

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

Mrs Lieta ACQUAROLA, 179 Virgil Avenue, Yokine WA 6060

For service to the hospitality industry, and to a range of charitable organisations.

Owner, Romanos Restaurant and Nightclub, Perth, 1963-1989; encouraged the development of young performers through cabaret shows.

Fundraising and philanthropic activities for a range of charitable and community organisations, 1970-1988, including:

- Channel 7 Telethon, Western Australia, prior to 1984.
- Channel 9 Appealathon, 1984.
- Variety Club of Australia, Western Australian Branch, 1982.
- Western Australian Society for Crippled Children.
- Earthquake Appeal for Italian Earthquake and Church.

Awards/recognition include:

Lifetime Achiever Award for Western Australia, Restaurant and Catering Australia, 2011.

Legend of Hospitality and Tourism, Premier of Western Australia, 2001.

Perpetual Gold Plate, WA Division, Catering Institute of Australia, 1984; five Gold Plates.

Certificate of Honour, Restaurant and Catering Association of Western Australia.

Inducted into the Hall of Fame, Restaurant and Catering Association of Western Australia.

Mr John Geoffrey ADNAMS, Mount Waverley Vic 3149

For service to business and commerce, and to the community.

President, Small Business Mentoring Service, 1997-1999; Board Member, Treasurer and Secretary; Business Mentor, since 1995; Trainer, for many years.

Business Mentor, range of organisations and programs including:

- Victorian Bushfire Recovery Program.
- Telstra Small Business Awards winners in Tasmania.
- Monash Business Incubator Program.
- Castlemaine Business Builders Program.
- 'Streetlife' Programs.
- Venture Capital Development.

Member, Independent Review Panel, Small Business Grants Program, City of Melbourne, since 2000.

Lay Member, Professional Conduct Tribunal, Institute of Chartered Accountants, since 2004.

Member, Finance Committee, Girl Guides Victoria, 2003-2008; Foundation Member, Strategic Planning Committee, 2003-2008.

Treasurer, Inner East Mental Health Service Association, 1997-2007.

Foundation Treasurer, Elder Abuse Prevention Association, 2002-2005.

Banker, Westpac Banking Corporation and Commercial Bank of Australia Ltd, prior to 1994.

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Mr Francis Xavier ALCORTA, 4/54 Johnson Street, Bargara Qld 4670
For service to veterans and their families, and to journalism.

Founding President, Northern Territory Branch, Vietnam Veterans' Association of Australia, 1979-1985; played a prominent role in establishing Long Tan Day in the Northern Territory; Life Member, 1995.

Responsible for lobbying the Federal Government to establish an office of the Department of Veterans' Affairs in Darwin.

Involved in the establishment of Coral House; a Veterans' refuge.

Chief political reporter and editorial writer, *Sunday Territorian* and *NT News*, 1985-1996.

Mrs Maree Sarah ALLEN, 141 Copeland Road East, Beecroft NSW 2119
For service to highland dancing as a teacher, adjudicator and administrator.

Co-Founder, Vice-President and Life Member, Scottish Dancing Association of Australia (formerly the Scottish Dancing Association of NSW); Inaugural Secretary, 1950.

Judge at many championships conducted throughout Australia and internationally, for over 48 years.

Current Vice-President, NSW State Committee, Highland Dancing; President and Vice-President, 1988-1990; Member, since 1978; Chair, Technical Committee, 1969-1992.

President, Australian Board of Highland Dancing, 1981 and 1991-1994; Delegate of the NSW State Committee to the national Board, since 1995.

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Dr Mustafa Abbas ALLY, PO Box 4603, Eight Mile Plains Qld 4113
For service to the community through the promotion of interfaith harmony.

Board Member (Director), Ethnic Communities Council of Queensland; Representative of Council to Queensland Government Taxi Advisory Council.

Board Member (Director), Islamic College of Brisbane.

Member, Queensland Government's Queensland-India Council.

Founder and President, Crescents of Brisbane, since 2004; Editor-in-Chief, *Crescents Community News*.

Founder, Queensland Muslim Historical Society, 2008; Author, *100 Years of History: Holland Park Mosque 1908-2008*.

Lecturer, School of Information Systems, Faculty of Business and Law, University of Southern Queensland, since 1997; Member, Multifaith Services Advisory Committee.

Awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, White Ribbon Day.

Pride of Australia Medal finalist, 2012.

Queensland Intercultural Society Building Bridges Award, 2009.

Robbie Williams Multicultural Citizen of the Year Award, 2008.

Volunteer of the Year, Australian Muslim Achievement Awards, 2008.

Mr Phillip Gregory ANDERSON, 88 Castleton Crescent, Gowrie ACT 2904
For service to the international community following the earthquakes and tsunami which occurred in Japan in 2011.

Mr Anderson was a member of the first group of Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade staff members who volunteered to travel to Sendai to assist with locating over 100 Australian citizens believed to be in East Japan Coastal Prefectures at the time of the 11 March 2011 earthquakes and tsunami.

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Mrs Pamela Clare ARCHER, Taree NSW 2430
For service to music, and to the community of Taree.

Musical Director and Founder, *Silver Tones* choir, University of the 3rd Age, Taree Branch, since 2009.

An organist, St John's Anglican Church, since 2008.

Member, Taree Arts Council, since 1984; Musical Director for a number of performances.

Accompanist, Cowra Ladies Choir, in the 1970s.

Accompanist, Central Philharmonic Choir, in the 1970s.

Accompanist, Taree District Eisteddfod Society, for 16 years.

Music teacher, several high and primary schools, New South Wales Department of Education and Communities, 1960-1999.

Foundation Fellow, Collegiate of Specialist Music Educators.

Mr Russell Joseph ARDLEY, Mornington Vic 3931
For service to youth through Mornington Peninsula Youth Enterprises.

Founder and Manager, Mornington Peninsula Youth Enterprises, since 1995.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Mornington Peninsula Shire.

Tattersall's Award for Enterprise and Achievement, for his volunteer work with unemployed and marginalised youth in the Mornington Peninsula area, 2007.

Pride of Australia.

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary International.

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Mrs Meredith Claire ARNOLD, PO Box 26, Waikerie SA 5330
For service to the community of Waikerie.

President and Chairperson, Waikerie and District Historical Society, since 1983; Member, since 1980; Member, Centenary Committee, 1991-1994.

Author, *Waikerie and District - A Pictorial History*, 1989; and the *Waikerie Tourist Guide*, 2003.

Researched and developed the *Waikerie Heritage Walk Brochure*.

Commenced the Waikerie Historical Identification Project which involved installing information plaques throughout the Waikerie District, 1980-2012.

Member, Waikerie District Community Committee, since 2000.

Volunteer, Waikerie Hospital; involved in fundraising activities.

Member, Murray Mallee Soil Conservation Board, in the 1990s.

Volunteer, Waikerie High School, for many years.

Member, Waikerie Pre-School Kindergarten Building Committee, 1967-1969.

Owner and Director, G M Arnold & Sons Pty Ltd.

Awards/recognition include:

Waikerie Citizen of the Year, District Council of Loxton Waikerie, 1990.

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Mrs Krishna ARORA, 14 Viggers Parade, Glen Waverley Vic 3150

For service to the community through multicultural and aged welfare organisations.

Co-Founder, Indian Senior Citizens Association of Victoria, 1993; President, for 9 years; Vice-President, for 3 years; current Executive Committee Member.

Deputy Director, Community Services, Federation of Indian Associations of Victoria, since 2009.

Current Member, Advisory Committee, Northern Region Indian Seniors Association.

Executive Committee Member, Australian Indian Innovations, since 2007.

Volunteer, Malvern Opportunity Shop, 1993-2001.

Other involvement includes:

- Public consultations for developing an Ageing in Victoria policy, Ministerial Advisory Council of Senior Citizens, 2008.

- Senior Citizens Forum, City of Monash, 2007.

- Victorian Seniors' Week, Department of Planning and Community Development (Victoria), 2007.

- Flavours of Monash, City of Monash, since 2006.

- Eating the City Project, Melbourne City Council, 2004.

Awards/recognition include:

Nominee, Victorian Senior of the Year Awards, Department of Health (Victoria), 2011.

Inducted into the Queen Victoria Women's Centre Shilling Wall, for her contribution to the welfare of women in the Indian community, Victorian Multicultural Commission, 2011.

Award, Multicultural Awards for Excellence, for Meritorious service to the community, Victorian Multicultural Commission, 2007.

Awarded a medal for her services to Indian senior citizens, Federation of Ethnic Communities Councils of Victoria, 2005.

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

Mr Philip Henry ASKER, 35 Seymour Street, Ringwood Vic 3134
For service to the tourism industry, and to the community.

Founder/Managing Director, Croydon Travel, since 1971.

Founder/Managing Director, The Captain's Choice Tour, since 1994; leader in luxury travel to remote and exotic destinations.

Re-established, Antarctica Sightseeing Flights, since 1994; operated by Croydon Travel in conjunction with Qantas.

All three companies are now part of the Captain's Choice Tour Business Unit, Australian Pacific Touring Group, since 2001.

Through the Rotary Club of Croydon, Mr Asker and the Captain's Choice Tour have been major contributors by either fundraising or funding in entirety a number of health, humanitarian and education projects in numerous countries, since 2004.

Major philanthropic contributions include:

- Clean Up Australia.
- Diabetes Australia.
- Australian Cancer Society.
- Ronald McDonald House.
- Australian Red Cross.
- Royal Flying Doctor Service of Australia.

Awards/recognition include:

Australasia Cruise Agent of the Year, International Cruise Council, 2006.

Perpetual Award for Service to the Travel Industry, Australian Federation of Travel Agents National Travel Industry Awards, 1999/2000.

Best Metro Travel Agency, Australian Federation of Travel Agents National Travel Industry Awards, 1995 and 1998.

Victorian Tourism Award for Environmental Tourism, 1995.

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Dr John Francis ATCHISON, 5 Catherine Street, Armidale NSW 2350
For service to the community of New England as a historian and educator.

Member, National Trust of Australia (NSW), since 1974; Chairman, Advisory Committee, Saumarez Homestead, since 2009.

President, Armidale and District Historical Society, 1980 and 1982-1983; Member, since 1972.

Senior Lecturer, Australian History, University of New England, until 2001.

Board Member, International Council of Onomastic Sciences, 1996-1999.

Research Fellow and Mentor, Australian National Place Names Survey, 1972-1974 and 1990-1995.

Chair, Committee for Geographical Names in Australia, Inter-Governmental Committee for Surveying and Mapping, 1987-1994.

Honorary Counsellor, Geographical Names Board NSW.

Honorary Secretary, Legacy Club of Armidale, 2002-2006; Member, since 2001; Convenor, Pensions Committee, since 2006.

Former President, Rotary Club of Armidale Central; current Member.

Mrs Philadelphia Elaine ATKINSON, Atherton Qld 4883
For service to the community, particularly people with a disability.

Founding Member, Tableland Employment Agency, since 1991.

Cancer Support Volunteer, Cancer Council of Queensland, for over 10 years.

Regular Hospital Visitor, Atherton Hospital.

Volunteer, St Mary's Thrift Shop.

President, Atherton National Trust, 1982-1985.

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Mr Brian Laurence BALDWIN, 44 Brewery Street, Inverell NSW 2360
For service to the community of Inverell through a range of organisations.

Current President, North East Region, St Vincent de Paul Society; has served as President for 3 terms (current term is 4 years); Member, since 1956; Regional President, for 5 years; Counsellor; Hospital Visitor, for 21 years.

Former Treasurer, Rotary Club of Inverell, 1992-1993, 1996-1997, 2001-2002, 2003-2004 and 2005-2008; Member, since 1984; Vocational Service Director, 1989-1990; Member, Polio Plus Committee, 1987-1988.

Former President, Holy Trinity School, Inverell Board, 1978 and 1982-1983; Vice-President, for 3 years.

Former Member, Parish Council, Sacred Heart Catholic Church, until 2010; conducts Liturgy of the Word and Communion Service at McLean Hostel; Home Rosary Team Leader.

President, Inverell Stock Agents Association, for 11 years.

Member, Australian Livestock and Property Agents Association, 1969-2001.

Former President, Inverell Jockey Club, 1981-1986; Life Member; Race Caller.

