004.  
English Master and House Master, Fettes College, Edinburgh, Scotland, 1979-1983.  
Head of English and House Master, Geelong Grammar, 1973-1978.

Member, Australian College of Educators, 1989-1993.  
Chairman, Association of Grammar Schools, for 5 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Military Cross, awarded during his service in Vietnam.  
Centenary Medal, 2001.

**Mrs Christine Helen CLAUSEN**, 13 Maple Street, Lugarno NSW 2210  
For service to the community through creative support for charitable and health organisations.

Founder/Coordinator, Narwee Baptist Creative Craft Centre, since 1985.  
Provided Westmead Hospital Neo-Natal Unit with over 3,800 articles for distribution to patients.  
Provided scholarships for the training of stomal nurses through the Australian Association of Stomal Therapy Nurses.  
Many other organisations have received her support including the Sir Eric Woodward Memorial School, Giant Steps Autistic School, the Foetal Surgery Program, and Samaritans Purse.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

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

**Mr Jacob Peter CLEAR**, Miami Qld 4220

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Olympic Champion, Canoe/Kayak Sprint Kayak Four (K4) 1000m, London 2012 Olympic Games.

Australian Representative, Beijing 2008 Olympic Games.

3rd place, K4 1000m, World Championships, Duisberg, Germany, 2013.

2nd place, K4 1000m, World Championships, Szeged, Hungary, 2011.

2nd place, K4 1000m, World Cup event, Moscow, Russia, 2012.

3rd place, K4 1000m, World Cup event, Duisberg, Germany, 2011.

2nd place, K4 1000m, World Cup event, Racice, Czech Republic, 2011.

1st place, K4 1000m, National Championships, Penrith, Australia, 2012.

Member, Burleigh Heads Mowbray Park Surf Life Saving Club.

Representative, Gold Coast Canoe Club; Member, since 2006.

Other awards/recognition include:

Most Outstanding Australian Olympic Team, Melbourne Olympians Club, 2012.

Team of the Year, Australian Institute of Sport, 2012.

Team of the Year, Australian Canoeing, 2012.

Achievement Award, Australian Institute of Sport, 2011.

**Ms Susan CLEARY PSM**, Glebe NSW 2037

For service to civil liberties advocacy, and to the Glebe community.

Member, Governing Committee, NSW Council of Civil Liberties, since 2000; former Treasurer; Advocate for civil liberties, for over 20 years.

Chair, Wentworth Park Sporting Complex, 2005-2013.

Chair, Glebe Point Residents' Group, since 2005 ongoing; Chair, Coalition of Glebe Groups (including the Glebe Society, the Glebe Point Residents' Group and the Glebe Chamber of Commerce), 2010; Member, since 2005.

Former Treasurer, 'Centipede' - Before and After School Care, Glebe Public School.

Awards/recognition include:

Public Service Medal, 2000.

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

**Mrs Marie Edith CLEMENTS**, Caringbah NSW 2229

For service to the community, particularly through a range of health and disability support organisations.

Founding Member and volunteer, Parent to Parent Association Inc, Sutherland Shire, since 1980s; Carer for intellectually disabled adults on vacation; involved in a range of activities including tennis coaching, fundraising, dances, discos and community education.

Volunteer, Let's Get Fresh Health Food Shop, Sutherland Hospital and Community Health Service, since 1997.

Volunteer Visitor and Counsellor, Breast Cancer Support Service, Cancer Council NSW, from the late 1980s for 10 years.

Member, Ladies Auxiliary, Sylvanvale Foundation (previously known as the Handicapped Children's Centre, Sutherland), during the 1960s and 1970s; President, for 2 years; involved in fundraising activities; involved in the establishment of an OpShop which raises funds for the Centre; Life Member.

Fundraising, Margaret House Respite Care Services, St Vincent de Paul Society.

Member, Parents and Citizens Associations, Minerva School and Bates Drive Public School, until 1977; involved in a range of roles and fundraising activities.

Awards/recognition include:

Certificate of Appreciation, in recognition of her 10 years' volunteer service at the Sutherland Hospital, Sutherland Hospital and Community Health Service, 2009.

Certificate of Appreciation, in recognition of her contribution to the community on behalf of Parent to Parent Association, Parent to Parent Association Inc and Volunteering Australia, 2008.

Certificate of Recognition, for her exemplary voluntary service and contribution to community life in Sutherland Shire, Sutherland Shire Council, 2001.

Certificate of Recognition, on International Volunteer Day, in appreciation of her volunteer effort supporting programs in research, education and support, Cancer Council NSW, 1995.

**Mr Blake John COCHRANE**, 9 Osbourne Street, Scarborough Qld 4020

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Swimming, London 2012 Paralympic Games; two Gold medals and one world record.

Silver Medallist, Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.

Bronze Medallist, Delhi 2010 Commonwealth Games.

Gold Medallist, Swimming World Championships, International Paralympic Committee, 2010.

Member, Southern Cross Swim Club, since 2005.

Other awards/recognition include:

Most Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year, Australian University Annual Sports Awards, 2012.

Swimmer of the Year with a Disability, Swimming Australia, 2011.



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

**Mrs Brenda Joyce COCHRANE**, PO Box 127, Bundaberg Qld 4670  
For service to the preservation of the marine environment.

Co-Founder and Secretary, Bundaberg and District Artificial Reef Association (BADARAI), 1987-2004.

Developed and promoted the BADARAI project through co-operation and networking with a range of civil and government agencies including Bundaberg City and Burnett Shire Councils, Queensland Department of Primary Industries, and the Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service.

Member, Local Marine Advisory Committee, Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority, 2004-2012.

Co-Editor, Newsletter, Australian Bravery Association, since 2008. Co-Founder, Friends of Cemetery Group, since 2007.

**Ms Ellie Victoria COLE**, Frankston Vic 3199  
For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Swimming, London 2012 Paralympic Games; four Gold medals and two 2 Bronze medals.

Current Swimming Coach, Frankston High School.

Volunteer, Victorian Talent Search days, Australian Paralympic Committee, ongoing; Public Speaker, Paralympic Education Program, ongoing.

Volunteer, special disability camps, New South Wales Amputees' Association, ongoing.

Other awards/recognition include:

Young Citizen of the Year, City of Frankston, 2013.

Inductee, Frankston City's Hall of Fame, 2010.

Athlete of the Month, International Paralympic Committee, August 2011.

Outstanding Sporting Achievement Award, Department of Education and Early Childhood Victoria, 2009.

Current Ambassador, Sarah Grace Sarcoma Foundation.

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

**Mrs Maureen Margaret COLGAN**, Attadale WA 6156

For service to the community through a range of organisations.

Director, MercyCare, since 2009.

Chair, Ethics Committee, St Anne's Mercy Hospital, since 2000.

Board Member, St John of God Foundation, 2003-2009.

President, Child Migrant Friendship Society of Western Australia.

Organiser, 'the Sentimental Journey', 1997.

Member, Board of Governors, Notre Dame University, 1998-2003; Member, Human Research Ethics Committee, 2005-2010; Member, Nursing Advisory Board, since 2003.

Deputy Chair, Completion and Restoration Appeal Committee, St Mary's Cathedral, since 2006; Chair, Fundraising Committee, St Patrick's Basilica, Fremantle, Western Australia.

Board Member, Catholic Homes, 2002-2004.

Board Member, Aquinas College, 1987-1994; initiated the 'Aquinas 2000' program.

Co-Chair, Centenary Celebrations Committee, Christian Brothers of Western Australia, 1994.

**Mr John COOK**, PO Box 9221, Brighton Vic 3186

For service to people with Meniere's disease, and to people with vision impairments.

National President, Meniere's Australia, since 2010.

President, Meniere's Support Group of Victoria, 1999-2005; Committee Member, 1998-2009; Member, since 1996.

Chief Executive Officer, Association for the Blind (now Vision Australia), 1985; Assistant Manager, 1973.

Current Member, Ormond Anglican Church.

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

**Mrs Noele Rosemary COOK**, 5 Roebuck Street, Newtown Vic 3220

For service to the community, particularly through advancement of the status of women.

Executive Council Member, National Council of Women Victoria (NCWV), 1998-2006; Regional Vice-President, 2001; President, Geelong Branch, 1998-2001; Member, since 1980; Life Member, 2012.

Author, *'The Next Decade': NCW Geelong History, 1994-2004.*

Delegate to NCWV, Soroptimists International, since 1995.

Volunteer, St John of God Hospital Auxiliary in Geelong, since 2008.

Member, Committee of Management, Geelong/South Western Region, Geelong Rural Ambulance Service, 1980-2000.

Member, Probus Geelong.

Member, Barwon/South Western Region TAFE Board, 1984-1991.

