

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

**Ms Susan (Sue) SACKER**, Manly NSW 2095

For service to people with a mental illness, to local government, and to the community of Manly.

Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Schizophrenia Fellowship of New South Wales, since 2006; employee, since 2000; Chair, Steering Committee, Mental Health Sports Network, since 2011; led development of the 'New Moves' healthy lifestyle program.

Treasurer, Mental Health Coordinating Council, since 2011; Board Member, since 2009.

Involved in establishing, Sunflower House, Wagga Wagga, since 2003.

Involved in establishing the Pioneer Clubhouse, Manly, 1994; Chair, Management Committee, 1994-2000.

Chair, Manly Warringah Pittwater Mental Health Task Force, in the 1990s.

Mayor, Manly Council, 1995-1999 (first popularly-elected Mayor of Manly); Councillor, 1991-2003; Chair, Heritage Committee, for 12 years.

Chair and Founding Member, Friends of Quarantine Station, Manly, since 1999.

Member, Residents and Friends of Manly, 1985-2000.

Chair, Manly Neighbourhood Centre, in the 1990s.

Board Member, NSW National Trust, 2000-2002.

Committee Member, Manly Friends of Oecusse, since 2009.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

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

### **Mrs Shirley Porter SAMPSON,**

33 'Manson Towers', 13 Moseley Street, Glenelg SA 5045

For service to the community through a range of organisations.

Justice of the Peace, since 1978; Justice of the Quorum, 1980-1995.

Bench Duties, Adelaide, Port Adelaide and Christies Beach Magistrates Courts, 1978-1995.

Member State Council, Royal Association of Justices of South Australia, 1982-1984 and 1989-1993; Member, since 1978.

President, Justices Bowling Club, 2006-2008; Vice-President, 2004-2006; Minute Secretary, 2003-2004; Member, since 2001.

Member, Management Committee, Holdfast Bay Bowls and Croquet Club, 1987-1996; Life Member; Registered Umpire.

President, Holdfast Bay Women's Bowling Club, 1973-1975; Past President, 1975-1977; Secretary, 1977; Management Committee, for 16 years; Member, since 1957.

Foundation Member, Genealogy SA, since 1973; Library Volunteer, 1998-2007.

Voluntary Missions Service, Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, 1984-2004.

President, Mothers' Club, Brighton High School, 1961-1970.

Awards/recognition include:

Service Award for Community, Justices of the Peace Services, City of Holdfast Bay, 2008.

50 Years' Membership Award, Bowls SA, 2006.

Recognition Award, National Day for Older Australians, 2006.

Certificate of Appreciation, Royal Association of Justices of South Australia, Port Adelaide and Districts Group, 1992.

### **Mr Robert SCHOFIELD, Peel Inn Hotel, Nundle NSW 2340**

For service to the community, particularly through local government.

Councillor, Tamworth Regional Council, 2004-2008; Councillor, Nundle Council, from the early 1980s to 2004; Deputy Mayor, 2002-2004.

President, Nundle Australia Day Committee.

President, Fossickers Way Promotion Committee.

Member, Nundle Business Tourism and Marketing Group; Member Nundle Community Development Committee; Chairman, 2009-2010.

Charter Member, Nundle Lions Club.

Life Member and supporter, Nundle Football Club.

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

**Mr John Lewis SCHUMANN**, College Park SA 5069

For service to music, and to the veteran community.

Lead Singer and Songwriter for folk-rock group 'Redgum', 1975-1985

Has been performing as part of John Schumann and the Vagabond Crew, since 2005.

Solo performer with CBS Broadcasting Inc, 1986-1993; released several records, including *Etched in Blue* and a children's record, *Looby Loo*.

Signed multi-album deal with ABC Music; *Behind the Lines*, an album of songs related to Australians at war, released 2008.

Co-Director, Schumann and Associates.

Graduate, Australian Institute of Company Directors.

Visited Solomon Islands to play for Australian troops and AFP personnel stationed there, July 2013.

Visited Afghanistan to play for Australian troops, September-October 2011.

Visited East Timor to play for Australian and New Zealand troops, December 2009.

Worked with the Defence Department on 'Dents in the Soul', a project designed to help soldiers to deal with post traumatic stress disorder, 2011.

Honorary Member, 9RAR Association.

Honorary Life Member, Vietnam Veterans Association of Australia.

Involved with the Australasian Centre for Rural and Remote Mental Health through a range of roles and projects including as interviewer, director and producer of a DVD for the 'Deadly Thinking' program in remote Indigenous communities.

Chief of Staff for the (then) Leader of the Australian Democrats, Meg Lees, 1998-2001.

Awards/recognition include:

Distinguished Alumni of Flinders University, for his contribution to Australian music and social justice, 2008.

Golden Guitar Award.

'Mo' Award, Australian Performing Rights Association Award, on 2 occasions.

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

**Mrs Joan Farley SCOTT**, Roma Qld 4455

For service to the community, and to local government.

Royal National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland: Councillor, 1996-2012; Chair, Fleece Breeds Committee, 2003-2012; Member, Appeals and Disciplinary, Entertainment, Catering and House, Education and the Future, Show Camp, Young Judges, Joint Stock, Meat Hall, and Animal Boulevard committees.

Deputy Chairman, Bungil Shire Council, 1987-1993; Councillor, 1979-1996; first female elected to Council.

Member, Rural Lands Protection Board of Queensland, 1992-1996.

Co-Author, *In Champagne Country: Stories and Photographs of People and Events in and around Roma*, Rod Strachan and Joan Scott, Roma State School Parents and Citizens Association, 1980.

Co-Author, *Fight for a Just Cause: A Chronicle of the First Hundred Years of the Maranoa Graziers' Association*, Joan Scott, Heather R Hirsch, Maranoa Graziers' Association, 1990.

**Mr Ryan SCOTT**, Brisbane Qld 4000

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.

Other awards/recognition include;

Ambassador, Paralympic Education Program.

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

**Mr Joseph James SEDDON, deceased,**

Late of Randwick NSW 2031

For service to surf lifesaving.

Governor, Coogee Surf Life Saving Club, since 2002; President, 1974-1975 and 1977-1982; Vice-President, 1988-1989; Deputy President, 1972-1973; Secretary, 1968-1971, 1985-1986 and 1991-1995; Treasurer, 1968-1971, 1983-1985 and 1989-1991; Club Captain, 1983-1985 and 1989-1991; Public Officer, 1976-1977 and since 1986; Club Historian, since 1980; Newsletter Editor, for many years; Sponsorships Manager, 1987-1988; Member, Committee of Management, for more than 40 years; Gear Steward, 1966-1968; Life Member, 1982; Member, since 1962.

Author, *Coogee Surf Club - A Century of Vigilance and Service*, 2008.

Past District Supervisor, Randwick District Surf Life Saving; Life Member, early 1980s.

Events Coordinator, State Surf Championships, New South Wales Surf Life Saving, for 10 years; State Selector; Instructor and Examiner, for many years.

Honorary Treasurer, Surf Life Saving Australia, 1975-1979.

Director, Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service, for 10 years.

Trustee, Wylies Baths, 1996-2008; Member, Committee of Management, 1984-1996.

Trustee, New South Wales Sports Centre, for many years.

Chief Executive Officer, New South Wales Amateur Swimming Association, in the 1980s.

Mr Seddon died on 18 November 2013.

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

**Mr Kenneth Ian SEMMLER**, Bellevue Heights SA 5050

For service to the community, and to education through the Lutheran Church of Australia.

Guest Lecturer and Member, Teacher Program Advisory Committee, Roseworthy Agricultural College, 1975-1992.

Foundation Member, Barossa Horizons, 1994-1999.

Former Chairman, Barossa Grape Growers Association.

Former Committee Member, Barossa Vine Selection Society.

Former Committee Member, Barossa Valley Vintage Festival.

Former Member, Advisory Committee, State Planning Authority.

Former Secretary, Williamstown and Lyndoch Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia.

Inaugural Chairman, Faith Lutheran College, Tanunda, 1985-1988; Chairman, Establishment Committee, 1983-1985.

Member, Faith Centre Building Executive Committee, 1996.

Director, Giving to Grow Appeal, in the early 1990s.

Inaugural Chairman, Lutheran Schools Association, from the 1970s until 1988.

Member, South Australian District Church Council, Lutheran Church of Australia, for 2 years.

Chairman, St Paul's Lutheran Church Ferryden Park, Adelaide.

Former Chairman, St Jakobi Congregation, Lyndoch.

Former Secretary/Treasurer, St Jakobi Lutheran Primary School.

Volunteer for 3 month and 1 month assignments in Banda Aceh, North and West Sumatra and Nias Island, Indonesia in the aftermath of the tsunami, Lutheran World Service, 2005-2010.

Volunteer for 6 month assignment in Gitarama, Rwanda, Lutheran World Federation, 1994/1995.

Mentor (with wife) to refugees and new arrivals, since 2000.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Lutheran College Servant of Christ Award, 2005.

Australia Day Citizen of the Year, Barossa Community, 1996.

Vigneron of the Year Barons of Barossa, 1991.

Wine and Brandy Association's South Australian 'Vineyard of the Year', 1991.

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

**Mr Michael SHAPIRO**, PO Box 96, Rose Bay NSW 2029

For service to the community of Rose Bay.

Director, B'nai B'rith Retirement Villages, since 2003.

Volunteer Administrator, Princess Gardens Retirement Village, since 2003.

Vice-President, Syd Einfeld Unit, since 2010; Executive Member, since 2000; Membership Coordinator, for 10 years.

Life Member, Bondi Junction/Waverley RSL Club.

Secretary, Diamond Bay Bowling Club, 1998-2009; Board Member, since 2004.

President, Bondi Diggers Indoor Bowling Club, 1978-1992; Treasurer.

**Mr Warren James SHARPE**, Tuross Head NSW 2537

For service to engineering, and to the community.

Board Member, Institute of Public Works Engineers Australia (New South Wales), since 2011; Member, Skills Shortage Panel, 2008-2010.

Chairman, South East, Institute of Public Works Engineers Australia (New South Wales), since 2009.

Director, Infrastructure Services, Eurobodalla Shire Council, since 2012; employee, since 1985.

Chairman, Eurobodalla Shire Local Emergency Management Committee, since 2006; Local Emergency Management Officer, since 2006.

Chair, Executive Committee, South East Australian Transport Strategy, since 2011; Member, since 2009.

Chair, NSW Roads and Transport Directorate, since 2012; Member, since 2005.

Awards/recognition include:

National Public Works Leader of the Year, Engineers Australia, 2011.

NSW Public Works Leader of the Year, 2011.

G A Taylor Medal, Institute of Public Works Engineers Australia, 2006.

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

**Mr Roderick James SHEARING**, Modbury SA 5092

For service to geography.