Member of Apex (3 clubs), for 19 years; former Vice-President, Inverell Apex Club, for 2 years; District Governor, 1962-1963.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Inverell Shire, 2011.

Mr John Graeme BALFOUR, Belrose NSW 2085
For service to the community, particularly veterans.

Honorary Secretary, 7th Field Regiment, Royal Australian Artillery Association, since 1986; Newsletter Editor.

Anzac Day Marshal, Returned and Services League of Australia (NSW Branch), 1972-2012; Member, RSL NSW Anzac Day Executive Committee.

Marshal for various other parades including the Centenary of Federation, National Servicemen's and Vietnam Veterans' Welcome Home Parade.

Member, Forestville Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1987; Parade Commander, ANZAC Sunday March and Service, since 2009.

Member, Judging Panel, Sub-Branch's *Australia My Country* competition, since 2008.

Marshal, Reserve Forces Day March, since 1998.

Recruiting Liaison Officer, 2nd Division, Australian Army Reserve, ongoing; Reservist, since 1965, attaining rank of Warrant Officer Class One.

Manager, HC Coombs Training Centre, Reserve Bank of Australia, 1988-2007; employee at the RBA, for over 40 years.

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Mr Ronald Frederick BARNES, 32 Albara Road, Ingle Farm SA 5098
For service to youth through the Scouting movement.

Member Scouting movement, for over 52 years; Area Rover Scout Leader, SA Branch, 1965; Assistant Branch Commissioner, Sea Scout Section, 1970-1976; held many administrative positions within Scouts SA; Life Member, 1984.

Co-Founder and Project Commissioner, Northern Area *Comedy Capers-Gang Show*, 1965-2002.

Founding Member, *Gang Show*, 1961-1965.

Founder/Producer, *Memories* entertainment company, since 2002; comprises 25 adult members of the Scouting and Guiding movements, visiting RSL and seniors' clubs.

Volunteer Skipper, SA Maritime Museum, since 2003.

Currently involved with Neighbourhood Watch and Safety House programs.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Mr Donald James BARTON, 7 Quinty Street, Fig Tree Pocket Qld 4069
For service to the community through church and welfare organisations.

Member, Anglican Parish of Kenmore-Brookfield, since 1974; Parish Recorder, since 2002; Treasurer, 1985-1995; Member, Parish Council, for many years; current Special Event cash recorder.

Current volunteer, Friends and Neighbours Services for the Elderly.

Secretary, Kenmore and District Interchurch Council, for many years.

Treasurer, Kenmore Meals on Wheels, since 1991; Member, Management Committee, since 1991; representative to Queensland Meals on Wheels, for many years.

Treasurer, Ecumenical Refugee Support Group, 1994-2005.

Financial Supporter of a range of charitable organisations, including Anglicare Southern Queensland and Boys Town Family Care.

Involved in establishing and held executive roles with Kenmore Care.

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Dr Malcolm BAXTER, Armadale Vic 3143

For service to medicine as an ear, nose and throat specialist.

Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT) and Head and Neck Surgeon, Monash Medical Centre, since 1997.

Honorary Lecturer, Monash University, since 1989.

Honorary Senior Lecturer, Melbourne University, 2012.

Otolaryngologist, Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital, 1989-2009.

Visiting Medical Officer in Otolaryngology, Latrobe Regional Hospital, 1980-2003.

Chairman, Foreign Aid Committee, Australian Society of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery; Society's Victorian State Chairman, 2004-2006.

Has provided ENT services to Solomon Islands through the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (RACP) Pacific Island Project (PIP), since 1991; and East Timor Project 'ATLASS', since 2003.

Convenor, RACS ENT overseas projects (PIP and ATLASS), 1995-2012.

Fellow, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons.

Awards/recognition include:

Society's Medal, for his services in overseas projects, Australian Society of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, 2009.

Society's Medal, for his services to the Pacific Island Project, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons, 1999.

Miss Olga Lillian BAYLEY, 45 Beaconsfield Street, Revesby NSW 2212

For service to the community as a supporter of charitable organisations.

Fundraiser, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, since 1988; Patron, since 2002.

Volunteer, Mission Australia (formerly Sydney City Mission), during the 1950s and 1960s.

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Clinical Professor Graeme Leslie BEARDMORE, Tewantin Qld 4565
For service to medicine in the field of dermatology.

Current, Visiting Dermatologist, Queensland Institute of Dermatology.
Clinical Teacher, Faculty of Medicine, University of Queensland, since 1974.
Visiting Dermatologist, Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, 1963-1989.
Research Fellow, Queensland Melanoma Project, 1968-1973.
Consultant Dermatologist, Department of Veterans' Affairs, 1970-1990.
Member, Scientific Research Committee, Australasian College of Dermatologists, 1984-2007.
Member, Code of Conduct Committee, Australasian College of Dermatologists, 1996-2002.
Chairman, Board of Censors, Australasian College of Dermatologists, 1981-1984;
Member, 1974-1984.
Member, Workers' Compensation Board of Queensland, 1973-1988.
Foundation Chairman, Dermatology Group, Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, 1974-1996.
Foundation Chairman, Queensland Skin and Cancer Foundation, 1997-2002.
External Examiner, University of Papua New Guinea, 1990 and 1999; Visiting lecturer (in Dermatology), 1996 and 1999.
Chairman, Department of Dermatology, Greenslopes Private Hospital, 1990-2004; Member, Gallipoli Research Foundation/Research Grants Committee, 1998-2011.

Awards/recognition include:

Inaugural Gold Medal, Queensland Institute of Dermatology, 2012.
Silver Medal, Australasian College of Dermatologists, 2000.
Research Grant (melanoma), Queensland Cancer Fund, 1972-1973.
Upjohn Grant for General Practitioners, 1964.

Dr Allan Kenneth BEAVIS, PO Box 272, Moss Vale NSW 2577
For service to music, and to education.

Conductor, Highland Sinfonia, since 2001.
Founder and Conductor, St Jude's Singers, since 2001.
Chair, Organising Committee, Bowral Autumn Music Festival, since 2007.
Organist, St Simon and St Jude's Anglican Church, Bowral, since 1997.
Public Officer, St Jude's Music Association; raised over \$250,000 towards restoring the Parish's Pipe Organ.

Master, New College, University of New South Wales, 1995-2002; Board Member, 1982-1995.
Board Member, Colleges and Universities of the Anglican Communion, 1996-2002; Founding Editor, *Prologue*, 1998-2002.
Headmaster, St Andrew's Cathedral School, 1979-1995; introduced the Peer Assisted Leadership Program.
Secretary, NSW/ACT Branch, Association of Heads of Independent Schools of Australia, 1986-1988; Member, 1986-1995; Member, Headmasters' Conference, 1979-1985.
Board Member, St Catherine's School, Waverley, 1978-2002.
Chairman, Macarthur Anglican School, Cobbitty, since 2006; Board Member, since 1995.

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Ms Linda Karen BEILHARZ, Bendigo Vic 3550
For service to the community, and to polar exploration.

Field Organiser, Bush Search and Rescue Victoria, since 2010; Member, since 2004.
Current President, Alpine Search and Rescue Victoria; Member, since 2003.
Board Member, Journeys for Learning, since 2006; a not-for-profit company that promotes resilience, team work and environmental sustainability through linking adventurers and their stories of expeditions to ordinary people.
Member, Bendigo Sustainability Group, since 2008.
Patron, Ecoschools, Bendigo, since 2009.

Executive Officer, Women's Health Loddon Mallee, since 2007.
Director, Community Capacity Building Unit, St Luke's Anglicare (Bendigo), 1997-2007;
Author, *Building Community: The Shared Action Experience*, 2002.

In 2004 Ms Beilharz became the first Australian woman to ski from the edge of Antarctica to the South Pole. She then set herself a goal to traverse the world's four largest icecaps - Greenland, South and North Poles and Patagonia.

Other achievements include:

- Traversing of the North Pole, 2010; first Australian woman to do so.
- Crossing of the Patagonia Icecap, 2009; unsuccessful in a second attempt 2012.
- Crossing of the Greenland Icecap (east-west traverse), 2007.

Awards/recognition include:

Adventurer of the Year, Australian Geographic Society, 2010.
Inducted into the Victorian Women's Honour Roll, 2006.

Mr Philip William BELL, 6 Herber Place, Wahroonga NSW 2076
For service to education, and to the community.

Chairman, Council, Abbotsleigh Anglican School for Girls, 2000-2010; Member, 1996-2010.
Board Member, Robert Menzies College, 2000-2007; Member, Board of Management, 1989-1996; the College is a residential Anglican College affiliated with Macquarie University.
Board Member, Association of Independent Schools of New South Wales, 1998-2004.
Honorary Secretary and Deputy Chairman, Sydney Anglican Schools Corporation, 1989-1999; Member, 1987-1988.

Also served as a Board Member of the Loquat Valley School; the Peninsula Anglican Boys School; and St Luke's Anglican Girls' School, Dee Why.

Chairman, Crusader Council, Crusader Union of Australia, since 2006; Council Member, since 2003; also served as Member, Senior Crusader Fellowship Committee and Holiday Camp Leader and Director, during the 1970s.

Involved in developing plans for a Rehabilitation Ward, Kilimanjaro Christian Medical Centre, Moshi, Tanzania, since 2005.

Rector's Warden, Christ Church Anglican Church, St Ives, 1999-2002.

Church Warden, St Andrew's Anglican Church, Wahroonga, 1993-1996.

Rector's Warden, St John's Anglican Church, Beecroft, 1985-1988.

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Mr John Maxwell BENYON, Cremorne NSW 2090

For service to radio broadcasting, and to the community.

Chair, Technical Committee, Music Broadcasting Society of New South Wales (now Fine Music 102.5), from the 1970s to 2008 and currently.

Lead Technical Volunteer, since 1973; active Member, Technical Team, since the 1970s. Inaugural volunteer, since 1971.

Founding Director, Co-operative to establish 2MBS-FM, 1974.

Mr Robert Allan BLAKE, 162 Sackville Terrace, Doubleview WA 6018

For service to surf lifesaving as an administrator and official.

Official, World Lifesaving Championships, International Life Saving Federation, at Rescue 2000, Canada, 2000; Rescue 88, Southport, Queensland, 1988; Bali, 1982; and the Tri-Nations Championships, Scarborough, Western Australia, 1999.

Carnival Official, Australian Championships, Surf Life Saving Australia (SLSA), 1979-1992 and 2007-2009.

Deputy Carnival Referee, Inaugural Australian All States Masters Championships, City Beach, 1987.

Member, Management Team, SLSA Accredited Dragon Boat Team, International Dragon Boat Regatta, Malaysia, 1982-1985.

State Superintendent, Surf Life Saving Western Australia, 1987-1989; Deputy State Superintendent, 1985-1987; Life Member, 1995; Member, Board of Examiners, 1978-1991; current Member, State Referee's Panel; Competition Official, since 1978; Referee, for 17 seasons.

Vice-President, Scarborough Surf Life Saving Club, 1994-1995; Member, since 1972; Life Member, 1991; Club Captain, 1992-1993; Membership Officer, 1993-1994; Junior/Cadet Officer, 1985-1986 and 1989-1992; Patrol Officer, 1982-1983, 1984-1985 and 1986-1987; Chief Instructor, 1979-1982 and 1983-1984; Patrol Captain, 1977-1978; Bar Manager/Member, various standing committees, 1995-2011.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Sports Medal, 2000.

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Mrs Eftihia Angelica BLAND, 8 Berrillee Lane, Turrumurra NSW 2074
For service to the community through charitable organisations.

Board Member, SDN Children's Services (formerly known as Sydney Day Nursery and Nursery Schools Association), since 1991; Member of several Sub-Committees including: Public Relations, Marketing, and Building; Chair, History Committee, 2001-2011, and Member, 1995-2011; Coordinator, Centenary Celebrations, 2005; established the History Room and Archive, 2001.

President, Redfern/Waterloo Branch Committee, ca1990; Member, 1988-1991.

Volunteer, St Vincent de Paul (Op Shop), Turrumurra, for 15 years.

Presenter/Speaker, Australian Research in Early Childhood Conference, Faculty of Education, Monash University, 2010.

Director, S McN Bland since 1970; surveying services.