Member, Manifold Heights Branch, Victorian Liberal Party, since 1962.

Member, Geelong Section, Liberal Women's Council.

Chairman, Central Liberal Women's Council, 1982-1985.

Director, Hornibrook Bus Line Queensland.

Member, Public Transport Customer Charter Committee, 2000.

Proprietor, I J Cook & Son Pty Ltd, 1975-1987.

**Mr Philip William COOPER**, Beecroft NSW 2119

For service to the insurance industry, and to the Scouting movement.

Chair, Motor Accidents Insurance Standing Committee, Insurance Council of Australia, 2005-2008; Representative to NSW Parliament Legislative Council review of the Motor Accidents Authority, the Lifetime Care and Support Authority and the Lifetime Care and Support Advisory Council, 2007-2008.

Member, New South Wales Motor Accidents Council, 2006-2009.

Chair, Insurance Statistics Australia, 2000-2001; Director, 1999-2002.

Welfare Leader, Australian Jamboree, 2010 and 2013; Assistant Troop Leader, 2001; Service Leader, 1995.

District Scout Leader, Yanagin District, since 2007; District Camp Leader, since 2008.

Scout Leader, Beecroft-Cheltenham Scout Group, 2004-2007.

Scout Leader, Cheltenham Scout Group, 1997-2004; Committee Member, 1994-1996.

Member, St John's Anglican Church Parish, since 1991.

Managing Director, Audatex Australia, since 2008.

Chief General Manager, Allianz Insurance, 2001-2008.

Scouts Australia awards include:

Silver Arrowhead, Scouts Australia, 2011; Certificate of Merit, 2008; and 10 years' service decoration, 2007.

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

**Mrs Amy Patricia CORDWELL**, 11 Cordwell Road, Yandina Qld 4561  
For service to the community of Yandina.

Current Treasurer, Yandina Chamber of Commerce; Foundation Member, 1995; involved in various Sub-Committees including as President, Yandina Street Fair Committee; Member, Christmas Carols by Candlelight, annual event.

Member, Business Directory Publication, 2007 and 2010; currently working on the 2013-2014 edition.

Secretary and Treasurer, Yandina and District Historical Society; involved in the establishment of the Yandina Historical House and Tourist Information Centre, 2002.

Director, Yandina Community Bank; to establish a community bank back into Yandina, 1996.

Group Treasurer, Yandina Scout Group, Queensland Branch, Scouts Association of Australia, 1994-2013; Fundraising Coordinator; Committee Member, 1972-1980.

Treasurer, Yandina Girl Guides, 1986-1992.

Member, Centenary Committee, Yandina State School, 1987-1999.

Member, Yandina State School P&C Association, 1971-1983 and 1985-1992.

Chairperson, Ladies Fundraising Committee, Yandina State School, 1975-1982.

Tuck Shop Convenor, Yandina State School, 1972-1982.

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

**Mrs Temple Beverley CORNISH**, 10 Eungella Place, Orange NSW 2800  
For service to the Uniting Church in Australia, and to the community of Orange.

Director, United Protestant Association of New South Wales, since 2005; current Member, Projects Approval Committee and Planning Committee; Life Member.  
Vice-President, United Protestant Association, Orange District; Past President; Executive Member, since 1980; Member, since 1969;  
Pastoral Carer, Ascott Gardens Aged Care Facility.

Uniting Church in Australia Orange Parish  
Volunteer Co-ordinator, Parish Centre; Elder; volunteer.  
Secretary, Five Ways Congregation; Elder.  
Founding Committee Member/Treasurer, The Mustard Tree Café, since 2007.

Liaison Officer, Central West Region Trefoil Guild, Girl Guide NSW and ACT, since 2009;  
Region Trefoil Guild Adviser, 2002-2008.  
President, Calare Trefoil Guild; Member since 2002.  
Regional Leader/Commissioner, Central West Region, 1997-2002; Outdoors Activities Adviser, 2001; Region Faith Awareness Leader, 1994-1997; Guiding Support for Leaders, 1997; Region Junior Leader Consultant, 1989-1994; State Certificated Trainer.  
Leader, Fourth Orange Guide Unit, 1975-1992; Wattle Award, 2005.

Executive Member, Orange and District Meals on Wheels, since 1980; Founding Member and volunteer, since 1967; Long Service Award.  
Founding Coordinator, Housekeepers Emergency Service, from 1962; now known as Home Care Services.  
Past Member, Tidy Towns Committee.  
Founding Member, University of the Third Age.  
Justice of the Peace.

Awards/recognition include:  
Citizen of the Year, Orange City Council, 2008.

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

**Miss Alicia Jayne COUTTS**, Macgregor ACT 2615

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Olympic Champion, Women's 4x100m Freestyle Relay, London 2012 Olympic Games; also:

- Silver Medallist, Women's 200m Individual Medley.
- Silver Medallist, Women's 4x200m Freestyle Relay.
- Silver Medallist, Women's 4x100m Medley Relay.
- Bronze Medallist, Women's 100m Butterfly.

Gold Medallist, Women's 100m Freestyle, Delhi 2010 Commonwealth Games; also:

- Gold Medallist, Women's 200m Individual Medley.
- Gold Medallist, Women's 4x100m Freestyle Relay.
- Gold Medallist, Women's 4x100m Medley Relay.
- Gold Medallist, Women's 4x200m Freestyle Relay.

Supporter, Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; Casual Staff Member, since 2010.

Other awards/recognition include:

Australian Swimmer of the Year, 2012.

Australian Swimmer of the Year, 2010.

**Mr Geoffrey Bruce CRAMER**, Ballarat Vic 3350

For service to the recreational fishing industry in Victoria.

Chairman, Victorian Recreational Fishing, 2007-2011, Inaugural Board Member, 1995-2011; Ballarat District Anglers' Association Delegate, since 1985.

President, Ballarat District Anglers' Association, 1989-1991 and 2008-2010; Vice-President, 1985-1989 and 2006-2008; Life Member, 2007; Ballarat Fly Fishers' Club Delegate, 1985.

President, Ballarat Fly Fishers' Club, 1982-1984; Secretary, 1992-1996, Life Member, 1999; Member, since 1977.

President, Ballarat Fish Acclimatisation Society - Ballarat Trout Hatchery, 1987-1988 and 1999-2001; Vice-President, 1986 and 1998; Committee Member, 1981-2001; Member, since 1980.

Chairman, Lake Wendouree Aquatic Association, since 2001; Member, since 1987; Ballarat Fly Fishers' Club Delegate, 1987.

Weekly Co-Presenter on behalf of Ballarat Trout Hatchery, angling program, Easymix Radio Ten-71 AM Central Victoria, since 2006.

Weekly Co-Presenter, *On The Bite* angling program, 3BA 102.3 FM Ballarat Radio, since 2006.

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

**Mrs Helen CREAGH**, 3/85 Martin Road, Mundaring WA 6073

For service to the community of Mundaring.

Founder and Coordinator, Mundaring School for Seniors, since 1989.

Volunteer, Prison Fellowship Western Australia, 2003-2009.

Committee Member, Mundaring Accommodation for Retired Citizens.

President, Board Member and volunteer, Hills Community Support Group, in the 1980s; now known as the Rise Community Support Network.

Secretary and Parishioner, Mundaring Uniting Church.

Mentor, Sawyers Valley Primary School, 2010-2012.

After school bus duty, Mundaring School.

Member, Hills Choir.

**Mr Douglas Norman CREMER**, 1A Jeffrey Street, Canterbury NSW 2193

For service to the arts as an administrator.

President, Joan Sutherland Society of Sydney, 2000-2011.

Credited with:

- revitalising the Society.
- contributing his personal and financial support to young artists and to the annual Vocal Scholarship offered by the Society.
- initiating the establishment of the Joan Sutherland and Richard Bonyng Opera Foundation to formalise and strengthen the fundraising efforts of the Society.

Encouraged the retired singers to attend recitals and to give the young singers constructive advice regarding their voice development and careers.

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

**Mr Howard Mackay CROKER**, Cowans Lane, Oxley Island NSW 2430  
For service to the sport of rowing.

Founder and Proprietor, Croker Oars Pty Ltd, since 1962.

Developed computerised technology allowing the assessment of power and technique with rowing strokes, 2010.

Donations of rowing equipment to local, state, national and international teams, individuals and training programs, since 1962.

Oar supplier, some crew members, Australian Olympic and international teams, since 1964.

Advice and support for teams and individuals on oar-related issues.

Australian Export Hero (Sports Manufacturing), Export Council of Australia, 2011/2012.

Sponsor, International Federation of Rowing Associations; Rowing Australia; Rowing New South Wales; US Rowing and numerous other international teams.

