



NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH AUSTRALASIA

NHWA AWARDS INFORMATION AND CRITERIA 2018

MALCOLM GRANT OAM VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Each year, thousands of Neighbourhood Watch and Neighbourhood Support volunteers across Australia and New Zealand give the most valuable gifts of all - their time, their talents and above all themselves. They give something back to the communities to make our communities a safer and better place to live and work.

This award recognises the outstanding contribution of an individual who has demonstrated on a continual basis support for the ideals of NHW and has freely given his or her time over an extended period of time.

Award Specific Criteria

In addressing the award specific criteria applications must demonstrate how the nominee has contributed to three or more of the identified criteria below:

- Reduce / prevent local crime and disorder
- Reduce fear of crime
- Address issues relating to anti-social behaviour
- Build community spirit and cohesion
- Reassure members of the public
- Enhance partnership working with other community groups
- Assist in the detection and apprehension of criminals through members providing information to the police
- Improve quality of life within the local environment

The nomination must be received on the official application form. Using the award specific criteria above the application must address the Nominee's:

- Extent of work in NHW
- Personal contributions to NHW
- Evidence of empowering people and communities and establishing strong and effective partnerships

Plus

- Information about how the nominated person upholds one or more of the values of Neighbourhood Watch Australasia (Leadership, Integrity, Support, Inclusiveness, Professionalism and Accountability – refer to the NHWA Future Directions).

Plus

- Summary of why the nominated person is considered worthy of receiving the Malcolm Grant OAM Volunteer Member of the Year Award



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Referees

Provide the names and contact details of two referees.

Supporting documentation

Provide any supporting materials such as newspaper articles, letters of appreciation, publicity photos or videos of the achievements in relation to key aspects of the nomination.

POLICE COMMISSIONER'S AWARD

This Award is presented by the host State/Territory or New Zealand Commissioner (or representative) recognising the outstanding service by an individual police employee through a consistent contribution to Neighbourhood Watch/Support.

Award Specific Criteria

The nominated employee's contribution must address the award specific criteria as follows:

- Reduce / prevent local crime and disorder
- Reduce fear of crime
- Address issues relating to anti-social behaviour
- Create safer neighbourhoods
- Build community spirit and cohesion
- Reassure members of the public
- Enhance partnership working with other community groups
- Improve quality of life and the local environment

The nomination must be received on the official application form. Using the award specific criteria above the application must address the Nominee's contribution to one or more of the following:

- Contribution for the reduction and/or prevention of crime and disorder. Reduction of fear of crime. Addressing issues relating to anti-social behaviour.
- Contribution to creating safer neighbourhoods. Building community spirit and cohesion. Reassuring members of the public.
- Contribution to enhancing partnerships working with other community groups. Improving quality of life and the local environment.

Plus

- Information about how the nominated person upholds one or more of the values of Neighbourhood Watch Australasia (Leadership, Integrity, Support, Inclusiveness, Professionalism and Accountability – refer to the NHWA Future Directions).

Plus

- Summary of why the nominated person is considered worthy of receiving the Police Commissioners Award



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General Criteria

The Honours Committee will use the award specific criteria based on merit, in their assessment of nominations. Consideration will be given to the inclusion of referees and supporting documentation.

NHWA acknowledges that all jurisdictions across Australasia currently recognise the outstanding contributions made by volunteers through their own individual awards system. NHWA welcomes nominations from all member jurisdiction organisations, but not limited to state recipients. All applications are to be received on official applications forms.

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