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Mr Terence Paul BOARDMAN, 201/168 Queenscliff Road, Queenscliff NSW 2096
For service to surf lifesaving, and to the community.

Member, Queenscliff Surf Life Saving Club, since 1976; Life Member, since 1987; has held a range of positions including Secretary, 1977-1980; Chief Instructor, 1981-1984; and Inflatable Rescue Boat Captain, 1985-1986.

Life Member, Sydney Northern Beaches Life Saving Branch, 1997; has held a range of roles including Member of Board of Examiners, since 1979; Coordinator Branch Advanced Resuscitation Certificate Panel, 1983-1986; Bronze Examiner, since 1986; Inflatable Rescue Boat Examiner, since 1986; Branch Rescue Services Director, 1987-1989 and 1990-1991; and Carnival Official, since 1986.

Member, Branch Advanced Resuscitation Certificate Panel, since 1979.

Assistant Director, Branch Education and Examination, 2002-2008.

Manly Warringah Branch Radio Operator, 1993-2002.

Warringah Surf Radio Operator, since 1993.

Competition Official, World Life Saving Championships, 1988, 1990, 1994, 2006 and 2008; Australian Delegate, World Rescue Conferences at Vancouver, Travenmunde and San Diego.

Has held a range of positions at national level including SLSA Inflatable Rescue Boat Inspector, 1998-2008.

Life Member, Surf Life Saving NSW, since 2001; Superintendent of Life Saving, 1991-1996; Member of a range of panels at state level including Defibrillation Panel, Education Panel, Meritorious Awards Panel and Radio Panel; State Carnival Official, since 1991.

Councillor and Convenor of the Railway Resource Centre Trust, Australian Railway Historical Society NSW, for 12 years; Secretary, for 7 years; Life Member since 1998; Member, since 1957.

Volunteer, Bendigo Tramways, since 2005.

Volunteer, Zig Zag Railway, since the 1980s.

Volunteer, Sydney Tramway Museum, since the 1980s.

Current volunteer, 1/15 Royal New South Wales Lancer Museum; Life Member, since 1980.

Current Association Sergeant Major, Lancer Association.

Awards/recognition include:

President's Medal, SLSA, 2009.

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Mr John Samuel BOLITHO, 18 Anderson Street, Finley NSW 2713
For service to the community of Finley.

President, Rotary Club of Finley, 1974-1975 and 2003-2004; Secretary, 1976-1978, 1990-1991 and 2001-2002; Treasurer, 1986-1987 and 1994-1995; current Club Historian; Member, since 1969; also served as a Director with various portfolios.

President, Finley Lake Trust, until 2004; Trustee, since 1997.

Current President, Finley Menshed; involved in its establishment, 2010.

Current President, Combined Probus Club of Finley; Inaugural Member, since 2001.

President, Finley Bowling Club, 1994-1997; Secretary, 1982-1985 and 2005-2007; Life Member, 2003; Club Champion, on 7 occasions.

Current Vice-President, Finley Table Tennis.

Volunteer, Finley Driver Reviver Station, since 2000.

Volunteer, Finley Community Self Help Group, since 2006; the group sells second-hand goods with the proceeds distributed to community organisations.

Director, Berriquin Nursing Home, Finley, for 12 years.

Director, Ulupna Lodge Hostel for the Aged, Finley, for 7 years.

President, Finley Swimming Club, in the 1970s; also served as Learn to Swim instructor.

Secretary, Berriquin Irrigators Central Council and Berriquin Irrigators Central Council Drainage Committee, 1980-1982.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Berrigan Shire Council, 2005.

Mr Brendan Matthew BOLTON, Tokyo, Japan

For service to the international community following the earthquakes and tsunami which occurred in Japan in 2011.

Volunteer facilitator and support team member for the NSW Fire Brigade's Urban Search and Rescue Team deployed to the Minami Sanriku area immediately following the 11 March 2011 earthquakes and tsunami.

Current Second Secretary (Economic), Australian Embassy Tokyo, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

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Mr Kevin John BORGER, 67 Elanora Avenue, Pottsville NSW 2489
For service to veterans and their families, and to people with a disability.

Senior Advocate, Vietnam Veterans' Federation of Australia, Queensland Branch, for 20 years.

State Coordinator, Golf, Special Olympics; State Team Manager, 2004 and 2010; managed golfers for overseas events in Shanghai 2007, and Athens 2011; volunteer, for over 10 years. Established a golf program for people with a disability in Tweed Heads, 2003.

Mr Peter Gerard BOYCE, 214 Perwillowen Road, Nambour Qld 4560
For service to the community of the Sunshine Coast.

Current Honorary Solicitor, Sunshine Coast Health Foundation, Nambour Hospital; former Committee Member.

Honorary Solicitor, 'Wishlist, since 2004; Chairman, Nambour Sub-Committee, 2002-2006; fundraising for local health programs and the Sunshine Coast Cancer Centre.

Board Member, Daniel Morcombe Foundation, since 2005; Honorary Solicitor.

Chair, Pastoral Council, St Joseph's Catholic Parish, Nambour, 2000-2002; Member, Site Committee, 2006; Member, Finance Committee, 2005.

Member, Inaugural Outside School Care setting-up for St Joseph's.

Member, Selection Panel, Father Francis Hefferan Bursary and Awards, since 2002.

Pastoral Council Member, 1998-2000.

Current Chairman, Sunshine Coast Sea Eagles, QCup Rugby League.

Finance Director, Wide Bay Division, Queensland Rugby League, 2003-2005.

Former Chairman, Sunshine Coast/Gympie Rugby League Ltd.

President, Sunshine Coast Rugby League, 1992-1993; current Member; Life Member; Honorary Solicitor.

President, Nambour Rugby League Club, 1984-1987; Life Member; Honorary Solicitor.

Deputy Chairman, Sunshine Coast Turf Club, since 2009; Board Member, since 2008; Member, for over 20 years.

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Mr Robert Arthur BREEDEN, deceased,

Late of Yalyalup WA 6280

For service to conservation and the environment, and to the community.

Foundation President, Busselton Naturalists' Club, 1964. Life Member; conducted tours of state forests in the Busselton region.

Volunteer Member, Western Australian Department of Environment and Conservation, since 1990; Honorary Wildlife Warden, for 36 years.

Member, Community Advisory Committee, Ludlow Tuart Forrest National Park Management Plan.

Member, Western Ringtail Possum Action Group (associated with Geo Catch).

Wildlife expert, *Rob Breeden's Nature Notes* program, ABC Radio, Bunbury.

Member, Busselton Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia.

Commissioned Officer, Army Reserves, 11/44th Infantry Battalion and 1st Busselton Royal Western Australian Regiment, for 15 years.

Foundation Member, Busselton State Emergency Service, for 15 years.

Founder, Busselton Archery Club, 1957; President, for many years.

Foundation Member, Busselton Pistol Club and Busselton Judo Club.

Co-Founder, South West Gun Club (clay target).

Member, Busselton Rotary Club.

Member, Bussleton Tourist Bureau.

Member, Keep Busselton Beautiful Committee.

Volunteer Member, Townscape Advisory Committee and Environmental Committee, Busselton Shire Council.

Author, *Out of the Bush* and *All That Big Wongi*; and contributor to the Western Australian Government's *Living Histories* publication.

Mr Breeden died on 1 March 2012.

Dr James Ernest BREHENY, 15 Riverside Avenue, Balwyn North Vic 3104

For service to medical administration.

Foundation Chairman, Vasey RSL Care, since 2004.

Chairman, Board of Management, Austin Health, 1997-2003.

Foundation Director and Deputy Chairman, Medical Research Foundation for Women and Babies, since 1981.

Provided advisory services in the establishment of Casemix in Victoria, in the 1980s.

Medical Director, Epworth Freemasons Hospital, 2003-2010.

Chief Executive Officer, St John of God Health Care, 1994-1997.

National Director, Health Economics Consulting, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu, 1986-1994.

Patron and Director, Australian Private Hospitals Association, 1995-1997.

Foundation Medical Director, Mercy Maternity Hospital, 1970-1986.

President, Paediatric Society of Victoria, 1984.

President, Australian Medical Association, Victoria, 1979.

Deputy and Acting Medical Director, Royal Children's Hospital, Melbourne, 1969.

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

Dr Nellie Dianne BRESCIANI, Toorak Vic 3142

For service to music, to the visual arts, and to the community.

Founder and Honorary Managing Director, Youth Music Foundation of Australia Inc, since 1988; Council Member, 1988-2001; Life Governor.

Established the Australian Kodaly Junior Choir.

Board Member and Victorian Representative, Australian Festival of Chamber Music, since 2008; Philanthropic supporter.

Examiner, Australian Music Examinations Board, since 1979.

Member, Dame Nellie Melba Opera Trust, since 2009.

Patron, Melba Foundation, since 2009.

Chairperson, Soirées Musicales Chamber Music Society, 2000; Vice-President, 1999; Board Member, 1997-1998.

Assistant Secretary, Australian Society for Music Education, 1978-1979.

Managing Director, Yamaha Music Foundation Australia, 1973-1978; opened 27 Yamaha Music Schools throughout Australia.

Member, Victorian Artists Society, since 2003.

Member, National Gallery of Australia, since 1996.

Member, Australian Pastellists Society, since 1996.

Member, Victorian Arts Advisory Council, 1995.

Committee Member, Gala Opening of the Italian Art Exhibition *The Italians*.

Donates artwork to charitable organisations, since 1995.

Governor, Mental Health Research Institute, 2008; Member, Fundraising Committee.

Board Member, Peter MacCallum Art Collection Committee, Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre, 2000-2005; Member, since 1999.

Member, Artists Committee, Kidney Foundation, 1996-2001.

Board Member, Australian Cultural Ambassadors' Foundation, 1999; Founding Director.

Member, University College Council, University of Melbourne, 2001-2003; Honorary Life Governor, 1980.

President, University College Association, 1976-1978; Vice-President, 1978-1979; Committee Member, 1971-1981 and 1989-1992; Honorary Life Member.

Life Member, Graduate Society.

Fellow, Institute of Music Teachers.

Awards/recognition include:

Women Achiever of the Year, Victorian Chapter, Brain Foundation of Australia Inc, 2003.

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

Mr David John BRIEGEL, Wembley Downs WA 6019

For service to the community through charitable and historical organisations.

Volunteer, Paraplegic-Quadriplegic Association of Western Australia, since 1994; organiser of quarterly 'Scroungers Day' fundraising activities, 1-3 days per week commitment since 2000; organises a weekly second-hand bookshop throughout the year.

Volunteer, Radio Lollipop WA, Princess Margaret Hospital, since 2000; a registered charity and volunteer organisation providing play, entertainment and comfort for children in hospital, and a listening ear for their parents; Team Leader for Friday night shift; assists with fundraising, volunteer recruitment and training.

Camp Leader, Camp Onwards, since 1999; a therapeutic sibling camp for brothers and sisters of children who have or have had cancer aged 6-13 years.

Part-time volunteer, History Department, Western Australian Museum; two full days a week since 2004.

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

Ms Tessie Florence BRILL, Hastings Point NSW 2489
For service to the community of the Northern Rivers.

A strong wide community activist on environmental issues, particularly the protection of Hastings Point estuary wetlands, 2001-2010; site is now protected.

Board Member, Lismore and District Women's Health Centre Inc, 1987-1998; Foundation Member, 1987.

Foundation Member, Lismore Women's and Children's Refuge (formerly Richmond Women's Emergency Centre), since 1977; Vice-President; Member, for 10 years.

Foundation Member, Lismore Neighbourhood Centre (formerly Lismore Community Aid and Information Service), 1976; Member, Management Committee; volunteer, during the 1970s and 1980s.

Organiser, Breast Cancer Awareness Sessions, Northern Rivers area, during the 1970s.

Original Member, Big Scrub Environment Centre Inc, during the 1970s and 1980s.

Inaugural Secretary, Lismore Aboriginal Advancement League, 1961-1964.

Foundation Member, Lismore and District Aborigines Welfare Committee, 1958.

Awards/recognition include:

Edna Ryan Award for Community Activism, Women's Electoral Lobby, 2008.

Mr Victor Vincent BRILL, Hastings Point NSW 2489
For service to the community of the Northern Rivers.