President, Royal Geographical Society of South Australia, 1994-1997 and since 2007; Vice-President, 1992-1993 and 2007; Member, Executive and Administration Committee, 1987-1999 and since 2007; Chairman, Geographical Heritage Committee, for 5 years; Member, 1987-1998; Chairman, Information Technology Committee, for 3 years; Member, 2000-2005; Member, Research and Awards Committee, 1990-1993 and 2000-2007; Member, Marketing and Publications Committee, 1997-2007; Member, since 1987.

Employee, Attorney-General's Department, in the 1990s; State Library of South Australia, in the 1980s; Education, in the 1970s; and wholesale manufacturer, in the 1960s.

**Mr Peter Anthony SHEEDY**, 4D/1-7 George Street, Manly NSW 2095

For service to engineering, particularly in the field of non-destructive testing.

Federal President, Australian Institute for Non-Destructive Testing, 1992-1994.

President, NSW Branch, 1991-1994; Member, since 1979.

Honorary Secretary, Certification Board, for 10 years; Member, 1986-2010.

Publisher, for 30 years.

Chairperson, Sub-Committee MT/7/4, Standards Australia, since 1995; responsible for the development of standards for the qualification and certification of Non-Destructive Testing (NDT) personnel.

Chairperson, Committee MT/7, 2001-2011; responsible for the development and revision of Australian non-destructive testing standards.

Australian delegate, Committee TC135/SC7, International Standards Organisation; responsible for international standards for NDT personnel certification.

President, Sydney Branch, Australian Institute of Metals, for 3 years.

Assessor in Non-Destructive Testing and Mechanical Testing, National Association of Testing Authorities.

Head Teacher, Metallurgy and Non-Destructive Testing, and Industry Specialist, TAFE NSW, for several years until 1998.

Author, *Materials, their properties, testing and selection*, 1994; Materials Science textbook.

Fellow, Australian Institute of Metals, since 1989.

Fellow, Engineers Australia, 1991-1997.

Awards/recognition include:

J H Cole Award, Australian Institute for Non-Destructive Testing, 2008.

Florence M Taylor Award, Australian Institute of Metals, 1997.



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

**Mr Alan Frederick SHERLOCK OBE**, 112/55 Linkwood Drive, Ferny Hills Qld 4055  
For service to the Scouting movement, and to the community.

Chief Commissioner, Queensland Branch, Scouts Australia, 1981-1986; Branch Commissioner for Extension Scouting (scouts with disabilities), 1977; Jamboree Contingent Leader, National and International Jamborees, 1970-1988; Chair, National Marketing Committee, 1992-1998; Australian Conference Delegate, World Scout Conferences, including Senegal, USA, Germany, Thailand, Norway, South Africa and Sweden.  
Life Member, Queensland Branch, Scouts Australia.

Committee, Australian Cricket Society, 2005-2008.

Vice-President, Lady Musgrave Trust, 2005-2008.

Member, State Council and State Executive Committee, Girl Guides Queensland, 2005-2008.

Honorary Secretary, Queensland Branch, Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 2003-2007.

National Chairman, Duke of Edinburgh Scheme, 2003-2004; attended International conferences.

Chairman, Duke of Edinburgh Scheme, Queensland, 1996-2003.

Chairman, Queensland Youth Alliance, 1999-2004.

Member, Board Connections/Anglican Family Care, 1995-1998.

Director, Queensland Save the Children Fund, 1988-1994.

Director, Mind Care, Queensland Mental Health Foundation, 1989-1995.

Councillor, Royal Commonwealth Society, 1990-1993.

Founding Patron, The Gap Red Cross, from 1970 to the 1990s.

Chair/Committee Member, The Gap Church, Brisbane Diocese Anglican Church of Australia, since 1964.

Member, Anglican Cursillo Movement, 1986-2006, Delegate, President's International Prayer Breakfast, Washington DC, 1989.

Member for Ashgrove, Parliament of Queensland, 1986-1989; Shadow Minister for Health, Youth and Ethnic Affairs; Deputy Whip; Secretary of the Parliamentary Liberal Party, 1986-1989.

Community Pharmacist, 1958-2007.

Councillor, Queensland Branch, Pharmaceutical Society of Australia, 1964-1970.

Director, Pharmacy Guild Insurance Company, 2003.

Director, Gilseal Company, 2003.

Awards/recognition include:

Appointed as an Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 1984; for his service to the community and to Scouting.

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

**Mr Paul Anthony SHERMAN**, 2/61 Park Road, Woolloowin Qld 4030

For service to the arts as a poet and playwright, and to education.

Poet and Playwright, works include:

- *From Vinegar Hill to Vinegar Hill*, 1997.
- *The Murder of Gonzago*, Norwood, SA, 1988.
- *Tristan and Isolde in Venice*, 1987.
- *Melba*, presented by Brisbane Arts Theatre, 1969; published by the University of Queensland Press, 1976; staged in Melbourne by the Adelphi Players, 2013.
- *Mangrove Man*, 1976; toured by the Queensland Theatre Company.
- *The Libretto for Captain Starlight*, 1965.

Mr Sherman's poems have been published in *The Australian* and *The Courier Mail* newspapers and in journals in Queensland, interstate, England, France, New Zealand and Hong Kong, and in Italy (Italian translation).

Has presented his poetry and that of others at the Queensland Poetry Festival organised by the Queensland Writers' Centre.

Judge, ETAQ/QIEU Literacy Competition, from the 1990s to 2007 (English Teachers Association of Queensland; The Queensland Independent Education Union)

Director, Brisbane Arts Theatre, for several years.

Life Member, Queensland Writers Centre, 2012.

Actor; performed in the first play presented by the Queensland Theatre Company, 1969.

Volunteer, English and Drama Teacher, Kedron State High School, Queensland, since 1997; and in other schools.

Teacher, Queensland Department of Education, Training and Employment, 1977-1995 (and earlier).

Member, Management Committee, English Teachers Association of Queensland, in the 1980s; Foundation Member, since 1967.

Awards/recognition include:

Peter Botsman Memorial Award, English Teachers Association of Queensland, 2010.

Bundaberg Blue Lantern Poetry Prize, 2001.

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

**Mr Lindsay Ronald SHOWYIN**, West Pennant Hills NSW 2125

For service to the manufacturing industry, and to professional associations.

President, Aerosol Association of Australia, 1984-2013.

Inaugural President, Asian Aerosol Foundation, since 2011.

Chair, Standards Committee PK-013 (Aerosol Containers), Standards Australia, since 1989; Member, Standards Committee PK-013 (Aerosol Containers), since the 1980s; Member, Standards Committee CH-005 (Manufacturing and Processing).

Member, Industry Liaison Committee, Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority, since 1996.

Owner and Director, Frentaupe Pty Ltd, since 1997; previously Technical Director, Reckitt and Colman, and Samuel Taylor.

**Mrs Zita Wilton SIDAWAY**, 12 Marie Street, Murarrie Qld 4172

For service to the community, particularly women's affairs.

Delegate, representing Scope Clubs of Australia, National Council of Women of Australia, since 1979; Treasurer, 1991-1994.

Treasurer, National Council of Women Queensland, 1986-1990; Representative, Committee on Ageing, Consumer Affairs Queensland, 1987-1990; Member, since 1979.

National Secretary, Scope Clubs of Australia, 1979-1980; Delegate, Skillshare, 1981-1992; President, Zone 2, 1982-1983 and 1990-1991; Treasurer, 1981-1982.

President, Wynnum Club, Scope Clubs of Australia, 1984-1985; 2nd Vice-President and Service Chairperson, 1989-1990; General Committee Chairman, 1980-1981; 1st Vice-President and General Chairman, 1996-1997; Treasurer, 1977-1978 and 1990-1991; Social Chairman, 1986-1987; Corresponding Secretary, 1982-1983; Action Director, 1981-1982; Supply and Service Chairman, 1979-1980; Supply, 1986-1987; Recording Secretary, 1978-1979; Foundation Member, since 1977.

Volunteer, Balmoral Uniting Community Centre, Wesley Mission Brisbane, for more than 30 years; Team Leader, Hairdressing Group, for 22 years; Team Leader, Podiatry Group, for 22 years; volunteer, Friday Friendly.

Member, Parish Council, Anglican Church of the Ascension Morningside, for many years; Member, Ladies Guild, for many years; parishioner, since 1986.

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**Mrs Noela Mary SIKORA**, 13 Rosehill Street, Bathurst NSW 2795

For service to the community.

Coordinator, Bathurst Lions/Radio Station 2BS Christmas Miracle Appeal, for over 30 years.

Member, St Catherine's Nursing Home Auxiliary for 25 years; Secretary, for the past 15 years.

Involved with Assumption Church since 1990.

**Mr Robert Charles SIM**, Mackay Qld 4740

For service to the community through a range of organisations.

Volunteer/Promotions Coordinator, Central Queensland Helicopter Rescue, since 2007.

Central Queensland Manager, The Royal Automotive Club of Queensland, for many years; Zone Manager, Gold Coast; Branch Manager, Australian and International Touring Office; Member, 1970-2006.

Community Member, Mackay Police Promotions Selection Board, since 2008.

Inaugural Member, Road Accident Action Group, since 2000.

Regional Council Member, Scouts Australia, 2000.

Member, Mackay Intersectorial Road Safety Group, since 1995.

Committee Member, Mackay Police Crime Stoppers Ltd, 1992.

Member, Police Community Consultative Committee, 1991.

Member, Traffic and Advisory Committee, 1999.

Member, Australian Defence Association, since 1990.

Member, Vietnam Veterans Association, since 1986.

Member, Lord Baden-Powell Society, since 1985.

Member, Royal Australian Signals Association, 1984.

Member, Mackay Returned and Services League of Australia Branch, since 1970.

District Control Group, State Counter Disaster Organisation, 1978.

Justice of Peace, Queensland Justices Association, since 1972.

Lieutenant Colonel (Retired), Australian Army Cadets, 1997-2005;

Liaison Officer, Headquarters, Australian Army Cadets, 2001-2004.

Sergeant, Australian Army, 1958-1970.

Fellow, The Australian Institute of Management, 1978.

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

**Mr Kumarasamy SIVAKUMAR**, Normanhurst NSW 2076

For service to education.

Deputy Director, Northern Sydney Institute (TAFE), 1995-2000; College Director, 1993-1994.

Principal, North Sydney TAFE College, 1990-1993.

Principal Grade 2, Seaforth TAFE College, 1988-1990.

Principal, Cessnock TAFE College, 1987-1988.

Deputy Principal, Granville TAFE, 1980-1986.

Head of General Studies, Wollongong TAFE, 1978-1980; Head Teacher, English/Humanities, 1974-1975.

Senior Head Teacher, Sydney TAFE, 1975-1977.

Teacher, General Studies, St George TAFE, 1968-1973.

Former Founding Director, Le Cordon Bleu commercial training school, Ryde TAFE.

Former Director, Tourism, Hospitality and Catering Institute of Australia; Senior Associate Fellow, since 1994.

Honorary Director, Hospitality Training Network, since 2012.

Honorary Judge, Restaurant Caterers Association, 1994-2002.

Patron, TAFE Electronic Engineers Group, since 2001.

Member, TAFE Retired and Senior Officers Association.

