

## DISTRICT AWARDS – DISTRICT 9685

Last amended March 2020

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| <b>GOVERNORS AWARDS</b>                    |             |  |  |  |                     |
| District Governor's Shield                 | Perpetual   | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year (1 July) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding achievement across the five Avenues of Service ☒ Special Contribution to organizing District events such as: PETS, District Assembly, District Conference, District Changeover, RYLA, RYPEN, MUNA, YEP.</li> </ul>        | District Governor with advice from the Management team, especially AGs, Directors and Chairs | District Changeover |
| District Governor's Trophy for Small Clubs | Perpetual   | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding achievement across the five Avenues of Service</li> <li>Special Contribution to organizing District events such as: PETS, District Assembly, District Conference, District Changeover, RYLA, RYPEN, MUNA, YEP.</li> </ul> | District Governor with advice from the Management team, especially AGs, Directors and Chairs | District Changeover |
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| District Service to Rotary Award (up to 2) | Individual  | Any Rotarian   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The nominee/s will have made a considerable contribution beyond the Club and/or District.</li> </ul>  | District Governor  | District Changeover |

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| <b>MEMBERSHIP AWARDS</b>                |             |  |  |                              |                     |
| Membership Growth Award                 | Perpetual   | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The award will be for growth between 1 July and 30 April.</li> <li>The 1 July number will be number of Rotarians that have had dues paid to the District Treasurer. That is, only active members as at 1 July who have dues paid.</li> <li>The ending number will be number of active, not honorary, members registered on the District website as at 30 April at 9am.</li> </ul> | District Membership Director | District Changeover |
| Membership Growth Award for Small Clubs | Perpetual   | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The award will be for growth between 1 July and 30 April.</li> <li>The 1 July number will be number of Rotarians that have had dues paid to the District Treasurer. That is, only active members as at 1 July who have dues paid.</li> <li>The ending number will be number of active, not honorary, members registered on the District website as at 30 April at 9am.</li> </ul> | District Membership Director | District Changeover |

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| <b>PUBLIC IMAGE AWARDS</b>              |             |  |   |                      |                     |
| Golden Quill Award for Public Relations | Perpetual   | All Clubs that submit an application to District PR Director by 30 April | Best Public Relations program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For additional details, refer to the Application Form on the District website</li> </ul>   | District PI Director | District Changeover |
| Norm Roach Website Memorial Award       | Perpetual   | All Clubs with websites listed on the District Website                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overall design will include the features listed under the Noel McDonald Bulletin Award (above), plus:</li> <li>• Visual appeal, legibility, ease of navigation</li> <li>• Links to Rotary District and RI websites should be prominent as well as correct</li> <li>• Availability of current and past issues of the Club Bulletin for members and the general public</li> <li>• Design reflects RI recommendations for websites</li> </ul> | District PI Director | District Changeover |

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| <b>COMMUNICATION AWARDS</b>    |             |  |  |                                  |   |
| Noel McDonald Bulletin Award   | Perpetual   | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year submitting bulletins or bulletin links to <a href="mailto:club.bulletins@rotarydistrict9685.org.au">club.bulletins@rotarydistrict9685.org.au</a> progressively during the period 1 July to 31 March      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation and content – informing members with reports and information about future meetings and activities, including information about Rotary as an international organisation</li> <li>• What impression does it make on a prospective member?</li> <li>• How well does the editor use the availability of colour and design to make the bulletin attractive and easy to read?</li> <li>• What use is made of good active colour photos of members and club activities?</li> <li>• What impression does the bulletin make on a prospective member - especially younger people?</li> </ul> | District Communications Director | District Changeover Or Presidents Meeting |
| Bulletin Award for Small Clubs | Perpetual   | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year submitting bulletins or bulletin links to <a href="mailto:club.bulletins@rotarydistrict9685.org.au">club.bulletins@rotarydistrict9685.org.au</a> progressively during the period 1 July to 31 March | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The criteria for Small Clubs is as for the Noel McDonald Bulletin Award (above)</li> </ul>  | District Communications Director | District Changeover Or Presidents Meeting |