Member, Hastings Point Dunecare, since 1999.

Foundation Member, Big Scrub Environment Centre, 1978-1979.

Life Member, Richmond Tweed Trades and Labour Council; Secretary, for 25 years.

Foundation Member, Lismore Workers' Club (formerly Lismore and District Workers' Club), 1954.

Teacher at a range of Public Schools including Wyrallah Road Public School, 1972-1981; East Lismore Public School, 1966-1972; Cubawee Public School, 1963-1966; Meerschaum Public School, 1950-1963; Cullivel Public School, 1946-1950; Pomona Public School, 1942; and Gol Gol Public School, 1941.

Member, NSW Teachers' Federation, 1941-1981; Life Member, since 1979.

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

Mr Jeffrey Ross BRITTON, PO Box 369, Smithton Tas 7330

For service to conservation and the environment, and to the community.

Chairman, Arthur Pieman Conservation Area Management Committee, Parks and Wildlife Service Tasmania, 2002-2012; Chairman, Arthur Pieman Coalition, 1999-2002; Chairman, Arthur Pieman Protected Area Management Advisory Committee, 1990-1999; Representative, forestry and timber industry, 1994-2010.

Charter Member, Smithton Circular Head Lions Club, since 1969; has held a range of positions including President, Zone Chairperson and Deputy District Governor.

Awards/recognition include:

Tasmanian Lions Foundation Fellow; Melvin Fellow.

Mr John Winton BROOMBY, Westbury Tas 7303

For service to conservation and the environment, and to the community.

Chair, Mersey Natural Resource Management Group, 2001-2006; Deputy Chair, 2000-2001; Mole Creek Representative, 1997-2000.

Volunteer, State Parks and Wildlife Service.

Volunteer, Tasmanian Arboretum, for 3 years.

Member, Parks, Recreation and Townscape Committee, Meander Valley Council.

Member, Mole Creek Progress Association, 1991-1992.

President, Chudleigh Show Committee, 2000-2010; Member, for many years.

Public Officer, Westbury Fishing Club, since 2008; Member, for 7 years.

Northern Tasmanian Delegate, Anglers Alliance Tasmania, since 2008.

Member, Rotary Club of Westbury, for 16 years; Past President.

Awards/recognition include:

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Westbury.

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

Mr Colin McIntyre BROWN,

'McMurchie', RMB 157 Cummings Road, Walla Walla NSW 2659

For service to the community of the Riverina, particularly as an educator.

Principal, Yanco Agricultural High School (YAHS), Yanco, 2002-2009.

Guest Lecturer, Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga, 2010.

Deputy Principal Curriculum, Murray High School, Albury, 2000-2002.

Head Teacher Social Sciences, Billabong High School, Culcairn, 1986-1999; Member, School Council, 1991-1998; Team Coordinator, School Review of Welfare and Discipline, 1997.

Member, Riverina Quality Assurance Review Team, 1994-1995.

Teacher, Blayney High School, 1982-1985; Orange High School, 1977-1981; Asquith Boys' High School, 1973-1976.

Member, Riverina Group, NSW Secondary Principals' Council, 2002-2009.

President, Riverina Social Science Teachers' Association, ca1986-1987.

Foundation Member, Riverina Secondary Principals' Collegial Association.

Executive Member, Albury Branch, Australian Council for Educational Administration.

President, Border Social Science Teachers' Association.

Vice-President, Commonwealth Clydesdale Horse Society, 1994-1997 and since 2009; President, 1997-2001; Federal Judge, since 1994; current Secretary, NSW Branch; Past President; State Judge, since 1980; Life Member.

Founding Committee Member, Luro-Leeton Friendship Group (Leeton Council, Rotary International and YAHS), ca2000-2010; Visiting Assessment Team, Luro, East Timor, 2006.

Member/Supporter, NSW Isolated Parents Association, 2002-2009.

Member, Kandeer Special School Management Committee, 2000-2002.

Member, Culcairn Landcare.

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

Mr Kenneth Raymond BROWN, 49 Howes Crescent, Dianella WA 6059
For service to the sport of tennis through administrative roles.

Tennis Australia referee, since 2006.

Service to Tennis West includes:

- Vice-President, 1996-1997.
- Director, 1995-1996.
- Competition Committee, Tennis West, current and 2009-2010.
- Country Week Carnival Committee, since 1996.
- Country Development Committee, 1996-1998.
- Finance Committee, 1996-1998.

Was involved in running tournaments including 3 Western Australian Opens, 17 Country Weeks, 3 World Seniors Championships, 3 Australasian High School Carnivals and the Australian University Games.

Service to the Alexander Park Tennis Club includes:

- President, 1987-1991; Treasurer, 1984-1987, 1996-1999 and 2005-2011.
- Facilities/Grounds Director, for 5 years; Pennant Supervisor, for 3 years.
- Club Championships Tournament Director, for 5 years; Bar Operations Supervisor, for 10 years.
- Life Member, 1994; Member, since 1974.

Mr Colin Francis BROWNE, 4 Victory Street, Mitcham Vic 3132
For service to the sport of athletics, to education, and to the community.

Assistant Secretary, Victorian Veterans Athletics (now Victorian Masters Athletics), 1994-2001; Editor and contributor, newsletter, 1994-2001; website initiator; Member, 1980-2008; Life Member, 1995.

Founding Member, Australian Ultra Runners Association, 1986-1996; Editor and publisher bi-monthly magazine *Ultramag*, 1986-1996; Life Member, 1996.

Board Member, National Association of Veterans Athletes, ca1994-2007; Life Member, 2007.

Senior Lecturer, Language and Literature Department, Burwood Teachers College (now known as Deakin University, Burwood Campus), 1978-1992; Production Assistant, Director, Playwright, Lyricist, Drama Production Committee, during the 1970s; Lecturer, Primary Teacher Education, 1969-1978; Assistant Lecturer, 1967-1969.

Volunteer Lecturer, Nunawading U3A, 2012.

Assisted in the Literacy and Numeracy Survey commissioned by the House of Representatives Select Committee on Learning Disability, Australian Council for Educational Research, 1975.

Secretary, Whitehorse Arts Association, ongoing since 2005.

Manager, Phoenix University Theatre, Burwood, 1970-1992.

Involved in the establishment of the adult theatre group, Impact Theatre, during the 1970s; held various roles including Director.

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

Mrs Jennifer Mary BRYANT, 30 McKirdys Road, Tyabb Vic 3913
For service to wildlife conservation.

Registered Wildlife Shelter Carer, Mornington Peninsula, since the 1970s.
With the assistance of local donations and the Brigitte Bardot Foundation, a koala hospital has been built on Mrs Bryant's property; the hospital caters for all wildlife.

Mr Walter BULDO, 1 Seaton Place, Parkinson Qld 4115
For service to the community, particularly veterans and their families.

Senior Advocate, Queensland Branch, Defence Force Welfare Association, since 1998; Pensions Officer, since 1995; also represents cases to the Veterans' Review Board.
Honorary Treasurer, since 2008; ongoing Database Manager and Editor, *Camaraderie* journal; Member, since 1995.

Senior Advocate, Greenbank Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 2000; Welfare/Pensions Officer, since 1996.
Past President; Past Vice-President; Member, since 1995.

Treasurer, Greenbank RSL Services Club, since 2001; Senior Advocate, since 2000; Welfare/Pensions Officer, since 1996.
Board Member, since 2000; Life Member, since 2011.

Justice of the Peace, since 1971.

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

Mr Richard Alfred BURNS, 17 Deviation Road, Penguin Tas 7316
For service to botany, as an author and conservationist.

Held several executive positions, Australian Plants Society Tasmania, including President; Life Member, since 1989.

Delegate to the Australian Council, Association of Societies for Growing Australian Plants. Foundation Member, North West Branch, Australian Plants Society Tasmania, since 1978; held several executive positions.

Secretary, Association of Societies for Growing Australian Plants.

Current Curator, Tasmanian Section, Tasmanian Arboretum, Member and volunteer, for many years.

Member, North West Walking Club, since 1971; held executive positions; Life Member, 1981.

Member, Friends of Cradle Valley; held various executive roles.

Member, Blandfordia Alpine Club; Secretary, for several years.

Member and Plant Adviser, Penguin CoastCare, 2001-2010.

Honorary Member, Friends of the Botanic Gardens, Canberra, 1993.

Plant Collector for:

- Washington Botanic Gardens, current.
- Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, 1983-1994.
- Tasmanian Herbarium, since 1983.
- Tasmanian Arboretum, current.

Publications include:

- *Pathfinders in Tasmanian Botany*, 2012.
- *The Diverse Flora of Lake St Clair Day Walk Area*, Plant Identikit, 2006.
- *A Guide to the Flora of Freycinet National Park*, Plant Identikit, 2005
- *Significant Flora of Cradle Mountain Day Walk Areas*, Plant Identikit, 2001; has been fully revised and published as *Exploring the Flora of Cradle Mountain Day Walk Areas* in late 2012.

Regularly provided articles for *Eucryphia* (Australian Plants Society Tasmania newsletter), and *Australian Plants* (National Journal of the Australian Plants Society); Editor for one issue of *Australian Plants*.

Awards/recognition include:

Australian Plants Award - Amateur Category, Association of Societies for Growing Australian Plants, 2007.

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

Mrs Raelene Mary BUSSENSCHUTT, Kadina SA 5554

For service to the community through health, agricultural and women's organisations.

Founding Member, Alzheimer's Association South Australia, 1983-1991; Life Member.
President, Northern Yorke Peninsula Branch, Cancer Council, since 2006; Vice-President, 1999-2005; Member, since 1996.
Member, Meals on Wheels, for 25 years.
Board Member, Kadina Hospital, for 20 years.
Member, Kadina Hospital Auxiliary, for many years.
Involved in establishing the Community Visitors Scheme for the Copper Coast Area; Founding Committee Member and long-time supporter.

General Committee Member, Yorke Peninsula Field Days, 1976-2007; President, Ladies General Interest Section Committee, 1985-1987; served in several executive positions; Member, 1973-1996; Service Award, 1985; Life Member, 2003.
Past President, Yorke Peninsula Shows Association.
Committee Member, Kadina Agricultural and Floricultural Society, since 2001.

State President, Women in Agriculture and Business (WAB), 1990; State Councillor, 1986-1990; Coordinator, *WAB News*; Regional Councillor, 1987; Committee Member, for several years.
President, Cunliffe Branch, 1968-1970, 1992-1994 and 2006-2007; served in several executive roles, 1966-2007; Member, since 1960; Life Member; 1981; 50 Years' Badge; 2010.

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

Mr Phillip Anthony BUTLER, PO Box 494, Glenorchy Tas 7010
For service to the community of Glenorchy.

Ministerial Appointed Community Member, Steering Committee, 'Glenorchy Project', Tasmanian Department of Education, 2009-2011.
Member, Steering Group Committee, 2009-2011.
Member, Advisory Group, 2009-2011.
Premier's Appointee, Progress Committee, Glenorchy Southern Regional Learning Advisory Branch, since 2009.
Board Member, Guilford Young College, since 2011.
Chairman, Montrose Bay High School Association, since 2010; Chairman, Rosetta High School Association, 2007-2010; Board Member, 2002-2010.

Board Director, OneCare Ltd, 2005-2008 and since 2009; Member, Governance Committee, 2006-2008 and since 2010; former Chairman.
Member, Clinical Governance Committee, 2006-2008; Member, Audit and Risk Committee, 2009-2011
Board Member, St Luke's Association, 2010-2012.
Board Member, Umina Park Nursing Home Pty Ltd, 2010-2012.
Played a significant role in the amalgamation of the Umina Park Nursing Home and the St Luke's Association to form OneCare Ltd.

Member, Team Glenorchy, Glenorchy City Council, since 2007; the committee oversees the Glenorchy Community Plan.
Board Member, YMCA Inc, since 2010; Member, Governance Committee, since 2011.
Chairman, Glenorchy Historical Society, since 2004.
Member, Wilkinson's Point and Elwick Bay Review Committee, since 2003.
Chairman, Upper Hilton Road Action Group, 2007-2011.
Member, Citizens of Glenorchy Association, 2005-2012; Member, Glenorchy Precinct Review Committee, 2006-2008.
Member and Chairman, Montrose Precinct Committee, since 1997.
Convenor, Gordon's Hill Road Action Committee, 1986-1987.
Secretary, Eastern Shore Rate Payers Action Group, 1985-1986.
Member, Clarence Progress Association, 1984-1988.
Secretary, Lindisfarne Progress Association, 1983-1988.
Member, Bridgewater Police and Citizens Youth Club, 1978-1979.
Member, Bridgewater Neighbourhood House Committee, 1978-1979.