Former Chairman, The Order of the Knights of Rizal.

President, Malaysian/Singapore Students Association, University of Sydney, for 2 years.

Independent Director, Sustainable Development Board, Papua New Guinea, 2008-2009.

Adviser, India Benevolent Charitable Trust, since 1985.

**Miss Lilly Anne SKURNIK**, Rose Bay NSW 2029

For service to the community, particularly those with low vision.

President, Lapid Friendship Group (a friendship group for the sight impaired), since 1990.

Public Speaker, Vision Australia.

Committee Member, Waverley Probus Group, for 6 years.

Counsellor, Child Abuse Prevention Scheme, for 6 years.

Author, *This is Lilly*, Random Book House, 1990; and *Out of Sight*, Verand Press, 2003.

Awards/recognition include:

Seniors Week Award, NSW Department of Family and Community Services, 2009.

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

**Mr Thomas David SLINGSBY**, Point Frederick NSW 2250

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

Gold Medallist and Olympic Champion, Laser Sailing, London 2012 Olympic Games.

World Champion, Laser Singlehanded Dinghy, 2007, 2008 and 2010-2012.

World Champion, Devoti-One dinghy, 2011.

World Champion, Etchells keelboat, 2010.

Winner, America's Cup, as a member of the Oracle Team USA, 2013.

Other awards/recognition include:

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

Rolex World Sailor of the Year, International Sailing Federation, 2010.

**Mr Michael Harvey SMEE**, 22 Bishopgate Street, Camperdown NSW 2050

For service to education, and to the community.

Chairman, South Australian Anglican Schools' Commission, in the 1980s.

Chairman - South Australia and Northern Territory, Association of Heads of Independent Schools of Australia, in the 1990s.

Chief Examiner - Latin, Curriculum Committee on Foreign Languages, Secondary Schools' Academic Board, South Australia, in the 1980s and the 1990s; Member, Foreign Languages Committee, in the 1980s and the 1990s.

Headmaster, Newington College, Sydney, 1993-2003.

Headmaster, Pulteney Grammar School, Adelaide, 1984-1993.

Second Master, St Peter's College, Adelaide, 1980-1984.

Adult Education Teacher, Centre for Continuing Education and Sydney Learning, University of Sydney, since 2005.

President, Classical Association of New South Wales, in the 1990s; Council Member.

Supporter, Australian Archaeological Institute at Athens, Sydney University.

Acting Chairman, Jubilee Sailing Ship Program, South Australia, in the 1980s; Secretary, also in the 1980s.

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**Mrs Ann Valerie SMITH**, 4 Ian Street, Morphett Vale SA 5162

For service to the community through the mental health sector.

Advocate with Citizens Advocacy; has lobbied in the interests of people with a mental illness, since 1990.

Former Consumer Consultant, Margaret Tobin Psychiatric Ward, Flinders Medical Centre; prime mover in the creation of Consumer Advisory Groups in the field of mental health.

Has participated in a range of mental health-related organisations including as Chair, State Consumer and Carer Group; Member, State Carer and Consumer Steering Group.

Consumer Representative for Safety and Quality in Healthcare Council; Safety and Quality Consumer and Carer Advisory Committee; Private Mental Health Consumer Carer Network; and National Mental Health Consumer Carer Forum.

State Change Agents for SA Mental Health Services.

'Lived Experience' representative on reference group research project 'Flinders University – Effectiveness of Community Treatment Orders'.

'Lived Experience' representative on reference group research project 'Melbourne University – Seclusion Restraint'.

Undertook para-legal work for a Family Court lawyer on a voluntary basis for a young woman whose toddler son had been abducted; child is now re-united with his mother.

Co-Author, *Right to Vote* published paper.

Co-Authored on Advocacy and Legal Issues Training package and Workshop in collaboration with SA Public Advocate; trained 38 Peer Advocates (Mental Health).

**Mr David William SMITH**, 4 Windang Street, Lake Illawarra NSW 2528

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.

Silver Medallist, K2 1000m, World Championships, Racice, Czech Republic, 2012.

Silver Medallist, K4 1000m, World Championships, Szeged, Hungary, 2011.

Silver Medallist, K2 1000m, World Cup 2 event, Racice, Czech Republic, 2011.

Gold Medallist, K4 1000m, National Championships, Penrith, Australia, 2012.

Member, Warilla Barrack Point Surf Life Saving Club, since 1994.

Other awards/recognition include:

Achievement Award, Australian Institute of Sport, 2011; scholarship, since 2005.

Australian Canoe Team of the Year, Australian Institute of Sport, 2008/2009.

'Keys to the City', Shellharbour City Council, 2012.

Outstanding Junior Paddler, Australian Championships, Warilla Barrack Point Surf Life Saving Club, 2003.

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

**Mr Tate Aaron SMITH**, 100 Manly Drive, Robina Qld 4226

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.

Representing Australia, Beijing 2008 Olympic Games.

Silver Medallist, K2 1000m, World Championships, Racice, Czech Republic, 2012.

Silver Medallist, K4 1000m, World Championships, Szeged, Hungary, 2011.

Silver Medallist, K2 1000m, World Cup2, Racice, Czech Republic, 2011.

Gold Medallist, K4 1000m, National Championships, Penrith, Australia, 2012.

Member, North Bondi Surf Life Saving Club, since 2003; Ski Technique Coach, since 2010.

Member, Northcliffe Surf Life Saving Club.

Representative, Gold Coast Canoe Club.

Other awards/recognition include:

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

Achievement Award, Australian Institute of Sport, 2011.

Inductee, BMD Northcliffe Hall of Fame, 2009.



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

**Mrs Margaret Patricia SNODGRASS**, Willoughby NSW 2068

For service to the community of Willoughby.

Committee Member, Families and Friends of the First Australian Imperial Force, since 2005; Commemorations Officer, since 2010; Foundation Member, 2002.

Volunteer and Inaugural Affiliate Member, Chatswood Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia.

Willoughby Council's representative, North Shore Ryde Health Service Community Participation Committee, Royal North Shore Hospital, 2007-2012.

Volunteer, Willoughby Historical Society.

Benefactor, Willoughby Uniting Church; organiser of regular social events for the elderly, and donated funds for memorial church windows.

Fundraiser, various local organisations including St Thomas' School, Willoughby Public School, Family Cancer Council New South Wales, local emergency services; in conjunction with Mrs Snodgrass' family business.

Committee Member, Sydney Branch, Clan Forsyth, Forsyth Family Worldwide.

Past President, Inner Wheel Club of North Sydney; current Committee Member.

Justice of the Peace.

A Patron, Northern Suburbs Netball Association; Awards Day Sponsor, for over 20 years; sponsorship inaugurated by Mrs Snodgrass' father and brother over 40 years ago.

Competition Sponsor, Chatswood and Willoughby Bowling Clubs, for over 20 years; in conjunction with Mrs Snodgrass' family business.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Willoughby City Council, 2009.

**Ms Janet SOMERVILLE-COLLIE**, Cabramatta NSW 2166

For service to the community of Western Sydney.

Chief Executive Officer and Coordinator, Cabramatta Community Centre, 1986-2011.

Member, Board of Management, Lotus House Refuge, 2011-2012.

Secretary, Western Sydney Community Forum, 2008-2012; Board Member, for 9 years.

Member, Management Committee, Fairfield Parent Support Group, 1979-2009.

Executive roles, Fairfield Local Aboriginal Access Group, in the early 1990s.

Director, Merlin's Cottage, Liverpool.

Member Management Committee, 'Ettinger House', Fairfield Family Resource Centre.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Citizen of the Year, Fairfield City Council, 2012.

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### **Father William Terrance (Terry) SOUTHERWOOD,**

Mount Esk Aged Care Facility, 38 Station Road, St Leonards Tas 7250

For service to the Catholic Church in Tasmania, and as an author of historical and religious publications.

Priest, Launceston Parish, Catholic Archdiocese of Hobart, 1998-2009; Priest, 7 other Tasmanian parishes, for over 50 years; Dean, Northern Tasmania, Catholic Church in Tasmania.

President, Tasmanian Council of Churches; Catholic Representative and Executive Member; Convenor, Commission for World Justice and Development, in the 1990s.

Defender of the Bond, Tribunal for Matrimonial Causes.

Member, Tasmanian Council of Priests.

Member, College of Diocesan Consultors.

Vice-President, Mission to Seafarers, Port of Launceston.

Member, Catholic Church Delegation, National Council of Churches; Member, Commission on Christian World Service (supervises overseas aid programs).

Chaplain, Mount Esk Aged Care Facility, since 2010.

Hospital Chaplain, Launceston General Hospital, St Vincent's Hospital and St Luke's Hospital, for 11 years.

Chaplain, Catholic Women's League Tasmania.

State Chaplain, Knights of the Southern Cross, for 15 years.

Editor, Author, Journalist.

Archivist and Historian, Archdiocese of Hobart.

Editor, *The New Standard*, for 10 years; Catholic Standard.

Accredited Journalist, 4 International Assemblies, World Council of Churches.

Author, numerous historical and biblical publications.

Life Member, Australasian Religious Press Association, 1995.

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

**Mr David William SPETHMAN**, 174/126 Cotterill Avenue, Bongaree Qld 4507  
For service to local military history.

Member and Volunteer Guide, Fort Lytton Historical Association, since 2000.  
Volunteer, restoration of the Fort Lytton Submarine Mine Cell and Observation Mine Tunnel, 2010-2012.  
Honorary Warrant Officer, A Battery, Queensland Permanent Artillery (ca1896), 2005-2013.

Researcher and Author, 6 books on various military topics, including Queensland Colonial Artillery and the Australian Army.

Member, Australian Naval Cadets, since 1963; including Chief Petty Officer Instructor and Coxswain, TS *Paluma*, 1996-2013.  
Member, Army Reserve, 1980-1999; including Water Transport Units, 1980-1996.  
Member, Bribie Island Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia.

**Mrs Margaret Ann SPINKS**, Gladesville NSW 2111  
For service to the community of Hunters Hill.

Parishioner, Anglican Parish of Hunters Hill, 1971-2011; Church Warden, Parish Councillor, Parish Archivist, Pastoral Care Team Member; Organiser, Parish's 150th Anniversary celebrations, 2008.  
President, St Mark's Anglican Church Ladies Auxiliary.  
Author, *Building the Sure Foundation, a history of All Saints Anglican Church, Hunters Hill*.

Organiser of fundraising and repair works, Anglican Parish of Hunters Hill World War One Memorial.  
Volunteer, Meals on Wheels, Hunters Hill Ryde Community Services, 1971-2008.  
Life Member, Boronia Park Public School Parents' and Citizens' Association.

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

**Mrs Shirley STANBURY**, 162 Marine Terrace, Busselton WA 6280

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

Choir Conductor, schools and the church, since 1957; Musical Director and pianist, local choral societies.

Piano Accompanist, schools, choirs, local bands, orchestras, repertory club, performers, and music examination students, since 1963.