Facilitator, Rowing Camps, Croker Oars property.

Rowing Coach, Scots College, 1975-1976.

Coach, various teams, from the mid 1960s to the mid 1970s.

Rowing Mentor, local, state and national competitors, for over 50 years.

Rowing Competitor, Haberfield Rowing Club, from the early 1960s to 1971.

Competed for New South Wales in pairs, fours and eights for national championships.

Winner, a number of state and national titles, in the 1960s.

Member, NSW King's Cup Team, 1965.

Helped to establish Ryde Rowing Club, in the early 1960s.

**Mr Kevin Charles CROKER**, 7 Langridge Street, Wanniasa ACT 2903  
For service to the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn.

Manager, Clergy Support Services, Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn, since 2002; employed in a variety of roles including Chief Clerk, 1989-2002.

Secretary, Clergy Retirement Foundation (formerly Sick and Retired Priests Fund), since 1993.

Secretary, Clergy Care Board.

Chairman Finance Committee, Carmelite Monastery, Red Hill, since 1974; Coordinator, Annual Fête, since 1974; President, Men's Committee, since 2000.

Member, Council for Clergy Life and Ministry, Australian Catholic Bishops Conference, since 2006.

Awards/recognition include:

Benemerenti Papal Award, 2004.



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

**Mrs Ellen Iris CUFF**, 2 Hielscher Street, Alexandra Hills Qld 4161  
For service to the blind and those with low vision.

Volunteer Coordinator, Bayside Low Vision Support Group, since 1992.

Member, Redlands Women's Information Network, since 2012.

Member, Thornlands Ladies Auxiliary, 1981-1985.

Tuckshop Volunteer, Vienna Woods State School, 2005-2007.

Tuckshop Volunteer, Birkdale South State School, since 2007.

Tuckshop Volunteer, Thornlands School, 1981-1985 and 2007-2008.

Arts and Crafts Volunteer, Redland District Special School, 1986-1989.

Member, Redlands Guide Dog Support Group, 1986-1992.

Awards/recognition include:

Senior Citizen of the Year, Redlands City Council, 2012; Inspiring Senior - Division 7, 2011.

Community Category, Women Making a Difference Awards, Redlands Women's Information Network, 2008.

Melvin Jones Fellow, Lions Club of Capalaba, 2002.

Volunteer of the Year, Crest Agora Club, 2000.

**Mr Donald Maxwell CULLEY**, Buderim Qld 4556

For service to the community of Buderim.

Shire Chairman (Mayor), Maroochy Shire Council, 1982-1985; Councillor, 1977-1982.

President, Buderim Local Ambulance Committee, since 2010; Vice-President 2004-2009.

Chairperson, Buderim Safe Committee.

Treasurer, Buderim Neighbourhood Watch.

Committee Member, Buderim War Memorial Community Association, since 2008.

Awards/recognition include:

Humanitarian Achievement Award, Buderim War Memorial Community Association, 2009.

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

**Ms Christine CUMPSTY**, 43 Moorshead Street, Capalaba Qld 4157

For service to youth through the Scouting movement.

District Commissioner, Redland District; active Supporter, Redland Scout/Guide Review, Queensland Branch, Scouts Australia, since 1993.

District Commissioner, Moreton Bay District, 1993-1997 and 2007-2012; District Leader, 2004-2007.

Area Commissioner, South Area, 1997-2004.

Personal Leader Adviser, since 2005.

Actively involved with training and support programs.

Active Member and Leader, since 1971.

Has undertaken key roles in major events including Children of Chernobyl, Jamborees etc.

Volunteer, Redland Community Centre; Member, since 2012.

Participant, Youth Forums in the Redland region.

Member, Redlands Youth Network organising Youth Week.

Volunteer, Redlands Flood Relief Centre.

**Mr Ken CUNNINGHAM**, Balaklava SA 5461

For service to the community of Balaklava.

Divisional Superintendent, St John Ambulance Australia, 1987-1990 and since 1993; volunteer, since 1980.

Volunteer Team Leader, South Australian Ambulance Service, for 20 years, volunteer, since 1980.

Director, Mill Court Aged Care, since 2000; voluntary.

Head Trainer, Balaklava Football Club, for 25 years, Life Member, since 2000.

Executive Member, Balaklava and District Angling Club; Foundation Member.

Owner, Cunningham's Balaklava Engineering, since 1972.

Awards/recognition include:

Australia Day Citizen of the Year, Wakefield Regional Council, 2001.

Member, Most Venerable Order of St John of Jerusalem (Order of St John), 1995.

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

**Mr Michael John CURRY**, 39 Mariners Crescent, West Lakes SA 5021

For service to veterans.

Committee Member, Association of Totally and Permanently Incapacitated Ex-Service Men and Women (TPI), SA, since 2002; established hospital visitation teams at almost every major metropolitan hospital in metropolitan area and country regions; Manager, State Hospital Visitation Team since 2007. Life Member 2012.

TPI representative on:

- Veterans and Veterans Families Consultative Council.
- Department of Veterans' Affairs Deputy Commissioner's Coordination Committee.
- SA Policy Council for the Council on the Ageing (COTA).

Represents COTA on Consumer Advisory Council of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital; current Chair.

Appointed to SA Veterans Health Advisory Council in 2009.

Committee Member and Welfare Officer, Seaton Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 2009.

Chairman, Grange Golf Club Ex-Service Golf Day, since 2000.

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

**Mrs Kay DANES**, PO Box 391, Capalaba Qld 4157

For service to the community through promoting social justice and human rights.

Consultant, Civil Liberties Australia, the Australian Human Rights Commission, the Joint Standing Committee on Treaties, the National Human Rights Commission of Australia, the United Nations Special Rapporteur on Torture and human rights lawyers.

Guest Speaker, 61st Conference on World Affairs, University of Colorado, USA, 2009; US National Press Club, 2009, US Congressional Forum on Normalised Trade Relations, 2005.

Australian Liaison, The Childlight Foundation for Afghan Children, since 2008.

Involved in establishing, United Lao Action Centre, Washington DC USA.

Author; publications include:

- *Beneath the Pale Blue Burqa*, Big Sky Publishing, 2010.
- *Standing Ground*, New Holland Publishers, 2009.
- *Families Behind Bars - Stories of Injustice, Endurance and Hope*, New Holland Publishers, 2008.
- *Nightmare in Laos*, Marickville House, 2005.
- *Deliver Us from Evil*, Crown Content, 2002.

Member, Redlands Bayside, Rotary Clubs of Australia, for many years; current Publicity Officer; involved in the Redland City Rotary Garage Sale; Coordinator, Annual 75km Bike Ride to raise money for the Leukaemia Foundation.

Presenter, Defence Intelligence Conduct after Capture Course, Defence Intelligence Training Centre, Australian Defence Force, for many years.

President, Army Families Western Australia, for many years.

Executive Secretary, Special Air Services Regiment Historical Collection, for 2 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, Peace for the Children Charity, 2010.

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

**Mr James Edmund DAVERN**, Mosman NSW 2088

For service to television as a writer, director and producer.

Originator, writer, Director and Producer, *A Country Practice*, screened by the Channel Seven network (over 1,000 episodes, broadcast in the UK, Europe, Canada, USA, Africa and the Asia Pacific), 1981-1993.

Originator, writer and Producer, *Rush*, ABC television, 1974; co-produced with the UK and France.

Originator, writer and Script Producer, *Patrol boat* series, ABC television, 1978-1979.

Director, writer, Script Producer and Executive Producer, *Bellbird* series, ABC television, 1968-1975.

Executive Producer and Producer, *Without Warning*, 1999; *Reprisal*, 1997, *The Hostages*, 1997, *Whipping Boy*, 1996; *Land of Hope*, 1986; *Warming Up*, 1985; *Queen of the Road*, 1984; *Barnaby and Me*, 1977; and *Alpha Scorpio*, 1974.

Director, *Women's World*, *Kamahl*, *Teen Scene*, *Peter and the Wolf*, and *Aspects of Love*.

Screen Writer, *Homicide*, 1970, 1972 and 1974; *Alpha Scorpio*, 1974; *Patrol Boat*, 1979; *Rush*, 1974 and 1976; and *A Country Practice*, 1981-1993.

Supporter, The Ted Noff's Foundation, Bill Crew's Exodus Foundation, and 'Youth Off the Streets'.

Awards/recognition include:

*A Country Practice* won 29 TV Week Logie Awards including Most Popular Program, 1986, 1987 and 1988; Most Popular Drama Show, 1983 and 1985; Most Popular Locally-Produced Program, 1983 and 1985; and Most Popular Australian Drama Show, 1984.

Hall of Fame Recipient, TV Week Logies, 1991; Gold Logie.

