



*Australia Day Awards
& Citizenship Ceremony
23 January 2013*



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Citizen of the Year

Mrs Diana Clark

Di Clark is being commended for a life time of commitment to our community.

Over many years, Di has given much of her time and talents to raise funds and personally support the community through her active membership in Huon Eldercare and St James Anglican Church.

Di's longtime involvement with Eldercare includes

- Life Member
- Committee Member board of Management Executive
- Deputy Chairperson Board of Management
- Volunteer at Eldercare Kiosk
- President Huon Eldercare Auxiliary

Di was presented with a Long Service Certificate for her 50 years of volunteering with the Huon Auxiliaries.

Di has also had a long time involvement in the St James Anglican Church at Ranelagh as a volunteer at the Anglican Op shop and a past Parish Councillor.



ABOVE: Citizen of the Year Di Clark with Australia Day Ambassador Ken Gourlay and Huon Valley Councillor Mayor Robert Armstrong

Community & Cultural Builder Award

Huon Valley Relay for Life

The cultural and Community Builders award is about acknowledging contributions made to the lives of residents through promoting skills, creating community and making connections through involvement in meaningful activities.

This award in 2013 is being awarded to the Huon Valley Relay for Life Committee.

The Huon Valley Relay for Life committee was formed in mid 2010 to undertake the necessary planning and to conduct the 2011 event and later the 2012 event.

The event was a major achievement for such a small committee who pulled together a large number of local businesses and the local people to plan and conduct the event. The committee worked hard to source all necessary services to conduct the event, such as recruitment of local people to provide catering, source the various services required to conduct the event and local entertainers from locally sourced acts.



The event was a major fundraiser and had a positive impact in generating local support and awareness of the Cancer Council Tasmania and the services it provides in community.

The event created a positive ambience between participants from the Huon Valley community all pulling together for the same cause.



ABOVE: Huon Valley Relay for Life Committee

LEFT: Cultural & Community Builders Award received by Huon Valley Relay for Life Committee representative John Gilham

Voluntary Services Awards

Voluntary Service Awards in excess of 500 Hours

Greg Griggs For services to the
Meals on Wheels
Association of Tas
Inc. Cygnet Group



Nicole King For services to the
Port Cygnet Scout
Group



Emma Oates For services to
clients at the Huon
Linc



Anne Rothwell For services to
students at the
Huon Linc



Special Voluntary Service Award in excess of 2000 Hours

David Sales For services to the Franklin Community through the;

- **Palais Theatre management Committee 2000 to present**
- **Franklin Progress Association 2000-2005**
- **Franklin Township Development Committee 2002 – 2012**



ABOVE: David Sales with his Special Voluntary Service Award in Excess of 2000 Hours

David is a dedicated member of the Franklin community

Outstanding Voluntary Service Awards

Derek Beaumont For services to the Port Cygnet Scout Group

Michael Phillips For services to the Huon Valley Little Athletics Centre



Keith Presnell For services to the Port Cygnet Scout Group