Pianist, Busselton Uniting Church.

Composer, music for two original musical plays written to commemorate the 150th anniversary of Western Australia, 1979; and the 150th anniversary of Busselton, 1982.

Producer, several school and community productions, 1974-2003.

Organiser and Promoter, recitals by visiting classical artists.

Member, Busselton Festival Committee.

English Teacher, Busselton Senior High School, 1974-1993; involved with choir, school productions and musicals, since 1974; Part-time teacher, 1969-1973.

Awards/recognition include:

Certificate for Outstanding Contribution to Culture, City of Busselton Shire, 1980.

Co-Citizen of the Year, Rotary Club of Busselton, 1979.

**Mr Robert James STANLEY**, 8 Love Street, Currumbin Qld 4223

For service to motor sport.

Volunteer Manager, V8 Supercar Events Pty Ltd; managing between 300 and 700 volunteers per event; Supervisor of Volunteers, 1998; Volunteer Controller; Volunteer, since 1994.

Volunteer Manager, Bathurst 12 Hour Race, Yeehah Events Pty Ltd; volunteer, Bathurst Motor Festival; active volunteer, since 1998.

**Mrs Joan Susan ST CLAIR**, 259 Brennans Road, Goondiwindi Qld 4390

For service to nursing, and to the community of Goondiwindi.

Nurse and Midwife, Goondiwindi Hospital, Darling Downs Health Service District, Queensland Health, 1973-2012.

Member, Goondiwindi Midwifery Group Practice, 2009-2012.

Founding Member, Goondiwindi Blue Nursing Service Committee, for 12 years.

A range of voluntary roles including various tasks at church services, Head, Church Catering group, and Seamstress, Goondiwindi Parish, Anglican Church of Australia.

Fundraiser, Goondiwindi Hospital Auxiliary, Kaloma Home for the Aged.

Volunteer, Goondiwindi Rotary Club.

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

**Mr Philip Andrew STENHOUSE**, Lilydale Vic 3140  
For service to the community through youth support programs.

Chief Executive Officer, Bridge Builders Youth Organisation, since 2001; Founder, 2001.

Developer and Implementer, youth development programs for Victorian secondary schools, for 30 years.

Project Coordinator, local youth centre.

Member, Waratah Surf Life Saving Club, since 2009; Inflatable Rescue Boat Officer, since 2011.

Former Senior Youth Pastor, Careforce Church, Mount Evelyn.

**Mr Allan Barry STEPHEN**, Crows Nest NSW 2065  
For service to the blind, and to people with low vision.

President, Guide Dogs NSW/ACT, since 2009; Director, 1999-2008.

Director, Royal Guide Dogs Association of Australia.

Chairman, Centre for Eye Health, University of New South Wales, since 2008.

Group General Manager, Zurich Financial Services, 1984-2000.

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

### **The Honourable Tom STEPHENS, WA**

For service to Indigenous affairs, and to the Parliament of Western Australia.

Key participant in the foundation of and then served as Inaugural Executive Director, Kimberley Land Council, 1978.

Involved in its establishment, Balangarri Indigenous Corporation, Kununurra, in the early 1980s.

Executive Officer to Regional Resource Agent (Moongoong Darwung) in the East Kimberley, 1977-1978.

Inaugural Executive Officer, Warmun, Woolah and Guda Guda Aboriginal Corporations in the East Kimberley, 1977-1980.

Volunteer work with Redfern Aboriginal Community, 1971-1976.

Service to the Parliament of Western Australia includes:

Member for Pilbara, Legislative Assembly, 2008-2013.

Member for Central Kimberley-Pilbara, 2005-2008.

Member of the Legislative Council for the Mining and Pastoral Region, 1989-2004.

Chairman, Education and Health Standing Committee, 2005-2008.

Member, Community Development Justice Standing Committee.

Chair, Review into Industry Training for Aboriginal Pastoralists, 2005-2008.

Minister for Heritage, 2003-2004.

Minister for Goldfields-Esperance, 2003-2004.

Minister for Local Government and Regional Development, Kimberley, Pilbara and Goldfields, 2001-2004.

Minister for Housing and Works, 2001-2003.

Leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Council, 1996-2001.

Chairman, Select Committee on Native Title Rights, 1997-1998.

Opposition Spokesperson, Culture and the Arts, Lands and Kimberley, 1999-2001.

Opposition Spokesperson, Indigenous Affairs and Gascoyne, 1996-2001.

Secretary Parliamentary Labor Party and Shadow Cabinet, 1993-1996.

Minister for Services, Gascoyne, Mid-West and Wheatbelt, 1992-1993.

Parliamentary Secretary of State to Deputy Premier of Western Australia, 1990-1992.

Member, Select Committee on Aboriginal Poverty in Western Australia, 1984-1985.

Deputy Government Whip in the Legislative Council, 1983-1990.

Deputy Chairman of Committees in the Legislative Council, 1983-1984.

Involved in the revision of the Good Neighbour Agreement at Argyle between the Indigenous community and the mining sector, 1983.

Board Member, WA Dyslexia-SPELD Foundation; delivery of specialist literacy services across Western Australia, especially to the most vulnerable.

Justice of the Peace, since 1983.

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

**Mr Brian Malcolm STEVENSON**, 3 Wattleview Court, Alexandra Vic 3714

For service to the community.

President, Rotary Club of Alexandra, 2001-2002; Vice-President, 2002-2003; Treasurer, 1998-1999 and 2008-2009; Member, 1993-2013; Treasurer, Rotary Bush Fire Relief Fund, 2009-2011; Chairman, Vocational Service, 1996-1998.

Member, Rotary Club of Sandringham, 1989-1993.

President, Taggerty Community Hall, 1994-2011; Committee Member, from 1993.

Chairman, Alexandra Racecourse and Recreation Reserve Committee of Management; Committee Member; Treasurer.

Chair, Townsend Bluff Lodge Fundraising Committee, Family Focus (now OzChild), in the early 1990s.

Member, Apex Club (Dandenong, Heidelberg and Templestowe), 1960-1974; including President, Heidelberg Apex Club, 1966/1967.

President, 2nd Templestowe Scout Group, 1974.

Treasurer, Alexandra Masonic Centre Albert Edward Lodge No 59; Worshipful Master, 2010; Committee Member; Chair, Building Committee; Member, since 1954; Lodge's Ambassador to Royal Freemasons' Homes, Victoria.

Award/recognition include:

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Alexandra.

**Mr Geoffrey STEWART**, Stirling SA 5152

For service to the mining industry.

Founder, Executive Chairman and Managing Director, East African Gold Mines Ltd, Tanzania, 1993-2003.

Founder and Chief Executive, North Flinders Mines Ltd, 1968-1992.

Member, Committee on Darwin (Wran Report), 1993-1994.

Fellow, Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, since 1990.

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

**Mr Murray Scott STEWART**, Narrabeen NSW 2101

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.

Bronze Medallist, K4 1000m, World Championships, Duisberg, Germany, 2013.

Silver Medallist, K4 1000m, World Championships, Szeged, Hungary, 2011.

Member, Manly Surf Life Saving Club, for 13 years; and Northcliffe Surf Life Saving Club, since 2012.

Representative, Manly Warringah Kayak Club.

Other awards/recognition include:

Team of the Year, Australian Institute of Sport, 2012; Achievement Award, 2011.

University of Sydney Academic Excellence award, New South Wales Institute of Sport, 2009.

Scholarship, Sport and Fitness Elite Athlete Program, University of Sydney, 2008-2011.

**Mr Norman Valentine ST LEON AE**, 3/48-50 Birriga Road, Bellevue Hill NSW 2023

For service to aviation, and to the community.

Employee, Qantas Airways Ltd, 1946; Flight Engineer, 1947; Senior Check Flight Engineer; Chief Flight Engineer.

Captain, Lockheed Electra aircraft, 1963; B707 aircraft, 1968; Senior Check Captain, 1973; Captain, B747 aircraft, 1974.

Chairman, Qantas Pilot Branch, Australian Federation of Air Pilots.

Member, Guild of Air Pilots and Air Navigators, 1989-1993.

Member, Royal Institute of Navigation and Pathfinder Force Association.

Chairman, Strata Plan Committee.

Supporter, Vision Australia, Black and White Committee.

Guest speaker, Australian Historical Society and Royal Aeronautical Society.

Fellow, Royal Aeronautical Society-Australian Division.

Awards/recognition include:

Air Efficiency Decoration, long service award presented to officers in the Royal Australia Air Force Reserve prior to the establishment of the Reserve Force Decoration.



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

**Mrs Rosemary STOCKLEY**, North Bondi NSW 2026  
For service to the welfare of veterans and their families.

Secretary, Rose Bay Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 2010;  
Treasurer, 2005-2009; Assistant Welfare and Pensions Officer; Member, since 2002.  
Director, RSL Club Rose Bay, since 2006.  
Trust Board Member, Rose Bay Reserve Trust, Rose Bay War Memorial.

Treasurer, Eastern Metropolitan District Council Roy McDonald Hospital Trust, Returned and Services League of Australia (New South Wales); Trustee; Delegate, Annual State Congress; Member, Corps of Guardians, ANZAC War Memorial, Hyde Park; Delegate, Council of Ex-Service Women.

President, Ex WRANS Association of New South Wales, since 2010; Delegate, Federation of Naval Ships Association.

**Dr Oskar Günther STÜNZNER**,  
'Lomandra', 2055 South Ulam Road, Bajool Qld 4699  
For service to the livestock industry in Samoa and the Pacific region.

Australian Resident Cattle Selector, Samoan Ministry of Agriculture, Forests and Fisheries, since the late 1960s; Chief Livestock Trainer, in the late 1980s; Executive Management Training Officer, Cattle Development Project, UNCDF/UNDP/GWS, in the late 1980s; Veterinary Authority, 1966-1970.

Management Team Member, Livestock Personnel Training Project, Samoa, Gunn Rural Management Australia, (project funded by AusAID), 1992-1995.  
Founding Lecturer, Animal Science, South Pacific Regional College of Tropical Agriculture, Samoa, in the late 1960s.  
Founding Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Animal Production, Alafua Campus, University of the South Pacific.  
Hygiene and Meat Inspection Lecturer, World Health Organisation, 1973.  
Livestock Supervisor and Adviser, Western Samoan Trust Estate Corporation, 1973-1975.

Cattle farmer, Prior Park, Bajool, since 1977.  
Veterinary Surgeon (Locum), Rockhampton, since the early 1970s.  
Veterinary Surgeon, Queensland Department of Primary Industries, in the late 1960s.

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

**Mr Mark Raymond SUTHERLAND**, 43 Victoria Street, Sandringham Vic 3191  
For service to the community of Marysville, particularly after the 2009 Victorian fires.

Founder and Convenor, Rotary 20 Shed project, 2009; the project involved the Sandringham and Alexandra Rotary Clubs.

Mr Sutherland coordinated donations and liaised between Rotary Clubs, Shires and volunteers; and arranged the design, location, full material supply and build of 20 sheds to be used as temporary accommodation for victims of the 2009 Victorian Bushfires.