Recipient, Australian Writers Guild Award, for excellence in screen, television, stage and radio writing, 1974 and 1980; Awgie Awards.

Best Television series (*A Country Practice*), Henry Lawson Festival, 1984, 1985, 1987 and 1988.

**Ms Honey DAVEY**, 15B Woodside Crescent, Toorak Vic 3142

For service to the community, particularly to women and youth, through social welfare programs.

Volunteer, Women's Mentoring Program, Victorian Association for the Care and Resettlement of Offenders, since 2008.

Welfare Services Coordinator, Euroa Community Education Centre (formerly Euroa Community Exchange), 1980-1982; volunteer Member, 1978-1983.

Honorary Probation Officer, Community Services Department, Benalla, 1978-1980.

Regional President, Australia Red Cross, Longwood and Euroa, for 2 years; Member, 1974-1983.

Youth Justice Worker, Department of Human Services, Victoria, 1988-2007.

Coordinator of Volunteers for the Southern Metropolitan Region - Community Services Victoria, Probation Officers Association of Victoria, 1983-1988.

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

**Mrs Gael DAVIES**, 91 Off Wolfe Street, Newcastle NSW 2300

For service to the arts, and to the community.

Past Vice-Chairman, Newcastle Art Gallery Foundation; Board Member.

Inaugural Member, Newcastle Art Gallery Society, since 1969; Secretary, for the past 30 years; Editor, *Artemis*.

Manager, Von Bertouch Galleries, 1974-2003; Art Adviser and Curator.

Competition Judge, Maitland Art Prize.

Catalogued collections for the University of Newcastle and the John Hunter Hospital.

Supporter, Australian Architecture Association; assisted with the Newcastle Open.

Awards/recognition include:

Community Service award, Newcastle City Council, 2004.

**Dr Margaret DAVIES**, Sandy Bay Tas 7005

For service to science in the field of herpetology.

Herpetologist, University of Adelaide, for 28 years.

Honorary Editor, Royal Society of Tasmania, since 2003; Ex Officio Council Member, since 2003.

President, Australian Society of Herpetologist, 1990-1991; Vice-President, 1991-1994; South Australian Regional Representative, 1983-1991; Secretary/Treasurer, 1978-1983; Life Member, 2010.

South Australian Representative, Australian Institute of Biology, 1999-2001; Secretary, 1995-1999.

Fauna Editor, South Australian Handbooks Committee, 1995-2001.

Committee Member, World Congress of Herpetology, 1994-2001.

President, Royal Society of South Australia, 1994-1996; Vice-President, 1992-1994 and 1996-1998; Editor, 1982-1993; Secretary, 1978-1982; Minute Secretary, 2001.

Secretary, Hobart Ionian Club, 2005-2006 and 2010-2011; Assistant Secretary, 2004-2005.

Honorary Fellow, Royal Society of South Australia, 1998.

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

**Mrs Meg DAVOREN-HONEY**, PO Box 800, South Yarra Vic 3141  
For service to the visual arts, and to the community.

Painter; Exhibited *A Tribute to Indigenous Women*, 2008; and *Aged Survivors from WWI, WWII, and Korea* (for the 90th anniversary of the ANZACS), 2005.

Founder and Volunteer Teacher, Phoenix Park Painters (The Monday Painters).

Volunteer Committee Member, Victorian Artists Society, since 2006.

Past President, Malvern Artists Society.

Supporter and volunteer, The Long Walk.

Active Member, Stonnington Reconciliation Group, and Port Phillip Citizens for Reconciliation.

Volunteer, Arnhem Land Garma Festival.

Volunteer at the Gallipoli Dawn Service, 2009.

Volunteer at the Western Front, 2011.

**Mr Andrew John DAWES**, 22 Cram Street, Merewether NSW 2291  
For service to athletics as a wheelchair track and road coach.

Wheelchair Track and Road Coach, Australian Paralympic Team, since 1996.

National Wheelchair Track and Road Coordinator, Athletics Australia, since 1997.

Head Coach, Wheelchair Track and Road, New South Wales Institute of Sport, since 2001.

Has coached individual athletes to win 28 medals at 5 Paralympic Games; including Louise Sauvage OAM, Kurt Fearnley OAM, Greg Smith OAM and Fabian Blattman OAM.

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

**Mr Nicholas Grant DEAN**, Rose Park SA 5067

For service to sport, particularly athletes with a disability.

Member, Alpine Technical Committee, International Paralympic Committee, since 2007.

Vice-President, Australian Paralympic Committee, since 2000; Board Member, 1992-1994 and since 1996.

Chef De Mission, Winter Games, Lillehammer, Norway, 1994; Nagano, Japan, 1998; and Salt Lake City, USA, 2002.

Assistant Chef De Mission, Winter Games, Albertville, France, 1992; Torino, Italy, 2006; and Vancouver, Canada, 2010.

Assistant Chef De Mission, Summer Games, Athens 2004, and Beijing 2008.

VIP Program, Summer Games, Sydney 2000, and London 2012.

President, Disabled WinterSport Australia, 1990-2004 and 2008-2009; Treasurer, 2005-2007; Board Member; Foundation Member, since 1978.

Vice-President, Australian Professional Snowsports Instructors, 1975-1980; Founding Member, 1974.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

Paralympic Medal, Australian Paralympic Committee, 2005.

Contribution to Skiing Award, Australian Ski Federation, 2002.

**Mr Ronald Edward (Ron) DE CRUZ**, PO Box 327, Christmas Island 6798

For service to the community of Christmas Island.

Chairperson, Christmas Island Catholic Church; Founding Member, since 1997.

Trustee, Union of Christmas Island Workers; Executive Committee Member, since the 1980s; Member, since 1977; also served as Shop Steward.

Member, Christmas Island Counter Disaster Committee.

Captain, Christmas Island Volunteer Fire Brigade, 1988-2007; Founding Member.

Building and Health Supervisor, Shire of Christmas Island.



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

**Mr Kevin James DEEM**, 8/21 Walters Street, Bundaberg North Qld 4670  
For service to the community of Bundaberg through sports administration.

President, Bundaberg Cricket Association, 2005-2007; Vice-President/Senior Coordinator, 2003-2004 and since 2009; Canteen Convenor, 1989-1995 and 2001-2004.

President, Bundaberg Cricket Umpires Association, 1992-2002; Umpire, since 1988; Life Member, 2000; Patron, since 2003.

President, Bundaberg Junior Cricket Association, 1980-1988; Treasurer, 1970-1979; Registrar, 1968-69; Umpire, 1968-1988; Founding Member, 1968; Life Member, 1975; Patron, 1994-2004 (until juniors amalgamated with seniors).

President, Past Highs Cricket Club, 1992-1994.

Current Member, Disputes Committee, Bundaberg Hockey Association; Umpire, 1968-1980; Treasurer, 1963-1964.

President, All Blacks Hockey Club, 1980-1981; Founding Member, 1971; Patron, 1989-1996; Life Member, 1992.

President, Combines Hockey Club (now the All Blacks Hockey Club), 1958-1961.

Awards/recognition include:

Senior Sports Administrator Australia Day Award, Bundaberg City Council, 2008.

Jim Deem Oval named in recognition of his service to Junior Cricket, 1988.

Service to Sport Award, Bundaberg Sportsmen's Association, 1986.

**Mrs Raelene DENHAM**, Golden Grove SA 5125  
For service to the community through St John Ambulance.

Volunteer, St John Ambulance, since 1951; associated with several cadet camps as an Officer of the Cadet Division, principally with the Angaston Cadet Camp, attending 49 such camps.

Has served in many and various positions with the St John Auxiliary, 1994-2006.

Awards/recognition include:

Dame, Most Venerable Order of St John of Jerusalem (Order of St John), 2011.

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

**Mr Richard Alan DENT**, Warragul Vic 3820

For service to people with a disability.

Chief Executive Officer, E W Tipping Foundation, 2000-2012.

Chair, National Disability Services Victoria, 2006-2012; Deputy Chair, 2006.

Involvement in the establishment of Disability Professionals Victoria, 2005.

Member, Implementation Taskforce, National Disability Insurance Scheme, since 2011;

Member, Victorian Committee, 'Every Australian Counts' campaign, since 2010.

Member, Victorian Disability and Carers Alliance Task Force, since 2011.

Member, National Disability Thought Leadership Group, Price Waterhouse Coopers, 2011.

Committee Member, Governance, National Disability Services Ltd, since 2010; National Board

Member, since 2008.

Board Member, Council of Intellectual Disability Agencies, 2001-2006.

Coordinator, Nonprofit Leaders Awards, Harvard Club of Australia (Victoria), 2011.