Member, Liberal Party of Australia, since 1979; positions held include:

- State Vice-President.
- Chairman, Denison Electoral Committee.
- Member, State Liberal Party Management Team.
- Member, State Liberal Executive Team.
- Senate Selector.
- Member, Liberal Party Constitutional Review Committee.
- Campaign Director.

Member, Uniform Branch, Drug Squad and CIB, Tasmanian Police Force, 1973-1998.
State Executive Member, Police Association of Tasmania, 1989-1992; Southern Representative, 1987-1994; Treasurer, 1989-1992.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, City of Glenorchy, 2011.

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

Mrs Hazel Dawn BUTORAC, 98A Third Avenue, Mount Lawley WA 6050
For service to the community through a range of organisations.

Board of Management, Council of the Ageing Western Australia, 2003-2009; Representative, National Policy Council, 2007-2009; Delegate, Adult Community Education Committee, Western Australia Department of Education and Training, for 6 years; Representative, Centrelink Consultative Committee, for many years.

Chair, Lifelong Learning and Mature Employment Sub-Committee, Active Ageing Taskforce, Western Australia Department of Health and Ageing, 2002-2004.

President, Mature Adults Learning Association, 2000-2002; Vice-President, 1997-2000; Member, Management Committee, since 1996; involved in establishing a Branch in Mandurah, 2004.

Inaugural Chair, Midlands Women's Health Care Place, 1995-2001.

Director, Citizens Advice Bureau of Western Australia, 1990-1994; Board Member, for many years.

Board Member, Mandurah Employment Directions Network, Western Australia Department of Education and Training, for many years.

Volunteer, Pat Thomas Women's Refuge, Mandurah, for many years.

Member, Board of Management, Koolkuna Women's Refuge, for 2 years.

Honorary Secretary, Power Boats Section, Fremantle Sailing Club, 1995-2000; Member, for many years.

Justice of the Peace, since 1992.

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

Mrs Betty Iris BYRNE, PO Box 495, Burnie Tas 7320

For service to the community of Burnie.

Current Member, Burnie Chamber of Commerce and Industry; President, 1995-1998.

Member, Burnie Online Access Centre Management Committee, 1999-2008; one of the instigating members.

Member, Burnie Baptist Church, for over 40 years; also Member of Montello Baptist Church and the Upper Burnie Uniting Church.

Youth Leader, for 22 years; Sunday School Superintendent and Teacher; Communion Steward; Choir Member; and Christian Endeavour Leader.

Member, Inner Wheel Club of Burnie, since 1983; President, 1986-1987; District A80 Extension Chairman, 1991.

Inaugural Member, Braddon Business Centre Ltd, 1993.

Member, Burnie Business and Professional Women's Club, during the 1970s and 1980s; former President; State Council Member.

Treasurer, Retarded Citizens' Welfare Association (RCWA), 1960s to 1992.

Member/former Member, since the 1960s, Mothers' Club; Burnie Lights Committee; Burnie Unemployed People Committee; Shorewell House Committee; Burnie Tourism Committee; and Burnie Australia Day Committee.

Instigated, Family Fun Day and Carols by Candlelight in the Burnie Park; now annual events.

Supporter, Menzies Research Institute (Tasmania).

Awards/recognition include:

Highly Commendable Personal Award, Inner Wheel International, 2008.

Margaret Golding Award, Inner Wheel International, 2006.

Australian Day Citizen Award, 2003.

Tasmania Centenary of Federation award.

Citizen of the Year, Burnie Lions Club, 1996-1997.

Charity Woman of the Year, RCWA, 1981.

Commodore Ian Arthur CALLAWAY RAN (Ret'd),

10/17 Belmont Avenue, Wollstonecraft NSW 2065

For service to veterans and their families.

President, Remembrance Driveway Committee, 1999-2012; a living memorial along the Hume and Federal Highways, honouring Australian service personnel.

Honorary Secretary; Public Officer; Committee Member, since 1993.

Chairman, Executive Committee, Sydney ANZAC Day March, 2001-2012; Chief Marshal.

Naval career include:

- Former Deputy Director, Defence Intelligence Organisation, retired 1992.
- President, Australian Naval Institute, 1989-1992.

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

Mr Donald CAMERON, Ventnor Vic 3922

For service to local government, to conservation and the environment, and to the community, particularly through Lions International.

Inaugural Mayor, Bass Coast Shire Council, 1997-1998; Councillor, 1997-2003.

Councillor, Shire of Phillip Island, 1980-1983.

Board Member, Municipal Association of Victoria, 2001-2003; Member, 1980-1983 and 1997-2003.

Director, Rural Workforce Agency Victoria Ltd, 1999-2003.

Deputy Chairman, Gippsland Development Ltd (Gippsland Regional Development Board), 2000-2002.

Council Delegate, Australian Local Government Association, 1997-1998.

Founding Member, Committee for Gippsland, 2008.

Founding Member, Phillip Island Landcare Group, since 1985.

Committee Member (government appointed), Ventnor Recreation Reserve, since 1989.

Ministerial Appointee, Dandenong Regional Land Protection Advisory Committee, 1985-1995; Inaugural Chairman, 1985-1986.

Committee Member, Phillip Island Koala Reserve and Phillip Island Penguin Reserve, 1980-1983.

Current District Governor, Lions International District 201V3; various Executive roles at District, Zone and Club level, since 1968.

Alumni Member, Rotary International Foundation, since 1968.

Member, Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association, since 1980.

Member, Victorian Farmers Federation, since 1960; Founding President, Phillip Island Branch; Phillip Island Delegate, 1985-1991; Founding Chairman, Phillip Island Farmers Association, 1984.

Municipal Chairman (Regional Patron), Red Shield Appeal, 1997-2003.

Member, South Gippsland Group of Melbourne Legacy, 1996-1998.

Justice of the Peace, Victoria.

Shareholder, Newhaven College Co-operative, since 1980; Founding Committee Member, Newhaven College, 1976-1978.

Work Experience Host Farm, Melbourne University Agricultural and Veterinary Science Students, 1978-1999.

Farmer and Company Director. Family farming partnership, since 1960; Partner, Camerons Agribiz, since 1976.

Founding Chairman, Placetac Pty Ltd (the owners) and Phillip Island Motor Sports Pty Ltd (the operators), Phillip Island International Motor Racing Circuit, 1984-2004.

Partner, Phillip Island Air Charter, 1968.

Fellow, Australian Institute of Company Directors, since 2001; Member, since 2000.

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

Dr John Dominic CANNON, 50 Minno Street, Howrah Tas 7018
For service to the sport of sailing.

Member, Royal Yacht Club of Tasmania, for 47 years.
President, Bellerive Regatta Association, for 30 years.
Commodore, Derwent Sailing Squadron, for 2 years; Life Member.
Dr Cannon completed the only recorded circumnavigation of the Tasman Sea, 1988.
Circumnavigated the Southern Ocean, 2000-2001.
Member, Bellerive Yacht Club, for many years.
Instigated and then involved in establishing the Melbourne to Hobart Yacht Race, 1972.
Instigated and then involved in establishing the Pipe Opener Series, 1968.
Instigated and then involved in establishing the Bi-annual Van Dieman's Land Circumnavigation Cruise, 1990.
Founding Chairman, Bicentennial First Fleet Replica Building Committee, Tasmanian Sail Training Association.
Patron, Bicentennial Tall Ships Event (from Hobart to Sydney), 1988.

Established a medical practice on the Eastern shore of Hobart, 1956; General Practitioner, 1956-2000.
Honorary Medical Officer, Clarence Football Club, 1956-1976.
Instigated and helped to raise funds for the Clarence War Memorial Swimming Centre.

The Reverend Father George CARPIS, 24 Maclagan Street, Isaacs ACT 2607
For service to the Greek Orthodox Church, and to the community.

Parish Priest, St Nicholas' Greek Orthodox Community and Church of Canberra and Districts, 1962-2011.
President and Founder, Greek Orthodox Ladies Association (Philoptochos) of St Nicholas, 1962-2011.

Involved in numerous construction projects including the establishment of:

- St Nicholas' Home for the Aged, Kingston, 1995; Trustee; Member, Development Committee, for many years.
- St Nicholas' Greek Church, Kingston, 1967.
- St Nicholas' Bilingual Pre School, Yarralumla.
- St Nicholas' Afternoon School, Yarralumla.

Founding Member, Hellenic Club of Canberra.
Archdiocese representative, ACT Branch, National Council of Churches of Australia.
President, Australian Hellenic Educational and Progressive Association, 1961; Foundation Member, 1958.
Member, Canberra Hospital's Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Department, for many years.

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

Professor Vincent CARUSO, 81/1 Wingfield Avenue, Crawley WA 6009
For service to medicine in the field of pathology.

President, Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia, 2003-2005 .
Member, Executive Committee, 1999-2005.
Member, Cancer Services Advisory Committee, 2008-2010.
Member, Pathology Professional Activities Committee, 2001-2003.
Member, Anatomical Pathology Advisory Committee, 1999-2003.
Councillor, Western Australia Branch, 1999-2005.

Treasurer, Western Australia Branch, Australian Medical Association, 1999; Secretary, 1997-1998; Councillor, 1996.
Vice-President, Association of Australian Pathology Practices, for many years.

Professor of Pathology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Notre Dame, Fremantle, since ca2006.

Head, Anatomical Pathology, St John of God Health Care, 2006-2011.
Director of Pathology, Western Diagnostic Pathology, 1981-2006.
Sessional Anatomical Pathologist, Princess Margaret Hospital for Children, 1980-2002.
Consultant Pathologist, State Health Laboratory Services, 1978-1980.
Registrar, Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital, 1973-1978.

Mrs Norma Alice CASTALDI, Hunters Hill NSW 2110
For service to the community as a fundraiser and volunteer.

President, Westmead Hospital Arts Society; Member, since ca1978.
Mrs Castaldi has raised money for the hospital through activities such as the Westmead Craft Show and the Westmead Hospital Art Prize.

Volunteer Guide, Art Gallery of New South Wales, for approximately 20 years.

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

Mr Nigel Phillip CASWELL, 7 Lansell Road, Brighton East Vic 3187
For service to the community through a range of organisations.

Civil marriage celebrant, since 2007.

President, Civil Celebrants Graduates Association, Monash University, 2007-2009; Secretary, 2005-2007.

Member, Council of Celebrant Associations, 2008-2110.

Volunteer, Multiple Sclerosis Victoria, since 2002.

Secretary, People with Multiple Sclerosis Victoria, 2008-2011; President, since 2011; Member, since 2001.

Member, Multiple Sclerosis Advisory Council (MS Australia ACT/NSW/Vic), since 2010.

Board Member, Community Advisory Committee, Alfred Health, since 2010; Member, Cultural Diversity Committee, 2005-2011; Member, Clinical Governance Committee, 2006-2010.

Board Member, Bayside Community Information Support Service, since 2007; Chairman, Information Technology Sub-Committee, since 2007; volunteer, since 2006.

Awards/recognition include:

Ambassador, Multiple Sclerosis Victoria, since 2001.

Ms Joanne CAVANAGH, Hampton Vic 3188

For service to the community through social welfare organisations.

Chief Executive Officer, Family Life, Victoria, since 1995.

Board Member, Family Relationship Services Australia, since 2010.

National President, Family Services Australia, 2003-2005; Board Member, 2001-2006.

Member, Centre for Social Impact Advisory Council, since 2008.

Deputy Chair, Good Shepherd Australia and New Zealand, 2007-2012; Chair, Strategy and Agency Partnerships Committee.

Member, National Coalition for Child Safety and Well-being, since 2006. Sector representative for National Framework for Protecting Australia's Children.

Member, Australian Council for Children and Parenting, 2005-2007; Ministerial appointment.

Chair, Office for Status of Women, Partnerships Against Domestic Violence: A Business Approach, 2001-2003.