The project involved 80 volunteer carpenters, and 60 local community volunteers.

Mr Sutherland has provided 25 years' dedicated service to the local and international community through Rotary International.

Member, Rotary Club of Sandringham; President, 2011.

Charter Member, Rotary Club of Bayside, from 2004.

Charter Member, Rotary Club of NUSA DUA Bali, from 1992.

Joined the Smithfield Rotary Club District 969, 1988.

**Mr John Clive SYMONDS**, 8 Old Bass Highway, Wynyard East Tas 7325  
For service to the community of Wynyard.

Secretary, Wynyard Historical Society, since 2008; Member, since 1989.

Member/volunteer, Wonders of Wynyard Exhibition Centre, for 18 years.

A range of executive roles including Vice-Commodore, Wynyard Yacht Club, since the 1970s.

Volunteer, Wynyard Red Cross Branch, for 18 years.

Member, Wynyard Lions Club, for 10 years.

Member, Wynyard Probus Club, 1994-1997.

Trainer, Burnie Technical College, Tasmanian Polytechnic, for approximately 20 years;

Assistant, Sky Cycle Project, for 8 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Community Service Award, Wynyard Rotary Club, 2012.

Volunteer of the Year, Waratah-Wynyard Council, 2008.

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

**Mr Geoffrey Leonard TAMBLYN**, 13 Wheatley Road, Bentleigh Vic 3204

For service to cricket.

Chairman, Cricket Victoria, since 2001; Board Member since 1993; Victorian Delegate to Cricket Australia (CA), since 1997.

Member, several CA Boards including Chairman of the Audit Committee, Game Development Committee and the Financial Model Review Working Group.

Australian and New Zealand representative on the International Cricket Council Development Committee.

Co-Chairman, National Indigenous Cricket Advisory Committee.

Involved at committee level at St Kilda Cricket Club, for 15 seasons; Delegate to Cricket Victoria, 1988-2001.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

**Ms Pieta Anne THORNTON**,

C/- VWCCS Inc, Level 1, Downing Centre Courts,

PO Box A4, South Sydney NSW 1235

For service to victims and witnesses of crime.

Ms Thornton has volunteered her time working as a court support assistant for victims and witnesses of crime, since 2002.

Co-Founder and President, Victims and Witnesses of Crime Court Support Inc (VWCCS), since 2006; a service specifically focussed on supporting and providing information to victims and prosecution witnesses attending court, and has grown from an initial 6 volunteers to 115 providing support at Downing Centre, Parramatta and Orange Courts.

Due to the success of VWCCS, Ms Thornton was able to negotiate successfully in 2010 for the establishment of a Police Witness Meeting Area and a Safe Room at the Downing Centre and Parramatta Courts, serving as private, dedicated waiting areas.

Selected to participate in the NSW Police CAPP 3 Program, 2011; provided an insight into the realities faced by police in their daily work.

Awards/recognition include:

Accepted on behalf of VWCCS the Sydney City East Highly Commended Volunteer Team of the Year award, 2012.

Nominated for the Law and Justice Volunteer Award, NSW Bar Association, 2013.

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

**Mr Ray Douglas TITUS**, 22 Tarton Road, Holden Hill SA 5088

For service to the media as a sports photographer.

Senior photographer for *The Advertiser* (Adelaide newspaper), 1992-2011.

Photographer at the *The News in Adelaide*, ca1957-1992.

One of the longest serving employees of News Ltd.

Throughout his career spanning 53 years, Mr Titus has photographed major sporting events and sporting identities including 50 international cricket Test matches in Adelaide, 48 South Australian Football League Grand Finals, and over 5,000 AFL/ South Australian Football League matches.

Life Member, Australian Football Media Association.

Was the recipient of several awards for his photography including:

Walkley Award, 1971; Nikon Sports Photograph of the Year.

SANFL Football Picture Awards; on 14 occasions between 1986 and 2010, National Press Club.

Best Photograph, Netball Australia, 1995 and 2007.

Australian Cycling Picture of the Year, 1996.

WD & HO Wills Sports Picture of the Year, 1994.

Australian Horse Racing Picture of the Year, 1994.

Cricket Tours of West Indies, 1984 and 1995.

Cricket Tours of Australia, 1981-1985.

Other awards/recognition include:

Inductee, South Australia Media Hall of Fame, 2012.

**Mr Dale Robert TOLLIDAY**,

The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Locked Bag 4001, Westmead NSW 2145

For service to the community through the provision of social welfare services.

Founding Member, Australian and New Zealand Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abuse; President, 2000-2004.

Founder, New Street Adolescent Services, NSW Ministry of Health, since 1997.

Co-Founder and Director, Cedar Cottage Pre-Trial Diversion Program, NSW Ministry of Health, 1989-2011.

Member, NSW Commission for Children and Young People's Child Sex Offender Counsellor Accreditation Scheme.

Clinical Adviser, New Street's and Cedar Cottage services, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney Children's Hospitals Network, since 2011.

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

**Mrs Catriona Bowen TONACIA**, Bungendore NSW 2621

For service to mental health through programs to address post-traumatic stress disorder.

Co-Founder, Picking up the Peaces, since 2007; President, since 2012; Vice-President, 2007-2011.

Raising awareness of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), conducted under the auspices of the Vietnam Veterans' and Veterans' Federation ACT.

Program Developer and Convenor, PTSD, since 2007.

PTSD Educator, delivering education into high-risk organisations and government agencies.

Awards/recognition include:

Churchill Fellowship, 2011.

**Dr Christine Ellen TRACEY-PATTE**, 24 Sundance Way, Runaway Bay Qld 4216

For service to women's affairs.

International President, QUOTA International, 2011-2012; President Elect, 2010-2011; Treasurer, 2009-2010; South Pacific Area Director, 2007-2009; Governor, District 30, 1993-1994; Lieutenant-Governor, 1992-1993; Board Member, for 3 years; Member, since 1986.

President, QUOTA International of Beaudesert, 1987-1988, 1996-1997, 2003-2004 and 2006-2007; Treasurer, 1999-2001; Member, World Service Committee, 1988-1989; Member, since 1986.

General Practitioner, Beaudesert, Queensland, 1985-2010.

Former Medical Officer, Beaudesert Shire Council.

Examiner, Medical Board of Australia, Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine, since 2010; Member, since 1996.

Former Director, RHealth; former Board Member.

Chair, Logan-Beaudesert District Health Council.

Member, Logan-Beaudesert Health Coalition.

Member, Logan-Beaudesert Health Community Council.

Educator, Central and Southern Queensland Training Consortium.

Fellow, Royal Australian College of General Practitioners.

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

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

**Mr Dennis Robert TRIGG**, Toronto NSW 2283  
For service to the community of Lake Macquarie.

Current Vice-President, YMCA Lake Macquarie; President (on 5 occasions), Vice-President; Treasurer, since the mid 1970s; Board Member, since the mid 1980s; Manager, Youth Club for Teenage Boys, 1969-1972; volunteer, for over 50 years.

Chairman, District 9670 Rotary International; Member, Rotary Foundation Committee, since 2002; Chairman, Polio Eradication program 'Polio Plus', since 2009; Member, Rotary Recreational Vehicle Fellowship; President, Rotary Club of Toronto, 1983-1984; Member, since 1974; Volunteer Team Leader to repair classrooms damaged by cyclones, Tanna Islands Vanuatu, 2008; Team Leader, Study Exchange Team to United States of America, 1999.

Volunteered to construct a community education centre with the Montfort's Sisters Catholic Mission in the Papua New Guinea Highlands, 1987; and the building of high school classrooms on Manus Island in Papua New Guinea, 1994.

Original Board Member, Camp Quality Newcastle; involved in establishing organisation, 1984; volunteer, for over 20 years; fundraiser, Camp Quality Caper (now the EsCARpade), since 1992; Manager, Mobile Caper Work Shop, since 1995; Chief Scrutineer for Camp Quality EsCARpade.

Member, Institute of Automotive Mechanical Engineers, for over 39 years.

Founding Member, Lakes 4x4 Touring Club (formerly the Lake Macquarie Lada Club), since 1989; Life Member, 1992.

Member, Toronto Chamber of Commerce; Lake Macquarie and District Historical Society.  
Justice of the Peace.

Awards/recognition include:

Volunteer Award, YMCA Charlton, 2013.

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Toronto; Sapphire pin level.

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

**Dr John Charles VANCE**, 111 Beacon Road, North Tamborine Qld 4272

For service to the blind, and to people with low vision.

Chairman, Retina Australia, 1999-2002; Board Member, 1998-2002.

Board Member, Retina Australia (Qld), 1993-2003; Chairman, for 6 years; Life Member, since 2012; Member, since 1989.

President, Australian Blind Bowlers Association, since 2010.

Board Member, Queensland Blind Bowlers, 2003-2009.

Director, Guide Dogs Queensland, since 2008; Chair, Client Liaison Committee; Member, Volunteer, Peer Support Program.

Member, Accessibility Reference Group, Queensland Rail, for over 10 years.

Associate Professor and Paediatrician, Mater Hospital, University of Queensland, 1976-1996.

Awards/recognition include:

Care and Compassion Medal, Pride of Australia Awards, News Ltd, 2012.

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

**Mr John VINALL**, 195 Creamery Road, Yinnar Vic 3869

For service to the community of Gippsland.

Councillor, Shire of Morwell, 1965-1994; President, 1970-1972, 1973-1974, 1980-1981 and 1985-1986.

Mayor, Morwell City, 1994.

Commissioner, Shire of South Gippsland, 1995-1997.

Vice-President, Central Gippsland Cricket Association; Committee President, 1967 Indian Team Tour of Gippsland.

Vice-President, Secretary and Assistant Secretary, Morwell Cricket Club, 1948-1970; Team Captain, 1961-1964; player, for 20 years; Life Member, 1972.

President, Morwell Football Club, 1978-1982; player, 1953-1968.

President, Yinnar Bowls Club.

Chairman of Directors, Moe Co-operative Dairy Company, for 6 years; Director, for 19 years.

President, Yinnar Young Farmers, 1949-1950 and 1952; Member, 1948-1973.

Foundation President; Gippsland District Council Young Farmers.

President, Latrobe Valley Arts Centre.

President, Strzelecki Boy Scouts District.

President, Advance Latrobe Valley Association.

Commissioner, Hernes Oak Water Trust, for 14 years.

Member, Morwell Lions Club, 1974-1980.

Chairman, Campus Community Services Committee, Gippsland Institute of Advanced Education Council, for 10 years; Member, for 13 years.

President, Victorian Branch, National Party of Australia, 1971-1973; Treasurer, 1975-1987.

President, Morwell Electorate District Council, 1960-1970.

Foundation Secretary, Morwell Branch, for 14 years.

Delegate, Federal Council, 1966-1972.

Central Councillor, for 20 years.



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

**Dr Peter Robert WAKEFORD**, 72 Griffin Avenue, Tamworth NSW 2340

For service to medicine, and to the community.