Chair, Health Sciences Advisory Board, School of Health and Social Development, Faculty of Health, Deakin University, since 2011.

Board Member, UnitingCare Connections, 2000-2004; Treasurer, 2000-2002.

Board Member, Victorian Council of Social Service, 2002-2004; Member, Finance Committee, 2001-2004.

Executive Director, Leadership Victoria, since 2012.

Chair, Constitutional Advisory Committee, St Paul's Anglican Grammar School, 2011.

Member, Committee, I-Gain Quality Learning, 2008-2011.

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

**Mr Jack Andrew DICKENSON**, Eden NSW 2551

For service to the community of Eden.

President, Eden Killer Whale Museum, for 18 years; range of executive positions including Treasurer, for 14 years, and Secretary, for 3 years; Member, since 1977; Life Member, 1997. Organiser of Back to Eden celebrations held to mark 50th anniversary of the museum, 1981.

Founding President, South East History Group, since 2010.

Founding President, Eden Men's Shed, since 2006.

Presenter and Member, 2SEA Eden Community Radio, 2000-2004.

Founding President, Eden Lions Club, 1980; Director, 1980-1992.

President, Eden Chamber of Commerce, 1991-1994; Vice-President, 1987-1990; Treasurer, 1990-1991; Member, 1972-1997.

President, Eden Area Committee, 1989.

President, Nullica Lodge Aged Care Facility Advisory Committee, in the early 1990s.

Vice-President, Eden Service and Social Club, for 4 years; Treasurer, for 3 years; Publicity and Bulletin Officer, for 4 years; Public Officer, for 5 years; Member, for 20 years.

President, Eden Apex Club (formerly known as the Eden-Genoa Apex Club), 1972; Life Member, 1977.

Secretary, Bombala Apex Club, 1970-1971; Member, 1968-1971; Publicity and Bulletin Officer, 1969-1970.

President, *Eden Singers*, 2010-2013.

Volunteer, Meals on Wheels, Eden, for 15 years.

Justice of Peace, for 40 years.

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

**Mr Richard William (Bill) DIXON**, deceased,  
Late of Cherrybrook NSW 2126  
For service to the community of north western Sydney.

Instigator and President, Community Foundation of North Western Sydney, 2005-2013; former Director.

President, The Hills Community Aid and Information Service (formerly Baulkham Hills Shire Home and Community Services), 2001-2007; Treasurer, 1988-2001; Member, Management Committee, for 16 years; Chairman, Home and Community Care Forum; volunteer, from 1983. President/Treasurer, Pennant Hills Neighbour Aid, 1998-2000 and 2003-2006; Vice-President, 2001-2003 and 2006-2007; Treasurer, 2000-2001.

President, Hornsby Community Health and Information Service, for 3 years; Treasurer, for 9 years; volunteer, 1982-1998.

Instigator and Founding President, NSW Meals on Wheels Association, 1987-1993; Life Member.

President and Treasurer, Baulkham Hills Meals on Wheels, in the 1980.

Committee Member, Hornsby Meals on Wheels.

Advocate for people with an intellectual disability, Northside Citizens' Advocacy Service, 1990-1994; former Treasurer.

Volunteer Firefighter, Western Australia, Gilgandra and Hornsby, NSW, 1946-1994.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Mr Dixon died on 24 August 2013.

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

**Mr Peter John DOAK**, Torquay Vic 3228  
For service to sport, and to the community of Geelong.

Treasurer, Olympians Club of Victoria, since 1972.  
Current Board Member/Treasurer, Barwon Sports Academy (BSA).  
Board Member/Treasurer, Bis Sport Geelong.

Won 7 Gold medals, swimming, Australian Masters Games, Geelong, 2009.  
Gold Medallist, 4 x 100m Relay, World Masters Games, Brisbane, 1994.  
Bronze Medallist, 4 x 100m Freestyle Relay, Tokyo 1964 Olympic Games.  
Gold Medallist and World Record Holder, 4 x 110 yards Freestyle Relay, Perth 1962 Commonwealth Games.  
1st place, 100m Freestyle, Australian Swimming Titles, 1967.  
Captain, Victorian State Swimming Team, for 8 years; Member, for 11 years.  
Life Member, Geelong Swimming Club.  
Coach, Learn to Swim Classes, Kardinia Park Pool, for 26 years.  
Member, Torquay Surf Life Saving Club, for 26 years.  
Member, Victorian Surf Life Saving Team, for 5 years.  
Member, Australian Surf Life Saving Team, South Africa, 1969.  
1st Place, Senior Surf Belt Race, Australian Surf Life Saving Championships, 1967.  
First Victorian to win the Australian Individual Open Surf Life Saving Title.

Board Member, DoCare Geelong Co-operative Ltd, since 2009.

Awards/recognition include:  
Australian Sports Medal 2000.

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

**Mrs Barbara Frances (Babs) DONALDSON**, Coolah Street, Griffith NSW 2680  
For service to the community of the Riverina.

Founding Director, Country Hope, since 2003; Deputy Chairperson, since 2007; Regional Coordinator for Griffith, also covering Narrandera, Leeton, Coleambally, Hillston, Hay, Ungarie, Lake Cargelligo, West Wyalong and Condobolin.

Member, Daffodil Day Committee, Biggest Morning Tea Committee and Relay for Life Committee, Cancer Council NSW, since 1994; Fundraiser, Lilier Lodge (CanAssist) and Riverina Cancer Centre, 2001-2003.

Member, CanAssist, Griffith, since the 1990s; former Secretary, for many years.

Founding and active Member, Griffith Breast Cancer Support Group.

Committee Member, The Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal, Griffith.

Supporter, Griffith Branch, Heart Support Group.

Volunteer Driver, Meals on Wheels/Inner Wheel Club, East Griffith, since 1995.

District Secretary, District 9700, Rotary International, 1997-1998; covers Bathurst to Hay and Henty to Condobolin.

Active Member, Rotary Club of Griffith; worked in Nepal through the Rotary International World Community Service, 1994.

Board Member, Griffith Pioneers Lodge Aged Care Hospital and Nursing Home, since 1998.

Awards/recognition include:

Australia Day Citizen of the Year, Griffith City Council, 2000.

Inducted to the Griffith City's 'Role of Honour', 2008.

Griffith City Council Award, 1999 and 2008.

Griffith City Council Committee Award, 2000.

National Volunteer Award, 2011.

Runner-Up, 'Rural Women of the Year', Casella Wines, 2011.

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Griffith, 1999; Sapphire Pin, 2008.

**Mr Neil Kirwan DONALDSON**, Shenton Park WA 6008  
For service to Australian rules football in Western Australia.

Member, Western Australia Amateur Football League, since 1955; Life Member, 1972.

Member, Hall of Champions Selection Committee, 2009-2012; Member, Protests and Disputes Tribunal, 1998-2012; Chairman of Selectors, 1976; State Selector, 1971-1972 and 1975; Team Manager, 1973; Organiser, Amateur League Carnival, Perth, 1970.

President, University of Western Australia Football Club, 1957-1958 and 1963-1965; Vice-President, 1959-1962; Secretary, 1955-1956; Member, since 1954; Life Member, 1967; Patron, 1985-2012.

Life Member, Western Australia Football Commission, 2012.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

AFL recognition to volunteers supporting Australian rules football, 2003.

National Football Merit Award (for service to amateur football), 1990.

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

**Mr Joseph D'ONOFRIO**, Oakleigh Vic 3166

For service to the sport of fencing.

Founder and President, Fioretto Fencing Club, since 1982.

Established vision impaired fencing squad in Victoria.

Volunteer Fencing Coach, Corpus Christi Aged Care facility, 2000-2012.

Qualified Coach, Wheelchair Fencing, since 2003; Coach, World Cup Team, 2006.

Founder and organiser, Lygon Street Festa Festival Fencing Competition, 1994-2004.

Volunteer Timekeeper, Fencing, Sydney 2000 Olympic Games; and Olympic Qualifiers.

President, Melbourne Fencing, for 5-6 years.

Life Member, Fencing Victoria, since 2007;

Volunteer, Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games.

Justice of the Peace, for more than 35 years.

President, Lions Club of Oakleigh, 1974-1975; Member, 1970-1987.

Awards/recognition include:

Recognition Awards, '60 Years' and '65 years' involvement in Fencing, 2007 and 2012.

**Mr James William DOUGHERTY**, 18 Miller Street, Grafton NSW 2460

For service to surf lifesaving, and to the community.

Branch Life Member, Far North Coast Branch, Surf Life Saving New South Wales, since 2001; roles since 1974 have included Branch Vice-President; Member, Board of Surf Sports; Club Delegate; Selection Referee at the NSW Country Titles; Selector, Coach (6-8 years); Manager (6-7 years); Level II Competition Official; Carnival Referee; Carnival Official and Official at some state and national titles.

