

Julie Otremba and her husband Andrew moved to Yanchep in the early to mid 1980's and got involved with several newly formed local groups. Over the years they have enriched, helped and supported the local Yanchep Two Rocks area in so many ways providing the local communities with activities, outings, help and support plus getting involved on the committees of many of these groups.

These include - - -Yanchep Two Rocks Recreation Association/ Thursday night Bingo/Yanchep Two Rocks Community Bus/Yanchep Two Rocks Home Support Group/Local Drug Action Group and Local Crime Prevention Group.

From these groups Julie has played some very active roles, being involved with secretarial, treasurer and other administrative roles for many years. She still continues to play an active role in several of the groups.

Over 20 years Julie has been part of the Community Bus Management Committee, where working with Phil Renkin, Stan Daley and Terry Loftus they have managed to raise over \$1million dollars to purchase new community buses as required, then maintained and serviced these vehicles. The buses are used for free weekly trips to go shopping, to attend medical appointments and various outings.

The Blessing of the Fleet at the Two Rocks Marina and the Australia Day Breakfast are two of the incredible events that Julie has organised. She works at Bunning's and is responsible for allocating local clubs for fundraising at sausage sizzles.

Julie has been awarded the Yanchep Two Rocks Community Person of the Year award, the City of Wanneroo Citizen of the Year award and the Order of Australia.

At the Order of Australia Award the comment was made that they had not seen a single person dedicate so much time to a community without neglecting her family in any way.

Julie is pictured below with another recipient Ted Dowling