Honorary Gastroenterologist, Tamworth Base Hospital, 1970-2001; Visiting Medical Specialist, Repatriation Panel, 1967-2001; Physician-in-Charge, Department of Nuclear Medicine, 1974-1984, (the first Department of Nuclear Medicine in Australia); Chairman, Medical Staff Council, 1991-1992; Secretary, 1967-1968; active fundraiser, Tamworth Base Hospital Chapel.

Visiting Physician, Warialda Inverell District Hospital, 1996-2001; Member, Mediation Team, Inverell District Hospital, 2005.

Honorary Consultant Physician at the Walcha District Hospital, New England District Hospital, Wee Waa District Hospital, Barraba District Hospital, Quirindi District Hospital, Bingara District Hospital, and the Collarenebri District Hospital, 1971.

Chair, Northern Clinical Council, Hunter New England Area Health Service, 2005-2011.

Chair, Clinical Council, New England Area Health Service, 2003-2004; Chair, Clinical Council Steering Committee, 2003-2004; Representative, Quality Committee, 2003-2004.

Service involving the Royal Australian College of Physicians includes:

- Honorary Chairman, Conjoint Credentials and Medical Appointments Advisory Committee, Barwon Region, 1985-2001.
- Committee Member, Rural Training and Workforce Issues, 1998-2001.
- Member, Working Party on Recertification, University of Newcastle, 1991.

Member, Australian Medical Association (AMA), for 50 years.

President, Northern Districts Medical Association, AMA, 1975; Representative to the Commonwealth Rural Health Services Seminar, University of New England, 1975.

Secretary, Internal Medicine Society of Australia and New Zealand, 1997-1998; Councillor, 1995-1999; Member, until 2001.

Councillor, Australian Council of Health Care Standards (ACHS), 1994-1999; NSW AMA Representative, 1999; participant in ACHS Review Committee for Equipment, 2001.

Country Physician Member, Conjoint Committee for Reaccreditation in Gastrointestinal Endoscopy, 1998-2001.

Physician Member, Quality Use of Pathology Services Commonwealth Committee, 1998.

Clinical Supervisor, University of Newcastle Medical School, 1982-1995.

Chairman, Medical Staff Council, Tamara Private Hospital, Tamworth, 1988-1989.

Associate Member, College of Physicians in Nuclear Medicine, 1974.

Supporter, Older Farmer Health and Safety Program, Australian Centre for Agricultural Health and Safety; Supporter, Billabong Clubhouse.

Board Member, Anglican Counselling Service, 2001-2006.

University Blue, Rugby football, University of Sydney, 1957; selected for the 'Wallabies' tour of New Zealand, 1958.

Fellow, Australian Medical Association, since 1980.

Fellow, Royal Australian College of Physicians, since 1972; previously Member, from 1966.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Noel Park Award, CGU Insurance Quality Business Awards, 2004.

Contribution to teaching award, Faculty of Health, University of Newcastle, 2003.

President's Award, NSW Branch, Australian Medical Association, 2001.

Inductee, All Souls St Gabriel's School 'Wall of Fame', 2012.

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

**Mrs Helen Marion WALKER**, 31 Grants Road, Somersby NSW 2250  
For service to people with disabilities.

Chairman, Wheeling and Able, since 2000; Member, Central Coast Branch, since 1970; President, Central Coast Branch, since 1976; Association Director Newcastle, since 1996.

Division Commissioner, Girl Guides Australia; District Leader, Kooree District; until 2010; Region Extension Adviser, 1981-1984; Member, Kooree District Support Team; volunteer, 1974-2010.

Board Member, Fairhaven Services, 1986-2011; Member, various committees including Governance, Finance and Residential Services; Life Member, 2003; active volunteer.

Teacher, Special Education Unit, Narara Valley High School, 1996-2005.

Teacher, Glenvale School, 1977-1996.

Teacher, Fairhaven School, 1974-1976; Teacher's Aid, 1968-1973.

Member, Kariong Probus.

Member, Gosford Chapter, Red Hatters Society.

Justice of the Peace, since 1990.

Awards/recognition include:

National Volunteer Award, 2011.

Community Service Award, Rotary International, 2007.

Region Good Service Award, Girl Guides Australia, 2000.

Australia Day Commendation, Gosford City Council, 1996.

Humanitarian Award, Lions International, 1988-1989.

Community Spirit Award, Energy Australia, 1975.

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

**Ms Kathryn WALKER**, Brighton Vic 3186

For service to early childhood education.

Principal Director, Walker Learning Approach; Educational Consultant in the area of child psychology, early childhood and primary education.

Founding Director, Early Life Foundations; involved in the development of the 'Parent Outreach Service' which provides free telephone counselling to parents across Australia.

Board Member, Play Group Victoria, 2010-2011.

Keynote Speaker, The Salvation Army National Conference.

Guest Speaker, Victorian Early Years Foundation Annual Conference, since 1994.

Independent Appointee, National Preschool Inquiry 'For all our Children', Australian Education Union, 2004; Guest Speaker, Early Years Conference, 2008; Member, since 1997

Lecturer, School of Education, RMIT University, 1995-2003.

Inaugural Researcher, 'Multi Age Schools in Australia' study.

Author of numerous parenting and primary education books including:

*What's The Hurry, Parenting, Ready Set Go?, Play Matters, and Engagement Matters.*

Fellow, Australian Council for Education Leaders, 2008.

Awards/recognition include:

Lecturer of the Year Award, RMIT University.

Teacher of the Year Award, Swinburne University.

**Dr Richard Howell WALKEY, deceased,**

Late of Toodyay WA 6566

For service to medicine as a General Practitioner, and to the community.

General Practitioner, Toodyay Medical Centre, for 21 years.

General Practitioner, Wongan Hills Medical Centre, 2011-2012.

Instrumental in the Commonwealth Screening Services to Toodyay.

Established a Diabetes Clinic, Toodyay; Mentor of new Western Australian Medical Registrars, Toodyay and Wongan Hills Practices; assisted in teaching employees about safe work practices, Hepatitis B and Drug Use, Toodyay Shire Council.

Gave home visits to people in their late stages of cancer.

Contributed to a range of local organisation in Toodyay and Wongan Hills including Love Grove Lodge, Wongan Hills; local Country Women's Association, Toodyay; The Residency, Northam; and Conner's Mill.

President, Norseham Football Club, in the late 1980s.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Toodyay, 2006.

Dr Walkey died on 14 April 2013.

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

**Mrs Dorothy Elizabeth WARD**, 23 Raftery Road, Kialla Vic 3631

For service to the community, particularly through the Country Women's Association of Victoria.

State President, Country Women's Association of Victoria, 1997-1999; State Deputy President, 1995-1997; State Vice-President, 1993-1995; State Council Member, since 1989; State Central Vice-President, 1991-1993.

Coordinator, Felton Bequest Grant; Founder, 'Knit It' primary school-based project, 1998. Organised, (State) 70th Birthday Celebrations, 1997-1998.

Member of a number of State Sub-Committees, for many years, including Austel Rural and Remote Working Party, 1994-1996; Travellers Aid Society, 1996-1997; Rural and Regional Reference Group, Victorian Premier's Department, 1998-1999; and Victoria Women's Prison Council, 1998-1999.

Group President, Eastern Goulburn Valley Group, Country Women's Association, 1989-1991.

Vice-President, Shepparton East Branch, Country Women's Association, for many years; Treasurer, for many years; Member, since 1964.

Fundraiser, Goulburn Valley Hospice Care Service.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Awarded Member of Honour, Country Women's Association of Victoria, 2001.

**Mr Ian Charles WATERS**, Capalaba Qld 4157

For service to youth through the Scouting movement.

Project Commissioner, Queensland Branch, Scouts Australia, since 2008; Assistant Branch Commissioner, 1987-1989; Chairman, Risk Management Committee, since 2002; Assistant Chief Commissioner, 1993-2002; Regional Commissioner, Central and Coastal Regions, 1989-1993; Assistant Area Commissioner, Moreton Region, 1981-1987; Assistant District Commissioner, Flinders District, 1979-1981; Member, for 40 years.

Risk and Liability Manager, Redland City Council.

Past President, Risk Management Institute of Australia.

Founding Member and Inaugural President, Genealogical Society of Queensland, 1978.

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

**Miss Prudence Elise WATT**, PO Box 217, Kingsford NSW 2032  
For service to sport as a gold medallist at the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

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

Team Member, Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.

Silver Medallist (5) and Bronze Medallist (one), Athens 2004 Paralympic Games.

Team Member, Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games.

Represented Australia at the Swimming World Championships, International Paralympic Committee, 2002 and 2006.

Represented Australia at the Short Course World Championships, 2009.

Member, Paralympic Education Program, Australian Paralympic Committee.

Awards/recognition include:

International All Stars Award, Swimming Australia, 2012.

Swimmer of the Year with a Disability, Swimming Australia, 2006 and 2007.

Junior Athlete of the Year, Australian Paralympic Committee, 2004.

Ambassador, Australia Day Council of New South Wales, for over 10 years.

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

### **Associate Professor Bruce Philip WAXMAN, 31 Nott Street, Malvern East Vic 3145** For service to medicine as an administrator, educator and clinician.

Surgeon, Monash Health, since 1987; Medical Director of Surgery Program, 1996-2005.  
Vice-President, International Society of University Colon and Rectal Surgeons; Member of Program Committee.  
Senior Examiner, Australian Medical Council, since 1995.

Councillor, Colorectal Surgical Society of Australia and New Zealand, since 1994; Secretary; Chair, International Relationship Committee.

Head of Surgery at Dandenong Hospital, since 1994.

Founder, South East Colorectal, 2005.

Private hospital appointments include:

- The Valley Private Hospital, Mulgrave; Director of Medical Services, since 2013.
- South Eastern Private Hospital, Noble Park; Director of Medical Services, since 2013.
- Jessie McPherson Private Hospital, Clayton.

Associate Professor, Monash University, since 1994; Senior Lecturer, Department of Surgery, 1987-1994; Clinical Sub-Dean, Faculty of Medicine, 1990-1999; Director, Academic Surgical Unit, since 1994; former Member, Faculty Board and Curriculum Committee.

Involvement with the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons includes:

Medical Director, Skills and Education Centre, since 2013.

Chairman, Community Surgical Services Standing Committee.

Chairman, Education Sub-Committee, Victorian State Committee.

Chairman, Regional Board of Surgical Training.

Chairman, Basic Surgical Supervisors.

Chairman, Board of Specialist Surgical Training.

Instructor and Faculty Member for the Emergency Management of Severe Trauma (EMST) course, since 1989; established, Integrated ADF/EMST course for ADF Medical Officers; Course Director, 2011.

Director, Regional Course Committee for Victoria and Tasmania, 1994-1997.

Involved in the development of Care of the Critically ill Surgical Patient course; Chairman of Course Committee, 1999-2002.

Involved in the development of Supervisors and Trainers for Surgical Education and Training program (SATSET), 2006; Course Facilitator, since 2007; Chair, SATSET Committee.