Life Member, Yamba Surf Life Saving Club, since 1987; President, 1997-2001; Secretary, 1982-1992; Club Captain, 1977-1980; ongoing roles include Competition Director, Training Assessor, Branch Delegate, Coach, and mentor to young participants.

Member, Surf Life Saving New South Wales, since 1968.

Committee Member, volunteer and Coach, Majo's Soccer Club, for 10 years from the mid 1980s.

Former President, Committee Member and volunteer, Grafton Amateur Swimming Club, from the mid 1980s to the mid 1990s.

Member, Finance Committee, St Mary's Parish, for 15 years.

Licensed real estate agent and chartered accountant.

Involvement with the Westlawn Group, since 1993, includes:

- Managing Director, Westlawn Holdings.
- Non-Executive Chairman, Clarence Property.
- Chairman, Westlawn Property Trust.
- Executive Director, Westlawn Finance Ltd.

Principal, L J Hooker, Grafton, ca1980-1992.

Committee Member, Grafton and District Business Development Board, for approximately 20 years from the early 1990s.

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

**Mr Paul DOVICO**, Concord NSW 2137

For service to accountancy, and to the community.

Managing Director, Duncan Dovico Holding (located in Sydney, Melbourne and New Zealand), since 1990; currently has 11 partners, over 100 members and ranked 53rd in the BRW top 100 firms.

Member, Certified Practising Accountants Australia, since 1990.

Executer/Trustee, Brian Kirby Foundation; established the Brian Kirby Foundation through the auspices of the University of New South Wales for research into Indigenous Eye Disease.

State and National President, Italian Chamber of Commerce; current Vice-Chairman; Director/Treasurer, 1987.

Member, New South Wales Government Consultative Committee.

Board Member, Co.As.It. - (Comitato Assistenza Italiani).

Has donated funds to a range of organisations including the Children's Hospital at Westmead and the Australian Leukodystrophy Support Group.

Justice of Peace.

Fellow, Institute of Chartered Accountants.

**Miss Katherine Rose DOWNIE**, Quinns Rocks WA 6030

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, London 2012 Paralympic Games; two Gold medals.

Gold, Silver and Bronze Medallist, Arafura Games, 2011; two Gold, three Silver and two Bronze medals.

Gold, Silver and Bronze Medallist, Canadian/American Championships, 2011.

Public Speaker, Western Australian Institute of Sport.

Member, Westside Christ Church Aquatic Swimming Club.

Other awards/recognition include:

Multiclass Swimmer of the Year, Swimming WA, 2012 and 2013.

Athlete with a Disability, Western Australian Institute of Sport, 2012.



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

**Mr John Henry DOWSE**, 27 Larool Avenue, Lindfield NSW 2070

For service to the welfare of the aged through a range of health initiatives.

Consultant, Program for Seniors, Sydney University Sport, Strength and Fitness, since 2006. Designed the Strength Circuit workout for the over 55s; now the Intensity Strength Circuit for Carers currently conducted at the Bradfield Park Community Centre (seniors' class run through the NSW Department of Family and Community Services, Ageing, Disability and Home Care).

Fitness Instructor, Strength Circuits, Pyrmont Community Centre, since 2009.

Co-Founder, Blue and Gold Club, Sydney University, in the mid 1990s, for the University's sporting alumni.

Player, Wallabies Rugby Union Team for the tour of South Africa, 1961; played 4 test matches.

Awards/recognition include:

New South Wales Seniors Achievement Award, NSW Department of Family and Community Services, Ageing, Disability and Home Care, 2012.

**Mrs Wendy Margaret DROWLEY**, 26 Kathleen Road, Rosanna Vic 3084

For service to the performing arts.

Vice-President, Heidelberg Theatre Company; Member, since 1953.

Has held a range of executive roles including Artistic Director, Secretary, Liaison Officer, Fundraiser, Project Manager and Committee Member, for approximately 40 years.

Costume Designer, Wardrobe Mistress, for 112 productions over more than 30 years.

Served in various production roles including Actress, Director, Set Designer, Production Coordinator, and Ticket Secretary.

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

**Mr Robert William DUNCAN**, 17 Parkcrest Place, Kenthurst NSW 2156

For service to business and commerce, and to the community.

Executive Vice-President, USANA Health Sciences Australasia, 2008-2010; Vice-President, 2006-2008; Managing Director Australia and New Zealand, 2000-2006; 'Network marketing' of health and nutrition products internationally.

General Manager, Amway Australia, 1993-1999; Corporate Affairs Manager, 1987-1993; Regional Sales Manager, 1986-1987; joined Amway in 1980.

- Deeply involved in driving philanthropic projects on behalf of Amway, including a hands-on charitable project involving all employees to raise funds for Clean Up Australia and the Children's Cancer Research Institute.
- Negotiated significant sponsorship agreements on behalf of Amway for two America's Cup campaigns.

Chairman, Direct Selling Association of Australia, 2006-2009; Board Member, since 1993; Life Member, 2009.

Board Member, World Federation of Direct Selling Associations (WFDSA), appointed 1997; Chairman, WFDSA World Congress, 1996.

Chairman, GROW Sydney Area Consultative Committee (now Regional Development Australia - Sydney), 2005-2009 (organisation ceased).

State Protocol Officer, NSW Rural Fire Service, since 2011; Deputy Captain, Kenthurst Division, since 2002 and Vice-President, since 2005; Member, Baulkham Hills Disaster Recovery Committee, 1991; Represents the Rural Fire Service on the Council of Emergency Volunteers (reports to the Minister for Police and Emergency Services).

Group Leader, Glenhaven 1st Group, Scouts Australia, 1989-1992; Trainee Leader, 1988-1989; Instructor/Assessor, Duke of Edinburgh Scheme.

Volunteer, Defence Force Army Reserves, for 20 years; retired as an Infantry Brigade Operations Officer.

Member, committee that worked with the Hills Shire Council on the development and construction of The Hills Entertainment Centre, 1983-1988.

Board Member, Hills Regional Federation Fund Committee.

Board Member, Hills Hawkesbury Initiative for Excellence.

Involved in fundraising and supporting the NSW Paralympic Committee and Life Be In It.

Instructor, boat safety courses for the community.

Member, Organising Committee, Hills Excellence in Business Awards, 1996-2006; Senior Judge and occasional Master of Ceremonies.

Organised volunteer mentors for Hills Business Mentoring and Hawkesbury Young Entrepreneur Program.

Volunteer Business Adviser, Young Achievement Australia; established links with similar programs in the United States of America.

Awards/recognition include:

Inductee, Hall of Fame, Direct Selling Association of Australia.

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

### **Ms Lucinda Joanne DUNN,**

C/- Australian Ballet Company, 2 Kavanagh Street, Southbank Vic 3006  
For service to the performing arts through ballet.

Principal Artist, Australian Ballet Company, since 2002; Dancer, since 1991; the Australia Ballet's longest serving female principal artist.

Dancer in national and international performances in the United Kingdom, Japan, Italy, China and America.

A range of major roles, including:

- Odette in *Swan Lake*, recent performance.
- Sugar Plum Fairy in *The Nutcracker*, 2010.
- Kitri in *Don Quixote*, 2007.
- Aurora in *The Sleeping Beauty*, 2005.
- Juliet in *Romeo and Juliet*, 2003.

Guest Artist for:

- World Ballet Festival, 2006 and 2009.
- Royal Danish Ballet.
- Le Jeune Ballet de France.
- Birmingham Royal Ballet.

### **Mr Glenn DWARTE, Shellharbour NSW 2529**

For service to the community of Illawarra through philanthropic works.

Co-Owner and operator, Warilla, Warrawong and Shellharbour McDonalds, since 1994.

Contributor, Lake Illawarra Australia Day Celebrations, since 1994; feeds up to 400 people; supplies drinks for up to 5,000 people.

Through the restaurants Mr Dwarde has provided free meals for up to 400 people on Christmas Eve to disadvantaged members of the community, since 1994.

Sponsor, Shellharbour Carols by Candlelight.

Mr Dwarde has also made contributions to:

- Shellharbour Public Hospital (various medical equipment including beds, heart monitors and a Bi-Pap machine).
- Westmead Children's Hospital (raising money for the burns unit with the Illawarra Fire Brigade).
- St Vincent De Paul Society.
- Illawarra area Shark Patrol.
- St George Illawarra Rugby Team.
- Illawarra/Wollongong Hawks Basketball Team.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Shellharbour City.

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

**Mrs Katia Mary DWARTE**, Shellharbour NSW 2529

For service to the community of Illawarra through philanthropic works.