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| <b>VOCATIONAL SERVICE AWARDS</b>                                |                          |   |  |  |   |
| Vocational Service Award  | Perpetual                | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to the Vocational Service Chair by 30 April      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive Vocational Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special Vocational program or project</li> </ul> Application Form on the District website   | Vocational Service Chair                             | District Changeover or Presidents Meeting |
| Vocational Service Award for Small Clubs                        | Perpetual                | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to the Vocational Service Chair by 30 April | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive Vocational Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special Vocational program or project</li> </ul> Application Form on the District website   | Vocational Service Chair                             | District Changeover Or Presidents Meeting |
| Rotarian Vocational Excellence Award The Graham Turnidge Shield | Perpetual                | All Rotarians in District 9685  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An exemplary Rotarian who has enhanced the image of Rotary through commitment, integrity and excellence in their vocation and service to Rotary</li> </ul>  | Vocational Service Chair, & DG                       | District Changeover                       |
| Vocational Excellence Award                                     | Perpetual And Individual | All Clubs that submit a nomination to the Chairman of the Vocational Excellence Committee by the date published on the District website | Full criteria on the District website <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nominees can be Non Rotarians or Rotarians</li> <li>Preferably Australian citizens living/working within the District</li> <li>Proven record of dedication and high achievement in the pursuit of excellence in their chosen vocation to the benefit and advancement of their vocation</li> </ul> | Vocational Excellence Chairman and Committee members | District Conference                       |

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| <b>COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS</b>                                   |             |  |  |                                 |   |
| Community Service Award   | Perpetual   | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to Community Service Chair by 30 April      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive Community Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special Community program or project</li> </ul> Application Form on the District website               | Community Service Chair         | District Changeover or Presidents Meeting |
| Community Service Award for Small Clubs                           | Certificate | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to Community Service Chair by 30 April | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive Community Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special Community program or project</li> </ul> Application Form on the District website               | Community Service Chair         | District Changeover Or Presidents Meeting |
| Australian Rotary Health Award                                    |             | All Clubs in District 9685 (No application form required)  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Total Club financial contributions to Australian Rotary Health for the Rotary year to 20 June</li> <li>Club initiatives e.g. Mental Illness Awareness Forums, etc</li> </ul>  | District ARH Committee          | President Meeting                         |
| Australian Rotary Health Banners and Certificates of Appreciation | Individual  | All Clubs in District 9685 that make a donation to the Australian Rotary Health  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Certificates are awarded when the per capita donation of a Club reaches \$50</li> <li>Banners are awarded when the financial contributions on a per capita basis reaches \$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,000, \$2,500, \$3,000 and \$4,000</li> </ul> | CEO of Australian Rotary Health | Presidents' Meetings throughout the year  |

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| <b>INTERNATIONAL SERVICE AWARDS</b>         |             |  |   |                             |   |
| International Service Award                 | Perpetual   | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to International Service Chair by 30 April      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive International Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special International program or project</li> </ul> <p>Application Form on the District website</p> | International Service Chair | District Changeover or Presidents Meeting |
| International Service Award for Small Clubs | Certificate | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to International Service Chair by 30 April | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive International Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special International program or project</li> </ul> <p>Application Form on the District website</p> | International Service Chair | District Changeover Or Presidents Meeting |
| The Rotary Foundation Recognition Banners   | Individual  | All Clubs in District 9685 that make a donation to The Rotary Foundation   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Per capita donations to The Rotary Foundation from 1 July to 30 June received by RI South Pacific &amp; Philippines Office (1st, 2nd and 3rd)</li> </ul>   | The Rotary Foundation       | October/November                          |

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| <b>YOUTH SERVICE AWARDS</b>         |             |  |  |                     |   |
| Youth Service Award                 | Perpetual   | Clubs of 25 members or more at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to Youth Service Chair by 30 April      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive Youth Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special Youth program or project</li> </ul> Application Form on the District website | Youth Service Chair | District Changeover or Presidents Meeting |
| Youth Service Award for Small Clubs | Certificate | Clubs with fewer than 25 members at the start of the Rotary year that submit an application to Youth Service Chair by 30 April | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outstanding and comprehensive Youth Service through involvement in District programs and Club initiatives that may also include an outstanding special Youth program or project</li> </ul> Application Form on the District website | Youth Service Chair | District Changeover or Presidents meeting |
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