Councillor and Member, Court of Examiners.

Founder, Disaster Preparedness Work Party; Surgical Team Leader, Australian Medical Team to Banda Aceh, 2005.

Convenor of several high-profile medical conferences.

Board Member, Victorian Section, Royal Flying Doctor Service (RFDS), since 1992; Medical Director, since 2013; Chair of the Education and Research Council; Chairman, Aero-Medical Wing, 2003-2007; Councillor, 1992-2003; Member, Medical Committee, 1980-1992.

Established, *Look Up in the Sky*, an education program for primary schoolchildren in Australia to learn about the RFDS.

Executive Member, Australian Medical Writers Association (AMWA); Convenor, AMWA Conference, 2013.

Member, Editorial Board, *ANZ Journal of Surgery*, regular column *Medicine in Small Doses*.

Author of 60 articles/columns, 2008-2013.

President-elect, Asia Pacific Federation of Coloproctology.

Squadron Leader, Specialist Reserve, 21 Squadron, Royal Australian Air Force, since 2000.

Active in Scout Association of Australia (Victoria Branch) including Group Leader, 1st Malvern Scout Group, for 15 years; Medical Director, at the last 5 Jamborees, since 2001.

Fellow, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons, 1984.

Awards/recognition include:

RACS Medal, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons, 2008.

Vice-Chancellor's Award, Monash University, 1993.

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

**Mr Robert Travers (Bob) WEAVER**, 14 Burton Road, Blackheath NSW 2785  
For service to the community, particularly through nursing in mental health and disability services.

National Treasurer, Australian College of Mental Health Nurses, 1989-2000; Secretary, New South Wales Branch, 1988-1995; Annual National Conference Committee Member, 1988, 1993 and 2001; Foundation Fellow; Life Member, 2012; Member, since 1987.  
Founding Member, Professional Association for Nurses in Developmental Disability Australia, 1989; President; Vice-President; Executive Member and Conference Convenor, for 24 years.  
Chair, Nepean Area Advisory Committee, 1992-1997.  
Member, Blackheath Neighbourhood Centre Disability Recreation Advisory Committee.  
Nurse Unit Manager, Oroya Cottages, in the 1990s.  
Member, Blue Mountains Disability Forum, from the late 1980s to the mid 2000s.  
Member, New South Wales Council for Intellectual Disability, since 1983.  
Member, New South Wales Health Committee, 2008-2010.  
Member, New South Wales Guardianship Tribunal, for 13 years.  
Member, Australian College of Nursing.  
Member, NSW Nurses and Midwives Association.

President, Blackheath and District Chamber of Commerce; Executive Member; Member, since 1995.  
Chair, Blackheath Food and Wine Fair Day, for the past 12 years.  
Member, Chairman, Blackheath Neighbourhood Centre, in the 1990s; Foundation Member.  
Member, National Trust of Australia.

**Mr David WELLS**, 19 Carisbrooke Row, Bowral NSW 2576  
For service to the preservation of cricket history.

Curator, Bradman International Cricket Hall of Fame (formerly Bradman Museum), since 2002; Project Manager, Museum Renovations and Expansion; Researcher; Collector of Artefacts.

Supporter, Mary Poppins Day and Dream Cricket Day, 2011.

Mr Wells has been actively involved with regional museums for 25 years and has displayed works at Deniliquin, Newcastle and Bowral.

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

**Mr Max WELLS**, 2 McGregor Court, Inverloch Vic 3996

For service to surfing, and to the community.

Event Director, Rip Curl Pro, Bells Beach, since 2002.

Executive Director, Surfing Victoria, since 2001; Schools Surfing Coordinator, 1999-2000; Developed Victorian Indigenous Surfing Program, since 2001; Developed Roxy Surf Jam (all-girls instructional surf days), since 2001; Manager, Victorian Surfing Team, 1994-2001; Committee Member, 1993-1999.

Manager, Australian Junior Surfing Team, 1995-2001.

Helped to establish 'Wingman' campaign, Department of Justice, Victoria; a campaign aimed at preventing alcohol-fuelled violence.

Member, Victorian Water Safety Council.

Member, Australian Water Safety Council, 1999-2009.

Inaugural Patrol Captain, St Gwinear Ski Patrol, 1981-1985; Member; Life Member, since 1986.

Member, Victorian Nordic Rescue Service, from the late 1970s to the early 1980s.

Awards/recognition include:

Eunice Gill Leadership Award, VicSport, 2011.

Outstanding Organisational Contribution, Surfing Australia, 2003 and 2005.

State Honour Roll, Victorian Secondary Schools Sports Association, 2003.

Service Award, School Sport Australia, 2001.



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

**Mrs Susan Elizabeth WHELAN**, 29 John Bull Street, Queanbeyan NSW 2620  
For service to local government, and to the community of the Queanbeyan region.

Deputy Mayor, Queanbeyan City Council, 2008-2011; Councillor, since 1983; Member, range of committees including the Heritage Committee, Australia Day Committee, Workplace Consultative Committee, Upper Murrumbidgee Catchment Management Committee, and the National Framework for Women Committee.

State President, New South Wales Branch, Australian Local Government Women's Association (ALGWA), 1994-1996; Member, since 1984; Life Member, since 1997.  
NSW State Delegate, ALGWA National Board.  
Participant, 'Review of the Status of Women in Local Government - The Way Forward', 2007.  
Executive Member, Local Government Association of NSW, 2003-2006.

Chair, Capital Region Business Enterprise Centre Inc, since 1995.  
Chair, South East Australian Transport Strategy Inc, since the mid 1990s; Queanbeyan Council Representative, since 2008.  
Member, Working Group, Queanbeyan Development Council.  
Chair, Capital Region Development Board, 2001-2004; Deputy Chair, 1998.  
Inaugural Chair, Ministerial Advisory Council in Regional Development, NSW State Government.  
Chair, Country Public Libraries Association of NSW, 1998-2002; Vice-Chairman, 1992-1994 and 2002-2004.

President, Queanbeyan YMCA, 1996-2009; Board Member, since 1991; current Deputy Chair.  
Member, NSW State Board, YMCA, 1995-2004.  
Founding Secretary, Campbell Street Children's Centre, 1991; Chair, 1996-2004.  
Member, Queanbeyan Branch, Australian Red Cross.  
Chair, Queanbeyan Business Awards Committee, since 2010.  
Life Member, Public Libraries NSW, 2011.  
Member, Southern Inland Committee, Regional Development Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

NSW Minister's Award for Women in Local Government, 2009; for her voluntary work and dedication to the Australian Local Government Women's Association.

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

**Mr Michael WHITE**, 57 Simpson Street, Wellington NSW 2820  
For service to the community of Wellington.

Centres President, Bathurst Central Council, St Vincent de Paul Society covering 25 centres, for 3 years.

Vice-President, Diocesan Council, for 3 years; Member, since 1967.

President, Secretary and Treasurer, St Patrick's Conference, Wellington.

Inaugural President and then Vice-President, Provision for Aged Persons Accommodation, 1974-1995.

President, Rotary Club of Wellington, 2006-2007; Secretary, 1997-1998 and 2004-2005; Member, since 1987.

Foundation Member, Management Team, Binjang Community Radio, since 2000; Chair, Establishment Committee; current Sales Manager.

Parishioner, St Patrick's Catholic Parish, Wellington.

Vice-President, Wellington Development Inc; Director of Industry and Employment.

Rural Merchant, since 1967.

Foundation Member, Rural Marketing and Supply Association; served as President, Secretary and Treasurer; Life Member.

Former Director, Board of Murray River Wholesale.

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

### **Ms Sian Alexandra WHITE, Qld**

For service to international relations, particularly through tuberculosis prevention programs in the Pacific region.

National Advocacy, Communications and Social Mobilisation Program Manager, Tuberculosis Program-World Vision Pacific and Timor Leste, 2011-2012.

Secured a \$43million grant from AusAID for the expansion of Tuberculosis services in the Western Province of Papua New Guinea, on the Australian border.

National Advocacy, Communications and Social Mobilisation Coordinator, Tuberculosis Program-World Vision Pacific Development Group, 2010.

Fundraised \$90,000 through Rotary International for education projects in Udaipur, India; these included an accommodation facility for students who were blind or deaf and a Vocational Training Centre for disabled youth.

Independently fundraised over \$200,000 for more than 25 other charities and emergency relief appeals.

Established volunteer community development programs in three remote Indigenous communities in Western Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

Young Australian of the Year, Western Australia, 2001.

Pearce Australia Day Award.

Bronze, Silver and Gold, Duke of Edinburgh Award.

Volunteer Medal, Australia Red Cross, 2001.

Anthony Ngo Award, World Vision.

Honorary Rotarian, Rotary Club of Scarborough, 2002.

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary International, 2001.

Youth Ambassador for Development, National Tuberculosis Prevention Program, Papua New Guinea, 2009.

### **Mr Raymond WHITING, Gerringong NSW 2534**

For service to the community of Gerringong.

Trustee, Gerringong Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1975;

Honorary Treasurer, 1973-2009.

Volunteer Caretaker, Returned and Services League Memorial Hall, Gerringong.

Treasurer, Gerringong Sub-Section, Naval Association of New South Wales.

Head Warden, Gerringong Uniting Church.

Visiting Welfare Officer, Mayflower Retirement Village, UnitingCare Australia.

Volunteer, Meals on Wheels.

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

### **Mrs Beverley Joy WILD,**

'Stanley Hills', 488 Commissioners Flat Road, Woodford Qld 4514  
For service to the communities of Woodford and Peachester.

Patron, Woodford Pony Club, Pony Club of Queensland; Secretary, for 8 years; Committee Member and active Member, since 1969; Life Member, since 1990; active supporter, Gymkhana.

Life Member, Woodford Show Society; Ring Steward/Joint Ring Steward, for 6 years; Cookery Judge, Woodford, Maleny and Caboolture Shows.  
Handicraft Judge, Kilroy, Dayboro and Nambour Shows.

Founding Member, Woodford Historical Society and Peachester Historical Society; Committee Member, Bi-Centennial Celebrations Committee.

Divisional Vice-President, Queensland Country Women's Association (QCWA), for 6 years; Divisional Secretary, for 6 years; Chairman, State Knitting and Crochet Committee, for 2 years, Secretary, for 6 years; Committee Member, for 25 years.

President, Peachester Branch, QCWA, for 2 terms; Secretary, for 2 terms; current Treasurer; Member, since 1955.

Volunteer, Woodford Opportunity Shop.

Awards/recognition include:

50 years' Commemorative Buckle, Pony Club of Queensland.

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

### **Mr Ivan George WILD,**

'Stanley Hills', 488 Commissioners Flat Road, Woodford Qld 4514  
For service to the communities of Woodford and Peachester.

Life Member, Woodford Pony Club, Pony Club of Queensland, since 1990; Past President; Past Vice-President; Committee Member and active Member, since 1969; Instructor and Judge, since 1973; active Supporter, Gymkhana, for many years.  
Life Member, Zone 26, Pony Club of Queensland, since 1989.