Member, National Marriage and Family Council, 1999-2001; Ministerial appointment.

Chair, Southern Metropolitan Regional Youth Committee, 1997-2000.

Board Member and Vice-President, Children's Welfare Association of Victoria, 1996-1998.

Founding Board Member, Reach Foundation, 1995-1997.

Board Member, Christian Brothers' College, St Kilda, 1994-1996.

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

Mr Stephen Lindsay CAVANAGH, PO Box 260, Hervey Bay Qld 4655
For service to education, and to the sport of rugby league football.

Principal, Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School, Tamworth, 2006-2012.

Principal, Nyngan High School, 2003-2006.

Deputy Principal, Mount Austin High School, Wagga Wagga, 2000-2002; Head, History Department, 1988-2000.

Teacher, Bellingen High School, 1981-1988.

Teacher, Wade High School, 1977-1981.

Teacher, Temora High School, 1977.

Service to NSW Combined High Schools Rugby League includes:

Co-Coach, First XIII, University Shield, Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School, 2006-2010; winner of University Shield, 2008 and 2010.

Coach, First XIII, University Shield, Nyngan High School, 2003-2005; Coach Under 14s, Buckley Shield, 2003-2005.

Coach, First XIII, University Shield, Mount Austin High School, 1988-2002; Under 16s Riverina Cup Team, 1988-1996; Under 14s Buckley Shield Team, 1988-2002; winner of Buckley Shield, 1995.

Coach, Opens, NSW Combined High Schools Rugby League Representative Team, 1999.

Coach, Under 15s, NSW Combined High Schools Rugby League Representative Team, 1997-1998.

Coach, First XIII, University Shield, Bellingen High School, 1981-1986; Under 14s, Buckley Shield, 1981-1986.

Coach, First XIII, Wade High School, Griffith, NSW, 1977-1980.

Coach, Opens, Greater Southern Rugby League Representative Team (included players from NSW Country Rugby League Group 6, Group 7 and Group 16 Competitions), 1997-2002; Under 15s, 1991-1996.

Convenor, Riverina Rugby League, 1995-2002.

Service to NSW Country Rugby League Football includes:

Member, NSW Country Rugby League Development Committee, Riverina Groups, 1990-1991.

Coach, 1st Grade, Nyngan Tigers, NSW Country Rugby League Group 11, 2005; Under 16s, 2003; Under 18s, 2004.

Coach, Riverina Rugby League Academy Squad, 1996; Coaching Panel, 1993-1998.

Captain/Coach, Duval RLFC (Group 5), 1976.

Coach, Kangaroos RLFC Wagga Wagga (Group 9), for 15 years; Premiers, 1996.

Coach, Bellingen Magpies RLFC (Group 2) junior grades, 1982-1987.

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

Mr John Laurence CHADBAN, 7 Coast Avenue, Boomerang Beach NSW 2428
For service to local government, and to the community of the Great Lakes region.

Mayor, Great Lakes Council, 1995-2008; established the Wallis Lake Catchment Plan (Draft), 2001; Director, Health and Building Services, 1969-1994; Health and Building Surveyor, 1961-1968.

Director, Cape Hawke Community Hospital and Health Association, since 2008.
Chairman, Hunter Councils, 2006-2008.
Secretary, Booti Booti State Recreation Trust, 1985-1990.
President, Stroud and District Historical Society, 1971-1995; Founding Member, since 1971; Life Member, since 2011.
Secretary, Stroud Show Society, 1971-1973.
Member, St John's Parish Council, 1968-1979.

Mr Brian Erskine CHASELING MBE, deceased,
Late of Queenscliff NSW 2096
For service to veterans and their families.

President, 2/6th Australian Field Regiment Association, until 2012; Honorary Secretary, since 2006; Editor *WIRY- Official Journal 2/6th Australian Field Regiment Association*, 1996-2012.

Involved in 3 memorial plaque dedication services:

- Organised a memorial plaque to be set into the Rocky Creek Memorial Park on the Atherton Tablelands, North Queensland, 2008.
- Organised and performed the ceremony for a memorial plaque for 2/6th Field Regiment Association at the Australian War Memorial, Canberra, 2007.
- Organised a remembrance wall with 30 plaques and also played a major role in the dedication service, Bathurst, 1995.

Member, 7 Field Regiment Royal Australian Artillery Association, since 2000.

Member, New South Wales Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 1965.

Awards/recognition include:

Appointed as a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for his service to the community, 1982.

Mr Chaseling died on 22 July 2012.

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

Dr Kee CHEUNG, 31 Windsor Place, Carindale Qld 4152
For service to the Chinese community of Brisbane.

Honorary President, Queensland Chinese Forum, since 2007; President, 2005-2007; Vice-President and Treasurer, for 5 terms; Conference Coordinator, 2007; Chair/Coordinator, Chinese community fundraising for the Premier's Disaster Relief Appeal Fund, 2006 and 2009, and Tsunami Appeal, 2005; Funding Chair, Chinese Community Crime Prevention and Consulting Committee, 2006; Member, Australian Chinese War Memorial Committee (Veterans Memorial Garden at Sunnybank Sub-Branch of the Returned and Services League of Australia).

Chairperson, Chinese Ethnic Broadcasting Association of Queensland-Radio 4EB, for 5 terms; Vice Chair, for 4 terms; Treasurer, Chinese Programming Group Committee, for 16 terms; volunteer Translator, since 1986.
Director, Ethnic Broadcasting Association Queensland, 1999-2001.

President, Chinese Museum Queensland, 2007-2010; Treasurer, since 2010.
Vice-President, Chinese University of Hong Kong Alumni Association Queensland, since 2011; Treasurer, 2009-2011.
Member, Queensland China Council, 2001-2009.
President Lions Club of Brisbane Chinese, 2006-2007; Member, since 2001; District Chair, Lions Cord Blood Bank and Leukaemia Research, 2004-2005; led various fundraising events.
Vice-Chair, Ethnic Communities Council Queensland, 1999-2000.

Accredited translator, National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters.
Justice of the Peace, since 1990.
Current Laboratory Manager, Pathology Queensland, Princess Alexandra Laboratory.

Awards/recognition include:
White Ribbon Ambassador, since 2008.
Queensland Multicultural Service Award, 2000.

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

Mr Alan Charles CLOUGH, 57 Khartoum Street, Footscray West Vic 3012
For service to the sports of Australian Rules football and lawn bowls, and to the community.

Secretary to Umpires' Adviser, Western Region Football League (WRFL), 1978-1984; Umpire, all levels, 1973-1999; Life Member, 1980.

Umpire, Essendon District Football League, 1964-1973.

Umpire, Catholic Colleges Competition, 1967-1981.

President, Seddon Football Club, 1977; Committee Member, 1953-1955 and 1959-1969; Life Member, 1964; player, 1948-1955 and 1960-1967 (including serving as Captain Coach).

Committee Member, Footscray Football Club (now Western Bulldogs Football Club), 1959; player, 1955-1957; Member, Past Players Association, since 1967; Foundation Member, Social Club, since the 1970s.

Captain/Coach, Deniliquin Football Club, NSW, 1958; and player after 1959.

Director/Chairman, St Leonards Bowling Club, 2006-2007; Vice-President, Men's Bowling Section, 2001-2003; Veteran Champion, 2004-2005; Member, since 1972; Life Member, 2011.

Charter Member, Rotary Club of West Footscray, 1979-1993; Board Member, for many years; also served as Vice-President.

Awards/recognition include:

Awarded Legend Status, Western Region Football League Umpires Association, 2008; Inducted into the Association's Hall of Fame, 2005.

Inducted as Life Patron/Club Legend, Seddon Football Club, 1998.

Mr Robert Edward CLYNE, 6 Rutland Avenue, Unley Park SA 5061
For service to the community, particularly through the Freemasonry movement.

Executive Director, Freemasons Foundation of South Australia and Northern Territory Inc, since 2001.

Patron, Freemasons Foundation Centre for Men's Health, University of Adelaide, since 2007.

Board Member, Grand Lodge of South Australia and Northern Territory, since 2009.

Board Member, Supreme Grand Chapter, South Australia and Northern Territory, since 2009.

Founder, Historical Society, 2006.

Member, since 1977.

Member, South Australia Police, 1976-1995.

Founder, South Australia Police Historical Society, 1977; Secretary, 1977-1995; Life Member.

Author, *Colonial Blue - A History of the South Australian Police Force, 1836-1916*, 1987.

Councillor, City of Unley Council, 1987-1995.

President, Board of Trustees of Centennial Park Cemetery Trust, 1991-1992 and 1993-1994;

Member, 1990-1994.

Member, Rotary Club of Adelaide, since 2006.

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

Mrs Patricia June CONOLLY, 6/45 Glen Kyle Drive, Buderim Qld 4556
For service to the community of the Sunshine Coast.

Founding Member, Committee of Management, Suncare Community Services, since 1970; President, 1991-1994 and 1996-1998; Secretary, 1988-1991, 1998-2001 and 2002-2004; Life Member, 1994.

Chairperson, Fundraising Committee, since 2000; Meals on Wheels Office Administrator, 1989-1994; Meals on Wheels Delivery Driver, since 1970.

Member, Bingo Committee, 1991-2005; Member, Auxiliary Committee, 1971-1981.

Through bingo fundraising donated a new vehicle, Community Alternative Transport Service, 2006.

President, Maroochydore Senior Citizens, 2000-2003; Treasurer, 2005; Secretary, 2004.

Member, Volunteering Sunshine Coast, 2005.

Red Cross Calling Collector, Red Shield Appeal Foundation.

Former Member, Ladies Auxiliary, Lions Club of Buderim, 1972-1985; also served in executive roles.

Member, Parents and Citizens Association, Maroochydore High School, 1971-1981.

Treasurer, Parents and Citizens Association, Buderim State School, 1971-1978.

Approved volunteer, Tax Help, 1989-1992.

Mrs Jane Louise COOKE, 22 Crestwood Drive, Baulkham Hills NSW 2153
For service to the sport of gymnastics as an administrator.

Member, Board of Management, Gymnastics NSW, since 2008; Member, Sponsorship and Marketing Committee, 2008-2010; Member, Disability Committee, since 2010.

Introduced Rebound Therapy to Australia (for Special Needs), partner with Gymnastics NSW. Sports Administrator, Castle Hill RSL Junior Sports Club, since 2007.

Gymsports Coordinator/Administrator, Castle Hill RSL Gymnastics Club, since 2003; President, 2000-2003, lobbied for the construction of the RSL Club's indoor gymnastics facilities; Secretary, 1998-2000.

Secretary, Castle Hill RSL Youth Club, since 2003; President, 2000-2002.

President, Hills Shire Sport Inc, 2008; Secretary, 2004-2007; Member, Working Party, Community Forum for Sport, 2003-2004.

Member, Selection Panel, Local Champions Grants Program, since 2008; Community Delegate, Castle Hill Showground 355 Management Committee, 2004-2008.

Awards/recognition include:

Castle Hill's Woman of the Year, 2011.

Castle Hill RSL Club Staff Neville McSparron Award, 2007.

Baulkham Hills Rotary Pride of Workmanship Award, 2007.

Australian Government's Australian Volunteers Award Certificate of Appreciation, 2007.

Mitchell Sports Award, Mitchell Electorate MP Allan Cadman, 2006.

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

Mrs Joanne Frances COURT, PO Box 643, Nedlands WA 6909

For service to the community as an advocate for health, early childhood development and conservation organisations.

Patron, Heart Foundation 'Go Red for Women' campaign, since 2005; Member, 'Go Red for Women' Advisory Committee, 2005-2007.

Patron, Free the Bears Fund Inc, since 1996.

Fundraising Coordinator, Nedlands Primary School Parents and Citizens Association, 2000-2004.

Co-Founder, Kindy-GymbaROO Centres in Western Australia, 1989; centres for the neuro-physiological development of children.

Mr Kenneth John CRADDOCK, Narrabri NSW 2390

For service to the community of Narrabri, particularly veterans and their families.

President, Narrabri Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia, since 2002; current Welfare Officer; Trustee, Benevolent Fund, since 1999; Recruiting and Information Officer, since 1998; active Member, since 1998.

