Premier's Volunteer Recognition Program

Adult Volunteer Recognition Categories: Terms and Conditions

All nominations are made under the following terms and conditions:

1. To be eligible for nomination the volunteer must work in a voluntary (unpaid) capacity in NSW. The categories in which nominations and the volunteering eligibility criteria which apply for adult volunteers include the following:
   - People with more than 40 years of volunteering experience.
   - People with more than 25 years of volunteering experience
   - Volunteering effort by those of any age. Ordinarily, eligibility will require an individual volunteering commitment to a project, cause, or for a significant period of time for one or more causes.

2. All nominations are to be submitted electronically using the online entry form at https://www.volunteering.nsw.gov.au/stories/premiers-volunteer-recognition-program

3. Nominations will be accepted from people residing in NSW and organisations that operate in NSW. Please contact NSW Volunteering at volunteering@facs.nsw.gov.au if you are unclear about your eligibility to nominate under the Premier’s Volunteer Recognition Program.

4. Each volunteer may be recognised once only per year. However, nominations for the same individual in a second or third category for new endeavours or achievements are welcomed.

5. Local Members of Parliament and NSW Department of Family and Community Services may invite nominations.

6. Nominations should be checked for accuracy, particularly the spelling of nominee’s names before submission to NSW Volunteering.

7. All nominations will be reviewed by NSW Department of Family and Community Services to ensure the entries comply with relevant terms and conditions.

8. The Program confers recognition in any given category at its absolute discretion and any Program decision is final.

9. No supporting information, such as videos, CDs or posters, will be accepted, unless requested.

10. All nominations submitted to the Premiers Volunteer Recognition Program assign copyright ownership of the nomination narrative to the State of NSW. It is intended that this information will be stored and published by the Department of Family and Community Services as a permanent record of the volunteering contribution at www.volunteering.nsw.gov.au.

11. It is intended and agreed that the conduct of the Premier's Volunteer Recognition
Program shall not give rise to any legal obligations or duties on the part of the NSW Government, which may be considered valid or enforceable in any way against the NSW Government.

12. General Terms

These terms and conditions may be amended, deleted or added to from time to time at the discretion of NSW Department of Family and Community Services and revised terms and conditions will be published at www.volunteering.nsw.gov.au in a timely manner. By submitting your nomination, you agree to the full terms and conditions – so please read them carefully.

13. Privacy Notice

The personal information provided by you in any nomination is being obtained for the purpose of the Premier’s Volunteer Recognition Program and general promotion of volunteering in NSW. Relevant staff and/or agencies that may be provided with this information are Members of Parliament and their staff, NSW Department of Family and Community Services and the media for the purpose of promoting volunteering in NSW. Provision of this information is voluntary and incomplete entry forms may not be considered.

Information obtained will be stored securely. If you wish to access personal information about yourself or you think that your personal information retained by the Department of Family and Community Services requires changing, please contact us.

For enquiries please email NSW Volunteering at the following email address:

volunteering@facs.nsw.gov.au.