Life Member, Woodford Show Society; Committee Member, since 1969; Vice-President; and Chief Fat Cattle Steward.  
President, Woodford Campdraft Association; also served as Vice-President.

Vice-President, Woodford Historical Society; Founding Member, Woodford Historical Society and Peachester Historical Society; Committee Member, Bi-Centennial Celebrations Committee.

Founding and active Member, Stanmore Branch, Rural Fire Brigade.

Active Member/Supporter, Beerwah Charity Sports Day, for over 40 years.

Director, Caboolture Co-operative Dairy Association, 1961; Chairman, for 18 years; Deputy Chairman, for 8 years.  
Chairman, Queensco Unity Dairy Foods, for 4 years; Board Member, for 6 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

50 years' Commemorative Buckle, Pony Club of Queensland.

### **Ms Annabelle Josephine WILLIAMS,** Cheltenham NSW 2119

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

Gold Medallist and Paralympic Champion, Swimming, London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Bronze Medallist, Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games.

Silver Medallist, Delhi 2010 Commonwealth Games.

Bronze Medallist, Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games.

Other awards/recognition include:

Sportswoman of the Year, Bond University, 2010.

Sportsperson of the Year, Bond University, 2007.

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

**Mr Leon Roy WILLIAMS AFSM**, 89 McLennan Street, Mooroopna Vic 3629  
For service to the community of Shepparton.

Chairman, Mooroopna Recreation Reserve, for 21 years; Treasurer, for 8 years; Member, Management Committee, since 1967.

Area Manager, Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal, for many years since 1976.

Councillor, St Mary's Primary School, for 16 years.

Board Member, Mooroopna Water and Sewerage Authority, for 8 years.

Member, Mooroopna Apex Club, for 10 years.

Member, Sir Ian McLennan Sports Centre Board, since 1980; Chairman, since 1990.

President, Mooroopna Junior Football Club, for 10 years.

Chairman, Mooroopna Memorial Swimming Pool, for 8 years; Member, for 20 years.

Treasurer, Shepparton Junior Football League, for 12 years; Delegate, for 15 years; Life Member.

Delegate, Goulburn Murray Football District Board, for 6 years.

Member, Mooroopna Football Club Board, 1978-1990.

Chairman, Country Fire Authority VUFBA State Championships, 2012; Secretary, 1988, 1992, 1998 and 2005.

Secretary, Mooroopna Urban Fire Brigade, since 1967; Member, since 1955; Life Member.

Member, Country Fire Authority District 22, for 34 years; Chairman, for 14 years.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Fire Service Medal, 2007.

Citizen of the Year, Rodney Shire Council, 1993.

Grandstand named in his honour, Mooroopna Recreation Reserve, 1984.

**Mr Gary Austin WILSON**, 15 The Grove, Oatlands NSW 2117

For service to the community, particularly through Toastmasters International.

International Director, Toastmasters International, 1986-88; Distinguished Toastmaster, since 1975; Purchasing and Supplies Officer, since 2007 (all districts in Australia and New Zealand); Webmaster, for over 10 years; Statistician and Historian, since 1997; former Chairman, Finance Committee; Member, since 1970.

District Governor, 1982-1983; District Parliamentarian, for 7 years.

National Coordinator, Australia Day Public Speaking Contest, for the Australia Day Committee.

Treasurer, Western Gourmet Club, since 2004; Webmaster, since 1999.

President, Parramatta Club, 1972, 1992 and 2001; Webmaster, since 1999.

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

**Mr Jim WILSON**, 134 Coronation Avenue, Glen Innes NSW 2370

For service to the community of Glen Innes.

Committee Member, Glen Innes Probus Club, 2000-2011; Past President; active Member.

Founding Member, Glen Innes Men's Shed; former President.

Committee Member, Glen Industries Sheltered Workshop, for 13 years; Vice-President; active Member.

President, Glen Innes Veteran Golfers, 2006-2009.

Committee Member, Glen Innes Golf Club, 2002-2005.

President, Glen Innes Apex Club, 1967-1970; Member, since 1958; Life Member.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizenship Award, Glen Innes Severn Council, 2004.

Melvin Jones Fellowship, Lions International, 2011.

**Ms Tamara WINIKOFF**, 38 Victoria Street, Lewisham NSW 2049

For service to the visual arts.

Executive Director, National Association for the Visual Arts, since 1995.

Guest speaker, various national conferences including:

- Multicultural Arts Victoria, 2012.

- Craftsouth, Adelaide, 2012.

- World Summit on Arts and Culture, 2011.

Founder, Australian Design Alliance, 2009.

Co-Founder, ArtsPeak, 1985.

Board Member, Innovation and Business Skills Australia, Cultural Sector Advisory Committee, since 2008; Chair, National Project Reference Group, 2009-2011.

Board Member, Create Australia, 2005.

Involved in establishing the Community, Environment, Art and Design program, Australian Council for the Arts, 1988-1995.

Established, *Photofile* magazine, 1983.

Author, various publications including *Artlink*, *Artshub* and *The Sydney Morning Herald*.

Editor, *Places Not Spaces: Placemaking in Australia*, 1995.

Chief Investigator, Australian Research Council funded, 1998-2001; 'Visual Arts Industry' project.

Awards/recognition include:

Visual Arts Emeritus Medal, Australia Council for the Arts, 2004.

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

**Mr John WINTERBOTTOM**, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650

For service to the community as an historian.

Secretary, Wagga Wagga and District Historical Society, 1995-2012; Vice-President, 1988-1992; Board Member, 1981-1988; Archivist, since 1986; Member, for over 30 years; Life Member.

Founding Member, Wagga Wagga and District Family History Society, since 1983; Committee Member, 1983-1996; currently a volunteer Library Officer.

Author, *Looking Back* daily column in *The Daily Advertiser* newspaper.

Presented weekly local history talks on ABC Radio, until 2012.

Employed at Charles Sturt University Regional Archives Office, 1976-1996.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Wagga Wagga Citizen of the Year, 1998.



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

**Mr Francis Ki Yuong WONG**, 63 Grote Street, Adelaide SA 5000  
For service to business, and to the community.

Chairman, Council for International Trade and Commerce South Australia, since 2011.  
Chair, Inbound Tour Operators Association, South Australia; Board Member, for 6 years; established and Chaired, Asian Tourism Panel.  
Founder and President, Australia Brunei Darussalam Business Council, since 1993.  
Member, Business Advisory Panel, Federal Minister for Immigration, 1998-2003.  
Former President, Australia Asia Chamber of Commerce South Australia.  
Foundation Chair, Federation of Chinese Organisations of South Australia.  
Honorary Adviser, Hong Kong Australia Business Association South Australia.  
Former State President, Australian Migration Consultants Association.  
Former Board Member, Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs; Business in the Community South Australia; and Chinese Chamber of Commerce South Australia.

Patron, Sight for All.

Board Member, Women's and Children's Hospital Foundation.

Board Member, Orana Inc.

Board Member, Australia Day Council South Australia, 2008-2013.

Councillor, City of Adelaide, 2007-2010; Council Representative, South Australian Motor Sports (Clipsal 500), Adelaide Convention Bureau, and the Aboriginal Reconciliation Committee.

Founder and Managing Director, Encounter Australia, since 1988; Top 8 Wines Pty Ltd, since 2008; Lai Lai Travel, since 1990; and Endeavour Australia, since 2006.

Awards/recognition include:

Life Business Ambassador, Council for International Trade and Commerce South Australia, 2005.

International Business Ambassador Award, Council for International Trade and Commerce South Australia, 2002, 2003 and 2004.

**Mrs Helen Josephine WOOD**, 27 Bingara Drive, Sandy Point NSW 2172  
For service to swimming through technical roles.

Data Manager, Sports Data Services.

Held executive, managerial and data recording positions with Swimming New South Wales, 1988-2009; Life Member, 2000.

Has assisted a range of school sporting organisations as an organiser, coordinator, and provider of computerised results and photo finish support; has provided similar support for Masters Swimming.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

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

**Ms Irene Pohleng WOOD**, 359 Terrace Road, North Richmond NSW 2754  
For service to community health.

Founder and President, Trigeminal Neuralgia Association Australia Inc, since 2000;  
Organiser biennial conference, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011 and 2013.

Trigeminal Neuralgia is a chronic facial condition which causes intense, sharp, stabbing electrical shock-like pain in the face; little is known about the disorder and sufferers tend to suffer in helplessness and hopelessness.

Trigeminal Neuralgia is also known as the suicide disease.

**Mr Paul James WORTHINGTON**,  
5/65A Elizabeth Bay Road, Elizabeth Bay NSW 2011  
For service to the arts.

Founding President, Opera and Arts Supports Group (OASG), since 1991.

The OASG assists young Australian singers and musicians reach their full potential through the provision of scholarships for further education, and by providing opportunities to perform.

**Mrs Dorothy Yuen YIU**, Balwyn North Vic 3104  
For service to the Chinese community through the support of cancer patients and carers.

Founder, Chinese Cancer Society of Victoria, 1996; a charity organisation.

President and Manager since the Society's inception, leading to its recognition as the Cancer Council Victoria's inaugural 'Support Group of the Year' in 2011.

Social Worker and Grief Counsellor, providing services including hospital visits, bereavement support, and liaising with health care professionals.

Leading cancer awareness and support group programs.

Mentoring of counselling student internments and establishment of a scholarship for postgraduate studies in grief counselling.

Awards/recognition include:

Victorian Multicultural Commission Award for Excellence, 2011.

Lord Mayor's Community Service Award, 2006.

Caroline Chisholm Award, 2004.

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

### **Mr Edward Roy YOUNG,**

For service to the community, particularly as an advocate of human rights for gay and lesbian people.

Advocate for equality before the law for gay and lesbian Australians.

Mr Young is particularly well known as being the applicant in 'Young versus Australia'. After applying for widow's pension benefits and being denied, on the grounds that he had been in a same-sex relationship under Australia's veterans' laws, he took his complaint to the United Nations Human Rights Committee on the grounds of discrimination and won.

### **Mr Gordon YULINE, 13 Limpet Crescent, South Hedland WA 6722**

For service to the Indigenous community.

Indigenous Elder, Nyiyaparli language group, Pilbara Region of Western Australia.

Native title adviser, archaeological and ethnographical consultant in heritage protection work, language teacher, lore and culture teacher.

Founding Member, Director, Board Member and Culture Committee Member, Gumala Aboriginal Corporation, 1996-2011.

Founding Member and Director, Karlka Nyiyaparli Aboriginal Corporation, 2001-2011.

Founding Member, Weeli Wollie Creek Co-management Board, Yamatji Marlpa Aboriginal Corporation; Chairman.

Involved in working with Rio Tinto and BHP Billiton to protect traditional sites of cultural significance.

Provided assistance to the Wangka Maya Pilbara Aboriginal Language Centre in Port Hedland with language books and with recording of Nyiyaparli language, culture and traditions.