Honorary Secretary/Treasurer, NSW State Upper North West District Council, since 2000; Narrabri Sub-Branch Delegate, for 13 years.

President, Narrabri Legacy Group, for 3 years; Vice-President; Member, 2000-2007; supporter, since 1997.

Founding Member, North Western NSW National Serviceman's Association, since 1993; Past Vice-President; Life Member, since 2007.

Brigade Captain, Tibbereena Brigade, NSW Rural Fire Service, 1982-1985; Member, 1980-1985.

Volunteer, Illawong Bush Fire Brigade, 1965-1979; Deputy Captain, for 6 years.

Volunteer, Volunteer Coastal Patrol, 1962-1967.

President, Namoi Valley Antique Car Club; Vice-President; Rally Director, Bush Rally, 1990.

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

Mrs Heather Janice CROMBIE, Kalgoorlie WA 6430

For service to the community through remote health organisations.

Volunteer, Royal Flying Doctor Service Auxiliary, since the 1960s.

Councillor, Royal Flying Doctor Service, Eastern Goldfields Section, 1977-2007; Life Member, since 1999.

Founding Member, Isolated Children's Hostel Inc, 1975.

Member, Golden Reflections Palliative Care.

Mrs Carole CROMMELIN, 48 Irvine Street, Peppermint Grove WA 6011

For service to the community through health and charitable organisations.

Trustee and volunteer, Cerebral Palsy Foundation, since 1992.

Has been involved with The Centre for Cerebral Palsy (previously known as the Spastic Centre of Western Australia) since 1965 when she entered and subsequently won the Miss Australia Quest.

Representative for the Shire of Peppermint Grove, The Aged Persons Support Service, 1987-1991; Chair, 1989-1991.

Vice-Chair and Board Member, Wearne Hostel for the Aged, since 1989; Member, since 1984.

Chair, Wearne Community Centre, 1994-1996; current Committee Member; responsible for the establishment of the Centre at Wearne Hostel, 1993; Life Member and Patron, 2005.

Chair, General Gifts Appeal, Curtin Aged Persons Homes, 1983.

Involved with a range of other organisations including Riding for the Disabled, Meals on Wheels, Christ Church Grammar School Auxiliary, and the Western Australian Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation, from the 1970s through to the 1990s.

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

Mr Wilbur Henry CROSS, 28 King George Parade, Forster NSW 2428
For service to music as a bandmaster, teacher and mentor.

Band Master, Great Lakes Concert Band, 1981-2002; Assistant Conductor, player and mentor, since 2002.

Member, Great Lakes Brass Band, since 1977; playing trombone and euphonium.

Still teaching and preparing young students for Australian Music Examination Board exams; taught students at schools including the Tuncurry Public School and Holy Name Primary School, Forster.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Great Lakes Region, 1997.

Mr Ronald James CUMMING, Bunyip Vic 3815
For service to the community of Bunyip.

President, Bunyip Fire Brigade Auxiliary, since 1989.

Inaugural President of the merged Bunyip and Drouin Fire Brigades, since 1989.

Member of Bunyip Fire Brigade, continuously since 1946; Captain, 1960-1991; Life Member. Brigade's Delegate to serve on Bunyip Recreation Reserve Committee of Management, 1989.

Honorary Life Member, Country Fire Authority Victoria, 1991.

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

Mr Alan Richard CURRY, 6 Reliance Boulevard, Tanilba Bay NSW 2319
For service to the community, particularly veterans and their families.

Honorary Secretary, 5th Field Ambulance Royal Australian Army Medical Corps (RAAMC) Association, since 1991; Editor, quarterly magazine (which he has developed from a smaller black and white newsletter); current roles also include Welfare Officer, Subscription Secretary, Historian, Archivist and Librarian.

Organiser of all the Association's events including ANZAC marches, reunion dinners and Reserve Forces Day events.

Represents the association at the RAAMC Association.

Honorary Life Member, RAAMC Association, 2011.

Secretary, Lemon Tree Passage and District Sub-Branch, Returned and Services League of Australia (now the Tilligerry Sub-Branch), 1996-2001; Trustee, Assistant Treasurer and Vice-President; Member, since 1995.

Former Member, Precinct Committee, Port Stephens Council.

Mr Peter Howard DALE, 18 Malakoff Street, Ballarat Vic 3350
For service to the performing arts, and to the community of Ballarat.

Mr Dale has made a significant contribution to the artistic life of the Ballarat community.

Inaugural Vice-President, Music Theatre Guild of Victoria, 1986-1996; Life Member.

Foundation Member, Ballarat Arts Foundation, 2000; current Chairman, Associates to the Board.

Chairman, Pre-construction/Building Committee, Wendouree Centre for Performing Arts, 2002-2006, a new 820 seat contemporary theatre.

Instrumental in re-establishing the Ballarat Symphony Orchestra, in the late 1980s; President, 1991-1998.

Member, Ballarat Lyric Theatre; served in various executive roles including President, during the early 1970s and mid 1980s; Life Member.

President, Her Majesty's Theatre, 1996-1998; Executive Member, during the 1990s.

Awards/recognition include:

Inaugural Denis Bateman Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Ballarat Arts Community, 2010.

Edith Harry Award for Outstanding Service to Music Theatre, Music Theatre Guild of Victoria, 1997.

The northern foyer of the auditorium of the new Wendouree Centre for Performing Arts has been named 'the Peter Dale Atrium' in his honour.

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

Mrs Marilyn Jean DANN, 8 Doulton Road, Blackburn Vic 3130
For service to the deaf and hearing impaired.

Teacher of the Deaf (Victorian Department of Education).
Coordinator/ Leading Teacher, Oral Deaf Facility, Mount View Primary School; 1997-2005;
Teacher, 1994-1996.
Boronia Education Support Unit, 1989-1994.
Carronbank School for Deaf and Blind Centre, 1983-1989.
Princess Elizabeth Junior School for Deaf Children, 1981-1981.
Monnington School for the Deaf, 1974-1981.
Victorian College for the Deaf, 1970-1973.

Chair, Committee of Principals and Heads of Services for Deaf and Hearing Impaired
Children in Victoria.

Current Deputy Chairman, Taralye (an oral language centre for deaf children, providing
services to deaf and hearing impaired children and their families throughout Victoria); Board
Member, since 2004; Member, Research and Education Committee; Co-Leader, Mother
Goose Program, since 2007, as a volunteer.

President, Australian Association of Teachers of the Deaf (Victoria); served in various
executive roles.
Member, Ministerial Advisory Committee for Hearing Services, Department of Health and
Ageing, 2000-2004.
Made submissions to Senate Inquiries related to hearing services including *Hearing Health in
Australia*, *The Future of Australian Hearing*, and *The Education of Students with Disabilities*.
Lecturer and Tutor, Deafness Studies, Faculty of Education, University of Melbourne.

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

Mr John Gerard DAVIES, 1/21 Selborne Road, Toorak Vic 3142

For service to youth through a range of organisations.

Camp Chief, Lord Somers Camp and Power House (LSC), 2000-2003; Member and volunteer, since 1991; youth development and leadership group.

Established the Power2lead Program, 2006; leadership development program.

Founded the Power House Youth Leadership Foundation, 2003.

Updated the Constitution of the Association, 2003; Honorary Life Member, 2004.

Former Secretary, Power House Rugby Union Football Club; Member, since 1965; established the Power House Rugby Foundation, 2010; philanthropic contributions.

Board Member, John Pierce Centre for the Catholic Deaf, since 1998; established business plan for the organisation.

Introduced young deaf members to the leadership development program run by LSC.

Established and managed skills lectures for the Deaf Community, for several years.

Established Auslan language classes for hospital staff and a range of health organisations including St Vincent's Health.

Established the Ephepheta Foundation, 2000; philanthropic contributions.

Provides financial advice to the Deaf community.

Foundation Member, Holy Saviour Parish, Glen Waverley North, 1974; established Youth Group; Member, Parish Council.

Sponsor, Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

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

Councillor John Neville DAVIS, 5154 Mitchell Highway, Orange NSW 2800
For service to local government, and to the community of Orange.

Mayor, Orange City Council, 2004-2008 and since 2009.

Orange City Council and Councillor Davis were instrumental in the formation of Radiotherapy Alliance which campaigned for the establishment of a radiotherapy treatment centre in Orange. Councillor Davis was also involved in the formation of the Cancer Care Western NSW fundraising group that raised funding to enable the building of the Cancer Care Lodge. Council is joint managing the construction, and the main living area of the Lodge is to be named after Councillor Davis in honour of his support and fundraising efforts since 2006; Councillor Davis has also led the "Cruisin' Along" annual car rally event to raise funds and create awareness for Care West Lodge, for 3 years.

Sought funding for many Council projects that include:

- Orange Regional Museum Development.
- Orange Integrated Interactive Cultural Centre.
- Anzac Park Indoor Sporting Centre.
- Indoor Aquatic Centre.
- Water Supplementation.
- Stormwater harvesting.

Emeritus Mayor, Blayney City Council, 1993-2003; Councillor, 1987-2003.

Chairman, Central NSW Councils.

Board Member, Central West Catchment Management Authority, 2006-2009.

Chairman, Association of Mining Councils, 2008-2011; Deputy Chairman, 2004-2005.

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

Mr Douglas Charles DAWS, 12 Campbell Street, Kalgoorlie WA 6430
For service to the mining industry, to local government, and to the community of Kalgoorlie.

Chairman, Groote Resources Ltd, 2011-2012.
Current Non-Executive Chairman, Northern Manganese Ltd.
Director, Argent Minerals Ltd, 2010-2011.
Chairman, Amalg Resources NL, 1994-1999.
Chairman, Gold Capital Corporation Ltd.
Manager of Projects, Kalgoorlie Gold Refinery, Perth Mint, 1986-1991; established the Refinery; rationalised the operations of the State Battery Service and the development of the Kaltails Tailings Retreatment project.

Lecturer in Cartography, Western Australian School of Mines, Curtin University, 1970; established 'Save Our School' lobby group to ensure the school remains in the region.

Councillor, City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, 2003-2006.
Deputy Mayor, Kalgoorlie Town Council, 1987; Councillor, 1987-1989.
Regional Administrator, Goldfields-Esperance Region, Government of Western Australia, 1982-1986.
President, Shire of Boulder, 1976-1979; Councillor, 1975-1979.

Foundation and current Chairman and Director, Career Contact Inc; Life Member.
Board Member, Goldfields Aged Pensioners and Welfare Association, since 2001.
Member, Kalgoorlie-Boulder Cemetery Board, since 2001.
Involved in the establishment of the Loop Line Tourist Railway at Boulder, 1979.
Created the concept for the Hainault Tourist Mine, 1972.
Involved in the establishment of the Diamond Drill Core Library.
Former Chairman, Kalgoorlie-Boulder Branch, Royal Association of Justices of Western Australia (Inc); Member, Magistrates Court Kalgoorlie.
Founding Committee Member, Goldfields War Museum, in the 1980s.
Former Member, Kalgoorlie Apex Club; designed and led the construction of the Lake Douglas Water Playground, during the 1960s.
Current Honorary Secretary/Treasurer/Joint Trustee, Twin City Development Committee.
Current Chairman, Goldfields Masonic Homes.
Chairman, Masonic Hall Trust, since 1990.
Past District Grand Master, Scottish Freemasonry.
Co-Chairman, Charges and Disputes Tribunal, Goldfields Football League, 1995-2011; sole Chairman, since 2012.
Current Tribunal Chairman, Eastern Goldfields Cricket Association.

Awards/recognition include:

Centenary Medal, 2001.

Community Group of the Year Award, in recognition of the initiative and work undertaken to obtain approval and sponsorship to guild the Kalgoorlie Courthouse Dome with gold, City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Australia Day 2012.

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

Mr Robert Alan DAWSON, Ferntree Gully Vic 3156
For service to the community as a volunteer.

Volunteer, Puffing Billy Preservation Society, for over 50 years.
President, Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully, 2003-2004; Member, since 1997.

Awards/recognition include:

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully, 2008.

Mrs Wandacita DAY, 40 Whitehaven Road, Northmead NSW 2152
For service to the trade union movement, and to the community.