Co-Owner and operator, Warilla, Warrawong and Shellharbour McDonalds, since 1994.

Through the restaurants Mrs DwarTE has provided free meals for up to 400 people on Christmas Eve to disadvantaged members of the community, since 1994.

Mrs DwarTE has also made contributions to:

- Shellharbour Public Hospital (various medical equipment including beds, heart monitors and a Bi-Pap machine).
- Westmead Children's Hospital (raising money for the burns unit with the Illawarra Fire Brigade).
- St Vincent De Paul Society.
- Illawarra area Shark Patrol.
- St George Illawarra Rugby Team.
- Illawarra/Wollongong Hawks Basketball Team.
- Lake Illawarra Australia Day Celebrations, since 1994.
- Shellharbour Carols by Candlelight.

**Mrs Jillian Isobel DWYER**, 48 Gould Street, Frankston Vic 3199

For service to the arts as a voluntary guide and administrator.

President, General Committee, National Gallery of Victoria (NGV) Voluntary Guides, 2006-2007; during her term Mrs Dwyer also:

Initiated and commenced publication, *What's News?* guides' newsletter.

With her Sub-Committee revised and organised, Charter and Code of Conduct; came into operation January 2007.

With her Sub-Committee reviewed guiding and rostering procedure, and produced a Procedures Manual.

Oversaw transition and reorganisation, and unincorporated the association Voluntary Guides of the National Gallery of Victoria to come under the umbrella of the Department of Education and Public Programs.

Member, Sub-Committee reviewing, 'Important Works for Guiding', 2013.

Coordinator, Trainee Lecture Program and Mentor Program, 18-months training course), 2010-2011; also coordinated current guides to act as assessors, tutors, and markers of Trainees' assignments.

Member, Editorial Committee, *Bringing Art and People Together*, 2008-2009; Guides' history book commemorating 40 years of guiding at the National Gallery of Victoria.

Member, Education Sub-Committee, 2003-2005.

Special Exhibitions Coordinator, 2003-2004.

Voluntary Guide, since 2001; Trainee Guide, 1999-2001.

Secretary, Association of Australian Gallery Guiding Organisation, 2008-2009; also served as Secretary, Organising Committee, 17th Biennial Conference, National Gallery of Victoria, 2009.

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

**Mrs Edith Helen EDMONDS**, 397A Stirling Highway, Claremont WA 6010

For service to the community through the arts.

Board Member, Ballet Workshop Inc (joint venture between Perth City Ballet and Prompt Corner), since 1995; Pianist and Choirmaster, musical theatre productions, since 1995.

Member, University of Western Australia Choral Society, since 1976; Founding Member, *Collegium Musicum* choir; Life Member.

Past President, Royal Schools Music Club; Member, since 1990; Life Member; Founded and established funding for the Gertrude Carey Awards for young musicians.

Member, Royal Schools of Church Music.

Accompanist and Soloist, annual Pilbara Music Festival, Port Hedland.

Current Member, *The Entertainers* group; the group visits aged care facilities.

Piano Teacher, Guildford Grammar School, 1976-1979.

Piano Teacher, Methodist Ladies' College, 1976-1983.

Accredited Teacher, Australian Music Teachers Association; taught a significant number of private pupils over many years.

Church Organist, St Margaret's Anglican Church, Nedlands, since 1976; Member, Parish Council, since 2004.

Organist and singer, St Mark's and All Saints' Anglican Churches, Hunters Hill, NSW, 1965-1975.

Member, Royal Western Australian Historical Society (Inc), since 2003; volunteer.

Volunteer, Capital Community Radio Station, since 2007.

**Miss Elizabeth Ann EDWARDS**,

SAS Resources Trust, PO Box 633, Nedlands WA 6909

For service to veterans.

Manager, Special Air Services Resource Trust, since 2009; Founding Secretary; Trustee 1996-2009.

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

**Pastor Mark Llewelyn EDWARDS**, PO Box 4127, Raceview Qld 4305  
For service to the church, and to the community of Ipswich.

Senior Minister, Cityhope Church (formerly the Ipswich Region Community Church), since 1991.

Member State Executive Board, Australian Christian Churches, Queensland Conference (formerly Assemblies of God in Australia), 1992-2006; Treasurer or Secretary, for 10 years; Regional Leader, Brisbane West District, since 2009.

Pioneered program, Total Access Coaching and Mentoring Program, 1997; Established, since 2006, a program aimed at a pastor's personal growth and health; it involves not one-on-one mentoring but a leader and the organisation undertaking the coaching and mentoring.

Initiator, Day of Honour, since 2001; an annual church service to honour all politicians and emergency service workers in the Ipswich region.

Chair, Friends of University of Queensland Ipswich and the Strategic Advisory Group (formerly University of Queensland Ipswich City Support Group), from the late 1990s to the early 2000s.

President, Ipswich Region Chamber of Commerce, Business and Industry, 1997-1998; Life Member.

Inaugural Member, Ipswich Region Medical Ethics Committee, 1995-1998.

Chairperson, St Andrew's Ipswich Private Hospital Board, 1993-1996; Board Member, 1989-1996.

Chairperson, Ipswich and West Moreton Family Resource Centre, 1997, Member, Management Committee, 1995-1997.

Private Practice, 1985-1991.

Queensland Legal Aid Commission, in the early 1980s.

Awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, Ipswich City Council, since 2010.

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

**Mr Alan George ELEY AFSM**, 259A High Street, Echuca Vic 3564  
For service to the community of Echuca.

President, Rotary Club of Echuca Moama, 1988-1989; Member, for many years; Chairman, Steam Rally Committee.

Volunteer, Meals on Wheels, for many years.

Member, Probus Club of Echuca; Secretary, 2007/2008.

Member, Ambulance Advisory Board.

Brigade Secretary, Echuca Urban Fire Brigade, 1985-1999 and 2006-2008; Volunteer Firefighter, since 1985; Life Member; Brigade Historian, for many years; Brigade Training Officer, for 10 years; Brigade Finance Committee Member, for 28 years.

Deputy Group Officer, Deakin Group, Country Fire Authority, for 10 years; Secretary, for 8 years.

Volunteer Fire Causation Investigator, Fire Investigation Group, for many years; Fire Investigation Team Leader.

Public Relations Officer, State Championships, 2005 and 2010.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Fire Service Medal, 1995.

**Mrs Robyn Yvonne ELKINGTON**, Manly Qld 4179  
For service to youth.

Founding Member and volunteer, South Passage Adventure under Sail, Sail Training Association of Queensland Inc (STAQ), since 1992.

Current Secretary and Operations Manager.

Held roles including Committee Member, Office Administrator, Marketing Coordinator, Secretary, Sailing Master, Watch Leader, Cook, and Maintenance Coordinator.

Board Member, Australian Sail Training Association, since 2005; STAQ Representative, Membership Secretary.

Other roles include developing sailing and shipboard programs; involved in the development of the Watch Leader training course; established supply and servicing agreements along the ship's routes; and welcomed over 3,000 volunteers.

Teacher, Queensland Department of Education, Training and Employment, 1983-1998.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

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

**Miss Maddison Gae ELLIOTT**, Gillieston Heights NSW 2321

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, London 2012 Paralympic Games; plus one Silver medal and two Bronze medals, two world records and 7 Oceania records.

Other awards/recognition include:

Australia Day Ambassador, Maitland City Council, 2013; a swimming lane at the Maitland Swimming Pool is named in her honour.

Ambassador, Australian Junior Special Olympics, 2012.

Bishop Tyrell Award, Bishop Tyrell Anglican College, 2012.

**Mrs Margaret Glendon ELLIS**, 37 Groom Street, Kyogle NSW 2474

For service to the community of Kyogle.

Current Director, Kyogle Bowling Club Ltd.

Has held a range of executive roles with the Kyogle Country Music Association, for many years.

Foundation Member, Ladies Auxiliary, Kyogle Netball Association; Life Member.

Member, Ladies Auxiliary, Kyogle Rugby League, for many years.

Member, Ladies Auxiliary, Kyogle Pastoral, Agricultural and Multicultural Society; Life Member; Caterer for annual shows, rodeos, dog trials, camp drafts etc.

Involved in organising the 75th Anniversary celebrations, Kyogle Swimming Club, 2010.

Involved in organising the 50th Anniversary celebrations, Kyogle Netball Club, 2010.

Involved in fundraising for a Renal Dialysis Unit at the Lismore Base Hospital.

Fundraiser, Cancer Council Biggest Morning Tea, for many years.

Member, Kyogle Quota Club, for many years; Patron, for many years.

Current Member, Kyogle Hospital Auxiliary; Member, Multipurpose Unit Fundraising Committee, until the unit was built.