Service to the Federated Clerks Union, NSW Branch (now known as the Australian Services Union) includes:

- Organiser/Councillor, Retail Section, 1975-1988.
- Former Representative, New South Wales Labor Council.
- Delegate to the Federal Electoral Council, Australian Labor Party.
- Delegate to the State Electoral Council.
- Former Delegate, State and Federal conferences.
- Former President, Committee of Management.
- Former Member, Retail Industrial Committee, NSW Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

Former Secretary, Australian Labor Party, Parramatta Branch; former Assistant Secretary; Member, since 1947; Life Member, 1991.

Former Delegate at Annual Conferences; provided assistance to State and Federal Members for Parramatta.

Former Member, ATSIIC.

Convenor, Vocal Section, City of Parramatta Eisteddfod Society, 1988-1998; Treasurer, for 10 years; former Secretary.

Founding Member, Computer Pals for Seniors Holroyd Inc, 1999; Volunteer Trainer; Newsletter Editor; Secretary; current Member, Management Committee.

Respite carer.

Awards/recognition include:

Award for Dedicated and Distinguished Service, Federated Clerks Union.

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

Mr Neil DICKINS, 6 Hartley Court, Mount Gambier SA 5290

For service to the community through social welfare and sporting organisations.

Chairman, Management Committee, Abbeyfield Society, Mount Gambier, since 1987;
Member of the State Executive; Life Member.

Life Member, Abbeyfield Australia.

President, Rotary Club of Mount Gambier, 1984-1985; Member, since 1963.

Board Member, Lifeline South East, 1996-1999.

Commodore, Port MacDonnell Sailing Club, 1993-1999; Secretary, 1961-1965; Committee
Member, 1955-2010; Life Member, 1998.

Member, City Council of Mount Gambier, 1975-1977.

Member, Mount Gambier Lakes Beautification Committee, from 1963.

Member, Friends of Canunda and Beachport National Parks, since 1988; Chairman,
2002-2012.

Active Member, University of the Third Age; has led Environmental Studies Group.

Member, Institute of Surveyors, for over 50 years.

Life Member, Melbourne High School Old Boys Association, 1946.

Awards/recognition include:

Citizen of the Year, Mount Gambier, 2000.

Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary Club of Mount Gambier, 1996.

Mrs Margot Balfour DODS, 122 Orana Road, Ocean Shores NSW 2483

For service to music through administrative roles.

Artistic Director, Byron Music Society, since 1991.

Foundation Board Member, Bangalow Music Festival, since 2001; Regional Director,
2001-2004.

Involved in the formation of Byron Community Centre Youth Concerts.

Accompanist with Queensland Conservatorium; Supporter of Musica Viva Australia.

Committee Member, local Australian Decorative and Fine Arts Society.

Committee Member, Australian Music Foundation, London, UK.

Former Broadcast Planner, ABC Radio 2, Sydney, for 7 years.

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

Mrs Colleen Frances DOLAN, 119 Petersen Street, Freshwater Qld 4870
For service to people with a disability.

Foundation President, Leisure Connections Association, since 1993.

Treasurer and Foundation President, Real Living Options Association, since 1995.

Former Board Member, Queensland Parents of People with Disabilities and Endeavour Foundation.

Founder and President, Cairns Regional Family Network, 1992-1998; support group for families with a family member with a disability.

Committee Member and President, Outright Independence, for several years during the late 1980s and early 1990s; advocacy group.

Treasurer, Cairns Special School P&C, 1977-1987.

Co-Founder, ARC Disability Services (formerly Noah's Ark Toy Library), 1976.

Awards/recognition include:

Queensland Government's Annual Disability Access Award, 1999.

The Reverend Father Ignatius Tyson DONELEY,
Sacred Heart Monastery, 1 Roma Avenue, Kensington NSW 1465
For service to the community through Catholic education organisations.

Father Tyson was ordained as a Catholic Priest in 1946 and has held a variety of roles since that time.

Assistant Novice Master, Missionaries of the Sacred Heart, Kerala, India, 1998-2002.

Teacher, Missionaries of the Sacred Heart Minor Seminary, Bangalore, India, 1992-1997.

English teacher, MSC Novitiate, Central Java, and Manado MSC Seminary in Sulawesi, 1993.

Pastoral Care of Filipino community, Manado, 1993.

Lecturer, Pacific Regional Seminar, Suva, Fiji, 1990-1991.

English teacher, Pastoral Care and Chaplain to the Filipino and Japanese communities, Nagoya, Japan, 1986-1987.

Rector, Chanel Seminary, Rabaul, Papua New Guinea, 1980-1985.

Teacher, Princethorpe College, Rugby, UK, 1973.

Teacher, Monivae College, Victoria, 1987-1988.

Headmaster, St John's College, Darwin, 1974-1979.

Director of Sport and sports master, Downlands College, Toowoomba, 1966-1972; Director of Studies and teacher, 1950-1959.

Headmaster, Chevalier College, Bowral, 1960-1965.

Chaplain, South Townsville and Bowen, 2006-2008.

Chaplain, Little Sisters of the Poor, Randwick, 2004-2005.

Chaplain, Downlands College, Toowoomba, 2003.

Fellow, Australian College of Education.

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

Mr Patrick Joseph DONNELLAN, Empire Bay NSW 2257
For service to the community of Gosford.

Co-Chairman, Church Building Committee, St John the Baptist Catholic Parish, 1999-2007.
President and Principal Conductor, Central Coast Philharmonia, 1977-2006.
Adviser to the Gosford City Council 1971-1974; Solicitor to Council, since 1974; Senior Practitioner, New South Wales Local Government Lawyers Group.
President, Central Coast Law Society, 2000-2002.
Life Member, New South Wales Law Society.

Principal Solicitor, PJ Donnellan & Co Solicitors and Attorneys.

Mr Thomas Henry DONOHUE, 28A Hotham Street, Ballarat Vic 3350
For service to the community through social welfare organisations.

Volunteer, Nazareth House, since the 1950s; includes visiting residents and fundraising.
Member, St Patrick's Conference, St Vincent De Paul Society, from the 1950s to 2002; served as President and Secretary, during the 1970s and 1980s; President, O'Collins Youth Centre Management Committee, for 5 years.
President, Ballarat Regional Council, St Vincent de Paul Society, for 3 years.
Inaugural President, St Vincent de Paul Store, for 5 years.
Early times with the Society included fortnightly visits to the local gaol; later days involved weekly visits to the hospitals; and finally a weekly visit to aged care homes up to 2011.

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

Mr William Keith DOWNIE, PO Box 630, North Hobart Tas 7002
For service to business, and to the community.

Founder and Director, Angel Investors, Tasmania.
Past Board Director, TOTE Tasmania.
Volunteer Business Mentor, Mentor Resources Tasmania (now O Group Tasmania).
Director, Tasmanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry.
Founding Member and past Chairman, Tasmanian Chamber for Retailers.
Member, Hobart Chamber of Commerce.
Co-Founder, Budget Eyewear, 1996-2000.
Co-Founder, Eyebiz, 1986-1995.
Member, State Council, Institute of Company Directors, 1993-2001.

Founding Member, Community Care Network, Copping Christian Fellowship, since 2009.
Chairperson, Choir of High Hopes, 2009-2010; Board Member, 2009-2011.
President, Bream Creek Show Society, 1998-1999 and 2003-2005; Life Member, since 2010; active Member, since 1988.
Chairman, Halls and Reserves Committee, Bream Creek Community Hall Association, 2003-2009.
Active Member, Dunalley School of Local Chaplaincy Committee.
Founder and Director, University of Tasmania Foundation.

Awards/recognition include:
Tasmanian Business Executive of the Year, 1992.

Mr Alan Ralph DUGGAN, Cradoc Tas 7109
For service to the community of the Huon Valley.

President, Huon Resource Development Group, since 2002; formerly the Southwood Supporters Group, of which Mr Duggan was Chairman for a number of years.
Community Representative, Economic Development Advisory Committee, Huon Valley Council, since 2007.
Recently elected President, Houn Valley Diversified Industries Inc; a forerunner to the establishment of a Huon Valley ethanol plant.
Grower representative of the State Fruit Board.
Grower representative of the Tasmanian Apple and Pear Marketing Authority, 1978-1982.
Councillor, Port Cygnet Council (now Huon Valley Council), 1982-1992.
Member, Huon Progress Association.
Active Member, Catholic Parish of the Huon Valley; ongoing.

Former Chair, Duggan's Concrete Pty Ltd; involved with the family business since 1954.

Awards/recognition include:
Centenary Medal, 2001.
Timber Communities Australia Citizenship - Trevor Cederman Award, 2004.

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

Mr John Stephen DWYER, 2 Edward Street, Maffra Vic 3860

For service to the community through a range of organisations.

Member, Bellbird Corner Landcare Group, since 2000.

Chair/Deputy Chair, Macalister River Improvement Trust, for many years between the 1970s and 1986; served in other Executive positions, 1970-2004; subsequently known as the Avon Macalister River Management Board, Lake Wellington Rivers Authority and the West Gippsland Catchment Management Authority.

President, Maffra Probus Club, 2002-2003; and has served in other Executive positions since. President, Maffra Apex Club, 1954; Member, 1954-2000; served in Executive positions including District Governor, President, Vice-President, Charter President and Board Member; Life Member, 1968; involved in fundraising.

Member, Old Apexians Still in Service, since 1984; has served as President on several occasions.

President, Maffra District Hospital, 1986-1988; Board Member, 1982-1993.

Chair, Finance Committee, St Mary's Catholic Parish, 1961-1977; involved in the establishment of St Mary's Catholic School; Member, since childhood.

Volunteer, Meals on Wheels.

President, Maffra Young Farmers, several times between 1947 and 1953; Member, State Executive; Inaugural Member, 1947.

President, Newry Tennis Club, 1947; during the tennis court construction.

Involved in Newry Centenary Celebrations, 1975.

Wrote the history of St Ita's Catholic Church, Newry, published in 1991; led Church Centenary celebrations, 1991.

Mr Leslie David ELCOME, Victoria Point Qld 4165

For service to people with a disability.

Coordinator, Technical Aid for the Disabled, Queensland, 1981-1991; Technical volunteer, 1981-2008.

Technical volunteer, Lions Aid and Relief Centre, Apple-MAQ Lions Club, since 2009.

Technical volunteer, Montrose Access, since 2004, maintaining various disability aid equipment for the organisation; current Member, Nepal committee.

Supporter, the Leprosy Mission, since 1988, providing regular financial support as well as supplying reconditioned bikes for sale for fundraising purposes.

Technical volunteer, Redland District Special School, repairing and maintaining disabled friendly bikes.

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

Mr Alan Frederick ELLIOTT,

334 Dorcas Street, South Melbourne Vic 3205

For service to photography.

Current Club Archivist, Melbourne Camera Club; President, 1969; Member, since 1964; Life Member, since 1989.

Author, *A century exposed: one hundred years of the Melbourne Camera Club*, 1991.

Member, The Royal Photographic Society, Victorian Chapter, since 1989.

Editor, *The Woodbury Papers*, 1996.

Contributor to *Walter Woodbury: A Victorian Study*, 2008.

Associate, The Royal Photographic Society, Bath, UK, 1991.

Member, Australian Photographic Collectors Society.

Member, Daguerreian Society, USA.

Member Cast Iron Committee, National Trust of Australia (Victoria); volunteer, for 30 years.

Mentor, Final-year Photography Degree Students, RMIT University.

Lecturer in Photographing History, U3A, 2003-2004.

Author, *A Short History of Photography*, 2003.

Mr Patrick George EMERY, Darlington WA 6070

For service to the community through health and charitable organisations.

Honorary Treasurer, John Fawcett Foundation, since 2000.

Honorary Treasurer, Rotary Sight Restoration Project, 1988-2000.

District 9450 and the Rotary Club of West Perth obtained a grant to build and run a Mobile Clinic for Cataract Surgery in Bali; this project was the forerunner of the John Fawcett Foundation.

Honorary Treasurer, Neuromuscular Foundation, since 1992.

Executive Member, Muscular Dystrophy Association of Western Australia; Trustee, since 2002.

Secretary, Rotary Club of West Perth, 1996-1998; Member, since 1991; responsible for acquiring Guest Speakers for weekly Club Meetings, since 1998.

Member, Rotary Club of Wyalkatchem, 1981-1982.

Member, Rotary Club of Mundaring, 1973-1977.