Member, Australia Day Committee, Kyogle Council, for over 20 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Kyogle Shire, 1994.

NSW Premier's Community Award, 1993; for her outstanding contribution to the community, particularly her fundraising efforts for the Lismore Base Hospital Renal Dialysis Unit.



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

**Miss Brittany Joyce ELMSLIE**, Brisbane Qld 4000

For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Olympic Champion, Women's 4x100m Freestyle Relay, London 2012 Olympic Games.

Silver Medallist (heat swimmer), Women's 4x200m Freestyle Relay.

Silver Medallist (heat swimmer), Women's 4x100m Medley Relay.

Other awards/recognition include:

Young Ambassador, Motor Neurone Disease Australia, since 2012.

**Dr Imad Mark ELTENN**, 1/197 Merrylands Road, Merrylands NSW 2160

For service to the community, and to dentistry.

Member, Melkite Catholic Epharchy Council, since 2000.

Member, Australian Lebanese Association, since 1999; Executive Board Member, 1999-2003.

Involved in fundraising with the St Elias Melkite Catholic Project, Guilford, since 2006.

President, Saghbine Charity Association, 1998-1999 and 2005-2008; helping disadvantaged and poor people in Lebanon and Saghbine; Member, since 1988.

Founder, Australian Christian Muslim Friendship Society, 2005; Member, since 2005.

Justice of Peace, since 1998.

Dentist, Dr Imad Mark Eltenn Dental Surgery, since 1987.

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

**Mr David John EPPER**, 57 Bower Street, Manly NSW 2095

For service to children affected by the autism spectrum, and to the community.

Board Member, Autism Spectrum Australia (ASPECT), 2001-2012; Life Member, 2009; Life Governor, 2011.

- Member, Fundraising and Marketing Committee, 2001-2006.
- Initiator and Organiser, Aspect Celebrity Golf Day fundraiser, 2001 (raised \$75,000 in first year); now an annual event that has raised \$750,000 for the organisation; supporter of the Macquarie Links Charity Challenge golf events.
- Involved in joint fundraisers with other charities (Cerebral Palsy Alliance and Giant Steps).
- Mentor to other parents of autistic children.
- Raises awareness of autism within the business community.

Board Member, St Edmund's School, Wahroonga, for Secondary Schoolchildren with disabilities; Member, Eddie's Friends Fundraising Committee, since 2006; organiser, golf day program that has raised \$150,000; plays a key role in another fundraising group that has raised over \$1million in 5 years for the school; also a generous personal supporter.

Managing Director/Senior Underwriter and Owner, Accident and Health International Pty Ltd, since 1998.

Executive Director/Marketing Manager, Harbour Pacific Underwriting Management, 1993-1997.

Senior Underwriter, Hartford Fire Insurance Company, 1988-1993.

Senior Associate, The Australian and New Zealand Institute of Insurance and Finance; Professional Member, since 1981; mentor to new entrants to the industry.

Awards/recognition include:

Voted as the best Travel, Personal Accident and Disability Underwriter in Australia, National Insurance Brokers Association, 2003-2004, 2005-2006 and 2007-2008.

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

**Mr Nazim ERDEM**, 12 Pickersgill Crescent, Roxburgh Park Vic 3064  
For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Australian Wheelchair Rugby Team, London 2012 Paralympics Games.

Silver Medallist, Sydney 2000 and Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.

Competitor, Athens 2004 Paralympic Games.

Gold Medallist/Captain, Victorian Protect Thunder Storm Wheelchair Team, National Wheelchair Rugby League Tournament One, 2013.

Has competed in over 200 international 'Games' for Australia; currently the highest capped player to represent Australia.

Became the first person with a spinal cord injury to paraglide solo, 2002; and to complete the Targa Tasmania Rally, 2006, 2007 and 2008.

Peer Support Coordinator, Australian Quadriplegic Association Victoria, since 1997; a disability services organisation.

**Mr Timothy John ERICKSON**, 1 Avoca Crescent, Pascoe Vale Vic 3044  
For service to race walking.

President, Race Walking Australia, since 2012; Vice-President, 2006-2012; Life Member, 2010; Web Administrator, since 1997.

In addition to these roles Mr Erickson collates, publishes and maintains a comprehensive Australian Race Walking results/ranking on a weekly basis, has also organised championship events and introduced a service recognition scheme.

Secretary, Australian Centurion Race Walking Club, since 1995; current web administrator and editor of monthly newsletter.

Current Special Adviser, Race Walking, Athletics Australia and Athletics Victoria.

Current Convenor, Out of Stadium Committee, Athletics Australia.

Secretary, Victorian Race Walking Club, since 2001; Life Member, 2005; Member, since 1966; current web administrator and editor of weekly newsletter.

Member, Organising Committee, Coburg 24hr Carnival, since 1998.

Volunteer, Coburg Branch of Victorian Masters Athletic Club, for many years.

Current Official, Athletics Australia and Athletics Victoria.

Achievements include:

Bronze Medallist, 30km Walk, Edmonton 1978 Commonwealth Games.

6th position, 30km Walk, Brisbane 1982 Commonwealth Games.

During his walking career, Mr Erickson was 'placed' in 28 Victorian and 8 Australian Championships.

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

**Mr Kevin Francis ERWIN**, 125/998 Samford Road, Keperra Qld 4054  
For service to social welfare through the provision of humanitarian aid in Vietnam.

National Chairman, Australia Vietnam Volunteer Resource Group, since 2005.  
Former Veterans Advocate, Everyman's Welfare Service.

Member, National Seniors Australia, The Gap Branch; Zone Delegate 2009-2011.  
Past President, Pine Rivers Golf Club.  
Justice of the Peace, Queensland.

**Mr E Doug EVANS**, 55 Corowa Road, Mulwala NSW 2647  
For service to the communities of Wangaratta and Yarrawonga Mulwala.

Member, Membership Committee, Rotary District 9790, Rotary International, since 2010.  
President, Rotary Club of Yarrawonga Mulwala Inc, 2009-2010; Director, various portfolios, since 2005; Member, since 2004.

Chairman, 'Wangaratta On the Move' Committee, in the 1970s.  
President, Wangaratta Club, for 2 terms in the 1970s.  
President, Board of Management, Wangaratta District Base Hospital, 1985-1987, Member, for 12 years; Member, various Sub-Committees.  
Chairman, Wangaratta Regional Development Corporation, 1974-1978.  
Member, Yarrawonga Mulwala Tourism Board, current Treasurer.  
Current Member, Yarrawonga Health Management Board.  
Current Co-Chairman, Tunzafun Community Fun Park; current volunteer Redevelopment.

Mayor, City of Wangaratta, 1974-1976; Councillor, 1968-1980.  
Served on Waterworks Trust, Sewerage Authority and Regional Planning.  
Member, Melbourne Water South East Water Advisory body, 1995-1996.  
Current Member, Moira Shire Victoria Park/Show Grounds Section 86 Committee.

Controller, Wangaratta SES, 1974-1986.  
Chairman, Municipal Saleyards Association of Victoria, 1977-1980.

Justice of the Peace, Victoria, since 1977.  
Member, Australia/New Zealand Standards Committee WS16, since 1984.

Awards/recognition include:  
Mulwala and District Citizen of the Year, Corowa Shire, 2009.  
Silver Jubilee Civic Award, Citizen of the Year, Rural City of Wangaratta, 1984.

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

**Mr Wayne Henry EVANS**, PO Box 423, Port Macquarie NSW 2444  
For service to the law, and to the community of the Mid-North Coast.

Magistrate, Kempsey Court Circuit, Local Court of New South Wales, since 2009.

Magistrate, Port Macquarie Circuit, 1997-2008.

Magistrate, Relieving role in the Sydney Metropolitan area and handled involuntary mental health hearings, 1988-1997.

Since his appointment Mr Evans has been involved in a number of community initiatives including:

- Instrumental in the establishment of the Traffic Offenders Program.
- Successfully advocated for the establishment of a New South Wales Court Mental Health Liaison Service.
- Involved with student representatives from local high schools, the police and other community organisations to introduce Point Zero, Power of Choice and Safe Partying - programs designed to educate and support youth in the community.
- Introduced Circle Sentencing to Dunghutti and Gumbayngirr people.

Supporter, Schizophrenia Fellowship of New South Wales Inc, for many years; helped to develop resource book for carers.

Supporter, Yetta Dhinnakkal Centre (Brewarrina), for many years.

Current Member, Youth Hub Committee, Port Macquarie.

Current Trustee, Hastings Cancer Trust.

Foundation Member, Hastings Community Drug Action Team and the Kempsey Community Drug Action Team.

Current President, Sailability, Port Macquarie.